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From the Other Side of the Desk

I have some advice for men on Valentine's Day.

Yes, I know it's already past. But with this years failures still fresh in our minds, I thought I'd write all out so as to perhaps save us from the same mistakes next year.

First of all, don't put it off. As soon as you remember (within a month, I suppose), go out and take care of it. Rushing to the florist at 4:45 p.m. on the special day is not a good way to make sure that special someone is still unaware that we're still thinking about the Super Bowl. See below.*

If you decide to get flowers, there's a few things you should know.

First off, different colored roses mean different things.

Red, for instance, is for love. Romantic love. Love so strong you'll watch Dancing with the Stars AND pretend to like it.

Yellow is for friendship. I made this mistake once. Got told about it too. Note: Do not respond..."you mean we AREN'T friends?" Just apologize and move on. See below.*

Pink is for appreciation. Perfect for showing your gratitude for when you give the wrong color rose and you didn't get told about it. See below.*

The number of roses are important too, apparently.

A single rose shows "utmost devotion." To your wallet perhaps. See below.*

Two roses communicate "marry me" (although two yellow roses might mean let's watch the Final Four together next month). See below.*

There's meanings for six, eleven, a dozen and thirteen, too. Arg!!!

And here I thought I was just buying flowers. I didn't know there were hidden meanings and even more ways for men to look like like idiots.

*I actually said this once with a scowl on my face and just a wee bit of sarcasm in my tone. See below.**

*Below: In case you were wondering, there doesn't seem to be a rose color or number of rose to use to APOLOGIZE. Maybe they'll come up with one by next year.

And after what I just wrote, I think I might need it.

Darrell Teubner, Editor

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Bolivar City Council Hears from Woods

Former Bolivar City Council member and former mayoral candidate Brenda Woods addressed her former colleagues on Tuesday night by accusing Fire Chief Lynn Price of launching an investigation into fires that occurred in her residence in January 2015 under orders from Mayor Barrett Stevens.

"He's going to make you do something?," she asked Price. "You are going to hate you put your name on this piece of paper, boy! I'm am fed up with these lies. This is an ungodly place, and you all better repent."

Other parts of her more than 10-minute address included racial epithets, accusations of "Uncle Tomism," talking of a conspiracy to oust her from the council, promises to raise up candidates to replace the council, and her opinion that nothing has changed in Bolivar in the last 30 years.

Prior to the meeting, the Commission on Religion and Racism (CORR) distributed flyers in downtown Bolivar at the corner of Main and Market Streets, accusing the city government of racism, corruption and the "persecution-investigation" of Woods.

"They" know that Ms. Woods did not burn down her house. The evil and demonic forces in 'high places' in Bolivar-Hardeman County did it! Or paid to have it done by their cronies," said the document.

In January of 2015, Woods' residence at 503 Oak Cove in Bolivar was visited three times by Bolivar firefighters, starting with a fire call at 7:01 p.m. on January 9, which was deemed to have been caused by clothes

Health Dept. Celebrates Service



The Hardeman County Health Department awarded two employees for their faithful service. Photo: Marilyn Barnes (left), West Tennessee Regional Director and Veronica Calvin (right), Interim County Director, were on hand to recognize Dianne Gipson (middle left), WIC/Nutrition Educator for 30 years of service and Latreace Brown (middle right), Public Health Nurse Assistant 2 for 10 years of service.

Trading Snowflakes for Mardi Gras

The Bolivar Healthcare Foundation will host its annual event in March, using a Mardi Gras theme to replace the Snowflake Ball that the foundation has used to donate more than \$160,000 to Hardeman County causes.

The change in theme comes in the 11th year for the foundation. Tickets for the March 11 event at the former Boys and Girls Club on Hope Street in Bolivar are on sale by calling Sara Skinner at 731-659-0216.

Tickets are \$50 each or \$400 for a table of eight.

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Hee Haw and Howdy Goes Back in Time

The 38th production of Hee Haw in Hardeman County will be March 10-18, with shows at 7:00 p.m. each night except for the Sunday and Wednesday during the week.

The musical theme this year is #1 country songs from the 1980s.

Begun in 1979 by Bunny Orr, Don Shackelford, and Bertha Vaughan, the show is known as the longest continually running Hee Haw production in the state of Tennessee.

Proceeds from Hee Haw in Hardeman County go to the American Cancer Society.

Tickets go on sale at the Hardeman County Chamber of Commerce February 27.

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OUR COUNTY

Hardeman County Remembered by Lisa Coleman

The Allen White School in Whiteville has a fascinating history and tells the story of not only a school that educated hundreds of students during its tenure, but of a community that worked together to make the school a reality and bring educational opportunities to its students.

The school is one of many created from a grant for the Julius Rosenwald Foundation. Between 1910-1932, grants from this foundation built over 5,000 buildings, mostly schools, in 883 counts in 15 Southern states; in Tennessee there were 373 of these buildings.

Mr. Rosenwald was the CEO of Sears Roebuck and Company and a philanthropist, giving gifts not just in Chicago, but across the United States. He was particularly interested in ideas proposed by Booker T. Washington to transform public schools for African-American students. With Washington's ideas and Rosenwald's wealth, they developed a model to construct schools, workshops, and teachers homes. Part of the funding for each construction came from funds raised by the community; the Whiteville school and community not only raised the funds, but paid off the loan taken out by community leaders. The community raised just over \$5,000 between 1929-1930 – quite an accomplishment for a small Tennessee town.

The school added several athletic programs to its curriculum for both boys and girls. The school boasted championship basketball teams for the boys' team (in 1930) and the girls' teams won the 1940 and 1941 National Negro Basketball Tournament held in Tuskegee, Alabama. The 1941 Championship Team included (left-right, seated): Georgia McKinnie, Elizabeth Jones, Adair Bell Williams, and Helen Brown; (left-right, standing): Ida Tynes, Helen Shepherd, Emma D. Herron, Martha Woods, Beatrice Woods, and Marie Brady. Georgia Jenkins served as the girls' coach and Albert Hardy coached the boys. Other basketball coaches during the school's storied history included J. H. White, F. D. Fant, S. F. Fludd, George Meakins, Earnest Rivers, John T. Brady, Alexander Sanders, James Glass, Jesse I. Norment, Evelyn C. Robertson Jr., and Ernest Wilburn.

To learn more about this remarkable school and its history in our county I highly recommend a book written by local author and historian, Evelyn C. Robertson, entitled, "Education and The American Dream: The Allen-White High School Story 1905-1970". His book is an excellent narrative of the school, its founding, and its community, teachers, and students.

Our county has a long, interesting, and diverse history, y'all; it's all right here in our backyard.

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Raising Money for Relay for Life in Hardeman County

The Pink Azaleas Relay for Life team in Hardeman County was out on Saturday, February 11, selling baked goods to raise money for the American Cancer Society.

Any purchase of \$10 or more was rewarded by a Valentine's Day related gift.

Relay for Life Night in Hardeman County is scheduled for May 5. The theme this year for Hardeman County is "Give Cancer the Boot."

Photo left to right: Carly Weems, Betty McMahan, Jo McMahan. Photo by Ginger Tester.



Adoptable Animal of the Week by Sara Vonderheide

Paedro (#16344) is a one and half year old lab mix. He weighs around 60 pounds and is HEART-WORM NEGATIVE! Paedro is a great dog! He loves being outside and will be happiest where he can spend his time playing in a secure fenced yard. He loves to stretch out and watch all the activity of the day at the shelter. He is good with other dogs and LOVES people. Paedro would make an excellent family member. He is young, so he has lots of energy. He will need a home where he gets plenty of attention and space to play. If you are interested in adopting Paedro or any of our wonderful dogs at the shelter, please contact a volunteer: Charla Cooper at 731-234-4421 or Jennifer Smallwood at 731-609-0408. You can also check out our Facebook page, Hardeman Adoptable Animals, Inc. You can also come to the shelter. We are located inside the county landfill (Walton Road), and volunteers are there between 9-1 each day. HAA, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization. Adoption fees are \$125, and this includes all vaccines, spay/neuter, and care while at the shelter. HAA is always in need of volunteers and donations. We operate solely on donations and fundraising. The shelter is run by volunteers and has no paid staff.



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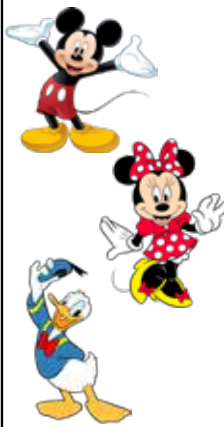
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COMMUNITY NEWS

Our prayer request: Grace Bynum, Wilma Bynum, Cleo Snellings, Curtis and Marjorie Hines, Jack Hopkins, Sharon Tice, Tate Daniel, Barbera and Junior Hensley, Paula and Ken Stanley, Richard and Elaine Hayslip, and all caretakers. May God heal the sick and bless them all.

My family celebrated my dad's 90th heavenly birthday on Friday, February, 10, 2017 at Chapmans restaurant. Those present were my sister and her husband, Kathy and Wayne Wilburn, my brother, David Daniel, and his daughter, Kayla, and my daughter, Kim Burnette, and myself. Was bittersweet and we all miss Dad!! We had a good time and great food!!! February Birthdays: in memory, 10th Thomas Daniel, 13th Amy Hutchins, 16, Tony Bynum, 21, Freddy Daniel, Eli Wilburn, 25, Erica Russell Young. May you all have and great day and God bless you all! Hope you all have a great Valentines Day!! We should all love each other everyday and make it special for the ones we love.

We have been having some wonderful warm days, but with this weather going back and forth, I'm sure it's bad for the sinuses, cause mine have been awful.. May God bless you and keep you safe!! Until next time!!

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I hope everyone had a great Valentine's Day! We have had several warm days and many trees and flowers are blooming. It looks like we will have an early spring. Could the groundhog be wrong this year?

The 118th running of the National Championship (Field Trials) began on Monday, February 13th. The drawing for order of running was held Saturday, February 11th in Bryan Hall on the Ames Plantation. Judging this year's championship are Jim Crouse of Dixon, KY, Jadie Rayfield of Mount Pleasant, SC and Doug Vaughn of Saskatoon. William Smith of Moscow, TN will be this year's reporter. The Annual Luke Meatte Memorial Catfish Supper will be held on February 16th and the Brunswick Stew Dinner will be held on February 20th. For more information please call The Birdog Museum in Grand Junction at 731-764-2058. Anyone who would like to ride, can bring their own horse or rent one from the plantation. Call 901-878-1067 for more information.

First Baptist Church Grand Junction Men's Ministry provided a Valentine Pancake Breakfast at 8:30 a.m. on Sunday, February 12th. Everyone enjoyed a delicious breakfast of pancakes, sausage links, bacon, fruit, coffee, and orange juice. A big "thanks" goes out to all the men who fixed the meal.

Birthdays for Feb. 17-23; Jacob Tibodeau-17, Kathy Griffen-19, Freddie Daniel-21, Robert Fiveash-22, Adrian Smith-23.

Bible Verse for the week; Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hid. Matthew 5:14.

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To start the month in which we traditionally celebrate love, Brenda Cooper gives a big shout out to Mrs. Sarah Chandler. Brenda said, "Mrs. Sarah has always shown me unconditional love. For years and even now in her older years, I have always felt a special connection with her. She is such an encourager. Talking with her always fills me up. She is always complimentary and I believe her compliments comes from a sincere and honest heart."

Prayer list: When Roger King went to Vanderbilt for a consultation, it was recommended that he start a new chemo regimen. Please be in prayer for Roger as he starts treatments.

Joanne Murley was honored at Piney Grove Baptist Church with a birthday party honoring her 80th birthday.

Kevin and Melea Beshires recently went to Colorado for a ski trip. Melea writes, "My husband and I love to travel. We recently took a ski trip to Winter Park, Colorado. Being from East Tennessee, I thought I had seen my fair share of handsome mountains, but the scenery in Colorado is a new level of breathtaking. The pines stagger as far as the eye can see and the tops seem to brush the clouds. When we arrived, it was 23 degrees with a blanket of snow on the ground. When we woke up, another 8 inches had settled on our car window. We quickly learned that you do not want to go anywhere without your essentials, and by essentials, I mean: gloves, hat, three layers of clothes, two large bottles of water, and enough snacks to make a meal. There's another tip that is very important to remember—breathe. You may laugh, but when you are 12,000 plus feet in the air, buddy you better be taking deep cleansing breaths of sweet mountain air or the altitude will knock you to your knees. We spent an enjoyable five days in Colorado. Two of those days we spent on the ski slopes on a beautiful mountain trail called Village Way situated near the town of Winter Park. Kevin and I are no ski experts, but you do not have to be to enjoy the gorgeous mountain views and some of the delicious cuisine such as red sugar Swiss waffles and killer burgers at the Maverick Grill just a few towns away. After two days of skiing, we were ready for a break, but not ready to part with the snow so we drove into Fraser and went tubing. If you have never felt the joy of coasting down a snowbank in an inner tube at 20 miles an hour, you are missing out!"

We welcome Jimmy Swift and Bonnie into our township. They will be building a new home on Firetower Road. Call with your news or a memory so we all can stay connected!!

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Hello from Toone! Well, Valentine's Day 2017 has come and gone. I hope you guys out there scored big points with your sweeties on this day if love! If you didn't quite get the job done on Valentine's, just remember Easter is coming up in April, and you can fill her basket with rich chocolates and other tasty goodies!

All of us here in Toone have lost a good friend and long-time neighbor. Mrs. Nancy Smith, passed away, February 9, following a long-term illness. Miss Nancy spent most of her life here in Toone, and her family was a very important part of our town's history. She served faithfully for many, many years as a member of Toone Baptist Church, where she was a Sunday school teacher and the church's pianist. She also taught school for 18 years at TES (she was my 6th grade teacher), where her Daughter, Karen Smith Lambert later taught, and served several years as principal. Miss Nancy's, father-in-law, A.E. Smith, Sr., served as Toone's Mayor for 30+ years. His terms as Mayor were followed by Miss Nancy's husband, A.E. Smith, Jr., and currently her brother, Joe Jones, serves as Toone Mayor. Miss Nancy loved her family and friends very much, and she will be missed by all of us who knew her. Please keep Karen and the Smith and Jones families in your thoughts and prayers.

The Valentine's Dinner Theater at the Hardeman County Arts Council was a huge success, and one of the brightest stars of the show was our own, Bonnie Leathers, who turned-in an outstanding performance. Who knew we had so much talent here in Toone!

Speaking of fun and entertainment, rehearsals have begun for, "Hee Haw 2017", at the Arts Council Theater. I will keep you posted when the performance dates in March are announced and when tickets go on sale. We hope to see you there!

Please keep our neighbor, Mike King, in your thoughts as he recovers at home from knee replacement surgery. Kathy says he is doing better everyday and has started physical therapy. We wish him a speedy recovery!

Toone Elementary School students will be out of school on, Monday, February 20, in observance of Presidents' Day, and again on, Tuesday, February 21, for teacher conferences.

Happy Birthday to, Ginia Kelley Mullens, who celebrated her big day on, February 16. Wish her a happy day when you see her!

Be sure to share you community news with your neighbors by calling me at the number above, or email me at: gnyarb@bellsouth.net. Until next time. . . . talk to your neighbors!

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Middleton Civitan met February 13th for our monthly meeting. We celebrated Clergy appreciation. There was 5 Clergy's, wives and children present along with 18 members for a total of 28. Gary Barrowclough, President called the meeting to order, Invocation was led by Mitch Tillman, Pledge was led by Emma Haddix, Civitan Creed was led by Glenda Mathis, Shirley Hornsby welcomed all the guests and a great meal was enjoyed by everyone. Ramona Spencer then shared Why We Celebrate. Pastor Blaine Dyess, Pastor of Liberty Baptist Church was the guest speaker. He spoke about Creation and brought it around to our Civitan Creed. Jo Elliott gave the invitation to join Civitan. Plans for a Texas Yahoo Western Jamboree will be in April and a fishing rodeo in May. We will be giving out Dictionaries to the 3rd grade class at Middleton Elementary School February 17th at 2 p.m. Final remarks and adjournment was by Gary Barrowclough. The next meeting will be March 6th at 6 p.m. at the Middleton Methodist Church fellowship hall. Anyone and everyone is welcome.

Please remember the sick and those that have lost a loved one. Please call or 731-376-8202 or email: bonnieshealthyliving@comcast.net with any news.

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Hello to all! I hope everyone had a wonderful Valentine Day! I saw a bunch of excited kids with all their gifts. All children are so special it should be a holiday every day for them. Those having birthdays February 16th through the 28th are Caden Dorris, Braden Plunk, Anna McKenzie, Blake McKenzie, Maddison Bowers Breonna Henry, Neyland Hodge and Allyson Watkins. We wish you all a very happy birthday on your special day. Congratulations to the Hornsby girls' volleyball team; they beat Middleton last week and Pickwick Southside this week. They will play again Friday night at St Mary's in Jackson. About 70 people enjoyed a Valentine banquet at Hornsby Baptist Church Sunday night. The youth did an awesome job at serving us. Donations were accepted to help them with a mission trip they will be doing this summer. Please remember we are doing our collections for the "Love Thy Neighbor" and "Operation Christmas Child" ministries. For the month of February we are collecting cans of soup/chili and small notebooks. If you would like to be part of the Easter program contact Lynn Gibson. Anyone who is interested in going to "Faith Walk" please contact Bro. Matt. "Faith Walk" is an adult weekend that aims to concentrate closely on the person of Jesus Christ and his teachings. The men will attend April 27th thru the 30th and the women attend May 4th thru the 7th. You can also contact Jeremy and Marsha Lyles for more information. If you have any news you would like to share please call or email me, I would love to hear from you. If any of the other churches in the area would like for me to put anything in the paper for them I would be more than happy to do it. Please remember to pray for the following: Patricia Baker, Terry Baker, Max Beck, Rosemary Bishop, Freddie Brown, Rick Brown, Ricky Chandler, Amanda Cornelius, Crawford Cossar, Kenneth Crawford, Elynor DeBerry, Bobbie Dorris, Shirley Emerson, Nina Floyd, Lee Gainey, Billy Hammons, Joann Hammons, Richard Hazelwood, Sue Hodge, Dewey Hopkins, Ann Hornsby, Carolyn Howell, Jo Edna Howell, Ann Kelly, Aubrey King, Roger King, Debbie Laster, Nell Maddox, Bobbie McBride, Evan Nield, Lockie Newman, Josh Overton, Gay Pierce, Prissy Poirier, Gail Pope, Tosha Powell, Paula Prince, Keith Raines, Sandy Sanders, Stacy Spence, Ronna Spoon, Eddie Webb, the family of Kelly Jeter, the men and women who serve our country, Clark and Morgan Davidson serving missionaries, and the families of the ones who are fighting cancer. HIS Word for the week that showed more love than any other is John 3:16 "For God so loved the world He gave His one and only Son that whosoever believeth in Him shall not perish but have everlasting life." Praise God!!!

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FAITH

The New Dark Ages

by Jimmy Sadler

There was a day when I shared Christ using a simple outline, a succinct list of bullet points that helped people understand Christianity. In those days, I had to tell the people the Good News only after telling them the bad news. We were, as many thought, a “Christian” nation, and that faith permeated the culture. By default, people were considered Christian in their own minds, and to hear bad news was shocking. I had a friend who, upon hearing of the sin problem, asked with great fervor how he might be absolved before God. I shared with him and he embraced Christ. We were in the fringes of a new “enlightenment” in those days.

People were once blindsided to find that they were doomed on their own merits. When they found out they had a problem, however, they often responded. The spiritual movements that were beginning to take root not only promised a new-found hope, they also began to undermine the original problem of sin. If everything is acceptable, there is no longer a cultural basis for guilt. In a large sociological scale, if everybody’s doing it, it must be ok. It

became increasingly difficult in recent years to convince people that they have a problem. If you have no problem, there is no need for a solution. If there is no emergency, there is no urgency for a savior.

We are still in the new enlightenment in many ways. There are far fewer people who would admit having a spiritual problem, but so many who would be quick to point it out in others. Beyond the pseudo-deliverance we have from our problem of sin, the enlightenment ends. In an age when everything is acceptable, the ensuing years will bring catastrophe. Think about trying to accomplish anything when everyone in the group has a different goal. Imagine a team for habitat for humanity coming together to build a home for someone and each person having a different personal blueprint. Everyone uses their own favorite building material and builds what they think is best. You get the idea.

We are now on the fringes of those years, heading to the epicenter of spiritual darkness. When all the manmade plans have fallen, we will have nothing but a sinful, disillusioned population. Welcome to

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Sunrise: Purpose

by David Coy

What do you do when your soul mate dies and you think your purpose in life died with them? What do you do if you have children, and you do not even think they would miss you if you were no longer here? What do you do when you think back and see all the plans that you had when the two of you were retired from your job/careers? Now that all that is gone you feel that nothing else matters and is little or of no importance, what do you do? How many people who are reading this have felt this way or know someone who has or is now feeling this way?

It is not uncommon for people to have feelings similar to what has been described in the above. It is normal to experience these emotional lows. What is not normal is to think or feel this way for a

lengthy time period feeling despair and depression. The way you feel now is not the way you will always feel unless these feelings have a history in your family or you begin experiencing thoughts of harm to yourself or others otherwise, what you are feeling is consistent with the normal journey with grief. Hope is still alive when desire and belief exist for something better in the future.

What should you do? Seek someone to talk with and share how you feel. How did you feel about yourself before your loved one's death?

As individuals, we each have an important function (purpose) to contribute in society. In part, raising children is a vital contribution, but when they reach adulthood, their decisions are their own. What is our purpose after children leave or we have no children? Much in every way! Yet the options are many. You may seek to work in a chosen field that gives back to the community in some way. You may volunteer with some non-profit, etc. The choice is yours. Bless someone each day. This is Sunrise Aftercare, sunrise@sfdcares.com

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Hardeman County Community Calendar

February is National Black History Month and the HC Commission for Black History is collecting family histories to add to their presentation The Power of Place: African Americans of Hardeman County from 1864-1964 The presentation will be held February 18 through March 16 at the Multicultural Museum in Bolivar.

February is National Canned Food Month and you can celebrate by helping The Salvation Army feed hundreds of families in need in West Tennessee. You can donate canned meats, vegetables, fruits or any non-perishable foods by bringing them to the Hardeman County Chamber of Commerce in Bolivar at 112 S. Main Street.

The Firewise Spring Clean-Up Event will be held in Bolivar on March 2-3. More information will be released when they become available.

Cub Scout Pack 92 from Bolivar will celebrate scouting with their annual Blue and Gold Banquet on Saturday, February 18 at 6:00 p.m., at First United Methodist Church in Bolivar. The community is invited to attend.

Jones Chapel MB Church at 3190 Hwy 18 South in Grand Junction will host a Youth Summit on February 19 at 2:00 p.m.

A Vegetables Grower Meeting at the UT Extension Office, 200 E. Market Street in Bolivar will be held on February 23 at 6:00 p.m. Topics will include: What's New in Vegetable Production, Plastic and Biodegradable Mulches, Food Safety and the Farmers Market. There will be open discussion and questions will be answered.

TCAT in Whiteville will have a program in recognition of Black History Month as they

honor Mr. Evelyn Robertson, Jr as a “Living Legend” on Friday, February 24 from 1-2:00 p.m. at 1685 US Highway 64 in Whiteville. Please RSVP by February 21 to Carla Bartlett at 731-254-8521 or email Carla.bartlett@tcat-whiteville.edu

The American Heart Association is sponsoring a Free Family and Friends CPR Class on March 4 at 204 Hope Street in Bolivar from 9:00 a.m. – Noon. Space is limited to 50, and registration is required, please call 659-0423 to reserve your seat.

Quinco Scholarships are available for eligible students. A \$1,000 onetime scholarship will be awarded in each of the five counties of their original service area. The application must be postmarked by March 15, 2017. For more information on eligibility call Laura Kee at 731-658-6113 or 731-203-1006.

The Friends of the Middleton Community Library will host Family Movie Night featuring the movie Trolls at the library on Friday, February 24 from 6:00-8:30 p.m. Wear your pajamas and bring your pillows and blankets for fun activities. Popcorn, candy and drinks will be available. Visit them on facebook or call 376-0680 for more information.

The Bolivar Hardeman County Library will host Adult Coloring on the 27 from 4-5 pm; Lego Club (3-15) on the 28 from 4-5 pm, and don't forget Story Hour (2-6) with Miss Shana every Thursday at 10:30 am. Call 731-658-3236 for more information or drop by and pick up their monthly calendar, contribute to their Million Penny Challenge and visit the Common Grounds coffee bar. The library will be closed

on Presidents' Day. The Brown Bag Book Club will meet on the second Monday of every month at 11:30 a.m. at the Bolivar-Hardeman County Library.

The annual City of Bolivar Vietnam Veterans Celebration will feature legendary retired Marine Major General James Livingston as be the keynote speaker for the annual celebration, which will be held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, March 4, at the Bolivar Army National Guard Armory, on Highway 64 beside Walmart. The Vietnam Veterans Parade will be held at 9:00 a.m. with line up at 8:30. Please call Shelia Delling at 658-2020 by February 28 and let her know if you are going to bring items for display for the celebration or plan to participate in the parade.

Hee Haw & Howdy in Hardeman County will run March 10-18, with shows at 7:00 each night except Wednesday and Sunday evenings at the Hardeman County Arts Council. Tickets will go on sale to arts council members on February 27 at the Hardeman County Chamber of Commerce at 112 S. Main Street in Bolivar.

The Mardi Gras Themed Bolivar General Hospital Annual Ball at the Hope Street Building will be on March 11. All proceeds benefit scholarships given by BGH Healthcare Foundation. Call 731-659-0216 for more information.

The APTA Sampler II Cookbook is available for sale and is full of good ol' Southern recipes and history. Help preserve Tennessee's antiquities all year long. \$20 each, order yours today by calling 658-7912. Join the APTA in 2017 visit www.hardemancountyapta.org and follow them on facebook at The Pillars and Courthouse.

Bolivar AA Meetings are held Monday, Tuesday and Fridays from 8:00-9:00 p.m. at First United Methodist Church at 218 W. Market St. Call Stephanie Galloway at 609-9679 for more information.

Bolivar General Hospital is hosting an Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group on the second Monday of each month at 5:30 p.m. in the cafeteria. For more details call Sara Skinner at 659-0216.

The GED (HiSET) Prep class meets every Monday at 1:30 p.m., at the Grand Junction Library. It's FREE! Call 731-764-2716 for more info.

The Hardeman Adoptable Animals Shelter will have large yard sale at the Grand Junction Community Center on Saturday, March 4 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. All proceeds go to HAA.

New Bethel Baptist Church Services will begin each Sunday with Sunday school at 10:00 a.m. followed by worship service at 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. and on Wednesdays nights at 6:30 p.m. with Brother Robert Buse preaching. Everyone is welcome and invited to attend.

The Hardeman County Exchange Club/Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse is a program that can help if you suspect child abuse call the Hardeman County office at 659-2373 or the 24-hour hotline at 1-877-237-0004. Your call will be kept confidential.

You can keep up to date with Community Events by checking the Chamber of Commerce website at hardemancountytn.com
Do you have something to tell EVERYONE?
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OBITUARIES

RALPH RICKMAN

OCTOBER 25, 1943 - FEBRUARY 5, 2017

C. Ralph Rickman passed on February 5, 2017 at 73 years of age. He was born October 25, 1943 in Kendrick, Mississippi to parents Clarence Mack Rickman and Reba Nell Spence Rickman. He served in the United States Army and the National Guard. He was a truck driver for Warner Ross Trucking for over 15 years, and went by the cb radio handle of "Bumper Bender". He later worked as Security for the Old Hickory Mall of Jackson Tn.

He is survived by his wife Betty Rickman, three daughters and one son in law, Rhonda and Jerry Wayne Avent of Toone, Tina Rickman of Illinois, and Ginny Rickman of Middleton. Four grandsons and one granddaughter, Jordan Avent, Megan Wilbanks, Jamal, Kamal and Zane Bajwa. Two great-grandsons Makai and Olliver A half brother Ricky Rickman of Hornsby, and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother John Rickman.

Funeral arrangements were conducted by George A. Smith and Sons Funeral Home, Jackson, Tennessee (731) 427-5555

NANCY J. SMITH

OCTOBER 30, 1929 - FEBRUARY 8, 2017

Mrs. Nancy J. Smith, age 87 of Toone, Tennessee, passed away Wednesday afternoon, February 8, 2017 at Bolivar General Hospital.

Funeral services were held Friday, February 10, 2017 at Toone Baptist Church with Anthony Vaughan officiating. Interment followed in Rainey Cemetery. Shackelford Funeral Directors of Bolivar provided the professional services.

Mrs. Smith was born Wednesday, October 30, 1929 in Cloverport, Tennessee to the late David H. and Lois Walton Jones. On Saturday, August 12, 1950, she was united in marriage to Mr. A. E. Smith, Jr., who preceded her in death Wednesday, August 21, 2013.

A lifelong resident of Toone, she was an Elementary School Teacher for Hardeman County Schools for 18 years. She was an active member of Toone Baptist Church, where she served as the pianist for 30 years, and taught First, Second and Third Grade Sunday School classes for 20 years. She was an avid gardener and supplied vegetables for many of her fellow Toone residents. She also loved flowers, and enjoyed keeping and spending time with her grandchildren.

She is survived by her daughter, Karen Lambert and husband John of Toone; brothers, William D. Jones and wife Barbara of Eads, Joseph Jones and wife Rosemary of Toone, and Thomas Lavon Jones and wife Eulalia of McMinnville; sister, Glynda Mitchell and husband George of Bolivar; grandchildren, Stephen Lambert, Melissa Hazelwood and husband Bo, Ashley Zawacki and husband Ryan, Lindsay Workmon and husband Greg, and Jordan Stack and wife Mallory; and great-grandchildren, Will, Tate and Harper Zawacki and Everett Workmon.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by a daughter, Susan Stack, who passed away December 17, 2006.

Charitable contributions made in Mrs. Smith's memory may be sent to Toone Baptist Church, P. O. Box 96, Toone, Tennessee 38381.

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MARY LOUISE CHAMPION

FEBRUARY 2, 1962 ~ JANUARY 27, 2017

Mary Louise Champion, 54, of Bolivar passed away on Friday, January 27, 2017. She was born on February 2, 1962 in Illinois to Frankie Champion Johnson the late Leviord Champion and Frankie Champion Johnson.

Her funeral service was held on Saturday February 4, 2017 at 12:00 noon at Campbell Chapel MBC with Bishop Jesse Williams in charge. Burial was in the Bolivar Community Cemetery and Dixie Funeral Home in charge of the professional service.

Mary was reared in Tennessee. She attended Hardeman County Schools. She was part f the graduating class of 1980.

Mary confessed a hope in Christ at an early age and joined Union Spring MB Church where she remained a member until her health failed.

Mary was employed for ten years at Hardeman Automotive and later worked part time for several years as a Home Health Nurse in Bolivar, TN.

Mary was preceded in death by her father; Leviord Champion Sr.: one son who departed on November 24, 2016; Antwain Champion: one brother; Kenneth Champion.

Mary leaves to cherish her memories: her dear mother; Frankie Champion Johnson: one daughter; Stephanie (Brian) Watson of Spring Hill, TN; one son; Ashley "Pap" (Christina) Champion of Jacksonville, AR; three grandchildren; Latrell Watson, Ladarius Watson and Ayden Christopher Champion: seven brothers; Leviord Champion, Jr., Phillip (Joyce) Champion, Stacy (Keisha) Champion all of Bolivar, TN., Andrew (Trina) Champion and Anthony (Jean) Champion of Jackson, TN., Ray (Yvette) Champion of Tallahassee, FL., Murriel (Tanya) Champion of Tucson, AZ.: her fiancé; Joe Johnson; ten step siblings; four special cousins, Jeffery Norment, Vickie Hampton, Lisa Murphy, and Quincy Bowers and a host of nieces, nephews, great nieces, great nephews, cousins, uncles, aunts and a host of friends that loved her dearly.

RAYMOND PARKS

DECEMBER 3, 1932 ~ JANUARY 16, 2017

Raymond was born to Bert and Annie Mae Parks in Grand Junction, TN. He was one of five children (two sisters and two brothers) preceded him in death.

His funeral service was held on Saturday, January 28, 2017 at 11:00 am at Hopewell MBC of -Grand Junction, TN with Pastor Roger Pearson in charge. Burial was in the Mt. Salem Church Cemetery and Dixie Funeral Home was in charge of the professional service.

Raymond was never married and had no paternal children; however his nephews and nieces were like his children.

He was a member of Hopewell Baptist Church where he served on the usher board. Raymond loved growing things and was known for his gardens.

Raymond leaves to cherish his memories one sister-in-law, Dezlia Lee Parks and a host of nieces and nephews along with many other relatives and friends as well as a special friend, Pie Turner and the Hopewell Church family.



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GEORGIE LEE JUSTICE JUNE 9, 1931 - FEBRUARY 7, 2017

Georgie Lee Justice, 85, of Bolivar passed away on Tuesday February 7, 2017. She was born on June 9, 1931 to the late Viola Bradford but was raised by her aunt and uncle, William and Ophelia Franklin.

Her funeral service was held on Saturday February 11, 2017 at 1:00 pm at Greater Springfield MBC-Bolivar with Reverend Robert "Champ" Williams in charge. Burial was in the Bolivar Community Cemetery and Dixie Funeral Home www.dixiefuneralhome.com was in charge of the professional service.

In April 1959 she married the late Ivy Lee Justice and to this union nine children were born. She was employed for twenty years with the Town House Restaurant. Her hobbies included fishing and Bingo.

Preceding her in death were her parents; her husband; three children, Rosie F. Perry, Tempy J. Risinger and William Jr. Franklin; four brothers, A.C., Lonzo, James and William Spinks and two sisters, Mattie Mae Lewis and Ozella Franklin. She leaves to cherish her memory her daughters, Carolyn (Milton) Jones and Delora McKinnie; four sons, Sidney Eugene Miller, David Justice, Ivy Lee, Jr. and Larry Donnell Justice; fifteen grandchildren and many other relatives and friends that will truly miss her.



ROGER D. VANDIVER APRIL 24, 1956 - FEBRUARY 8, 2017

Services for Roger D. Vandiver, 60, of Hornsby, were held Sunday, February 12, 2017 in the chapel of Shackelford Funeral Directors of Bolivar. Burial was in the Woodville Cemetery in Chester County. Visitation was Saturday, February 11, from 6-9 p.m. and Sunday from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Mr. Vandiver passed away Wednesday night at Jackson-Madison County General Hospital. A native of Tipton County, he was the son of the late Windle Herschel and Pattie Jean Lowrance Vandiver and lived most of his life in the Hornsby area.

He was a minister for many years having pastored the Bolivar Church of God, Center Ridge Pentecostal Church of God and was minister for the Abundant Faith Fellowship Full Gospel Church since 2001. In his earlier years, Bro. Vandiver was a traveling minister and he enjoyed playing bass guitar and singing at services. He formerly served as Tennessee State Superintendent for the Full Gospel Interdenominational Church (FGIC).

In his leisure time, he enjoyed his family, horses, trips to the beach and woodworking. He was also a gun and knife enthusiast and arrowhead collector. Roger was a compassionate man, always willing and ready to "turn the other cheek".

He leaves his wife, Sharon D. Vandiver of Hornsby, whom he married November 8, 2002; sons, Jeffrey Dale Vandiver (Mindy) of Selmer and Brian Nathaniel Vandiver (Sonya) of Clarksville; daughter, Nalani Vandiver of Hornsby; five sisters, Velma Beatrice Floyd of Bethel Springs, Beverly Ann Mackey of Peoria, IL, Rachel Sparks (Keith) of Selmer, Charlotte Gibson of Brownsville and Debra Monroe (Willie) of Meadville, MS; two brothers, Kirby Vandiver (Carol) of Savannah and Joseph Vandiver (Ashley) of Selmer; 12 grandchildren, Alex, Matthew and Joshua McQueen, Kaitlynn, Brooklynn, Nate, Shea, Kendall and Gabe Vandiver, Makynlee Campbell, Carter Vandiver and Gunner Gilbert; and three great-grandchildren, Katherine, Bristol and Paisely McQueen; and a host of cousins, nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Vandiver was preceded in death by his daughter, Dwanna Renee' McQueen; two sisters, Patsy Lucille Vandiver and Sandra K. Ortiz; and two brothers, Elton and Harvey Vandiver.

Memorials may be sent to the American Diabetes Association (<http://www.diabetes.org>) or the National Kidney Foundation (<https://www.kidney.org>)

JOHN WILLIAM WALTON, JR. JUNE 3, 1952 - FEBRUARY 7, 2017

John William Walton, Jr., age 64 of Bolivar, Tennessee, passed away Tuesday, February 7, 2017 at Jackson-Madison County General Hospital.

Mr. Walton was born in Bolivar, Tennessee on Tuesday, June 3, 1952 to Emogene Walton, who survives, and the late John William Walton, Sr. On October 10, 1999, he was united in marriage to Diane Crawford Walton, who preceded him in death January 4, 2016. He lived most of his life in Bolivar and Memphis.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by his son, John William Walton III of Memphis; sisters, Mona Walton of Memphis and Nancy Carter of Arlington; brother Richard Walton of Bolivar; three granddaughters; and a host of cousins, nieces and nephews.

JOHN HENRY MORGAN JANUARY 25, 1936 ~ FEBRUARY 5, 2017

John Henry Morgan, 81, of Whiteville passed away on Sunday, February 5, 2017. He was born on January 25, 1936 to the late Robert Wesley "Whit" Morgan and Ollie Mae Crowder Morgan.

His funeral service was held on Saturday, February 11, 2017 at 11 a.m. at Union Hill MBC-Whiteville with Past Jerry Crisp in charge. Burial was in the church cemetery and Dixie Funeral Home was in charge of the professional service.

He received Jesus Christ as his Savior at a young age and joined Union Hill MBC where he served on the Usher Board and sang in the Male Chorus. He received his education in the Hardeman County public schools attending Allen-White School.

On November 10, 1965 he married Lucille Walton and to this union one child was born, Louise Morgan (Jimmy) Young. He was also father to another daughter, Patricia Bufford (James) Beauregard.

On June 13, 2002 he married the late Janice Robinson. Two children were added to his family Anthony "Tony" and Wanda Robinson.

He was employed with Armira Corporation. He enjoyed attending church and many other hobbies. He had a saying he was known for "It's good to be here".

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife; three brothers, Joe Lewis and Thomas Morgan and Danny Haynes, Jr.; two sisters, Ollie Mae Morgan Beauregard and Gladys Mae Haynes Sain.

He leaves to cherish his memory his two daughters; one stepson and a his step daughter; four sisters, Louise Morgan (R.V.) McNeal, Mattie Bell (Jackie) Beard, Fannie lee Bowers and Beatrice Bratton; his former wife; six grand children and one great grandson; many other relatives and friends that will truly miss him.

SHARELL DJUAN CRISP NOVEMBER 28, 1988 ~ JANUARY 15, 2017

Sharell Djuan Crisp, 28, of Toledo, Ohio passed away suddenly on Sunday, January 15, 2017. He was born in Toledo, OH on November 28, 1988 to the late Danzell Crisp and Brenda Cheers.

His funeral service was held on Saturday January 28, 2017 at 1:00 pm at Mt. Salem House of Refuge Church-Bolivar, TN with Pastor Essie Sutton in charge. Burial was in the Mt. Salem Church Cemetery and Dixie Funeral Home www.dixiefuneralhome.com was in charge of the professional service.

He found Christ at Mt. Salem MB Church and attended the Hardeman County public schools before relocating to Toledo. He was employed with Liberty Wholesale Auto Parts in Toledo.

He was preceded in death by his father and grandparents, Shiloh Cheers, Lillie Mae Cole and Cornelius Crisp.

He leaves to cherish his mother (Gregory Barber); two sons, Trajuell Crisp and Anthony McDuffey, Jr.; three daughters, Janalia Crisp, JonNai Crisp and Jazmine Cyauldin II; two sisters, Ressie (Kelvin) Spight and Erica (Billy) Pryor; six brothers, Brandon and Bresean Randolph, Brandon and Dorell Crisp, Carlos Bills and Eric Cheers; a host of other relatives and friends that will truly miss him.



EDNA'S PAGE

BIBLE TRIVIA

by Wilson Casey

1. Is the book of 3 Thessalonians in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. Who went to the city gate every morning to hold a court of justice trying to win people from David? *Nain, Rehoboam, Absalom, Felix*
3. Where did the first miracle of Jesus take place of His turning water into wine? *Cana, Antioch, Berea, Corinth*
4. From Judges 9, who had 70 of his brothers killed on one stone? *Abraham, Abimelech, Samuel, Amos*
5. Which queen died by being thrown from a window and trampled by horses? *Elisabeth, Jezebel, Vashti, Abigail*
6. In which book does Paul promote the public reading of scripture? *1 Timothy, 1 Samuel, 1 John, 1 Thessalonians*

Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

1. GEOGRAPHY: What are residents of Guam called?
2. GEOLOGY: What kind of mineral produces an emerald?
3. MUSIC: Who is godfather to John Lennon's son Sean?
4. ZODIAC: What is the symbol for the zodiac sign Sagittarius?
5. ANATOMY: What does the "superior vena cavae" do in the human body?
6. U.S. GOVERNMENT: Who was the first vice president of the United States?
7. FOOD & DRINK: What vegetable gives borscht its color?
8. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What fraternal organization's motto is "We Serve"?
9. LITERATURE: Who wrote the Christmas novel, "The Cricket on the Hearth"?
10. EXPLORERS: Which explorer was nicknamed "The Pathfinder" for mapping the Oregon Trail?

Sports QUIZ

by Chris Richcreek

1. When was the last time before 2014 that Oakland had six players named to the All-Star team?
2. Name the last major-league player before Bryce Harper in 2015 to have 30 home runs and 100 walks in a season in which he was 22 or younger.
3. Jay Cutler holds the Chicago Bears record for most TD passes in a career (154). Who is No. 2?
4. Lon Kruger was the first men's basketball coach to take five different teams to an NCAA Tournament. Who was the second?
5. What was hockey legend Gordie Howe's age when he won the World Hockey Association Most Valuable Player Award in 1974?
6. Bill Elliott won the Daytona 500 twice during his NASCAR career. How many times did he have the Daytona 500 pole position?
7. In 2016, Angelique Kerber became the oldest women's tennis player (28) to debut at No. 1 in the WTA rankings. Who had been the oldest?

FLASHBACK

POP ROCK & SOUL TRIVIA

BARBER

1. Who was missing from the Beatles when "The Ballad of John and Yoko" was recorded in 1969?
2. Which artist had a hit with "Yes, I'm Ready"?
3. What is the RIAA? Who was awarded its first gold record?
4. Who debuted with "To Cut a Long Story Short"?
5. Name the song that contains this lyric: "I need to know that you will always be the same old someone that I knew, What will it take till you believe in me?"

EDNA'S PAGE
ANSWERS ON B5

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦♦

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Super Crossword

THE BROOKLYN SOUND

ACROSS

1 "The Georgia Peach" of baseball

7 Black Sea seaport

13 Indy 500 tire changers

20 Neat and trim

21 Raleigh's neighbor city

22 Lift forcibly

23 Egyptian river's condition?

25 "Howards End" novelist

26 — la Douce (1963 title role)

27 How complex a story is?

29 Knighted Guinness

32 Prefix similar to equi-

34 Maya Angelou's "And Still —"

35 When designer Calvin was most popular?

41 Band worn by Miss USA

45 Chalet shape, often

46 Piece's pace

47 Robust

49 Cherry part

50 What a bowler analyzes for a second roll?

54 Medit. nation

55 Steed steerers

57 Safari noises

58 Hopper, e.g.

59 Some Greek letters

60 Decide on

63 Met queen

64 Bureau overseeing a boundary barrier?

70 Inferior — cava

71 Virgil hero

72 Apollo's gp.

73 "— changed man!"

74 Many a yogi

76 Abrupt

78 Cellphone game, often

81 What an angler may bring up for discussion?

86 Mac maker

88 Hollywood's Dahl

89 Precise

90 86-Across music player

91 Thing to sow

92 TV shopping channel that sells chairs?

96 Sluggish sort

98 Penpoint

99 Give cheek

100 Woe for someone who's been walking all day long?

108 Hardly hard

110 Sicilian port next to Mount Etna

111 Inscriptions on a penny?

116 Like deductive reasoning

117 Minute Maid Park's team

118 Knight who had Pips

119 Request a new supply of

120 Wind sound

121 Consumes completely

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1 Six-pt. plays

2 Sun — -sen

3 Tax pro

4 Eye care worker

5 Ballpark brew

6 Trite saying

7 Quirky

8 Face-off

9 Ocean eagle

10 Hood's knife

11 Store draw

12 2001 Audrey Tautou film

13 Black-and-white seabird

14 86-Across music players

15 Six halved

16 "— la vie!"

17 — -tat-tat

18 Risk-taking Knievel

19 Lived

24 Burkina —

28 "... — quit!"

29 Take — (turn down the offer)

30 One not right-handed

31 Misprint, e.g.

33 Habitually

36 Capo's code of silence

37 Amounts added to bank accts.

38 First-aid pro

39 Non-U.S. speed-limit abbr.

40 — Alamos

41 Drain away

42 Language of Yemen

43 Endeavor

44 Serengeti laughter

47 That lady

48 Curvy letter

50 Remote

51 Carl who composed "O Fortuna"

52 See 104-Down

53 Be too fearful to

56 Anvil's organ

59 Clean air gp.

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62 How- — (DIY books)

63 Genetic ID

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66 The Beatles' "Love —"

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75 H₂O at 31 degrees F

76 Santa's bag

77 Discover

78 Sleep clinic concern

79 Entreaties

80 Raid targets

82 TV's Pa

83 Dawn drops

84 Outer: Prefix

85 Gin joint

87 Tabby

90 Company pin-on

92 "Hey, that's cheating!"

93 LAX guess

94 Felons run afoul of it

95 Feudal domain

96 Assembly of ecclesiastics

97 Nantes' river

100 Dollar Rent —

101 Be wide open

102 Other, in Spanish

103 Hair removal brand

104 With 52-Down, flakes sprinkled into an aquarium

105 Opposite of 84-Down

106 Architect

107 General — chicken

109 TV's Ward

112 —Kosh

113 Mag staff

114 Manhattan sch.

115 Cooking qty.

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The Maxwell's Stay-at-Home Gourmet

You can buy all the ingredients in this recipe at Maxwell's Big Star, 200 North Main Street, Bolivar

BLT Pasta Salad

Ingredients:

- 1 (16 oz.) box elbow macaroni
- 1 1/2 cups mayonnaise
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- 3 tbsp. granulated sugar
- 2 tbsp. apple cider vinegar
- 1 1/2 tsp. celery salt
- 1 1/2 tsp. onion powder
- 1 1/2 tsp. garlic powder
- 1/2 tsp. smoked or regular paprika
- 1/4 tsp. dried dill
- freshly ground black pepper, to taste
- 5 green onions, thinly sliced
- 4 tomatoes, diced
- 2 cups Romaine lettuce, loosely packed
- 1/2 pound bacon, cooked and crumbled

Directions:

Cook the elbow macaroni in salted water per the package instructions. Drain well. While pasta is cooking, prepare the dressing.

In a large mixing bowl, whisk together the mayonnaise, sour cream, sugar, vinegar, celery salt, onion powder, smoked paprika, dill and pepper, to taste.

Chop up the tomatoes, green onions, lettuce and bacon. Add the cooked and drained pasta to the bowl. Stir in green onions and tomatoes. Mix until evenly distributed. Cover with plastic wrap and pop it into the fridge to chill. Just before serving, add the lettuce and bacon. Mix well and serve. Store chilled. Enjoy!



BLACK HISTORY

Black History Month in Hardeman County

by Jessica Simmons



Created in 1926 by Dr. Carter G. Woodson and originally only observed as one week, February is observed as "Black History Month" in America. A devoted Republican, Woodson choose that week in that month to honor the birthdays of Frederick Douglass and Abraham Lincoln. His week-long observance was expanded to become Black History Month – officially recognized by the U.S. government – in 1976.

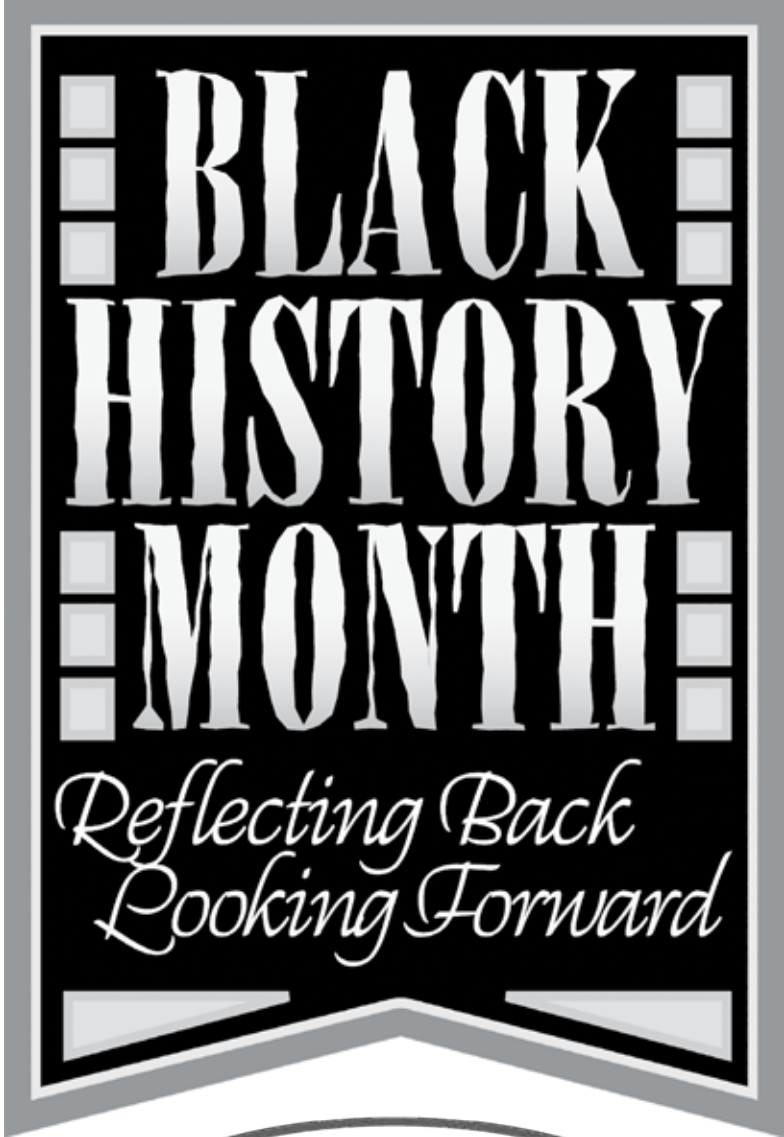
In January 1980, at the request of Reverend Jesse Eugene Williams, a few community minded individuals met at the Campbell Chapel Church for the purpose of planning a county-wide program for the upcoming Black History Month. Those attending this meeting were: Rev. J.R. Grimes, Bolivar; Evelyn Robertson, Jr., Whiteville; Ned Rawls, John Archie Williams, Bolivar; Nannie Sue Pratt, Bolivar; Alfreeda Lake, Bolivar; Rev. and Mrs. Johnny Wilson Shaw, Whiteville; and Rev. Williams. This group of planners worked together successfully forming the Hardeman County Black History Committee that has functioned continuously since that first meeting in 1980. That first meeting in February also serves today as what is called "Fourth Sunday". On the fourth Sunday of every February, the HCCBH meets at a Hardeman County church, recognizes outstanding citizens of Hardeman County, and raises the most funds towards the Black History Scholarship. To this day, the HCCBH is steadfast in their mission statement: The Mission of the Hardeman County Commission for Black History is to promote greater understanding of historic institutions and achievements of Black Americans. It seeks to enhance the quality of life of Hardeman Countians by promoting a better understanding of the diverse cultures of our county.

The City of Bolivar opened the Multicultural Museum of Hardeman County on April 30, 2011. The museum hopes to collect memories, places, and people of all walks of life. Currently, they are hosting an exhibit called "The Power of Place: African Americans of Hardeman County 1864-1964."

This exhibition grew in part out of the desire of the Hardeman County Commission for Black History to chronical and preserve a record of African Americans and their institutions that have help to shape the history of Hardeman County. Towards that end, in 1989 the Commission began collecting the facts and memories of black citizens who have resided here. Its goal was and still is to provide this information to the public.

"The Power of Place: African Americans of Hardeman County" offers a small glimpse into what the Commission has collected thus far and offers the public an opportunity to fill in its missing parts. This abbreviated exhibition highlights those churches, organizations, schools, and independent businesses that were begun immediately following the end of the Civil War to the signing of the 1964 Civil Rights Act. The Multicultural Museum is interested in any family histories that are not included in this exhibition.

Pictured Left to right: Reverend Jessie Williams, Bettie Boyd, Clara Wallace, Sally Robinson. Not Pictured: Multicultural Museum Curator Nancy McKinney



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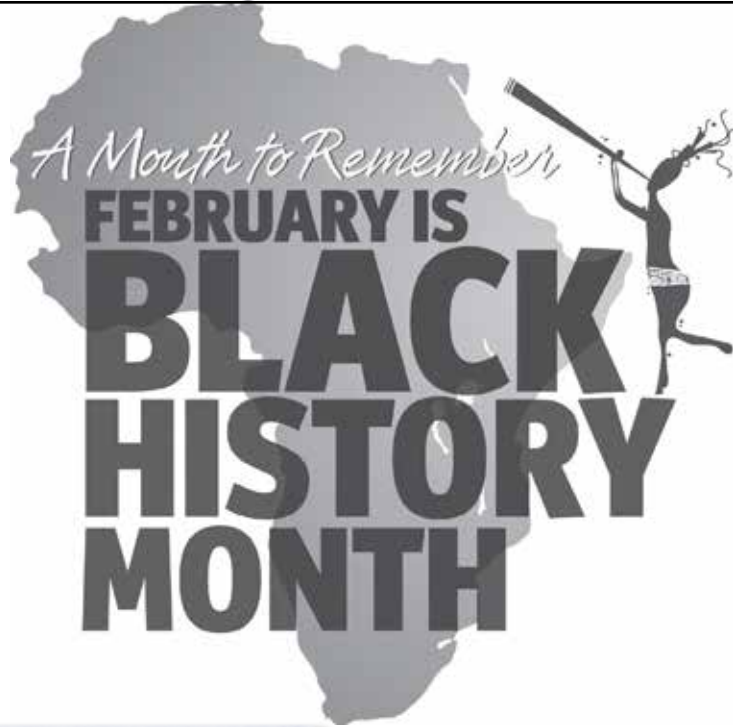
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BLACK HISTORY

BES Hosts Multicultural Event

by Jessica Simmons



"I am somebody. No matter what I look like. I am somebody."

Fifth grade students at Bolivar Elementary led by Cherie Anthony put on a Multi-Cultural program to spread unity throughout the school for Black History Month. With a diverse program that included a Kumbaya march, heritage drum dancing, reciting famous speeches from memory, and a "Unity in the Community" slideshow. Which spot lighted people from other cultures living here in Bolivar and what they do for a living. Assistant Principal Shobek Dethrow spoke to the students about unity from an athlete's perspective. He used popular athlete's that the children would know to associate how being an athlete, puts you in the position to play against different people in all walks of life. Closing the program, he had the children repeat after him after he recited the Pledge of Allegiance. Stopping at the word "indivisible", he re-iterated that children at Bolivar Elementary will never be divided by race, religion, or any other barriers that society tries to put in their way.

REMAINING BLACK HISTORY EVENTS FOR FEBRUARY 2017

The Hardeman County Commission for Black History announces its events for February. The National Black History Month Theme for 2017 is "The Crisis in Black Education". The HCCBH group has finalized the plans for the following events:

THE ANNUAL BLACK HISTORY MUSICAL will be Sunday, February 19, 2017 6:00 pm at Mt. Salem Baptist Church, Hickory Valley. Reverend Melvin Bufford is the pastor. The chairperson is Vicki Hill. The Hardeman County Commission for Black History Workshop Choir and others guests will be singing. For rehearsal schedule and other details, please contact Vicki Hill at 731-518-6658.

THE FOURTH SUNDAY ANNUAL COUNTY-WIDE WORSHIP SERVICES will be held Sunday, February 26, 2017 at 3:00 pm at Zion Temple Worship Center in Bolivar, Pastor Wendell Sain. The speaker will be Reverend Dr. Roger D. Pearson, pastor of Hopewell Baptist Church, Grand Junction. The program committee consists of Sally Robinson, Lois Harris, and Bishop Jesse E. Williams.

All proceeds from these services will benefit the Elizabeth W. Lake Memorial Scholarship Fund that has been awarding scholarships to Hardeman County high school students since 1982. Mr. Randy Crews, the chairman of the HCCBH, cordially invites the public to attend all or some of these annual events. For further information, please contact, Shirley McGowan at 609-0592 or Sally Robinson at 658-5538



Every February, Americans celebrate National African American History Month. African Americans have made many notable contributions to the United States over the years, and those achievements are a focal point of celebrations throughout the month of February.

Despite the many contributions of African Americans, black history was largely overlooked until the 20th century. National African American History Month, once known as Black History Month, is the result of an idea from noted historian Carter G. Woodson and other prominent African Americans.

While the concept of a time devoted to honoring African American history evolved as early as the mid-19th century, when the 13th Amendment abolished slavery in the United States, more formal celebrations started as "Negro History Week" during the 1960s civil rights movement. Such celebrations ultimately grew and became more widely recognized.

February was chosen to be the month to commemorate African American history because it already featured the birthdays of Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglass, two individuals instrumental in furthering the antislavery movement. In 1976, President Gerald R. Ford officially recognized Black History Month, calling on the public to "seize the opportunity to honor the too-often neglected accomplishments of black Americans in every area of endeavor throughout our history."



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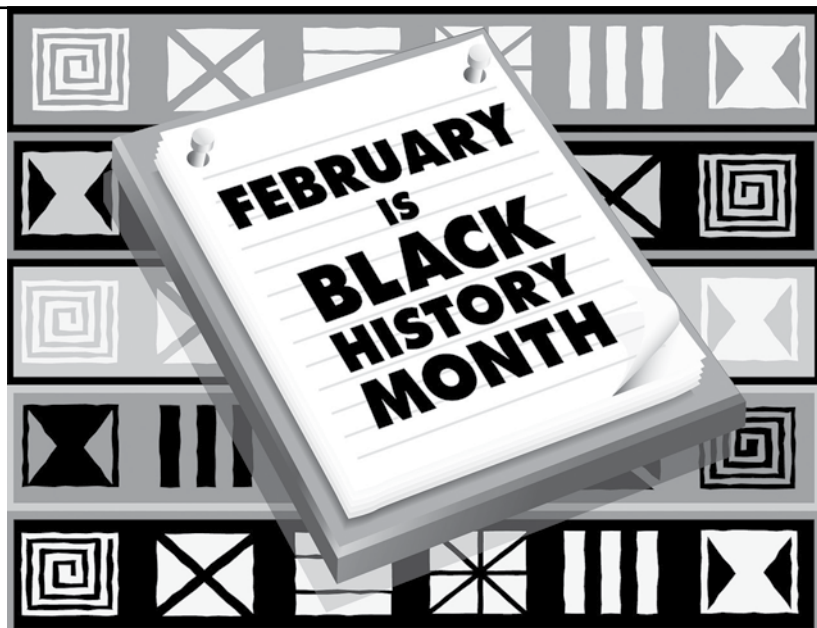
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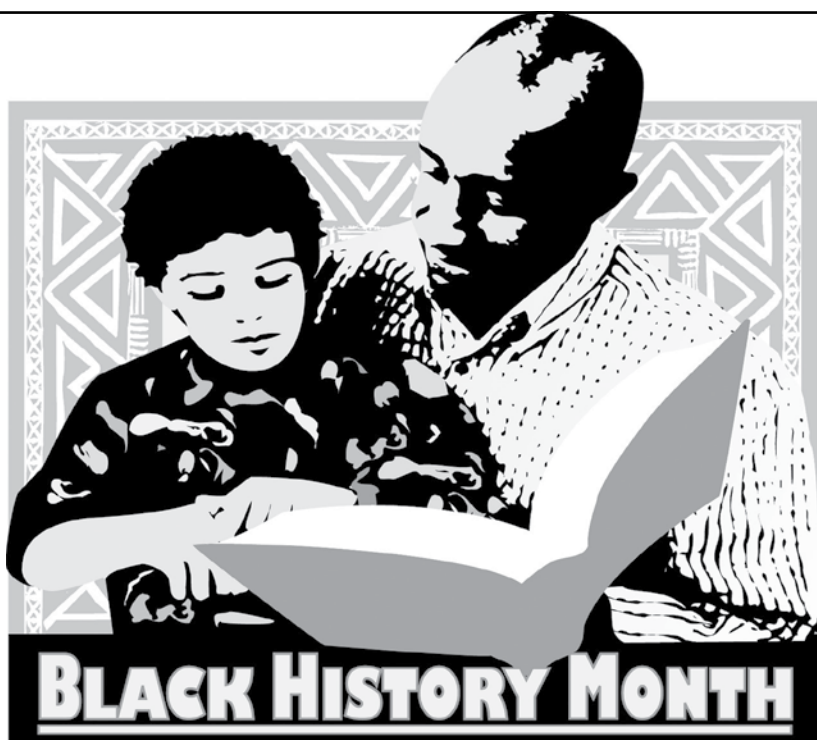


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Middleton, who are seeking their third straight trip to the final eight in Murfreesboro, got off to a quick start and easily defeated #7 seed Madison Academic by a 72-31 score.

Middleton (20-6) will now face Scotts Hill on 7:30 on February 17 at Decatur County Riverside. Middleton swept the Lady Lions during the regular season.

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The Bolivar Central Lady Tigers fought off an energetic Fayette Ware squad to advance to the semifinal against Lexington on February 17 at 7:30 at Chester County High School.

Kay Brown led Bolivar with 20, Alexius Futrell had 19, and Hailey Hardaway had 18 points for Bolivar, who are now 16-10 on the year. Bolivar split with Lexington during the regular season.

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Middleton's boys team is already qualified for the district semifinal as the number one seed in the seven team district, while Bolivar is scheduled to face Fayette Ware on February 16 at Bolivar Central High School. Fayette Ware, who had to forfeit seven district games due to an ineligible player, swept Bolivar during the regular season.

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Turner Signs with Jackson State Comm. College

Bolivar Central Senior Softball player Allie Turner signed to play for the Jackson State Community College Lady Generals in the spring of 2018.

Jackson State Community College is a member of Tennessee Community College Athletic Association and National Junior College Athletic Association.

Photo front: Glenn Turner, Allie Turner, Sharon Turner. Back: Bolivar Central Softball Coach Jordan Stack, Jackson State Assistant Softball Coach Carrie Beth Friedman and Bolivar Central Head Softball Coach Dylan Hill.



Bolivar City League Basketball

6-8 League Standings		9-10 League Standings	
Rockets	5-0	Warriors	4-1
Lakers	4-1	Hornets	4-1
Cavaliers	3-2	Bulls	1-4
Spurs	2-3	Rockets	1-4
Grizzlies	1-4	February 14 Scores	
Warriors	0-5	Hornets 35 Warriors 15	
February 13 Scores		Rockets 27 Bulls 22	
Lakers 24 Warriors 22		Leading Scorers	
Rockets 27 Grizzlies 12		K. McNeal, Hornets	14.4
Cavaliers 33 Spurs 16		C. McCarley, Warriors	11.8
Leading Scorers		T. Smith, Bulls	9.0
K. Polk	24.8	K. Allen, Rockets	9.0
O. Essie	19.8	C. McNeal, Rockets	6.4
C. McNeal	18.2	Hu. Kuhl, Hornets	6.2
J. Stanley	15.6	Herron, Warriors	6.0
M. Herron	11.2	J. Cross, Warriors	5.4
C. Tate	9.6	T. Parker, Hornets	4.6
J. Watkins	9.2	T. Harris, Bulls	3.2
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Star PT Hardeman County Sports Notes

The Bolivar Parks and Recreation Department is accepting applications for the 11-12 and 13-14 basketball leagues. The cost is \$25 per player. The playing age date is February 1. Sign ups are each weekday from 3:30-4:30 p.m. at Bolivar City Hall. Call 658-PLAY for more information.

The Let Love Glow 5K and Walk will be in Bolivar on Saturday, March 25 at 7:00 a.m. - Noon. This year will introduce an official timing company for results and online fundraising options for teams or individuals. Race day will feature live music, food, a silent auction and more. More details will be released when they become available.

The Bolivar Lions Club will have signups for baseball and softball February 25 and March 4.

Area 6 Middle School teams will come together for the JaVarrie "JoJo" Robertson Middle School All-Star Classic, February 23 at Bolivar Middle School at 5:30 p.m. Proceeds from the event will go to a scholarship fund in memory of Robertson, who passed away this past fall. For more information, calls Bolivar Middle School coach Demetrice Beauregard at 731-212-7777.

The Middleton Youth Spring Basketball League has begun registration for ages 9-15. The players will be broken into three leagues: 9-11 coed, 12-15 coed and a 13-15 boys league.

The draft has been scheduled for March 20 for the 9-11 league and March 23 for the other two divisions. Games will be played on Thursdays and Fridays beginning April 6 and ending May 13.

The entry fee is \$25. For more information call 731-376-8391 extension 12.

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Hardeman County Sports Scoreboard

February 9
Middleton High School Girls Basketball 56 Adamsville 31
Middleton High School Boys Basketball 65 Adamsville 30
Jackson South Side 81 Bolivar Central Girls Basketball 36
Jackson South Side 69 Bolivar Central Boys Basketball 47

February 10
Middleton High School Girls Basketball 55 Riverside 48
Middleton High School Boys Basketball 72 Riverside 61

February 14
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Hall of Fame Ceremony Kicks Off National Field Trials

by Ginger Tester

The 118th National Bird Dog Foundation Field Trials are in full swing at the Ames Plantation and 43 contestants are scheduled in this year’s championship.

Before the first brace began their trial, a Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony was held at the Bird Dog Museum on Saturday, February 11 to honor those coming in as well as recognizing attending living members and families of deceased members of Springer Spaniel, Cocker Spaniel and Retriever Field Trial Hall of Fame.

Donald S. Driggers, President of the Bird Dog Foundation said of Retriever Hall of Fame recipient Rick Van Burgen, “He’s the type of person who makes the Retriever thing go because he’s throwing a dead bird on a Sunday afternoon out in the snow when the dog was in the first series. People will say to me, ‘How do you get in the hall of fame?’ and I’ll say you throw that dead bird in the snow on a Sunday afternoon when you were in the first series and you’re still out there working.”

Van Burgen became interested in the Retriever game as a teenager when good friend who raised and trained Golden Retrievers introduced him to field trials. He remembers training in college and having a reluctant girlfriend (who later became his wife) “Stand in some field, pretend to shoot a gun, attempt to throw a plug and holler, Hey! Hey! Bang! Bang!”

Judy Powers was also inducted into the Hall of Fame. Driggers stated, “Like Rick, “Judy’s life in field trials exemplifies the service and achievement that the Hall of Fame really recognizes”. Judy not only does well with her dogs, but she’s an incredibly active person in the game doing practically everything that needs to be done wherever the foundation takes her from data entry to judging and most things in between. Judy and her husband Jim together have had eight title dogs. Judy shared “If you care about this sport, you want these great dogs to do well and it doesn’t matter who is standing beside them, it’s just that we love these dogs.”

2017 BIRD DOG FOUNDATION HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES -

Pointer and Setter: David A. Fletcher, Allen R. Linder and dogs Funseeker’s Rebel, owners Frank and Mercy Fonseca; Trainer Fred Dileo, and Great River Ide, owners Jack and Brian Sanchez, handler Mike Tracy Brittany: Mary Jo Timble and dogs NFC/DC/AFC Shady’s Tia Maria, owners Marilynne and Clem Little and FC/AFC Smarteyes-Joker, owner Steve Ralph.

Retriever: Rick Van Bergen, Judy Powers, John Goettl and dogs NAFC-FC Beorn’s Blazing Hydropsychyche, owners Dr. William and Cynthia Howard and NAF-FC MD’s Cotton Pick’n Cropper, owners Newt and Karen Cropper.

English Springer Spaniel: Gary Wilson and dog NCFC/FC/AFC Windmillwood Storm, owner Ewen Mc-Millan and Handler Terry Pellow

German Shorthair Pointer: Peter Kainz and NFC/FC Chisholm’s Creek Cuttin Loose “Cutter”, owner Mark Wasserman and NAFC/FC/AFC Annie’s Little Stinker “Chloe”, Owners James and Sara Messer

Cocker Spaniel: Albert Winslow and dogs NFTC FTC Berol’s Petey’s Boy, handler Clarence Wingate and FC CFC Warreners Yellowhammer MH, owners Paul McGagh and Vicky Thomas

Red Setter: Don Beauchamp and Celtic’s Sua Sponte “Suzie”, owner Paul Ober and handler Butch Beyer

Top Photo: Rick Van Burgen, who has been in the sport for over 40 years was inducted into The Bird Dog Foundation Field Trial Hall of Fame.

Bottom Photo: Judy Powers, who has been in the sport for over 37 years was inducted into The Bird Dog Foundation Field Trial Hall of Fame.



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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HARDEMAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE
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AT BOLIVAR

IN RE: JESSE COLE KNIGHT :
: CASSIE MARIE PIPKIN, (f/k/a)
: CASSIE MARIE KNIGHT and
: CHRISTOPHER WAYNE PIPKIN
: PETITIONERS,
: VS. : DOCKET NO. A-0261
: ROBERT ANTHONY KNIGHT,
: RESPONDENT.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
(NON-RESIDENT NOTICE)

It appearing from the complaint in this cause, which is sworn to, that ROBERT ANTHONY KNIGHT, cannot be personally served with process, it is ordered that publication be made for four (4) consecutive weeks in The Bolivar Bulletin Times, a newspaper published at Bolivar, in Hardeman County, Tennessee, requiring the said Respondent to defend a civil action, which seeks a Petition For Stepparent Adoption And Termination Of Parental Rights by filing your answer with the Clerk of the Court, and serving a copy of the answer to the Complaint on: Andrea D. Sipes, Attorney for Petitioners, whose address is: 200 East Main Street, Suite 101, P.O. Box 7129, Jackson, TN, 38302.

Within THIRTY (30) DAYS after the date of the last publication of this notice, not including day of last publication. If you fail to do so, a judgment by default may be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Petition.

This the 27th day of January, 2017.

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NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEES SALE

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms and conditions of a Deed of Trust dated December 15, 2005, executed by EVA DIANE JACOBS, conveying certain real property therein described to CHARLES R. PETTIGREW, as Trustee, as same appears of record in the Register's Office of Hardeman County, Tennessee recorded December 21, 2005, in Deed Book 635, Page 774-783; and WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was last transferred and assigned to Nationstar Mortgage LLC who is now the owner of said debt; andWHEREAS, the undersigned,Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, having been appointed as Substitute Trustee by instrument to be filed for record in the Register's Office of Hardeman County, Tennessee. NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable, and that the undersigned, Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, as Substitute Trustee or his duly appointed agent, by virtue of the power, duty and authority vested and imposed upon said Substitute Trustee will, on March 8, 2017 at 11:00 AM at the West Door of the Hardeman County Courthouse, 100 North Main Street, Bolivar, TN 38008, proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds ONLY, the following described property situated in Hardeman County, Tennessee, to wit:THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE SITUATED IN HARDEMAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE, TO-WIT: BOUNDED ON THE NORTH BY LOT D, OWNED BY THEODORE SNEED; BOUNDED IN THE SOUTH BY LOT B, OWNED BY KENNETH BREEDEN; BOUNDED ON THE EAST BY LOT F, AND BOUNDED ON THE WEST BY JONES STREET, 50 FEET WIDE, FRONTS 75 FEET ON JONES STREET AND EXTENDS EAST BETWEEN PARALLEL LINES 150 FEET, CORNERS MONUMENTED. BEING LOT C OF BLOCK 2 OF THE KELLER-JACKSON SUBDIVISION OF BILLS LAND. Parcel ID: 070P-D-018.00 PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be 516 N JONES ST, BOLIVAR, TN 38008. In the event of any discrepancy between this street address and the legal description of the property, the legal description shall control. CURRENT OWNER(S): EVA DIANE JACOBSOTHER INTERESTED PARTIES: ABN AMRO MORTGAGE GROUP INC, First National Bank of Pennsylvania-The sale of the above-described property shall be subject to all matters shown on any recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements or set-back lines that may be applicable; any prior liens or encumbrances as well

as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose. This property is being sold with the express reservation that it is subject to confirmation by the lender or Substitute Trustee. This sale may be rescinded at any time. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. All right and equity of redemption, statutory or otherwise, homestead, and dower are expressly waived in said Deed of Trust, and the title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee. The Property is sold as is, where is, without representations or warranties of any kind, including fitness for a particular use or purpose.THIS LAW FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, Substitute Trustee119 S. Main Street, Suite 500Memphis, TN 38103 www.rubinelublin.com/property-listings.php Tel: (877) 813-0992Fax: (404) 601-5846 Ad #111163 02/09/2017, 02/16/2017, 02/23/2017

REQUEST FOR BIDS

The Town of Whiteville, TN will be accepting bids for supplies to construct an Impound Lot. Bid Packages can be picked up at City Hall (107 College St Whiteville, TN) during regular business hours. Bids should be submitted in a sealed envelope on or before February 27, 2017, 12 noon at that time they will be opened. The Town of Whiteville Reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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The Town of Whiteville, TN will be accepting bids for a Self-Priming Solids Handling Pump. Bid Packages can be picked up at City Hall (107 College St Whiteville, TN) during regular business hours. Bids should be submitted in a sealed envelope on or before February 27, 2017, 12 noon at that time they will be opened. The Town of Whiteville Reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

NOTICE

Effective, beginning in March, the Hardeman County Highway Board of Supervisors will meet at 5:30 p.m. on the first and third Tuesday of each month at the highway department office.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HARDEMAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE FOR THE 25TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT BOLIVAR

IN RE: SARA MADISON KNIGHT :
: CASSIE MARIE PIPKIN, (Dk/a) :
: CASSIE MARIE KNIGHT and :
: CHRISTOPHER WAYNE PIPKIN :
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PETITIONERS, :
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VS. : DOCKET NO. A-0262
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ROBERT ANTHONY KNIGHT, :
: :
RESPONDENT. :

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OBITUARIES

(CONTINUED FROM A5)

E.M. DILWORTH, JR JANUARY 31, 1947 ~ FEBRUARY 1, 2017

E.M. Dilworth, Jr., fondly known as Tapp, story starts on January 31, 1947 the only child born to E.M. Dilworth, Sr. and Dessie B. Mason Dilworth. Tap was born in Benton County, MS where he would spend his childhood, grow up, go to school and make many lifelong friends. When Tapp was still young, E.M. and Dessie moved their small family to Grand Junction, Tennessee.

His funeral service was held on Sunday, February 5, 2017 at 2 p.m. at Mount Bethel MBC with Pastor Carmonted Duncan in charge. Burial was in the Church Cemetery and Dixie Funeral Home in charge of the professional service.

After many years of farming with his parents and various other occupations, Tapp spent his last work years with a family owned business he started with his sons whom he trained to do many skillful construction jobs from building to electrical wiring, plumbing, painting and landscaping.

Tapp confessed his belief in Christ at an early age and joined Mount Bethel MB Church. After many years away from the church, he returned and became a deacon, superintendent of Sunday school and a great supporter of the church.

E.M.'s earthy story ended Wednesday, February 1, 2017 at Jackson General Hospital in Jackson, TN surrounded by family at 9:08 p.m. Loved ones that cleared the path for Tapp are his parents, sons, Scottie, Sherman and Ray and his daughter Cynthia.

Loved ones that will miss Tapp until they meet again are his daughters; Nancy (Michael) of Grand Junction, TN, Linda Ann of Michigan City, MS, his sons, Cedric (April) whom he lived with, Patrick and Donnie all of Grand Junction, TN, a granddaughter he reared, Jocelyn of Nashville, TN, three daughter – in-laws: Cheryl, Flora, and Sherita; twenty-four grandchildren, twenty-one great-grand children, and a host of relatives and friends. Tap was always an independent man, but in his last days he depended heavily not only his children but on many friends and relatives. Doris, Betty, Ruth, Jean, his church members and several buddies helped him and provided care.

And so the story goes on until we see our beloved EM again in the Air. We love you and already miss you Tapp.

SHIRLEY BEAUREGARD MAY 17, 1938 ~ JANUARY 21, 2017

Shirley Beatrice (Perry) Beauregard was born on May 17, 1938 in Hardeman County to the late Thomas and Ellie B. Reaves-Perry.

Her funeral service was held on Saturday, January 28, 2017 at 12:00 noon at Mt. Salem MBC-Hickory Valley, TN with Pastor Melvin Bufford in charge. Burial was in the Mt. Zion Cemetery and Dixie Funeral Home was in charge of the professional service.

She accepted Christ at an early age and was a faithful member of the Mt. Salem MB Church.

Shirley graduate from Bolivar Industrial School in Hardeman County, TN. Following her graduation, she was married to Cody Columbus Beauregard. They lived in Fulton, KY and later she moved to Detroit, MI, there she joined St. Galilee MB Church. She was a faithful member of the choir and usher ministry.

After retirement from RainDance technologies, Shirley returned home to Saulsbury, TN. There she met a special friend, Charlie Ray DuBose who remained until her death.

Shirley had an indescribable love for children and through this love, she became a foster parent for the Hardeman County DCS. Her passion allowed her to raise Michael Patrick and Leona Carter and later go on to adopt Takindra Sharde Beauregard and Mark Anthony Beauregard. Her care and concern for children led her to help nurture and raise many children throughout her life (Jaworski & Tvarski Beauregard, DeAntairion Armour & Elijah McNeal, Cierra Mayhue & Siriurs Readers).

Shirley was employed at Pine Meadows Healthcare (Formally known as Care Inn) in Bolivar, TN until her retirement.

On Saturday, January 21st, Shirley Beatrice Beauregard departed this life at Methodist Lebonheur Hospital in Germantown, TN. She said she was tired and God allowed her to take a rest. Shirley was preceded in death by two sisters: Annie Mae Perry and Opaline McBride and three brothers: Frederick Cleveland Perry, Thomas Perry, Jr., and Willie C. Perry.

She leaves to mourn her passing and to cherish her memory, her beloved Charlie Ray “Rayford” DuBose of Saulsbury, TN; two children: Takindra Beauregard of Saulsbury, TN, Mark Beauregard of Jackson, TN, three grandchildren: Brylee and Bryson Brown, and Omari Beauregard, three brothers, Rev. David L. (Doris) Perry, Sr. of Middleton, TN, Leroy (Gladia) Perry of Saulsbury, TN, Dennis Perry of Saulsbury, TN, three sisters: Katherine Perry of Saulsbury, TN, Dorothy (Joseph) Beauregard of Bolivar, TN, and Helen (Lewis) Buford of Milwaukee, WI and a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, other relatives and friends.

KELLY EUGENE JETER JANUARY 16, 1972 ~ FEBRUARY 11, 2017

Mr. Kelly Eugene Jeter, age 45 of Middleton, Tennessee, passed away Saturday, February 11, 2017 at his home.

Funeral services were held at 11:00 a.m. Thursday, February 16, 2017, at Shackelford Funeral Directors of Bolivar with John Kirk and Mitch Puckett officiating. Burial followed at Walnut Grove Cemetery.

Kelly Eugene Jeter was born on Sunday, January 16, 1972, to Tony Michael Jeter, Sr. and the late Betty Lou Doles Jeter in Jackson, TN. He was a heating/air conditioning technician and also had worked for DirectTV and Dover. Kelly was a member of Bolivar First Baptist Church and enjoyed hunting, fishing, and yard work. He was a graduate of Bolivar Central High School with the class of 1990 and lived all of his life in Bolivar.

He is survived by his two sons, Cody Michael Jeter of Memphis and Colin Wayne Jeter of Toone; one daughter, Hayden Jeter of Bolivar; his father, Mike Jeter and wife Georgia of Bolivar; a sister, Cristie Daniel of Bolivar; a brother, Tony Michael Jeter, Jr. of Bolivar; and three grandchildren, Emmi Grace Jeter, Ross Wayne Jeter, and Kase James Jeter. He is preceded in death by his mother, Betty Lou Jeter; and brother, Gene Dorris.

Memorial donations may be made out to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital (www.stjude.org/donate).



NOTICE OF BID

The Bolivar Energy Authority is requesting bids for a 2017 Pickup Truck. Bid specifications may be obtained from the Bolivar Energy Authority, 815 Tennessee St., Bolivar, TN 38008. Bids must be received no later than **4 p.m., Thursday, February 23, 2017**. The Bolivar Energy Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

LEGALSGOVERNMENT

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of a Deed of Trust dated March 23, 2009, executed by James L Grant and Sandra K Grant conveying certain real property therein described to John M Ahern as Trustee, as same appears of record in the Register's Office of Hardeman County, Tennessee, recorded April 3, 2009, in Book 677 page 276; and WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was last transferred and assigned to TRIFERA LLC, who is now the owner of said debt; and WHEREAS, the undersigned, Elizabeth H Parrott, having been appointed as Substitute Trustee by instrument to be filed for record in the Register's Office of Hardeman County, Tennessee.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable, and that the undersigned, Elizabeth H Parrott, as Substitute Trustee or his duly appointed agent, by virtue of the power, duty, and authority vested and imposed upon said Substitute Trustee will, on March 9, 2017, at 12:00 pm at the front steps of the Hardeman County Courthouse, located in Bolivar, Tennessee, proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for certified funds ONLY the day of sale, the following described property situated in Hardeman County, Tennessee, to wit:

BEGINNING AT A COTTON PICKER SPINDLE IN THE CENTER OF YOUNG ROAD, BEING THE NORTH-EAST CORNER OF THE RAYMOND A. ERVIN PROPERTY (M-16/625), RUNS THENCE WITH THE NORTH BOUNDARY LINE OF SAME SOUTH 80 DEGREES WEST 657.7 FEET TO A SET IRON FENCE POST, BEING THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE RESIDUE OF THE WESLEY JENKINS PROPERTY, THENCE WITH THE EAST BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID RESIDUE NORTH 19 DEGREES 38 MINUTES 14 SECONDS EAST 599 FEET TO A SET COTTON PICKER SPINDLE IN SAID ROAD, BEING THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID RESIDUE, THENCE WITH THE CENTER OF SAID ROAD SOUTH 62 DEGREES 56 MINUTES EAST 255.29 FEET, SOUTH 55 DEGREES 59 SECONDS EAST 121.01 FEET, SOUTH 45 DEGREES 30 MINUTES EAST 58.39 FEET, SOUTH 31 DEGREES EAST 37.97 FEET, SOUTH 13 DEGREES 31 MINUTES EAST 50.03 FEET, SOUTH 02 DEGREES WEST 50 FEET, AND SOUTH 20 DEGREES WEST 50 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 5.004 ACRES, MORE OR LESS. Per Certificate of Survey by L. Wayne Yates, R.L.S. #486, Bolivar, TN dated February 10, 2002.

Being the same property conveyed to James L. Grant and wife, Sandra K Grant by Quitclaim Deed from Sandra K Grant dated March 15, 2007 and recorded April 9, 2007 of record in Book 31, page 123, Register's Office for Hardeman County, Tennessee.

PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be 525 Young Rd Medon TN 38356. In the event of any discrepancy between this street address and the legal description, the legal description shall control.

CURRENT OWNERS: James L Grant, Sandra K Grant

OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES: Hardeman County Trustee 106 Warren St Bolivar TN 38008

The sale of the above-described property shall be subject to all matters shown on any recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements or set-back lines that may be applicable; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose. This property is being sold with the express reservation that it is subject to confirmation by the lender or Substitute Trustee. This sale may be rescinded at any time. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of sale to another day, time and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. All right and equity of redemption, statutory or otherwise, homestead, and dower are expressly waived in said Deed of Trust, and the title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee. The property is sold as is, where is, without representations or warranties of any kind, including fitness for a particular use or purpose.

THIS LAW FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Elizabeth H Parrott
WEINSTEIN & RILEY PS
701 Broadway Ste B-08
Nashville TN 37203
Tel: 615-742-9220
Fax: 404-601-5846 (Inklynk)

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms and conditions of a Deed of Trust dated April 3, 2007, executed by CYNTHIA K. GRANTHAM, DARREN G. GRANTHAM, conveying certain real property therein described to DAVID R. WILSON, as Trustee, as same appears of record in the Register's Office of Hardeman County, Tennessee recorded April 23, 2007, in Deed Book 655, Page 747-763; and WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was last transferred and assigned to Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee, on behalf of the holders of the J.P. Morgan Mortgage Acquisition Trust 2007-CH5 Asset Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2007-CH5 who is now the owner of said debt; and WHEREAS, the undersigned, Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, having been appointed as Substitute Trustee by instrument to be filed for record in the Register's Office of Hardeman County, Tennessee. NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebted-

ness has been declared due and payable, and that the undersigned, Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, as Substitute Trustee or his duly appointed agent, by virtue of the power, duty and authority vested and imposed upon said Substitute Trustee will, on March 16, 2017 at 01:00 PM at the Front Steps of the Hardeman County Courthouse, located in Bolivar, Tennessee, proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds ONLY, the following described property situated in Hardeman County, Tennessee, to wit: THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE SITUATED IN HARDEMAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE, TO-WIT: BEGINNING AT A NEW CAPPEED 1/2 INCH IRON ROD (TYPICAL OF ALL IRON IN THIS DESCRIPTION REFERRED TO AS SET) ON THE WEST MARGIN OF FITTS ROSS ROAD (40 FOOT WIDE) , SAID IRON BEING A NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE DARRAN GRANTHAM PARCEL (BOOK 6, PAGE 793) ; THENCE SOUTH 01 DEGREES 45 MINUTES 14 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE DARRAN GRANTHAM PARCEL A DISTANCE OF 236.72 FEET TO A SET IRON ROD; THENCE SOUTH 79 DEGREES 39 MINUTES 50 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF THE WILBURN GENE GRANTHAM PARCEL (BOOK X-4, PAGE 421) A DISTANCE OF 412.21 FEET TO A 22 INCH WHITE OAK WITH A X PAINTED IN BLUE ON IT THENCE SOUTH 02 DEGREES 05 MINUTES 36 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE WILBURN GENE GRANTHAM PARCEL AND THE LARRY GRANTHAM PARCEL (BOOK L-16, PAGE 316) A DISTANCE OF 774.44 FEET TO A SET IRON ROD; THENCE NORTH 43 DEGREES 39 MINUTES 28 SECONDS WEST ALONG A NEW SEVERANCE LINE OF THE SAMMY OVERTON AND GENE SPELLING PARCEL (BOOK 10, PAGE 842) ALONG A ELECTRICAL LINE A DISTANCE OF 854.72 FEET TO A SET IRON ROD; THENCE CONTINUING ON ALONG NEW SEVERANCE LINES OF THE SAMMY OVERTON AND GENE SPELLINGS PARCEL AND ALONG THE SOUTH SIDE OF A OLD FIELD ROAD THE FOLLOWING ELEVEN (11) COURSES (1) NORTH 31 DEGREES 47 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EST 196.20 FEET TO A SET IRON ROD; (2) NORTH 49 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 19 SECONDS EAST 88.52 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET; (3) NORTH 31 DEGREES 24 MINUTES 34 SECONDS EAST 85.46 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET; (4) NORTH 23 DEGREE 11 MINUTES 21 SECONDS EAST 102 . 84 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET; (5) NORTH 33 DEGREES 54 MINUTES 16 SECONDS EAST 56.81 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET; (6) NORTH 50 DEGREES 59 MINUTES 25 SECONDS EAST 16.29 FEET TOO AN IRON SET; (7) NORTH 57 DEGREES 13 MINUTES 25 SECONDS EAST 16 . 29 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET; (8) NORTH 66 DEGREES 34 MINUTES 58 SECONDS EAST 90.73 FEET TO AN IRON

ROD SET; (9) NORTH 50 DEGREES 59 MINUTE 38 MINUTES 03 SECONDS EAST 125.37 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET; (11) NORTH 32 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 21 SECONDS EAST 123.52 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET; THENCE LEAVING SAID FIELD ROAD AND CONTINUING ON ALONG NEW SEVERANCE LINES OF THE SAMMY OVERTON AND GENE SPELLINGS PARCEL THE FOLLOWING TWO (2) COURSES: (1) SOUTH 49 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 26 SECONDS EAST 369.20 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET; (2) SOUTH 72 DEGREES 57 MINUTES 56 SECONDS EAST 58.71 FEET TO AN IRON ROD SET; THENCE COINCIDENT WITH THE WEST MARGIN OF FITTS ROSS ROAD ALONG A NON-TANGENT CURVE TO THE LEFT, HAVING A RADIUS OF 395.00 FEET, A CHORD BEARING OF SOUTH 20 DEGREES 08 MINUTES 35 SECONDS EAST AND A CHORD LENGTH OF 128.60 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING CONTAINING 642.755 SQUARE FEET OR 14.755 ACRES. BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED FROM SAMMY OVERTON AND GENE SPELLING TO DARREN G. GRANTHAM BY DEED RECORDED 2/10/05, IN BOOK 14, PAGE 460 IN THE REGISTERS OFFICE OF HARDEMAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE. Parcel ID: 059 03103 000PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be 350 FITTS ROSS RD, BOLIVAR, TN 38008. In the event of any discrepancy between this street address and the legal description of the property, the legal description shall control. CURRENT OWNER(S): CYNTHIA K. GRANTHAM, DARREN G. GRANTHAMOTHER INTERESTED PARTIES: MERCHANTS & PLANTERS BANK The sale of the above-described property shall be subject to all matters shown on any recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements or set-back lines that may be applicable; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose. This property is being sold with the express reservation that it is subject to confirmation by the lender or Substitute Trustee. This sale may be rescinded at any time. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. All right and equity of redemption, statutory or otherwise, homestead, and dower are expressly waived in said Deed of Trust, and the title is believed to be good, but the under-

signed will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee. The Property is sold as is, where is, without representations or warranties of any kind, including fitness for a particular use or purpose.THIS LAW FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, Substitute Trustee119 S. Main Street, Suite 500Memphis, TN 38103 www.rubinelublin.com/property-listings.php Tel: (877) 813-0992Fax: (404) 601-5846 Ad #111324 02/16/2017, 02/23/2017, 03/02/2017

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE TEXT OF THE TOWN OF WHITEVILLE ZONING ORDINANCE TO MAKE AUTOMOTIVE RETAIL SALES A USE PERMITTED IN THE B-1 (CENTRAL BUSINESS) DISTRICT

Pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated Section 13-7-203, notice is hereby given of a public hearing to be held by the Whiteville Mayor and Board of Aldermen on Monday, March 6, 2017 at 7:30 p.m at the Whiteville Community Center located at 151 East Main Street.

The hearing is to receive public input on a proposed amendment to Whiteville Municipal Zoning Ordinance. The amendment to be discussed will allow for Automotive Retail Sales to be a use permitted in the B-1 (Central Business) District. Full copies of the proposed amendment and map may be viewed in Whiteville City Hall during during normal business hours. All interested persons are invited to attend and comment.

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ANSWERS: 1) Neither; 2) Absalom; 3) Cana; 4) Abimelech; 5) Jezebel; 6) 1 Timothy

FLASH BACK

Answers

- George Harrison was on vacation, and Ringo Starr was off filming. It was the last No. 1 single for the Beatles in the U.K.
- Barbara Mason, in 1965. The song peaked at No. 2 on the Billboard R&B chart. It was covered by Teri DeSario in 1979.
- The Recording Industry Association of America awards certification based on the number of records sold. The first gold went to Perry Como's hit single "Catch a Falling Star" in 1958.
- Spandau Ballet, in 1980.
- "Just the Way You Are," written and released by Billy Joel in 1977. The song garnered two Grammy Awards in 1979. Joel wrote the song about his then-wife, and after their divorce said he never liked the song anyway, and rarely played it.

Go Figure!

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There will be a Hardeman County Election Commission meeting at 5:00 p.m. on February 27, 2017. The purpose of the meeting is to review qualifying candidate petitions for the May 16, 2017 City of Bolivar Election. Any individuals with concerns please submit a letter of concern to the commission before the 27th. All interested parties are welcomed and invited to attend.

GOVERNMENT

Gregory Allen Adams, 47, 660 Pilgrims Rest Rd., McKenzie, TN, Vandalism, Criminal trespassing, no bond, court date 2/21 (released)

Samantha May Baker, 31, 406 Stevens Rd., Bolivar, TN, no bond (held)

Christopher Leonte Bills, 23, 606 Cliff St., Bolivar, TN, Aggravated assault, 2 counts of Assault, bond \$50,000, court date 3/14 (released)

Telvin Jamar Boyd, 508 Johnson St., Bolivar, TN, Noise law loud music, Driv on susp 1st, no bond, court date 3/10 (released)

Carlene Conner, 37, 106 Peabody, Jackson, TN, Filing false report, bond \$10,000, court date 2/21 (held)

Roy Gene Crouse, 64, 15060 Parker St., Hornsby, TN, Driv on revoked 1st, bond \$5,000, court date 2/24 (released)

Lane Alan Edmondson, 70 Muddy Ridge Rd., Pocahontas, TN, Driv w/a single lane, Poss. of handgun while under influence, bond \$15,000, court date 2/24 (released)

Tradarius Lamarr Girley, 20, 15 Candlewood Lake, Saulsberry, TN, Domestic assault, bond \$2,500, court date 2/21 (released)

Jessica Lashall Gooden, 36, 610 Naylor St., Bolivar, TN, Driv on revoked 1st, Speeding 53 mph in a 40 mph, Driving w/out insurance, bond \$5,000, court date 2/24 (released)

Brenda Vanessa Greer, 1111 North Royal, Jackson, TN, Child support, bond \$950, court date 3/8 (released)

Desma Lanay Griggs, 25, 1410 Oak Hill Rd., Bolivar, TN, Light law, Insurance violation, Driv on susp, no bond, court date 2/24 (released)

Margaret Ruth Hayward, 69, 2033 Blackwolf Rd., Crossville, TN, Intro/Poss contraband in penal inst., Sch III drug w/intent, bond \$50,000, court date 3/10 (held)

Matthew Blake Hood, 32, 529 Ridgeway Dr., Bolivar, TN, Speeding 128 in a 55 mph zone, Reckless driving, Felony evading by motor vehicle, Speeding 71 in 30, Driving under the influence 2nd, Due care, Reckless endangerment, Improper passing, bond \$75,000, court date 2/24 & 3/17 (held)

Antonio Davonte Jenkins, 19, 150 Main St., Saulsberry, TN, False reports, Driving on suspended 1st, no bond, court date 2/28 (released)

Antonio Devonte Jenkins, 19, 150 Main St., Saulsberry, TN, False report, bond \$30,000, court date 2/21 (held)

James Austin Jennings, 20, 8175

Old Hwy 64, Bolivar, TN, Simple possession, Unlawful drug paraphernalia, Speeding, No insurance, bond \$7,500, court date 2/24 (released)

Justin Lee King, 28, 305 Hughey Tall-ey Rd., Selmer, TN, Aggravated assault, bond \$50,000, court date 2/28 (held)

Deundre Cordrero Long, 23, 1165 Dixon Rd., Bolivar, TN, Violation of probation, bond \$10,000, court date 3/10 (held)

Jarquon Martise Lowe, 21, 150 Rust Ave., Holly Springs, MS, Speeding, Simple possession, Unlawful drug paraphernalia, Driving on susp dl, bond \$12,000, court date 2/24 (held)

Correy Lawanye Mason, 40, 290 Eula Dr., Moscow, TN, Failure to appear, bond \$1,500, court date 2/21 (released)

Tommy Junior Mitchell, 37, 1029 Burnette Dr., Henderson, TN, DUI 2nd, Simple poss. sch VI, Poss. w/intent to sell, bond \$25,000, court date 2/24 (held)

Richard Shanell Murdock, 42, 560 Indian Creek Rd., Grand Junction, TN, Failure to appear, bond \$5,000, court date 2/21 (released)

Brittany Gail Nelms, 26, 300 Sasser Rd., Middleton, TN, Theft under \$500, Theft under \$500, 4 counts of Fraudulent use of debit card, bond \$5,000, court

date 2/21 (released)

Charles Nunnally, 138 Bruce Rd., Holly Springs, MS, no bond (held)

Jessica Lynn Patton, 324 Bolivar Hwy, Jackson, TN, Theft \$1,000-\$10,000, 21 counts of Identity theft, bond \$15,000, court date 2/21 (held)

Lakisha Charmaine Perry, 502 Elm St., Bolivar, TN, Theft under \$500, bond \$1,500, court date 2/21 (released)

Tasha Shante Pruitt, 18, 1505 E. Chester St., Jackson, TN, FTA (Poss. alcohol underage), bond \$5,000, court date 2/21

Andria Margaret Russell, 35, 80 Neely St., Middleton, TN, Driving in revoked 2nd, 2 counts Child restraint, bond \$1,500, court date 4/28 (released)

Prentice Lee Sims, 55, 77 Sweet Bay, Jackson, TN, Failure to maintain right lane, Driv on revoked, bond \$7,500, court date 2/24 (held)

Coty Allen Taylor, 33, 14225 Parker St., Hornsby, TN, Vandalism, Trespassing, no bond, court date 2/21 (released)

Javonte Montavious Walton, 23, 334 Wood Ave., Whiteville, TN, Failure to appear, bond \$2,500, court date 2/21 (held)

Fabian Williams, 30, 3835 Union Springs Rd., Whiteville, TN, Violation of probation, bond \$2,500, court date 3/21 (released)

NOTICE

The Hardeman County Beer Board will meet on **March 3, 2017** at 9 a.m. at the Hardeman County Courthouse to vote on the application for the beer permit for on and off premises.

Applicant's Name: Dominique Renae Pugh

Address: 14555 Hwy. 64, Bolivar, TN 38008

Business Name: Club Magic City

Address: 14555 Hwy. 64, Bolivar, TN 38008

This is an open meeting. Public is invited.

The Hardeman County Beer Board will meet on **March 3, 2017** at 9 a.m. at the Hardeman County Courthouse to vote on the application for the beer permit for on and off premises.

Applicant's Name: Arafat A. Albadwi

Address: 25 Fayette Corner Rd., Whiteville, TN 38075

Business Name: Stop & Buy Inc.

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What's Smarter -- Paying Off Debts or Investing?

If you're just starting out in your career, you will need to be prepared to face some financial challenges along the way – but here's one that's not unpleasant: choosing what to do with some extra disposable income. When this happens, what should you do with the money? Your decisions could make a real difference in your ability to achieve your important financial goals.

Under what circumstances might you receive some "found" money? You could get a year-end bonus from your employer, or a sizable tax refund, or even an inheritance. However the money comes to you, don't let it "slip through your fingers." Instead, consider these two moves: investing the money or using it to pay off debts.

Which of these choices should you pick? There's no one "right" answer, as everyone's situation is different. But here are a few general considerations:

Distinguish between "good" and "bad" debt. Not all types of debt are created equal. Your mortgage, for example, is probably a "good" form of debt. You're using the loan for a valid purpose – i.e., living in your house – and you likely get a hefty tax deduction for the interest you pay. On the other hand, nondeductible consumer debt that carries a high interest rate might be considered "bad" debt – and this is the debt you might want to reduce or eliminate when you receive some extra money. By doing so, you can free up money to save and invest for retirement or other goals.

Compare making extra mortgage payments vs. investing. Many of us get some psychological benefits by making extra house payments. Yet, when you do have some extra money, putting it toward your house may not be the best move. For one thing, as mentioned above, your mortgage can be considered a "good" type of debt, so you may not need to rush to pay it off. And from an investment standpoint, your home is somewhat "illiquid" – it's not always easy to get money out of it. If you put your extra money into traditional investments, such as stocks and bonds, you may increase your growth potential, and you may gain an income stream through interest payments and dividends.

Consider tax advantages of investing. Apart from your mortgage, your other debts likely won't provide you with any tax benefits. But you can get tax advantages by putting money into certain types of investment vehicles, such as a traditional or Roth IRA. When you invest in a traditional IRA, your contributions may be deductible, depending on your income, and your money grows on a tax-deferred basis. (Keep in mind that taxes will be due upon withdrawals, and any withdrawals you make before you reach 59½ may be subject to a 10% IRS penalty.) Roth IRA contributions are not deductible, but your earnings are distributed tax-free, provided you don't take withdrawals until you reach 59½ and you've had your account at least five years.

Clearly, you've got some things to ponder when choosing whether to use "extra" money to pay off debts or invest. Of course, it's not always an "either-or" situation; you may be able to tackle some debts and still invest for the future. In any case, use this money wisely – you weren't necessarily counting on it, but you can make it count for you.

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Turkey Banquet Awards One, Remembers Another

by Jessica Simmons

The Tennessee Chapter of the National Wild Turkey Federation held their annual banquet February 11, at the Hardeman County Fairgrounds. When the National Wild Turkey Federation was founded in 1973, there were about 1.5 million wild turkeys in North America. Those numbers have now risen to a historic high of almost seven million turkeys after decades of dedicated work from volunteers, professional staff and committed partners. After such significant wild turkey numbers have been increased, the NWTf began a new 10-year initiative to: Save the Habitat. Save the Hunt. They're identifying four million acres of critical upland habitat that provide the most positive impact conservation for all wildlife. An additional part of 10-year initiative is to create 1.5 million hunters. Hunters pay for over 80 percent of wildlife conservation through taxes on guns, ammunition, and more. An increase in these hunters will mean a needed increase in places to hunt. The NWTf has researched and found that a main reason most hunters stop hunting is because of lack of access to hunting lands, so they're fighting to ensure open access to over 500,000 additional acres for hunting making sure everyone can find a place to go. Russ Kelly (top photo) is a hunter who attended the NWTf Banquet and won the 2017 Gun of the Year.

Author's Note: February 11 marked two months since Richard Noe's unexpected passing shook Hardeman County. Those of us who saw him daily still haven't accepted it as a reality. Richard was an avid hunter and attended all the local wildlife banquets to cut up, have a good time, and maybe bid on a gun or two. Who am I kidding? That's what he did everywhere he went. The local NWTf chapter wanted to honor Richard and his family for the person he was, the person he will always live on to be, and his contributions over the years. There couldn't have been a more fitting painting for this event or for this man than Thomas Kinkade's My Mountain Paradise II. "The light of sunset pours from the sky, painting the clouds and nearby hills with a heavenly radiance. My Mountain Paradise is truly my daydream of an idyllic mountain hideaway." -Thomas Kinkade



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