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wouldn't get to Grandma's house so, out of desperation, Polly cursed the storm that kept her from coming. She placed a curse upon the storm so that for all eternity, on the anniversary of that day, the rains and storms would follow the same pattern for the whole month of July.

So, if it rains all day on the second day of July, expect rain and flooding for the whole month. If there's no rain, expect drought for July. If it rains but a portion of the day, expect a moderate amount of rain for July.

This year was a perfect example of the "Curse of Polly". On the second day of the month, it rained briefly in little pop-up showers over most of the state. Some areas got soaked while an area only ten miles away received no rain at all. We can expect very little rain the remainder of the month with only a few little pop-up showers as it did on the second. I think Polly is more accurate than most meteorologists. She can predict a month at a time, and they aren't too sure about the week ahead.

Our Readers

Write

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defeat the human body, it cannot beat the human spirit. In fact, my mother tells me that my father's spirit will be alive as long as I live because I am so much like him. I learned we have no guarantee for a long life, and that it is important to make each day useful and productive -- to do good for others using our gifts, talents and our precious time.

How has your life been touched by cancer? What is your personal story? Over 22,000 cases of cancer are expected to be diagnosed in Kentucky in 2003. It is estimated that over 9,000 Kentuckians will die from cancer in 2003. Many residents of Rockcastle County are affected by cancer. Cancer is a personal enemy of mine.

Please help us fight the disease by participating in our August 1, 2003 Relay for Life, the signature

fundraiser of the American Cancer Society. For as little as a \$5 donation, I will have in memory of my father, Ray J.A. Adams, a luminary, which will light up Rockcastle County in our battle against cancer. Please join me.

Betty Purcell
Relay for Life Volunteer

Dear Editor,

My family and I have just moved to Mt. Vernon from South Carolina. We bought property and had a home built. We were fortunate in finding the building firm of Ponder & Johnson (Kris and Ben Ponder and

Gary Johnson) to build for us.

These guys and their crews have done a wonderful job and we are very happy with our new home. We were very impressed with the professional manner in which everything was handled. We would highly recommend them to anyone who has building to be done.

We surely appreciated their friendliness and the fact they made us feel very welcome at the community.

Again, a big thank you to Kris, Ben, Gary and all their crews for a job well done.

Ginger and John Mitchell

Dear Editor,

I am the founder of the Rock of Ages Mission. Most people know of us. We have helped several families in the past, some we helped more than once. Many good people have lost their jobs and some have lost their Social Security or V.A. benefits, etc. I have asked for support from area businesses and churches in the past.

With the exception of a few businesses giving a one time donation, we haven't heard from the many others. I have spoken to many church members who tell me to speak to someone else in the church. I have

called many pastors more than once, but never heard from them. So, I wrote to them, you know the answer to this, no reply!

People, what is wrong with us? Kentucky's motto is, at least it used to be, United We Stand, Divided We Fall. I am not judging anyone, I just think that it is about time we started helping our own community. We feel good about sending money to other countries. Tell me, what have those countries done about our hungry and our people who can't afford medicine and our people who are homeless? We, at Rock of Ages, give food and clothing alone to several fami-

lies each month. I don't know what tomorrow will bring. We have let some of our expenses go to help others out of our own pockets.

I hope and pray that you will support us. We can't do it alone. We are asking you, the people, to help us. If this letter doesn't bring in any support, at least I said what needed to be said.

Please be praying for us. God bless you.

Sincerely,
Kathy Bretz
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E.E. & J.P. Cromer Reunion

The E.E. Cromer and J.P. Cromer Family Reunion will be Sat., July 26 at Quail Community Park on Hwy. 70. Lunch will be served about 11:30. Bring a covered dish.

Abney Reunion

The Morgan and Ida Abney reunion will be held Saturday, August 2 at the Family Life Center Shelter on the right at the top of the hill. Bring a covered dish and join us for dinner at noon until 7.

Todd/Gatliff Reunion

The Todd/Gatliff Reunion will be held Sunday, August 3 at the Berry-Ramsey Park on Clear Creek. All relatives and friends invited. Lunch at 1 p.m. Bring a covered dish and lawn chair.

Kirby Family Reunion

The Jessie and Mattie Kirby Family Reunion will be held at Levi Jackson State Park on Sunday, July 20th. Potluck lunch will be served. Everyone bring a covered dish.

McHargue Family Reunion

There will be a McHargue Family Reunion at Levi Jackson State Park on August 9. Family and friends are invited. Bring a covered dish.

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