

# Estill Co. Courthouse News

## Marriages

Virginia Renea Mansfield, 18, student of Red Lick Road, Irvine and Ryan Douglas Hinds, 22, unemployed of Leighton Road, Irvine, married November 7, 2014.

## Property Transfers

Tonya Leann Fortner to Roger G. and Edith A. Richardson, \$100,000 property address 651 Cedar Grove Road, Irvine, two tracts south of Old Rihmond-Irvine Road.

Carrie Ann Richardson to Billy Wayne Richardson, a gift from ex-wife to ex-

husband, quit claim deed, two tracts on Dark Hollow Road.

Dwayne Arvin to Charles Arvin, love and affection, 11.60 acres by survey on Hinton Road, Irvine.

Deborah Watkins to Willie Terry, \$27,500, two tracts in Estill County.

Donna M. Crowe, Angela K. Crowe, and J.D. and Lori Crowe to Adam R. Benton and Brett D. Benton, settlement of estate of James Herbert Crowe, five acres, more or less, on Sandhill Road

**District civil suits filed**  
Portfolio Recovery Associates LLC vs. Lisa Castle, seeking judgment for \$2,228.28 plus interest and court costs.

JJ Green Valley vs. Anthony McIntosh, seeking eviction.

Harold G. Hunt (Trust) vs. David Voiles and Jessica Jarrell Thacker, seeking eviction.

**Drivers licenses**  
Harlowe Risner, Cotie Mays, Heather Hebert, and Russell Brinegar.

**Operators licenses**  
Gayle Hereford, McKenzie Flynn, and Tyler Howell.

# New city ordinance eliminates pay raises given on technicality

The Irvine Council passed an ordinance at Monday's meeting on employees' pay, but not before amending it three times. Even then, not all council members and city employees were satisfied.

The original ordinance was designed for employees newly hired by the city. The first amendment was to change the ordinance from newly hired to include all employees.

The second amendment was to pay \$10.00 an hour to any employee who has a CDL license. The third amendment was to give full time employees a 2% raise, voted on annually by the council if the budget allowed.

The ordinance was not liked by part time firefighters, who said street employees were making more than they were.

Mayor Ernest Farmer said the street employees were to be paid \$10.00 an hour because they had to have a CDI license. Firefighters are not required to have a CDL license but must undergo training annually on driving a fire truck.

"If we get a CDL, we're not going to drive differently than we do now," said Firefighter Chad Neal.

Councilman Billy Arthur said it wasn't a big deal to get a CDL. He has one to drive a wrecker for his business.

"You have a choice to do it or not do it," said Councilman Tobo Bryant.

The firemen thought the training hours they take did not justify a pay lesser than street employees.

All firemen are required to have 20 hours of basic training a year, but usually exceed that with specialty training.

Fireman Tim Riddell explained that he was certified in hazmat. A few years ago, when a train ran away from Winchester and crashed near the coal wash, Riddell said his hazmat training was used.

Based upon what Mayor Farmer called a technicality, the part time firefighters will be receiving a 2% salary increase, based upon the ordinance which was replaced Monday.

Bryant said the council never intended to

give part-time employees a 2% raise, and they should have gotten no benefits whatsoever.

Riddell said he had worked as a part time firefighter for the city for 13 or 14 years and had received a 25 cent an hour raise.

The ordinance will become final upon publication.

Discussion on the above ordinance followed a heated discussion between the council and Margaret Durbin.

"I would like for you to show me when my property was annexed," Durbin said.

The mayor said the city map showed her property was located in city limits so that was why she received a tax bill.

City attorney Rodney Davis said he had not checked to see if there were annexation papers in Frankfort as he had done for property owners on Kirkland Avenue who have also received city tax bills.

Durbin said she went to a city council meeting in 2009 and was told the city was to survey her property to see if it was in the city. The cost of a surveyor came in too high, so the council had decided to just drop the issue.

But at Monday's meeting, the council unanimously voted to have Durbin's property surveyed to see if it is in city limits.

She told the council she has not received any city services over the years. Mayor Farmer said she will now be paying city rates for water and garbage pickup.

After a discussion with Police Chief Brad Smith, the council agreed to send a letter to the occupants of 314 Turner Avenue and tell them to clean up their property or pay a fine.

Smith said that a city truck has been taken to the property several time, and the residents have not used it.

Approval was given to fire chief Tony Murphy to apply for a cost sharing grant. Murphy said the fire department will purchase 25 sets of turnouts and life packs if the grant is received. He estimates the city's cost share will be three to four thousand dollars.

# Irvine Police makes arrests

IPD Captain Adrian McKinney arrested Tim Sizemore, 18, of Witt Ridge Road, Irvine.

for criminal mischief, first degree, on Saturday afternoon.

McKinney said he was

radioed a call about a trailer at 294 Turner Avenue being damaged.

An arrest warrant was served November 6 by Sgt Mike Gross on James K. Gil-

vin, 55, of Lexington.

The bench warrant was signed by Circuit Judge Tom Jones because Gilvin was indicted on charges of burglary, first degree, terroristic threatening, third degree, criminal mischief, first degree, and intimidating a witness in the legal process.

Charles W. Donahue, 53, of Rockaway Road, Irvine was arrested November 6 on a bench warrant from Judge Jones and two warrants on new charges. Donahue had been indicted in Estill Circuit Court on charges of second degree assault and three counts of wanton endangerment first degree.

Donahue was charged with two counts of third degree terroristic threatening, a misdemeanor.

Edgar L. Tucker, 66, of Newnan Cemetery Road, Irvine was arrested November 5 by Sgt. Mike Gross.

Tucker was charged with possession of a handgun by a convicted felony.

Ellen Townsend, 29, of Dark Hollow Road was arrested on a bench warrant November 5 indicted for fraudulent use of a credit card.

Terri Noe, 36, of Broadway as arrested November 4 by Sgt. Michael Gross on Richmond Road and Scott Hill Road for driving under the influence.

## Prices Good November 12-18, 2014

Whole, Boneless **Pork Loin** \$2.29 Lb.

Whole, Fischer's **Quick Cut Ham** \$2.99 Lb.

Whole, Sliced Free **Rib Eye Loin** \$4.99 Lb.

Whole, Sliced Free **New York Strip** \$4.99 Lb.

2-Liters **R.C. Products** 99¢ Ea.

12 Pk. Cans **Mt. Dew or Dr. Pepper** 4/\$12

14 Oz. Corn, Beans or Peas **Libby's Vegetables** 69¢ Ea.

22 Oz. Pumpkin, Apple, Cherry, or Blueberry **Baked Fruit Pies** \$2.99 Ea.

5 Lb. Bag **White Lily Flour** 2/\$5

15 Oz. Pasta **Chef Boy-ar-dee** 10/\$10

12 Oz. **Robinson Bacon** 2/\$5

16 Oz. Sausage **George Jones** 2/\$5

12 Oz. Shurfine **Vanilla Wafers** 2/\$4

Pillsbury **Cake Mix** 4/\$5

10 Lb. Bag **Idaho Potatoes** \$3.59 Bag

**Fresh Turnips** 99¢ Lb.

3 Lb. Bag **McIntosh Apples** \$3.99 Ea.

3 Lb. Bag **Yellow Onions** \$1.99 Ea.

Red or White **Seedless Grapes** \$1.99 Lb.

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## Robbery and Burglary

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If you have information on the burglary at Square Deal, please call 723-2323 during business hours or 723-2201 after hours.

The ongoing investigation into the Cash in A Dash robbery is being conducted by KSP Detective Zach Thompson. He was assisted on the scene by KSP Post 7 personnel and the Estill County Sheriff's Department.

Anyone with any information is encouraged to contact Kentucky State Police, Richmond Post at 859-623-2404 or toll free at 800-222-5555.

## Jones gets WWII medals

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Officer stated that Jones was involved in five different battles during the war.

A former Ravenna mayor, Beverly Thompson, was the guest speaker at Saturday's service. Thompson's brother, Francis Ashcraft, enlisted during the war in the U.S. Marines at 17 years of age. Her late husband, Cody Thompson, was also a World War II veteran.

She stated there will always be wars and rumors of wars as long as there are war-mongers.

"Every war takes our loved ones and never promises to return them to us," she said.

After returning from service, Jones worked at the Bluegrass Army Depot in Richmond. After his retirement there, Jones got a job at Pattie A. Clay Hospital.

Susan Lay said that Jones had a little fall a few weeks ago, but he's still able to drive and live by himself.