

Buckler to enter plea

Garrett to be formally sentenced

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Former Nicholas County Deputy Sheriff Benny Buckler is scheduled to appear in Nicholas Circuit Court this week and enter a guilty plea to a felony theft charge.

The charge stems from allegations involving misappropriations of money from a drug forfeiture account of former Nicholas County Sheriff Leonard Dick Garrett.

Garrett is scheduled to be formally sentenced this week on Nov. 3, the same day that Buckler enters his plea.

Garrett pled guilty to

charges of theft by unlawful taking and abuse of public trust midway through his August trial. Garrett was facing a possible maximum 15-year prison sentence if found guilty. In exchange for his guilty plea, which included an agreement, to never again run for public office, pay restitution totaling \$38,000 and provide testimony against Buckler, the Commonwealth recommends that Garrett be placed on diversion.

Buckler will also receive a recommendation of diversion, according to those close to the case, including Buckler's attorney Amanda Mullins.

"I was not convinced of the evidence against my client," Mullins said. "I never

felt like my client did anything criminally wrong but this was his decision. It was not my choice to make."

Mullins, like others close to the case, discussed the monumental stress a person under indictment and facing years in prison can be subjected to.

"A diversion offer is just so much more predictable than a jury," she said. "A diversion is the next best thing to an acquittal. Mr. Buckler's health was deteriorating and that was also a factor in his decision."

Buckler was indicted on April 4 by members of a Nicholas County Grand Jury on the charges of theft by unlawful taking and receiving stolen property.

In accordance with Buck-

ler entering a guilty plea to the theft charge, Buckler's charge of receiving stolen property will be dismissed.

If Buckler completes his diversionary time without violating the conditions of his diversion, the charge will be erased from his record.

Special Prosecutor Kathryn Hendrickson, the Commonwealth Attorney for Mason, Fleming and Bracken County, was assigned the case following an investiga-

tion by Kentucky State Police Detective David Owens.

The charges against Garrett and Buckler stemmed from a June 29, 2007, drug raid, during which Gary Barnett of East Union Road, was arrested, and over 1,000 pills were confiscated along with several hundreds of thousands of dollars in cash.

The Nicholas County Sheriff's Office was awarded drug asset forfeiture money as a result of this case. It

was the first time a drug forfeiture fund had been established by that office.

Both Garrett and Buckler have been immensely popular law enforcement officers in Nicholas County.

"We prosecute all the cases the same," Hendrickson said. "Everyone should comply with the law and if they don't then they are subject to the consequences. That goes for physicians, bankers and law enforcement officers."

Stull charged with sexual abuse

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A Nicholas man was arrested recently and charged with sexual abuse, first degree, after allegedly having inappropriate contact with a 17-year-old female.

Steven D. Stull, 56, of Persimmon Ridge Road, was

arrested by Nicholas County Sheriff Jeff Sidles after an arrest warrant was issued on a complaint made by Kentucky State Police Trooper Eric Barnett.

Barnett's complaint alleges that Stull picked up the juvenile female from school and took her to a camper near his Persimmon Ridge Road home, where the alleged inappropriate contact

occurred.

Court documents indicate the alleged inappropriate behavior was secretly video recorded by the victim and has been viewed by law enforcement officers.

Stull is scheduled to be arraigned in Nicholas District Court on Nov. 2.

All persons should be considered innocent until proven guilty or pleading guilty.

NCHS band ends KMEA season at state event

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The Nicholas County High School Marching Band members and staff packed up and traveled to Bowling Green, Friday for the final weekend of the Kentucky Music Educator's Association competition season.

Saturday morning's competition began with state (semi) finals, with the top 4 bands advancing to state finals held later that evening.

The NC group and Director Debbie Hale took the show, "He Loves Me, He Loves Me Not," to the field of Warren Central High School and gave the crowd everything they had.

The Bluejackets were the first band to perform with 15 bands following them from across the state. These bands qualified for semi-finals last weekend with the top eight bands from the east region and the top eight bands from the west region advancing.

After all 16 bands had performed, the semi finals placements were announced as follows: Beechwood was awarded 1st place, Williamstown 2nd, Murray 3rd, Hazard, 4th, Mayfield 5th, Harlan Co. 6th, Ballard Memorial 7th, Owensboro Catholic 8th, Paris 9th, Russellville 10th, Raceland 11th, Pineville 12th, Hancock Co. 13th, McLean Co. 14th, Nicholas Co. 15th and Metcalfe Co. 16th.

The top 4 bands in class A,

Beechwood, Williamstown, Murray and Hazard, three from the east, advanced to state finals held later that evening at L.T. Smith Stadium on the campus of Western Kentucky University.

Band Director Debbie Hale said that KMEA officials have changed their scoring system and she never really caught on this season.

"Some bands scored below normal [based on the new scoring system] but others scored in their normal range," Hale said.

"We had 17 out of 33 of our kids that were new this year, with 15 of them being 7th graders- kids that have only played for one year. Most programs are comprised of only high schoolers, so basically, our middle school band is competing very well with the high school groups."

Hale said she is very proud of the growth and talent this group has acquired this season.

In state finals competition, in class A, Beechwood was awarded 1st place and the Governor's Cup, Williamstown was 2nd, Murray was 3rd and Hazard 4th.

In class AA, Larue Co. was awarded 1st place and the Governor's Cup, Danville was 2nd, Washington Co. was 3rd and Glasgow was 4th.

In class AAA, Adair Co. was awarded 1st place and the Governor's Cup, Bourbon Co. was 2nd, Russell Co. was 3rd and Garrard Co. was 4th.

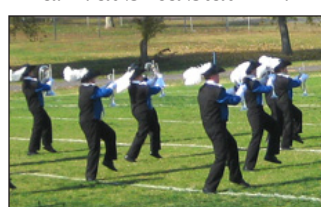
In class AAAA, Madisonville North Hopkins was awarded 1st place and the Governor's Cup, Grant Co. was 2nd, John Hardin was 3rd and West Jessamine was 4th.

In class AAAAA, Paul Laurence Dunbar was awarded 1st place and the Governor's Cup, Lafayette was 2nd, Eastern was 3rd and Madison Central was 4th.

NCHS Band Director Debbie Hale says she is very thankful to all those around her for helping to make this season a successful one.

"Thanks to the administration for letting us use class time to rehearse Friday," Hale said. "Thanks to Joey Wagoner for assisting with the percussion at competition. Thanks to Jeremy Owens for all his help and dedication to this program. Thanks to the parents for everything from feeding the kids to playing chauffeur and getting them to rehearsal, and of course, thanks to the kids for being an amazing bunch of students and for sharing their talents."

Next Saturday, NC closes out its marching season at the Mid States Championships at Norwood High School in Norwood Ohio. Performance time is set for 11 a.m. at Shea Stadium.



Truck overturns on Moorefield Road

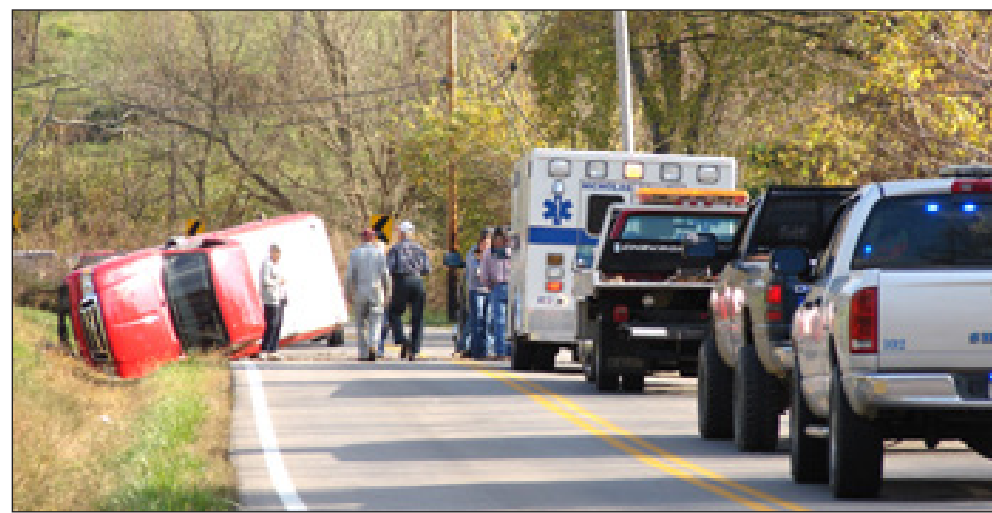


Photo by Cecil Lawson

The Nicholas County Ambulance and Sheriff's Office responded to an accident involving an overturned truck Saturday at approximately 4 p.m. on Moorefield Road just south of Carlisle. Two people in the overturned truck refused treatment at the hospital. Traffic was backed up for approximately 30 minutes in both directions until the accident was cleaned up.

Trio arrested in connection with Dogwalk community theft

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Nicholas County Sheriff Jeff Sidles has arrested three men in connection with a burglary which occurred recently in the community of Dogwalk.

The burglary happened at a home in Dogwalk on Sept. 9 or thereabout, when sev-

eral items, including lawn mowers, fishing equipment and scrap items, were taken from a residence.

On Oct. 25 Sheriff Sidles arrested David Fryman, 26, Jeff Kiskaden, 40, and Frankie Holler, 46, and charged the trio with theft by unlawful taking.

"I found all three suspects at the same location and they were arrested with-

out incident," Sheriff Sidles said.

Sheriff Sidles cautions all property owners to remain vigilant in helping fight crime across the Nicholas County countryside, and in the various communities of the county.

If anyone witnesses any criminal activity they are urged to contact Sheriff Sidles at 473-5747.

Tournament champions and runners-up

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The Nicholas County Middle School Lady Jackets made the trek to the O.V.C. Conference Tournament last week. The seventh and eighth grade teams have played extremely well all season and planned on keeping it that way in the tournament. There were five teams in the tournament and all had but one goal, to bring home the championship.

Both the eighth grade and seventh grade teams started off the tournament with a by before getting started in tournament play.

The seventh grade team went in with only one loss on the season and was determined to keep it that way as they met with Bracken County in the finals.

According to Coach Erin Walker, Bracken came out in a triangle and two defense, having played Nicholas three times previous they knew what to expect. They isolated the Lady Jackets best shooters and caused the Lady Jackets to go into to half time

down to Bracken.

"We had to make adjustments," Walker said, "Our girls have only been down at halftime twice this year, and they weren't used to having to battle back." But battle back they did. Sixth grader Trina Hughes really stepped up for the team and according to Walker showed a lot of maturity in the game. A couple of the girls even fought their way through sickness to play. The turning point in the game, according to walker was when with the game tied with three minutes remaining, Hannah Jolly banked a three pointer from the top of the key.

Walker said, "I was very impressed with our performance in the seventh grade game. It was only the second time all year that we have been down at the half, the other time was our only loss of the season. They are not used to playing from behind." Being behind at half time didn't stop the Lady Jackets as they stormed back to take the victory against Bracken County.

The eighth grade team also found themselves in the

Tournament Finals against

Bracken County. Unfortunately they were not able to pull off the "W" like the seventh grade team. Part of the deciding factor in that game was illness and fatigue. With several girls fighting through an illness, and the fact that four starters are seventh graders and had just battled through the previous game against Bracken, they were exhausted. Coach Walker said, "It just wasn't our game, we couldn't hit and were shell shocked." Walker was very pleased with both of her teams saying, "Overall I am very proud of everyone. The team matured as a whole throughout the season and they still have a lot to do. I have big expectations for this group when they get to high school."

The Lady Jackets came away with four trophies for their efforts. The Seventh Grade girls were crowned as the Conference Champions and as the Tournament Champions. The eighth grade girls were named Co-Conference Champions and Tournament Runners-up.

Boil Water Advisory
 Sharpsburg Water District has issued a boil water advisory for customers in Nicholas County. Customers from the water tower on Whetstone Road back to the pump station on Scrubgrass Road will not be affected by this advisory. All other customers will need to bring water to a rolling boil for three (3) minutes. This advisory has been issued due to low chlorine residuals. The District is working to correct the problem. Will notify when lifted.

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OPINION

Heaven Is A Lot Like Kentucky

AN ANCIENT HOME



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By **Charles Mattox**

We live in an interesting place, dear reader.

A friend, who shares an interest in history and the outdoors, came over this past weekend to fix the leak in my porch roof.

It's a porch roof I built myself, which probably explains why it leaks.

The leak is now fixed and I sure can't take any credit.

I'm still as leery of ladders, as I have always been, and I know in my heart that the best way to keep from falling off a ladder is to never get on one.

You live, you learn. It's a process.

Anyway, my friend 'Tommy P' is fairly handy with a tool belt and wrench; and paint brush and putty knife, so he felt sorry for me and came over and helped me out.

We settled up afterward and did some trading, to boot.

He'd been eye-balling my one and only Morgan silver dollar for a while and I finally traded it to him for a couple of arrowheads that I had picked out of a small container of them he sometimes carries when he's in the mood to trade.

I think he also carries them for inspiration; as he is an artifact hunter, like I am.

I love holding flint projectile points in my hand, marveling at the craftsmanship and design that went into each of them.

I've found thousands of them in my career as an artifact hunter. Becoming familiar with specific projectile points that are styled in a certain manner and found in the same area, is pretty special.

I still love finding arrowheads along The Licking River and its tributaries. It's a direct connection between me and the individuals who handled those artifacts hundreds, often times thousands, of years ago; on the very same ground as I call my home.

Sometimes, just as I'm slowly easing one out of the dirt, I'll get a special tingle down my spine.

To see the vibrant streaks of color that emanates from many of the projectiles, only made possible by heat-treating 'carter' flint, is to better understand the mind of the hunter who made the lethal tool, and to see the artistic mind at work, as well.

Projectile point styles have been studied by enthusiasts near and far for several centuries and much is known about the people who used distinctive projectile point styles.

Other artifacts induce similar euphoric responses upon their discovery.

Few finds equal that of a bear-tooth pendant.

Bear teeth were collected and worn in significant numbers by members of a group of Native Americans who inhabited our portion of Kentucky from around 875 AD to 1600 AD and were an extension of the Mississippian Culture of Native Americans known in the Ohio River Valley today as Fort Ancient.

Archaeological evidence

tain local mammals; chiefly among these were whitetail deer, wild turkey and black bear.

All three of these animals still inhabit our home counties.

An ancient Native American footpath, known among later indigenous people like the Shawnee and Cherokee, was called the "Athiamiw-ee" or a variation. It means "Path of the Armed Ones". Early settlers called it The Warrior's Path or simply The War Road. It was an ancient path that traversed our landscape in north-

eastern Kentucky and was largely connected by a series of fresh water springs and saline springs.

Native Americans lived in small clusters near these springs throughout time and I continue to research the early Kentucky settlers who built fortified blockhouses or stations directly on this path.

Michael Cassidy was one such man and he built his fortified blockhouse around 1788 in central Fleming County.

Cassidy was an immigrant Irish who stowed

away on the Maryland Merchant sailing vessel and was then sold into indentured servitude upon his arrival in America, in 1769, when he was 14-years-old.

His new master was William Creighton of Martinsburg, Virginia. Creighton worked Cassidy in his tan yards and later waived several years of his service to him due to his enlistment in the American forces as the Revolutionary War began.

Cassidy served in the 4th Virginian Regiment and participated in major engagements like Ger-

mantown, Mud Fort, Brandywine, Monmouth and Yorktown. Some reports indicate he may have been at Princeton and Trenton.

It is known that he survived Valley Forge. He was rewarded at the end of the war with a British sword, following the siege at Yorktown.

He came to Kentucky in 1782, joined Capt. John Holder's militia unit and fought in the Battle of Upper Licks in 1782.

His savagery was noted

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Joan M. Carroll

Joan M. Carroll, age 80, Cynthiana, died October 22, 2011 at her residence. Born June 24, 1931 in Cynthiana to the late Joe and Roberta North Miner, she was a homemaker, secretary at a hospital, office assistant at a doctor's office and a graduate from the Buena Vista High School. Mrs. Carroll was a member of the Connersville Christian Church, Cynthiana Garden Club and the Connersville Ladies' Aid. Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by a daughter, Lee Anne Carroll and a brother, Gene Miner. She is survived by her husband, Charles L. Carroll; a daughter, Stephanie Carroll of Kasilof, Alaska and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11:00 A.M. Wednesday at Ware Funeral Home by Rev. Tim Humphries, Sr. Visitation will be from 5:00 until 8:00 P.M. Tuesday at the funeral home. Burial will be in Battle Grove Cemetery. The family requests a donation to Hospice of the Bluegrass is made in Joan Carroll's name in lieu of flowers.

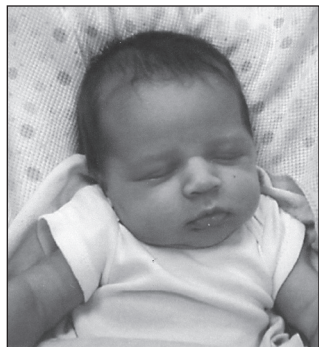
Active pallbearers will be Mark Carroll, Brad Marshall, Rees Marshall, Phillip Kelly, Chad Miller and Steven Downing. Honorary pallbearers will be William Wallace Hehr, Bobby Denniston, Bill Conner, Joe Mike McDaniel, William Varney, Kellar Works and Dr. Joe Nichols. www.ware-funeralhome.com

Ruth M. Clay

Ruth M. Clay, age 85, of Deland Florida, most recently of Danville, Ohio passed away Feb. 1, 2011. She was preceded in death by her loving husband J.N. Clay, daughter Cindy, granddaughter Crystal, Sister Dixie Hegyi, parents Beulah &

Roy Childress, and inlaws Luther and Florence Clay. She is survived by daughters Ellen McRoberts (Marvin) Fl., Dixie Black (Roy) Ohio, sons Jim Clay (Sherry) Fl., Dave Clay (Cathy) Fl., brother Jim Childress (Evelyn) Ohio, 9 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews as well as other friends and family.

Dav'leon Rayshawn Dawson



Dav'leon Rayshawn Dawson, 2 month old, of Lexington passed away Sunday Oct. 23, 2011 at his home. He was the son of Jodie Wilson and Terry Dawson.

Besides his parents he is survived by three brothers, Terry'leon Dawson, Jay'veon Dawson and Keyontae Ellis; one sister, Tressica Snyder; grandmothers, Anna Washington and Cindy Parker; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

He is preceded in death by two grandfathers, Arthur Washington and Victor Wilson and two cousins Jamal Washington and Kamoriana Stanley.

Service will be conducted 11:00AM Friday October 28, 2011 at the Paris Cemetery Chapel by Rev. Dr. Morgan Gilkey.

Arrangements were entrusted to Lusk-McFarland Funeral Home, 1120 Main St. Paris, KY 40361. The online guestbook is at www.LUSK-MCFARLAND.com and a 24 hour funeral information line can be reached by calling 859-987-4387.

Barbara Ann Hesler

Barbara Ann Hesler Hardy Scolf, 70, died, Saturday, October 29, 2011 at Robertson County Health Care Facility. She was born on January 5, 1941 to the late John William and Viola Green Hesler. She was preceded in death by her husband, Paul Clayton Scolf to whom she married August 10, 1974. She is survived by her children, Roy Glen Hardy of Newport, KY, Billy Gene (Jane) KARDY of Mt. Olivet, Greg (Lavinda) Hardy of Maysville, Sheila (Jeff) Lucas of Brooksville, Amanda (Joe) Sharp of Brooksville, and Timothy Hardy of Brooksville; 15 grandchildren, and six great grandchildren. She is also survived by three sisters Lola Sloan of Brooksville, Mary Alice Strode of Lexington, and Sue Ginter of Lexington. She was preceded in death by seven brothers and four sisters. Funeral will be 1 pm on Wednesday at Moore & Parker Funeral Home. Burial will be at Bracken Memorial Cemetery. Visitation will be 11-1 pm on Wednesday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Hope 909 Kenton Station Rd. Maysville, KY 41056. Condolences may be sent to mooreandparkerfh.com

Vickie Moran Lukins

Vickie Moran Lukins, 45, of Saltwell-Headquarters Rd. Carlisle passed away unexpectedly Sunday, October 30, 2011 at her home. She was a Quality Control Leader at Monessen Hearth Systems in Paris. Vickie was born in Mason

County on December 14, 1965 daughter of the late Bonnie L. Moran who died on September 18, 2011 and Donald E. "Duggie" Adamson of Maysville. She loved the outdoors and loved to fish.

Survivors other than her father is her husband of 13 years, Donald "Fester" Lukins. A stepson Zachary Lukins of Carlisle and a step-grandson Kellen Lee Lukins. A brother Donald J. Adamson of Maysville and a sister Teresa Whisman of May's Lick. 3 aunts, Pat Poe Hampton of Orangeburg, Peggy (Louis) Mitchell of May's Lick, Linda (Kenneth) McDonald of Carlisle; an uncle, Eddie (Denie) Moran of Tollesboro. 2 special friends, Debbie Tolle Ormes and Betty McIntosh.

Services will be conducted at 1 P.M. Thursday, November 3, 2011 at Palmer Funeral Home in May's Lick with Rev. Danny Howard officiating. Burial will follow in the Shannon Cemetery. Active pallbearers will be James Lukins, Jr., Kenny and Kevin Patterson, Richard Rankin, Kevin Taulbee and L.C. Lusby. Honorary pallbearers will be Drew Patterson and Kenneth "Banty" McDonald. Visitation 5-8 P.M. Wednesday, Nov. 2 at the funeral home. Condolences to www.palmerfuneralhome.net

Tracy Allen Mitchell

Tracy Allen Mitchell, 40, of Ewing, passed away Oct. 28, 2011 at King's Daughters Hospital in Ashland.

Born in Carlisle on Sept. 2, 1971, he was the son of the late William Henry "Bud" Mitchell and Agnes Hollar Mitchell.

He is survived by his wife, Cindy Barton Mitchell; one son, Mathew Mitchell; one daughter, Melanie Mitchell; three brothers, Dennis Mitchell (Kristy), Terry Mitchell and Timmy Mitchell (Donna); and a sister, Lisa Emmons (Allen).

He was preceded in death by a brother, Michael Mitchell; and grandparents, Monroe and Ann Hollar and Archie and Lucy Mitchell.

Funeral services were conducted Oct. 31 at Price Bros. Funeral Home with burial in the Elizaville Cemetery.

Heaven

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by his fellow militia soldiers during his years along the frontier and he was known to collect scalps and other personal war trophies.

He survived multiple battles and encounters with various Native American warriors.

His last military campaign was with General Mad Anthony Wayne in 1794.

He married Mary Evans on Feb. 25, 1795.

He was 40-years-old.

She was 23.

They would have ten children together and their descendants are now too numerous to easily calculate.

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A special thanks goes to Merrill Mitchell for his comforting words during our time of sorrow.

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The Jewelry Show will start at 9:00 A.M. both mornings!

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SOCIAL NEWS

4-H Cooking Clovers Celebrate Halloween



The Nicholas County 4-H Cooking Clovers met on Thursday, October 27th. Participants made Halloween cupcakes and Halloween punch. If you are interested in becoming a Cooking Clover, please contact Adam Tubbs at 859-289-2312.

Remember When



Goats Nell and Nannie worked diligently in the 1940's on the Linville Farm which was located on Scrubgrass Road in Carlisle. Owners were Paul, Luther, Billy and Jim Tincher. Do you have an old picture you would like to share? Bring it by The Carlisle Mercury office today!

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Due to an error part of the seventh Grade students who were recognized as being in the Principal's Club were omitted last week. The following students should have been included on that list: Trent Letcher, Alyssa Livingood, Autumn Martin, Laura McCord, Hannah Pope, Blake Sanders, Kacie Tincher, Megan Watson, Cassidy Wells.

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DEEDENT/WARD	FIDUCIARY	TITLE	ATTORNEY	APPT. DATE
CLAY MANN 168 HUNDALL LANE CARLISLE, KY 40311	LARY TINCHER 211 EASTERN AVENUE CARLISLE, KY 40311	EXECUTOR	JOSEPH H. CONLEY 227 NORTH BROADWAY CARLISLE, KY 40311	9/14/2011
ROSE M. MOSS 7518 MAYSVILLE ROAD CARLISLE, KY 40311	NATHAN DOSSETT P.O. BOX 150 WARSAW, KY 41095	ADMINISTRATOR	STEPHEN P. HUDDLESTON P.O. BOX 988 WARSAW, KY 41095	9/28/2011
LAURA MEADOWS 4521 MAYSVILLE ROAD CARLISLE, KY 40311	CAROL MEADOWS 4521 MAYSVILLE ROAD CARLISLE, KY 40311	EXECUTRIX	ERIC TEDDER 106 E. MAIN STREET P.O. BOX 186 CARLISLE, KY 40311	10/12/2011
SARAH HOPE ADKINS 4301 EAST UNION ROAD CARLISLE, KY 40311	DEBORAH CAROL TAULBEE 4301 EAST UNION ROAD CARLISLE, KY 40311	GUARDIAN	DAWN C. LETCHER 125 E. MAIN STREET CARLISLE, KY 40311	10/26/2011

All persons having claims against the above decedent/wards are notified to file same, properly proven, with the respective representatives no later than six months from the date of appointment.

Witness my hand this the 27th day of October, 2011.

s/ Sandye Watkins
Nicholas County Circuit Clerk

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NICHOLAS COUNTY CIRCUIT CLERK

Notice is hereby given pursuant to KRS 395.625 that the following Settlements will lay over until 8:45 A.M. on the 16th day of November, 2011, at which time a hearing will be held in Nicholas District Court when said Settlements shall be approved and recorded unless prior thereto exceptions have been filed.

Decedent/Ward	Fiduciary	Title	Nature of Account
CHRISTIAN AVERY HATTON 2382 UPPER SHARPSBURG ROAD CARLISLE, KY 40311	JAMES A. & BARBARA HATTON 2382 UPPER SHARPSBURG ROAD CARLISLE, KY 40311	GUARDIANS	PERIODIC SETTLEMENT
TENILLE JOHNSON 152 NORTH BROADWAY CARLISLE, KY 40311	SHERRY & JIMMY P. JOHNSON 152 NORTH BROADWAY CARLISLE, KY 40311	GUARDIANS	FINAL SETTLEMENT
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ALYSSA J. WATKINS 100 RITCHIE ROAD LOT A CARLISLE, KY 40311	LAURA M. BOONE 100 RITCHIE ROAD LOT A CARLISLE, KY 40311	GUARDIAN	PERIODIC SETTLEMENT
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OPINION

Bread of Life

Man is a spirit being. He has a soul, which is his mind, will and emotions; and he lives in a physical body. The apostle Paul wrote in 1st Thessalonians 5:23, "And the very God of Peace sanctify you wholly; and I pray God your whole spirit and soul and body be preserved blameless unto the coming of the Lord Jesus Christ." One of the reasons why Christians have not enjoyed the benefit of healing for their bodies is that they have understood salvation to consist of only new birth. The Greek word "save" in the New Testament is "sozo". It means to be delivered from both spiritual and temporal evils, protected, made whole or sound, spirit, soul and body.

A man will prosper and be in health as his soul prospers. (See Joshua 1:8 and 3 John 2) A prosperous soul is one in which the mind is renewed to the word of God. Renewing of the mind comes from meditation in God's word. To receive healing from God, it is vital for the believer to accept the word of God as his evidence and not what his five physi-

cal senses dictate. The word says, "surely he (Jesus) hath borne our griefs and carried our sorrows, yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted, But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities; The chastisements of our praise was upon him, and with his stripes, we are healed." Isaiah 53:4,5. The trial translation of griefs and sorrows is sickness, weakness, pains and diseases. Jesus bore our sickness and carried our diseases at the same time he bore our sins. The cross of Calvary provided healing and divine health just as surely as it saved us from the punishments of sin. The redemption of man is all inclusive. The cross did not leave any area of man's life to Satan's dominion. It covered the entire scope of human need.

Jesus never sinned, but in his sacrifice, he was made to be sin that we might be made the righteousness of God in him. He suffered with every sickness and disease known to man to make us well. Jesus suffered for us in order that we might not have to

suffer physically. The suffering we encounter now is the discomfort brought about by resisting the pressures of the flesh. They are not physical sufferings. The law of the spirit of life in Christ has made us free from the law of sin and death. Sickness and disease are the result. Healing is referred to as a benefit of the lord in Psalms 103. It was made available through a price dearly aid so that as believers we could enjoy complete well-being. Verse 3 says, "who forgives all thine iniquities, who healeth all thy diseases." Jesus demonstrated the same power to heal a man sick with a palsy by saying, "man, thy sins are forgiven thee." He asked the scribes and Pharisees, which would be easier, to tell him his sins are forgiven or rise, take up your bed and walk. You can receive healing by the power if God, the same way you received eternal life at the new birth. It is the same power source, the word of God.

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Letter to the Editor

Editor of the
Carlisle Mercury,

I am so impressed with the coverage you gave the Band Competition held on Oct. 8th.

My granddaughter is a member of the Metcalfe County Marching Hornets and when I saw the Oct. 12th issue of your paper, I was impressed with the article and then I turned to pages 14 and 15 and was amazed that you had pictures of all the schools participating.

This was my first visit to Nicholas County and Carlisle, although I have heard a lot about it. I work for Wayne Gaunce in Glasgow KY, he has shared many memories and points of interest of Carlisle which made the visit more interesting.

I was very impressed with the Competition and with how everything was handled. The parking was very easy to get in and out, with

the shuttles. The variety of food was the best of any other school I have attended. Everything was so well organized and easily accessible.

We came into Carlisle on Friday and stayed at Blue Licks State Park, in a cabin which was wonderfully decorated and all the comforts of home. I had my 9 year old grandson with me and he was simply amazed at the monuments and museum at Blue Licks.

We went into town and the downtown buildings are beautiful. We didn't get to spend as much time as we

would of liked to, but it is someplace both my grandson and I would like to make a return visit.

Mr. Gaunce is a subscriber to your newspaper so I get to look at it each week. It has some very interesting articles in it. Again thumbs up to Nicholas County High School and the Carlisle Community for their great hospitality and to you for your great newspaper.

Keep up the good work.
Thanks!

Sandi Thomasson
Edmonton, KY

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Lee Peters has recently retired after fifty-six years of loyal and devoted service for the Nicholas County Hospital; and

WHEREAS, her many years of service to the radiology and laboratory departments of the Hospital are truly worthy of recognition by the many citizens of our community who have benefited from her service.

NOW, THEREFORE, we deem it fitting and proper and do hereby publicly proclaim our recognition, gratitude and appreciation for Lee Peters' many years of public service; wish her God-speed and many happy years of retirement; and decree that this Proclamation be published in our two local newspapers.

Done this 18th day of October, 2011.

Kenneth C. Jones
Nicholas County, Kentucky, Judge/Executive

Sam Brown
Mayor, City of Carlisle, Kentucky

Barry Brown
Administrator, JMHC, Inc.,
dba Nicholas County Hospital

Yvonne H. Conley
Chairman, Board of Trustees,
JMHC, Inc., dba Nicholas County Hospital

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COUNTY TAXPAYER'S NOTICE

The 2011 Nicholas County tax bills are now due and payable at the Nicholas County Sheriff's Office. If you do not receive your bill within the next few days, please contact the Sheriff's Office at 859-289-3740. When mailing your payment, please include your copy of the tax bill or put the tax bill number on your check. If you wish a paid receipt returned to you, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope. The office hours are 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Mon. - Fri. We will be open Saturdays 8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. in Nov. and Dec., with the exceptions of the Sat. following Thanksgiving and Christmas.

2% Discount	Nov. 1, 2011	-	Nov. 30, 2011
Face Amount	Dec. 1, 2011	-	Jan. 3, 2012
5% Penalty	Jan. 4, 2012	-	Jan. 31, 2012
10% Penalty	Feb. 1, 2012*	-	Apr. 16, 2012

IMPORTANT NOTICE:
All delinquent tax bills will be transferred to the County Clerk's Office as of the close of business on **April 16, 2012**. *Payments made during the 10% penalty period are subject to an additional 10% sheriff's fee. In addition to the penalties and fees that are applied by the Sheriff's Office all payments made in the County clerk's Office are subject to a 20% County Attorney Fee, a 10% County Clerk's Fee and interest at 1% per month. The delinquency is also subject to being sold to a Third Party in the summer of 2012.

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MERCURY TRIANGLE HEADQUARTERS~SALTWELL~BARTERVILLE

A large crowd attended the Deposit Bank picnic at the armory on Wednesday night. Many door prizes were given, some of the them made by Diana Phillips. Many people also attended the Farmers National Bank picnic, Cynthiana, on Tuesday night, including several from Nicholas County.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Brady dined at Biancke's, Cynthiana, on Thursday for Phyllis' birthday.

A good revival closed out on Friday night at Blue Licks Christian Church. The evangelist was Rev. Terry Clark and singers through the week were Dean Weddle, "Doxology", John-

than Allison, the Blue Licks Church singers, Tim Doyle, and "Soldiers of Christ." The pastor is Rev. Sam Chanselor.

Several Churches have a 5th Sunday night Gospel sing. Blue Licks and Irvingsville and Elmarch and Millersburg. Mr. and Mrs. Danny Cleaver and Phyllis Brady enjoyed the singing at the Millersburg Methodist Church Sunday night by Tammy Norris, a recording artist who has sang in several states. She is from Lawrenceburg.

A revival is being held this week at 7:00 pm at Oakland Mills U.M.C. by Dr. Jack Wilhite. A dinner will be served on Sunday Novem-

ber 6th. Miss Jo Garrett and her mother and Phyllis Brady enjoyed dining on Sunday at the 5th Street Café in Millersburg. Phyllis had just enjoyed church at Indian Creek Baptist Church and the very good message by Rev. Tom Moore.

The Headquarters U.M.C. had a chili supper and Halloween party on Sunday night. The children enjoyed the activities of the night and even the adults.

Get well wishes go to Mrs. John Brady who is not very well and taking tests.

Glad to report that Cletus Rictchie returned to his home on Wednesday. He still needs help and prayers.

Mercury Memories

Thursday January 30, 1947

A total of \$95.61 was netted for contribution to the state-wide Sports-for-Polio drive here last Friday night as a sely representation of Nicholas County sports fans attended a charity game held at Headquarters High School.

Two Junior conservation clubs to work under the sponsor of the Nicholas County Fish and Game Club were organized in Nicholas County last week under the direction of District Conservation Supervisor John W. Currie, it was announced this week by M.C. Shearer, president of the local game group.

Born To: Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Galbraith a son—Mr. and Mrs. Russell McCord a daughter—Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Gray, a daughter—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Lowry, a daughter.—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Scott, a daughter.—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shrout, a son.

Married: Miss Doro-

thy Marion Darrell to Ovel Ross Day at the Paris Christian Church with the Rev. Rhodes Thompson officiating.

Died: Miss May Potts in a Louisville hospital.—Mrs. Mattie Bedford Hamm, 76, in the Green Nursing Home at Frankfort.—Carolyn Wayne Morris at the Harrison Memorial Hospital in Cynthiana.—Mrs. Frances Lykins Davis, at the home of her sister in law, Mrs. W.T. Congleton in Louisville.

Thursday, February 2, 1922

Jasper B. Shannon, A senior in Carlisle High School, won the \$20.00 fold offered by Cooper Marketing Association for the best essay on "Why Father Should Sign the Tobacco Control."

The Senior Christian Endeavors of the Christian church and pastor, Mr. Elmore, will conduct services at the county infirmary Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William D. Motch, of Middles-

boro, a daughter.—To Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Bramel of Paris, a daughter.

Married-- Mrs. Minnie Rose and Thomas Stanfield. - Miss Fern Harter and Jesse T. Ockerman.

Died-- Mrs. Conley Small, aged 68 years.--Leslie A. Fryman, aged 2 years.—Michael Joseph Kenney, aged 87. - Mrs. Cora Harney, aged 46. - Mrs. Nancy L. Clark, aged 81. - Mrs. Alois Peters, aged 65.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

November 4
Friday, November 4 at historic Biancke's Restaurant in Cynthiana, KY gubernatorial candidate Gatewood Galbraith and his running mate Dea Riley will be appearing for a meet-and-greet. Live music by Solidago.

Nov 4 thru 5
Christmas Bazaar, bake sale and Jewelry Show at the Hospital by the Ladies Auxiliary and Corner Boutique.

November 5
Robertson County's 16th annual Veterans Social Luncheon November 5th Meal Served at Noon at the Robertson County Community Center Any who served in the military, their spouses and spouses of deceased veterans. Any Donations are appreciated. "Laying of the Wreath" at the veterans monument to follow.

November 5
26th Annual Holiday Shopping Hop at the Old Depot, Market Street, Carlisle, KY Saturday, November 5th, from 9-?

Nov 6 thru 9
Revival at Barterville United Methodist Church starting Sunday night, November 6th through 9th. Will start at 7p.m. each night with Morgan family preaching and singing. Everyone welcome. Bring friends!

November 9
The Carlisle-Nicholas Co. Carnico Chicks Day Time Red Hatters will meet on Wed. November 9th at Moyer Vineyard-Winery and Restaurant. If you need a ride, be at Becky's by 11:00 a.m. Directions- take U.S. 68 to Maysville, cross the bridge and turn right on U.S. Route 52- restaurant is seven miles from the bridge and on the right.

November 10
Gateway Community Action Agency will hold its bi-monthly board meeting on Thursday, November 10, 2011 at the Regional Enterprise Center in West Liberty at 6:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

November 11
First Christian Church's annual soup supper Nov 11 at 5:00pm.

November 11
American Legion Ham Supper for members and guests. Covered dish welcome. November 11, 2011 at 6pm at the American Legion Post.

November 13
Veterans Day Service Sunday November 13, 2011 at 2pm at Carlisle Cemetery

November 15
The Nicholas County Democratic Women's Club and Executive Committee will have a joint meeting November 15 at

6:30 p.m. in the Court House. There will be an installation of officers. All members and guests are encouraged to attend.

November 17
The Gold Refinery Party (bring your precious metals and exchange them for cash) at the hospital.

November 18
MIDNIGHT MADNESS-Black & White Night November 18th, 2011 at the Deming HS Gymnasium. There will be an alumni vs current cheer battle, all sports teams competing against each other in various activities, "penny war" to determine who will "kiss the pig", the contestants are made up of Deming High School Staff and Administrators. To vote for your #1 person, send pennies with kids or drop off in cafeteria during school. Lets help get our school spirit up to kick off the 2011-2012 basketball season. Free admission, Doors open at 7pm, activities start at 8pm.

November 26
Double "S" Entertainment Holiday Bazaar Nov. 26, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Nov. 27, 12 to 5 p.m. Booth space is available for \$50 and registration forms can be picked up at Double "S" Entertainment. Pick up forms ASAP, booth space is limited. For more information call Gary or Cody 606-845-0407 or Carl 606-748-3292.

Dec 9 and 10
Christmas Open House, Door prizes, and refreshments, Month of December "Specials" every day at the Corner Boutique at the hospital.

Robertson County Public Library
The Robertson Co. Public Library Toddler Tales will be on Tuesdays from 10:30-11:00am. It is a half-hour program filled with stories, songs and playtime. This program encourages interactive books and play. The age for this program is birth to 35 months.

The Storyhour program @ RC-PL will be on Thursdays from 10:30-11:30am. This is an hour program filled with stories, games, songs and crafts. This program is for children between the ages of 3 and 5. This program encourages hands-on activities as well as music and sharing. These programs are open to the public and we would like to encourage you to bring your little ones! If you have any questions please contact Mrs. Christy at the Robertson Co. Public Library. Our phone number is 606-724-5746.

Free Blood Pressure Screening
Wedco/Nicholas County Home health will be sponsoring a free blood pressure

screening for the general public on the second Tuesday of each month from 3-4 p.m. at the public library.

Community Drug Forum
The community drug forum will now be held the third Monday of each month at 6 p.m. at the Community Health Center. The forum was previously held the second Tuesday of each month.

Covered Bridge Chapter of KPR
The Covered Bridge Chapter of KPR is open to all retired city, county and state government employees from Bath, Fleming, Lewis, Mason, Nicholas and Rowan counties. The aim of the organization is to keep you apprised of your benefits and how they are or will be affected by legislation and other factors. New members are welcome and invited to attend this meeting.

Nicholas County Water District
Nicholas County Water District's Regular monthly meeting has been changed to 6:00 p.m. on the 4th Tuesday of each month.

Nicholas Co. Ambulance
If there are any questions or concerns about the day to day operations of the ambulance service, please contact Lieutenant Rob Biddle. He may be reached at Nicholas County EMS (859) 289-5522. Please ask for Rob or leave a message and he will contact you back as soon as possible. Please be aware that any questions relating to specific run or patient may not be answered due to patient confidentiality (HIP-PA).

Industrial Board Authority
The IDA meets the Second Monday of each month, at the Nicholas County Courthouse at 5pm.

NC Democratic Women's Club
The Nicholas County Democratic Womens Club and Executive Committee meet every month, the third Tuesday of each month.

Building & Grounds Committee
The Building and Grounds Committee meets on the fourth Friday of each month at 9:00 a.m. in the Court House. Public is welcome to attend.

Animal Shelter Committee
The Animal Shelter Committee meets on the first Thursday of

each month at 9:00 a.m. in the Court house. Public is welcome to attend.

Parks & Rec Committee
Park and Rec committee meets on the fourth Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m. in the Court house. Public is welcome to attend.

Jam Session
Jam Session in the Neal building for the third Sunday of each month is at 4:00 - 6:00.

A.C.T.S.
The Alcohol, Chemical, Treatment, Series meets each Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m. in the Sparks Room at the Nicholas Co. Health Department call Chaplin William Power 749-7427 or Dawn Letcher 289-3745 in association with Nicholas Co. Drug Forum.

Attention Veterans
A Veterans Benefits Field Representative will be at the courthouse Annex Mt. Sterling, Ky. on Mondays and Wednesdays. Veterans will be seen by appointment only. Veterans and their dependents will receive assistance filing for Federal and State Veterans benefits. This service is provided free of charge by the Kentucky Department of Veterans Affairs. To apply, veterans need to furnish copies of pertinent documentation to verify eligibility. For further information, please call toll free within KY 1-866-376-0308 to speak with a Veterans Benefits field representative.

Dogs available for Adoption
Nicholas County Animal Welfare Society has dogs available for adoption 473-2714 or www.ncaws.org.

Nicholas County Fix
Bluegrass Veterinary Clinic, Dr. Paul Pack at 11 East Main Paris is honored to be participating in the Nicholas County fix spay/neuter program. The program is aimed at reducing the number of unwanted or homeless puppies and kittens born every year. Drawings for the free service are held each month.

Old Jailers Home Luncheons
The luncheons are held the second Thursday of each month. Reservation necessary. Call Gladys Shroud 289-5174 or 749-7986 or Martha Taylor 289-5592 or 749-1948. Sponsored by Tourism Inc.

JHMC Auxiliary

Johnson Mathers Health Care Auxiliary meets the second Tuesday of each month at Nicholas County Health Dept at 10:00 a.m.

Daughter Lodge #65 F.A.M.
Daughter Lodge #65 meets the second Friday at 7:30 p.m. above the Mathers Gaunce Funeral Home. All masters mason are welcome to attend.

Blue Lick Lodge #495 F&A.M.
The Blue Lick Lodge #495 F. & A.M. meets the last Saturday of each month at 7:30 p.m. All master Mason are welcome to attend.

Orient Lodge #500
The Orient Lodge #500 meets the second Thursday night each month at 7:30 p.m. All master masons are welcomed.

Lifeline Meetings
The Lifeline meetings are held each Thursday at 6:30 pm. at New Beginnings Church. For more info call Greg Spivey 859-227-1319. Toni Spivey 859-473-0899, William Mike Power 749-7427.

NC Adult Learning Center
The Adult Learning Center offers a flexible schedule and personalized instructions to help students successfully complete their GED. The center offers students the opportunity to study at their own pace and their own schedule. Interested persons may stop by anytime between the hours 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. on Mondays and Tuesdays and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Wednesdays.

Diabetes Self management classes
The WEDCO District Health Department will be hosting Diabetes Self Management edu-

cation classes each month. The class will be held at the Nicholas County Health Center, Dr. Robert Sparks Community Room. For more information and to register contact Crissy Culberson 866-75WEDCO or 859-298-4899.

NA & AA
NA meeting Thursday nights from 8:00p.m. till 9:00p.m. AA meetings Friday nights from 8:00p.m. till 9:00p.m. Meetings are held in Mt. Olivet in the building next to the post office.

Robertson Co. GED
Robertson County GED & Family Literacy is now located at the County Medical Building across from the school. Hours: Mon & Tues 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Wednesday Noon - 6:00 p.m. For more information, call Debbie Estill, Instructor, 724-2216.

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LOCAL NEWS

Fiscal Court approves Soil Conservation District funding

By Philip Smith
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The Nicholas County Fiscal Court recently held a special called meeting. The meeting was opened in prayer by County Attorney Dawn Letcher. The meeting was called to order by County Judge Executive Kenneth Lyons. The first matter of business was funding for the Soil Conservation District. The Court voted on, and approved contributing \$15,000 cash, along with supplying the office and utilities. The utilities cost around \$11,000 a year.

The discussion of giving funds to the programs struck a chord in Judge Lyons. Judge Lyons said, "We are taking in \$290,000 in real estate taxes, but we are still paying \$200,000 to different programs." The members of the court agreed that while giving funds to this and other programs is important. It is also important to remain fiscally sound. The members agreed that they could spend \$100,000 dollars on the courthouse tomorrow without blinking an eye, with electrical and new windows, but with the budget how it is, that is impossible.

It was addressed that there is a lot of discussion among constituents regarding the fear of raising taxes. Judge

Lyons adamantly declared, "I do not under any circumstances, want to raise taxes." Among other new business was the discussion of repairing low water areas, and replacing culverts that are in disrepair.

On Watkins Lane and Long Run Road are bridges that both are in need of replacement, the culverts. Due to impending winter weather and possible danger to motorists, the motion to declare an emergency was granted. In reference to declaring an emergency, it was reaffirmed by Attorney Dawn Letcher, that Judge Lyons had the ability to declare an emergency. The low water crossing on Watkins Lane would

cost about \$25,000, converting the culvert from 18" to 36".

The next order of business was to discuss the new building to be built for the Animal Shelter; the building will be


24x36, with the Judge seeking permission for bids. The final order of business was to change the affiliation of the Carlisle/Nicholas County Rescue Squad, thus removing those duties that are

performed by the fire department. The charter for the Squad was changed to reflect that they no longer cover farming accidents, fire/water recovery or people who are trapped.



Photo by Philip Smith

County Judge Executive Kenneth Lyons and other discuss agenda items at the most recent Fiscal Court meeting.

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Veterans benefits

By Brad Ballinger
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Veterans Day is an annual holiday honoring military veterans. It is a federal holiday that is observed on November 11 and falls on the anniversary of the signing of the Armistice that ended World War I at the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month of 1918 with the German signing of the Armistice.

U.S. President Woodrow Wilson first proclaimed an Armistice Day for November 11, 1919. In proclaiming the holiday, he said, "To us in America, the reflections of Armistice Day will be filled with solemn pride in the heroism of those who died in the country's service and with gratitude for the victory, both because of the thing from which it has freed us and because of the opportunity it has given America to show her sympathy with peace and justice in the councils of the nations."

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High school sports seasons

Participation in high school sports programs is a favorite activity among many high school students. In many instances, scholastic sports seasons mirror the schedules of professional sports leagues, although the school seasons are often shorter.

Thousands of students participate in the different athletic programs offered by schools every year. The following scholastic sports schedule applies to most school districts, but athletes in waiting might want to consult their local school just to be sure.

Football: Just like the NFL, football tends to be a fall/winter sport. The season may begin shortly after the start of school and last through November.

Baseball: This is a spring sport that will start around late March or early April and continue through the rest of the school year. Some teams play even after school is out for the year.

Basketball: This is another fall into winter sport. It could start in October and stretch to February if the school makes it into the playoffs.

Outdoor track and Field: Outdoor track and field seasons traditionally start in the early spring, such as March. The season will run into May or the end of the school year.

Hockey: This is a winter sport, which usually begins around November and may run through March of the following year.

Many other scholastic sports are scheduled according to the school and may not have designated seasons. These include volleyball, swimming and cheerleading. In general, these sports will be coordinated based on when funding is available.

These sports seasons are approximate. It's best to check with athletic departments for clarification.



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I, Douglas Fryman, Clerk of Nicholas County, Kentucky do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true, complete and correct copy of the ballot that will appear on the voting machines for the 2011 General Election to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2011.

Given under my hand this the 21st of October, 2011.
Douglas Fryman, Nicholas County Clerk

SPORTS

Bluejackets fall to Bath during senior night

By Brad Ballinger and Cecil Lawson

The Nicholas County Bluejackets went into Friday's game at home against Bath County with high hopes. The extra energy of senior night behind them just wasn't enough as the Bath County Wildcat's upset them, 28-22.

Nicholas County came into its final game of the season with a 6-3 record, while Bath County's record was 2-7.

Rain showers earlier in the day and near-freezing temperatures after sunset combined to make for sloppy playing conditions on Ben K. Pumphrey Field, but that didn't stop both Bath and Nicholas Counties from relying heavily on long rushing drives to score throughout the game.

The weather had a big impact on how the game was to be played, with both teams opting for running the ball a lot in the first half of the game.

Bath scored 21 of their 28 points during the first half of the game, with touchdowns from Wells and Shrout. Wells delivered a dramatic touchdown from a kick-off return in the first quarter. The last touchdown occurred early in the fourth quarter from Vinegar.

The Wildcats presented a strong defense and controlled the tempo of the first three quarters of the game, despite a strong rushing effort from Nicholas County's standout running back Caleb Pope.

"We were really physical at the line of scrimmage," Coach Fields said. "The defensive scheme was designed to keep them from getting outside as well."

He added, "Blocking on the line was critical. We

played ten-fold better." The momentum of the game changed during the late third quarter when the Bluejackets switched to a passing game and scored two more touchdowns followed by successful two-point conversions in the fourth quarter.

Caleb Pope scored the first touchdown of the game for the Bluejackets on the second possession in the 1st quarter, but they were not able to put together a successful scoring drive again until early in the 4th quarter, which was also from Pope. Quarterback Charby Pope scored the final touchdown of the game for the Bluejackets, which wasn't enough for the Bluejackets to pull off the win.

The third quarter of the game remained scoreless for both teams.

Nicholas County was plagued with penalties - 3 off-sides, 2 personal fouls, a false start, and a delay of game - that cost them precious yards throughout the game.

There were some highlights for Nicholas, Caleb Pope rushed for 206 yards, while Charby Pope threw for 204 yards. J.D. Wagoner received for 45 yards and had one interception for a gain of ten yards. Austin Allison and Zack Howard both scored a two point conversion. Austin Allison also led the team with 13 tackles, followed by Jake Kirby and Ethan Smith both with seven tackles each.

The Bath County Wildcats took possession of the ball with 1:47 left in the 4th quarter and held on to it until the clock ran out.



Photo by Cecil Lawson

The Nicholas County Bluejackets and the Bath County Wildcats squared off on a sloppy field for their final game of the season, resulting in a loss for Nicholas, 28-22.

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LOCAL NEWS

Strange encounter sends sex offender to jail

By Philip Smith
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On the evening of October 26, 2011 three male juveniles were walking past the residence of Dennis Major on School Street. According to the citation, Mr. Major tried to persuade them to enter his house. The

three males said they ran away and ran to safety to tell their parents about the happening.

During the course of the investigation, all three were questioned separately and positively identified Mr. Major and that he attempted to coerce them into entering his house. Major had been informed that he was not to have contact with anyone

under the age of 18. Major had lived at the address for 8 months and had not changed his address with the department of transportation. He is being detained in the Bourbon County Detention Center on Menacing, Unlawful transaction with a minor 2nd Degree and Failure to notify address change to DOT.



Dennis Major



Zombie Walk held in Lexington

Photo by Kayla Ballinger

Many residents of Carlisle made the trek to Lexington to enjoy the 10th annual Zombie Walk. Pictured above is Alex Livingood in full zombie mode during the festivities.



Out for a ride

Photos by Brad Ballinger

Above: This display gives the term hay ride a new meaning, as the tractor and wagon are composed of hay. This display can be seen on Lower Jackstown Road.

Peek-a-boo

Right: Fall decorations are beginning to pop up all around Nicholas County. This scare crow couple on Lower Jackstown Road are friendly enough. The female of the pair is even playing peek-a-boo behind the corn stalks.



160 Kentucky-based contractors to Pennsylvania and Massachusetts after Snowstorm

A record-setting storm has blanketed much of the East Coast and left millions without power. Many Kentuckians are wondering what they can do to help. Well 160 LG&E and KU Kentucky-based contractors suited up to offer restoration assistance in Pennsylvania and Massachusetts after a record-setting snowstorm dumped as much as 30 inches of snow and knocked out power to more than three million homes and businesses along the East Coast.

Crews reported to Allentown and Harrisburg, Pa., to help restore power throughout PPL's service territory and repair damaged equipment, downed wires and other storm-related damage caused by heavy snow and fallen trees.

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LOCAL NEWS

Wreaths Across America has local sponsorship

Saturday December 10th 2011 is Wreaths Across America Day. It began as The Arlington Wreath project started by Morrill Worcester in 1992 with the donation and laying of 5000 Christmas wreaths to Arlington National Cemetery. It was relatively obscure until 2005 when a photo of the stones adorned with wreaths and covered in snow circulated around the internet. The project received National attention. In 2006 over 150 State & National cemeteries held wreath laying cere-

monies simultaneously. By 2008 over 300 locations held wreath laying ceremonies in every state, Puerto Rico and 24 overseas cemeteries. Over 100,000 wreaths were placed on veterans graves. Over 60,000 volunteers participated. Now the opportunity to adorn every hero's grave has been made available to our community through the efforts of Brent & Emily Gaunce owners of Mathers-Gaunce Funeral Home the exclusive Veterans & Family Memorial Care Provider for Nicholas

and Bourbon Counties. WAA reaches out to thousands of children each year with the message of Remember, Honor and Teach. The importance of honoring each fallen serviceman/woman as an individual is stressed. The wreath laying is now held each year on the second Saturday of December and was unanimously voted by the US Congress as "Wreaths Across America™ Day". By offering sponsorships to the public, Wreaths Across America hopes that one day every veteran's rest-

ing place will be adorned with a wreath for the holiday season. You may honor your hero who is buried at any local cemetery by sponsoring a \$15 Wreath. Now through November 28th please stop in and order a wreath for your hero at Mathers-Gaunce Funeral Home, 105 Locust Street, Carlisle, Kentucky 40311. Mathers-Gaunce Funeral Home is one of nearly 1000 family owned Veterans & Family Memorial Care providers across all 50 states nationwide.

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Galbraith is a supporter of the economic possibilities available through coal production but is a staunch proponent of preserving the beautiful mountains of eastern Kentucky and has said he is against the damaging practice of mountain top removal practices for coal removal. "Simply, we stand on the side of the mountains," Galbraith said of his position and that of his running mate Dea Riley. Galbraith was raised on a farm and is passionate about the future of agriculture in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

"Our farm economy should be as diverse as possible. Branding programs like Kentucky Pride have proven to be a positive step towards promoting the agricultural industry, but we need to expand our programs and markets," Galbraith said. "I would like to energetically pursue a program for organic production of ASH-Free beef. (No antibiotics, steroids or hormones). Tobacco is still an important income producer and we need to protect Kentucky's reputation as the best in the world." Galbraith is a very personable and straight forward speaker who continues to visit the area regularly and has made numerous stops in Nicholas and surrounding counties more frequently as the election nears. Galbraith is seeking your support and vote; and hopes to be the next governor of Kentucky.

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GENERAL NEWS

Trick or Treat?

By Brad Ballinger
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With Halloween just now ending, many people are going through their candy to see what sweet to snack on. And according to a new warning issued by the FDA you really can overdose on candy—or, more precisely, black licorice.

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) encourages moderation if you enjoy snacking on the old-fashioned favorite.

If you received multitudes of the sweet treat, here's some advice from FDA:

If you're 40 or older, eating 2 ounces of black licorice a day for at least two weeks could land you in the hospital with an irregular heart rhythm or arrhythmia.

FDA experts say black licorice contains the compound glycyrrhizin, which is the sweetening compound derived from licorice root. Glycyrrhizin can cause potassium levels in the body to fall. When that happens, some people experience abnormal heart rhythms, as well as high blood pressure, edema (swelling), lethargy, and congestive heart failure.

FDA's Linda Katz, M.D., says, "Last year the agency received a report of a black

licorice aficionado who had a problem after eating the candy. And several medical journals have linked black licorice to health problems in people over 40, some of whom had a history of heart disease and/or high blood pressure."

Katz says potassium levels are usually restored with no permanent health problems when consumption of black licorice stops.

Licorice, or liquorice, is a low-growing shrub mostly grown for commercial use in Greece, Turkey, and Asia. The National Institutes of Health (NIH) says the plant's root has a long history of use as a folk or tradi-

tional remedy in both Eastern and Western medicine. It has been used as a treatment for heartburn, stomach ulcers, bronchitis, sore throat, cough and some infections caused by viruses, such as hepatitis; however, NIH says there are insufficient data available to determine if licorice is effective in treating any medical condition.

Licorice is also used as a flavoring in food. Many "licorice" or "licorice flavor" products manufactured in the United States do not contain any licorice. Instead, they contain anise oil, which has the same smell and taste. Licorice root that is sold as

a dietary supplement can be found with the glycyrrhizin removed, resulting in a product known as deglycyrrhizinized licorice, or DGL, NIH says.

If you have a fondness for black licorice, FDA is offering this advice:

No matter what your age, don't eat large amounts of black licorice at one time.

If you have been eating a lot of black licorice and have an irregular heart rhythm or muscle weakness, stop eating it immediately and contact your healthcare provider.

Black licorice can interact with some medications, herbs and dietary supplements. Consult a health

care professional if you have questions about possible interactions with a drug or supplement you take.

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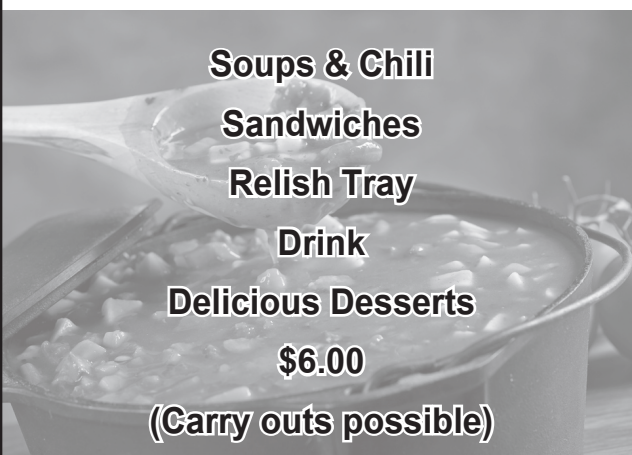
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COURT NEWS

Nicholas County District Court Hon. Charles W. Kuster, Jr.

Dennis K. Quesenberry, 38, op mv under/influence of alcohol/drugs, etc. .08 1st off, guilty plea, \$200, sf, cc, ade, 90 days dls, no operators/moped license, guilty plea, \$100 & 30 days probated no further offenses, sch 11/9.

James W. Moore, 37, as-sault 4th degree domestic violence minor injury, disorder conduct 2nd degree, motion to be filed ptc 11/2.

Hon. Jay Delaney
Estate of Herrington, Andrew Jr., Notice Fiduciary 11/16.

Hon. Charles W. Kuster, Jr.
In Re: Adkins, Sarah Hope, order entered.

Estate of: Bean, Norma Lee, notice fiduciary 11/16.

Estate of: Duncan, James Ronnie, Re 7/18/12.

Estate of: Gordon, Owron, sc/so 11/16.

Estate of: Hardin, William S., pass to 11/2.

Estate of: Ring, Clark Delbert, pass to 11/2.

In Re: Burdett, Denver Wyatt, taken under advisement.

Midland Funding LLC, vs. Allison, Mary, order entered.

DH Capital Management, Inc., vs. Bach, Karen L., DJ entered.

Portfolio Recovery Associates, LLC, vs. Berry, Donna J., DJ entered.

Razor Capital II, LLC, vs. Bussell, Erica, passed 11/2.

LVNV Funding LLC, vs. Coker, Christian J., w/drawn.

Riverwalk Holdings, LRD, vs. Crouch, Chris, DJ entered.

Capital One Bank (USA), vs. Kelley, Wendell, DJ entered.

Southern Ohio Medical Center, vs. Kimes, Steven L., no one present, passed.

Members Heritage Federal Credit Union, vs. Porter, Trampi, DJ entered.

Williams, Cliff vs. Shepherd, Darrell, et al, defendant to answer questions by 11/2, sc/so for Darrell Shepherd to appear 11/2 to show cause for failure to appear or answer interrogatories.

City View Apts., vs. Whalen, Tonya, forcible detainer.

Gregory L. Abney, 40, speeding 15 mph over limit, pass to 11/2.

Margaret B. Denham, 60, speeding 13 mph over limit, svc complete.

Billy Garrett, 43, speeding 17mph over limit, guilty plea, sts & costs, sch 11/9.

John McCall, 18, reckless driving, guilty plea, sts & costs.

Michael L. Raglin, 21, speeding 15 mph over limit, fta.

Rocky Amburgey, 20, no/ expired registration plates, no/ expired Kentucky registration receipt, proof, dismissed.

Tommy J. Bartley, 50, alcohol intoxication in a public place-1st & 2nd, disorderly conduct 2nd degree, resisting arrest, bw \$500.

Kalep T. Brierly, 19m oper motor vehicle u/influ alcohol <21 yoa, guilty plea, \$250 & cc, zero tolerance, 30 day DLS, sch 11/9.

Benjamin V. Buckler, 39, contempt of court, viol of emergency protective order, moc dismissed on request of victim and affidavit filed.

Troy A. Byrd, 22, excessive windshield/window tinting, proof dismissed.

Larry Ray Caudill, 52, proof dismissed wop.

Tina Ring Crawford, 37, parent or custodian to send child to school, 3rd, ptc 11/2.

Shawn Dale Doan, 31, ch 11/2, pd appointed.

William Dewayne Flannery, 41, no/ expired registration plates, proof dismissed.

Thomas A. Gilliam, 28, failure to wear seat belts, guilty plea \$25, operating on suspended/revoked operators licens, moc am no ops possn, guilty plea, \$25& costs.

Shawna M. Hatton, 35, no/ expired Kentucky registration receipt, no/ expired registration plates, proof dismissed.

Wills G. Hershel, Jr., failure to produce insurance card, sc/mail 12/7.

Chad E. Jones, 34, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, ptc 11/23.

Everett M. King, 38, failure to wear seat belts, guilty plea by affidavit, \$25, failure to produce insurance card, sch 11/9.

Lisa G. Livingood, 29, failure to notify address change to dept of transp, proof, dismissed.

Daniel Martin, 26, sch 12/14.

Daniel Martin, Jr., 26, failure to wear seat belts, guilty plea, \$25 & pay today, failure to notify address change to dept of transp, proof dismissed.

Samuel D. Martin, 18, speeding 10mph over limit, complete cs - dismissed moc, failure to produce insurance card, dismissed.

Andrea Mason, 18, license to be in possession, proof dismissed.

Matthew G. McFarland, 26, speeding 15 mph over limit, , operating on suspended/revoked operators license, failure to produce insurance card, sc/mail 12/7.

Michael McGlothlin, theft by deception-include cold

check u/\$500, sc/mail mcdc 11/23.

Christopher Shawn Mitchell, 38, drinking alcoholic bev in public place 1st & 2nd, guilty pela- 2 days in lieu of fine and costs, apply bond, sch 11/9.

Charles T. Poe, 18, failure to produce insurance card, dismissed.

Saul T. Procter, 28, excessive windshield/window tinting, failure to produce insurance card, sc/mail 11/23.

Sebastian Purvis, 19, speeding 15mph over limit, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, cfa 12/7 to get dl.

Michael W. Quin, 36, dis-regarding traffic control device, traffic light, fleeing or evading police, 1st degree, operate mv u/influ of alc/ drugs w/08, aggravator, 1st off, no operators/moped licenses, wanton endangerment-2nd degree-police officer, wanton endangerment-2nd degree-police officer, wanton endangerment-2nd degree-police officer, wanton endangerment-2nd degree, controlled substance prescription not in orig container 1st, drug paraphernalia-buy/posses, fta, bw cash only.

Tara N. Rand, 40, failure to produce insurance card, sc/mail 11/23.

Billy Setters, 49, alcohol intoxication in a public place-1st & 2nd, guilty plea \$25 & costs, sch 11/9.

Rodney Allen-Bash Shields, 36, receiving stolen property u/\$10,000, no bond papers, bw to remain as holder rev.11/2.

Matthew C. Shoulders, 39, failure to produce insurance card, proof dismissed.

Jesse W. Smith, 19, reckless driving, no operators/ moped license, improper use of farm plates 26,000 lbs or less, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security 1st, cfa 11/23.

Loretta Springer, criminal littering, dismissed on moc, for reasons stated.

Angela J. Treadway, 39, disregarding stop sing, op mv under/influence of alcohol/drugs, etc. .08 1st off, 30 counts of wanton endangerment-1st degree, controlled substance prescription not in orig container 1st, drug paraphernalia-buy/posses, pd/ng/ph 11/23.

Natasha L. Walker, 22, failure to or improper signal, guilty plea, \$25 & costs, disregarding traffic control device, traffic light, guilty plea \$25, failure to produce insurance card, ptc, 11-9.

Sally Marie Whirles, 37, public intoxication controlled subs (excludes alc), guilty plea, \$50 & costs, sch 11/9.

Timothy Willoughby, 46, 5 counts of theft by deception-

include cold checks u/\$500, paying rest as ordered, ptc 11/23.

Jo A. George, 33, operate mv u/influ of alc/drugs, w/08 aggravator 1st off, careless driving, bond amended \$700 surety, ng/ptc 11/2.

James Lloyd Anderson, 36, violation of Kentucky epo/dvo, guilty plea, \$300 costs, 180/credit 1, bal pro 2 yrs, c/o no contact with mother or property, anger management & counseling & no similar or violent offenses, pd partial fee of \$50.

Estate of: Pollit, Brenda Dailey, bw \$500.

Anthony James Hunt, burglary 3rd degree, agreed discovery order ptc 11/23.

Michael De Jolly, 56, op mv under/influence of alcohol/drugs, etc. .08 1st off, ptc 11/23.

Brandon S. Jones, 29, probation violation (for misdemeanor offense), now attending, prh 11/30, bond may be released to surety.

Brandon Kimes, 22, theft by unlawful taking/disp-all others, ptc 11/23.

Elwood Junior Mers, 35, assault 4ht degree minor injury, guilty plea, \$100 & cc, 180 prob, 2 yrs. co no contact w/v except when w/counsel for court, anger management & counseling, unlawful imprisonment 2nd degree, merge w/#1.

Darin Wayne Rudder, 42, flagrant non support, order entered 11/30.

Earl Stone, 47, tbut-gasoline u/\$500, bw \$1000.

Earl Stone, 47, falsely reporting an incident, bw \$100.

Earl J. Stone, 47, op mv under/influence of alcohol/ drugs, etc. .08 1st off, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security 1st, no/ expired registration plates, fta/bw \$1000.

Gerald D. Tubbs, 52, disorderly conduct, 2nd degree, alcohol intoxication in a public place-1st, drinking alcoholic bev in public place-1st & 2nd, harassment-no physical contact, pd/ptc 11/23.

Willie Watkins, 46, traffic in marijuana, less than 8 oz.-1st offense, guilty plea, \$200 & cc, \$50 ppa, 180 days, (prob 2yrs. un supervised), c/o no drug offense, motions of def w/drawn, sch 11/9.

Crystal Gayle Alcorn, 31, op mv under/influence of alcohol/drugs, etc. .08 1st off, sh 11/23.

Tonya Applegate, 29, alcohol intoxication in a public place-1st & 2nd, 1st degree possession of cs/drug unspecified, 1st offense, mos am-poss 2nd, controlled substance prescription not in orig container 1st, drug paraphernalia-buy/posses, ptc 12/14.

Tonya Applegate, 29, escape 2nd degree, identify facility, pc bound over.

Tonya Applegate, 29, theft of controlled substance, pc/ bound over.

Harold Russell Brookshire, III, 36, flagrant non support, cont'd by agreement to 11/9.

Julie L. Edwards, 38, criminal possession forged instrument-2nd degree, ph 11/9.

Julie L. Edwards, 38, op mv under/influence of alcohol/drugs, etc. .08 1st off, ptc 11/9.

Patrick Fryman, 6 counts, of criminal possession forged instrument-2nd degree, cont to 11/23.

Donne H. Gee, 55, careless driving, dismissed moc, w/warning, failure to wear seat bels, guilty plea, \$25.

Douglas E. Hunt, 34, poss of marijuana, ng/pd/ptc, 11/23.

Melissa R. Hunt, 36, poss of marijuana, pd/ng/ptc 11/23.

Sara Jones, 24, 3 counts of criminal possession forged instrument 2nd degree, ph 11/2.

Clayton T. Kimes, 25, contempt admitted 10 days imposed, 2 delay imposition until 11/23.

Vincent McNabb, 18, criminal littering, criminal mischief, 1st degree, ph 11/2.

Joyl R. Middleton, 36, operate mv u/influe of alc/ drugs w/.08, aggravator, 1st off, guilty plea, \$200 sf, cc, ade, 120 dls, 7 days, report to court 11/2, possess open alcohol beverage container in a motor vehicle, merged, disorderly conduct 1st degree, merge, resisting arrest, guilty plea 90 day sentence 7 to serve cc w/#1, menacing, merge.

Bobby D. Purvis, Jr, 27, failure to wear seat belts, failure to produce insurance card, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, ptc 11/2.

Bobby Darrell Purvis, Jr, 27, 4 counts of criminal possession forged instrument-2nd degree, ph 11/2.

Jason Rathbone, 30, paid in full.

Jason A. Rathbone, 30, sch 11/9.

Justin T. Ring, public intoxication controlled subs (excludes alc), merge, drug paraphernalia-buy/posses, guilty plea, 120 days cc w/3, credit 14 & bal. pro. under same as #3, 1st degree possession of cs/drug unspecified, 1st offense, moc to attempt, guilty plea, \$300 & cc, 365 days, 120 to serve credit 14, will agree to day too drug treatment complete & days probated upon acts and life line and no further drug offenses.

Polly G. Ruble, 23, burglary, 2nd degree, moc am to attempt (cam), ptc 11/23.

Crystal Shepard, 36, ch 11/23.

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Puss in Boots 2D PG 1:05, 4:00, 7:00, 9:55	Real Steel PG-13 1:00, 4:15, 7:10, 9:55
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The Honorable Kenneth Lyons, Nicholas County Judge/Executive
The Honorable Leonard Garrett, Former Nicholas County Sheriff
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Independent Auditor's Report

We have audited the accompanying statement of revenues, expenditures, and excess fees - regulatory basis of the former Sheriff of Nicholas County, Kentucky, for the year ended December 31, 2010. This financial statement is the responsibility of the former Sheriff. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this financial statement based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, and the *Audit Guide for County Fee Officials* issued by the Auditor of Public Accounts, Commonwealth of Kentucky. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statement is free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As described in Note 1, the Sheriff's office prepares the financial statement on a regulatory basis of accounting that demonstrates compliance with the laws of Kentucky, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In our opinion, the financial statement referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the revenues, expenditures, and excess fees of the former Sheriff for the year ended December 31, 2010, in conformity with the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 20, 2011 on our consideration of the former Nicholas County Sheriff's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Based on the results of our audit, we have presented the accompanying comments and recommendations, included herein, which discusses the following report comments:

- 2010-01 Expenditures Should Be Paid Within 30 Days Of Receipt
- 2010-02 The Former Sheriff Is Required To Pay Restitution Of \$38,238 To The Drug Forfeiture Account For Disallowed Expenditures From The 2008 Sheriff's Fee Audit
- 2010-03 The Former Sheriff's Office Lacked Adequate Segregation Of Duties Over Receipts And Disbursements

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the former Sheriff and Fiscal Court of Nicholas County, Kentucky, and the Commonwealth of Kentucky and is not intended to be used by anyone other than these interested parties.

Respectfully submitted,

Crit Luallen
Auditor of Public Accounts

September 20, 2011

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Students of the week at NBCA



Photos Submitted

Nominated this week for student of the week from New Beginnings Christian Academy is: Left, Cassie Reynolds was nominated for being a devoted caretaker to all our small children at NBCA. She has given up her own free time to give care to our little ones. She also uses her singing talent for God. Cassie is the daughter of Leslie Russell and the late Jesse Russell and a good friend Kevin Vice. Also nominated this week is, Right, Katie Warner was nominated for her cooperative and willing spirit. Katie exemplifies the old saying, 'Seen but not heard' with her quiet demeanor. Katie is the daughter of Mike and Susan Warner.

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VS: NOTICE OF SALE

STEPHEN CARTER, TERRI L. CARTER, NICHOLAS COUNTY, KENTUCKY DEFENDANTS

By virtue of Default Judgment In Rem and Order of Sale of the Nicholas Circuit Court entered in the above styled action on October 4, 2011, and to make enough money to satisfy said judgment lien owed Plaintiff in the amount of \$55,936.08, plus interest thereon at the contract rate of 7.90% per annum from April 14, 2011, until paid, and the costs of this action including expenses of sale, and any unpaid ad valorem property taxes, all as provided in said judgment; the undersigned Master Commissioner will on November 5, 2011, at or about the hour of 10:00 a.m. at the Nicholas County Courthouse door in Carlisle, Kentucky, offer for sale to the highest bidder(s) the following described property located at 7991 Maysville Road, Carlisle, Nicholas County, Kentucky 40311, (including a 2008 Fleetwood Gallatin A Mobile Home, Serial No. TNFL727AB32448SW13 thereon), and more particularly described as follows:

"A certain tract or parcel of land located on the west side of New Highway 68 and the east side of Old Highway 68 and described as follows:

"COMMENCING at a steel pin set in the right of way of New Highway 68 said pin being South 26 degrees 02 minutes 19 seconds West, a distance of 409.21 feet from the northeast corner of the parent tract. Thence with a new division of the parent tract South 89 degrees 19 minutes 56 seconds West, a distance of 133.72 feet to steel pin set. Thence with a new division of the parent tract North 45 degrees 04 minutes 16 seconds West, a distance of 285.01 feet to a steel pin set in the right of way of Old Highway 68. Thence with said right of way North 38 degrees 03 minutes 43 seconds East, a distance of 92.62 feet to a steel pin set. Thence leaving Old Highway 68 and with a new division of the parent tract South 47 degrees 23 minutes 30 seconds East, a distance of 286.05 feet to a steel pin set; North 51 degrees 15 minutes 11 seconds East, a distance of 181.15 feet to a steel pin set in the right of way of New Highway 68. Thence South 20 degrees 53 minutes 21 seconds West, a distance of 205.91 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING; said described tract containing 1.0 acres, more or less."

"The above described property was surveyed by Roberts Surveying, Inc. on September 16, 2007. This is a Class B survey and all pins set are 1/2" x 18" rebar with ID cap stamped D. ROBERTS PLS # 3040."

"Also included herewith is a 2008 Fleetwood Gallatin A Mobile Home, Serial Number TN-FL727AB32448SW13."

"Being the same property conveyed to Stephen E. Carter and Terri Carter, his wife, from Owens L. Carter and Carolyn M. Carter, husband and wife, by deed of conveyance dated October 11, 2007, of record in Deed Book 122, Page 147, Nicholas County Court Clerk's Office."

Upon the sale of the above-described property, the purchase price shall be payable in cash. If the purchase price is not paid in full, the successful bidder(s) shall make a deposit of ten (10%) percent of the total purchase price and give bond with approved good and sufficient surety thereon for payment of the remaining part of the purchase price by cash or certified funds within thirty (30) days after the date of sale, said bond to have the same force and effect as a judgment and to be a lien on said property and to bear interest at the rate of twelve (12%) percent per annum from date of sale until paid, which bond and accrued interest can be paid before maturity.

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- 2011 and subsequent years ad valorem property taxes which shall be paid by the purchaser(s);
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- Any right of redemption which may exist.

Neither the Court nor the Master Commissioner shall be deemed to have warranted title to any purchaser(s). Purchaser(s) shall be entitled to possession of the premises, and a deed will be delivered to the purchaser(s), upon full payment of the purchase price and confirmation of the sale and approval of the deed by the Court. The Defendants, after confirmation of the sale, or any person holding under them, are no longer entitled to possession of the property and are ordered to vacate the premises upon notice that the sale has been confirmed. The Sheriff of Nicholas County is authorized and directed to evict any party or parties to this case occupying or claiming an interest in said property adverse to the purchaser(s) upon proof of entry of the judgment and the order confirming sale without further order of the Court.

Following sale of the above-described property, the Master Commissioner shall promptly report same to the Court, and said report shall be held over for a period of ten (10) days for confirmation or exceptions. Anyone desiring to object or except to the sale shall do so by that time or be forever barred.

Joseph H. Conley, Master Commissioner,
Nicholas Circuit Court

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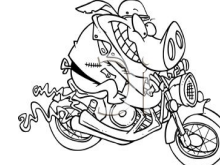
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