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Forest fire hazard season begins Oct. 1 and runs through Dec. 15. During forest fire hazard season, it is illegal to burn between the hours of 6 a.m., and 6 p.m. in or within 150 feet of any woodland or brushland.



First day of fall summons hopes of vivid colors

Wednesday was the first day of fall and before long leaves will reach their autumn glory. The weather over the next month is crucial in deciding the fate of the fall colors. Autumn leaf color depends on two key components – light and water. Leaves need light, water and carbon dioxide to react with the plants' chlorophyll in order to keep their green shading.



When fall rolls around, the cool nights produce sugar in the leaves and trigger the veins to start closing off. In doing so, the sugars produce the different pigments of the leaves that we see every autumn. When the veins are eventually filled with sugar, it closes off from the connecting tissue and the leaves fall.

Meetings & More

✓ Marion Tourism Commission meets at 6 p.m., tonight (Thursday) at the Marion Welcome Center.

✓ Crittenden-Livingston Water District meets at 7 p.m., Monday at its office in Salem.

✓ Crittenden Hospital Board meets at 6 p.m., Tuesday at the administrative annex building.

✓ Crittenden County Board of Education meets at 6 p.m., Tuesday at Crittenden Elementary School.

✓ Crittenden County High School senior parent meeting will be held from 6-7 p.m., Monday, Oct. 4 at the Rocket Arena conference room.

There is no fee and no need to register. Education Director Jeremy Wheeler and Guidance Counselor Stefanie Hardin will be discussing college options and taking questions regarding the college application process.

✓ Want to reserve a pavilion at Marion-Crittenden Count Park for a special event? Call Marion Tourism Department at 965-5015.

ON THE WEB
News Blog Poll

This week's poll on The Press Online asked readers: "Is it okay to have a mosque built near Ground Zero in New York?" Here is what 332 respondents said:

Yes 72 (21%)
No 250 (75%)
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Stimulus funds for housing

STAFF REPORT

Two housing complexes for low-income residents are going up on Rochester and North Weldon streets thanks to government stimulus funds.

The project has been five years in the making. The City of Marion deeded the lots to the Pennyroyal Center several years ago and work just started in the past

few days.

The Marion duplexes are among 14 being built in Crittenden, Caldwell and Lyon counties as part of the Pennyroyal Center's Quad County Housing Project. Each unit will have two bedrooms and some are specifically designed for handicapped accessibility.

Pennyroyal Center Housing

Coordinator Bill Kerley said the new housing is intended for people who have been identified as being homeless or in substandard living conditions, and meet income criteria.

"Homelessness in western Kentucky looks very different than it does in big cities," Kerley

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Duplexes are being built at two locations in Marion thanks to government stimulus money.



Stacy Adams fills the cistern behind his home on Emmaus Church Road in rural Crittenden County. About every two days, he buys water at a bulk station and hauls it in a container in the bed of his pickup.

Most residents have county water, but some still haul it

STAFF REPORT

Cisterns and wells are not quite as common as they once were, but every now and then you'll run across one. Much like land-line telephones, they're being systematically replaced by consumers who want more convenience at a lower cost.

Municipal water is available in most areas of the county. Crittenden County Judge-Executive Fred Brown says that about 95 percent of local residents who want pipe in potable water have it.

Stacy Adams of the Emmaus community figures he's one of the last few in his neck of the woods still hauling water and dumping it into a cistern. To be honest, he's tired of it.

"I've been hauling water for 10 years, since we moved in here," said Adams, who lives between Frances and Salem. "Here lately I haven't seen anyone else using this bulk station to get water. I guess I am the only person left hauling water around here."

While he may not be the last, Adams is certainly one of a dying breed. Crittenden-Livingston Water District serves about 3,400 households, farms of businesses in the two counties, plus it provides wholesale water to Salem, Grand Rivers, Smithland and Ledbetter. The district has 650 miles of lines and a sizeable debt to illustrate its aggressive growth in the past 15 years.

Adams says the water district

■ Stacy Adams and his grandmother Peachy Long are among those in Crittenden County who still have to fetch their own water.

board has told him it's out of money and can't afford to build any more lines right now. In years past, county officials promised him county water and never delivered. His grandmother, Peachy Long who lives down the road said she signed a right-of-way contract to get water many years ago.

Long is over 80 years old and her well went dry a month ago. She's been hauling water in gallon and quart jugs.

"The kitchen counter is full of jugs of water," she said. "I carried water as a child and I don't want to do it anymore."

Adams has petitioned the water district to have his road included when more money is available to build a water line. An area along Emmaus Church Road and Butler Road, or about 1.3 miles between Ky. 855 North and Shelby Store Road in Livingston County, is not served by the water district. Adams says he isn't sure why his road which has 10 residents who want water, has been passed over.

Crittenden-Livingston Water

District Superintendent Ronnie Slayden said there aren't too many high-density areas not served by county water, but Adams and Long live in one of them. He said Emmaus Church and Butler roads should have been included the last time water lines were built in 2008, but somehow the area fell through the cracks so to speak.

"We've had a grant application at the Pennyroyal Area Development District for over a year," Slayden said, but there is no money.

Based on Kentucky's financial situation – furloughing state workers and cutting costs to meet a huge budgetary shortfall – Slayden doesn't anticipate anything soon.

Rep. Mike Cherry (D-Princeton) said chances are that there will be no free money in the near future. He said the state's failure to pass a proposed bond issue for such projects during the budgetary process in March will likely mean no funds for at least two years, Cherry said.

In the meantime, people who haul water like Adams and those with dry wells like his grandmother or bad-tasting well water like his neighbors, will likely have to continue what they're doing.

"I've been going to meeting and asking for water since 2000," he said. "They've been here and estimated it will cost about \$50,000 to get water to all of us. But they say they have too much debt and

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Marion's sniper sergeant leads TV 'Cut' mission

STAFF REPORT

One Crittenden County family watched the season finale of Discovery Channel's Surviving the Cut with special interest Wednesday night. Airing at 9 p.m., was an episode chronicling this summer's U.S. Marines Sniper training, which included 2004 Crittenden County High School graduate Sgt. Cody Brandon. Brandon is the son of Wanda and Lynn Driskill of Marion and Robert and Linda Brandon of Eddyville, and the grandson of Cheryl Olson and Martha Brandon, both of Marion.

Sniper certification requires intense military elite-forces-style training, of which few complete. Just five of 30 candidates for sniper training are accepted, and, on average, only one in three complete the 10-week course. Sniper training is one of the highest levels of discipline in the military.

Sgt. Brandon, 24, is stationed at Fort Pendleton, Calif., with his wife Elvia, a former Marine, and their two children.

Brandon didn't just pass Sniper Training, he was awarded the Instructor's Choice and Highest Shooter honors.

Needless to say, his mother is quite proud.

"Cody doesn't tell me a lot because he doesn't want me to worry," his mother, Wanda, said. "But I was out there this summer and he was so tired. He had to go through a week of 'indoc,' which is where 30 Marines do very vigorous training for a solid week with no sleep, no food and lots of physical training in order to make it into sniper school."

"He was getting home around 8 or 9 at night and leaving around 4 a.m., and some nights he didn't get to come home at all during training."

After getting a few details from her daughter-in-law, Driskill learned that Instructor's Choice is given to the best Marine, based on his leadership ability and his actions in various situations.

"I am very proud of him because he works very hard to be where he is. Many days and nights with very little if any sleep," Wanda added.

Brandon's wife and children don't see him too much, his mother explains.

"I want people to know all the sacrifices

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Sgt. Cody Brandon
Featured among Marine on Surviving the Cut television series.

Christmastime always comes early in Marion

The annual Christmas in Marion Arts & Crafts Show will be held from 9 a.m., to 4 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 16 at Fohs Hall.

There will be more than 30 vendors selling all of the customary favorites plus some new items, said Kim Vince, chairperson of the event sponsored each fall by Fohs Hall Community Arts Foundation.

Items for sale will include custom jewelry, one-of-a-kind gifts, woodcrafts, candles, purses and other holiday favorites.

Admission to the event is free.

The homemakers group will also be selling homemade breads and candy.

For more information, call Vince at 365-3420 or visit the Web site at Christmastmas-inMarion.com. Vendor applications are available online.

True Christianity makes a big difference

In recent columns the works of atheists have been well documented. The awful slaughter of innocent people by atheistic regimes that have no regard for human life have wreaked havoc around the world and we have so many atheists and communists in this country that want the same. These barbaric minds want control over the nation that has given them the wealth and freedoms they enjoy.

Let us look at what a difference Christianity makes when it is truly lived out in human lives. Christian missionaries have left their home and hearth to go to all parts of the world to feed the hungry, treat the sick, build hospitals, orphanages, schools and teach the blessed Gospel of Jesus Christ to the lost and dying.

Jesus teaches to love our neighbors as ourselves, to do unto others as we would have them do unto us, al-

ways tell the truth even when it costs us our lives and to even love our enemies and do them good.

Then we read of a religion that teaches its adherents to kill, behead, mutilate and hate all that disagree with their brand of religion, especially the Jews and Christians.

We read of many kinds of religions, but none can change a person's heart from hate, degeneracy, sin and rebellion except for the power of the Holy Spirit of God that is given to us through Jesus Christ when we confess our sins and ask God for forgiveness. We then give Him our lives and our hearts to cleanse and fill with Himself.

Jesus teaches us to deny ourselves, pick up our cross and follow Him in spreading His word of salvation, deliverance from the bondage of the awful power of sin and to follow Him in serving our fellow man in their soul, body



Rev. Lucy Tedrick
Religious Views
Crittenden Press guest columnist

and mind as He leads us.

That true experience leads us into the life of sacrificial service in His name and no other group on earth has done so much of this kind of service as Christians in this country.

The influence of that kind of service is felt and carried out many times by people who do not yet know the Lord and is proven by the innate goodness that is seen over and over by millions of Americans in a national disaster – not only here but around the world.

That is why it galls me to hear anyone put down

America as an arrogant or an imperial country. We are always the first at every human disaster in the world, be they enemies or friends. No other nation on earth can say that. Plus, our hard earned tax dollars are given to at least 20 nations and not all of them are lovingly friendly. None rarely show proper appreciation, as most of them put us down every chance they get.

Countries around the world are beneficiaries of countless thousands of Godly men and women who leave comforts and home to live among some of the most needy, in order to bring them the life-saving Gospel and to teach them a better life in every way.

The Judsons come to mind, who the day after their wedding, Feb. 5, 1812, set sail for India, but were not welcomed so they went to Burma where the Gospel had never reached that land

of 15 million people.

They settled at Rangoon, and only saw 18 converts after nine years in the country. They learned the Burmese language and translated the Scriptures. In 1822, Mrs. Judson became very ill and returned home for one year. She returned to Burma and some time later war broke out between Burma and Britain. Mr. Judson was thrown into prison and Ann was two months pregnant.

Her husband was forced to walk eight miles on stone barefooted and almost died. When their daughter was born, Ann followed her husband and slipped food to him and got to administer to his needs for his recovery.

After the war, he was released, and Ann and their daughter died four years later from a terrible fever. Mr. Judson continued to minister to the people he had come to love for 24 more

years. He completed a translation of the entire Bible into Burmese, established 63 churches with 163 missionaries and native church leaders.

No other religion leads people to such self sacrifice in loving devotion and care for their fellow man as the blessed Gospel of Jesus Christ.

What a difference in that power, and those in the name of another religion who hate others and are committed to recruit or kill everyone else on the planet.

Thank God for Jesus Christ, His saving grace and its power in His true followers.

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.

Letters to the Editor

Writer urges re-election of Rebecca Johnson

To the Editor:

This letter is in support of re-electing Rebecca Johnson as county attorney. I have known Rebecca throughout my entire life, initially through my membership at Marion United Methodist Church and later as a mentor and friend. As a middle school student, Rebecca allowed me to shadow her, as I aspired to become an attorney and she was the sole practicing female attorney in Crittenden County.

She provided wisdom and encouragement that would later prove vital in the development of my education and legal career. Through her commitment to the community, her church and her profession, Rebecca has been quite an inspiration of what young women from Crittenden County can accomplish. Rebecca has always made herself available to provide advice, wisdom and offer her experience in order to empower others.

Upon graduation from the University of Kentucky in 2005, I entered the University of Kentucky College of Law from which I earned a Juris Doctor in 2008. Following my graduation from law school, I practiced as a public defender, which provided great insight into the duties of a county attorney. I know firsthand what a challenging position the county attorney has and I am confident that Rebecca is the most qualified person to handle these challenges. She is not only efficient, fair and competent but also handles matters with great professionalism.

Although I no longer reside in Crittenden County, I have followed Rebecca's tenure as county attorney and have repeatedly been impressed by the strides she has made while in office; receiving statewide recognition for the efficiency and successfulness of her programs. Rebecca has brought a much needed fresh perspective to the office of county attorney and improved Crittenden County as a result. I urge voters to allow Rebecca to continue with her vision for Crittenden County as Crittenden County Attorney.

Kristen A. Stone
Lexington, Ky.

LettersPolicy

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drivers and stiff penalties for all drug offenders demonstrates the level of her achievement.

Rebecca vows a continuation of the same promise for the next four years.

The county attorney owes a duty to this county to be tough on crime not soft on crime. I believe that ankle bracelets for criminals are not feasible as a deterrent to crime. If we were concerned about cutting costs, we should have taken other steps several years ago, before building a multimillion dollar jail that houses predominantly out of county prisoners, who committed crimes outside Crittenden County.

A vote for Rebecca on Nov. 2 will ensure the voters of

Crittenden County an experienced, fair and hardworking county attorney for four more years.

Cletis O. Hunt
Marion, Ky.

Frazer wants best for county

To the Editor:

We want to take this opportunity to share with the people of Crittenden County that we are supporters of Bart Frazer. He has been a longtime friend of the family. We've seen him grow to be a very respectful man who treats each person alike. He is dedicated to his family, his work and community.

He wants Crittenden County to be its best. Bart wants to save the county money by keeping money in Crittenden County, not sending it out to other counties.

He wants to put in place an ankle bracelet program for the criminals, making them pay us instead of us paying them. He wants his office and team to be a convenience to the community and businesses.

Mostly, Bart wants to be a part of the team for Crittenden County. He wants the best for our community. Bart understands what our county needs and has dedicated himself and his team to make sure Crittenden County gets what it deserves.

Bart is the right person for county attorney. So, we ask that you, the citizens of Crittenden County, please join us on Nov. 2 and vote Bart Frazer for county attorney. He is the right choice.

Denny & Brenda Maddox
Marion, Ky.

District has eye on college readiness and ACT scores



Dr. Rachel Yarbrough
Super News
Crittenden Press guest columnist

As I read the information contained in a recent article about the "Six Years of Decrease in ACT Scores" for the graduating classes of the Crittenden County School District, I thought of Paul Harvey's saying – "And Now, The Rest of The Story."

Let me provide some clarification about changes in ACT reporting over the past several years and the positive growth that we have experienced with our junior ACT scores since 2008:

•Spring 2006 and 2007 – Primarily college bound seniors opted to take an ACT exam. These students could retake the ACT multiple times and the highest score that a student obtained was counted in the overall ACT Graduating Class Report for Crittenden County. These were the highest scores in the six year trend report.

•Spring 2008 – The Kentucky Department of Education mandated that all juniors take the ACT in March of their 11th grade school year. This certainly changed the overall reporting of scores from 2008, 2009 and 2010.

All school districts in the state of Kentucky administer the ACT and the scores are built into the state reporting of results. The ACT reporting for Crittenden County Schools since 2008 includes those students who may or may not be college bound and those students with special needs who require legal accommodations on assessment. Some of our juniors who take the ACT in March

ACT "Apples to Apples" Chart					
The following chart represents the Crittenden County High School 2009 Junior Class compared with that same group as the graduating Class of 2010 and ACT growth.					
	English	Math	Reading	Science	Composite
Junior Class 2009	16.7	17.5	17.7	18.0	17.6
Graduating Class 2010	17.5	18.1	18.5	18.7	18.3
Growth	+0.8	+0.6	+0.8	+0.7	+0.7

Percent of Juniors Meeting ACT Benchmark			
The following chart shows that Crittenden County High School Juniors are demonstrating growth in a majority of ACT assessed areas.			
ACT Benchmark	Subject	% Juniors Meeting	Comparison
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may opt to retake the test in their senior year for an improved score.

•Our school district's focus has been on improving the percentage of our students who meet the ACT benchmark scores in the areas of reading, math, science and English. We are closely monitoring the growth of student performance in each of the ACT assessment areas. Refer to the bottom chart in this article for exact percentages.

•Crittenden County High School has developed an ACT NOW plan with focused ACT strategies, preparation and practice that will occur in the ninth, 10th, 11th and 12th grades. This intentional ACT preparation plan is in place for the 2010-11 school year and we expect to see continued growth in our students results on the ACT in the future.

Student growth in content areas and in meeting college readiness benchmarks is now guiding all of the instructional planning and focus for our students.

We are committed to creating a "college going culture" where students are not only meeting but exceeding the minimum benchmarks of college readiness measures.

We are certainly on the move and making progress each year with ACT performance. The extent of our

growth needs to increase without question; however, we can be proud of the growth in performance in our ACT results since 2008 when the state mandated that all juniors take this assessment.

Let me assure our community that we have our eye on the college readiness target for all students and we expect continued improvement in student learning results.

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Johnson has record to being tough on crime

To the Editor:

Rebecca Johnson promised the citizens of Crittenden County four years ago she would be tough on crime if elected Crittenden County Attorney. She was successful in the election and has been equally successful in the fulfillment of her promise. A 92-percent conviction rate of drunk and drugged



News and notes on the people you know from Marion and surrounding communities

Community Spotlight

Conrad's Food Store is Chamber's Business of Month

Conrad's Food Store has been selected by the Crittenden County Chamber of Commerce as the Business of the Month for September.

Store Manager Mike Wasielewski was excited about the honor, and it also came as surprise.

"When they called to tell me, I was ecstatic, but also surprised," Wasielewski said. "It was a nice surprise though."

As a business that has a constant flow of patrons, customer service and quality is something that Conrad's prides itself on, according to Wasielewski.

"We want to be a helpful

part in the community and we always try to carry whatever the customer wants," he said. "But we wouldn't be able to do it without our employees – they're wonderful."

Conrad's also has a deli, catering service, rents videos and provides a wire service for money, among other things.

Dr. Mayfield gets certification from national board

Dr. Steven Mayfield has successfully completed his Certification Examination with the American Board of Family Medicine. Medical practitioners must be recertified periodically. The ABFM recertifies

doctors every seven years.

"Dr. Mayfield feels right at home with our staff at CHS and he is an asset to our organization serving two physicians clinics and working in our emergency department," said Crittenden Hospital Marketing Director Donnetta Travis.

Dr. Mayfield sees patients at the hospital's Center Clinic on Tuesdays until 8:30 p.m., and on Wednesday and Thursday until 4 p.m. He is at the Burkhart Rural Health Clinic in Salem on Mondays and Fridays.

Dr. Mayfield earned his premed degree from the University of Texas-Austin and completed his medical degree after attending schools in the Caribbean and England.

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Dr. Mayfield

September Rocket Role Models



Rocket Role Models for third, fourth and fifth grades for September are (front from left) McKenzie Dennis, Leah Yates, Dakota Lanham, Gavin Davidson, Hunter Jones, Trevor Pepler, Milaja Kimbrell, (middle row) Hanna Easley, Shea Martin, Matt Lynn, Gavin Dickerson, Payton Riley, Matthew Dunham, Faith Turner, (back) Zayne Menser, Nikki Adams, Madison Champion, Marylinda Sisco, Sam Winders, Dayton Simpkins and Ricky Adkins. Not pictured: Jaylin Blackburn, Macye Simpkins and Alyssa Snow.



Rocket Role Models for kindergarden, first and second grades for September are (front from left) Laken Belt, Matthew Jenkins, Evan Belt, Hanna Collins, Anthony Federico, Natalee Buchanan, Brylee Conyer, (middle row) Ethan Shewmaker, McKenzie Quertermous, Lyli Wesmolan, Alyssa Bozeman, Jalyynn Hackney, Blake Martin, Hayden Jones, Kollin Graham, (back) Hannah Faughn, Braxton Winders, Cameron Suggs, Tyler Boone, Taylor Koerner, Taylor Stoner, Mary Holeman and Gage Campbell. Not pictured: Gavin Peek, Tara Stinnett, Travis Blazina, Tanner Beverly, Callie Brown, Tate Roberts and Kenlee McDaniel.



Conrad's Food Store is the Chamber of Commerce Business of the Month. Employees pictured are (front from left) Jerri Ann Todd, Mike Wasielewski, Nancy Paris; (second) Jessica Lowry, Nita Maness, Cheryl Boyd, Donna Rushing, Faye Miller, (back) Randy Sherrell, Justin Shaw, Josiah Kinney, James Castle and Richard Wheeler, Charlene Dahl, Bob Roberts and Gina Hunt.

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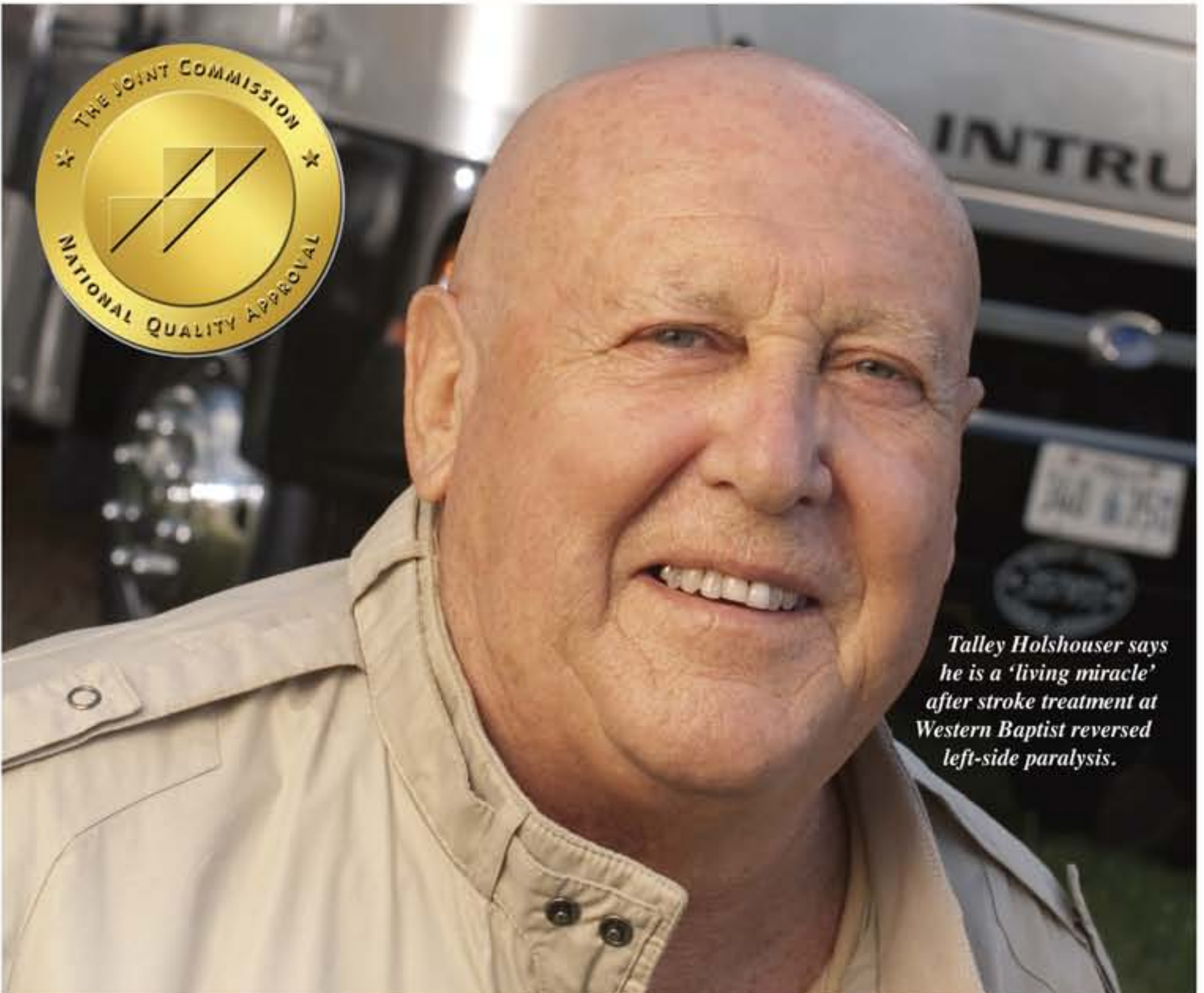
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► **F.A.S.T.**

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A = ARM

S = SPEECH

T = TIME

Try to smile. Does one side of the face droop?

Raise both arms. Does one arm drift downward?

Repeat a simple phrase. Is speech slurred or odd?

If you see any of these signs, call 911 immediately.

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Outdoors & Agriculture



The shooting range at Land Between the Lakes is now available without reservations.

LBL shooting range open from dusk to dawn

Land Between the Lakes invites the public to improved facilities at Energy Lake Campground and the Golden Pond Target Range. "Take advantage of fee waivers and volunteer opportunities offered on National Public Lands Day, Sept. 25, and stop by the improved facilities," said LBL Customer Service Manager Brian Beisel. "National Public Lands Day is all about giving back to visitors. Facility upgrades are another way of showing our appreciation to all the people that recreate at LBL." Campers at Energy Lake Campground will be greeted by a new gatehouse and three new accessible shower buildings in loops A, C and D. All of Road 134 leading to Energy Lake is also freshly paved. Make reservations at 1-800-525-7077.

Visitors to LBL may also use the new Golden Pond Target Range. The updated facility includes two ranges for simultaneous shooting — a 175-yard rifle range containing six shooting benches and a 50-yard pistol range containing four shooting benches. The shooting range is almost twice as long as before. The Target Range also has an archery practice range and a field archery range trail. The range is open from dawn to dusk. Reservations are no longer necessary. Instead, use will be on a first-come, first-served basis with capability for multiple shooters. This new policy will be in effect for at least the next 12 months. "Improvements to the new Target Range were made possible through a National Rifle Association grant and through generous donations from individuals and businesses," said LBL Association Executive Director John Ruffi. "We are very grateful to be able to provide shooting enthusiasts with an improved facility that was completely built with donated funds and in-kind work."

LBL hosting autumn festival weekend of Oct. 2-3

Land Between the Lakes will be offering a fall festival, Autumn Nature Celebration, Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 2-3. The event will include programs, craft activities, hikes, fall gardening tips, apple cider pressing, an evening campfire and more at Woodlands Nature Station and The Homeplace. The weekend will be filled with fun activities such as the lost art of basket making, campfire tales, marshmallow roasting and more. Bring blankets or lawn chairs and dress for a cool fall night. Reservations are requested. On Sunday, the Homeplace will feature demonstrations on putting up fruit during An Apple a Day, and getting the best yield out of the garden by using compost during the Garbage in the Garden program. "Autumn is such a beautiful time and there is so much going on in LBL — elk bugling, leaves changing colors, fruits ripening, songbirds and monarch butterflies flying south for winter," said Dia Westfall, naturalist at the Nature Station. "It is a wonderful season to get out and enjoy the outdoors."

For more information, call 924-2020. Smokey Bear will be at the Nature Station on Saturday, Oct. 2.

Highways focus of farm safety

BY MALCOLM L. LEGAULT
EDUCATION CENTER FOR AG SAFETY

Agriculture is one of the most hazardous industries in the United States with a death rate of 21.3 per 100,000 workers and approximately 130,000 disabling injuries.

The toll is huge with respect to the communities involved and national productivity of our food supply. The death and injury rates do not include victims who are not occupationally active in agriculture but died from an incident involving farm and ranch equipment. The most common place to be involved in an incident with farm and ranch equipment is on the public road-way system. For this reason,

the National Safety Council is targeting rural roadway safety during this week's National Farm Safety and Health Week.

Farmers know the limitations of their machinery. What they don't always realize is the general public is not familiar with what their machines can and cannot do. This is especially important when a tractor, is traveling by itself or when it is towing an agricultural machine. Tractors and self-propelled machines generally can travel no faster than 25 miles per hour.

It is essential to know at all times what is happening around you when operating tractors and other machinery.

his mother.

Brandon is preparing for an overseas deployment at the beginning of 2011, and his mother expects he will make a career of the military.

Surviving the Cut is a new Discovery Channel series that takes viewers into the intense world of military elite forces training.

SNIPER

Continued from page 1 that all military men and women go through along with the families," she said.

"Cody loves what he does and wants to move on up and maybe go into Reconnaissance or Marine Special Forces of some type," said

LIVESTOCK REPORTS

MARION & LIVINGSTON REPORTS WEEKLY BY -USDA MARKET NEWS

MARION LIVESTOCK

Monday, Sept. 20, 2010. KDOA-USDA Market News. West Kentucky Livestock Market, Marion Auction (cattle weighed at time of sale).

Receipts: 952 head

Compared to last week: Slaughter cows and bulls 2.00-3.00 lower. Feeder steers and heifers 4.00-6.00 lower.

Slaughter cows:

	Percent	Lean	Weight	Price	High Dressing
Breaker	75-80		1050-1665	48.00-52.00	
Boner	80-85		970-1300	44.50-52.00	
Lean	85-90		800-1100	40.00-45.00	
Lean	90<		775-900	32.00-37.00	

Slaughter Bulls:

Y.G.	Weights	Carcass	Boning	Percent	Price
1	1595	76			67.00
2	1275-2230	74-75			60.00-66.00

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 1-2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
4	100-200	152	113.00-123.00	119.03
25	200-300	242	117.00-126.00	122.67
63	300-400	355	112.00-125.50	116.54
53	400-500	453	105.00-114.00	110.70
31	400-500	490	123.50	123.50 Value Added
22	500-600	541	106.00-116.00	109.53
4	600-700	641	102.00	102.00
14	600-700	610	113.00	113.00 Value Added
2	700-800	778	95.00	95.00
2	800-900	832	84.00-91.00	87.41
1	900-1000	910	84.00	84.00

Groups: 20 head 387 lbs 112.00 MIX; 31 head 490 lbs 123.50 BLK

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
6	200-300	228	93.00-114.00	100.48
14	300-400	359	82.00-110.00	89.66
16	400-500	441	83.00-100.00	85.74
12	500-600	537	86.00-103.00	95.39
4	500-600	506	84.00	84.00 Value Added
1	600-700	655	88.00	88.00

Feeder Steers Large 1-2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
5	400-500	482	96.00	96.00

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 1-2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
5	100-200	184	105.00-115.00	111.85
27	200-300	241	110.00-116.00	112.65
54	300-400	351	100.00-106.00	101.42
83	400-500	442	92.00-105.50	98.78
28	500-600	546	90.00-103.00	93.20
7	600-700	638	82.00-88.00	85.04
32	600-700	666	100.50-104.00	102.29 Value Added
4	700-800	771	88.00	88.00
5	900-1000	951	77.00	77.00

Groups: 20 head 331 lbs 100.00 MIX

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
8	100-200	168	80.00-84.00	83.50
23	200-300	283	73.00-105.00	79.71
13	300-400	355	80.00-95.00	93.78
21	400-500	466	82.00-94.00	90.61
2	500-600	532	87.00-88.00	87.52
1	600-700	620	61.00	61.00
1	700-800	730	77.00	77.00

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 3

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
10	300-400	388	61.00	61.00
1	400-500	485	60.00	60.00

Feeder Heifers Small and Medium 1

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
3	400-500	475	81.00-81.50	81.33

Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 1-2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
7	300-400	374	110.00-117.00	112.43
16	400-500	452	100.00-107.00	103.98
28	500-600	541	84.00-94.00	86.66
6	600-700	627	81.00-90.00	84.21
1	700-800	795	69.00	69.00
2	800-900	868	64.00-67.00	65.47

Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
7	300-400	362	100.00-112.00	107.05
5	400-500	447	98.00-104.00	101.84

8	300-400	371	95.00-106.00	101.59
11	400-500	473	90.00-94.00	92.21
1	500-600	510	83.00	83.00
11	600-700	660	73.00-78.00	76.66
2	800-900	898	65.00	65.00

Feeder Bulls Small and Medium 1

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
4	400-500	451	77.00-83.00	79.49

Stock Cows: Cows 2 to 8 years old 2 to 7 months bred 520.00-810.00 per head.

Stock Cows and Calves: Full mouth cows with calves at side 840.00-900.00 per pair.

Baby Calves: 30.00-150.00 per head.

LIVINGSTON LIVESTOCK

Tuesday Sept. 21, 2010. Livingston County Livestock, Ledbetter Auction (cattle weighed at time of sale). Receipts: 974 head.

Compared to last week: Slaughter cows and bulls 2.00-3.00 lower. Feeder

steers 4.00-5.00 lower. Feeder heifers 1.00 lower.

Slaughter cows:

	Percent	Lean	Weight	Price	High Dress	Low Dress
Breaker	75-80		1175-1610	47.00-52.00		44.00
Boner	80-85		990-1250	43.00-48.00		
Lean	85-90		760-1000	34.00-43.00		

Slaughter Bulls:

Y.G.	Weights	Carcass	Boning	Percent	Price	Low-Dress
1	1610	77			65.50	
2	1230-2315	75-76			58.00-64.00	

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 1-2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
10	100-200	156	111.00-149.00	132.92
10	200-300	264	127.00-141.00	129.18
13	300-400	348	115.00-125.00	118.08
34	400-500	450	106.00-115.00	110.20
46	500-600	552	100.00-110.00	103.71
21	600-700	632	93.00-105.00	101.23
5	700-800	715	94.00-103.50	101.55
3	800-900	818	83.00-89.00	85.99
1	1000-1100	1065	78.00	78.00

Feeder Steers Medium and Large 2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
8	200-300	268	115.00-124.00	120.10
7	300-400	362	100.00-112.00	107.05
5	400-500	447	98.00-104.00	101.84

6	500-600	566	85.00-98.00	90.58
5	600-700	657	82.00-91.00	87.55
1	700-800	750	84.00	84.00

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 1-2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
2	100-200	170	100.00-135.00	120.07
17	200-300	262	105.00-116.00	110.98
1	200-300	200	141.00	141.00 Ind
54	300-400	348	105.00-115.00	109.58
59	400-500	444	100.00-111.00	104.54
56	500-600	540	92.00-101.00	96.52
31	600-700	631	88.00-96.00	93.24
6	700-800	706	85.00-93.50	89.40
2	800-900	820	70.00	70.00

Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
8	300-400	365	84.00-103.00	95.97
13	400-500	466	88.00-99.00	93.03
13	500-600	553	75.00-92.00	85.64
11	600-700	632	80.00-86.00	84.47
7	700-800	732	75.00-83.00	80.21

Feeder Heifers Small and Medium 1

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
1	400-500	490	71.00	71.00
1	500-600	500	84.00	84.00

Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 1-2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
6	300-400	362	110.00-117.00	113.04
36	400-500	447	103.00-114.00	107.49
47	500-600	530	93.00-104.50	98.73
30	600-700	626	84.00-91.00	88.40
8	700-800	728	82.50-84.00	83.51
2	800-900	872	70.00-73.00	71.51

Feeder Bulls Medium and Large 2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
5	300-400	372	105.00-109.00	106.61
16	400-500	474	90.00-101.00	97.79
24	500-600	570	80.00-91.00	87.98
4	600-700	668	75.00-84.00	80.43
2	700-800	768	71.00-75.00	73.07

Feeder Bulls Small and Medium 1

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
5	400-500	464	85.00-90.00	89.06
1	500-600	525	83.00	83.00

Stock Cows: Medium and Large 1-2: Cows 4 to 7 years old 5 to 8 months bred 520.00-810.00 per head.

Stock Cows and Calves: Cows 2 to 5 years old with calves at side 700.00-880.00 per pair.

Baby Calves: Beef Breeds: 60.00-140.00 per head.

Wingshooters should remember the crow

They are just as likely to be eating scraps of fast food on a mall parking lot as winter wheat seeds sown for a cover crop in a recently harvested tobacco field. Crows seem to be everywhere in Kentucky, at home in both town and country.

The species most often seen in our state is the American crow (Corvus brachyrhynchos), a 16- to 21-inch tall, all-black bird with a raucous, annoying call: "Caw, Caw, Caw."

They rarely travel alone and usually feed on the ground, eating earthworms and grubs in freshly plowed fields as well as insects, seeds and fruit. Crows will also eat garbage, carrion and chicks they rob from nests. They are best described as omnivorous foragers.

"Crow populations (in Kentucky) are stable with no indications of declines," said Rocky Pritchert, migratory bird program coordinator for the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources.

In the past few decades, crow populations have been on the rise across North America. Their susceptibility to the West Nile virus, however, could cause population declines in some regions of the country.

In Kentucky, local crow populations usually begin to swell in the fall as migrants arrive and family groups intermingle, forming large communal roosts. Conflicts arise from the noise and mess when these crow roosts are close to cities.

"We get an influx of birds from up north during the winter months," said Pritchert. "There are some tremendous roosts here."

Kentucky's other species of crow is far less visible. The fish crow (Corvus ossifragus) makes its home in far western Kentucky and is associated with sloughs and major rivers. "Kentucky is on the edge of its range," said Pritchert.

At one time crows were considered pests and there were no closed seasons or bag limits. But as a member of the jay family (Corvidae), crows are covered under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act.

"The season can't be more than 124 days long and must be scheduled outside the primary nesting period (mid-March to the end of May)," said Pritchert.

HUNTING

Wild game seasons

How are your meetings?

It's that time of year many organizations are starting to meet after a summer break. How come there are meetings we love to attend and others we would prefer never to go back?

Between 1981 and 1995 Roger K. Mosvick and Robert B Nelson studied meetings they and others attended. They asked 1,600 people attending meetings to identify

Nancy Hunt Home Notes

UK Cooperative Extension Agent

the most frequently reported problems with meetings. Their results were reported in

"We've Got to Stop Meeting Like This!" and include these top ten items:

- Getting off subject, rambling, repetition
- Inconclusive – no results or follow-up
- No purpose, goals or agenda (or very unclear)
- Meetings are too long
- Disorganized leadership, lack of control
- Starts late, people tardy,

time wasted

- Poor preparation by leaders and participants
- Information overload – unfocused, irrelevant
- Individuals monopolized discussion
- Interruptions

Need help conducting a meeting? Contact the Crittenden County Extension Office, 1534 U S Hwy 60 E. for free publications.



Hinson-Wheeler

Cassie Ann Hinson of Clarksville, Tenn., and Michael Edward Wheeler of Marion, will exchange vows on Oct. 16 at Navarre Beach, Fla.

Hinson is the daughter of Andy Hinson of Dover, Tenn., and Katrina McFadden of Palmyra, Tenn., and is the granddaughter of Herbert and Ann McFadden and Bettye Hinson and the late Earl Hinson.

Wheeler is the son of Eddie and Karen Wheeler of Marion

and is the grandson of the late Bruce and Mary Wheeler and James Thomas Boone and the late Mary T. Boone.

The bride is a graduate of Montgomery Central High and Austin Peay State University and is an accountant for Clarksville Gas and Water.

The groom is a graduate of Crittenden County High School and Murray State University and is a project manager for Clarksville Gas and Water.



Hunt-Curnel

Billy and Charlotte Fox of Marion and Perry Croft of Lola announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Mandy Jo, to Darian Kent Curnel, son of James and Cosetta Faye Curnel of Marion.

The bride is a 1999 graduate of Crittenden County High

School and is employed by The Animal Clinic.

The groom is a 1996 graduate of Crittenden County High School and is employed by John Marine.

Wedding vows will be exchanged at 2:30 p.m., Oct. 2, at New Union General Baptist Church in Lola.



Brown-Myers

Jack and Dianne Frost of Hanson and Larry and Tracy Triplett of Nebo announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Ashley, to Kyle Myers, son of Ronnie and Gayle Myers of Marion.

Brown is the granddaughter of Voice and Ruth Key and George and Doris Triplett.

Myers is the grandson of

Verna Myers Hodges and the late Louis Myers and the late Ralph and Opal Cash.

The bride is employed by Trover Clinic in Madisonville.

The groom is employed by Napa Auto Parts in Marion.

Vows will be exchanged on Oct. 23 at Enon Baptist Church with Bro. Chris Brantley officiating.

Homemakers host pumpkin bake-off

Dust off the rolling pin. Fire up the oven and challenge other bakers to see who can win the Pumpkin Bake-Off!

That is the goal of the contest bieng sponsored by the Crittenden County Extension Homemakers and the Chamber of Commerce.

Participants can enter one item in each of the three categories: pies, breads and miscellaneous. The contest is

open to anyone, but you must pre-register by Sept. 28 by calling 965-5236 or by mailing in a registration form.

Baked goods entered for judging must be made with fresh, canned or frozen pumpkins. No commercial filling mixes may be used and entries should be in disposable containers.

On Oct. 1, participants can bring their items along with

the recipe to the UK Extension office located at 1534 U.S. 60 East between 8 a.m. and noon. Extension homemakers will be there to assist with the entry process.

Entries will be judged that day based on the following criteria:

- taste
- originality
- texture
- presentation

The winners will be announced at 9 a.m., Oct. 2, on the Pumpkin Festival stage at the courthouse. First place in each class will receive \$25.

A complete list of rules and registration forms can be picked up at the Marion Welcome Center or UK Extension office. For more information, call 965-5236.



Siblings Abbi and Mical Haire, along with cousin Nate Haire, took The Press with them to the Superman Festival in Metropolis, Ill., this summer.



Justin and Brodi Sutton traveled to Vierma, Finland Aug. 29-Sept. 5 for the Finn Metko logging show. Pensse Company sponsored the trip.

Crittenden County High School homecoming schedule

Sept. 27	Boys volleyball tourney at Rocket Arena 6:30 p.m. – no admission
Sept. 28	Banana Split eating contest at Dairy Queen 6:30 p.m. – no admission
Sept. 30	Homecoming parade 5 p.m., line up at 4
Sept. 30	Powderpuff game at 6:30 p.m. at Rocket Stadium – \$2 admission
Oct. 1	King and Queen Coronation at Rocket Stadium 7 p.m.
Oct. 1	Homecoming dance in the multipurpose room 9:30 p.m. – \$3 for students

Down on the farm



Preschoolers learn first hand how to make apple cider

It was a day of fun and farming with Rick and Ruth McClure as they visited Angel McDonald's preschool class recently. With the crank of a wheel, students not only saw how apple cider was made but also how corn was shelled when the McClures demonstrated their antique apple peeler and corn sheller.

To the left, Taylor Ullrich waits for her turn to toss an apple in the cider maker while below left, Jaxon Hatfield and Hannah Long are proud of their newly shelled corn cobs and Jermey Maze, Tallyn Tabor, Aubre Conyer, Teague Millikan and Chloe Jackson fed some of the corn to the birds outside of their classroom window.



HOMEMAKER NEWS

Crooked Creek
Submitted by Sally Boyd

The Crooked Creek Homemakers Club held its first meeting of the 2010-11 club year on Sept. 14, with eight members in attendance and one at large. After being called to order by co-president Wanda Rudd, the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Becky Long, followed by devotional and prayer by Dot Boone.

Following roll call, the minutes and treasurer's report were read and approved. Getting down to business, it was decided that this year's duties of president and vice president would be shared, with Rudd leading business meetings and serving as contact

person for president and Boone overseeing the score cards and serving as vice president contact. Kay Long will chair the card committee as well as plan special meetings with Boone.

The club also gave 4-H a list for nursing home needs with the contact person from the Homemakers as being Glenda Chandler.

Homemakers week will be Oct. 10-17 with the annual Christmas in Marion Arts and Crafts show Oct. 16. The club will also be taking a cultural outing to Nashville on Nov. 16.

The meeting was adjourned followed by lunch and dessert provided by hostesses Long and Rudd.

4-H fair exhibits on display



After sending almost 70 exhibits to the Kentucky state fair in August, Crittenden County's 4-Hers were awarded with four grand champion ribbons, one reserve champion and four class champions. Winning grand champion is an honor since only 20 ribbons are handed out and Crittenden brought four of those ribbons home. Winning such ribbons were Anna Schnittker for her fifth-year geology exhibit, Maggie Collins for horticulture photography, Emily Hendrix for the home environment division with her signature quilt wall hanging and Mauri Collins for her communications scrapbook. Winning reserve was Johnny Graham as first-year exhibitor in geology while Micah Hollaman, Marcus Hughes and Emily Hendrix won class champion, also in geology. This was the second year in a row that Crittenden swept in the geology division at the fair. Hendrix also won class champion in horticulture photography and Chad Bell received the 4-H Senior Gold Honor Award. From now until October, the exhibits will be on display at the Marion Welcome Center. Pictured are (front from left) Schnittker, Graham, Mauri Collins; (back) Maggie Collins, Hendrix, Hughes and Hollamon.



In honor of 9-11

Lorie Curtis and Ricca Thompson of Cash Express presented a cake and accessories to Marion police officers Marty Hodge and Jerry Parker, along with dispatcher Paula Miniard, all in remembrance of the Sept. 11, 2001 terrorist attacks. Pictured are (from left) Thompson, Hodge, Curtis, Miniard and Parker.

Email your community event to pressnews@the-press.com

Community Calendar

Friday, Sept. 24
• Crittenden County food distribution for Crittenden County senior citizens will be from 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Friday, at the Crittenden County Cares office on Walker Street in Marion.
Saturday, Sept. 25
• Angel Food orders can be picked up at 11:30 a.m., Saturday, at Marion Baptist Church.
• Comedian Tim Lovelace will be performing at Glendale General Baptist Church at 6 p.m., Saturday. Lovelace is an award-winning songwriter and entertainer. His program is a faith-based comedy.
• Maranatha Baptist Church on Cedar Grove Road in Salem will host a free fish fry, hay ride and local singing starting at 3 p.m., Saturday. There will be additional singing at 6:30 p.m. For more information, call Solomon Mullins at 988-3056.
Sunday, Sept. 26
• Creekside Baptist Church will be hosting its homecoming at 11 a.m., Sunday, with dinner and singing in the afternoon with local singers.
• Mexico Baptist Church will hold Football Fellowship Night at 5 p.m., Sunday. Fellowship will take place with guest speaker David Cozart. A meal and door prizes will be available. Come sporting your rocket attire. For more information, call Mandy Hunt at 965-9343 or Valerie Gilbert at 965-2442.

be submitted between 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Oct. 1. Displays will be showcased between 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Oct. 2. The contest will be at 126 E. Carlisle Street with adult, youth and professional classes open to everyone. For more information, contact Nancy Hunt at 704-0057.
• "A Dealing with Today's Teens" weekend seminar will be held from 6-9 p.m., Oct. 1 and 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Oct. 2 at the Mary Jane Jones Community Center located at 108 Green Street in Princeton. The seminar is hosted by Living Hope Ministries.
• The date and location of the 40th year reunion of the Crittenden County High School Class of 1970 has been moved. The reunion is now scheduled for 6 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 2, at the Carrsville Community Center. The reunion will be an informal cookout. The group will provide hamburgers and hot dogs with potato salad, baked beans and soft drinks. The event includes entertainment, lots of fun, and plenty of time to reconnect with old friends. Cost is \$25 per couple or \$15 single.
• Sulphur Springs Homecoming will be held Oct. 3 and will feature special music at 10 a.m., followed by worship at 11 a.m., and potluck at noon. Roger

and Donna Hayes will conduct both services.
• The Marion American Legion Ellis B. Ordway Post No. 111 will have its monthly meeting from 4-6:30 p.m., Oct. 4, in the basement meeting room of Fohs Hall. All members are urged to attend.
• There will be a high school senior parent meeting from 6-7 p.m., Sept. 30, in the Rocket Arena conference room. No registration required and the cost is free. Education Director Jeremy Wheeler and guidance counselor Stefanie Hardin will discuss college op-

tions and will take questions and answers in regards to the college application process.
• The VFW Ladies Auxiliary will be hosting a "Meet the Candidate" chili dinner including hotdogs, dessert and a drink at the Marion VFW post at 5 p.m., Oct. 7. Cost is \$5.
• The Bebout family (Alvin and Lillie Ethel) annual reunion will be held at the Fredonia Lions Club Building starting at 10:30 a.m., Oct. 9. A potluck meal will be served at noon with games and pictures to take place before and afterwards.



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Western Kentucky Regional Blood Center is sole supplier of blood to Caldwell County Hospital, Crittenden County Hospital and Jennie Stuart Medical Center.

If you see this girl on Sept. 26th, wish her a Happy Birthday!

Love, Sel



Thank You

We would like to thank each one for the kindness shown to our mother and grandmother, Rhea Stinnett, during her illness and death. Thanks to Dr. Greg Maddux and his staff for the compassion and concern. Thank you also to Salem Springlake Care Center nurses and staff for their thoughtful care.

A special thank you to Ronnie and Jo at Lakeland Funeral Home for their caring ways. Also, Bro. Bennie Chandler for his comforting words, our Dycusburg friends who prepared a meal at the Dycusburg Baptist Church, we thank you for your kindness.

We were touched by the cards, visits, calls, floral arrangements, Gideon Bibles, and memorials to the Dycusburg cemetery.

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Obituaries

Johnson

Marjorie Johnson, 83, of Marion, Ky., died Wednesday, Sept 15, 2010.

She was born Oct. 5, 1926 in Nortonville, Ky.

Surviving are her sister, June Choate of Lexington, Ky.; her children, June Robinette of Lexington, Thomas A. Johnson Jr., and wife Sharon, and Robert W. Johnson and wife Linda, both of Nashville; grandchildren Ronnie, Andy and Allan Robinette, Valarie Robinette Stinnett and husband Brandon, Emily Robinette Naaktgeboren and husband Micheal, and Rachel Johnson; and great-grandchildren, Collin and Ella Stinnett.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas A. Johnson; her brother, Thomas Choate of Richmond Va.; and her parents, Raleigh and Mildred Choate of Irvington, Ky.

Johnson was a graduate of the University of Kentucky and held a master's degree in education from Murray State University. Her elementary and secondary teaching tenure included Ridgely, Tenn., Puryear, Tenn., Hickman, Ky., McKenzie, Tenn., Lynch, Ky., and Webster County High School where she completed her career as the guidance counselor. Her passion was music.

Services were Saturday, Sept. 18 at Marion United Methodist Church with Brother Wayne Garvey and Rev. Charles Brantley officiating.

Newcom

Calvin "C.D." Newcom, 88, of Clay died at 7:20 p.m., Tuesday, Sept. 14, 2010 at Regional Medical Center in Madisonville.

He was a truck driver and of the Baptist faith.

Surviving are his daughter, Brenda Harris of Clay; four sons; John Newcom of Marion, Calvin Newcom of Clay, David Newcom of Blackford and Bobby Newcom of Marion; two sisters, Evalena Enoch of Newport News, Va., and Jewell Bouchard of Madisonville; 20 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife Mary in 2007; and a son, Tommy Newcom in 2009.

Funeral Services were Saturday, Sept. 18 at Grace Baptist Church in Clay with Bro. Larry Williams officiating. Burial was at White Oak Cemetery in Clay.

Walker

Connie Jean Walker, 81, of Central City, formerly of Marion, died Monday, Sept. 20, 2010 at Muhlenberg Community Hospital.

She was a member of Marion Baptist Church and Eastern Star.

Surviving are her son, Daryl Walker of Powderly, Ky.; a sister, June Lockhart Curd of Corbin; grandchildren, April Benningfield of Owensboro, Darla Durall of Greenville, Audrey Mercer of Greenville and Charlie Walker of Bowling Green; and six great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Randall Walker; daughter, Janice Highfil; granddaughter, Julie Beth Highfil; parents, Charles and Eva Mae Lockhart; and two brothers.

Services are at 11 a.m., Thursday (today) at Gilbert Funeral Home in Marion.



PHOTO BY BRENDA UNDERDOWN

Volunteers and members of the Fredonia Valley Heritage Society spent the better part of Saturday cleaning up the Old Fredonia Cemetery which will be part of a ceremony Oct. 2 featuring the marking of Revolutionary War soldier graves. Pictured above are (from left) Richard P'Pool of Princeton, a local volunteer, Dr. Scott Giltner and another local volunteer. The crew was reassembling stones on the grave site of one of the Leeper family members. Dr. Giltner, who is from Louisville, is a descendant of Robert Leeper. Leeper is one of the patriots who will be included in the Revolutionary War recognition ceremony. For more information about the Oct. 2 ceremony, which starts at 12:30 p.m., contact Don Boone at 545-9120.

Burial will be at Chapel Hill Cemetery. Visitation was from 5-8 p.m., Wednesday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Marion Baptist Church Family Life Center, 131 E. Depot St., Marion, KY 42064 or Prader Willi Foundation, 104 Hume Ave., Alexandria, VA 22301.

Chittenden

Wayne Ward Chittenden, 91, died Wednesday, Sept. 15, 2010 at Lourdes Hospital in Paducah.

A native of northern Livingston County, he was a member of Bethel United Methodist Church, where he taught Sunday School for 50 years. He was a member of the Board of Incorporators of Livingston County Hospital and Healthcare Systems and served on the Board of Directors for 45 years. He was also a member of the American Legion, Masonic Lodge and Eastern Star. In his early years, Chittenden was a school teacher and served in the military during World War II. A member of the Signal Corp, he operated radar during the invasions of Africa, Sicily and Italy. A retired farmer, recently he had been raising Angus cattle.

Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Ruth Slayden Chittenden; his daughter, Cynthia Chittenden; sisters, Lois May of Hampton and Willie Massey of Burna.

He was preceded in death by his sister, Marie Black; and brother, Lucian Chittenden. He was the son of the late J.L. Chittenden and Lena Tyner Chittenden.

Services were Sunday, Sept. 19, the chapel of Boyd Funeral Directors in Salem with Rev. Chuck Ladd officiating. Burial was at Bethel Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Bethel United Methodist Church, 1513 Lola Rd., Hampton, KY 42047.

Taylor

Charles "Sug" Taylor, 90, of Salem died Friday, Sept. 17, 2010 at Crittenden Hospital after a brief illness.

He was born April 27, 1920 on a farm just north of Salem. He lived in Salem all of his life. Taylor was a member of Salem Baptist Church for 79 years and was involved in many church activities. He was a farmer and also worked at Air Products in Calvert City.

Surviving are his wife of 69 years, Georgia Patmor Taylor; a son, Dr. Pat Taylor and wife Judy of Bolivar, Mo.; two granddaughters, Marijo Taylor Gronewold and husband Tom of El Paso, Texas, and Dr. Charla Taylor Austermann and husband Dr. Adam Austermann; two great-grandsons, Drew Charles Austermann and Luke Taylor Austermann, all of St. Louis, Mo.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Frank Taylor and Lillie Hord Taylor; a sister, Elizabeth Taylor Wooldridge; and two brothers, C.H. Taylor and Frank Park Taylor.

Services were Monday, Sept. 20, at Salem Baptist Church with Rev. John East and Rev. Mark Combs officiating. Burial was at Salem Cemetery.

KY jobless rate up to 10%

Kentucky's seasonally adjusted preliminary unemployment rate rose to 10 percent in August 2010 from a revised 9.9 percent in July 2010, according to the Office of Employment and Training (OET), an agency of the Kentucky Education and Workforce Development Cabinet.

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rate recorded in August 2009 for the state. The 10 percent rate recorded in August 2010 matches the unemployment rate recorded in June 2010 and is the highest since that month.

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Tragic deaths recalled from area fluorspar mines

This is the second in a three-part series remembering Crittenden's lost spar miners.

Nov. 16, 1911

Elmer Williamson, the 25-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Williamson, was killed in the Tabor Mine on Oct. 28, 1911. He was a noble young man and admired by all who knew him. He was a member of the Chapel Hill Presbyterian Church. He was buried in the Chapel Hill Cemetery.

Oct. 10, 1912

Ray Hughes, second son of Mrs. Alice Hughes of the Levias section, was accidentally killed in the Franklin Mines Tuesday morning, Oct. 8, at 9 o'clock by the falling of the tub or a piece of timber which struck him. He was 21 years of age and is survived by two brothers, Rush and Roy, besides his mother who is a widow. Burial was in Union Cemetery.

August 1, 1918

Joe H. Arflack, who took a 40-foot tumble at the Mary Belle mine, Thursday morning July 25, died in the afternoon at the I.C. railroad station where he was taken en route to Evansville to be placed in a hospital. The accidental fall by which he met his death was caused by his falling from a tub in which he and two other miners were coming up out of the mine. Suddenly, he was seen to fall from the tub when they were 40 feet from the bottom of the shaft.

It was found he had a deep scalp wound, one leg broken in two places, compound fractures of both arms and some minor wounds besides possible internal injuries.

He is survived by his wife, who was Nona Brown, a daughter of Rev. John Brown of this city; four children; one brother Ewell of Gladstone; and two sisters, Cora, who is wife of Guy Woodson, and Susie, who is wife of Wallace Ward.

Brenda UNDERDOWN

Area History & Genealogy

Forgotten Passages



January 26, 1923

Howard Hughes, about 35 years old, while working in the Wheatroft mine, near Mexico, Thursday, Jan. 21, fell from a tub and sustained injuries from which he died Saturday night. The remains were brought here on the train Sunday evening for burial and were laid to rest at the Freedom Cemetery. Mr. Hughes was a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hughes, of the Freedom section. He is survived by his wife, Iva Lemon Hughes.

June 13, 1924

Homer Peek, 35, was instantly killed in a mine accident at the Lafayette Company's mine near Mexico Thursday morning, June 12. Peek, who was at work at the mine, receiving the tubs of ore as they were brought up out of the shaft, fell 150 feet to the bottom of the shaft headforemost, breaking his neck and otherwise lacerating his body, causing instant death.

It is not known how the victim of the accident came to fall down the shaft. Workers at the bottom heard something coming down the shaft and thinking it was the empty tub being lowered to be refilled, stepped out of the way. When they went back they found the body of Peek. He was dead.

The verdict of the coroner's jury was that Peek met his death by falling down the shaft of the mine, the cause of the falling being unknown. Mr. Peek was married and had a family. His parents were James and Martha Peek. Burial was at Caldwell Springs Cemetery.

March 11, 1927

Gus Bozeman, spar miner at Mexico, was buried alive by a cave-in at the Pogue Mine near that place last Thursday afternoon. Shortly before the catastrophe, Bozeman, J.O. Millikan, J.A. Guess and W.M. Tabor were working in the mine at a 240 foot level when Millikan noticed a movement of the earth and shouted to his companion to jump out of the way. Bozeman failed to take the warning and a mass of dirt and mud covered him, smothering him to death. The others were uninjured.

Volunteer workmen were rushed from the Mary Helen Mine, the Haffaw, the Keystone and other mines, and desperate efforts were made to save the entombed man. It was about 11 o'clock before the body was reached, Dudley Brown, foreman at the Mary Helen mine, being the first to reach him. When the mass of earth was cleared away Bozeman's body was found in an upright position, with few bruises and no broken bones. Death was declared due to suffocation.

Bozeman and his companions were said to be making the first cut in a new raise. The mine is operated by the Fairview Fluorspar and Lead Company. Mr. Bozeman was 38 years old and is survived by his wife and five children; Lilly, Charles, Roy, Carl and Zula.

Executives of the Fairview company have expressed their appreciation of the efforts made by the other mining companies in assisting to clear away the debris and reach the trapped miner, to Clyde McMaster of the Keystone Mine, who was in charge of a crew which rendered all the assistance possible, to the Lafayette Fluorspar Company, to the Franklin Fluorspar Company rescue workers from the Haffaw Mine and to the others who rendered aid.

The Mary Helen Mine, whose foreman, Dudley Brown, was the first to reach



Many miner deaths were from accidents involving the "tub" or "bucket" that was lowered and raised from the underground mining areas. There were different sizes of these tubs. Pictured are some of the actual tubs used in area fluorspar mining. Men would stand in the tub with one leg on the inside and the other leg on the outside as to guide the tub and keep it from rubbing against the walls as it was lowered and raised. These tubs or buckets are on display at the Ben E. Clement Museum.

Bozeman's body, is operated by the LaFayette Fluorspar Company. Funeral services and burial were held Saturday afternoon at Pinckneyville.

April 30, 1937

L.H. Highfil, 22, was accidentally killed Wednesday morning, April 26 while at work in the Old Pigmy Mine between Mexico and Fredonia. He died from timber falling on him in the mines. He was the son of Jesse and Beulah Highfil. Survivors are the mother, Mrs. Bessie Highfil; one sister Mary Sue; five brothers, Truman, Cecil, J. L., Guy and Jas. Edwin, all of this county. Burial was in Mexico Cemetery.

March 15, 1940

Jim Pace, 37, and Bertrand Wells, 27, were killed at Eagle Fluorspar Mine about 7:30 last Saturday morning. The men went on the shift a short time be-

fore and began working atop several tons of ore. The mineral was covering the chute and was believed to have been solid by the men, due to moisture seepage.

Starting work overhead in a chute, the ore gave way and both were thrown to lower regions of the bins. They were crushed by tons of ore and two hours rescue work were necessary before the bodies could be brought to the surface. The mine is located in the New Salem community of this county.

Jim Pace was born near Salem, the son of John and Dora Pace, and had been employed in the fluorspar mines for a number of years. He was considered an expert in the field. He is survived by his parents, a wife and two sons. Funeral services were held at Salem Methodist Church with burial in Salem cemetery.

Bertrand Wells was a newcomer to the Kentucky in-

dustry, having been employed by several Illinois operators before locating in this state. He was a native of Hamlettsburg, Ill., where funeral services were conducted.

Next week's article will continue with remembering miners' deaths.




The picture of the miners with last week's article (above) have been identified by Anna Jean Cooper Ordway. Her father was one of the miners in the photo. They are (left to right) Orville Croft, Dewey Corn, Fred Cooper, Claude Cooper, (her father) and Taylor Lynn. The picture was made about 1911 in the Big 4 Mine located near Sheridan. They were actually sitting on a vein of purple and white spar.

I seem to have gotten some my information confused in the mystery photo that was used a couple of weeks ago.

The photo of the Grady Building, which was built in 1905, originally had the name of Stegar on the plaque. A Mr. Stegar was the person, who had the building rebuilt after the 1905 fire. Mr. Grady purchased the building in the 1940s and had the original name of Stegar taken off replaced with his own name. The Grady Grocery was located in the building that today houses the H&R Block business.



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Area News Briefs

Judge sends four to prison for various crimes, sentences

Four individuals were sentenced to prison recently by Circuit Judge Rene Williams. •Barry K. Beard, 39, of Marion pleaded guilty in circuit court on Sept. 9 to first-degree fleeing or evading police, a class D felony, and resisting arrest, a class A misdemeanor. He was sentenced to five years for fleeing and evading and 12 months for resisting arrest. The sentences are to run concurrently.

In another case, Beard pleaded guilty to charges of DUI, second offense, a class B misdemeanor; failure to maintain required insurance, a class B misdemeanor; possession of drug paraphernalia, a class A misdemeanor; second-degree possession of a controlled substance, second offense, a class D felony; first-degree possession of a controlled substance, second offense, a class C felony; and tampering with physical evidence, a class D felony.

On those charges, Judge Williams handed down sentences of 90 days for the B misdemeanors, 12 months for the class A misdemeanors and 10 years for each felony offense. Those sentences were to run concurrently, but consecutively with the time on the other offenses for a total of 15 years.

Beard was given credit for serving 77 days.

•Gary Land, 29, of Marion was sentenced to one year for failing to report to jail on cold check convictions. Land was to serve weekends in the Crittenden County Detention Center. He failed to show up on May 21 as scheduled and a warrant was issued for his arrest.

Land pleaded guilty to second-degree escape. He was credited 99 days for time served.

•Garrett Hunter Jr., 45, of Marion was sentenced to a total of four years after pleading guilty to theft by unlawful taking (over \$500) and fourth-offense DUI and driving on a suspended license.

Hunter was charged with taking a Ford F-250 pickup from Ewell Kenneth Gass on April 15. The DUI charge stems from a traffic stop by Trooper Matt Foster in January.

Judge Williams sentenced Hunter to four years in each

case with the time to run concurrently.

•The probation of James Smurawa, 30, of Eddyville was revoked by Judge Williams after the accused failed to make child support payments in accordance with a conviction earlier this year of flagrant non-support.

Smurawa was supposed to have made regular child support payments, plus \$50 a month to catch up on back payments he owed. He was given a five-year probated sentence in June after pleading guilty in Crittenden Circuit Court. Last week, he was ordered to serve the entire five-year sentence.

Judge denies third trial in \$40 theft

Special District Judge Kenton Watson last week denied a motion for a new trial for Bobby R. Patton Jr.

Patton, who was tried twice for theft of \$40 from a co-worker at McDonald's restaurant, was convicted in absentia last month. His first trial earlier this summer ended in a hung jury.

Public Defender Paul Sysol asked the judge for a new trial because Patton was unable to attend court on Aug. 30 when the jury convicted him. Sysol said Patton was visiting a sick relative in the hospital. Patton told the judge he had called Sysol's office and left a message about not being able to attend the trial in Crittenden District Court a few days before it was scheduled.

Watson overruled the motion for a new trial, but postponed a decision on whether to revoke Patton's probation. He was on probation from a 2009 marijuana conviction when he was charged with taking a co-worker's wallet from the restaurant's break-room last winter.

County Attorney Rebecca Johnson asked Judge Watson to revoke Patton's probation and to make him serve 80 days of his original 90-day sentence from last year. He had credit for 10 days.

Patton is currently serving a 30-day jail sentence for the theft conviction. Judge Watson told Patton to bring proof to court this week that he was at the hospital visiting an ailing relative on the trial date. Sufficient proof might have some bearing on the probation issue.

Ky. 139 bridge work might be moved up

It appears that the Kentucky Department of Highways is going to be able to move up its timetable for replacing three bridges on Ky. 139 between Shady Grove and Farmersville.

Rep. Mike Cherry said last week that the work should be moved up about three months. The bridges will likely be replaced in the spring at a cost of about \$4 million.

Highway workers spotted problems with one of the bridges in August, prompting that stretch of roadway to be closed. There is an eight-mile marked detour, but local motorists are using another shorter route along West Fork Road. Cherry anticipates some minor work being done on that county road in the near future as it handles additional traffic.

Last day to register to vote is Oct. 4; absentee starts 15th

The last day to register to vote in the fall general election is Oct. 4. Anyone who registers by 4 p.m., on that day will be able to cast a ballot in the Nov. 2 election.

The absentee voting machine will be set up in the Crittenden County Courthouse starting Oct. 15 for voters who will be out of town on election day.

Individuals with disabilities may apply for an absentee ballot to be delivered by mail. They may call County Clerk Carolyn Byford at 965-3403 for more information.

Livingston woman hurt in 453 wreck

A Livingston County woman was hurt in a single-vehicle accident last Wednesday on Ky. 453 near Heater Store Road.

According to a state police report, Kimberly Bloodworth, 42, of Smithland was traveling north when her vehicle left the right side of the highway. Her truck traveled down a ditch, hitting a concrete culvert.

Bloodworth was taken to Western Baptist Hospital with non-life-threatening injuries.

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Police department releases August activity report

Marion Police Department has released its activity report for August. Local officers patrolled 2,973 miles last month, made one felony arrest, opened 17 criminal investigations and filed 11 domestic violence reports. Officers wrote citations for 18 misdemeanors, made three DUI arrests and wrote 28 traffic citations. They investigated seven traffic accidents and wrote one code-enforcement notice. Police also responded to 65 alarm calls and 358 calls for service or complaints.

State police say no new details in Tinsley fatal fire

Stu Recke, public affairs officers for the Kentucky State Police, said late last week that the investigation continues into the Aug. 1 fire that killed 47-year-old Glenda J. Tinsley of Marion. An autopsy determined that Tinsley, a volunteer fireman and trained EMT, died from smoke inhalation.

Recke said the case remains open and no new details are available at this time.

Police said a few days after the fire that evidence indicated that it was intentionally started. No more information has been released.

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DUPLEX

Continued from page 1 said. "In this area, what we tend to see as homelessness is someone sleeping on their brother's couch or in mom's garage. I know of some who sleep in cars."

They often stay temporarily with friends or family, he said, but they are homeless nonetheless. "Couch surfing," he said, is the term used for those types of homeless people.

Kerley said surveys have identified the need for housing programs in the region, and the center has developed a plan to meet those needs. People who qualify to live in the new duplexes might be those facing a mental health crisis or recovering from substance abuse issues, but they must meet a set of criteria. The income qualification standards are similar to Section 8 housing,

he said.

So far, there are no applications for tenancy in the Marion duplexes. They should be ready before spring, Kerley said.

Circle C contracting of Russellville is building the units.

Residents will pay about 30 percent of their available income for rent and utilities, Kerley said.

Construction of the duplexes is being funded through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act. Originally, plans were to build the duplexes through tax credits, but a drop in market rates stalled that idea. With the help from the Kentucky Housing Corporation, the Pennyroyal Center is relying on stimulus funding for construction costs.

There have been some questions raised by neighbors of the proposed duplexes. Four city residents

attended Monday night's Marion City Council meeting seeking answers.

Sharon Winters was one of those attending the regular council meeting. She said there have been a variety of rumors about the homes that are going up in Marion. She said some neighbors think they are going to be halfway houses with guards watching the residents.

If it's indeed low-income housing as advertised, Winters said she didn't have a problem with that.

Councilman Darrin Tabor said he questioned the proposal almost two years when the city gave the Pennyroyal Center the two lots.

"I voted against it," he said during the council meeting.

Public hearings were held at city hall before the properties were given to the Pennyroyal Center, said City Administrator Mark Bryant.

WATER

Continued from page 1 can't build any more lines. The water district is always going to have debt. I don't know why we can't get water."

"It takes everything we can scrape up just to make all of our payments," Slayden said. "We take in about \$2 million and year in revenue and we spend \$1 million to service our debt."

"I wish we could build more lines right now, but we just don't have \$50,000 or \$60,000 sitting in the bank somewhere to do it," Slayden explained. He said the only lines built since Phase 13 have been privately funded.

For now, Adams will continue hauling his own water and explaining to his children why they can't have a water slide in the backyard like their friends.

"They just don't understand, but we can't waste water like that," he said.

Adams hauls about 425 gallons of water every other day. He can't fill his 1,600-gallon cistern over half full because it leaks in a seam.

"I burned up the transmission in my other truck hauling water," he said while driving toward Frances for another load last week. "This one has a heavier transmission, but it cost more."

It cost almost \$500 for the plastic container, valves and hoses necessary for hauling water from the bulk station to his home. The concrete cistern installed underground in his backyard was almost \$3,000 a decade ago.

Adams says he'd be willing to pay for water to be run from the nearest available main, but he's not sure the neighbors are ready to do that as a group. Most of them have wells that are still

working so it's not as big of an issue to them. Still, he says all of them have agreed to pay \$500 for a meter tap-on if the water district will run a line next to their house.

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FOOTBALL

Rockets at Caldwell
The Rockets will travel to Caldwell County tomorrow (Friday) with kick-off at 7:30 p.m.

Football fellowship
Mexico Baptist Church will host Football Fellowship Night at 5 p.m., Sunday. There will be a meal, fellowship, door prizes and guest speakers Brian Berry and David Cozart. Come sporting Rocket attire. For more information, call Mandy Hunt at 965-9343 or Valerie Gilbert at 965-2442.

Adult football tourney
There will be an adult football passing tournament at Rocket Stadium on Saturday, Oct. 16. It will be for anyone out of high school. Play is seven-on-seven with an unlimited roster. Cost is \$150 per team with two games guaranteed. Get a copy of rules or register at The Crittenden Press.

SOCCER

Lady Rockets at Union
The Lady Rockets will travel to Union County today (Thursday) with play starting at 5:30 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL

Crittenden hosts UHA
Lady Rockets volleyball will host UHA today (Thursday). Game starts at 5:30 p.m.

GOLF

Junior golf tournament
There will be a junior golf tournament starting at 2 p.m., Saturday at the Marion Country Club. Boys and girls in grades 1-12 are eligible to participate. Cost is \$5 for players enrolled in the fall junior golf program or \$10 for anyone else. Players in grades 1-3 will compete in putt, chip and drive series, players in grades 4-6 will play three holes and players in grades 7-12 will play nine holes. Trophies and medals for winners. For more information, call Blair Winders at 704-0955.

MISCELLANEOUS

Co-ed softball fundraiser
There will be a co-ed softball tournament on Oct. 9 as a fundraiser for the Jennifer McDaniel family. Cost is \$100 per team, with a two-game guarantee. Fees must be paid by Oct. 6. Game times will be known the following day. Mail entry forms and fees to Batting the Battle, P.O. Box 371, Marion, KY 42064. For more information, call Chad Perryman at 704-0141 Todd Reddick at 584-3514 or email michelle@little-momentsphoto.com.

Travel basketball meeting
Parents interested in their sons in grades 3-6 playing on a travel basketball team this fall and/or also participating in a Saturday morning program to improve basketball skills should attend an informational meeting at the Rocket Arena Conference room located in the lobby at 6:30 p.m., today (Thursday).

Rockets rack up 53 points in shutout at Webster County

DIXON, Ky. – For a team that wasn't supposed to be very explosive this season, the sixth-ranked Rockets sure haven't lived up to the billing.

In two weeks, Crittenden has posted 114 points en route to a 4-0 start. The Rockets have done it via the air, on the ground, returning fumbles for touchdowns and intercepting passes.

The victim Friday was home-standing Webster County in a 53-0 shutout.

The Trojans were helpless against a havoc-wreaking Rocket defense that disrupted everything senior Trojan quarterback Landon Harding tried to accomplish. The QB had racked up 341 yards and four passing touchdowns in the first three games, but Crittenden picked him off twice and snuffed out nearly every third-down pass with a heavy rush.

The Rocket defense forced four turnovers and scored after each one.

Crittenden coach Al Starnes praised junior quarterback Bryce Willis for his play, especially his accurate passing early when Webster was picking it up front against the Rocket rushing attack.

"He really opened things up for us by throwing the ball," Starnes said.

Tanner Nix ran for two touchdowns and caught a scoring pass from quarterback Willis, who was starting for the second time this season. Willis finished with 156 yards passing on 8-of-11 accuracy. Two of his passes were on target, but dropped by receivers. He spread the ball around, too, finding seven receivers for completions.

Willis threw three touchdown passes with senior Robert Cudnik and junior Dustin Hernandez getting one apiece. Senior Andrew Freeman rushed for two TDs and sophomore Bowe Wallace broke an 87-yarder in the final minute of the game.

On defense, sophomore lineman Eli Bebout had two sacks and classmate Grant Gardner had another. Senior Terry Werne picked off a pass and Hernandez had an interception. The pass Werne intercepted was batted out of the air by defensive end Devin Clark. Werne also recovered a fumble as did sophomore Clark, preserving the shutout in the final two minutes of the game as the Class 3A Trojans (2-3) had penetrated the red zone for the first time in the game.

Senior Brian Berry, a quarterback and linebacker, was back in the lineup after missing last week with a broken thumb. He played defense with a cast on his right hand, a handicap he'll wear for at least a couple more weeks.

The Rockets will be at

Caldwell County Friday. The Tigers are 2-2 after losing to Lone Oak Friday.

SCORE BY QUARTERS
Crittenden Co. 7 25 14 7
Webster County 0 0 0 0

SCORING PLAYS
CC-Tanner Nix 35 run (Micah Hollamon kick) 7:55, 1st
CC-Dustin Hernandez 71 pass from Bryce Willis (kick failed) 11:07, 2nd
CC-Robert Cudnik 16 pass from Willis (kick failed) 7:09, 2nd
CC-Nix 23 pass from Willis (pass failed) 3:15, 2nd
CC-Andrew Freeman 1 run (Hollamon kick) :18, 2nd
CC-Nix 36 run (Hollamon kick) 3:19, 3rd
CC-Freeman 9 run (Hollamon kick) :15, 3rd
CC-Bowe Wallace 87 run (Hollamon kick) 1:00, 4th
TEAM TOTALS
First Downs: Crittenden 8, Webster 11
Penalties: Crittenden 4-45, Webster 4-15
Rushing: Crittenden 30-311, Webster 27-30
Passing: Crittenden 8-11-0, 156 yds., Webster 11-22-2, 96 yds.
Total Yards: Crittenden 468, Webster 126
Fumbles/Lost: Crittenden 1-1; Webster 2-2

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
Rushing
Crittenden-Freeman 11-59, B.Wallace 2-86, Nix 6-97, Hernandez 3-42, Brenden Phillips 7-29, Zach Tinsley 1-(-2). Webster-James Nance 8-10, Jamey Kenneda 11-36, #55 2-2, #27 1-4, Landon Harding 5-(-22).

Passin
Crittenden-Willis 8-11-0, 156 yds. Webster-Harding 11-22-2, 96 yds.
Receivein
Crittenden-Grant Gardner 1-20 Cudnik 2-15, Hernandez 1-71 Bobby Knox 1-13, Nix 1-23, Phillips 1-4, Freeman 1-10. Webster-Laken Benson 3-24, Derrick Douglas 2-38, Kenneda 2-3, Trenton Foe 1-10, #84 2-21, Nance 1-0.

Playing with a little 'heart'

Princeton, KY – Caldwell County High School is hosting a special football game dedicated to fighting heart disease and stroke and raising awareness about the number one and number three killers of all Americans. On Friday, Crittenden and Caldwell high schools will not only compete on the grass for victory but also compete in the form of donations as well. All proceeds from this special event will be donated to the American Heart Association to help support its mission of building healthier lives free of cardiovascular disease.

One in three Americans is now affected by cardiovascular diseases, with all ages and genders affected. In our local area, more people are surviving heart incidents, thanks to advanced medical research funded by the American Heart Association. The rates of diabetes and obesity, however, continue to rise locally and nationally, putting us all at increased risk of developing heart disease in our lifetimes.

"Caldwell County is proud to support the American Heart Association by putting our hearts into the game," said Coach David Barnes,

athletic director and head football coach for Caldwell County High School. "We have always emphasized physical activity and participating in athletics in our district and we believe supporting the AHA through a sporting event is a perfect partnership."

Donations will be collected at the gate. There will be two boxes at the top gate and two at the bottom gate. You will have the opportunity to donate to your school or both. The donations will be collected until the third quarter. The money will then be tallied and the winner will be announced.

"Many schools in our local area already participate in Jump Rope and Hoops for Heart each year, raising funds through online donations and in person from family and friends to help the American Heart Association," said Matt Ogden, youth market director for the American Heart Assoc. "Through 'Put Your Heart in the Game,' the AHA is hoping to involve more people in our communities in our important live saving work."

For more information, contact Matt Ogden 842-5700.

Defense
Asbridge 2 solos, assist; TFL; Bebout 6 solos, 2 assists, TFL, sack; Clark 2 solos, 2 assists, fumble recovery; Cozart 3 solos, 2 assists; Cudnik 4 solos, 3 assists; Freeman 2 solos, 4 assists, caused fumble; Gardner 4 solos, 3 assists, sack; Gaston solo; Hamby solo, assist; Hernandez 6 solos, 2 assists, interception; Knox 2 solos, 3 assists; Long 4 solos, 4 assists; Nix 3 solos;

Owen solo; Phillips solo, 2 assists; Tinsley assist; B.Wallace solo, TFL; D.Wallace 2 assists; Werne solo, 3 assists, interception; Willis solo, assist.
Pizza Hut Players of the Game
Offense Tanner Nix and Bryce Willis. Defense Eli Bebout and Dustin Hernandez. Lineman Eli Bebout.
Records
Crittenden 4-0, Webster 2-3



Quarterback Bryce Willis makes a first-half pass during last Friday's game against Webster County.

PHOTO BY REESE BAKER

This week's game



CRITTENDEN CO. (4-0)
Player Report: Kicker Micah Hollamon (knee) expected to play. Daniel Price is ineligible.

Class A District 1
Offense: Multiple
Defense: Base 4-3
Rankings: Bluegrass Preps: 8th in Class A
Associated Press: 6th in Class A.

CALDWELL CO. (2-2)
Class 2A, District 1
Rankings: unranked
Offense: Spread
Defense: 4-man front

The series: Caldwell County leads the series 32-10, but Crittenden has won six of the last 11 meetings, including four straight from 2001 to 2004. The Rockets beat Caldwell 26-14 last season. From 1957 when the series began, until 1998, Caldwell led the series 27-4. The largest margin of victory for the Rockets was 32-7 in 1999 and Crittenden's biggest loss was 47-0 in 1977. Sixteen of Caldwell's wins vs. Crittenden have been shutouts. Coach Starnes is 6-13 against the Tigers.

Game Notes: The Rockets last 4-0 start was in 2009 when the team finished 10-3. Crittenden was 8-0 last year before losing its first game. Coach Starnes is 2-3 in week 5 after starting the season with four straight wins. All five of those games have been against Caldwell County. Crittenden started 4-0 in 1963 1975, 1983, 1988, 1996, 1997, 1998 1999 and last year. The Rockets have scored 114 points in the past two games, the highest two-game total in history. The second best was in 1963 when Crittenden scored 104 points in two straight games against Christian County and Henderson Douglas. The Rockets' 53-0 shutout last week at Webster was the third most points Crittenden has scored in a shutout in history.

Scouting Report: Caldwell runs a typical spread offense with second-year QB Blake Hodges pulling the trigger. Senior Brandon Sigler is the Tiger playmaker. He was the team's top rusher last year and is averaging about 100 yards a game this season. Aggie Capps, Martez Sivils and David Ray Faughn are the top receivers. The Tigers get most of their yards via the air, but Sigler makes them a strong running team, too. If you take out last week's drubbing by Lone Oak, Caldwell has outscored its opponents 85-63 this season. Hodges has completed 50 of 89 this season for 575 yards. The team has rushed for 445 yards in four games with Sigler accounting for 390. Sigler has also caught 15 passes for 97 yards. Defensively, Baxter and Bryce Boyd and Cole Webster are the team's leading tacklers.

Tiger Scoresheet
Won 40-19 at Calloway Count
Won 31-28 at home over Hopkins Central
Lost 16-14 at Union Count
Lost 52-8 at home to Lone Oak

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Week 1-Jenna Franklin, senior. Daughter of Curtis and Dee Franklin.

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Week 3-Savannah Peek, senior. Daughter of Rosanne Chandler

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Scholastic Sports Roundups SOCCER

Rockets show improvement

In a game that consisted of a 25-minute delay due to a power outage in the second half, the Lady Rockets continued to show improvement but was unable to upend visiting Ft. Campbell Tuesday, dropping a 6-1 decision.

Trailing 4-0 with 3:00 remaining in the first half, Lady Rocket senior forward Casey Stallion, who also owns her team's only other score this year, got them on the scoreboard.

After the half, the Crittenden defense gave a valiant effort turning back several Lady Falcon scoring chances. Lady Rocket senior goalie Emily Owen had a big part in that recording several saves to keep her team in contention.

With around 8:00 having been played in the second half, the lights went out and the delay lasted 25 minutes before play resumed.

Crittenden (0-10) had to deal with another injury as Taylor Cosby went down after a hard collision and was unable to return.

With about 10:00 left to play, the Lady Falcons were able to take any suspense out of the outcome making it 5-1 on a nicely executed goal.

Nonetheless, Lady Rocket skipper Ken Geary believes his team is showing signs of getting better, despite still being winless.

"I think we're improving," he said.

He also compared Tuesday's performance to the first matchup against Ft. Campbell- a 7-0 setback earlier in the season.

The Lady Rocket coach believed his squad showed tremendous progression since that meeting and hopes they can keep it up as the season continues.

Crittenden falls 5-0

Unfortunately for the Lady Rockets, two things kept recurring last Thursday – more injuries and another shutout as they fell 5-0 at St. Mary.

Trailing 2-0 about 15:00 into the contest, Lady Rocket starter Hannah Peek suffered a really bad bruise and had to be transported to nearby Lourdes Hospital.

While they kept the game in striking distance trailing 2-0 score at halftime, the Lady Vikings broke it open in the second half, adding three more scores.

Lady Rocket forward Adrienne Phelps recorded her team's two shots on goal during the game.

Despite being unable to claim their first win of the year, Lady Rocket coach Ken Geary appreciated the effort his team displayed last Thursday.

He was especially impressed with forward Casey Stallion, who has been playing well for the last few weeks.

In addition, newcomer Jordan Thurman, who recently joined the team after transferring from Union County, continues to look good on

defense.

VOLLEYBALL

Lady Rockets remain undefeated in fifth district

The Lady Rockets have grown accustomed to long three-set matches this season, and last Thursday held more of the same as they stayed unbeaten in Fifth District play with a 24-26, 25-23, 34-32 triumph over visiting Trigg County.

Just like the matchup last month in Cadiz, Crittenden dropped the opening set, forcing them to play from behind.

But the hosts did not panic and raced out to a big lead in the second set. While the Lady Wildcats battled back, they were unable to claim the sweep as Crittenden managed a 25-23 victory to even the match.

According to Lady Rocket coach Larry Duvall, the third set lasted nearly an hour as neither squad could maintain the required two-point edge through regulation to claim victory.

But the hungry Lady Rockets would not be denied and finally pulled a 34-32 win out, keeping them undefeated in league play.

"The Trigg game was tremendously tough," said Duvall.

In several games this season, Crittenden has dropped the opening set, only to come back and record wins by taking the next two matches.

The Lady Rocket coach praised his girls' efforts in the contest and

knows it took every player's contribution to get the win.

He was also thrilled with the raucous crowd who helped spur his team on to another league win.

"I really appreciate the crowd support," he said.

Although sweeping the Lady Wildcats during regular season play, Duvall commended them for giving his squad all they wanted during both match ups.

"Trigg played a really good game. They are going to be a big challenge in the playoffs," he said.

GOLF

Rockets take two places at invitational

After hosting their invitational at Deer Lakes golf course on Sept. 18, the Crittenden County Rockets took both sixth and 10th places as they were split into teams A and team B for the tournament. Team scores were St. Mary 298, Ballard County 316, Murray 317, Hickman County 327, Mayfield 331, Crittenden County A 350, Reidland 357, Lone Oak 382, Paducah Tilghman 385 and Crittenden County B 417.

Individual scoring for team A was Aaron Owen 79, Jason Enoch 90, Jordan Enoch 93, Cameron McDaniel 88 and Colin Belt 98.

Scoring for team B was Cole Foster 104, Joey Bomia 112, Hunter Stone 113, Devin Belt 97 and Colby Watson 104.

Crittenden takes third

The Rockets' golf team traveled



PHOTO BY CHRIS EVANS

Cameron McDaniel tees off during last Tuesday's match against Caldwell County at the Marion Country Club.

to Deer Lakes Golf Course last Thursday where it played against St. Mary, Union and Community Christian. Coming in first place with 144 was St. Mary. Union grabbed second place with 157, Crittenden third with 183 followed by CCA with 189.

Leading the Rockets was Jason Enoch with 42, followed by Mc-

Daniel 45, Jordan Enoch 48, Devin Belt 48, Foster 54, Colin Belt 55, Bomia 55, Watson 59, Stone 62, Trevor Faith 76 and Braxton Winders 21 (three-hole total). The medalist of the tournament was Nick Thompson from St. Mary with a 34.



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Taylor Keister Junior

Exhibits excellent ball control and hustles when on the volleyball court. Also encourages others to do their best.

Rockets stomp Caldwell Tigers

Third and fourth hold Caldwell scoreless

The third-and fourth-grade Rockets defeated the Caldwell County Gold Tigers when they met up last Saturday. After a scoreless game that went well into the fourth quarter, the Rockets finally got the upper hand after Hunter Boone tackled a Caldwell running back in the end zone for a safety. A short time later, Ethan Dossett scored for the Rockets on a two-yard run, putting the Rockets 8-0 against the Tigers. Individual stats are:

Rushing

Payton Riley 13 carries for 72 yards

Ethan Dossett 10 carries for 50 yards

Hunter Boone 10 carries for 42 yards

Devon Nesbitt 3 carries for 8 yards

Tackles

Gavin Dickerson 7 & 1 interception

Devin Ford 5

Sean O'Leary 5

Hunter Boone 5

Payton Riley 4

Ethan Dossett 2

Cole Wood 2

Devin Porter 2

Jakob Shields 2

Devon Nesbitt 1

David Maness 1

Wyatt Gipson 1 & 1 fumble recovery

Standings

Caldwell (White) 2-0

Crittenden 2-0

Morganfield 1-1

Webster 1-1

Caldwell (Gold) 0-2

Sturgis 0-2

Fifth and sixth grade Rockets claim a win

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Gavin Dickerson 7 & 1 interception

Devin Ford 5

Sean O'Leary 5

Hunter Boone 5

Payton Riley 4

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Fifth and sixth grade Rockets claim a win

The fifth-and sixth-grade Rockets also had a good showing as they racked up the points against Caldwell. Crittenden finished with a final score of 46-8.

The next two games for both teams will be Thursday (today) when they host Marshall County and then Saturday when they travel to Webster County. Individual stats are:

Rushing

Ethan Hunt 68 yards

Will Tolley 77 yards

Cruce Collyer 7 yards

Joseph Estes 7 yards

Cody Belt 1 yard

Passing

Paxton Riley 1 of 5 for 7 yards

Receiving

Noah Sallin 1 catch for 7 yards

Tackles

Ethan Hunt 6

Shelby Robinson 5

Noah Sallin 4

Cruce Collyer 3

Paxton Riley 3

Daniel Riley 3

Braxton Head 3

Austin Janus 3

Daniel Bricken 2

Mason Hunt 2

Tyler Smith 2

Cody Belt 2

Dakota Koerner 2

Trent Champion 1

Adam Beavers 1

Charlie Johnson 1

Aaron Dickey 1

Kyle Castiller 1

Standings

Caldwell (White) 2-0

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Caldwell (Gold) 1-1

Sturgis 1-1

Crittenden 1-1

Webster 0-2

Golf scramble to benefit Jake Hodge scholarship

There will be a four-person scramble golf tournament at 9 a.m., Oct. 2 at Deer Lakes Golf Course in Salem. Proceeds go to the Jake Hodge Memorial scholarship Fund. The tournament is \$200 per team with over \$1,500 in prizes based on 25 team entries.

Prizes will be given for closest to the pin on all par 3s, for the longest drive and the straightest drive. Flights will be determined after completion of play with champi-

onship, first and second flights. A skins game will also be available.

Also featured at the tournament will be a \$10,000 hole-in-one sponsored by Gilbert Funeral Home.

Entry forms can be mailed

to Brad Gilbert at 117 West Bellville Street, Marion, KY 42064; Denis Hodge at 3549 State Route 654 South, Marion, KY 42064 and Brett Owen at 354 West Main, Salem, KY 42078.

2010 Flag football teams

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University of South Carolina Gamecocks

Front row (from left) are Colin Graham, Wesley Frits, Seth Guess, Dalton Collins, Sammie Greenwell; (middle) Jordan Hardesty, Chase Wesley, Jake Drawdy, Preston Turley, Nathan Brantley, Noah Watson and Brian Nelson. Back row are coaches Zac Greenwell, Chris Brantley and Trent Guess.



University of Alabama Crimson Tide

Front row (from left) are Isabella Holloman, Ethan Wallace, Deacon Holloman, Luke Highfil, Luke Mundy, Macie Hunt; (middle) Dalton Woods, Gavin Hunt, Cassius Jackson, Gabe Mott, Tyler Boone and Zachary Counce. Back row are coaches Michael Hunt, Matt Boone and Butch Mundy.



University of Kentucky Wildcats

Front row (from left) are Kaleb Nesbitt, Keifer Marshall, Adam Suggs, Jacob Suggs, Logan Young; (middle) Jordan Hutchison, Peyton Purvis, Trace Adams, Braxton Winders, Daley Deboe and Cameron Suggs. Back row are coaches Heath Hutchison, Blair Winders and Stacy Adams.



University of Texas Longhorns

Front row (from left) are Tucker Sharp, Levi Piper, Jack Reddick, Briley Berry, Parker Kayse; (middle) Benjamin Evans, Lily Berry, Xander Tabor, Caden McCalister, Cole McKinney and Case Gobin. Back row are coaches Jason Berry, Darrin Tabor and Todd Reddick. Not pictured is Chandler Middleton.



University of Wisconsin Badgers

Front row (from left) are Tate Roberts, Jimmy Newland, Dominic Rorer, Matthew Jenkins; (middle) Hunter Welch, Maddox Carlson, William Nolan and Lathen Easley. Back row is coach Kevin Carlson. Not pictured are Preston Sisco, Douglas Ford, Donovan Clark, and coach Devin Clark.



Vanderbilt University Commodores

Front row (from left) are Trace Derrington, Xander Trent, Evan Belt, Marcus Long, Tanner Beverly; (back) Ethan Curnel, Luke Crider, Holden Cooksey, Jordan Snow, Ian Ellington, Coleman Stone and Coach Allen Crider. Not pictured is coach Barrett Belt.

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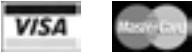
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Thursday, September 23, 2010

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All phone numbers listed for ads on this page are within the 270 area code unless otherwise noted.

for sale

Sofa, La-Z-Boy recliner, love seat turns into sleeper, swivel rocker, floor lamp, component system, collectibles, Pac-n-Play, swing and more. Call 969-8168. No Saturday calls please. (11-13-p)

Sofa and love seat, blue and jute floral on sandstone, very nice condition, \$200 OBO. See at 735 Chapel Hill Road, Marion or call 965-4779. (11-13-p)

Broyhill sofa, rose, greens and tan on cream background, 2 matching green, wing-

back chairs, excellent condition, very clean \$375 for all. Call 965-5434. (21-14-p)

On sale Porta Grace #1 with metal roofing, siding and trim. 40 year warranty. Available in 16 colors. Energy Star rated. Free delivery on larger jobs. Same day availability in some cases. Call Gray's Carpets and Buildings at (270) 365-7495. (13t-24-p)

2002 Polaris 400 Sportsman 4-wheeler, good condition, new tires and new battery. Call 704-0130. (2t-13-p)

Husqvarna ZTR mower 52" deck, 21hp Kawasaki engine, 3rd summer used, heavy duty, good condition. Mower and trailer \$3,000. Call 969-0377. (2t-13-p)

New electric lift chair \$375; oak hutch \$250; oak table with 6 chairs \$325; dry sink \$250; new couch with recliner at both ends \$250; antique bed with dresser \$200. Call (270) 217-4840. (4t-13-p)

Boy's complete bed set with antique airplane quilt and matching lamp \$25. Call 704-0232. (tfc-59-p)

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for rent

House for rent at 201 W. Elm Street, Marion. 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, central heat and air, available Oct. 1. No pets, references required. Call 704-1421. (2t-14-p)

New 1 bedroom home with utility room, washer/dryer hook-up, small yard, nice neighborhood, \$350 per month, \$350 deposit. Call 969-0035. (1t-13-p)

3 bedroom, 1 bath home in Marion, heating and air, stove, refrigerator, recently remodeled, great neighborhood, \$500 per month plus deposit and references. Call 704-3234. (tfc-12-c) je 740

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real estate

17+ acre farm for sale, 1.5 miles from Marion on SR 506, great building site with city or county water, cable available \$35,000. Call 704-9511. (2t-13-p)

Completely remodeled 2 bedroom home at 622 East Carlisle Street, Marion. See this Saturday, Sept. 25 during open house and yard sale. Call 704-2038. (1t-13-p)

14 x 70 mobile home, needs some repair, sell cheap, great for hunters. Call 965-4039. (2t-13-p)

16x80 mobile home in Marion. Three bedroom, 2 bath, spacious kitchen area with 10x20 storage building nestled on nice lot. \$27,500. Call (270) 508-0844, leave message. (4t-14-p)

yard sales

5 family sale, rain or shine, baby basinet, walker, carrier, pouch, toys and travel swing. Clothing includes men's, ladies, boys jeans sizes 4-18, shirts, shoes, girls size baby to 9 months, western boots, golf clubs and accessories. Tupperware, kitchen and home decor, luggage and more, Thursday, Sept. 23 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nunn-Jent Road, just off Chapel Hill, Marion. Near Full Body Fitness. Watch for signs. (1t-13-p)

Indoor sale, Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 27 and 28 at 8 a.m. Women's clothes all sizes some still with tags, something for everybody. 5565 SR 120, 5.5 miles east (Bellville St.) from the courthouse in Marion. (1t-13-p)

Huge community yard sale Friday and Saturday, Sept. 24 and 25 at 8 a.m. Blocks three and four hundred, at least 4 residences involved, 314, 329, 407 and 426 North College Street, Marion. 2 TVs, metal bed, antiques galore! Priced for resale, men's, women's children's and baby clothing, toys, shoes, books, kitchen items, glassware, home decor, bedspreads.

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old linens, primitives, purses, DVDs, hide-a-way bed, collectible Barbies, everything including the kitchen sink. (1t-13-p)

606 Howerton Road, Marion, keyboard, drum and bell set, chairs, toys, hay ring, books, men's shirts size XL, misc dishes and lots of other items, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 24, 25 and 26. No early sales. (1t-13-p)

Big yard sale, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 23, 24 and 25 at 204 Farris Street, Salem, 1 block off U.S. 60, watch for signs. Lots of good clothes priced reasonably, most are labeled and sized so you don't have to guess, boys, girls size 6-16, juniors, women's plus and men's; 30-cup coffeemaker, new mini-buffet server, dishes, fabrics, new flower pots, lamps, books, figurines, old sewing machine, craft supplies, toys plus more. Phone 965-2490. (1t-13-p)

Estate/garage sale, 408 W. Bellville, Marion, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 24 and 25 at 7 a.m. Furniture, kitchen items, microwave, designer jewelry, big assortment of cookbooks, Christmas items. (1t-13-p)

229 West Depot Street, Marion. Home interior pictures, huge collection of old TV Guides, paper weight collection, 26" Lajolla women's bike, book case, ice cream table with chairs, Reebok exercise bike, four 17" Universal chrome rims, bird cage and lots more items. Friday, Sept. 24 from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Saturday, Sept. 25 at 7 a.m. (1t-13-p)

201 North Weldon, Marion. Saturday, Sept. 25 at 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Boy clothes 12 to 24 months, some women's clothes, TVs and furniture. (1t-13-p)

Yard sale, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 24 and 25 at 219 North Weldon Street, Marion, new items, electric skillet, kitchen stuff, dishes, watches, knives, lighters and more. (1t-13-p)

Yard sale Saturday, Sept. 25 at 622 East Carlisle Street, Marion, with remodeled house for sale. Call 704-2038. (1t-13-p)

services

McDowell bush hogging. Call 704-2919 ask for Jamie. (2t-13-p)

Bingham's Pressure Washing, washing houses, fences, garages, 10% discount on deck washing and deck sealing. We do seal coating for driveways, 10% off for seniors. Call 704-2585. (1t-13-c) 660

employment

Truck drivers, full and part time, local haul. Call Thornton Trucking (270) 952-3354. (2t-16-c) 700

Par 4 Plastics is accepting resumes for a full time, 3rd shift, maintenance position. Candidate must have two years industrial maintenance experience and be able to troubleshoot hydraulics, pneumatics and electrical. Injection molding experience desirable. Please send resume and three references to: Human Resources, Par 4 Plastics, Inc., P.O. Box 385, Marion, KY 42064-0385 EOE. (1t-13-c) 960

The University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service is now accepting applications for an office staff assistant for the Crittenden County office. Thus is a full time, 37.5 hours per week, position. Minimum requirements for application are high school or GED education, customer service skills, filing and computer skills including Microsoft Office, QuickBooks and Excel. All applicants for position number AG532347 must apply on-line at https://ukjobs.uky.edu/applicants/ups/shared/position/JobDetails_css.jsp. Applications will only be taken on-line. (1t-13-c) 1300

Income tax preparer positions available, training provided. Apply at 208 South Main Street, Marion, Wednesday's from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. For additional information, call 965-3001.(4t-14-p)

notices

I, Madeline Henderson, Clerk of Crittenden County District Court Marion, Kentucky do certify that the following has filed notice of final settlement: Teena York of 101 Brook Street Marion, Kentucky 42064 administratrix of Louise York, deceased. The forgoing settlement is to be heard at the regular session of Crittenden District Court on October 20, 2010. All persons having exceptions to said settlements are to file same at once.

Madeline Henderson, Clerk
Crittenden District Court.
(1t-13-c) 1500

I, Madeline Henderson, Clerk of Crittenden County District Court Marion, Kentucky do certify that the following has filed periodical accounting: Kelly M. Platfoot of 193 Country Club Drive, P.O. Box 23, Marion, Kentucky 42064 guardian of Deken Bennett Platfoot of 193 Country Club Drive, P.O. Box 23, Marion, Kentucky a minor. The forgoing is to be heard at the regular session of Crittenden District Court on October 20, 2010. All persons having exceptions to said settlements are to file same at once.

Madeline Henderson, Clerk
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(1t-13-c) 1500

I, Madeline Henderson, Clerk of Crittenden County District Court Marion, Kentucky do certify that the following has filed periodical accounting: Dianna Dodson of 5960 East Lone Oak Road, Valley View, Texas 76272 guardian of Logan Johnson, a minor whose address is 5960 East Lone Oak Road, Valley View, Texas 76272. The forgoing is to be heard at the regular session of Crittenden District Court on October 20, 2010. All persons having exceptions to said

settlements are to file same at once.

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Legal Notice

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COMMONWEALTH OF

KENTUCKY

CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT

CASE NO. 10-CI-00107

LENDMARK FINANCIAL

SERVICES, INC. PLAINTIFF

VS. VALERIE CONGER;

DEFENDANTS

GLENNE CONGER;

THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE, IF

ANY, OF VALERIE CONGER;

THE UNKNOWN OCCUPANTS

AND/OR TENANTS, IF ANY, OF

610 EAST BELLVILLE STREET,

MARION, KY 42064;

COMMONWEALTH OF

KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF

CRITTENDEN, BY AND ON

BEHALF OF SECRETARY

OF REVENUE;

CITY OF MARION, KENTUCKY;

COMMONWEALTH OF

KENTUCKY,

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE,

DIVISION OF COLLECTIONS,

SMALL BUSINESS BRANCH

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale entered in the Crittenden Circuit Court on August 16, 2010,

I will on Friday, September 24, 2010 at the hour of 09:00 a.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:)

Situated in the State of Kentucky, County of Crittenden, and described as follows:

A parcel of ground known as part of Lot No. 9 in R. C. Walker plat of Addition to the town of Marion, Crittenden County, Kentucky, fronting on Bellville Street 100 feet and running back 200 feet, bounded thus: BEGINNING at a stone at the center of Bellville Street; thence East or nearly so 100 feet to a stake; thence South or nearly south 200 feet to Hearin's N.E. corner, thence with line of Hearin West or nearly so 100 feet to J. R. Clark's corner, thence with Clark's line North or nearly so 200 feet to the beginning.

Being the same property conveyed

to Valerie Conger, by Deed dated December 27, 2006, being of record in Deed Book 207, Page 232, of record in the office of the Clerk of Crittenden County, Kentucky.

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. 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 2011 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 August 16, 2010 on behalf of the Plaintiff against the Defendants in the amount of \$112,000.00, together with accrued interest thereon at the Note rate of 9.990 % from March 31, 2010 until paid, plus accrued interest, for any other charges which have accrued; and for its costs expended, plus its attorney fees which are not included in this judgment, but will be determined at a subsequent hearing.

Dated this the
2nd September, 2010.

ALAN C. STOUT,

MASTER COMMISSIONER,

CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT

P.O. Box 81, Marion, KY 42064

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Fax: (270) 965-4848

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City Tour

Crittenden County Elementary School kindergarten students learned about community helpers all of last week. On Friday, they took a field trip to town to see many of those helpers in action. Above, Serita Head, a post office employee, shows Mollie McGowan's kindergarten class where the mail goes after it's dropped off at the post office. At left, Marion Fire Chief Red Howton talks about fire safety to kindergartners in Marceia Ellis' class. The kindergarten field trip included several other stops in the city. Pictured is the Marion Fire Department's 75-foot ladder truck, purchased last month. It's the only ladder truck in the city's fleet of fire-fighting vehicles.

PHOTOS BY CHRIS EVANS AND JERRITT HOVEY-BROWN

City forces sale of condemned property

STAFF REPORT

City officials continue to keep pressure on blighted properties, forcing owners to either improve or sell homes in ill repair.

So far, the city has forced the sale of three properties in the past couple of years and others are on track for the same fate if something isn't done.

Two weeks ago, an unkept mobile home and lot on Hickory Hills Ave., was sold at public auction. The real estate was purchased by neighbors, Maurice and Mary Jo Woodall.

"Hickory Hills is a perfect example," City Administrator Mark Bryant said. "It's a nice neighborhood and if we don't keep pressure on these poorly kept properties the entire area could go down fast."

Those in the neighborhood agree.

"People should take pride in their town and their property," said Mary Jo Woodall. "We've been looking at this for six years and we had had enough."

Within hours of buying the lot at the public sale, the Woodalls started removing brush and debris. They have hopes of salvaging the mobile home for their son.

The city spent about \$2,000 in fees to condemn and force the sale. It also had liens on the property in the amount of about \$700 for mowing and debris removal. The property owners owed about \$2,000 in back taxes,

which was not recovered.

Bryant says that cleaning up such properties is expensive. In some cases, the city tries to buy the property at public auction then resell it to recoup some costs. The property on Hickory Hills Avenue sold for \$2,600.

Bryant said there are about a half dozen other properties in the process of being condemned and sold.

Other cities are facing similar issues with old and dilapidated properties. Bryant said Marion's success at removing blighted properties is being noticed by others.

"I've had several calls from other cities asking what we're doing," Bryant said. "I tell them it's nothing special, we just enforce the codes we have on the books."

Please join me at the
Shady Grove Fire Department
Tuesday, September 28th at 6:00 p.m.

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Judge-Executive
The Right Leadership at the Right Time for Crittenden County

Come out and hear what I have to say on the issues that are important to our county. Talk with C. Lynn Bechler, 4th District State Representative Candidate and Bart Frazer, Crittenden County Attorney Candidate. All candidates are welcome.

The November 2nd General Election is almost here, be informed; know your candidates and where they stand on the issues.

Light refreshments served.

▶ See You In Dycusburg Tuesday, October 12th! ◀

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County improving more roads

STAFF REPORT

Crittenden County Judge-Executive Fred Brown said that thanks to some state funding acquired by Rep. Mike Cherry (D-Princeton), the county is getting \$200,000 more toward local roads.

Work will be done this fall on seven roads. Magistrates approved distribution of the funds based on Brown's recommendation.

"We are very appreciative of this money and will put it to good use," Brown said.

APPROVED ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

- Valley View Road 0.95 miles, chip & seal
- Turkey Knob Road, 0.8 miles, chip & seal
- Raley Road, 0.118 miles, pavement
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- Nunn Switch Road, 0.11 miles, pavement
- Weldon Road, 1 mile, pavement
- Tribune Tower Road, 0.6 miles, pavement

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