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Community mourns passing of Gatewood Galbraith

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The citizens of Kentucky and others far and wide were deeply saddened to learn of the sudden death of Gatewood Galbraith on Jan. 4, when family members found him unresponsive in his bed in his Lexington home.

According to Fayette County Coroner Gary Ginn, Galbraith, was found unresponsive at home in his bed by family members and had

been sick for several days with congestion in his lungs. Galbraith had been suffering from cold-like symptoms which had been complicated by chronic asthma and emphysema.

Galbraith's legacy however will never die, nor will it fade from the memories of those with whom he worked closely in the local judicial systems.

As a frequent candidate for the office of governor of Kentucky, the native of Nicholas County also pursued the offices of state attorney general,

agriculture commissioner and United States Representative.

"Losing races for statewide offices, doesn't pay worth a damn," Gatewood once told me, and it was a phrase he used in his widely popular book "The Last Free Man in America" an autobiography published in 2004. He was a proponent of smaller government and less government infringement upon individuals. His philosophy of less taxes and taking the government out of "our bedrooms, our bladders, our

brains, our billfolds and internet," summed up his assessment of the role of government and the individuals governed.

Galbraith was a former Marine and a graduate of the University of Kentucky and the UK College of Law.

He was an extremely articulate attorney and a strong advocate for his beliefs; which included the legalization of marijuana and the expanded use for industrial hemp.

As a brilliant criminal defense lawyer, he was



Photo by Charles Mattox

Gatewood Galbraith was a 'larger than life' personality; a strong advocate for civil liberties and a brilliant criminal defense lawyer. He was also a worthy political adversary and gifted speaker. He was a champion of the simple man and never shied from his rural upbringing in Nicholas County and the values of honesty and hard work he learned here as a youth. He embraced these simple, yet admirable attributes and spoke eloquently of his many friends in Nicholas County. For those of us who had the pleasure of speaking with him and knowing him he will never be forgotten.



Crocketts to open under new owners

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Crocketts has been a mainstay in the city of Carlisle for over 55 years now. David Sparks will be the new Owner/General Manager after inventory takers complete the inventory which must be done before the change of ownership can take place.

Mr. Sparks stated that they are going to keep the name as Crocketts IGA in respect and honor of the Crocketts. He said that they have done so much for this community. He also stated that Mrs. Crockett has been wonderful, helpful, gracious

and kind. Sparks said, "I could not have done this without the help of Carolyn Crockett.

Sparks went on to tell of some of the expectations he has for the store and of some changes that will be noticed. He started by explaining that Laurel Grocery, which is the parent company of IGA supplies a lot of their products. They along with Southern Belle, Crosset produce and all of their other vendors have been very helpful and gracious.

Sparks stated that the vendors that supply their deli meat and produce are the same one that Kroger uses, so the top of the line products that are here

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Baby born on the way to the hospital

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According to Angela Dryden, she, Amber Dryden and Jacob Dryden woke up and took Amber directly to the Nicholas County Hospital on Sunday morning around 8 a.m. Amber was due to have a baby girl on January 17 but apparently she didn't want to wait that long. The doctor on call at the E.R. sent her straight to Harrison Memorial Hospital.

Approximately half way there Amber said, "I think the baby is coming now. The ambulance crew which consisted of Kelli Jones, Scot Allison and Brenda Callahan stopped the ambulance in the parking lot of Indian Creek Church, where early morning services were going on.

The crew noticed that the baby was crowning and that the birth was going to take place right there. The baby's father

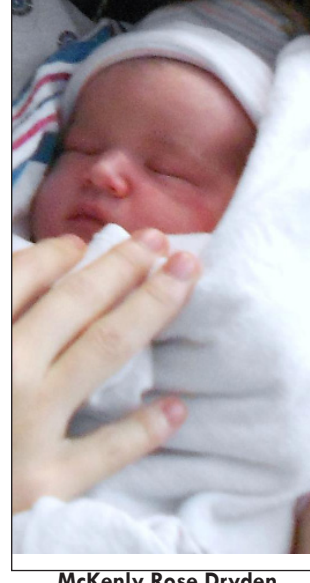
Jacob Dryden was in the passenger seat and grandmother Angela was driving in the vehicle following the ambulance. Angela said that when the ambulance stopped she knew something was up. And sure enough that something was 7lb 10 oz McKenly Rose Dryden. McKenly was born at approximately 8:50 a.m. and was 19 inches long.

Kelli Jones said, "She is our first in that E.C. unit. We don't usually deliver, but we train a lot for the possibility of a delivery on any OB run." This is the first time for delivering a baby for Kelli and Brenda, Scot however has delivered three before. Jones also said, "It couldn't have gone better. The baby was very responsive and had a great cry. The main thing we get nervous about in these situations is complications but everything went great. We are just happy to serve the community. That is what we are here for to serve them

any way that we can."

Angela Dryden said that McKenly was supposed to be delivered in Mount Sterling but due to the situation she was delivered in the back of the ambulance in a church parking lot. Dryden went on to say, "Nicholas County Ambulance Service was wonderful! They went above and beyond the call of duty!"

Both Amber and McKenly both are reported as doing well and as of press time were expected to be able to go home Tuesday morning.



McKenly Rose Dryden

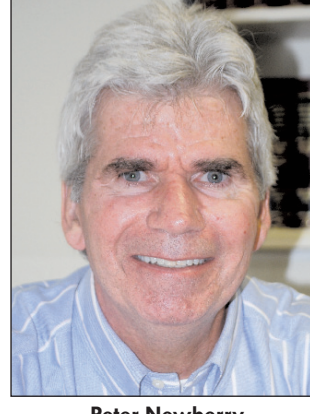
Newberry named city attorney

By Hopelynn Ballinger
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This week in Carlisle a new member to the legal family was welcomed. The new city attorney Peter Newberry was approved and hired January 9, 2012. After the city council voted to approve the hiring of Newberry he had this to say, "I am very happy to be here, I love the citizens of Carlisle and I'm glad that the city council has approved me to work with the people of this great city"

Mr. Newberry's law practice focuses on all types of construction law cases and the representation of builders, homeowners, homeowners associations, architects, engineers, general contractors, subcontractors and material suppliers in such matters which include: construction defect claims, design defect claims, insurance coverage, contractual disputes, negligence claims, water intrusion, bad soils, foundation problems, mold, and other construction matters.

In addition to construction law, Mr. Newberry's diverse experience includes providing a full range of legal services to businesses and individuals in areas such as complex litigation, discrimination law, family law, medical malpractice, legal malpractice, and real estate disputes.



Peter Newberry

Mr. Newberry is licensed to practice law in Kentucky, Ohio and Pennsylvania. He says he is available to the citizens of Carlisle for any legal advice regarding the city at any time.

When asked about what he thought about the new addition to his team the mayor of Carlisle Mr. Kevin Booth said, "I look forward to working with Mr. Newberry. He (Newberry) is an obvious choice seeing as he as a lot of experience, I interviewed two or three people and he was defiantly the best choice."

Clarifications

David Fryman listed in the court docket last week is not the same David Fryman of 2235 Sugar Creek Rd.

James Tincher listed in the story on the front page of last week's paper is James "Jay" Tincher, not James "Jimmy" Tincher.

Nicholas County's Senior Caleb Pope plays in National Guard Border Bowl

Sports Writer
 KYNewsGroup

WILLIAMSBURG — Senior Caleb Pope represented the Nicholas County High School football program over the weekend in the National Guard Border Bowl at the University of the Cumberlands' James H. Taylor II Stadium, playing for the Kentucky All-Stars. Pope and his Kentucky teammates nearly pulled off a win in the annual high school football all-star game. Pope was listed as a defensive back on the Kentucky roster. Tennessee held on to win its third straight Border Bowl, defeating Kentucky 24-20 in the latest meeting.

Pope and the Kentucky All-Stars pushed the Tennessee squad for the win. Kentucky's scores in the Border Bowl came from players representing high school football programs based around the

state. Anderson County's Seth Carmichael hooked up with Covington Holy Cross's Eric Walker on a 37-yard scoring pass, John Hardin's Jeremy Harness reached the endzone on a 52-yard run and Bell County standout Cory Davenport delivered a 30-yard touchdown scamper for the Kentucky All-Stars.

Kentucky drove to Tennessee's 30-yard line with one second left but came up short when a pass from Middlesboro quarterback Chase Roark was knocked down in the end zone.

Pope led Nicholas County throughout his senior season, rushing 251 times for 2,338 yards and 28 touchdowns. The productive Pope averaged 213 yards and 2.5 touchdowns per game for Nicholas County, which concluded the season 7-5. Nicholas County concluded the season tied for 10th in the final Class A



Photo by Charlotte Hopkins

NCHS standout suits up for Kentucky team in annual All-Star game

A versatile performer, Pope also hauled in six receptions for 273 yards and three touchdowns.

Defensively, Pope registered 50 total tackles. The Nicholas County senior recorded 33 solo

tackles during his senior campaign.

Earlier in the school year, Pope picked up All-State Honorable Mention honors. He ranked as one of the state's top high school running backs during his senior season.

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OPINION

Heaven Is A Lot Like Kentucky

FIELD OF DREAMS



Heaven Is A Lot Like Kentucky

By Charles Mattox

"After the cheers have died down and the stadium is empty, after the headlines have been written and after you are back in the quiet of your room and the championship ring has been placed on the dresser and all the pomp and fanfare has faded, the enduring things that are left are: the dedication to excellence, the dedication to victory, and the dedication to doing with our lives the very best we can to make the world a better place in which to live."

Vincent T Lombardi

The profound silence that encapsulated the Fleming County Gymnasium on the evening of Jan. 6 was heartbreaking for me, as I'm sure it was for so very many of us of that call northeastern Kentucky our home.

The second basketball game of a Fleming-Rowan doubleheader was preparing to begin and with a slightly shaken voice, announcer Pat Price asked for all those present to join him in silence in memory of a great Fleming County Sports Coach and youth leader, Gary Ishmael. Hundreds and hundreds of people stood silently with heads bowed in solemn prayer for his family.

Gary had passed away suddenly, that very morning.

He was a great man and a gifted coach who taught several generations of area athletes a lot more than just sports.

I never had the pleasure of playing on any of

Gary's football or baseball teams, but if I had a nickel for every hour I've spent with one of his family members at a sporting event, well, I'd buy us all a new Cadillac, dear reader.

Gary's father Dick and my late father coached many baseball teams in years gone by and Gary's brother, Mike, was a friend even before we were in kindergarten together.

We grew up together near the sporting fields of our older brothers, sometimes watching the games but most often succumbing to our vivid imagination and playing in our own field of dreams.

We were routinely brought back to reality by the watchful eye of Mrs. Ishmael, or simply Toni, as every Fleming County sports enthusiast knew her. There was never a greater fan of Fleming County sports or a greater supporter of any family than the late Toni Ishmael.

Every individual should respect their own abilities and never go beyond their limitations. I have many; one of those being that I fare very poorly at ceremonies in which loved ones, friends and friends of the family, are memorialized or laid to rest.

I tried to brace myself Sunday and attend Gary's visitation at the FCHS gymnasium. I even drove past the high school before I pulled over and simply cried alone in my car for a while, before

I found myself going back home.

I wish I had been less of a coward but too many sharp pains rest just below the surface of my inner soul. I hope that time will help assuage the pain I feel and so many others feel over the passing of this great man.

I've been told over three thousand attended Gary's visitation. I wonder how many others, like me, just pushed the pain below and wept alone.

The thing that always struck me about Gary wasn't just that he was a great person, or a great coach; it was that infectious smile he had. One of the last times I talked to him, he was hustling up the sidelines of a football game at Fleming County, where he was part of the old crowd of 'chain gang' members who worked the chains and kept the refs straight with their precision markings of where the ball was the previous play and where it ought to be for the next. He took the job seriously,

as he took all his tasks in life, honoring the work his father had done for years as a member of the chain gang.

I was scribbling notes furiously as he ran by with the chain and I muttered something like, "Heck of a game, eh?"

He looked up and saw who it was and that precious, genuine smile exploded across his face, just as so many of us had seen so often—a smile that I will never forget, "It's gonna be a good one, Bubby," he answered, calling me by my first name, the name I grew up with amongst family and my families closest friends. We shook hands and chatted briefly before he was racing downfield on the next play.

And Gary's knowledge of baseball was nearly clairvoyant in nature.

His Cobra baseball team was the stuff local legends are made of.

He knew things about the game that can't be taught or learned. They are simply known to that small circle of coaches

and players that have baseball in their blood.

Gary had that in his blood.

He had a lot of other things in his blood. Good things.

Gary's legacy will live on in the hearts of his wonderful family members and those lucky enough to have called him Coach.

Gary Ishmael was a winner.

Gary Ishmael made the world a better place.

I don't want to provoke any religious debate here but I will say I do believe in God and I do believe there is a Heaven. I believe in many regards that Heaven is a lot like Kentucky. I believe Gary Ishmael is in Heaven and he and his mother Toni are there together; together, in the field of dreams.

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OBITUARIES

Anna Marie Burton



Anna Marie Burton, 42, of Morehead, formerly of Carlisle, passed away Tuesday, January 3, 2012 at her home.

She was born January 21, 1969 in Ft. Thomas, Kentucky to Ben Linville of Flemingsburg, and the late Frances Louise Yelton Linville, was a 1987 graduate of Nicholas County High School, a loving mother and former dietary technician at the Nicholas County Hospital.

She is also survived by her children, Bryan David Burton and Ashley Nicole Burton, of Morehead, a brother, Mark Adam (Betty Jo) Linville, of Mt. Sterling, and a sister, Jennifer (Dan) Hildebrand, of Flemingsburg.

Services were 1:00 P.M. Monday, January 9, 2012 at Mathers-Gaunce Funeral Home by Bro. Alvin Eckler. Burial was in the Mt. Tabor Cemetery.

Casketbearers were Scott Aulick, Bryan Burton, Alvin Eckler, Jr., Barry Myers, Wayne Pribble and Bruce Thornsburg.

Donations in lieu of flowers may be made toward funeral expenses.

Condolences may be left at www.mathers-gaunce.com.

DEBBIE ALLEN



DEBBIE ALLEN, age 48, Mt. Olivet, died Tuesday, January 3, 2011 due to injuries sustained in an automobile accident in Robertson County.

Born in Harrison County, September 26, 1963, to Joan Gaunce of Mt. Olivet and the late, Jerry French.

She was a member of the Foster's Chapel United Methodist Church, former LPN and phlebotomist at Harrison Memorial Hospital and a waitress. Besides her father, she was preceded in death by her stepfather, Russell H. Gaunce, Sr.

Besides her mother, she is survived by two sons, Shane (Misty) Barnes and their son, Caleb Barnes, Georgetown and Drew Allen, Cynthia; a daughter, Kelsie Allen, Mt. Olivet; two brothers, Michael (Karen) French, Lancaster and William L. French, Texas; two sisters, Teresa (Terry) King, Mt. Olivet and Lisa Hamilton, Carlisle and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted 1:00 P.M. Saturday at Robertson County Funeral Home by Bro. Daniel Simmons. Visitation was from 5:00 until 8:00 P.M. Friday at the funeral home. Burial was at Foster's Chapel Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Foster's Chapel United Methodist Church Building Fund. www.robertsoncountyfuneralhome.net.

Lorena C. Wells

Lorena C. Wells September 19, 1937 - January 2, 2012

Lorena C. Wells, 74, widow of James A. Wells, died January 2, 2012 at

the St. Joseph Hospice Care Center, Lexington. She was born in Nicholas County September 19, 1937, to the late Clyde and Ruth Burke Clavell. She was a retired factory worker at Jockey International and a member of the Carlisle United Methodist Church.

She is survived by children, Cindy (John) Sneegar, Owingsville, KY, Mike (Marsha) Haney, Carlisle; two grandchildren, Seth Haney and Ross Haney.

Funeral services were held Thursday, January 5, 2012, at 12 noon at the Carlisle Methodist Church with Bro. Rocky Wallace officiating.

Pallbearers were Seth Haney, Mitch Harmon, Greg Wills, Gayle Liver, Jimmy Whirls, and Ferrell Alexander.

Clark Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Melissa Lynn Johnson Cameron



Melissa Lynn Johnson Cameron, 37, of Lexington, died Monday January 2, 2012 at the University of Kentucky Medical Center, Lexington.

She was born in Lexington to Judy Dotson Green and the late Julius Johnson. She was a homemaker and a loving mother and a member of the Paris Christian Chapel Church, Paris, KY

Survivors include a longtime boyfriend, William Watson of Lexington; Husband Bill Cameron of Paris; mother and stepfather Judy and Joe Green; one son, William Brody Watson of Lexington; three daughters, Amber Nicole Watson of Lexington; Heather Marie Cameron of Carlisle and Emily Faye Cameron Edwards of Mt. Sterling; two grandchildren, Clayton and Ethan Edwards; two brothers, James Ballard of Carlisle and Julius Johnson, Jr. of Bourbon County; half sister, Wanda Tucker of Bourbon County and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

In addition to her father she was preceded in death by sister, Jacqueline Faye Ballard.

A memorial service will be conducted at a later date.

The online guestbook is at www.Lusk-McFarland.com and a 24 hour funeral information line can be reached by calling 859-987-4387.

The funeral arrangements were entrusted to the Lusk-McFarland Funeral Home, 1120 Main St., Paris, KY, 859-987-2500.

Orville Thomas Shields

Orville Thomas Shields 93 of Elizaville, Ky. Passed Jan. 6, 2012 at Fleming Co. Hospital. Orville was born in Fayette County Ky., August 7, 1918 to Henry Thomas and Goldie Marie Shields. Orville was a veteran of World War II serving in the U.S. Navy.

Surviving are four Daughters, Connie (Douglas) McCord of Elizaville with whom he resided, Carol Jean (Norvel) Carrick of Palmdale, Ca., Patricia Lester of Punta Garda, Fl., Loretta (Jerry) Chase of West Port, Ind. Daughter-in-laws Joann Shields and Kristi Shields. 17 Grandchildren, 20 Great Grandchildren and 5 Great Great Grandchildren survive.

Preceding in death is his wife Ella Mae Shields, and two sons, Thomas

McKinley Shields and Orville Timothy Shields. Sister Louise Woods and Granddaughter Renee Hoffman and Grandson Tommy Shields.

Funeral Services were at 1:00 p.m. Wednesday at Price Bros. Funeral Home in Elizaville with Rev. Larry Ingram, Officiating. Burial was in the Olivet Church Cemetery near Orangeburg, Ky. Visitation were from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Tuesday at Price Bros. Funeral Home.

John William DeAtley

John William DeAtley November 30, 1924 - January 1, 2012

John William DeAtley, 87, of Carlisle, KY passed away Sunday, January 1, 2012 at his residence. He was born November 30, 1924, in the Moorefield Road Community in Nicholas County, KY to the late John Fielding Morgan DeAtley and Ethel Tucker DeAtley. He was a lifetime farmer. He was a veteran of WWII, U.S. Army 13th Armored Division. He was a member of the Herrington United Methodist Church in Bourbon County.

He is survived by his loving wife of 64 years, Ruby Howard DeAtley and devoted son and daughter-in-law Allen and Wilma DeAtley. One very special granddaughter, Mary Catherine (Derrick) Livingood. One very special grandson, Charlie (Erin) DeAtley. Very special great-grandchildren, Alyssa Livingood, Cole Livingood and "Little" Ruby DeAtley. One step-granddaughter, Beth Livingood. All of Carlisle, KY.

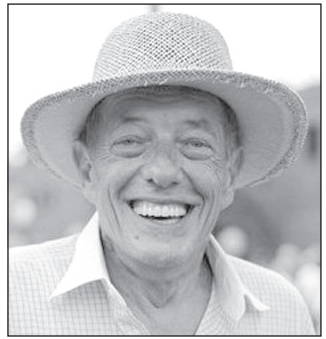
He was preceded in death by his parents. His step-mother, Lutie Ockerman DeAtley. Very special family Frank and Rose Davis, who he lived with his first 10 years. His sister, Francis Dotson Hall. Brothers-in-law Maxwell Dotson and John Hall. Step-brother Thomas Hornback and step-sister Edna Thompson.

Funeral services were Friday, January 6 at 10:30am at Henton Turner Funeral Home by Rev. James Humphries and Rev. Marvin Snapp. Burial followed in Carlisle Cemetery.

Honorary pallbearers were Henry (Tiny) Howard, Teddy Dotson, Lisa Dotson Bussell, Derrick Livingood, Alyssa Livingood, Cole Livingood and "Little" Ruby DeAtley.

Contributions suggested to church or charity of your choice.

Louis Gatewood Galbraith



Galbraith, Louis Gatewood, 64, beloved father, grandfather, at

torney and civil rights advocate, died peacefully at his home with family on Wednesday, Jan 4, 2012. Born in Carlisle, KY, he was the son of the late Henry Clay and Dolie Eliza Gatewood Galbraith. He was a former Marine, a graduate of the University of Kentucky, and the University of Kentucky College of Law. He was a humanitarian, friend, and author - who worked tirelessly for the people of Kentucky.

He is survived by his three daughters, Summer Galbraith Sears (Kate), Dunedin, New Zealand; Abby Sears Galbraith (Ryan Moldt); and Molly Galbraith, both of Lexington. He is also survived by his two grandchildren, Connor Gatewood Moldt and Ella Grace Middleton Sears; his siblings, Don Lynam, Liz Whitehorn (Ken), Edna Hancock (Terrell), Hank Galbraith (Judy), Mike Galbraith (Julie), all of Lexington, Tim Galbraith (LuAnn) of Louisville; his former wife and the mother of his children, Susan C. Sears; his lifelong friend, Kim Eisner; and a host of nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his sister, Judy G. Lynam.

A visitation for family and very close friends will be held between 4-8 PM on Tuesday, January 10, 2012 at the Crown Plaza Campbell House, in the Colonial Ballroom. Parking is available at the rear of the Crown Plaza Campbell House. There will be a public gathering and a celebration of his extraordinary life -- the location, date and time to be announced by his family. Milward-Broadway is in charge of arrangements. www.milwardfuneral.com

MARGARET "AUNT MAGGIE" DELISLE MOORE

MARGARET "AUNT MAGGIE" DELISLE MOORE, age 83, Brooksville, crossed over into Paradise January 9, 2012 at Bracken County Nursing and Rehab. She was born November 17, 1928 in Bracken County to the late Twinkle and Serepta Todd DeLisle, she was former custodian at First National Bank. Mrs. Moore was also a member of the Powersville Baptist Church. Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Howard Moore.

She is survived by eight nieces Deborah (Tom) Cortner, Brooksville, Melinda (Rick) Kurtz, Brooksville, Vicki (Rod) McLain, Columbia, South Carolina, Laura (Jerry) Teegarden, Brooksville, Kelsey Dryden, Flemingsburg, Gracie Kurtz, Brooksville, Mollie Teegarden, Brooksville, Claire Estep, Cherry Grove, South Carolina and nine nephews, Michael (Becky) McDowell, Flemingsburg, Scott (Michelle) Estep, Cherry Grove, South Carolina, Joshua (Miranda) Estep, Columbia,

South Carolina, Joseph Scolf, Brooksville, Anderson Estep, Cherry Grove, South Carolina, Baily Estep Cherry Grove, South Carolina, Vince Harper, Columbia, South Carolina, Alex Harper, Columbia, South Carolina and Ben Dryden, Flemingsburg.

Funeral services will be conducted 2:00 P.M. Wednesday at Robertson County Funeral Home by Bro. Kevin Murphy. Visitation will be held from 5:00 until 8:00 P.M. Tuesday at the funeral home. Burial will be in Brooksville Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to The Gideons International, P.O. Box 140800, Nashville, Tennessee, 37214-0800 and Sunrise Children's Services, P.O. Box 36570, Louisville, Kentucky 40233-9909. www.robertsoncountyfuneral-home.net

Gary R. Ishmael



Gary R. Ishmael, 54, of Flemingsburg passed Friday morning January 6, 2011 unexpectedly at Fleming County Hospital. He was born February 2, 1957 in Ayer Massachusetts to Lloyd "Dick" Ishmael and the late Fumiko "Toni" Ishmael. Gary worked at Toyota in Georgetown, KY as a team member for over 25 years.

Gary was well known around the region and

state as an outstanding baseball and football coach. He had coached small fry football in Fleming County for over 20 years, and worked with the middle school football team for several years. His pride and joy was his Cobra baseball team that he traveled with every summer for 15 years, mentoring and coaching many young men from the area. He was the first baseball coach at the middle school when the team started back several years ago. He had coached girls softball and was on the "Chain Gang" every Friday night at the high school for a decade. Gary attended New Creation Praise and Worship Church.

Survivors include his wife of 35 years Linda Grannis Ishmael

Children: Michael Sean Ishmael, Joseph Allen (Sheena) Ishmael, Kimberley Rae Ishmael, & Desmond Christian McDams

Siblings: Bill (Lynn) Ishmael, Michael Vernon (Penny) Ishmael, and Nancy (Tony) Gregory

Father: Lloyd "Dick" (Molly Bacot) Ishmael
Several Nieces & Nephews

Funeral services were 11 AM Monday, January 9, 2011 at Fleming County High School. Visitation was after 5 PM Sunday at the High School. Burial was private. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Gary Ishmael Memorial Scholarship Fund at the Peoples Bank. Arrangements are under the direction of Boone - Nickell Funeral Home.

Friends may sign the guestbook at www.boonenickellfuneralhome.com

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OPINION/LOCAL NEWS

Mercury Memories

29 years ago
Jan. 13, 1983

Ewing native Woodie Fryman has signed a contract to play professional baseball for another year with the Montreal Expos. He has been with the team for eight years.

Fryman is the winningest left-handed pitcher in Montreal Expo history.

Idaho potatoes are only \$1.59 for a ten-pound bag.

Mary Tapp, City Clerk, reported during Monday nights' Carlisle city council meeting, that the gas restoration project is 46 percent completed.

20 portraits are only \$12.95.

South Central Bell Telephone Company is in the midst of a transitional period geared to meet competitive demands.

Kendell L. Seaton, State Director of Farmers Home Administration (FmHa) announced Jan. 5 that the delinquency rate for monthly pay-

ment housing borrowers has been reduced from 24.5 percent to 15.9 percent during the past 18 months.

54 years ago
Jan. 9, 1958

Nathan Young Jr., has been elected as the director with the Carlisle-Nicholas County Chamber of Commerce.

Young is a native of Carlisle and a graduate of Carlisle High School. He is a veteran of WW II and is a member of the Carlisle School Board. Mr. Young is married to the former Miss Dorothy Rawlings of Sharpsburg. They have two young children.

The Nicholas County Health Department informed The Mercury that the head of a fox killed by Gilbert Duncan of East Union showed positive for "rabies."

County Judge Floyd "Humpty" Clark, County Clerk J. Berry and Sheriff Jno. W. Anderson, were sworn in earli-

er this week. Judge Clark also administered the oath to City Police Judge Joe Clay.

The Harlem Globetrotters will appear for an exhibition at Morehead State University Jan. 16.

Smoked jowl bacon is only 59 cents a pound at Coatney Bros. IGA.

"My Darling Clemin-tine" starring Henry Ford is playing at the Lyric Theatre in Carlisle.

79 years ago
Jan. 12, 1933

65 persons have applied thus far for work in the county as part of the local relief committee.

Payment for the work available is \$1.50 per day, payable in merchandise orders, good at any store.

27 young members of the Carlisle Future Farmers of America will raise 37 acres of tobacco. 15 young men will raise 30 acres of corn.

The boys have a total of 96 projects and each boy hopes to make \$100.

MERCURY TRIANGLE HEADQUARTERS~SALTWELL~BARTERVILLE

The Ellisville Homemakers met on Thursday, Jan. 5, at the Adult Education Center with 13 in attendance.

Phyllis Brady gave the devotional. She read from 3rd chapter of Colossians and a poem entitled "Count Your Blessings" and Martha Ritchie read one about "New Year's Resolutions". Faye Buzzard gave copies of the minutes of the last meeting. Debbie Workman gave the treasurer's report. Several gifts for charity and the needy were given in Dec. Our agent, Kim shared many upcoming events and plans and discussions were held. A delicious meal was served. Blessing by Phyllis. Faye and Arthur Buzzard were host, bringing always more than their share. Others pot luck. The lesson for today was a mailout. Kim informed us that we went from 59 members last year to 78 members this year. After old and new business a few things were decided to give donations to.

Phyllis Brady had a game won by Patsy Smoot. The Homemakers Creed was read by all for the last part of the meeting.

Sympathy is extended to family and friends of Lorena Wells whose funeral was Thursday at the Carlisle United Methodist Church by Rev. and Mrs. Rocky Wallace. Lorena was such a joyful lady and endured her battle with cancer with such courage. She was a happy part of the 1955 Class of Nicholas County High School.

Phyllis Brady visited several the past week, including Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sears, Mr. and Mrs. David Earlywine, Glen Thacker, Alberta Glass, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wedding, Mr. and Mrs. John Brady, Jerry Doyle, Doctor and Mrs. Joe Nichols and Brenda Nolen. Some for sick visits and various other things.

The January meeting of the Saltwell United Methodist Women's Club was called off last Monday night (shortly be-

fore time) because of the snow.

Rhonda Whitson, Maxine Whitson, Phyllis Brady, Freda Saunders, Penny Richardson, Faye Whitson, Sarah Jacobs were among a good crowd attending a shower for Carly Whitson on Saturday at the home of Angela Whitson Phelps in Cynthiana.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitson, Phyllis Brady were among a huge crowd on Sunday night in visitation for Mrs. Raymond (Dorris) Hatfield at Drake Funeral Home, Cynthiana. They were the fine parents of five children, Ronald, Royce, Rankin, Robert and Ramona. Rankin sings and plays with the Bluegrass Gospel group "Thunder Ridge", who has sung in Nicholas County many times.

Get well wishes go to Stanley Morris and Donald Jenkins of the Rosehill area. Both were in Harrison hospital the past week. And Alberta Glass in Carlisle hospital.

THOUGHTS FROM THE PASTOR'S STUDY

What kind of Christians are we? By Bishop Stephen Scalf Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints Paris Ward

for you. "Without your knowing it, we've been following you around for quite some time, recording everything you have said and done. Tonight, we thought we'd show the highlights for the entire community to see."

Every angry word, every thoughtless or cruel act, every text message we have sent, and every website we have visited... all open for public scrutiny. Most of us would probably experience a moment of panic, realizing that everything

we believed we had done under a screen of privacy was about to become public knowledge.

How different is the person who gets dressed up and goes to church on Sunday from that same person the rest of the week? Are we Sunday morning Christians only? Does what we claim to believe have any influence on how we live our lives during the other six days of the week? The Bible teaches us that "God is light; in him there is no darkness at

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Bread of Life

Ephesians 5:1 Be ye therefore followers of God, as Dear children. If a child imitates his Father he will walk like him, talk like him, and do what he does. Jesus tells us to follow Him, so when you begin to study the life of Jesus on earth you can see several important facts that caused Him to

overcome the world, the flesh, and Satan. We see in the word of God that Jesus spent much time in prayer but He never prayed the problem He prayed the answer (what the Bible says is the answer, His conversation always consisted of what God said. He always spoke the end result not

the problem. Never did He confess present circumstances. He spoke the desired results. Jesus has told us we can have what we say in Mark 11:23-24. For verily I say unto you, that whosoever shall say unto this mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; and shall not doubt in his heart, but shall believe that those things which he saith shall come to pass, he shall have whatsoever he saith. 24 Therefore I say unto you, what things so ever ye desire when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them. Most people, instead of saying what they desire, go around saying what they have instead of what God says to say. You must change the way you think and speak. This is the transformation God wants to make in you. The word of God, conceived in the heart, formed by the tongue, and spoken out of the mouth is creative power. Fear filled words will put you on victory street. Praise God! Proverbs 18:21 Death and life are in the power of the tongue; and they that love it shall eat the fruit thereof. Proverbs 6:2 Thou art snared with the words of thy mouth, thou art taken with the words of thy mouth. For God's word to be effective His body (the Body of Christ-the Church) must speak it. The church must rise up and have dominion over the evil in the world by speaking God's word in faith. The Believer has authority on Earth. Spoken words program your spirit either to success or defeat. Words are con-

Wedding



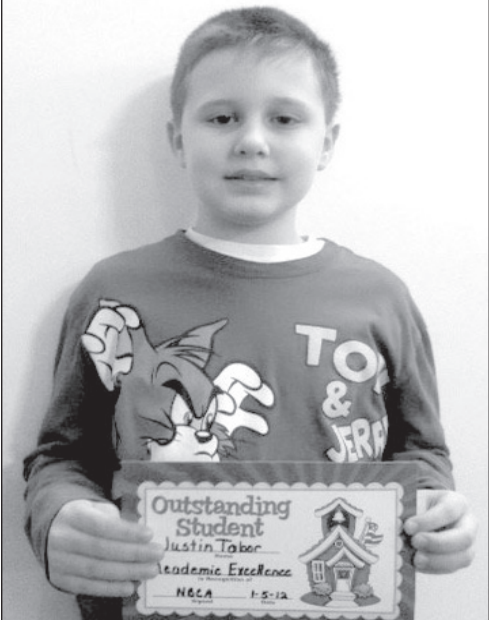
Burke Cameron Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burke of Inverness, Florida are pleased to announce the marriage of their daughter, Christina, to Bruce Cameron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cameron of Tampa, Florida. Christina is the granddaughter of John Wallace and the late Jeanette Wallace of Carlisle. The wedding ceremony was officiated by the Reverend David R. Smith and was held at the Bayshore United Methodist Church in Tampa on September 16, 2011 at 5:30 in the afternoon. A reception followed on the Yacht Starship, which cruised through the channels leading to Tampa Bay.

The bride was escorted by her father and given away by her parents. The bride wore a strapless, corset-back white satin dress and carried a hand-tied bouquet of white and ivory roses. The matrons of honor were Andrea Hughes, sister of the bride; and Georgia North, friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were Elizabeth Cameron, sister of the groom; and Carissa Larkin, friend of the bride. The bridal party wore floor-length navy blue dresses and carried bouquets of eggplant calla lilies and black magic, hot pink and red roses. The best man was Chris Dwyer, the groom's childhood friend from Tampa. Groomsmen were Timothy Vaughan of Jacksonville, David Osteen of Myakka City, FL; and Ty DeMeza of Tampa. The flower girls were Madelynn and Makenzie Burke, nieces of the bride, from Tampa. A selection of scripture was read by Jeanine Bedell, a friend of the bride. Music was provided by Steven Andrews, who played a selection of traditional Irish and Scottish music on the bagpipes.

The bride is a 2001 graduate of Citrus High School and a 2004 graduate of the University of South Florida. She is now employed at the university and is working toward her Master's degree in mass communications. The groom is a 2000 graduate of Chamberlain High School in Tampa. After completing four years of honorable service in the Marine Corps, he was discharged as a sergeant and is now employed by the Tampa Port Authority. The couple honeymooned in Italy and reside in Tampa.

Students of the week at NBCA



Photos Submitted

Nominated this week for student of the week from New Beginnings Christian Academy is: Left, Lilee Stone was nominated for academic excellence in the classroom. As a preschool student she has progressed to a kindergarten level in reading and is advanced in all other areas as well. Lilee is the daughter of Brad and Shellie Stone. Also nominated this week is, Right, Justin Tabor was nominated for academic excellence in the classroom. His grades and progress reflect his attention and desire to learn. Justin is in the first grade at NBCA and the son of Jonathan and April Tabor.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

January 12th @ 7pm
Robertson County FRYSC Advisory Council Meeting at the Family Resource Center

January 13th @ 12:00 noon
Chamber of Commerce Brown Bag Forum at the Neal Building. The featured speaker at this month's forum will be Calvin Denton who will talk to us about the County's Emergency Management Program. The Forum is open to anyone. Feel free to join us.

January 17th @ 6:30
Robertson County Board of Education Meeting at the board office

January 17th @ 6:30
The Nicholas County Democratic Woman's Club will meet at the courthouse and the Executive Committee will follow.

Doxology Singers to perform at Millersburg Methodist Church

Doxology will once again be performing for the 5th Sunday night program, Jan. 29th at 6pm at the Millersburg United Methodist Church. The group have been performing for a number of years and has been at this church a number of times, always by popular demand, as their music is so enjoyable.

Mark your calendar for Sunday evening Jan. 29th to come, hear this entertaining group. We as a church family look forward to seeing you there. Remember, Sunday evening Jan. 29th, 6pm.

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.

Ann Brierly appointed new City Clerk

By Brad Ballinger
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A familiar face now holds a new position in the city office following Monday's City Council meeting. Members of the Council voted unanimously to approve Ann Brierly as the new City Clerk. Ann has been employed by the city for twenty-one years come this March.

She graduated from Nicholas County High School and has been here in Nicholas County her whole life.

Ann comes from a big family, she has two daughters, Crystal Jeffer-

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 Landfill Committee

Nicholas County Landfill Committee meets the fourth Wednesday of each month at 1:00 p.m. at the landfill.

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.

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.

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 Shroust 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 7:00 pm. at New Beginnings Church. For more info call Greg Spivey 859-227-1319. Toni Spivey 859-473-0899.

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 education 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 Culbertson 866-75WEDCO or 859-298-4899.

NA & AA

NA meeting Thursday nights from 7:00p.m.till 8:00p.m. Joe Bernardonni contact phone number 606-842-0448.

AA meetings Friday nights from 8:oop.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.

Animal Control Committee

Animal Control Committee meets the first Friday of every month 8:30 a.m. at the Court house.

Personal Development

Are you tired of getting interviewed but never landing the job?

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This is YOUR Community Calendar

If you have a community announcement, please call 859-289-6425 to have it added to the calendar, or email your submission to melissa@kynewsgroup.com

son, who lives in Camp-ton and is getting ready to graduate as an RN and Rebecca Donahue, who is the owner of Rebecca's Cut Above.

She also has three grandchildren, Dalton Hunt, Andrew Donahue, and Kendra Sparks. Dalton attends school in Wolfe County while Andrew and Kendra attend school here in Nicholas County.

Carlisle Mayor Kevin Booth said, "I look forward to working with her (Brierly) She brings twenty plus years experience. She is a great asset to this city and is very knowledgeable."

Brierly said, I want to



Photo by Brad Ballinger

Ann Brierly is busy working as she takes on her new role as the New City Clerk of Carlisle. Brierly has served the community for almost twenty-one years.

thank each and every member of the City Council and the Mayor, plus every citizen of Carlisle. I will do my best to take care of all of you and all

of the citizens. The City Office is always open to questions or comments. Stop by any time and we will take care of you any way that we can."

Scott Johnson becomes Carlisle Police Officer

By Brad Ballinger
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Scott Johnson of Mt. Olivet was hired as a new police officer at the Carlisle Police Department.

Johnson is a graduate of Mason County High School.

He attended Cincinnati Bible College where he played baseball and soccer.

He was introduced at the City Council meeting on Monday when the members of the council welcomed him to the community.

Carlisle Mayor Kevin Booth said, "I feel



Photo by Brad Ballinger

Pictured above are Officer Scott Johnson and Mayor Kevin Booth. Johnson is the newest member to join the Carlisle Police Department.

that Johnson will be a great asset to the city. He comes with great credentials from the Flemings-

burg Sheriff's Department. Sheriff Royce gave him high remarks."

Johnson is married and

has two children. He attended the academy in Richmond Kentucky.

Johnson said, "I am happy to be serving the citizens of Carlisle. I play by the book and stay that way."

Carlisle Police Chief Darrell Layne said, "I am glad to have Johnson on board. I think he will be a great asset."

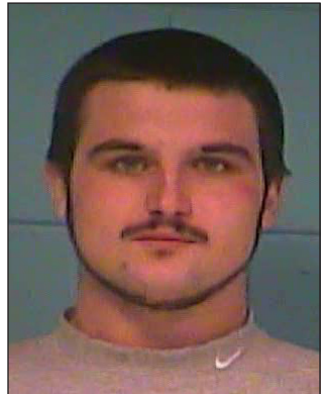
Sheriff Sidles solves another theft

By Charles Mattox
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Nicholas County Sheriff Jeff Sidles has helped crack the case of a regional trailer theft ring and charged a Fleming County man with two counts of theft.

Ricky Jolley, 20, of Ewing, was arrested Jan 2 and charged with two counts of theft by unlawful taking.

Sheriff Sidles said that the charges are related to the thefts of two Nicholas County farm trailers, both of which have been



Ricky Jolley

recovered. One of the trailers was taken in November and one was taken in October. Jolley has been linked to both trailers.

Jolly was also recently charged in Bourbon County with theft related to stolen trailers and was indicted by members of a Fleming County Grand Jury Friday, along with his father, Ricky Jolly Sr., 47, also of Ewing. The father and son were charged with one count each of relieving stolen property in Fleming County with the elder Jolly being additional indicted on the charge of persistent felony offender, 2nd degree.

Local law enforcement officers say as many as

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SPORTS

Lady Jackets battle back, beat Model

CARLISLE – The Nicholas County High School girls' basketball team was victorious in its 2012 debut on Tuesday (Jan. 3), edging visiting Model 48-45. Nicholas County returned to the court following a long layoff that stretched back to Dec. 22. The Lady Jackets claimed their second straight win. Winning in come-from-

behind fashion, Nicholas County overcame an 18-point halftime deficit. "This was our first game back after a long Christmas break and it was obvious in the first half because we were sluggish and slow to start, trailing by 21 at one point and 18 at halftime," Nicholas County Coach Erin Walker commented. "However,

our girls were able to battle and fight back to win the game by three in the closing seconds." The win over St. Patrick was Nicholas County's biggest comeback victory to date this season. The Lady Jackets were determined to win and fought back late in the contest. Nicholas County was

19-of-51 (37.3 percent) from the field. The Lady Jackets were 8-of-18 from the free throw line. Megan Bretz led Nicholas County with 15 points. Grace Kiskaden accompanied Bretz in double figures, adding 11 points for the Lady Jackets. Two other Nicholas County players finished one shot short of reach-

ing double figures. Shelby Wade netted nine points and Elizabeth Johnson added eight for the Lady Jackets. Trina Hughes and Robyn Cohorn rounded out the Nicholas County scoring with three and two points, respectively. Johnson and Wade led Nicholas County on the boards, registering six re-

bounds apiece. Bretz and Cohorn chipped in three rebounds apiece for the Lady Jackets. Reeling Model suffered its eight consecutive loss. Nicholas County and Model are not scheduled to meet again this season.

Lady Jackets hold off Deming. 43-41

MOUNT OLIVET – The Nicholas Lady Jackets moved to 2-1 in the 38th District on Friday following a hard-fought 43-41 win over Deming on the road. Nicholas County improved to 8-6 after posting the win. Deming dropped to 3-9 as a result of the loss. Shelby Wade and Megan Bretz combined to score 23 points for the Lady Jackets. Wade netted 12 points and Bretz chipped in with 11 for Nicholas County in the district triumph. The Lady Jackets completed a regular-season sweep of Deming. Earli-

er in the season, Nicholas County defeated Deming 59-49 in a game played Dec. 16. "We had a long week with some tough games and the Deming game was no different," Nicholas County Coach Erin Walker commented. "We knew they would be fired up after we beat them the first time. Deming is also a very hard place to play, as the gym is always hot and the rims aren't forgiving. Neither of those were any different for this game. The girls played very hard, fought through some adversity and didn't give up. We played team ball

and had balanced scoring. We made a few mistakes defensively to let Deming back into the game near the end of the fourth quarter, but Shelby Wade was able to hit three-of-four free throws when it mattered most. Elizabeth Johnson was also six-of-six from the free throw line, two of which were technical free throws." The first-year Nicholas County High School girls' basketball coach is pleased with her team's progress. "This team has come a long way this season, and should continue to grow as we are getting Shan-

non Bretz and Reesa Martin back this week," Walker added. "I am excited to see how this team plays with the end of season approaching us." Each 38th District team dominated a quarter in the opening half. Starting strong, Nicholas County outscored Deming 14-4 in the first quarter. But Deming owned the second quarter, out-

scoring the Lady Jackets 15-5 to send the contest into halftime tied 19-19. Nicholas County limited Deming to six points in the third quarter and took a 30-25 lead into the final period. Elizabeth Johnson registered eight points while Robyn Cohorn and Grace Kiskaden chipped in six apiece for Nicholas County in the district win.

Senior Kelsey Carmack paced Deming with a game-high 13 points. Carmack was one of two Deming players to reach double figures. Another senior, Jessica Mitchell, added 12 points for the Lady Devils. Deming, which slipped back into the loss column following a nine-point win

See Lady Page 9

Nicholas Co. Bluejackets drop home game to Paris

CARLISLE – Visiting Paris dealt Nicholas County its second straight loss on Friday, defeating the Bluejackets 63-51.

Nicholas County (51): Sexton 9, Smith 12, J. Fryman 2, Bussell 10, Allison 2, Howard 2, L. Fryman 2, Keaton 8, Duncan

4. Paris.....15 21 17 10-63 Nicholas County...9 15 11 16-51

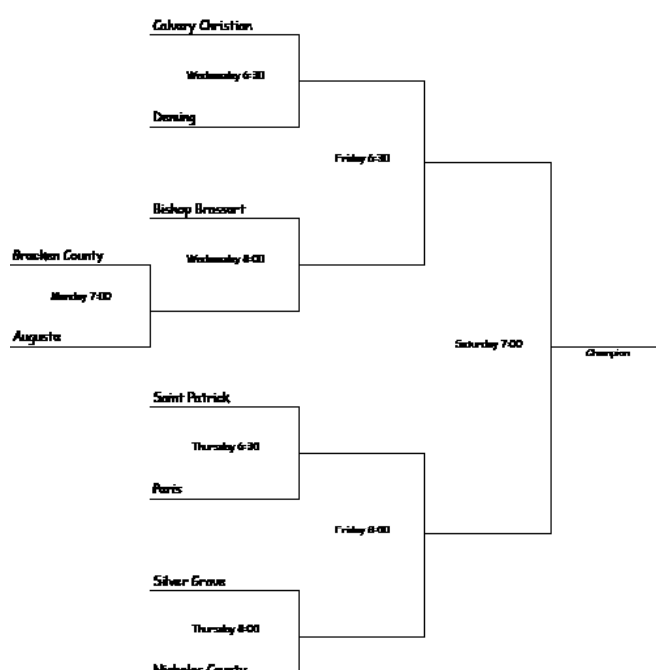


Photo by Shania Mitchell

Pictured above and below: Nicholas County played hard but ended up losing to Paris with a final score of 63-51 at Nicholas County.

Senior forward Aaron Jacobs poured in a game-high 30 points to pace Paris past the Jackets. Jacobs was one of only two Paris players to reach double figures. Junior forward Nathaniel Stevens added 10 points for the Greyhounds.

10th region Girls Tournament January 9 - January 14, 2012 at Nicholas County High School



Nicholas County High School Girls' Basketball 2011-12 Schedule/Results

Nov. 28	at Fleming County, 47-77 (L)
Dec. 1	Madison Southern, 63-62 (W)
Dec. 3	at Menifee County, 49-57 (L)
Dec. 6	at Bath County, 54-49 (W)
Dec. 9	at Harrison County, 37-50 (L)
Dec. 10	at Powell County, 29-60 (L)
Dec. 12	East Jessamine, 58-34 (W)
Dec. 16	Deming, 59-49 (W)
Dec. 20	West Jessamine, 49-39 (W)
Dec. 21	Lewis County, 41-46 (L)
Dec. 22	at Augusta, 55-41 (W)
Jan. 3	Model, 48-45 (W)
Jan. 4	at St. Patrick, 50-60 (L)
Jan. 6	at Deming, 43-41 (W)
Jan. 7	Tates Creek, 35-56 (L)
(MLK Classic at Paul Laurence Dunbar)	
Jan. 12	Silver Grove, 8 p.m.
(10th Region All "A" Classic)	
Jan. 17	at Bourbon County, 7:30 p.m.
Jan. 20	at Garrard County, 7:30 p.m.
Jan. 21	Pendleton County, 7:30 p.m.
Jan. 23	Paris, 7:30 p.m.
Jan. 24	Mason County, 7:30 p.m.
Jan. 28	TBA
Jan. 31	at Berea, 7:30 p.m.
Feb. 3	Harrison County, 6 p.m.
Feb. 6	at Sayre, 6 p.m.
Feb. 7	at Bracken County, 6 p.m.
Feb. 10	Bourbon County, 6 p.m.
Feb. 11	Washington County, 10 a.m.
Feb. 13	Rowan County, 7:30 p.m.
Feb. 17	Frankfort, 7:30 p.m.
(Schedule subject to change.)	

Paris owned a lead at the end of each quarter. The Greyhounds outscored Nicholas County 15-9 in the opening quarter and led 36-24 at halftime. Paris owned a 53-35 lead at the end of the third quarter.

With the win, Paris broke a nine-game losing streak and improved to 4-11. The Greyhounds had followed an 0-4 showing in the iHigh Fayette County Invitational up with a 48-72 loss to pre-season 10th Region favorite Montgomery County.

Junior forward Ethan Smith led a diverse Nicholas County scoring attack with 12 points. Smith was one of two Nicholas County scorers to reach double figures. Senior guard Jordan Bussell joined Smith in double figures, adding 10 points for the Jackets.

Freshman guard Landon Sexton scored nine points and sophomore center Scott Keaton contributed eight for the Nicholas County boys' basketball team.

Ben Duncan had four points while Jacob Fryman, Austin Allison, Zack Howard and Logan Fryman added two apiece for Nicholas County (3-13) in the loss.

The Jackets, under the direction of first-year head coach Kevin Reinhardt, gave a strong push late.

Nicholas County outscored Paris 16-10 in the fourth quarter.

The Jackets are not scheduled to meet Paris again during the current regular-season.



Nicholas ladies drop road game at St. Patrick

MAYSVILLE – The Nicholas County Lady Jackets remained out of 38th District competition on Wednesday (Jan. 4), facing St. Patrick in a road game. Host St. Patrick thrived offensively and managed to fend off Nicholas County, defeating the Lady Jackets 60-50.

Senior guard Allison Tolle paced St. Patrick with 17 points. Tolle drained three three-pointers for the Lady Saints. Junior guard/forward Mckayla Likins scored 14 points and pulled down a game-high 17 rebounds for the Lady Saints. Senior guard Chelsea Douglas, another steady per-

former, added 12 points for St. Patrick in the winning effort. St. Patrick bounced back into the win column after compiling a 1-3 record in the Mercer Titan Clash, a holiday tournament held after Christmas. The Lady Saints, thanks to the win over Nicholas County, snapped a three-game losing streak.

St. Patrick outscored Nicholas County 27-17 in the opening quarter and led 39-22 at intermission. "We were still a little rusty from the break," Nicholas County Coach Erin Walker confided. "Our biggest issues were

that we couldn't score and it seemed like St. Patrick hit everything they put up. We dug ourselves a hole in the first half again, but this time St. Pat, a good caliber team, wasn't going to allow us to make a comeback in order to win. Our girls never gave up even though they faced adversity, a trend that seems to be occurring in a lot of our games. That is something that comes from within, not something that is taught. We are looking forward to a rematch against St. Patrick in the Class 'A' if we are able to beat Silver Grove in our first round game."

See St. Patrick Page 9

Nicholas County Cheerleaders to host 10th Region competition

Nicholas County was elected as the host site for the 2012 KAPOS 10th Region Cheerleading Competition.

The Nicholas County cheerleading squad will be competing in this event. There are 30 girls on the team this year, putting them in the super-large division. They will compete against Bracken and Bourbon. There are several different divisions in the competition: small (4-12 members), medium (13-16 members), large (17-20 members),

super-large (21-30), traditional (separate cheer and dance) and small co-ed (1-4 male team members). The following schools will be competing: Deming, Pendleton Co, Campbell Co, Harrison co, Montgomery co, Scott High School, GRC, Bourbon co, Mason co, Bishop Brossart, and Nicholas co.

"This competition means a great deal to our cheerleaders and coaches. Being the host school is something we have always wanted! We are

very eager and excited! We are hoping that our community will come out and support us! The girls have worked so hard to prepare for this! We are so excited to host this event, as we will be able to show off our beautiful, new facility and our wonderful hospitality! ", stated cheerleading coach Jessica Letcher.

The competition is on Sunday, January 22 at 2:00! There will be several vendors, concessions, and lots of entertainment.

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"His runs for office prove he was willing to do more than just argue about the best direction for the state - he was willing to serve, and was keenly interested in discussing issues directly with our citizens. He will be missed."

Senator Mitch McConnell said this.

"I am saddened to hear of the passing of Gatewood Galbraith. He was a truly memorable character who loved our state and its people. Elaine and I send our condolences to his family."

Though Gatewood's impact was felt in the highest throngs of American government, he was a very down-to-earth man and was approachable by everyone in all walks of life.

Others agreed, including Nicholas Circuit Judge, Honorable Jay Delaney. "He was extremely knowledgeable of the law and he was a true gentleman in and out of the courtroom." Others who worked closely with Galbraith also shared their perspective. "He was honest," said Sandye Watkins, Nicholas County Circuit Clerk. "He was a great speaker and a very interesting person."

"I loved him," said Pam Lowe, Fleming County Circuit Clerk. Lowe has worked in the Fleming County Circuit Clerk's office for three decades. "Gatewood was very intelligent. He was a good man and one of the smartest attorneys I've ever seen."

"Gatewood was an effective advocate for his positions," 19th District Circuit Court Judge Stockton Wood said. "He and he did a very good job of representing his clients. He will be remembered and sadly missed by everyone he came in contact with."

Judge Wood also commented to Gatewood's gentleman-like behavior as was noted earlier by Judge Delaney. Governor Steve Beshear expressed his grief over Gatewood's passing. "Jane and I were shocked and saddened to

One of his last visits to his home county of Nicholas was spent in the small bar that sits near the Fleming-Nicholas border called the Gyp Joint.

"He was totally at ease and laughed and smiled with everyone and introduced himself to everyone and spoke with everyone," Owner Rick Gray said. "Before he left he went around to every single person and said goodbye and he called everyone by name. He had memorized everyone's name that quickly."

Galbraith stood firmly and defiantly in the face of what he characterized as oppression and tyranny. He fought tirelessly for the benefit of those he felt were victimized by law enforcement, and big government.

He was 64 years old.

Bread

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tainers, they carry faith or fear and they produce after their kind. If we will begin to establish His word on this Earth then thank God! We'll rise to a new level of faith. We will walk in the level of faith where we release the ability of God by the words of our mouth.

1st John 2:6 He that saith he abideth in Him

ought himself also to walk, even as He walked, when the church gets the revelation that we are the Body of Christ, we'll rise up and do the works of Christ. When we realize that the authority that belongs to Christ is for the whole Body of Christ.

John 14:12 verily, verily I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father.

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Hon. Charles W. Kuster, Jr.

Ratliff, David K., no/ expired Kentucky registration receipt, no/ expired registration plates, failure to notify address change to dept of transp, dismissed, operation on suspended/revoked operators license, am moc no ops in possession, guilty plea, \$50 & costs, failure to surrender revoked operators license, dismissed.

Estate of: Roberts, Mary Ellen Bean, re 3/7.

Estate of: Craig, Anna Elizabeth, pass to 2-1-2012.

Estate of: Ring, Clark Delbert, sc fiduciary by ops for 2/1.

Estate of: Scott, Willa Mae, will admitted, order entered, bond approved, but not to be released until signed by both co-executors.

Estate of: Snapp, Betty G., order entered, dispended.

Estate of: Wilson, Margie Hamm, motion granted order entered & bond approved.

Stoker, Brandon L., reckless driving, guilty plea, sts & costs, sch 2/8.

Abnee, Jenna Kaye, in rehab review 3/7.

Adams, Courtney M., fraudulent use of credit card u/\$10,000, receiving stolen property u/\$10,000, bonded to 1/11/2012.

Black, John A., speeding 15 mph over limit, paid.

Caldwell, Elizabeth, burglary, 2nd degree, pd/

ng/ph 2/1.

Cobb, Diana, theft by deception-include cold checks u/\$500, rest pd in full sc/fees 2/1.

Cobb, Diana, theft by deception-include cold checks, u/\$500, rest paid in full, sc/fees 2/1.

Earlywine, Danny, apply bond to f&c & remand.

Farrow, Jeff, assault 4th degree domestic violence minor injury, dm moc @ req of victim, c/o no contact w/victim.

Finegan, Scott Anthony, failure to have a signaling device when, operating vehicle with expired operators license, cont 3/7.

French, Samantha M., operate mv u/inful of alc/ drugs w/.08, aggravator, 1st off, guilty plea, \$200, sf, cc, ade, 120 days dls (surrender today) & 7 days-weekend service auth'd @ def's request, possess open alcohol beverage container in a motor vehicle, merge, sch 2/8.

Frye, Tashana Gaye, criminal abuse 1st degree, pd/ng/ph 1/25, def to report for monitoring to ca on 1/5, w/bond as set.

Fryman, Logan M., 3 counts of theft by deception-include cold checks u/\$500, paying restitution, re 2/1.

Fryman, Nicholas, poss cont sub, 2nd degree-drug unspecified, controlled substance prescription not in orig container 1st, comm. motion to revoke bond granted set for hiring, 1/11.

Fryman, Nicholas, speeding 18 mph over

limit, failure to produce insurance card, improper equipment, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, am moc no ops in possession, cfa to 1/11.

Hunt, David M., theft of services, pd/ng/ph 2/8.

Hunt, David Mat, 4 counts of theft by deception-include cold checks u/\$500, pay \$100, cfa 2/8, cont to pay \$100 per month.

Hunt, Jenna B., OBS theft by deception-incl cold checks under \$300, sc mail 2/1.

Jolly, Donald R., 2 counts of endangering the welfare of a minor, cab involved dm moc on paymet of court costs, sch 2/8.

Jolly, Pamela L., 2 counts of endangering the welfare of a minor, working w/cab hfs, moc on pymt cc sch 2/8.

McGlothlin, Michael, theft by deception-include cold checks u/\$500, paying rest cont 2/8.

Moore, James W., wanton endangerment 1st degree, disorderly conduct 2nd degree, pass to 1/11.

Peters, Ruth A., operate mv under/influ alc/ drugs, .08, aggravator, 2nd off, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security 1st, bw \$1000.

Shuway, Jeffrey T., failure to produce insurance card, guilty plea, \$100 & c, sch 2/8.

Tipton, Kimberly F., burglary, 2nd degree, pd/ng/ph 2/1.

Watkins, George A Jr., failure to wear seat belts, driving on dui suspended license 1st offense, am

prob 2 yr c/o no drive w/0 dl, careless driving, gp, 25, sch 2/8.

Willoughby, Timothy, theft by deception include cold checks u/\$500, gp \$50 & c, 90 days prob 2 yrs c/o no similar offenses, 4 counts of theft by deception-include cold checks u/\$500, gp, 90 prob, same conditions, sch 2/8.

Lawson, Jamie Nicole, bonded, for 1/18, sc def 1/25.

McLean, Rondall B., receiving stolen property u/\$10,000, pd/ng/ph 1-11, bond \$1000/10% w/mcr & monitoring report if bonds on 1/5.

Payne, Roy, serving pay or stay concurrent.

Payne, Roy Joh, serving p or s concurrent.

Payne, Roy Joh, receiving stolen property u/\$500, 2 counts of receiving stolen property u/\$10,000, pd/ng/ph 1/11, bond to review @ \$5000 bail credit request defense.

Rodrigues, Ricardo, failure to wear seat belts, gp \$25, possess open alcohol beverage container in a motor vehicle, dm, op mv under/influence of alcohol/drugs, etc. .08 1st off, cfa 200, sf, cc, ade, 90 day dls, on 1/11, no operators/moped license, gp, 30/5 day to serve credit 5, bal prob c/o 2 yrs, c/o no similar offenses, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security 1st, gp 500 & c.

Vargas, Jaime M., no operators/moped license, gp 100 & c, 30/3 (cr. 3), bal

sible resolution, ptc 2/1.

Poe, Michael A., OBS receiving stolen property over \$300, rev. 2/29.

Poe, Michael A., OBS robbery 1st degree residence gun, OBS use/possess drug paraphernalia, 1st offense, rev. 2/29.

Poe, Michael A., review.

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Smith, Silas R., op mv under/influence of alcohol/drugs etc. .08 1st off, leaving scene of accident/ failure to render aid or assistanc, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security 1st, JT as previously set, proposed jury on Weds.

Torres, Humberto, speeding 14 mph over limit, OBS no insurance 1st offense, OBS no operators license, OBS operating mv u/influence of intox bev 1st off, representing as ones own anothers oper lic, giving officer false name or address, fta/bw issued \$1000, jt vacted.

Earlywine, Eric Brandon, contempt of court, paying today por in full sch 2/8.

McCarty, Jamie Lane, flagrant non support, re 1/25.

Nesbit, Aaron, robbery, 1st degree, bond am to 5000/10% w/corrossoft monitoring (def to contact ca upon release) waived to GJ.

Sams, Perry, receiving stolen property u/\$10,000, ptc 2/1.

Shields, Rodney Allen-Bash, receiving stolen property u/\$10,000, victim

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consents to resolution.

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Hon. Charles W. Kuster, Jr. Martin, Roy, receiving stolen property u/\$10,000, pd/ng/ph-1/25.

Brady, Jeffery Allan, bon to be applied to fines & costs & restitution re: 1/25.

Estate of: Fryman, Lowell D. Jr., order entered.

In re: Jolly, Braydon Chase, order entered.

Farah, Licha, etal vs. Duncan, William, etal, continued to 1/25/2012.

Uptegraft, Sherry vs. Fryman, Nick, continued to 1/18.

Security Credit Services, LLC vs. Mattox, Rita, order entered.

French, Samantha M., oper motor vehicle u/influ alcohol <21 yoa, possess open alcohol beverage container in a motor vehicle, cfa/possible plea-1/4.

Thomas, Marsha, show cause deferred/installment payment, sch 1/25.

Thomas, Marsha, show cause deferred/installment payment, sch 1/25.

Fearis, John C., speeding 15 mph over limit, guilty plea \$30 & costs pay \$100 today, sch 2/29.

Peters, Charles E. Jr., alcohol intoxication in a public place 1st & 2nd, sc/so 1/25.

Sokolwski, Joseph, speeding 10 mph over limit, fta.

Warmouth, Susan R., disregarding traffic control device traffic light, guilty plea, \$25 & costs sch 1/11.

Allison, Hammonds, OBS theft by deception incl cold checks under \$300, cfa 1/25.

Sidles

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12 stolen trailers may be linked to one or both of the Jollys.

Sheriff Sidles has remained extremely vigilant since taking office only a few months ago and has recovered vast amounts of stolen property in recent weeks.

He continues to praise the assistance of the good people of Nicholas County who have been watchful of neighbor's property and have been reporting suspicious activity.

Sheriff Sidles continues to recover stolen items taken from Carpenter Road, Cassidy Creek and Scrubgrass Road, charging Michael Puckett, 30 of Headquarters Trailer Park, with receiving stolen property.

"I couldn't have recovered the stolen items without the good help of concerned citizens," Sidles said. "And I am also very grateful for my wonderful office help. The professional help in the sheriff's office allows me more time to spend out in the community responding to the needs of the people."

Pastor

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all. If we claim to have fellowship with [God] yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do not live by the truth." (1 John 1:5, 6)

Or, if that wasn't plain enough, consider this:

"If anyone considers himself religious and yet does not keep a tight rein on his tongue, he deceives himself and his religion is worthless." (James 1:26)

If you haven't done it for a while, the start of a new year is a wonderful time to review the Sermon on the Mount, found in Matthew, chapters 5 through 7. Here, Jesus teaches His followers what kind

of people we ought to be, using terms like: meek, merciful, pure in heart, peacemakers, hungering and thirsting after righteousness. Instead of getting even, He teaches us to "turn the other cheek," to love our enemies, to bless those who curse us, and to do good to those who hate us.

You may be wondering, "But aren't we saved by grace? If I have accepted Jesus as my Savior, haven't I been saved? Then why all this talk about changing the way I live my life and the things I do?" After all, the Bible also says, "If you confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved." (Romans 10:9)

The key phrase here is "believe in your heart." To believe in your heart - to the very core of your being - implies something much more than simply speaking the words. Jesus asked in Luke 6:42 "Why do you call me, 'Lord, Lord,' and do not do what I say?" and in John 14:15, "If you love me, you will keep my commandments." The first and greatest commandment is to love the Lord with all our heart, soul and mind - which means we will keep his commandments with all our heart, soul and mind.

May we all use the start of this New Year to recommit ourselves to not just talking the Christian talk, but to walking the Christian walk. May our love for the Savior reflect in the things we do and the words we say - every day of the year.

Crocketts

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are available right here locally to the citizens of Carlisle. Even though the vendors have been great to Sparks, he is still going to going to squeeze them for every penny he can so that he can pass the savings on to the customers. He stated that they look hard for the best deals. And when it comes to local, Sparks says that is what IGA is. "We are

a hometown company, and we are going to stay that way. We have a good bunch of local employees. The Crocketts were always involved in the community and I plan on keeping that same level of involvement. I hope to earn the customers trust by showing them how hard I am working for them," Sparks said.

Sparks stated that three of the things they were going to work on were cleaning, pricing, and preventing the running out of items. He stated that most of the feedback has been positive but that there is always room for improvement. One of the first things that customers will begin to notice is the cleanliness. Sparks plans to have the place cleaned and painted if necessary from top to bottom, starting on the roof with the ventilation system, going through each shelf, power washing the parking lot, and even adding cigarette receptacles in front of the building. He said, "I want the store to be a model of what a store should be. We are not shooting for a 94 or 95 from the health inspector, we want to be the best, and that is what we are shooting for.

As for the pricing he stated that they are vigorously pressing the vendors as well as negotiating with new vendors to get prices as low as possible for customers and to get new items to be available for purchase. He asked that if the customers wanted something to be available in the store that they ask and he will try to get those products. Some of those new products will include UK apparel and hunting supplies, just to name a few.

Sparks said, "We are going to do our best to be competitive with the big chain stores and even beat them when possible. I want the people of Carlisle to be able to shop in Carlisle."

Another thing that they are going to work on is trying to prevent sold out items, most of the time this is due to a warehouse being depleted or a miscommunication. The large chain stores usual-

ly are located in big cities, and near interstates. This gives them the advantage of being able to have trucks deliver every day. Carlisle is a decent distance from any major hub which limits the amount of truck deliveries to two or so per week. To maintain products on the shelf requires careful ordering, as there is a fine line between having the correct amount and risking spoilage by having too much. Too much spoilage will drive the prices up and that is something that Sparks wants to make sure doesn't happen.

IGA is one of the largest private employers in Nicholas County with approximately forty employees.

During the cleaning period Sparks asks that everyone pardon the mess as it is a work in progress. He also said that he will be there everyday to oversee the day to day operations of the store and that he will listen to the community. "This is your hometown IGA and I want it to be everything that it can for the great citizens of this community

St. Patrick

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Nicholas County played much better in the second half, outscoring St. Patrick 28-21 after halftime.

Seventh-grader Grace Kiskaden paced Nicholas County with 15 points. Megan Bretz joined Kiskaden in double figures, adding 11 points for the Nicholas County in the loss.

Narrowly missing double figures, Shelby Wade netted nine points for the Lady Jackets.

Elizabeth Johnson, Autumn Martin and Shelby Watkins rounded out the Nicholas County scoring with four, three and two points, respectively.

Nicholas County connected on five three-pointers. Kiskaden canned three of Nicholas County's five three-point field goals.

The Lady Jackets shot 37.5 percent (21-of-56) from the field in the loss.

Bretz and Johnson had six rebounds apiece for

the Lady Jackets.

St. Patrick 60, Nicholas County 50

Nicholas County (50): Wade 9, Cohorn 6, Johnson 4, Bretz 11, Kiskaden 15, Watkins 2, Martin 3.

St. Patrick (60): McKay 9, Likins 14, Ring 6, Tolle 17, Douglas 12, Anderson 2.

Nicholas County.....17
5 14 14-50

St. Patrick.....27
12 11 10-60

Lady

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over Augusta two days earlier, also featured five

different scorers.

Freshman Lacey Mitchell had seven points, junior Krista Smithers five and seventh-grade guard Aletha Thomas four in Deming's district setback.

Nicholas County 43, Deming 41

Nicholas County (43): Wade 12, Bretz 11, Cohorn 6, Johnson 8, Kiskaden 6.

Deming (41): J. Mitchell 12, Carmack 13, Smithers 5, L. Mitchell 7, Thomas 4.

Nicholas County.....14
5 11 13-43

Deming.....4
15 6 16-41

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 Harley Bates, Caleb Covington, Bryce Toadvine, Tyler Feedback, Madison Caudill, Abigail Hunter, Austin Watkins
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 Dylan Carson, James Edwards, Sheridan Jones, Logan Parton, Johnya McFarland, Lauren McFarland, Alyssa Watkins, Andrew Watkins, Devyn Whirls
 Mrs. Sims' 6th Grade Honor Roll
 Katie Carter, Jennifer Cook, Desaray Earlywine, Emily Earlywine, Kyra Fryman, Isaiah Gaunce, Autumn Jones, Kenzie Lenox, Zane Markel, Ryan McFarland, Katie Newby, Austin Willoughby
 Super Honor Roll
 Alexia Buchanan, Dammion Crawford
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Keeli Hughes, Jenna Ishmael, Dustin Liver, Haylee Murray, Courtney Sibert, Hunter Wells, Honor Roll
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 Honor Roll
 Dakota Crowe, Philip Reynosa, Kaven Smith, Dakota White
 Super Honor Roll
 Brianna Barnett, Abigail Bearden, Katie Jefferson, Isaac Moseley, Isaac Sexton, Daniel Wiggins



Photo by Petrea Mitchell

Pictured above and below are members of the 1992 Basketball game were honored during the half time festivities of the Nicholas County game.



Photo by Brad Ballinger

Allen Watts County Ranger for Nicholas County is shown presenting Nicholas County Judge Executive Kenneth Lyons with a check for \$416.31 from the Kentucky Division of Forestry. The Check is for Forrest Fire Suppression.

Deming School second nine weeks Honor Roll

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 High School
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 Grade 8:
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 Grade 9:
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Mitchell, Samantha Werner*
 Grade 10:
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 Grade 11:
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 Grade 12:
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 An asterisk (*) denotes all A's.

Terrell murder trial delayed

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cuit Court for a man who police say murdered his own mother.

A pending murder trial was cancelled during a pre-trial conference held Jan. 5 in Nicholas Cir-

cuit Court for a man who police say murdered his own mother. Samuel Terrell, 20, of Carlisle, appeared in court from the Bourbon County Regional Jail before Nicholas Circuit

Court Judge, Honorable Jay Delaney.

Terrell's attorney was the late Gatewood Galbraith.

Judge Delaney cancelled Terrell's pending February trial date and set the next court appearance for Terrell on Feb. 6 for another pre-trial conference.

Mark Terrell, Samuel's father, was present in the courtroom and approached the bench when his son's name was called.

Father and son spoke briefly before the bench and were joined by Commonwealth Attorney Doug Miller and Assistant Commonwealth Attorney Michael Laws. Samuel Terrell and Mark Terrell embraced momentarily just before Samuel Terrell was led from the bench and returned to his seating area. Mark Terrell then immediately walked from the courtroom.

Police say Samuel Terrell murdered his mother Betty Jo Terrell in the early morning hours of May 13.

Carlisle emergency responders arrived at the home of Mrs. Terrell, which she shared with her son, at Lester Apartments at the intersection of South Locust and Main Street in downtown Carlisle.

Mrs. Terrell was transported to the Nicholas County Hospital where she was later pronounced dead.

Terrell was charged with murder, criminal mischief, 3rd degree, and terroristic threatening. Members of a Nicholas County Grand Jury returned a murder indictment against Terrell on May 23.

One of the last statements the late Gatewood Galbraith said to The Mercury regarding his client was, "My official stance right now is that Mr. Terrell did not do this."

Thank You

The family of Clarence E. Walton would like to express their sincere thanks to all who sent food, flowers, cards, donations, called or visited us during the loss of our loved one. We would like to thank everyone that had us in their thoughts and prayers as well. We would also like to send a special thank you to Clark Funeral Home for the beautiful job they done with our loved one, and the service and support they gave us. We would like to thank the Masons for the Masonic rites they performed. Clarence really loved the Masons and was dedicated to them. A special thanks to Brother Alvin Ecklar and Brother Wayne Tolson for the touching service. We would like to thank the VFW for their participation in the funeral at Camp Nelson. Thank you also to Camp Nelson for the beautiful service, and to the soldiers who participated in it as well.

You do not know how much it meant to all of us for anything and everything you have done. God Bless Everyone!

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