



# Eyes on LAFOLLETTE

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**C**ub Scouts, T-ball, construction sites, horse farms, weddings, school. Who ever said small-town life was slow? LaFollette hums like a dynamo. We found ourselves in a quandary: How could 14 University of Tennessee students with their professor photograph it all in 36 hours? It wouldn't have been possible without the hospitality of the people of LaFollette. Your farms, your streets, your homes were venues for our adventures. But still more inspiring were your smiles, handshakes, your willingness to help.

*We hope you'll accept these photos as a token of the affection we feel for the city of LaFollette.*



**top** A freshly bathed cat waits patiently to be groomed at LaFollette's World of Pets Saturday afternoon.

**photo by Matt Emigh**

**middle** Campbell County Commissioner Adrion Baird is not afraid of being stung by any of 360,000 bees, but he wears his space-suit "just in case."

**photo by Jessica Sturnberg**

**bottom** Local horse buyer Bill Claiborne does a bit of shopping Friday afternoon as the Shepherd's family farm.

**photo by Matt Emigh**



**right** Amanda Burress, bridesmaid and longtime friend, shares a laugh with bride Molly Farmer.

**photo by Ashley Robeson**

**below left** Molly Farmer eats her last meal as a single woman, Saturday, an hour and a half before her wedding.

**photo by Ashley Robeson**

**below right** Molly Farmer anxiously awaits her wedding while bridesmaid Amanda Burress helps Molly with her jewelry.

**photo by Ashley Robeson**

# Here Come The Brides



**below** Tosha Jenkins waited until after her honeymoon to get her outdoor photos done by Brendan Gresham..

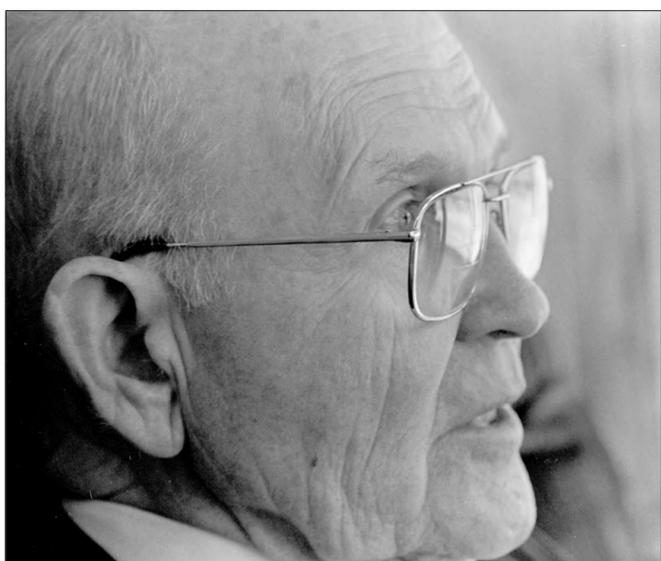
**photo by Herschel Pollard**





**left** Jimmy Gregg, lifetime resident of LaFollette, paces behind the counter of his pawn shop.  
**photo by Price Chambers**

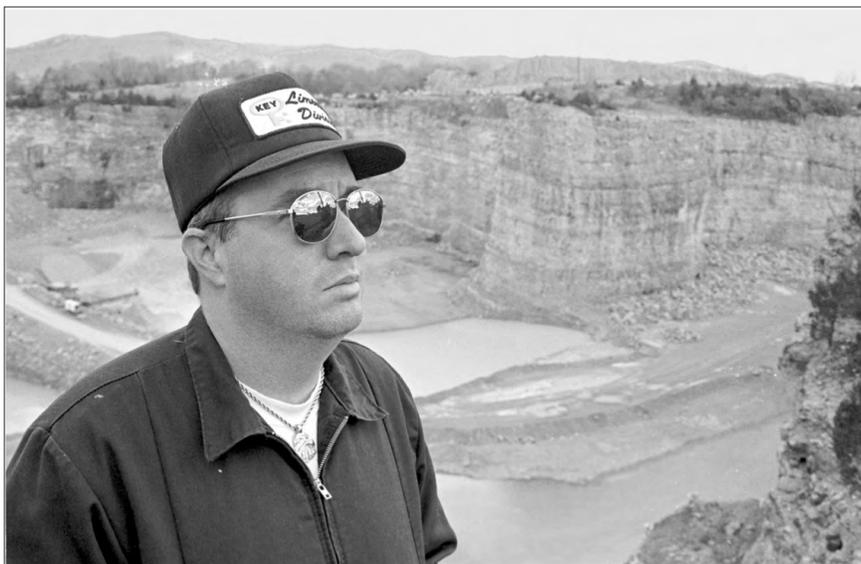
**below left** Carl Pierce claims he has sold furniture to five generations of people in LaFollette.  
**photo by Price Chambers**



# Faces & Places



**above** Even Start teacher Linda Lobertini explains math equations to her adult students.  
**photo by Jessica Sturmberg**



**above** Ronnie Gellar has worked for six years in the lime and sand quarry.  
**photo by Nick Hasse**



**left** Three-year-old Brandon Marlow enjoys a chili dog during a break at the Even Start Program.  
**photo by Jessica Sturmberg**



# Work & Play



**top left** Rick Long takes a break from maintaining Rainbow Marina and spends his Friday morning reeling in some fish.  
**photo by Cory Soldwedel**

**top right** Wayne Eubanks of Jacksboro prepares to install a window.  
**photo by Cory Soldwedel**

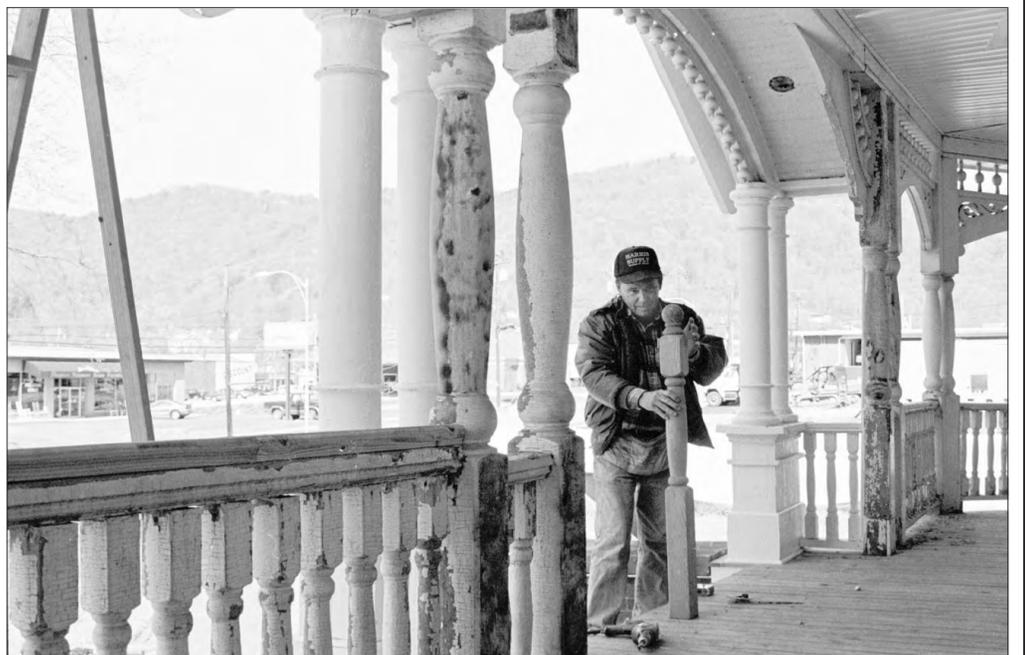
**above** Colby Poteet swings for his team, Rainbow Gardens, during a T-ball game.  
**photo by Shannon Leggett**



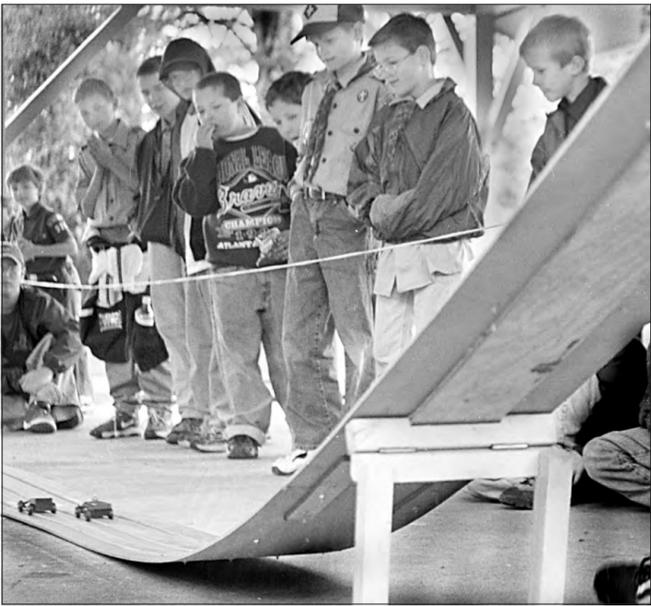
**above left** Rosetta Sharp visits the Fashionette Beauty Shop once a week.  
**photo by Price Chambers**

**above right** Kayla Raynor, of the Classic Trophies T-ball team, gives it all she's got when she gets up to bat.  
**photo by James Salerno**

**right** Eddie Powers, a remodeling and restoration contractor, installs a new banister at the LaFollette House.  
**photo by Nick Hasse**



# Scouting Outing



**top left** Scout Master Greg Murrow starts a heat during the pinewood derby race.

**top right** Greg Murrow is caught off guard by another tied pinewood derby race.

**above** Local scouts wait for the start of a pinewood derby race.

**right** Lake Evans celebrates his second place position in the pinewood derby.

**photos by Matt Emigh**



# Animal Kingdom

**top left** Renay Shepherd feeds and pets her horses while her boxer waits for a ride home.  
**photo by Cory Soldwedel**

**top right** Lindsay Williams, a camper at Cove Lake, freshens up her makeup while her puppy, Tinkerbelle, patiently waits.  
**photo by Cory Soldwedel**

**above** Veterinarian Bill Sander takes a break from surgery Friday to trim a patient's toenails.  
**photo by Cory Soldwedel**

**right** Kevin Dixon tries on a new boa at the World of Pets.  
**photo by Matt Emigh**



# Helping Hands



**above left** 94 year old Jake Pierce gets a leg workout from physical therapist Cathy Graham.  
**photo by Will Pedigo**

**above right** Cedell Riggs holds her grandson Trevor Monday during a wedding.  
**photo by Amy Perry**

**far left** When Lauren Wright, Even Start coordinator, opens the door for light during a short power outage, Brandon Marlow begs to go outside.  
**photo by Jessica Sturmberg**

**left** The Campbell County High School football team washes cars on an extremely cold, windy day to raise money.  
**photo by Cory Soldwedel**

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**photo by Brian Wagner**

