

Rockeastle Election officers and Rockeastle County Clerk Norma Houk and members of her-staff a shown above counting absentee ballots on Tuesday, Shown from left are: Joe Bullen, Juanita Dav Rockeastle Sheriff Darrell Doan, Russell Houk, Janet Burdine and Mrz. Houk, U.S. Republican Represe tative Ernie Pietcher carried Rockeastle County and also won across the state with over a 100,000 vo

Man charged with theft of water

If you are a customer of Western Rockcastle Water District, have had a \$1,662.81 bill, he allegedly injury our meter pulled for non-payment of your water bill and have installed a jumper in place of the meter of your water. By the properties of t

five year prison sentence, up to a \$1,000 fine plus restitution. A spokesperson for the water dis-trict said that, anyone found using a jumper, after a meter has been re-moved for non-payment of a bill, will be prospected.

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The district also recently changed their policy on past due water bills. Now in effect, water meters will be pulled on bills not paid in full by the 15th of the month following receipt of the second month's bill.

Carloftis to be on "Martha Stewart Living"

Also selected for Artwalk NY, Designer Showcase

at Headley-Whitney Estate and Museum

Rockcastle native Jon Carloftis, nowned landscape and garden de-gner, will be appearing on Martha ewart Living on November 17 and

19. In one segment, he will show how to make terrarium centerpieces, using maidenhair ferns, hen and chickens, a bird's nest, "whatever you want to use," Carloits said. He used unusual containers like a glass cake

Heavy rain

Mother Nature waited five days a November and ever shined down on Kentucky voters Tuesday, but Wednesday morning it was a differ-

Wednesday morning it was a differ-nt story. In about a four hour period, the weather station at Cox Funeral Home essuber station at Cox Funeral Home escorded as inch and half of minfall. Some areas of the county! Also on election day, tip mercury limbed to 81. In October, two inches of rain-all of the county of the county of the property of the county of the cou

plate, opvering it with a glass bell jar.

The second segment featured attributes have lost great in a container in the winter. Real simple. Real clean look. Something you might put on either side of your doorway. Carloffia said, the abo gives tips on put clean look. Something you might put on either side of your doorway. Carloffia, said, the labo gives tips on particular than the loc Princess was so charmed by Lagonia Harbard, the loc Princess was so charmed by Lagonia Harbard, and chatting. And her staff called Carloffis later to blak about making a return appearance. Besides the suppearance on Martha Stewart Living. Carloffis was also recently involved in "Arvalk Ny-organized by Yoko One to benefit the homeless in New York City. Architectural Digest chose bon as their bond of the staff of the control of the staff of

designers chosen for showcasing at the Headley-Whitney Estate and Museum recently for three weeks in

abandoned greenhouse on the grounds into a Victorian Gentleman's Smoking Parlot.

One of the items he used in this project was brought from his home. In Pennsylvania and got a lot of notice, especially after the movie "Sea Bisconti," was a 1930s era carnival game. The is a wind up game with horses running around the track. Carnival goers in the 30s would place (Cont. to A-12).

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New free medical clinic opens in Berea

The new Berea Health Ministry Medical Clinic held an open house last week to give potential patients a tour of their facility. The clinic is located in the Boone

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There was music, entertainment, health information, and tours held during the open house.

The clinic started taking patients on Wednesday, For more information, call (859) 986-1274.



Stallsworth elected to school board

Fletcher carries county, state in Governor's race

By: Richard Anderkin
Rockcastle County voters went
along with the rest of the state of
Kentucky on Tuesday night when all
14 precincts gave Republican Emie
Fletcher a majority of the vote.
Fletcher is the first Republicant to
be elected Kentucky Governor in 36

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As did the rest of the state, Rockcastle Countinas, obviously bleed blue, that is the "Big Blue" basketball program at the University of Kentucky. Former U.K. player Richie Farmer got 2757 to his opponent's 909. His opponent was Alice Baesler, wife of former U.S.



Congressman and Lexington Mayor
Scotty Baselar.

Locally in the division one school
board race, Angie Stallsworth defeated Donna Hasty, 233 to. 192.
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for the next three years.
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serves. He defeated his closest chal-lenger. Somerset attorney Mike Duncan, by a nearly two to one mar-

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Gillium was appointed earlier this year to replace long-time Circuit Judge Dan Venters, who resigned to return to private practice. Judge Gillium will serve through 2006.

Ed McHargue and Charlie Newcomb were victorious over write-in candidate to Chy Copprin a representation of the control of the companion of the control of the control of the companion of the control o

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Mt. Vernon to raise water rates

have to deal with an increase in were the rates from the City of Mt. Vermon. The city council had the first read-ing of Ordinance, #11-2003 which details the increases to both individual customers and water districts. Liuther Galloway, engineer with Austin and Goods Engineers told the council of the council could also to raise rates. One-council could use to raise rates. One-council could use to raise rates. One-ter districts which greatly facilitate approval of the increase through the Public Service Commission and, fail-

ing that, by, application to the PSC for a rate adjustment which could take up to a year. However, Mayor Clarics Kirby However, Mayor Clarics Kirby Mayor Clarics Kirby Mayor Clarics Kirby Mayor Clarics Kirby Mayor Clarics Airby Mayor Clarics Airby Mayor Clarics Mayor Ma

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"Halloween on Main"

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The first ever "Halloween on Main" was held last Friday night, in Mt. Vernou with a great turnout and all kinds of treats for the children and, best of all, no tricks. The event was sponsored by Main Street Renaissance, in conjunction with the Kiwanis Club. Over 20 stations were available for children to visit. In the top photo, Angie, Amy and Lindaey Parsons "treat" the occasion as a clown, and some might say it was an obvious choice of costume. She also showed her expertise with a paddie ball. It was estimated that over a thousand children took advantage of the very nice weather to stroll along Main Street and fill their goody bags.

