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## Lady Jackets move to Sweet Sixteen!

By Rebecca Mullins

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WINCHESTER - The Lady

Jackets are headed for Frank-

fort, Nicholas County.

The team beat the Harrison

County Pillars 46-35 in the

finals of the 10th Region Tour-

naments Tuesday night, once

again advancing to the Sweet

Sixteen Girls Tournament at

Frankfort Civic Center.

It will be at Frankfort that

the team will meet two

formidable opponents;

Whiteburg and Clay County.

The Lady Jackets lost to

Clay County earlier this sea-

son in the Famous Recipe

Classic.

But Head Coach Barbara

Kenney said playing one or

both of the two top-ranked

teams in the state won't

intimidate her third-ranked

Nicholas County Lady

Jackets.

"I started this program in

1974," Kenney, who was given

the 10th Region's Coach's

Award for Outstanding Lead-

ership, said after the finals

win.

"We've come from being

ranked lowest (to being one of

the top teams in the state.)

These kids are so deter-

mined. I think when we go out

and play somebody, I think we

can win," she said.

She also gave credit to all of

her players, including some

special comments about

Nikki Smoot, Christine Hatton

and Kim Denkins.

"Let me give credit to two of

the finest guards in the state of

Kentucky," Kenney said.

"Nikki Smoot and Christ-

ine Hatton have been starters for

me since they were in 8th

grade. I think they play

smart. They're so experi-

enced and highly skilled."

"Kim Denkins (center) is

one of the best. She runs on the

floor, she doubles up on the

floor. They don't take the ball

away from her."

The Pillars rarely took the

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The 1992-93 Nicholas County Lady Jackets will be playing at Farnham Dudgeon Civic Center in Frankfort March 24-27. They won the 10th Regional Tourney once again Tuesday night with a 46-35 win over Harrison County.

## Rashes and itching at NCES extends beyond one classroom

By Rebecca Mullins

OF THE CARLISLE MERCURY STAFF

CARLISLE - The problem

Nicholas County Elementary

School has been having with

redness of skin and itching is

much larger than the state

and school board has led the

public to believe, according to

school Principal Gerald

Hammons.

"We get kids who are

breaking out who aren't even

near each other," Hammons

said in response to Superin-

tendent Ceberl Gilbert's

statement that all the children

with rashes and itching are in

one room in the school.

He also said more teachers

than could fit in one room

have experienced rashes and

discomfort.

"I can name at least eight

teachers who have broken

out," Hammons said.

These people have been ex-

periencing the itching which

veterinarian and state epi-

demio officer Barry Meade,

not State Epidemiologist

Regional Finger, came to in-

spect February 4.

State Buildings and

Grounds official Richard

Harter and Gilbert were

asked who reviewed the rash

cases and both named Regi-

nal Finger. Nothing was

said about Meade.

"They probably didn't want

you to know that I was a vet-

eriniarian," Meade said in an

interview Friday.

Finger sent Meade, one of

60 "epidemic officers" hired

nationwide by state Depart-

ment of Human Resources to

specialize in what Meade

called "herd health," or the

health of large groups of peo-

ple.

Meade was trained for two

years by the Atlanta Center

for Disease Control in epi-

demio. Meade, who no longer

practices veterinary

medicine, also has a masters

in genetics to assist in his role

as epidemic officer.

"(Meade's) being a vet has

nothing to do with his job

here," Finger said. "We sent

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## Owner of Ellisville tires sought

By Rebecca Mullins

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FRANKFORT - The state

Natural Resources and Envi-

ronmental Protection Cabinet

is still searching for Jeff

Jones, the owner of the site of a

massive fire in Ellisville last

week.

More than 100,000 tires

were piled on the site, known

as Iron Peddler Recycling

Corporation, at 6450

Maysville Road, according to

a suit filed in Franklin Cir-

cuit Court October 16, 1991

against Jeff Jones and Jean

Jones.

A default judgment was

made in Franklin Circuit

Court against Jones on that

date to force him to comply

with state laws relating to

waste tires, the judgment

stated.

It ordered Environmental

Protection should receive

\$7,500 with interest from

Jones for actions relating to

the accumulation of the tires

at the site.

The judgment also ordered

Jones to begin removing the

tires 30 days from the date of

judgment and disposing of

them properly or place them in

groups of 500 to allow fire-

fighter access.

The judgment stated also

on-site waste tire manage-

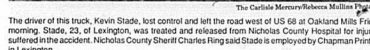
ment should be in effect at the

site in 120 days if the tires re-

mained at the site.

"He was under a circuit

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The driver of this truck, Kevin Stude, lost control and left the road west of US 60 at Calking Mills Friday morning, Stude, 23, of Lexington, was treated and released from Nicholas County Hospital for injuries suffered in the accident. Nicholas County Sheriff Charles Fung said Stude is employed by Chapman Printing in Lexington.

## Power, former mayor, dies at 75

By Rebecca Mullins

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CARLISLE - Former

Carlisle Mayor William

Wilson Power, of 427 N. Elm

St., Carlisle, died Saturday at

Nicholas County Hospital.

He was 75 years old.

He served as mayor of the

City of Carlisle from 1954 to

1962. Franklin Hughes took

over as mayor in 1962 after

Power's long reign.

Power was active in many

local organizations as well as

community politics.

One group he gave much of

his time to was the Veterans of

Foreign Wars. Power was

formerly a First Commander

of VFW Post #8666 and post

Commander of the 10th dis-

trict VFW. He was a military

man, being a veteran of

World War II and a member



William W. Power

of the American Legion.

Power was helpful to many

other local organizations as

well as civic groups. He was a

member of the Nicholas

County Historical Society, a

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## Trailer destroyed by fire

By Jason Hart

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MOOREFIELD - A mobile

home located on Moorefield

Road was gutted by fire Mon-

day night, according to Ni-

colas County Fire Chief

Mark Hughes.

"Brenda Robinson was the

owner of the trailer," Hughes

said. "She was frying

chicken, and sent to the rear

of the trailer to take some

laundry out of the dryer.

When she returned to the

kitchen area, the grease in the

skillet had caught fire, and

the cabinets above the stove

were on fire."

Hughes said Robinson did

not attempt to douse the fire

on the scene, flames were

abating from the living room

windows, and after dousing

the worst of the fire, emer-

gency personnel determined

that no one was still inside.

They proceeded to extinguish

the blaze, using oxygen

equipment, due to toxic fumes

emanating from burning

plastics in the trailer's

framework.