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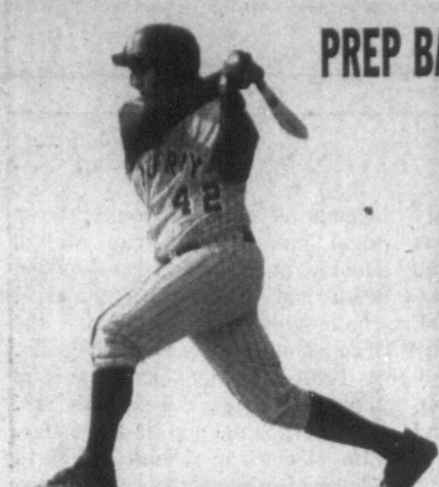
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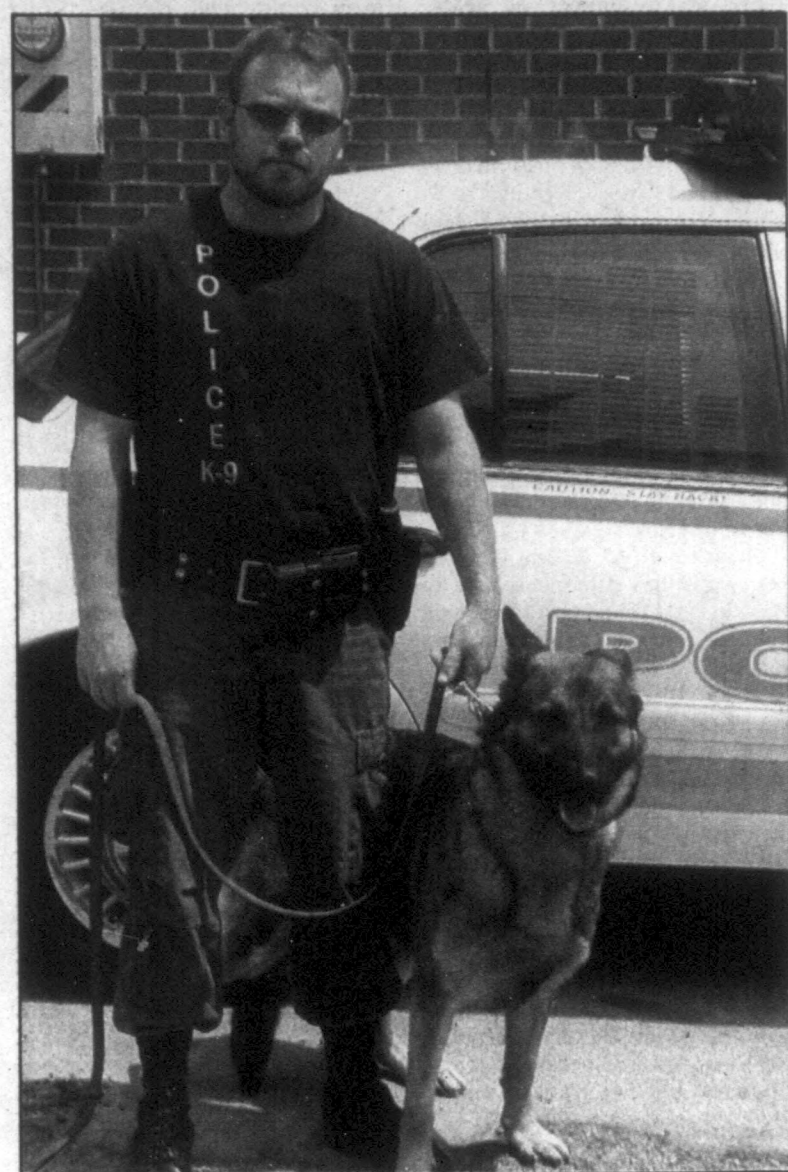
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'Licker Shock' As Prices Mount
— TOMORROW



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KRISTIN TAYLOR/Ledger & Times photo
Murray Police Department Detective Donald Bowman and Nero, a 3-year-old Dutch shepherd, are the force's new K-9 unit. They graduated from a three-week training session Friday.

New K-9 unit adds more bite to MPD

By KRISTIN TAYLOR
Staff Writer

Murray Police Department has a new officer specialized in detecting narcotics and tracking missing people.

Nero is a 3-year-old Dutch shepherd and joined the department after graduating from his training in Peru, Ind., on Friday. His handler, Detective Donald Bowman, has worked for MPD for nine years, the past four of which have been spent investigating narcotics cases.

Nero and Bowman worked

together during the three-week training session, learning commands in Czechoslovakian.

"The dog was pre-trained, so it was pretty much my training," Bowman said.

Murray Police Chief John Knight joked with Bowman: "So the dog really trained you."

The department's previous K-9, Max, died about a year ago of cancer and left a gap in the program.

"That came suddenly so we did

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Democrats plan for better poll turnout

By KRISTIN TAYLOR
Staff Writer

The newly elected leaders of the Calloway County Democratic Party have a vision to build its voter base with a grassroots effort that creates a better turnout at the polls in November.

Party chair David Ramey compared his vision to the strategy that almost won Al Gore the U.S. presidency for years ago. He wants to make sure local Democrats are active in the county precincts the same way Gore's campaign workers were busy rallying voters nationally in 2000.



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"Building a party from the grassroots up is important," Ramey said. "One of the reasons Gore almost won is they did a good job mobilizing voters. We need to get more voters out."

Ramey was elected as chair during the Democratic county convention April 24. He ran for the position with Kathy Jo Stubblefield, who was elected vice chair. They will lead the executive committee of the

local party for the next four years.

Ramey said the 20-member executive committee is made up of a broad range of people, including several elected officials. Calloway County Judge-Executive Larry Elkins serves as treasurer. Other executive committee members include Commonwealth Attorney Cynthia Gale Cook, Coroner Mike Garland, Jailor Phil Hazle, Murray City Council member Danny Hudspeth, past party president Paul Randolph and Murray State University Faculty Regent and history professor Terry Strieter.

"Registering new voters will be

our big project this fall," Ramey said.

A 20-year resident of Calloway County, Ramey served as secretary of the party's executive committee from 1988 to 1992. In 1999, he started an insurance agency, which he continues to run today. He also has worked at the Murray Ledger & Times as a reporter and for the Murray State Athletics Department.

Stubblefield, a lifelong Calloway County resident, has worked nearly 30 years at Calloway County High School, where she teaches English

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Kerry makes Kentucky stop

By BRETT BARROUQUERE
Associated Press Writer

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Alan Winkenhofers sees in Democratic presidential contender and U.S. Sen. John Kerry something he finds lacking in President Bush.

"We want somebody who will take responsibility for their actions," said Winkenhofers, of Elizabethtown. "The current administration won't do that."

FYI

■ Kentucky Democrats tend to back Sen. John Edwards as potential running mate for John Kerry.

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■ U.S. Senate candidates lock horns on KET.

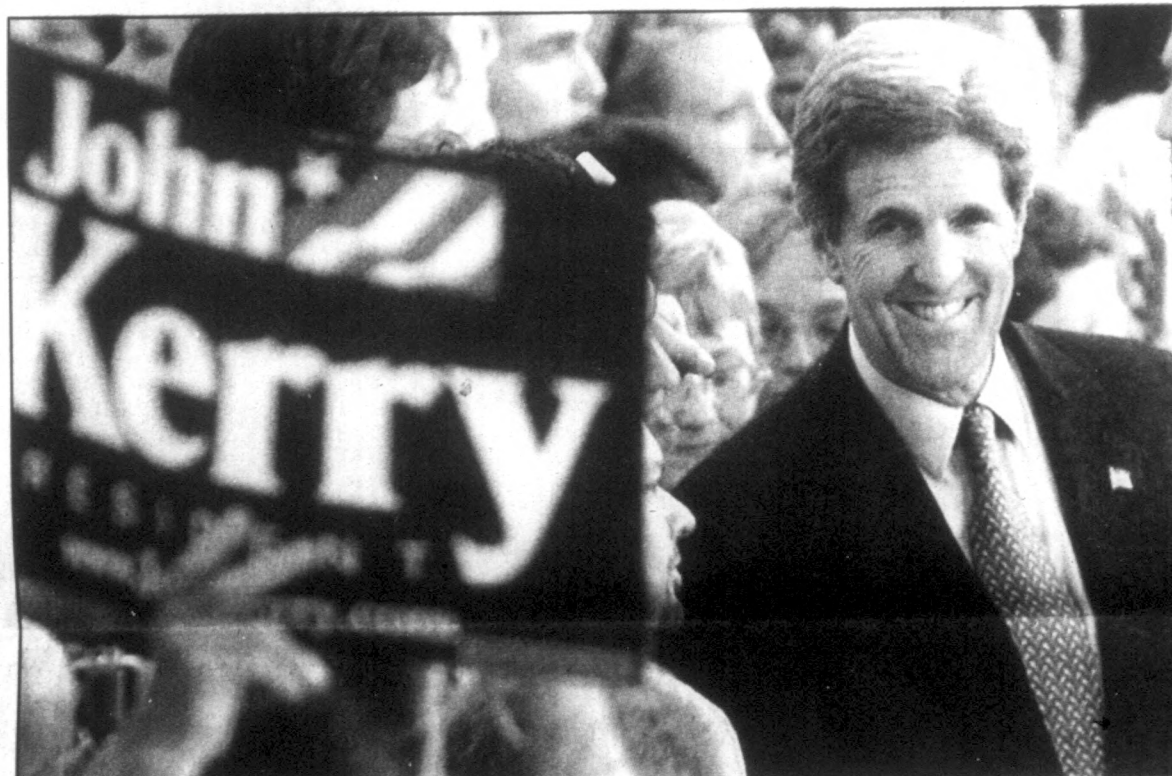
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Winkenhofers, a Vietnam veteran who was invited along with about 10 other military veterans to Kerry's Monday rally at Louisville Inter-

national Airport, was hoping for some assurances from Kerry about America's place in the world.

Kerry, speaking to an enthusiastic crowd of about 500 inside an airplane hangar, promised to help restore the United States' reputation in the world and, pointing to a sign in the crowd, do something he says Bush won't consider.

"That sign has it right," Kerry said. "We need to change the course."



AP Photo

Democratic presidential candidate Sen. John Kerry, D-Mass., is greeted by supporters during an airport rally Monday in Louisville.

Kerry brought his campaign to Kentucky as part of a 24-hour stop in the Bluegrass State. Along with Monday night's rally, Kerry is scheduled to meet with business owners and hold a \$1,000-a-plate luncheon Tuesday.

At the airport rally, Kerry spoke about health care, the economy and

jobs, saying Bush has "the worst economic record since the Great Depression."

Kerry, a decorated Vietnam veteran, didn't directly address the recently revealed abuses of Iraqi prisoners by U.S. soldiers. Instead, he talked about his admiration for the soldiers in combat and "leading

the world to a better place."

"I will change the American direction in the world," Kerry said. "I'm going to keep the faith for those who serve in uniform."

For Abe Pena of Louisville, who earned three Purple Hearts and a

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Town Crier

NOTICE

The following are events which may be of interest to the community:

■ The Murray Independent Schools Board of Education will meet Thursday, May 13, at 7 p.m. in the Area Technology Center. Refreshments and a tour will be offered at 6:15 p.m. Agenda items include approving the tentative working budget for 2004-05.

■ To report a newsworthy note for the Town Crier, call 753-1916.

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Arraignments include solicitation for murder case

Woman pleads innocent to charges; June is next court date

By KRISTIN TAYLOR
Staff Writer

A woman accused of solicitation to commit murder of two police officers, a man who led police on a high-speed chase after leaving Applebee's without paying his bill and a woman arrested on multiple drug-related charges were among those who were arraigned in Calloway Circuit Court on Monday morning.

Annie Wyatt, 65, pled innocent to multiple charges, including solicitation to commit murder, in court Monday. She will appear in court again June 28 after an out-of-court

pre-trial conference June 14.

Wyatt is charged with two counts of solicitation to commit murder of a police officer, three counts of obtaining a controlled substance by fraud and second-degree trafficking a controlled substance. She is accused of wanting to kill a Murray Police Department officer and a Calloway County Sheriff's Department deputy, according to MPD. Police said the incident stemmed from a previous drug arrest.

She remains in the Calloway County jail in lieu of three different bonds — \$500,000 cash bond for the solicitation to commit murder charges, \$10,000 cash for the drug offenses and \$500 cash for a falsely reporting an incident charge being prosecuted in Calloway District Court. A motion for bond reduction was denied Monday in circuit court.

In a separate case, Cynthia Stracener-Younger, 44, pled inno-

cent to multiple drug-related offense in circuit court Monday. She is scheduled to appear in court again June 28 after her lawyer meets with prosecutors in a pre-trial conference June 14.

She was arrested April 14 and charged with first-degree possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine), possession of marijuana, first-degree possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of anhydrous ammonia not in its proper container, possession of anhydrous ammonia with the intent to manufacture methamphetamine, third-degree possession of a controlled substance (Xanax), attempt to manufacture methamphetamine and possession of a radio that receives police messages.

Stracener was allegedly shot in March by her boyfriend, Donald Anthony Younger, at their New Concord residence. When sheriff's deputies responded to that incident they saw drug-related materials that

led to a search warrant and later her arrest.

In a third case, Matthew S. Suttles is scheduled to appear in circuit court at 1 p.m. Wednesday to enter a plea in his case, which involves a high-speed chase through the city and into the county.

Suttles, of Sedalia, faces five traffic offenses — second-offense driving under the influence, second-offense driving on DUI suspended license, reckless driving, having no insurance and speeding 26 mph or more — and additional charges of first-degree fleeing and evading, first-degree wanton endangerment and theft by unlawful taking less than \$300.

A Murray Police Department officer followed Suttles' vehicle on 12th Street, attempting to pull him over after he left Applebee's restaurant March 31 without paying a \$51 bill, police said. He did not stop and headed west on Ky. 94 and eventu-

ally wrecked. He struck a light pole and the post of a resident's porch before broadsiding a tree, according to the sheriff's department, which worked the collision. Deputies said Suttles was not wearing his seat belt and was intoxicated.

A man accused of sodomy of a 6-year-old girl pled innocent during circuit court Monday. Craig L. Rogers, 23, is charged with first-degree sodomy, an offense that stems from an alleged Feb. 26 incident at Forrest View Apartments. The assault allegedly happened while the girl was being kept by her mother's friend, according to MPD.

An identity theft case was rescheduled for May 24. At that time, Tionda D. Mullins of Murray will be arraigned for the 16 counts of identity theft she faces, according to a Kentucky State Police investigation. Officers arrested her March 31 after she used two other women's driver's license numbers on checks to Calloway County merchants.

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WEATHER

Tonight will be mostly cloudy with a chance of rain. Wednesday will have a 40% chance of rain with highs in the lower 80s.

House-Warming Gift



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Carolyn Todd, a member of the board for Murray-Calloway County's affiliate of Habitat For Humanity, presents a bouquet of balloons and flowers to Virginia Gould, the newest recipient of a Habitat house in the affiliate's area, Monday afternoon outside Gould's present home at the corner of 9th and Vine streets. Her new location is located on Pine Street, where many of Gould's fellow workers Murray-Calloway County Hospital Home Health Service and other Habitat officials accompanied her to view her eventual surroundings following the notification. Gould is the second recipient of a Habitat house this year.

Charter dealing with cable problem

Staff Report

Officials with Charter Communications hope to have all cable television service restored soon after a problem developed with digital boxes Friday. A spokesperson for Charter said it is unknown how many customers were affected in the Murray and Calloway County area, but the amount of customers who have called to report problems has been high.

She said once a report is received, technicians reset the boxes from the Murray office without having to make visits to each customer. Service usually is restored shortly after that procedure.

It is not known how the problem developed or where it originated. The only thing known is that many cable customers have had their service interrupted since Friday afternoon.



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■ Democrats ...

From Front

and serves as the language arts department chair. She's also active in the Kentucky Democratic Woman's Club and has worked on many statewide campaigns, including working in public relations for Sen. Joey Pendleton's office in Hopkinsville.



Ramey

Ramey, who serves on the city's planning commission, also is the president of the Calloway County Young Democrats, a group he helped charter last summer. He said the university population and the younger generation of voters are important groups to target.

"You're having a whole generation of Democratic voters who are retiring and you have another generation who hasn't been told what Democrats have done for them," he said. "It's important Democrats stand up for Democratic values."

Having a Republican governor for the first time in more than three decades has given local Democrats some incentive to reorganize. Gov. Ernie Fletcher carried Calloway County in the 2003 election.

"With a rising GOP trend in our county, we believe it is time to take a more professional approach to our local party," Ramey and Stubblefield wrote in a letter to county convention delegates announcing their intentions to run as a team.

Ramey said local Democrats aren't the only people reorganizing. "Having a Republican governor

is a different experience," Ramey said. "The issue there is I think the whole state party is rebuilding. You are going to see a lot of new faces."

State Rep. Buddy Buckingham, D-Murray, said Calloway County Democrats take advantage of new leadership and a renewed interest, which he hopes Ramey and Stubblefield bring with their new positions.

"I think many of us have tried to rekindle some interest in the local party for a number of years," Buckingham said. "Our membership and attendance have fallen, so we need to revive it."

"I think there is a need for the party to become more active. Local parties are becoming more involved in state and national elections so we need to make sure we meet those challenges."

On the top of the new leaders'

agenda is helping Democrats in local races. Republican Melvin Henley, an economic development leader and former Murray mayor, is challenging Buckingham, the incumbent, in November's election.

The 1st District Senate seat is up for grabs because current state Sen. Bob Jackson did not file for re-election. Democrat Dennis Null, a Mayfield attorney, faces Republican Ken Winters, a former MSU dean and Campbellsville University president, on the ballot.

"We need to support their campaigns any way we can," Ramey said. "We need to be their workers. In local elections, a lot of it is word of mouth. Sometimes it's just standing up and telling people."

"I don't think people always realize what a good representative we have. Buddy is so well respected in Frankfort."

■ Kerry ...

From Front

Bronze Star with a "V" for valor during a tour with the Marines in Vietnam, Kerry is the right person to straighten out "the mess" in Iraq.

"He knows what happened in Vietnam," Pena said. "We don't need a repeat of what happened in Vietnam."

Navy veteran James Patrick of Grayson said Kerry can manage a war zone because, unlike Bush, he has experience in a war zone.

"They should have seen and heard shots fired in anger," said

Patrick, who served in Vietnam. "I think our president doesn't have any idea of what he sent our children into over there."

Winkenhof is disturbed by what he considers Bush's lack of responsibility about what is happening in Iraq. He then recalled President Harry Truman's famous statement, "The buck stops here."

"We need another Truman," Winkenhof said. "Kerry is that."

To win in Kentucky, Kerry will have to overcome Bush's advantage in the polls.

Bush won Kentucky in 2000 by

about 15 percentage points over then-Vice President Al Gore. Bush scored well in an Associated Press poll taken in October during the governor's race.

In that poll, 47 percent of likely voters said they'd definitely vote for Bush in 2004, 29 percent said they'd vote for someone else and the rest said they'd consider someone else.

Bush also got favorable ratings from 64 percent of those in Kentucky, and nearly twice as many likely 2003 voters have a strongly favorable opinion of Bush as they do a strongly unfavorable view (51-

27).

The poll surveyed 600 likely voters in Kentucky with a margin of error of plus or minus 4 percentage points.

Tony Miller, who is running for Congress in the Louisville area against U.S. Rep. Anne Northup (R-Ky.), said both he and Kerry can win, despite the recent Republican turn in the state.

"The key is getting to the people," Miller said. "If we can get our Democrats together and some Republicans, we're going to do well."

Kentuckians like Edwards for running mate

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Who should John Kerry pick as a running mate? In their hearts, some prominent Kentucky Democrats want John Edwards. But their heads tell them to look for someone with more electoral vote power in swing states.

"This has to now be a strategic decision," said state Auditor Crit Luallen, who called herself a fan of Edwards, the young, photogenic U.S. senator from North Carolina.

"Senator Kerry has to look at where a running mate can help the most. And I think he has to look at some of these tossup states like Florida or Missouri," Luallen said Monday in a telephone interview.

U.S. Sen. Bob Graham of Florida

and U.S. Rep. Dick Gephardt of Missouri would be "outstanding candidates who add to the ticket," Luallen said.

Like Edwards, Graham and Gephardt were once Kerry rivals for the Democratic presidential nomination.

Kerry, the presumptive Democratic presidential nominee, was to arrive in Louisville on Monday. It would be his first campaign visit to Kentucky, which voted solidly for President Bush four years ago and has received a good deal of attention from Bush and his surrogates in the current campaign.

Terry McBrayer, a Democratic national committeeman, leaned

toward Edwards early in the presidential race and said he still likes him. But with the prospect of a cliffhanger, Kerry needs to "bring Electoral College votes to the table," McBrayer said.

"If you could show that (Edwards) could win his state, it would make it a whole lot easier," said McBrayer, a former state Democratic chairman.

Marshall County Judge-Executive Mike Miller, a politically connected Democrat in western Kentucky, said he admired Edwards' message and charisma as a presidential candidate. "He did seem to click more with the way we feel here in western Kentucky."

■ K-9 ...

From Front

n't have a plan for a new unit," Knight said.

Max, who was with the department for five years, was trained as an attack animal, but Nero is trained only to detect narcotics and track people, such as missing people or escaped suspects.

The Murray City Council approved Knight's request to revive the K-9 unit at its Feb. 12 meeting. During his request, Knight said federal funds from the Pennyrile Drug Task Force will reimburse the city for the \$12,500 cost of buying the animal and training the team.

Murray Police Department is part of a three-county drug task force and will offer its K-9 unit services as needed to the neighboring agencies. According to Knight, the federal funds used for to purchase Nero and train the unit are specifically allocated to helping reduce the methamphetamine problem in western Kentucky.

The Calloway County Sheriff's Department, which also is part of the drug task force, does not have a K-9 unit. Knight said MPD is willing to cooperate with nearby law enforcement agencies.

"You can't confine anything to the city limits," he said.

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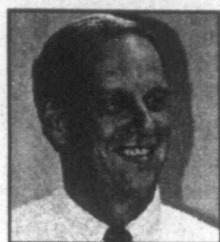
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Farm

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Wheat Field Day is set; treating for some pests

The 2004 UK Wheat Field Day will be from 8:45 am - noon on May 18 at the University of Kentucky Research and Education Center in Princeton. This is an excellent opportunity for wheat producers to hear the latest on wheat production and pest management.



Extension Notes
By Lloyd Weatherly
Calloway County Agriculture Extension Agent

Topics discussed will include wheat varieties, planting date studies, head-scab, fungicides and application methods and ryegrass control in wheat. Lunch will be provided by the KY Small Grain Growers Association. For more information call the Extension office at 753-1452.

Preventatively Treat For Some Pests

Recently I visited with a gentleman who had bagworm problems last year. He wanted information on what he could do to reduce problems this year on young Leyland cypress and other landscape plants.

For some pests, like cabbage loopers we can wait until we see damage before applying insecticide sprays or employing other control measures. This works if plants are scouted or inspected regularly.

For other pests, like bagworms, another option is to take preventative action if we have faced the problem in the past because often we don't notice the problem before it's too late.

Bagworms are caterpillars that make distinctive spindle-shaped

bags on a variety of trees and shrubs throughout Kentucky. They are the larval (caterpillar) stage of a moth that is rarely seen. They attack both deciduous trees and evergreens, but are especially damaging to juniper, arborvitae, spruce, pine and cedar. Large populations of bagworms can strip plants of their foliage and eventually cause them to die.

Infestations often go unnoticed because people mistake the protective bags for pine cones or other plant structures.

Bagworms pass the winter as eggs inside the bag that contained the previous year's female. In mid to late May the eggs hatch, and the tiny larvae crawl out from the end of the bag in search of food. By using silk and bits of plant material, they soon construct a small bag around their hind part that looks like a tiny, upright ice cream cone. As the larvae continue to feed and grow, they enlarge the bag enabling them to withdraw into it when disturbed.

Older larvae strip evergreens of their needles and consume whole leaves of susceptible deciduous species, leaving only the larger veins.

The bag is ornamented with bits of whatever type of vegetation they are feeding upon. By early fall, the bags reach their maximum size of 1-1/2 to 2 inches. At this time the larvae permanently suspend their bags from twigs and transform into the pupa or resting stage before becoming an adult.

For small plants handpicking bags is most practical. For larger plants, preventative sprays of carbaryl (Sevin), malathion or products containing Bt applied in late May or early June and repeated in a couple of weeks may prevent an

infestation.

We have a couple of dwarf ornamental peaches and a flowering cherry in the landscape. They're all attractive plants, especially when they bloom but they too have problems.

The lesser peachtree borer is native to North American and a pest that causes serious damage to peach, cherry, plum, nectarine, and apricot trees. Larvae of the lesser peachtree borer are usually found under the bark of wounds.

Infestation by the lesser peachtree borer is often identified by oozing of gum on the outer bark where the borer started its attack. Bark eventually peels off of damaged areas, predisposing the tree to attack by other pests and diseases. There are two generations of the lesser peachtree borer in Kentucky.

Like bagworms, control of lesser peachtree borer can be attempted preventatively. In commercial orchards pheromone traps are used to attract male moths and determine when numbers are high enough to begin spray applications. Others who choose to spray trees that have had problems in the past can apply a couple of applications of a labeled insecticide, one 10 days after the initial moth flight in mid May and the other at peak of the second generation flight in early September.

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MSU graduate Cude receives real estate sales recognition

NASHVILLE, Ill. — Farmers National Company, the nation's leading farm and ranch management and brokerage company, recently announced that Bret Cude, accredited farm manager in Nashville, Ill., was recently recognized for his outstanding efforts in real estate sales.

Cude, a professional farm manager and real estate sales agent with Farmers National Company, received the company's top award for selling more than one mil-

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Cude is a 1981 graduate of Murray State University.

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Pets of the Week



UP FOR ADOPTION...Murray-Calloway County Animal Shelter, located on Shelter Lane, has listed this Chihuahua mix, adult female, top, and 6-month-old female Shepherd mix named Shasha that is spayed for adoption. Hours of the shelter are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday, through Friday, and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Saturday. For information call 759-4141.

Hanging Around



JOHN WRIGHT/Ledger & Times Photo

Murray's Kay Weber said she does not know why a swarm of what are believed to be honeybees decided to lay claim to a branch on a maple tree in her front yard along North 16th Street. She said the bees were not present when she left her house around noon last Tuesday, but that changed by the time she returned two hours later.

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AGREE OR NOT
By Todd Duvall

Mass Ex-UK-dus

FRANKFORT - The headline, in Armageddon-size type, screams: "Tubby Smith going to Texas because of budget crunch."

A few weeks later, more screaming headlines: "Cuts by state threaten basketball program," followed by a list of top UK players transferring to Tennessee and North Carolina because they feel there isn't enough money available to support a quality basketball team at UK.

This isn't going to happen, of course, but if it did, you can bet your 401(k) retirement savings that Gov. Ernie Fletcher would decide suddenly that a sales tax on services isn't such a bad idea after all, and the General Assembly couldn't approve it fast enough even if it means a net increase in tax collections in an election year.

But there is an exodus under way at UK among top-flight faculty and administrators that, in the long run, will have as terrible an impact on the university as Tubby Smith going to Texas and top players transferring to Tennessee and North Carolina. Indeed, there would be all kinds of fine basketball coaches eager to succeed Smith, but it's doubtful that world-renowned anthropologists and experts in national security will be lining up to come to UK under existing circumstances.

Those circumstances, of course, involve sharp cuts in state spending on higher education, this year alone amounting to \$66 million.

Those and earlier cuts have forced UK and other state universities to raise tuition by double-digit percentages two years in a row, but despite higher tuition, pay raises are all but non-existent - 1 percent next year at UK.

So when other universities begin making offers to top UK faculty, they look around, see classes getting bigger, state support falling sharply and no prospect of improvement any time soon.

Tom Dillehay, a world class anthropologist, is leaving UK for Vanderbilt. The UK English Department is losing faculty lured elsewhere. Mike Desch, director of UK's Patterson School of Diplomacy, who came to Lexington from Harvard six years ago, is taking an endowed chair at Texas A&M. Stuart Kaufman, a 2002 Grawemeyer Award winner and UK political science professor, is moving

ing on to the University of Delaware.

All cite the cuts in higher education support in recent years as serious factors in their decisions to leave UK.

And at the same time as distinguished academics are bailing out of UK, the number of part-time faculty is increasing. Today 30 percent of UK faculty is part time.

Why is it important to have a renowned anthropologist and an award-winning political scientist on the UK faculty? Their academic reputations attract top-quality students - particularly graduate students - who want to study under them. Those students, in turn, go on to their own academic careers and make names for themselves that reflect positively on UK as an academic institution.

It's very much like the basketball program - the more successful it is and the more UK players go to the NBA, the more top-quality high school players want to play only for UK.

But when the talent departs - coaches, players, professors, administrators - the word gets around fast that UK just isn't what it used to be, couldn't keep top talent in Rupp Arena or in the Patterson School. That, in turn, leads to more departures and more losses of future talent.

This is a far cry from only a few years ago when state support for higher education was stronger than ever in Kentucky's history. The Bucks for Brains program pumped hundreds of millions of dollars into academic programs that supported renowned anthropologists and political scientists and medical researchers, not only at UK but also at U of L and other state universities.

Today, the political leadership of Kentucky - Democrats and Republicans alike - don't have the courage to provide the funds necessary to support academic excellence at UK and the other state schools.

It has been less than 10 years since higher education reform aimed at national prominence for UK and U of L. It may take another decade just to get back to where they were in 2002.

Todd Duvall is an editorial writer for The State Journal in Frankfort.

When I was in college, I spent a semester at the University of Copenhagen. It was the first time I'd been out of the country, and my first opportunity to see America from other viewpoints.



Capitol Ideas
By Charles Wolfe
AP Statehouse Reporter

It was the Vietnam War era, and the overwhelming opinion of the other international students I met was negative toward America's role in that war. They were quick to differentiate, however, between us - a group of exchange students from the U.S. - and the military policies of our country.

"We love America," Danes said all the time. To prove it, they pointed to the faded jeans they wore and the Woody Allen films they adored. The Students Club in downtown Copenhagen was the hub of intellectual and social life. Every Saturday night, it was filled with students from all over the world. English, the common language, was spiced with a variety of international accents. You could pick out the Americans easily; they were the ones with the straightest teeth and nicest shoes.

One night, while talking to a young man from Sweden, I was jolted from my innocent view of the U.S. when he asked, "Is it true that in America, they hang Negroes from trees?" He had seen pictures while researching the civil rights movement in America. He described images of dogs unleashed on people who were marching because they wanted to register to vote. He talked about fire hoses being turned on protestors by lawmen who were supposed to protect them. He referred to photos of little black

children being spat upon as federal marshals led them into integrated schools.

I started to tell my Swedish friend that lynchings only happened in the South, but I choked on my denial. I had seen the news on tv, read the newspapers. I recalled photos I'd seen in Life and other magazines. The most vivid image was the one of young Emmett Till, who had been beaten to death near Money, Mississippi, because he supposedly insulted a white woman. The men guilty of the crime went free and lived to brag about it.

Shamefully, there are similar examples woven through our history, and we cannot yet claim cultural and racial violence as a thing of the past.

Currently on exhibit at Mississippi State University, in Jackson, is a display of photographs documenting this history. Without Sanctuary is, according to the Web site, "A photo document of proof, an unearthing of crimes, of collective mass murder, of mass memory graves excavated from the American conscience. Part postal cards, common as dirt, souvenirs skin-thin and fresh-tattooed proud, the trade cards of those assisting at ritual racial killings and other acts of a mad citizenry. The communities' best citizens lurking just outside the frame. Destined to decay, these few survivors of an original photo population of many thousands, turn the living to pillars of salt." This past week, the airwaves were rife with other shameful photos, American military abusing Iraqi prisoners who were also "without sanctuary."

Just as I responded to my Swedish friend when I was in college, I want to believe that the offenders in Iraq were a small number of renegades who will be swiftly punished. But I cannot help but wonder about those who knew about the violence and did not speak out.

In this newspaper last week, columnist Cal

Thomas actually defended the torture in Iraq on the basis that, "We don't know the identity and intentions of these allegedly abused prisoners." Thomas speculated that they had, perhaps, withheld information vital to the protection of American soldiers and Iraqis.

"War is a nasty business," Thomas concluded, "and the rules don't always comport with a book of etiquette."

On one point I can agree with our Cal; war is indeed "nasty." Moreover, no one expects our soldiers to ask for permission to defend themselves or write thank you notes to would-be assassins. On the other hand, I believe it is a mistake to dismiss the events at Abu Ghraib prison as a frat party gone wild.

Cal Thomas and others who harp on America as a country of Christian values at the same time they defend the actions of prison guards in Iraq cannot have it both ways. If we are outraged at atrocities committed against U.S. detainees and hostages - violations of the Geneva Convention, by the way -- we should be outraged when our own soldiers perform such acts. Moreover, we need to question those lurking outside the frame of the photos to determine why they thought it was right to look on and let it happen.

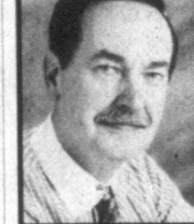
For more information about the Without Sanctuary exhibition at Mississippi State, log on to <http://www.musarium.com/withoutsanctuary>.

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A 'Sorry' Spectacle

There is a scene in the film "Dr. Strangelove" in which the president of the United States, played by Peter Sellers, talks to the Soviet premier, "Dmitri," and apologizes for the planes that are about to drop nuclear bombs on his country.



Cal's Thoughts
By Cal Thomas
Syndicated Columnist

Then they get to the real issue, which is how to stop the planes.

This "sorry" episode came to mind as I watched the real president of the United States and secretary of defense apologize for the behavior of a few out-of-control reservists, their superiors and apparently uninformed civilian leaders in the alleged abuse of Iraqi war prisoners.

There are calls in some circles for Defense Secretary Donald

Rumsfeld to resign and for the post-war strategy in Iraq to be overhauled. New York Times columnist Thomas Friedman (May 6) goes so far as to suggest President Bush invite to Camp David for the purpose of apologizing for his "mistakes" and eating "crow" the five permanent members of the U.N. Security Council and, among others, leaders of several Middle East countries.

What makes Friedman think this will change the policies of any of these states or the United Nations? It was precisely the failure of the United Nations to follow up on its numerous and worthless "resolutions" that forced the United States and Britain to act to oust Saddam Hussein. Can we expect new resolutions, without resolve, to be taken any more seriously than previous ones? Don't look for apologies or any personnel changes by the White House to change the mind or behavior of a single Arab state, or any of the fanatical clergy who believe, preach and teach that America is the "Great Satan." Instead, as is the case when Israel makes concessions to her enemies, the message sent is that terror and resistance work.

The hand-wringing about these abusive incidents not reflecting

"who we are" is the stuff of touchy-feely television shows. Who are we? We are a free people who send their sons and daughters to other nations in order to lift the yoke of oppression and allow others to be free, which we view as their inalienable right. There can be no higher earthly good than to lay down one's life for one's fellow man.

The pictures we are seeing, and the ones to come, are being used in an election year (would they be treated as seriously if it were not an election year?) to weaken us and to destroy our resolve. We are being held to a higher standard than most of the world - certainly the Middle Eastern world - holds itself. It is good and right to have such a high standard, but not good if that standard is one-sided and undermines what we are trying to achieve in Iraq.

If Rumsfeld resigned immediately and if President Bush followed Friedman's advice, nothing would change. The insurgents would not stop shooting Americans. The militants would not stop preaching hate and eternal damnation for all things American. The Arab press would not begin editorializing in favor of democracy. Dictatorial regimes would not suddenly see the light

and stop abusing wrongly imprisoned people. All that matters is victory. Anything less is defeat - for the United States and for those in Iraq and elsewhere who yearn to breathe free.

No one other than our coalition members will help us. Freedom is a lonely battle, but if the United States doesn't lead it - sometimes imperfectly, but mostly with honor - who will?

The Washington Times carried a valuable story (May 8) headlined, "Prison Torture Common in Mideast, Survey Finds." In it, Musa Keilani is quoted from the Jordan Times: "We in the Arab world did know what was going on in Abu Ghraib (prison) when Saddam was in power: summary executions, dismemberment and torture of the worst kind we ever heard of in modern times. It is true that few in the Arab world talked about it and scant attention was given to international organizations' criticism of the gross violations of human rights in Iraq while Saddam was in power."

And we think apologizing is going to change such attitudes? It won't, but total victory might. Let's get on with that and engage in the psychobabble later.



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Mrs. Orvis M. Brinn

Mrs. Orvis M. Brinn, 86, Muskegon, Mich., formerly of Murray, died Sunday, May 9, 2004, in Muskegon.

She and her husband, John H. Brinn, lived in different areas before moving to Muskegon from Murray five years ago.

Born April 28, 1918, in Waco, Texas, she was the daughter of the late James E. Payne and Lacy Stem Payne, who later moved to Murray.

Survivors include her husband, John H. Brinn, to whom she was married June 2, 1938; two daughters, Ms. Nancy Sidney Brinn, Oakland, Calif., and Mrs. Kathryn Westphal and husband, Terry, Norton Shores, Mich.; three sons, John H. Brinn and wife, Susanne, Clarkston, Mich., Herbert P. Brinn and wife, Mary Ann, Bay City, Mich., and David W. Brinn, Austin, Texas; two brothers, Harry Payne, Clermont, Fla., and James Payne and wife, Agnes, Waco, Texas; nine grandchildren.

At the family's request, there will be no visitation. A private family memorial service will be held at a later date.

Persons may share memories with the family at an online guest book at www.sytsemafh.com.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to Michigan Parkinson's Foundation, 30161 Southfield Road, Suite 119, Southfield, Mich. 48076-9775.

Arrangements are by The Walburn Chapel, Sytsema Funeral Homes, Inc., Muskegon, Mich.

Judge orders government to keep defendant awake

FORT BRAGG, N.C. (AP) — The sleep disorder that caused an Army sergeant accused of killing two officers in Kuwait to doze off during a pretrial hearing may be used in his defense, one of his attorneys told the presiding judge.

Sgt. Hasan Akbar fell asleep twice Monday during the hearing at Fort Bragg, causing an annoyed military judge to order government lawyers to deal with the sleep disorder before his scheduled July 12 court-martial.

Col. Patrick Parrish expressed frustration that he had to tell four defense lawyers to wake up Akbar as the defendant dozed at the defense table.

"It should have been something you brought to my attention," Parrish said as he recessed the hearing until May 24. "I shouldn't have had to bring it to your attention."

Defense lawyer Musa Dan-Fodio said Akbar told him he has sought treatment from the Army for his problems staying awake in meetings. The lawyer said there had been testimony at a previous hearing about Akbar's problem with sleep apnea.

Dan-Fodio also said the problem may be used in Akbar's defense.

During the hearing, which took place under tight security, the defense attacked the jury pool from which a panel of 12 soldiers will be selected to hear Akbar's case. Lawyers argued that there are too many ranking officers and sergeants in the pool from which the jury is to be chosen.

Defense lawyers asked that the death-penalty trial, scheduled to begin July 12, be moved or that jurors be chosen from another branch of the military.

Akbar is charged with a March 23, 2003, attack in Kuwait on a group of fellow 101st Airborne Division soldiers and others. The attack took place during the opening days of the Iraq war.

Killed were Army Capt. Christopher Scott Seifert, 27, of Easton, Pa., and Air Force Maj. Gregory Stone, 40, of Boise, Idaho. Fourteen others were injured.

Defense lawyer Capt. David Coombs argued that publicity about the incident from reporters who were embedded with military units was so pervasive that soldiers still could have fixed opinions about Akbar's involvement.

"This offense received worldwide coverage at the time when everyone's attention was focused on what was happening in Kuwait," Coombs said. "Any Army member who heard this had a visceral response."

A military prosecutor said there was no evidence that any potential jurors have been influenced by the publicity.

Parrish did not rule immediately on the motions.

Akbar, 32, has a team of four attorneys — military lawyers Capt. David Coombs and Maj. Dan Brookhart, and two civilians, Dan-Fodio and

Wazir Ali Muhammad Al-Hakk.

They argued that if Parrish wants to ensure that Akbar stays awake during his trial, he should order the government to get him treatment.

"If that treatment is not in place by the next proceeding, what can we do to keep him awake?" Al-Hakk said. "The court ordered us to see that he stays awake and we believe that is beyond our power."

Brookhart said there are several forms of treatment available for sleep apnea. He said the Army has declined to pay for a device that would help Akbar sleep better by assisting his nighttime breathing.

Although the 101st Airborne is based at Fort Campbell, Ky., the case was transferred to Fort Bragg last year because the division was deployed in Iraq. The 101st has since returned.

Prosecutors allege that Akbar, then of the 101st's 326th Engineer Battalion, stole seven grenades from a Humvee he was guarding and used them to attack the 1st Brigade operations area at Camp Pennsylvania an hour later. Akbar's lawyers have said there were no witnesses to the crime and Akbar was accused because he is Muslim.

It is the first time since the Vietnam War that a U.S. Army soldier has been prosecuted for the murder or attempted murder of another soldier during wartime, the Army has said.

More photos, hearings on abuse coming as administration works to control fallout

WASHINGTON (AP) — Americans can expect more shocking photos and searing public debate as the Bush administration works to calm the firestorm over U.S. soldiers' abuse of Iraqi prisoners.

Senators scheduled another hearing Tuesday with top military and intelligence officials, including Army Maj. Gen. Antonio M. Taguba, author of a Pentagon report that found numerous "sadistic, blatant and wanton criminal abuses" at a U.S.-run prison complex near Baghdad.

Stephen Cambone, the undersecretary of defense for intelligence, was among those scheduled to testify later in the day as the committee delved into "chain of command" issues in the prison abuse cases.

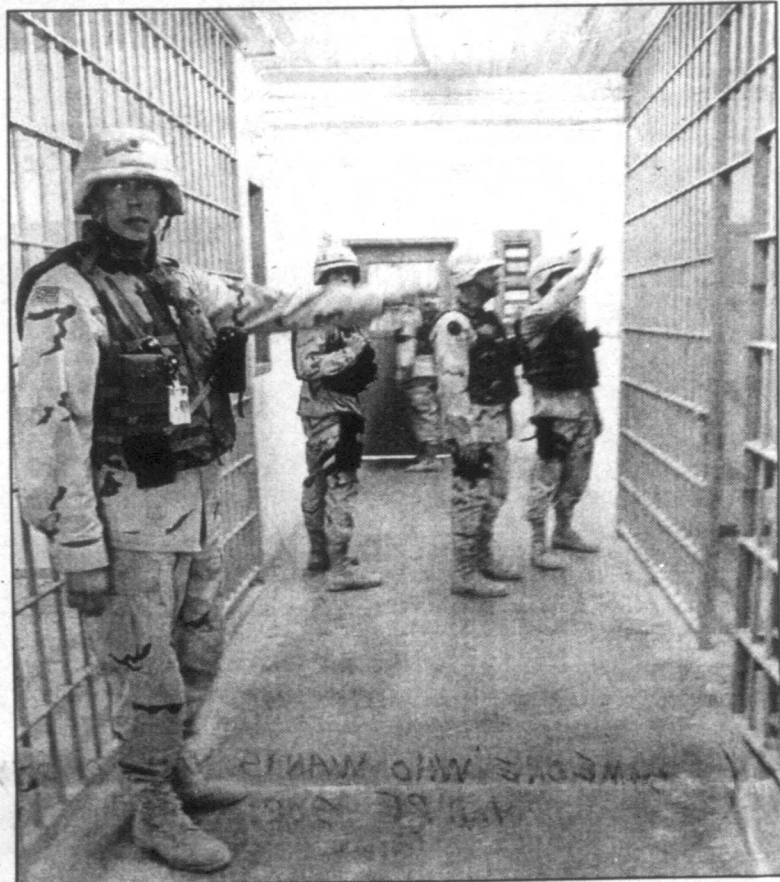
The hearing was set up Monday, to follow last Friday's, as the Pentagon agreed to disclose as-yet unreleased photos and at least one video to the Senate Armed Services Committee. The administration would not say whether it would allow the public to see them.

Senators and the Pentagon were working late Monday to determine when and under what circumstances lawmakers would view the material. It was part of what Taguba said were numerous photos and videotapes taken by troops of sessions of abuse at the Abu Ghraib complex.

A Democratic Senate aide, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the committee's chairman, Sen. John Warner, R-Va., and its ranking Democrat, Sen. Carl Levin of Michigan, were asked to come up with a plan to allow senators to view the pictures and videos as early as Tuesday.

Warner has said he wants declassification of as much of the material as possible so that it can be shown to the American public. The Senate aide said the Pentagon will retain control over the material and decide how to handle further releases.

Any viewing by senators would be restricted to a secure room in the Capitol to protect against leaks that might violate the privacy of prisoners or endanger the prosecution of



AP Photo

U.S. soldiers keep a close watch as journalists were allowed to visit and film some parts of the Abu Ghraib prison where high risk detainees are held, Monday, on the outskirts of Baghdad, Iraq.

any military personnel charged in the case, according to several officials.

Still, several lawmakers said they expected the photos and videos eventually would become public.

"Sooner or later they're going to have to be released," said Senate Intelligence Committee chairman Pat Roberts, R-Kan. He predicted they would come out piecemeal if the administration does not release them on its own.

Warner asked Senate lawyers to review legal implications of the Senate's receiving the images from the Defense Department. He was to announce Tuesday how the commit-

tee would obtain the images, said his spokesman, John Ulyot.

U.S.-run supply convoy attacked

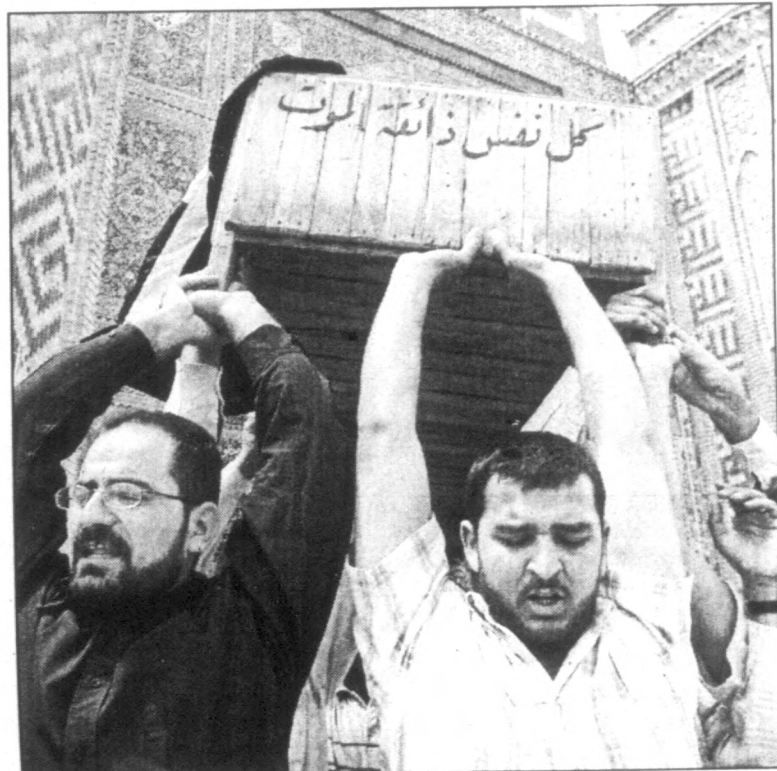
BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — Gunmen attacked a U.S.-run civilian convoy in Iraq's western desert and some personnel were unaccounted for, U.S. officials said Tuesday. Iraq's oil minister said a weekend bombing at a southern pipeline had cut oil exports by 30 percent.

The attack on the convoy came as one Russian worker was confirmed dead and two others abducted in another attack on foreigners working in Iraq.

The officials said the convoy was operated by a subsidiary of KBR, or Kellogg, Brown & Root, which is in turn a subsidiary of Halliburton. An unknown number of vehicles were destroyed in the attack near the town of Rutba, 230 miles west of Baghdad, the officials said.

Meanwhile, an American civilian was found dead with signs of trauma on the corpse near a highway overpass in Baghdad, the U.S. military said Tuesday.

The man, whose identity was not released, was not connected with the U.S. military or civilian government mission in Iraq, a military spokesman said. The body was discovered Saturday.



AP Photo

iraqi men lift up the coffin of Iraqi policeman Sarmad Abdul-Fattah, who was killed during a clashes between U.S. Army troops and militiamen loyal to radical Shiite cleric Muqtada al-Sadr, in holy city of Najaf, southern Iraq, Tuesday.




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Phillips named to honors



Jeremy Phillips

Jeremy Phillips of Hazel, a student at Calloway County High School, has been named for two honors by the United States Achievement Academy.

He has been named an All-American Scholar. For this honor a student must earn a 3.3 or higher grade point average.

Phillips was also named a national award winner in mathematics by the academy.

He was nominated for the awards by Vanda Elliott, mathematics teacher. His biography will appear in both publications.

Phillips is the son of Steve and Kim Phillips of Hazel. His grandparents are Jerry Starks and the late Brenda Starks of Almo, Myrna Phillips of Murray and Jim Phillips of Oxford, N.C.

Animal Projects and Youth: a Blue Ribbon Combination

Youth gain responsibility and new understanding of self and animals when involved in an animal project. There are a variety of opportunities for youth to show and exhibit animals through the 4-H and FFA programs.



Extension Notes

By
Ginny Harper
Calloway
County Agent
for 4-H/Youth
Development

There are county fairs, district shows, state fair and other national youth shows. Youth gain knowledge and skills at each level of competition.

On May 10 at the Calloway County Extension Office an organizational and informational meeting for families that might be interested in participating in this year's exciting animal project and sale process was held.

Throughout May, we will have sessions to instruct youth and families on proper showing and fitting techniques to help youth and families make informed decisions if choosing to be a part of the 2nd annual Calloway County Show and Sale set for August 14.

There will also be a district show opportunity which will be called the "Two Rivers Livestock Show and Exposition for Youth" held July 1 and 2 at the West Kentucky Exposition Center. All four species of market animals and dairy cattle will be exhibited at this show.

"Showing gives me a working knowledge of the animal. It is an event that my dad and I

do together. I like to show animals because I like to win money and meet people," proclaims Zach Gillum of Kirsey, a senior at Calloway County High School.

In order to participate in district and state fair competition market animals must be DNA tested, weighed and tagged by the Kentucky Department of Agriculture by the state deadlines.

Specific requirements for each species are available at your extension office.

Deadlines are as follows: Beef Heifers and Cows Sheep not tagged with KUIP tags, and Sheep, Goats and Hogs, May 27 from 4 to 7 p.m. at West Kentucky Expo Center; Horse, April 15, project and lease forms due to area contacts; Dairy Cattle, June 1, nonownership forms due to state.

Jordan Gillum, an eighth grader from Calloway County Middle School, said "I like showing because it is a learning experience and you can make new friends in the process."

Blue Ribbons and youth go together in the youth animal projects. Call your extension office for more information.

Upcoming Calloway County 4-H Events:

4-H Horse Judging, Hippology and Horse Bowl Team will meet May 11 from 3:30 to 5 p.m. at Expo Center Classroom.

4-H Livestock Judging Team will meet on May 13 from 3:45 to 4:30 p.m. at the Harper Farm.

The Calloway County Cooperative Extension Service is open Monday to Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The phone number is 753-1452 and the fax is 759-4243.

Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. John Eurie Garland

Mr. and Mrs. John Eurie Garland of Murray are today, May 11, 2004, celebrating their 58th wedding anniversary.

The couple was married May 11, 1946, in Corinth, Miss. Mrs. Garland is the former Polly Fitts.

The bride was attired in a black crepe dress and had a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Their attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Baucum, Miss Kathleen Lee and Joe Bill Todd.

At the time of the wedding, the groom had just been discharged from the United States Army after serving in the European Theater. Mr. Garland owned and operated Garland's Used Cars in Murray from 1947 until his retirement in 1996.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland now reside at 316 South Ninth St., Murray.

Appliqué workshop planned

PADUCAH, Ky. — The Museum of the American Quilter's Society (MAQS) will offer a three-day, floral appliqué workshop titled "Creating Spring Beauty - Floral Appliqué" with Nancy A. Pearson May 13-15.

In this workshop, Pearson teaches students the art of color selection and stitching techniques. Students will work to create a colorful wall quilt featuring hand appliquéd flowers, birds and greenery. "Creating Spring Beauty" is a class for quilters of all levels who want to learn to "paint with fabric."

Pearson of Morton Grove, Ill., has combined her years as a graphic artist and experience with flower arranging into a career as a designer of original floral appliqué quilts. "It is exciting to see what can be done with fabrics and floral designs

to create a completely individual piece of fiber art today," says Pearson. Her meticulous stitching techniques and eye for color add to her popularity as a workshop instructor.

The cost for attending the "Creating Spring Beauty - Floral Appliqué" workshop is \$280 for Friends of MAQS, \$300 for others. The class size is limited. For more information or to register for the workshop, please contact MAQS by calling (270) 442-8856 or e-mailing <info@quiltmuseum.org>.

The m is a non-profit museum located in downtown Paducah. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and from 1 to 5 p.m. Sundays (April through October). The museum is handicapped accessible.

McDonald speaker at Rotary Club

Rob McDonald, head coach of Murray State University Thorobreders Baseball Team, spoke at a recent meeting of the Murray Rotary Club.

The coach said "this year's team is largely young and inexperienced, but feel they have a great chance of doing very well."

He encouraged everyone to come-out and want their games.

McDonald told of their scheduled for the season, and emphasized teaching his players respect in their talk and actions, and the importance of also doing well in school work.



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Technology Center will hold open house on Thursday



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Murray/Calloway County Area Technology Center at 1800 Sycamore St., Murray, will hold house on Thursday, May 13, from 5 to 7 p.m.

Parents of current or prospective students and the general public are invited attend to tour the facility and meet the staff.

The house built by Carpentry students for the Purchase Area Development District's housing project will also be on display.

CCMS Council to meet

Calloway County Middle School Site-based Decision Making Council will have a special called meeting Wednesday, May 12, at 3:15 p.m. in the media center. All persons are invited.

CCHS Council to meet Wednesday

Calloway County High School Site-based Decision Making Council will meet Wednesday, May 12, at 4:30 p.m. in the media center. All persons are invited.

Need Line Golf Tournament Friday

Murray-Calloway County Need Line Golf Tournament will be Friday, May 14, with tee off at 1 p.m. at Murray Country Club. This will be a four person scramble and shot gun start. Trophies will be given to first and second place teams. For an application to play or a form for sponsorship call 753-6333, 759-1220, 753-5822 or 753-6239.

MHS Spring Concert Thursday

Murray High School Band and Choir will pent their annual spring concert Thursday, May 13, at 7 p.m. in Murray State University Lovett auditorium. Also performing will be the Murray High Jazz Band and several outstanding student musicians. There is no admission charge and the public is invited.

Macular Degeneration group will meet

Macular Degeneration Support Group will meet at Murray-Calloway County Senior Citizens Center Thursday, May 13, at 12:30 p.m. in the education room. Guest speaker will be Pat Nelson from West Kentucky Assistive Technology Consortium will provide information on equipment and technology for people with sight impairment. For more information call Teri Cobb at the center at 753-0929.

Red Hat Society will meet Thursday

The Senior Moments Chapter of the Red Hat Society will meet Thursday, May 13, at 10 a.m. at the annex of Calloway Public Library. The group will then take a trip to Miss Scarlett's Magnolia Tea Room, Paris, Tenn. The upcoming night meeting on May 17 has been canceled. Anyone interested in joining the chapter contact Paula Clark at 436-5096 or e-mail pjclark@allyantage.com.

Mother to Mother Group to meet

Mother to Mother, a support group for breastfeeding moms, will meet Thursday, May 13, at 10:30 a.m. in the park behind Calloway Public Library, or if raining will meet inside the building. Featured will be refreshments and door prizes. Pregnant moms, dads and older children are welcome. For more information call Kim Jastremski, CLEC, at 759-4746 or more information.

Clothes Closet will be open Thursday

Dexter Baptist Church Clothes Closet will be open on Thursday, May 13, from 9 a.m. to noon at the church in Dexter. Featured are infants to adult clothes which are free to those needing them. For information call Linda Young at 437-4890.

Zeta luncheon will be Thursday

Zeta Department of the Murray Woman's Club will meet Thursday, May 13, at 12:30 p.m. at the club house. Lunch will be served and members are asked to note the change in time. Hostesses will be Bonnie Jones, Frances Matarazzo, Erma Tuck and Barbara Simons.

Glory Bound will be Thursday

Glory Bound Entertainment will be Thursday, May 13, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Weaks Community Center. Each one is asked bring a can of food for Need Line. There is no admission, but a love offering will be taken. This is an outreach ministry of Goshen United Methodist Church and the public is invited.

Alpha members will collect book material

Members of Alpha Department of the Murray Woman's Club will be at the club house to collect histories of businesses, churches and communities, including those that no longer are in existence today. May 13, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 4 to 6 p.m. This material will be used in the book, "The Calloway County Family History," to be published soon.

Oaks pool will open for the season

Oaks Country Club pool will be open May 15-16 and May 21 to Labor Day. Hours will be 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday through Saturday, and noon to 8 p.m. Sunday. Parties may be booked after 8 p.m. with prior notice and approval. Members may bring non-Calloway County guests any day and Calloway County guests on Tuesdays with a fee for each guest. Babysitter passes will also be available for the season.

East Council will meet today

East Elementary School Site-based Decision Making Council will meet today, May 11, at 5 p.m. at the school. Fred Ashby, principal, invites all interested persons.

THEOS meeting will be today

THEOS (They Help Each Other Spiritually) will meet today, May 11, at 2 p.m. in the annex of Calloway Public Library. The group will go later to eat at Sirloin Stockade. This is for any person who has a spouse through death. For information call Opal Howard at 753-1998, Lillian Steele at 753-2875 or Karen Isaacs at 753-2411.

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Faye Rogers, left, and Carol Block, right, present Summer Cross, Angels Community Clinic executive director, with a check for \$500 from the Murray Business & Professional Women's Club.

Engagement



Stevenson and Reid

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Stevenson of Madisonville announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jessica Ann Stevenson, to Jonathan Christopher Reid, son of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Reid Jr. of Murray.

Miss Stevenson is the granddaughter of the late Charles and Evelyn Knaub of Indiana, the late Roger and Nell Stevenson of Texas, and Patricia Stevenson of Rhode Island.

Mr. Reid is the grandson of the late Arthur and Louise Joiner of Paducah and J.T. Reid and the late Molly Reid of Gilbertsville.

The bride-elect is a 1997 graduate of Madisonville-North Hopkins High School and a 2001 graduate of Asbury College, Wilmore. She is employed by Fifth Third Bank, Lexington.

The groom-elect is a 1994 graduate of Murray High School and a 1998 graduate of Georgetown College, Georgetown. He is employed by Jessamine County Schools and is pursuing his master's degree in administration and supervision at the University of Kentucky, Lexington.

The wedding will be Saturday, June 19, 2004, at Central Christian Church, Lexington.

Lakers 4-H Club Sewing Project



Photo provided
The Lakers 4-H Club had several members involved in the sewing project this year. Presenting their sewing projects at the Fashion Revue were, from left, Maggie Anderson (two piece pajama set), Molly Anderson (capri pants), Ashleigh Eldridge (duffle bag), Amber Eldridge (back pack/purse) and Cloverbud Andrew Anderson (pajama shorts). All members were presented with champions in their respective classes and can go on to the Area Fashion Revue in Hickman. Leaders of the club are Kim Royalty and Mark and Colleen Anderson.

CCMS Students of the Month



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Calloway County Middle School's Sixth Grade Students of the Month for April are, from left, Clint Gentry, Chelsea Ellis, Takina Scott and Austin Ramsey. These students were chosen because of outstanding character, work habits, behavior and cooperation with their peers and teachers.

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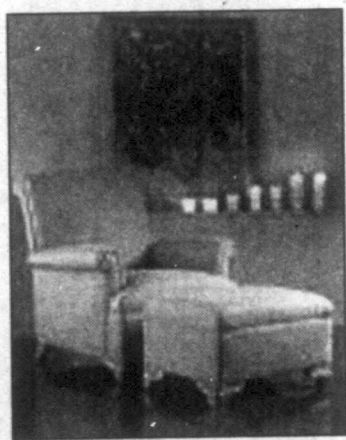
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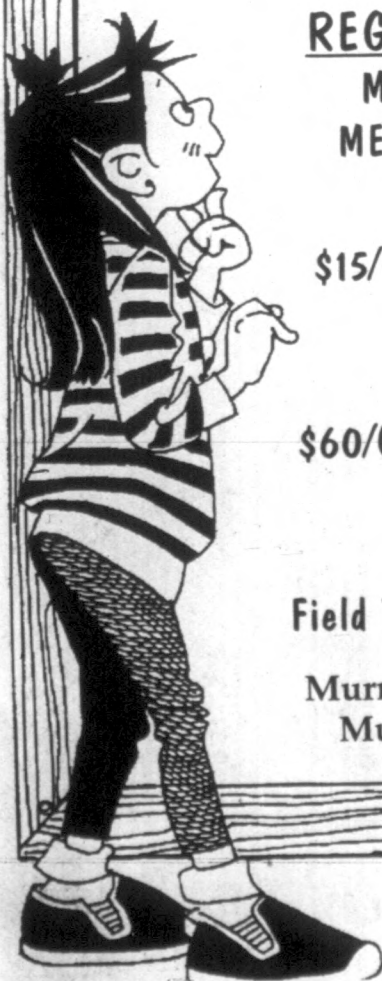
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Owners receive bonus

Smart money pays off for Derby winner

BENSALEM, Pa. (AP) — Pat Chapman barely met the deadline to name her young colt. In a rush, Chapman called him Get Along, forgetting the horse was born on her mother's birthday.

When the paperwork returned, Chapman realized she wanted to name the colt after her mother, Mildred, who was nicknamed "Smarty."

"I never told my husband, but I paid \$100 to change the name," Chapman said, laughing.

So Get Along became Smarty Jones. And look at the colt now.

Pat and Roy Chapman more than made their money back on the smallish red chestnut colt, who went on to win the Kentucky Derby. Another big payout came Monday when they received a \$5 million Centennial Bonus check from Oaklawn Park for Smarty Jones' wins at the Rebel Stakes, Arkansas Derby and Kentucky Derby.

"It's unbelievable," Pat Chapman said. "I think we should take him out and let him run

up the art museum's steps."

The bonus check, the largest in North American horse racing history, was offered by Oaklawn Park owner Charles J. Cella to the horse who could win all three races.

"It was a wonderful concept, never to be duplicated again in thoroughbred racing," said Cella, who announced the bonus last fall to honor the track's 100th birthday and his family, which has owned Oaklawn since it opened.

Because of Roy Chapman's health, Cella decided to travel to Pennsylvania instead of awarding the prize in Arkansas.

Roy Chapman, in his wheelchair and suffering from severe emphysema, kept interviews brief but spoke long enough to credit trainer John Servis for making the colt the talk of the racing world.

"When he told me we're going to Arkansas, trust me, Arkansas was the last place in the world I wanted to go. I live in Florida all winter," Chapman said. "John said we'd take him to Arkansas, let him mature and we'd go to the Derby from there. That's exactly what

he did."

Smarty Jones, the first unbeaten Kentucky Derby winner since Seattle Slew in 1977, is preparing for the Preakness on his home turf. The paydays will continue to skyrocket if he can win in Baltimore, then the Belmont Stakes three weeks later for a Triple Crown sweep.

There was plenty of cash to go around Monday. Roy Chapman said he'd make someone's life better. Servis planned to share his portion with the rest of the training staff.

"It's going to be a really good start for a lot of those guys back there," Servis said.

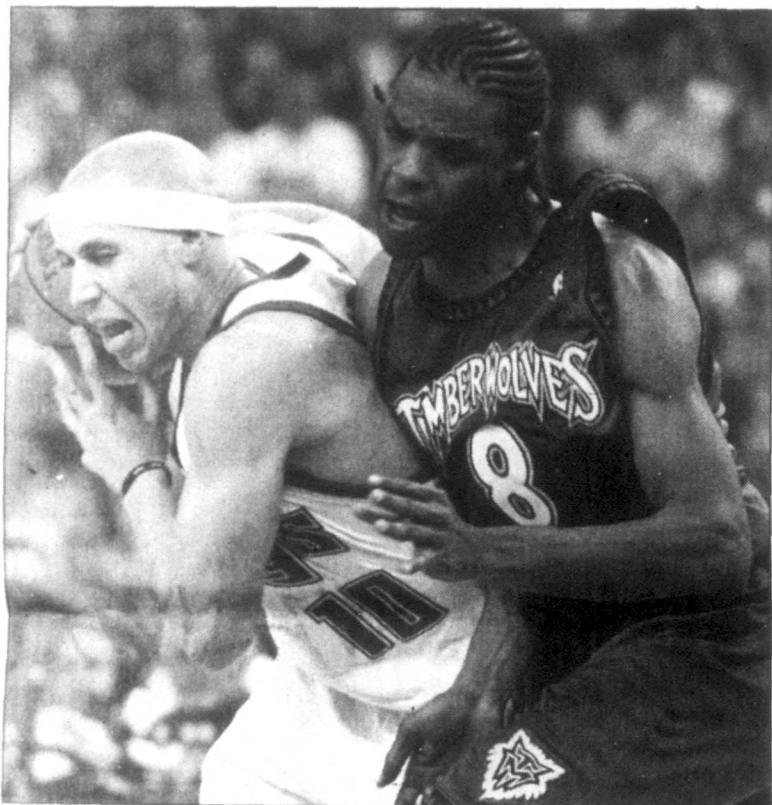
Cella said Arkansas Gov. Mike Huckabee proclaimed Friday "Smarty Jones Day" and the mayor of Hot Springs also proclaimed the same honor for Saturday.

On Monday, Smarty Jones took an easy 1 1/2-mile gallop with a pony on a closed Philadelphia Park track. Servis may give the colt at least one more day on his own before the Preakness.

"I want him where he's ready to beat someone up," Servis said.



Roy and Pat Chapman, owners of Kentucky Derby Champion Smarty Jones, look over the \$5 million bonus check presented to them Monday by Charles Cella, right, owner of Oaklawn Park Racetrack in Hot Springs, Ark, during a ceremony at Philadelphia Park Racetrack in Bensalem, Pa. Smarty Jones won the \$5 million bonus by winning the Rebel Stakes and Arkansas Derby at Oaklawn and then the Kentucky Derby.



Sacramento Kings' Mike Bibby (10) collides with Minnesota Timberwolves' Latrell Sprewell (8) in the first half of Game 3 of their NBA Western Conference semifinal series Monday in Sacramento, Calif.

Timberwolves 114 - Kings 113 T'wolves solve Sacramento in OT

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — Kevin Garnett already had the smile, the scintillating game and the MVP award — and when he calmly hit a fallaway jumper in the dwindling seconds of overtime, his fans had their first unforgettable playoff memory.

Garnett scored 15 of his 30 points after the third quarter of the first landmark playoff performance of his career, leading the Timberwolves to a 114-113 victory over the Kings in Game 3 of the second-round series Monday night.

Minnesota nearly blew the victory, allowing Sacramento to rally from a 14-point deficit in the final four minutes of regulation. Peja Stojakovic forced overtime, hitting two late 3-pointers in a thrilling duel with Garnett.

But with a one-point lead and time running out, the Wolves put their hopes squarely on Garnett's shoulders. He calmly glanced at the opposite shot clock, moved and jumped backward, releasing a soft jumper that bounced in with 10.8 seconds left in overtime.

When Stojakovic failed to score on a difficult jumper before the buzzer, Garnett led the Timberwolves off the court with a 2-1 series lead. Both victories were tense, last-second affairs — and Garnett embraced the pressure.

"That's what everybody wants you to do," Garnett said. "I'm in a position where I have to make decisions, like a point guard. If you make it, you're a hero. If you miss it, everybody hates you."

"But I've got a strong back

and a strong spine, and I've got full confidence in my teammates."

Game 4 is Wednesday night in Sacramento.

In the only other game Monday night, Miami beat Indiana 94-87 to cut the Pacers' lead to 2-1 in the Eastern Conference series.

The other conference semifinals resume Tuesday night, with San Antonio at the Los Angeles Lakers in the West, and Detroit at New Jersey in the East. San Antonio and Detroit have 2-1 leads.

The Kings played indifferently and seemed headed for a loss until Stojakovic and Mike Bibby suddenly awoke from terrible games with four minutes left in regulation. After Stojakovic tied it, Garnett couldn't even get off a shot in the closing seconds of regulation when three Kings swarmed him.

But Garnett shook off that failure and reminded his teammates to trust him. The Timberwolves had lost seven straight first-round series before Garnett and eight new teammates advanced this spring. They've won six of their first eight postseason games.

"What's happened to this organization in the past is in the past," he said. "We're trying to focus on the present."

And the present looks good for Minnesota, halfway to the franchise's first trip to the Western Conference finals. Their victories have been anything but easy, with this heart-stopper following the Wolves' rally from a 10-point deficit in the final four minutes to win Game 2.

Crosstown Suspension

Murray High and Calloway to resume action Friday

Staff Report

Murray Ledger & Times

Mother Nature literally rained on a parade of offense from crosstown rivals Murray High and Calloway County during local prep baseball action on Monday.

The Tigers and Lakers combined for 17 runs through five innings of play at Laker Field, but heavy rains forced the suspension of a contest that Murray leads by a 10-7 score.

The suspended game is scheduled to resume on Friday at 4:30 p.m., with the Tigers batting in the top of the sixth. Following the completion of that contest, both squads are scheduled to play visiting Hickman County.

On Monday, Murray took charge with four early runs by taking advantage of several Calloway miscues. The Lakers committed seven errors and had two passed balls in the five innings of play.

"Fortunately, we're swinging the bats pretty well because our defense was as bad as I've seen it," said CCHS head coach Steve Smith. "I don't know what we're going to do about that. I'm really disappointed because I know we're better than that."

"I hope we've got some more runs left in our tanks because we haven't stopped them from scoring in an inning yet," he added.

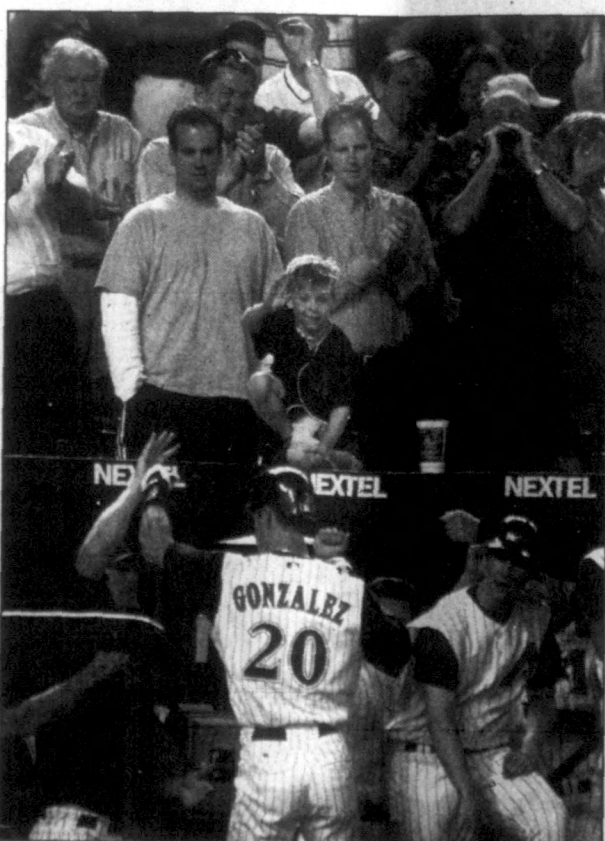
The 10 runs were a welcome sight for Tigers' head coach Cary Miller, whose young and inexperienced squad has, at times, had trouble putting runs on the scoreboard this spring.

"We're putting the ball in play all through the lineup," he noted.



Calloway County's Colby Starks slides safely into home plate as Murray High catcher Bradley Cobb corals the ball during Monday's action at Laker Field. The contest was suspended by rain after five innings of play, with the Tigers leading 10-7.

Gonzo's three dingers lift D-backs



PHOENIX (AP) — The Arizona Diamondbacks went going, going, Gonzo over the New York Mets on Monday night.

Luis Gonzalez homered in his first three at-bats and drove in four runs, and the Diamondbacks pounded the Mets 12-8 to snap a four-game losing streak.

Gonzalez said he felt so good when he came to the ballpark that he skipped batting practice.

"The first swings I took were in the game today," he said. "I felt like I was taking a lot of swings early in batting practice, so I just wanted to take a day off from hitting and just go into the game and see what happens."

Gonzalez had two chances for a fourth homer, but struck out looking in the fifth inning and grounded out to second in the eighth, leaving him with his second career three-homer game.

"Of course I thought about it," he said of his shot at a four-homer game. "I mean, I have a chance to make history."

Chad Tracy and Steve Finley also home-

red as Arizona tied its club record with five home runs in a game. Tracy, moved to the leadoff spot for the first time this season, also tripled and drove in three runs.

The Mets' Mike Cameron is one of 15 major leaguers to hit four home runs in a game, and he thought Gonzalez would be No. 16 after his three homers in four innings.

"There was a whole lot of game left," Cameron said. "The way he was swinging, I thought he was going to hit about five home runs."

Gonzalez also hit three homers at Kansas City on June 8, 2001. With his 20th career multihomer game, Gonzalez increased his home run total to 10 this season.

His first two came off starter James Baldwin: a two-run shot in the first and leadoff home run in the third. His third, an opposite-field blast, came against Dan Wheeler to start the fourth inning. Finley also homered in the fourth, his 10th of the season.

Arizona Diamondbacks slugger Luis Gonzalez, bottom center, is congratulated by teammate Richie Sexson, bottom left, as he receives a standing ovation after hitting his third home run of the game.



The Murray Freedom U12 girls soccer team finished runner-up in their division of the Kentucky Lake Invitational, held April 30-May 2 in Marshall County. Team members pictured are (front row, from left) Ellén Robinson, Sarah Crouch, Libby Trevathan, Christina Veach, Sara Darnell, Emily Benson, (back row) Morgan Graham, Bethany Harlan, Haley Edwards, coach Gary Mathis, Erin Jones, Haley McCuiston, Megan Parks and Carly Mathis. Avree Fields is not pictured.



The Murray Lightning U10 girls soccer team captured first place in their division at the Kentucky Lake Invitational, held April 30-May 2 in Marshall County. The Lightning defeated the Graves County Alliance 2-0 in the championship game. The squad finished its season with a 19-3 record. Team members pictured include (front row, from left) Darian Maness, Meg Hudson, Taylor Futrell, Ashley Gullixson, Victoria Verberg, (back row) Megan Pittenger, Neely Gallimore, coach Chelsea Thompson, Shelby Crouch, Emily Crouse, Haley Stewart and Cheyenne Maddox. Not pictured are Alyssa Cunningham and Chandler Purdom.

Miller calling the shots with new book

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP) — The problem with television is that Johnny Miller doesn't have enough time to tell you what he really thinks. That's one reason he wrote, "I Call The Shots."

Among his opinions in the book: Tiger Woods at his best was better than Jack Nicklaus, but Woods won't reach Nicklaus' benchmark of 18 professional majors.

"When he came on tour, I said he would win 12 majors and 50 tournaments, and all the players said I was a raving idiot," Miller said Monday in New York. "Now he's got eight majors and 40 wins, so 50 is going to be way conservative."

"But majors ... let's say he's got 10 more years. That's a major every year to tie Jack. And that's not factoring in a back injury. It's going to be hard for him break that."

Woods, 28, has gone the last seven majors without winning. Nicklaus went through a dry spell of 12 majors at about the same stage in his career.

Miller believes the early dominance by Woods will hurt him. Along with four straight majors, Woods won seven out of 11 from the '99 Championship through the '02 U.S. Open.

"He had four majors sitting on his table," Miller said. "It's not good to bunch them up."

Miller felt he was the greatest player in golf during a short span in the 1970s, when he won 15 times and two majors in three years, routinely firing at the flags and winning big. He was 12-2 with a 54-hole lead early in his career, and won 74 percent of time over his career with the lead going into the last round.

Duval won 11 of 34 tournaments during one stretch through 1999, cooled off significantly while battling injuries, then went into a tailspin after winning the British Open in 2001.

Among the reasons Miller thinks Woods will fall short of 18 majors:

■ "He's an old 28," Miller writes in his book. He says that child prodigies often age faster, and that Woods might be in his prime now.

■ Family life. "Tiger has tremendous energy toward the game, but that was prior to now branching off into boating, fly fishing, snorkeling and falling in love," Miller said. "Now this 100 percent energy in the game is 80 to 90 percent."

■ Health. Woods missed six weeks last year recovering from knee surgery. Miller says Woods is especially prone to injury because of his tremendous body speed.

■ How he reacts to the inevitable slump.

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Cincinnati	16	15	516	4	10. Mike Weir	10	\$1,513,640		
St. Louis	16	16	500	4 1/2	11. John Daly	9	\$1,446,081		
Milwaukee	15	16	484	5	12. Chad Campbell	13	\$1,401,486		
Pittsburgh	12	17	414	7	13. Zach Johnson	12	\$1,252,189		
West Division					14. Darren Clarke	9	\$1,250,435		
	W	L	Pct	GB	15. Scott Verplank	9	\$1,223,865		
Los Angeles	20	10	667	—	16. K.J. Choi	12	\$1,223,744		
San Diego	19	13	594	2	17. Stephen Ames	12	\$1,197,559		
San Francisco	14	18	438	7	18. Todd Hamilton	13	\$1,147,747		
Colorado	13	17	433	7	19. Shigeki Maruyama	11	\$1,147,190		
Arizona	13	18	419	7 1/2	20. Joey Sindelar	12	\$1,107,885		
Monday's Game					21. Chris DiMarco	11	\$1,089,368		
Arizona 12, N.Y. Mets 8					22. Jay Haas	11	\$1,082,757		
Tuesday's Games					23. Craig Parry	5	\$1,079,250		
Montreal at Milwaukee, 7:05 p.m.					24. Retief Goosen	10	\$1,050,042		
Florida at Houston, 7:05 p.m.					25. Jerry Kelly	11	\$1,027,780		
Atlanta at St. Louis, 7:10 p.m.					26. Steve Flesch	15	\$994,266		
Pittsburgh at Colorado, 8:05 p.m.					27. Mark Hensby	11	\$989,106		
N.Y. Mets at Arizona, 8:35 p.m.					28. Scott Hoch	10	\$939,670		
Cincinnati at San Diego, 9:05 p.m.					29. Aron Oberholser	10	\$938,749		
Chicago Cubs at Los Angeles, 9:10 p.m.					30. Jeff Maggert	11	\$932,356		
Philadelphia at San Francisco, 9:15 p.m.					31. Heath Slocum	13	\$898,581		
					32. Kirk Triplett	40	\$891,219		
					33. Kenny Perry	10	\$885,750		
					34. John Riegg	13	\$423,263		

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Racer Classic slated for early June

Staff Report
Murray Ledger & Times

Murray State University and the RACER Foundation will host the 16th Annual Pepsi Racer Classic Golf Tournament on Friday, June 11 at the Frances E. Miller Memorial Golf Course.

The Racer Classic will be a six-person scramble and is limited to the first 240 players (40 teams) entered. The tournament will feature both morning and afternoon shotgun starts at 8 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Several MSU coaches and staff members will take part in this year's event, including Racer basketball head coach Mick Cronin, Lady Racer basketball head coach Joi Williams and Racer football head coach Joe Pannunzio.

Teams will be flighted by handicaps.

For more information on the 16th annual Pepsi Racer Classic or to register, call (270) 762-3517 or (270) 762-6800

Prizes will be awarded to winning teams in each flight. Players will also have several opportunities to win other individual prizes throughout the day.

The big prize of the tournament will come in the \$100,000 Shootout. The player who is closest to the pin on any of the par-3's will get one swing for a hole-in-one at the 181-yard, par-3 18th hole and the grand prize.

Registration is \$90 per player, which is tax deductible. Each participant will receive a Racer athletics deluxe duffel bag, a team color photo, lunch provided by Outback Steakhouse, beverages provided by Pepsi Mid-America, greens fees and cart fees.

All proceeds from the event will benefit MSU athletics through the RACER Foundation.

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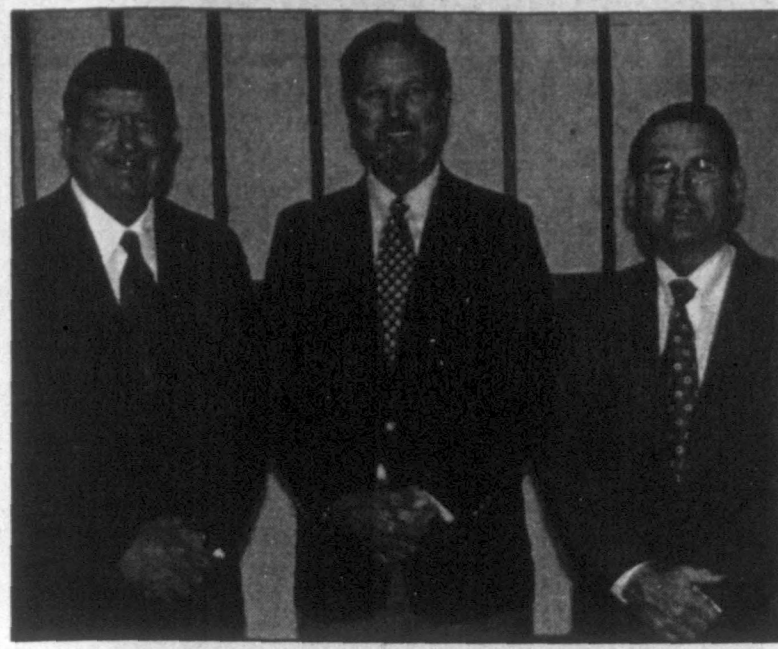
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TUESDAY EVENING											
MAY 11, 2004											
	A	B	C	D	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00
WKRN-ABC	2	2	2	2	8 Rules	8 Rules	Jim	Less Than	NYPD Blue (N)	News	Friends
WSL-ABC	3	3	3	3	8 Rules	8 Rules	Jim	Less Than	NYPD Blue (N)	News	Friends
WSMV-ABC	4	4	4	4	Frasier	Frasier	Dick Van Dyke	Judging Amy (N)	News	The Tonight Show	Late Night (In Stereo)
WTVF-CBS	5	5	5	5	Navy NCIS (In Stereo)	Dick Van Dyke	Judging Amy (N)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Entertain	The Late Late Show
WPSD-NBC	6	6	6	6	Frasier	Frasier	Dick Van Dyke	Judging Amy (N)	News	The Tonight Show	Late Night (In Stereo)
WBBJ-ABC	7	7	7	7	8 Rules	8 Rules	Jim	Less Than	NYPD Blue (N)	News	Friends
WNPT-PBS	8	8	8	8	Nova (In Stereo)	Scientific Frontiers	Independent Lens	News	Served	Beyond the Moon	Nova (In Stereo)
KBSI-Fox	9	9	9	9	American Idol	24 (N) (In Stereo)	70s Show	Will-Grace	Simpsons	Frasier	King
WQTV-UPN	10	10	10	10	One	All of Us	Next Top Model	News	Friends	Oprah Winfrey	Steve H.
KFVS-CBS	12	12	12	12	Navy NCIS (In Stereo)	Dick Van Dyke	Judging Amy (N)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Friends	The Late Late Show
WGN	16	16	16	16	Movie: "The Pandora Project" (1998)		MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Los Angeles Dodgers (In Stereo Live)	News	Becker	Paid Prog.	Drew
INSP	17	17	17	17	Brkthgh	Frasier	Your Day	Life Today	Today	Family	Missions
WKMU-PBS	21	21	21	21	Media	Bookclub	Masterpiece Theatre	"Prime Suspect" (N)	News	Ky Life	Time Cap
WOKA-WB	22	22	22	22	10	Gilmore Girls (N)	One Tree Hill (N)	Judy	Roseanne	Roseanne	Extra
ESPN	24	24	24	24	8	NHL Hockey: Conference Final Game 3	Baseball Tonight	SportsCenter (Live)	Outside	Baseball	SportsCenter (Live)
ESPN2	25	25	25	25	30	Billiards	Billiards	Billiards	Billiards	Fastbreak	NHL
MTV	26	26	26	26	30	Prime Time Players	Music Videos	MTV Special	Video	Warning	MTV After Hours
TNT	28	28	28	28	39	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conf. Semifinal - Pistons at Nets	NBA Basketball: Spurs at Lakers				Inside the NBA
TLC	29	29	29	29	41	Worst Drivers	Overhaul'n (N)	Rides "Heavy Metal"	Worst Drivers	Overhaul'n	Rides "Heavy Metal"
LIFE	30	30	30	30	52	Golden	Golden	Golden	Golden	Nanny	Mad Abt.
USA	32	32	32	32	51	49	5	Movie: "The Siege" (1998) Denzel Washington	Law & Order	Karen Sisco	Nash
AMC	34	34	34	34	58	29	Movie: "The Grifters" (1990) Anjelica Huston	Movie: "Jaws 2" (1978, Horror) Roy Scheider	PG	Movie: "The Grifters"	
A&E	35	35	35	35	44	27	Biography: Newton	Cold Case Files			
FAM	36	36	36	36	53	36	2	Movie: "Home Fries" (1998, Comedy)	Whose? Whose?	The 700 Club	Home Videos
NICK	37	37	37	37	22	24	4	Oddpar: Sabrina	Full Hse.	Full Hse.	Cosby
HGTV	43	43	43	43	18	28	10	Designed Sensible	Decorat.	Design	Designers
SPIKE	44	44	44	44	33	30	23	Deep Space 9	Oblivious	Oblivious	Oblivious
WTBS	52	52	52	52	26	21	13	MLB Baseball: Atlanta Braves at St. Louis Cardinals (Live)	Movie: "Most Wanted" (1997, Suspense)	Movie: "Rocky III"	
TOON	65	65	65	65	32	50	10	Scooby-Doo	Coden-	Totally	Titans
COURT	66	66	66	66	61	1	1	Safety Challenge	Forensic	Forensic	The System
BET	67	67	67	67	39	1	1	Parkers	Parkers	Access	College
CMTV	70	70	70	70	34	1	1	Movie: "The Thing Called"	Urban	2004 Flameworthy Video Music Awards	Urban
HBO	68	68	68	68	71	51	1	Movie: "Shrek 2"	Movie: "The In-Laws" (2003) PG-13	The Sopranos	Movie: "Adaptation" (2002) R
MAX	76	76	76	76	72	54	1	Movie: "Road to Perdition" (2002) R	Movie: "Blood Work" (2002, Mystery) R	Passion	Movie: "Passion Crimes" (2001) R
SHOW	78	78	78	78	73	52	1	Movie: "The Opposite Sex"	Sexual Dialogues	Queer as Folk	Movie: "Blue Velvet" (1986, Drama) R
DISN	78	78	78	78	31	57	1	Movie: "The Thirteenth Year" (1999)	Sister	Boy World	Kim
FLIX	78	78	78	78	75	1	1	Movie: "My Beautiful Laundrette"	Movie: "Malone" (1987) Burt Reynolds	Movie: "Touch" (1997) R	Movie: "Cyclone" R
HBO2	62	62	62	62	1	1	1	Movie: "My Flesh and Blood"	Movie: "Dinner With Friends"	Boxing: Juan Marquez vs. Manny Pacquiao	Chris

WEDNESDAY MORNING											
MAY 12, 2004											
	A	B	C	D	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00
WKRN-ABC	2	2	2	2	News	News	News	News	Good Morning America	Regis and Kelly	The View (N)
WSL-ABC	3	3	3	3	News	News	News	News	Good Morning America	Living It Up	The View (N)
WSMV-ABC	4	4	4	4	News	News	News	News	Today (In Stereo)	Living It Up	Ellen Show
WTVF-CBS	5	5	5	5	News	News	News	News	The Early Show	Montel Williams	The Price is Right
WPSD-NBC	6	6	6	6	AgDay	News	News	News	Today (In Stereo)		Martha Stewart
WBBJ-ABC	7	7	7	7	News	AgDay	Good Morning	Good Morning America	Regis and Kelly	The View (N)	Divorce
WNPT-PBS	8	8	8	8	Berens-	BodyE-	Mr. Callou	Lions	Arthur	Big	Tele-
KBSI-Fox	9	9	9	9	2	3	4	Movie: "The 400 Blows"	Hatchett	Hatchett	Judge Mathis
WQTV-UPN	10	10	10	10	17	11	30	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
KFVS-CBS	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	Breakfast Show	The Early Show (In Stereo)	Regis and Kelly	The Price is Right
WGN	16	16	16	16	38	9	10	Feed	Hillbi-	Hillbi-	Hap
INSP	17	17	17	17	83	28	10	Truth	Zola	Truths	Jewish
WKMU-PBS	21	21	21	21	5	11	1	Yoga	BodyE-	Arthur	Clifford
WOKA-WB	22	22	22	22	16	10	1	King-Hill	Shephrd	Chapl	Sabrina
ESPN	24	24	24	24	26	8	1	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter
ESPN2	25	25	25	25	30	25	1	Beat	Dog	Cold Pizza (Live)	Cold Pizza
MTV	26	26	26	26	49	27	24	MTV Video Wake-Up (In Stereo)		Warning	MTV Hits
TNT	28	28	28	28	27	39	14	Pensacola-Wing	The Lost World	The Pretender	Charmed
TLC	29	29	29	29	41	41	1	Animal	Brum	Save-	Hi-5
LIFE	30	30	30	30	52	31	31	Fit Life	Workout	Sud-	Design
USA	32	32	32	32	51	49	5	Single	Single	Martin	JAG "War Cries"
AMC	34	34	34	34	58	29	1	Movie: "A Place in the Sun" (1991)	Movie: "Pittsburgh" (1942) NR	Movie: "The White Buffalo"	Movie: "The White Buffalo"
A&E	35	35	35	35	44	27	1	Paid	Paid	Mummies-Tales	Movie: "The White Buffalo"
FAM	36	36	36	36	53	36	2	J. Meyer	Feed	Digimon	Bey-
NICK	37	37	37	37	22	24	4	Nick	Arnold	Oddpar-	Rocket
HGTV	43	43	43	43	18	28	10	Paid	Paid	Journal	Sol-
SPIKE	44	44	44	44	33	30	23	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
WTBS	52	52	52	52	26	21	13	Mama	Mama	Save-	Save-
TOON	65	65	65	65	32	50	10	Trans-	Courage	Coden-	Yu Gi
COURT	66	66	66	66	61	1	1	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
BET	67	67	67	67	39	1	1	BET Morning Inspiration		BET Start	
CMTV	70	70	70	70	34	1	1	Smash Hits of Country			
HBO	68	68	68	68	71	51	1	Movie: "A Little Inside" (2001)	Movie: "Stuart Little 2" (2002)	Movie: "The Spitfire Grill" (1996)	Movie: "Two Weeks Notice"
MAX	76	76	76	76	72	54	1	Movie: "Harver"	Movie: "Summer and Smoke" (1961) R	Movie: "Old School" (2003)	Movie: "French Kiss" (1995) R
SHOW	78	78	78	78	73	52	1	Movie: "The Opposite Sex"	Movie: "The Opposite Sex"	Movie: "The Opposite Sex"	Movie: "The Opposite Sex"
DISN	78	78	78	78	31	57	1	Pooh	Bear	JoJo	Stanley
FLIX	78	78	78	78	75	1	1	Movie: "Toys in the Attic"	Movie: "Captive Hearts" (1987) PG	Movie: "12 Angry Men" (1957) NR	Movie: "Flight From Ashiya" (1964) NR
HBO2	62	62	62	62	1	1	1	Movie: "Iron Eagle IV" (1995)	Shrek 2	"Star Trek V: Frontier"	Movie: "Mr. Deeds" (2002) PG-13

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON											
MAY 12, 2004											
	A	B	C	D	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00
WKRN-ABC	2	2	2	2	All My Children	One Life to Live	General Hospital	Judy	Judy	News	News
WSL-ABC	3	3	3	3	All My Children	One Life to Live	General Hospital	Maury	Maury	Montel Williams	News
WSMV-ABC	4	4	4	4	News	News	Passions	Days of Our Lives	Dr. Phil	Oprah Winfrey	News
WTVF-CBS	5	5	5	5	Y & R	Talk of the Town	Bold	Guiding Light	As World Turns	News	Edition
WPSD-NBC	6	6	6	6	Days of Our Lives	Passions	Edition	Holly-	Dr. Phil	Jeop-	Million-
WBBJ-ABC	7	7	7	7	All My Children	One Life to Live	General Hospital	Maury	Maury	Oprah Winfrey	News
WNPT-PBS	8	8	8	8	Free-	Virtues	Lions	Liberty	Shrinka	Zoboo	Dragon
KBSI-Fox	9	9	9	9	2	3	4	Brown	Brown	The 700 Club	Paid
WQTV-UPN	10	10	10	10	17	11	30	Paid	Paid	Enter-	Main
KFVS-CBS	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	News	Bold	As World Turns	Guiding Light
WGN	16	16	16	16	38	9	10	News (In Stereo)	Heat of Night	Street	Street
INSP	17	17	17	17	83	28	10	Life	Fellow-	Inspir-	Inspir-
WKMU-PBS	21	21	21	21	5	11	1	Tele-	Lions	Berens-	Shrinka
WOKA-WB	22	22	22	22	16	10	1	Ricki Lake (N)	Osbourne Show	Ellen Show	Static
ESPN	24	24	24	24	26	8	1	Fast-	Baseball	MLB Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Kansas City Royals	SportsCenter
ESPN2	25	25	25	25	30	25	1	SportsCenter	NBA	NBA	Great
MTV	26	26	26	26	49	27	24	Music Videos (In Stereo)		Punk'd	Punk'd
TNT	28	28	28	28	27	39	14	Law & Order	NYPD Blue	NYPD Blue	Judging Amy
TLC	29	29	29	29	41	41	1	Sec	Pro-	Wed-	Wed-
LIFE	30	30	30	30	52	31	31	Unsolved Myst.	Movie: "Born Into Exile" (1997) R	Any Day Now	Strong Medicine
USA	32	32	32	32	51	49	5	JAG	Texas Ranger	Movie: "The Siege" (1998, Suspense)	Texas Ranger
AMC	34	34	34	34	58	29	1	Movie: "Western Union" (1941)	Movie: "Flame of Barbary Coast" (1945)	Movie: "Donovan's Reef" (1963)	
A&E	35	35	35	35	44	27	1	Amer. Justice	Movie: "Nitti: The Enforcer" (1988)	Murder-Wrote	Murder-Wrote
FAM	36	36	36	36	53	36	2	Family	Family	Step	So Little
NICK	37	37	37	37	22	24	4	Max	Dora	Rugrats	Rugrats
HGTV	43	43	43	43	18	28	10	Decorat-	Curb	Mission	Design
SPIKE	44	44	44	44	33	30	23	Deep Space 9	Star Trek Gen.	Highlander	Real TV
WTBS	52	52	52	52	26	21	13	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	FreshPr
TOON	65	65	65	65	32	50	10	Tom & Jerry	Looney	Looney	Grim
COURT	66	66	66	66	61	1	1	Both Sides		Closing Arguments	
BET	67	67	67	67	39	1	1	BET Now		The Center	Rap City: The Basement
CMTV	70	70	70	70	34	1	1	(10:30) Smash Hits of Country			
HBO	68	68	68	68	71	51	1	Movie: "Half Past	Movie: "Juwanna Mann"	Rebels Outland	Movie: "House of Cards" (1993) R
MAX	76	76	76	76	72	54	1	Movie: "Phone Booth" (2002)	Movie: "Star Trek: First Contact" (1996)	Movie: "Hero" (1992) PG-13	Movie: "Eight Legged Freaks" (2002)
SHOW	78	78	78	78	73	52	1	Movie: "Coast"	Movie: "Blackwoods" (2002)	Movie: "Clockstoppers"	Movie: "Sideways of New York" (2001)
DISN	78	78	78	78	31	57	1	JoJo	Stanley	Pooh	House
FLIX	78	78	78	78	75	1	1	Movie: "Queen of Blood" (NR)	Movie: "Walk Like a Man"	Movie: "Toys in the Attic"	Movie: "Captive Hearts"
HBO2	62	62	62	62	1	1	1	Movie: "JFK" (1991) R	Movie: "Divine Secrets-Ya-Ya Sisterhood"	Making	"Star Wars: Episode II - Attack of the Clones" PG



SHERRY MCCLAIN/MSU photo
Faculty members with 30 years of service at Murray State University were honored at the annual Faculty Recognition Banquet. Pictured (from left) with Russ Wall, interim dean of the college of education, are Ken Purcell, adolescent, career and special education; and Jim Rudolph, agriculture. Not shown are Ray Conklin, music; and Frank Julian, government, law and international affairs, who, along with Purcell and Rudolph have 30 years of university service.

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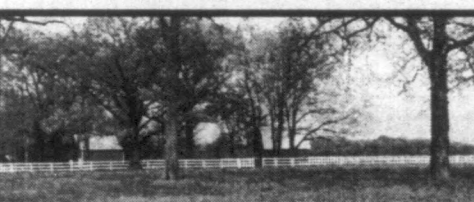
PUBLIC NOTICE

Second reading of a proposed ordinance amending the Calloway County budget for fiscal year 2003-04, to include unanticipated receipts from miscellaneous revenues (property sale) in the amount of \$31,000 and increasing expenditures in the area of Senior Citizens, program support, will be held on May 18 at 7:00 p.m. at the Weeks Community Center. A copy of the proposed ordinance may be viewed in the County Judge/Exec. office during normal business hours.

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All interested persons are invited to attend and participate in this meeting.

If further information is needed, please contact the Calloway County Judge Executive's office at 270-753-2920.

Larry Elkins
Calloway County Judge Executive

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PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing will be held by the City of Murray in the Council Chambers of City Hall, Ma 27, 2004, 6:30 p.m., for the purpose of obtaining written or oral comments regarding the proposed use of City of Murray Budget Funds for the upcoming year.

PUBLIC INSPECTION: The City's proposed use of City of Murray Budget Funds is available for public inspection at City Hall during normal business hours. Any person(s) (especially senior citizens) who cannot submit written comments or attend the public meeting, but wish to submit comments, should call City Hall at 762-0350 so the City can make arrangements to secure their comments.

Harla McClure, City Clerk

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Murray Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, May 18, 2004 at 5:00 p.m. in the council chambers of City Hall located at 104 N. 5th Street to consider a request from the Murray Moose Lodge #2011 located at 1300 N. 16th Street from R-4 (multi-family residential) to B-2 (highway business).

All interested persons are invited to attend and participate in this meeting.

If further information is needed, please contact the Department of Planning and Engineering at 762-0330.

Richard Vanover, Chairman
Murray Planning Commission

Candace Dowdy
Planning Assistant

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When: Sat., May 15, 2004

Time: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Where: Pella Corporation

307 Pella Way, Murray, KY 42071
(North of Murray off of highway 641)

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Jackson Purchase Medical Center has an immediate full-time histotechnologist position available on the day shift, Monday thru Friday. Previous pathology experience is required. Excellent benefit package available. Salary commensurate with experience. Qualified applicants may submit an application at JPMC's Human Resources Department through Friday, May 21, 2004. EOE M/F/V/D

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Engineering Technician, Capital Construction Administration/Department of Facilities Management, Murray State University. Full-time position to begin June 1, 2004. **Qualifications:** AA degree in Construction, Engineering, Architecture, Technology or related field. **Responsibilities:** Must be able to draw new and existing conditions on Autocad, coordinate consultant drawings and submissions, maintain project records, journals and other necessary information, serve as administrator of project management website, construct estimates with assistance of project manager and prepare presentation materials for projects as required. Other duties include, photograph projects and assembly of promotional materials, organizing and maintaining resource library, assist Associate Director in maintaining and distributing MSU design guidelines, organize and maintain electronic files for all projects, and will need to become familiar with ADA laws and regulations. Other responsibilities as assigned by the Associate Director of Capital Construction Administration. **Application Deadline:** June 1, 2004. **To Apply:** Send letter of appreciation, resume, list of references and college transcripts to: Don Riley, AIA, Associate Director of Capital Construction Administration, Facilities Management, Murray State University, 615 Gilbert Graves Drive, Murray, KY 42071-3354. *Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. Murray State University is an equal education and employment opportunity. M/F/D, AA employer.*

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DEAR DR. GOTT: Does the skin absorb all the bath oils and lip creams that we apply? I use so much lotion and cocoa butter on my hands and feet in the winter that I am concerned about the cholesterol and triglyceride fats that may be entering my body.

Dr. Gott
By Dr. Peter Gott

DEAR READER: Under ordinary circumstances, the substances in topical products are not absorbed through the skin into the body, although they are absorbed into the skin itself.

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DEAR DR. GOTT: I am taking triamterene/hydrochlorothiazide for high blood pressure. One pharmacist suggested that I take a potassium supplement as well, but other resources indicate that this is not necessary. I'm confused.

DEAR READER: As well you might be. Let me help. Many diuretic medications have the potential to cause losses of potassium. Hydrochlorothiazide is such a drug.

Triamterene, however, isn't. It may raise potassium levels. Therefore, when the two drugs are combined (as in your case), the end result — from the potassium-losing drug coupled with the potassium-sparing one — is a neutral balance. When taking this combination medication, your potassium level should neither rise nor fall. This is one reason why this treatment for hypertension has been popular for decades. Along with being safe and inexpensive, it is not ordinarily associated with the mineral imbalances that can complicate therapy with other kidney stimulants. Follow your doctor's advice.

I should mention that I have seen extremely rare instances in which combination therapy has resulted in low potassium levels.

Although this reaction is very unusual, your primary care physician may choose to monitor your potassium level with a blood test once or twice a year. Also, you should report to him if you experience any unexplained muscle weakness and/or cramps, the primary symptoms of low potassium.

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Women tired of shouldering burden of bad bra design

DEAR ABBY: "Double-Jointed in Dayton," who complained about how difficult it is to buy a bra, touched upon a subject that has been my pet peeve for years.

Why is it that if a woman wears a 32-A and really doesn't need to wear a bra at all, she has her choice of white, black, beige, navy, shocking pink and turquoise, as well as plaids, polka dots and leopard prints? But if a woman is a 42-D (or more) and requires a bra every waking moment, she has a choice of -- white.

The lingerie industry is missing out on a large (literally) part of its potential customer base. Sign me ... **THE WOMAN IN WHITE, LONGPORT, N.J.**

DEAR WOMAN IN WHITE: When I printed that letter, I thought I'd do it as a hint to the lingerie industry. Little did I know that the letter would hit a nerve with so many women. My cup runneth over ... Read on:

DEAR ABBY: While you're on the subject of bras, may I add my 2 cents? I want to tell you how inconvenient it is for large-sized women -- 200 pounds -- when our size is always displayed near the floor on the racks. Every store puts the small sizes at the top of the rack. Not only are the items we need hard to reach, but it's also hard to locate what I'm looking for while bent over. Thanks for letting me have my say. -- **BETTY IN SAN JOSE**

DEAR BETTY: I agree. It is shortsighted to expect all heavy-set women to be farsighted -- or limber.

DEAR ABBY: I am very slender and small-busted. Underwire bras hurt. Just try to find a 34-B that doesn't have underwires. -- **BRA-**

LESS IN OKLAHOMA

DEAR BRA-LESS: Do what I do. Emancipate yourself by using a razor blade and removing the wires.

DEAR ABBY: When someone asks if there is a "Satan," I always respond, "Yes. Who else would have invented women's undergarments and shoes?"

Truly, the manufacturers have no concept of reality when it comes to brassieres. Those of us old enough to remember the 1950s know what real torture is. That was the day of the bullet-shaped bra! No wonder the first act of rebellion in the women's liberation movement was the burning of bras. -- **RUTH L. IN FRESNO**

DEAR RUTH L.: We don't have to look back to the '50s to remember those bras; all we have to do is rent an old Madonna video. She wore hers on the outside, no less, so no one could miss the point.

DEAR ABBY: I wish manufacturers would design something that fits real women instead of Barbie dolls. The strap adjustments are only the beginning of the problem. We women are not fooled for one minute as to why those sharp little hooks are always right in the dead center of our backs. We know it's to keep us gals from relaxing for even a minute. It's pretty hard to lean back and feel comfortable with those little devils fracturing your spine! I'm sure I'm not the only one complaining. -- **DISGUSTED CUSTOMER**

DEAR DISGUSTED CUSTOMER: You're not.

ContractBridge

It's All in the Spots

South dealer.
North-South vulnerable.

NORTH		EAST	
♦ Q 3		♦ K J 8 4	
♥ K Q J 3		♥ 10 5	
♦ 7 3 2		♦ K 9 8 5	
♣ K 10 6 5		♣ 9 4 3	

SOUTH	
♦ A 7	
♥ 7 6 2	
♦ A Q J 10	
♣ A Q 7 2	

The bidding:	
South	West
1 NT	Pass
2 ♦	Pass
Opening lead — five of spades.	

This is a relatively simple hand to play, but it is worth discussing because many declarers might carelessly foul it up.

West leads a spade, and declarer hopefully plays dummy's queen. When East produces the king, South ducks and wins the spade continuation.

It is clear that if South loses the lead before he scores nine tricks, he will go down, losing at least four

spades and the ace of hearts. He must therefore try to win four diamond tricks and four club tricks in addition to the ace of spades.

It is far from certain South can accomplish this goal — but he has no better alternative. He begins by leading the ace of clubs followed by the queen to guard against the possibility that West might have four clubs to the jack. If so, the jack becomes finessable.

As it happens, however, West plays the jack on the queen, and at this point South must take advantage of his good fortune by overtaking the queen with the king. If he doesn't, he goes down one. Next comes a diamond finesse, which wins.

Again declarer must be very careful, leading the seven of clubs to dummy's ten in order to repeat the diamond finesse. He then leads the carefully preserved deuce of clubs to dummy's six for the final diamond finesse.

South's reward for manipulating his clubs correctly is that he finishes with nine tricks. But if he fails to overtake the queen of clubs, or later neglects to lead the seven to dummy's ten, he goes down, since he will not be able to lead diamonds three times from dummy.

Tomorrow: A heart-rending tale.

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Crosswords

ACROSS

- Fallen tree
- Diminish
- Ostrichlike bird
- Quaint hotel
- Pilots' place
- Puffin's kin
- Seashore
- Extreme
- Pow!
- Bolt holder
- Continued
- "Orinoco Flow" singer
- Uh cousin
- Sci-fi or romance
- Rhyme maker
- CEO's auto
- Sword fights
- Pat on
- Installed, as carpet
- Relish
- Pharaoh's god
- This, to Jose
- "Clair de lune" composer
- What person
- Hawk
- Some
- fund-raisers
- Eager and willing
- Today
- View
- from Everest
- Large green parrot
- Diligent insect
- Needing a rinse
- Mental telepathy

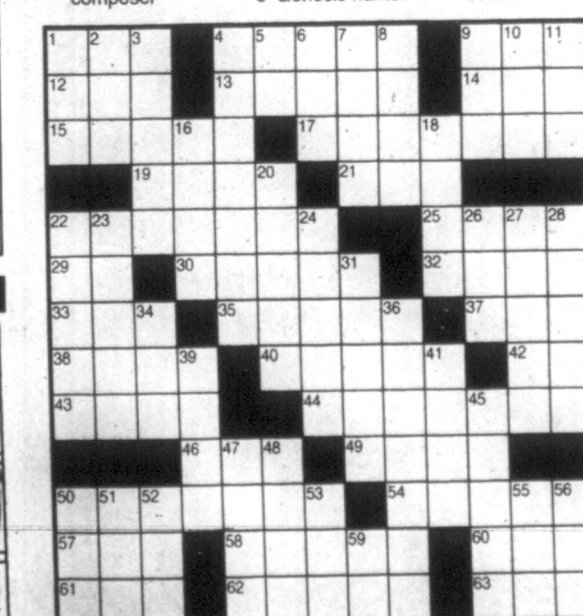
DOWN

- Rights-movement word
- Single
- Works
- on a bone
- Conscience-stricken
- Vol.
- Assistance
- Small gull
- Genesis hunter
- Shoe-wiping place
- Ja. to Jacques
- Dog show org.
- Train-engine sound
- Footfall
- Restaurant handouts
- Ivan's dollar
- Peel and Bovary
- Trepidation
- Gesture
- Months and months
- Cornered (2 wds.)
- Brownies
- Funny person
- Gravely
- Sunrise
- Criterion
- Quench
- Egg producers
- Two-piece cookie
- Evidence, maybe
- Charged particle
- RCMP patrol zone
- Mineral spring
- Plaines, Ill.
- Sharp bark
- News agcy.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

RID TEALS COW
ETA UPSET AWE
BANANA VOWELS
IRE SILOS
AREA TU ELAND
LIL ZITI FRAU
CT ANNUALS CD
OAFS ERNE SHE
ASONG ES AMOS
LEERS ALE
AUDREY ISLAND
RTE NEEDS RBI
MAR ASHOT SAP

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are William B. Miller, superintendent; Edward Curd, supervisor; Charlie Lassiter, director of pupil personnel; Helen Hogancamp, director of food services; Lucille Ross, nurse; W.H. Brooks, adult farmer class teacher.

Births reported include a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Owen Norsworthy, April 28; a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stealy, April 29; a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Parker, May 1.

40 years ago
James C. Williams, Calloway County chairman of the 1964 Easter Seal Campaign for the Kentucky Society of Crippled Children, said a check for \$1,502.76 was mailed May 7 to the society from the Calloway County fund drive.

Mrs. Georgia B. Wear, elementary teacher of Murray City Schools, has been re-appointed to the Kentucky Textbook Commission by the Kentucky Board of Education.

Recent births reported at Murray Hospital include a boy to Mr. and Mrs. David LeTourneau; a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Cassidy and a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Young.

50 years ago
Cpl. Hollie L. Riley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ovis L. Riley, is serving with the 1279th Engineer Combat Battalion in Frankfurt, Germany.

Calloway County Homemakers Clubs presented a style show of members modeling handmade hats, suits and coats as part of the year's project work May 6 at the Murray Woman's Club House. Mrs. Jim Hardy Walston, county project leader, presided. A tea followed the show. Mrs. Curtis Hays is county president.

TodayInHistory

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, May 11, the 132nd day of 2004. There are 234 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: One hundred years ago, surrealist artist Salvador Dali was born in Figueras, Spain.

On this date: In 1858, Minnesota became the 32nd state of the Union.

In 1910, Glacier National Park in Montana was established.

In 1943, during World War II, U.S. forces landed on the Aleutian island of Attu, which was held by the Japanese; the Americans took the island 19 days later.

In 1944, Allied forces launched a major offensive against German lines in Italy.

In 1946, the first CARE packages arrived in Europe, at Le Havre, France.

In 1973, charges against Daniel Ellsberg for his role in the "Pentagon Papers" case were dismissed by Judge William M. Byrne, who cited government misconduct.

In 1996, an Atlanta-bound ValuJet DC-9 caught fire shortly after takeoff from Miami and crashed into the Florida Everglades, killing all 110 people on board.

Ten years ago: Arkansas put to death two convicted murderers; it was the first time a state executed two people on the same day since the U.S. Supreme Court allowed states to restore the death penalty in 1976.



Dr. Gott

By Dr. Peter Gott



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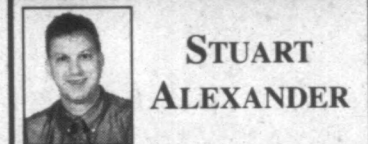
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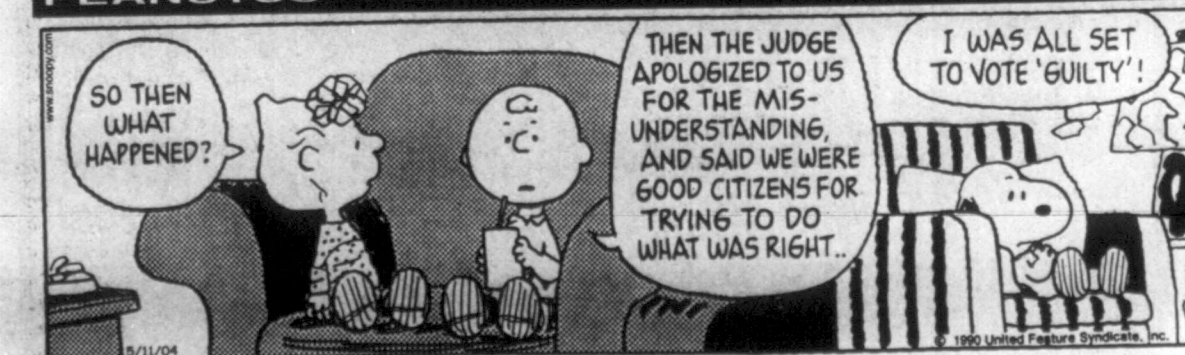
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Learning

Tuesday, May 11, 2004



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North Elementary School students celebrate in costume the Groovy Writing Program.

North Elementary Doodles is far out

Thursday, April 29, was a "groovy night" at North Calloway Elementary. Teachers and students dressed the part for their Groovy Writing program. This was a special night where the whole school celebrates writing and unveils the latest Doodles magazine. This is the fifth edition of Doodles. Mrs. Sarah Oliver and Mrs. Sherri Gibson are both Title I writing teachers

and the co-editors of the magazine.

"It's hard to believe that we started Doodles five years ago. It seems like it was just yesterday when we were planning and discussing plans to start a literary magazine at North."

Every student can submit their best literary work to be published in Doodles.

Special appearance



Photo Provided

WPSD-TV news anchor Amy Watson visited Southwest Elementary on April 29, not as journalist Amy Watson, but as author Amy Watson. Watson read her book, *The Hairdresser's Baby*. While there, Watson also took time to reminisce. Amy attended Southwest Elementary and graduated from Calloway County High School. Watson said she loves to come back home and visit with friends and family.

The Kiwanis Club of Murray recently honored outstanding teachers and top graduates from both Murray High School and Calloway County High School at the annual Academic Honors Banquet.



Photo provided

The Kiwanis Club of Murray honored two outstanding teachers as chosen by the top graduates of 2004 at the recent Academic Honors Banquet. The Murray High School top graduates chose Debbie Burgess. The Calloway County High School top graduates chose Vanda Elliott. Shown are Ms. Burgess; Kiwanis Club President Bob Rodgers; and Ms. Elliott.



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The Murray Kiwanis Club recently honored the top graduates of Murray High School, at the annual Academic Honors Banquet. Pictured left to right are, front row: Julie Denham, Meagan Black and Shanna Gibson; Middle Row: Allison Kippit, Haley Hart and Charlsie Young; Back Row: Ryan Cobb, Bretton Brown and Jordann Kelleher. Not present is Emily Seay.



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The Murray Kiwanis Club recently honored the top graduates of Calloway County High School, at the annual Academic Honors Banquet. Left to right, front row: Amanda Ferguson, Amanda Adams, Kara Kelso, Lynsdi Keel and Hillary Hulse.



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Murray Middle student Robert Aguero positions a plant in the new outdoor classroom on the Murray Middle School campus.

Murray Middle students create outdoor classroom

By BRANDI WILLIAMS
Staff Writer

A group of students at Murray Middle School have been elbow deep in the dirt creating something that will benefit all students.

The students have been creating an outdoor classroom area. Under the advisement of speech pathologist Laura Miller and school ground supervisor Dana Pierson, the students created a functional aesthetic classroom in front of the school.

Miller and the students sat down and discussed the needs of the project and developed a design that allowed the students to do most of the work. Miller said when many of the teachers take their students outside the class, there is no good place

to sit and take notes. It is also difficult to get the kids to keep focus if they are spread across the lawn.

The school used three grants from The Murray Independent School System Foundation, the Community Education Service Learning and Pat Seiber to fund the project.

Miller said the students planted every plant. The project is a circle of benches built by the students around a brick, paved, patio-type area surrounded by plants which are butterfly and hummingbird attractors.

"This will now be a part of the history of the school," said Assistant Superintendent of Operations Wayne Benningfield. "It will add to what the teachers will utilize in their classes."

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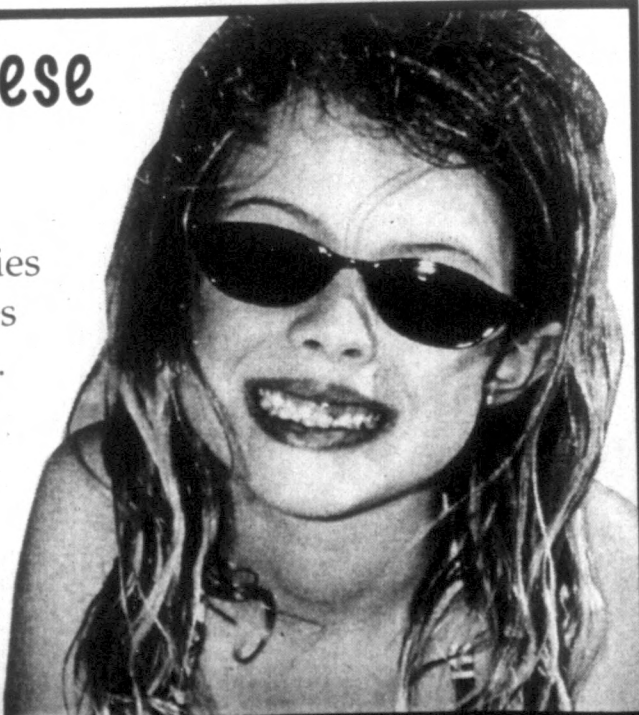
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