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From the Other Side of the Desk

A total eclipse of the sun will take place over the continental U.S.A. on August 21.

The people with good memories (and Google) tell us that it hasn't happened since February 26, 1979. As I remember (I was 11 years old), I may have made one of those things with a shoe box (after an apocalyptic warning of being struck blind if I glanced at it) and went out into the yard after school and "looked" at it, but I really don't remember. Perhaps it caused memory loss. All I really remember is the warning and not looking at the sun for six months two years ever again.

Anyway, it's gonna be dark (really dark, they claim) for almost three minutes at 1:15 p.m. that day or you can just wait until about 8:35 p.m. for about nine hours of it.

But if you can't wait until the sun goes down and are a little afraid of darkness at lunchtime, you know, with the warnings of blindness and all, I have a suggestion:

Go to the movies. For \$7\$9 \$12.50 \$16, you can have darkness in the middle of the day and a possibility of entertainment for two hours without the threat of permanent cornea damage. I'm always amazed at how bright it is outside after a matinée movie. And it'll still be light out afterwards if you catch the 1:00 p.m. show, unless of course you go to Godfather III or Return of the King.

And while you're going online to order your eclipse viewing glasses and trying to find your Carly Simon record 8-track cassette CD iTunes downloaded file, you better

hope it's not overcast that day. On second though, just stay

Darrell Teubner, Editor

HAVE YOU SEEN?







Bolivar Football Sends One More to W mer, a Bolivar Central football player has announced his intention to attend West Virginia Uni-

Briason Mays, the son of Brian and Katina Mays of Bolivar, made his announcement on Twitter on July 30.

versity on a football scholarship.

"I would like to start by thanking God for blessing me with offers for the sport I love. I would be remiss if I didn't extend great appreciation and love to my coaches, teammates, and amazing parents. I would also like to thank the



Bolivar to Replace Councilperson

The City of Bolivar has made public that they will replace Quantissia Hamer, who resigned from her District A, Position 1 spot on the Bolivar City Council. Citizens who live in the East

District are eligible to apply by picking up an application at the Bolivar Municipal Center. "I want to thank Ms. Hamer for

her service to the City of Bolivar," said Mayor Julian McTizic. "I served alongside her for two years as a city councilperson and I wish her the best."

Hamer was elected to the council in 2015 and the spot will be up for re-election in 2019.

The next Bolivar City Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 8 in the Bolivar City Municipal Courtroom at 5:30 p.m., but the council is expected to vote on changing the monthly meeting to the second Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m.

"Some of our councilpeople for her term in July of 2015.



have a hard time getting to the meeting at 5:30 p.m.," said Mayor McTizic. "And the change to Monday works better for some councilpeople as well."

The change passed on the first reading in July, and if passed on the second reading, it would take effect in September.

Photo: Hamer being sworn in

Sain Waiting on Endorsement

With forty-five county mayors in Tennessee choosing Randy Boyd to endorse for governor in Tennessee, Hardeman County Mayor Jimmy Sain is waiting to make his choice.

"There are several candidates that have supported Hardeman County in the past three years," said Sain. "I would like to talk to each one before making a decision, whether they be a democrat or republican, I want the best for Hardeman County."

Boyd, who is considered the front-runner among Republicans, announced July 31 that nine West Tennessee Mayors had endorsed him, bringing his statewide total to 45.

The State of Tennessee will elect a governor in November of 2018. Current Governor Bill Haslam is ineligible to run due to term limits.



Unemployment Drops in County

Figures from the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development show Hardeman County at 5.3%, a significant reduction from June of 2016, where the rate was 6.7%

Numbers for Hardeman County show 490 unemployed out of a possible 9,220 in the workforce.

The estimated total for June places Hardeman County 71st in the state and ahead of surrounding counties McNairy (6.0%) and Haywood at (5.8%). The national average for June is listed at 4.4%, while Tennessee beats that figure with a 3.6% preliminary figure.

The surrounding counties with better numbers are Madison at 4.4%, Chester at 4.9%, and Fayette at 4.2%.

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Amber McCain Comes to Bolivar for Music on the Square

The Bolivar Downtown Amphitheatre will be alive with music on Friday night as The Wise Guys open for the Amber McCain Band beginning on Friday at 7:00 p.m. The Amber McCain Band lists Country, Pop, Soft Rock, Classic Rock,

and Rhythm and Blues as their range of music and it will be their first appearance at Music on the Square. Band Members are Amber McCain-Lead Vocals; Bruce Kee-Lead Guitar;

Nick Dominguez-Drums; Shane Swindle-Keyboards, Guitar, Sax and Vocals; and Wendell Combs-Bass Guitar and Vocals. The Wise Guys, Dale King and Darryl Perry are also the sound techni-

cians for Music on the Square. Music on the Square is made possible by the Hardeman County Music Commission and the Bolivar Downtown Development Corporation with live music from May until October.

The remainder of August will feature The Strayz opening for Bryan Hayes and the Retrievers on August 11, Emma Webb and the Wolf River Band on August 18, and Brian Lee Howell and the Martin Family Circus on August 25. Also, the Music Commission will present Gospel Music on the Square, August 12 with Living Truth and Karaoke on August 19.



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MAGNUM Holds Awareness Event by Ginger Tester

Bolivar residents, community leaders, law enforcement, family and friends gathered at the Bolivar Downtown Amphitheatre for the United We Stand Community Day to serve as a reminder of what has happened in our community along with raising awareness and hope for change. MAGNUM (Men/Mothers Against Gun violeNce Unity Movement) sponsored the event on Saturday, July 29.

Caleb Minter, songwriter, musician and entertainer, founded the MAGNUM program after his brother Clarence Minter of Bolivar was killed by a gunshot wound in his home on December 19, 2014. Minter says that he didn't know how to feel after the murder of his brother and he "started the movement to bring the community together and to educate about gun violence and how it affects the family and community." Minter and his group gave of their time, resources and talents to perform following the speakers including Gone Too Soon, a song that Minter wrote after the passing



vey, expressed her appreciation for the guest speakers who participated in the event and helped raise awareness in this community. Harvey offered encouragement to those who may have gone or will go through what their family has experienced. "You never know when this may hit your home and we're here to encourage you and to let you know

that yes, it's so painful and you will never get over it, but I promise you, if you keep your eyes on the Lord, you will be alright," she paused, "after a while."

Photo: Ruby Harvey and Elizabeth Woods, mother and aunt of Clarence Minter.

Farmers Market Spotlight: Johnson Family Farm

by Ginger Tester National Farmers Market Week

arrives at the peak of growing season this month and will be celebrated this year on August 6-12 with the best produce in Hardeman County each Saturday and Tuesday at the Bolivar Farmers Market, beginning at 7:00 a.m.

According to David and Avice Johnson of Whiteville who are regulars at the Bolivar Famers Market, they've been farming for "too long, but it gets in your blood," mused Johnson. For over 40 years they have been raising fresh vegetables, fruits and nuts beginning in early spring to late

fall featuring peppers, squash, potatoes, green beans, cucumbers, sweet potatoes, cabbage, tomatoes, peanuts, pecans and more at their produce farm.

If you would like additional information or would like to participate, contact Gerald Sykes, Market Manager, 110 Lafayette Street, Bolivar, TN 38008 or call 731-609-2345. The Bolivar Farmers Market is part of PickTnProducts and exists due to the efforts of the Bolivar Downtown Development Corporation.





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Terangi Pierre Allen, 36, 616 S. Polk St., Bolivar, TN, Possession of fire arm to commit felon, Poss sch IV (marijuana), Into contraband in penal inst., Poss sch II, bond \$110,000, court date 8/8 (held)

Montavious O'Neal Alston, 18, 7385 Hwy 195, Somerville, TN, Tampering w/or fabricating evidence, Evading arrest by motor vehicle, Simple possession, Driving on revoked suspended, Violation light law, bond \$45,000, court date 8/8 (held)

George Arthur Bonner, 28, 643 N. Main St., Bolivar, TN, Criminal trespassing (includes prowler), bond \$2,500, court date 8/15 (held)

Michael Anthony Cardwell, Jr., 277 Oak St., Selmer, TN, Domestic assault, bond \$10,000,

court date 8/8 (released)

Carla Marie Carwile, 41, 562
Gaylord St., Dresden, TN, Poss cont subs w/intent, Simple poss, Unlawful drug paraphernalia, Improper turn, bond \$22,000, court

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MARRIAGE

LICENSE, DIVORCES,

FORECLOSURES

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Timothy Alan & Lesia Diane

Christopher Lynn & Tabitha

Jessica Marie Hutto, chapter 13

Pamela Janine Lanier, chapter 7

Jeffery Dwayne and Patricia

Brenda Sue Pannell, chapter 7

Cleo I. Weaver, chapter 13

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Mildred H. Jones, chapter 13

Latoya Gibson, chapter 13

Valeta Herron, chapter 13

David Lee Mott, chapter 7

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date 8/11 (held)

Clinton Walter Cox, 25, 990 Cox Rd., Henderson, TN, Driv on susp DL 1st, No insurance, bond \$2,500, court date 8/11 (released) Tiffany Page Earnest, 20, 65

Tiffany Page Earnest, 20, 65 Justin Way, Pocahontas, TN, Failed to appear for drug court, bond \$2,500, court date 8/8 (released)

Megan Michel Hall, 19, 110

Rose St., Middleton, TN, Unlawful drug paraphernalia, Prohibited weapons, Poss man/sell/del methamphetamine, Poss/man/sell/del sch II ct. 3, Poss man/sell/del sch II ct. 2, Poss man/sell/del sch II ct. 1, bond \$80,000, court date 8/8 (held)

Lillian Gracie Hughes, 31,

MS, Failed to appear, bond \$35,000, court date 8/15 (held) **Robert Abraham Jimenez**, 28, 15055 Hwy 64, Bolivar, TN, Driv while license suspended, bond

3420 County Rd. 306, Reinzie,

\$2,500, court date 8/8 (released)
Clinton Andre Krannichfield,
25, 795 Gatlin Dr., Grand Junction, TN, Violation of probation,
bond \$50,000, court date 8/11
(held)
William Thorton McAnally,

56, 108 S. South Church St., Jack-

son, TN, Violation of probation, bond \$50,000, court date 8/11 (held)

BULLETIN

Jacob Allen Murphey, 23, 1669 Hwy 138, Toone, TN, Domestic assault, bond \$5,000, court date 8/8 (released)

Demetric Lamont Price, 40, 8885 Hwy 64 West, Bolivar, TN, Violation of probation, bond \$25,000, court date 8/11 (held) Sidney Alvin Sims, 19, 175 Main St., Pocahontas, TN, Driv on revoked, Theft over \$500 under \$1,000, bond \$12,000, court

Breunna Tinesha Theus, 26, 547 N. Church St., Jackson, TN, Violation of probation (GS), bond \$2,500, court date 8/8 (released)

date 8/8 (held)

Nolan Blake Todd, 31, 12 Alamo Dr., Jackson, TN, Exploitation of minor, bond \$5,000, court date 8/8 (released)

Cecil Thomas Watson, 37,

6345 Hwy 125 S., Whiteville, TN, 2 counts Contempt of court, bond \$1,750, court date 8/17 (released) **Kevin Antonio Williams**, 37, 85 Alvin Rd., Somerville, TN, Tampering with evidence, Simple possession of marijuana, bond \$15,000, court date 8/15 (held)

Joe Fulghum II, ET AL to First United Methodist Church of Bolivar, tract \$25,500

Jennifer Hobson, ET AL to John & Dava Henley, lots \$32,000
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Pilots Hunt Club, LLC to Maroon & White, LLC, tracts

John Pugh, ET AL to Cristina L. Hays, lot \$6,900

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Larry Ross, ET AL to Brian Smith Electric INC., 5.23A.

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Billy Mac Washam to Billy Mac Washam, Revocable Living Trust, 120.73A. \$0

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Vaccines: Not Just for Children

Preventing an illness is always better than trying to treat it once it occurs. That's why doctors with the Tennessee Department of Health encourage people of all ages to talk with their healthcare providers about the immunizations needed for lifelong protection.

"Vaccines aren't just for kids. They provide protection against many potentially serious and preventable illnesses that can strike an individual, a family or a community without warning," said TDH Commissioner John Dreyzehner, MD, MPH. "We see deadly influenza every year; mumps outbreaks have been ongoing in the U.S., including Tennessee; measles outbreaks have surged worldwide because too many people have been misled by just plain wrong, unscientific information about vaccines. The bottom line is this: Nothing is zero risk. We all depend on each other to be current on vaccines to protect each other and communities because no vaccine is 100 percent effective and not every person can take vaccine. Many people doing the right thing protects all of us, especially the most vulnerable among us."

ing toolbox to protect adults better than ever before. Nonetheless, most adults in Tennessee and around the country have not yet taken advantage of them. Tennesseans over age 65 are pretty good about getting pneumococcal and influenza vaccines, but fewer than one in four younger adults whose health, lifestyle or occupation may put them at risk for certain infections such as hepatitis B, pneumococcal disease or pertussis, have actually gotten these important vaccines. "What your healthcare provider will recommend will be based on

In recent years, new vaccines have been added to the healthy liv-

"What your healthcare provider will recommend will be based on your previous immunizations, age, health conditions, travel plans and other factors," said Kelly Moore, MD, MPH, director of the Tennessee Immunization Program. "The adult immunization schedule is updated each year and available online. If your healthcare provider does not bring up immunizations, you should! Vaccines help you stay in the best possible health at every age."

Some of the vaccines healthcare providers will recommend may include:

- Tdap vaccine, which stands for tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis (also known as whooping cough). The Tdap vaccine is a booster vaccine recommended just once for every person age 11 years and older. People who have had Tdap should get a Td booster for tetanus and diphtheria every 10 years. Pregnant women are different: a woman should get Tdap between the 27th and 36th week of each pregnancy to protect her newborn from pertussis.
- Pneumococcal vaccines come in two varieties. Everyone age 65 and older needs PCV13 first, followed by PPSV23 a year later. These two vaccines help prevent serious bloodstream infections with 23 different strains of pneumococcal bacteria, and PCV13 can reduce the risk of pneumonia. Certain adults with chronic health problems, including diabetes, asthma, heart disease, kidney disease, immune system problems and those who smoke may also need one or both of these vaccines well before they turn 65.
- Shingles vaccine is recommended for people 60 and older. It can reduce the risk of the common painful shingles rash which comes from reactivation of the virus that causes chickenpox in children. Vaccinated people who get shingles are much less likely to experience the severe nerve pain complications of shingles that can last months or years.
- Measles, Mumps, Rubella, or "MMR" vaccine protects against all three diseases. Those born after 1957 who have never had the vaccine should talk with their healthcare provider about getting a dose.
- HPV vaccine is for younger adults, through age 26. It protects against types of human papillomavirus that cause several kinds of cancer in men and women, including deadly cervical cancer and cancers of the mouth and throat. If given on time as a preteen, only two doses are needed, but three doses are needed if the first dose is given after age 15. It also protects against certain types of warts.
- Hepatitis A and B vaccines prevent infections with two very different viruses that can damage your liver. Both vaccines are now routinely given to all young children; however, some adults who were not vaccinated as children should be vaccinated now. Hepatitis A vaccine is especially important if you travel outside the United States because this common virus can be transmitted through contaminated food and drinks. Hepatitis B virus can cause lifelong chronic infection and is spread through blood or sexual contact with an infected person. Adults with diabetes and those whose work or lifestyle put them at risk of contact should ask a healthcare provider about being vaccinated.
- Influenza vaccine should be an annual event for all adults. It is tailored specifically for each flu season. It is especially important for older adults, those with health problems and pregnant women.

"People around the world enjoy healthier, longer lives thanks to safe, effective vaccines," Moore said. "However, a vaccine cannot protect you if it is sitting in a vial on a shelf! Take the first important step with a simple question to your pharmacist or doctor: 'What vaccines do I need today to protect myself and others?'"

PUBLIC NOTICE Hardeman County Correctional Facilities Corporation will hold a

telephonic Board meeting on Monday, August 14, 2017, at 8:30 a.m. to approve the Option For Utility Easement between the Hardeman County Correctional Facilities Corporation and Latitude Solar System Center, LLC. Access may be obtained at the law offices of Denton & Cary, 118 Warren St., Bolivar, Tennessee.

Notice

The City of Bolivar has a vacant position for a City of Bolivar ouncilmember for District A, Position 1. This position is in the

Councilmember for District A, Position 1. This position is in the East Bolivar District. Any citizen who lives in the East district that is interested in applying for the position may pick up an application at the Bolivar Municipal Center, 211 N. Washington St., Bolivar, TN. The qualifications will be attached to the application.

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FAITH

The Morphing of Mary Rogers

Mary Rogers was typical but not unharmed. She was born to affluent parents. In their luxury, they failed to remember that time was the currency of true love. Mary Rogers was typical, but unloved. Her nanny showed concern, but it was duty. She grew up in the best schools and got an excellent education. In all of her typical, she never questioned if it was right. She just felt wrong. She felt "loved" like every other kid is supposed to, the rents cover expenses and show up to her most important events.

Mary Rogers was typical, but not untainted. In the schoolyard, she heard every negative word hurled at her. Kids can be cruel, but it isn't until the damage is done that we, years later, learn it happens to a lot of us. It always feels pointed and isolating.

Mary Rogers is typical, but alone. There are always people around, but inside she felt as though she was on an island, and her smoke signals only got waves from passing ships. We all have the lonely place in us, and when the door to that room is open, the silence is wrenching.

The morphing of Mary Rogers was underway. Arriving into the world with bright eyes and trusting little arms. Little by little she changed, but this was typical to so many, an incremental march to an absurd relinquishment of what it means to be created in the image of God.

Middle school brought bouts of relief, but it seemed that everything she tried that made her feel

Sunrise:

alive and different also left her as empty on the other side of it. Boy interests were the main culprit. She felt wanted when boys would look at her and smile, but used when they would move beyond

In High School, the girls who defended her against the boy troubles of middle school somehow all decided they were each other's competition. Like some unwritten code kicked in that created a gang mentality. If you were with us then you were superficially accepted, if you were not you were trash. Mary Rogers was typical, but not accepted by the girls or respected by the boys.

With the continuing affluence, Mary got a car at an early 16 years of age. Then, she had her own "gang" of girls. Mary was typical and seemingly cared for because of the assets she had to offer. But, she reasoned, at least she had that.

In the tumultuous years of flirting with romances and first loves, she took hit after hit on her self-esteem. There was not one single relationship she could point to where she felt true, unselfish

You could track the later morphing on her Facebook. Posts about being "so in love" with a boy one week and single the next. Her photos included more and more smiles, but always seemed to have beer cans in the photo as well. Even physically, if you watched her "friends" album over the years, you could see more and more beer and larger and larger friends. As they all escaped the

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lonely place together, they formed an addictive distraction plan to avoid the pain of loneliness.. They didn't notice the morphing, because they were all getting more "wasted". They aged beyond their years from 17-22 years of age.

By 24, Mary Rogers was typical, morphed and incurably needy. She was born a child of hopeful measure into a world of excess, need, extortion and selfishness. She was now alone, unloved, needy, perpetually unhappy and constantly self-distracting, but unfortunately typical.

But that is the typical morphing, not the one I am telling you about today. Mary, now 28, was on a small plane circling a landing strip in Ghana. She was taking medicine to children suffering in an epidemic. You see, the morphing of Mary Rogers happened at a concert a friend invited her to on a warm Spring evening on a Georgia hillside. It was there she realized that she was created in God's image and that everything that chained her to "typical" could be erased in a simple prayer of relinquishment. Her morphing that night was not like a lifelong change from a cradle to a grave, but like a cocooned caterpillar breaking free to glide as a butterfly. And fly she did.

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Someone said if you want to know from which lens you see your world, look at your beliefs about it. Scrip-

ture said it well, "For as he (or she) thinks within himself, so is he. (griefmourning.com and Proverbs 23;7). It is reported that the section of the brain that develops last is also the section that declines first, that is the area of perception. For example, the idea exists if you do not like the way things look, perhaps it looks hard and dreary, change the lens from which you see the world by changing your perception or point of view. One's perception is as social psychology claims, if you want to understand a person, their perception matters more than reality. I would suggest, that is their reality at that time. Perception is a powerful influence in a person's life, whether according to truth or not. Israel loved his son

Perception by David Coy

Joseph more than all his children. Joseph's siblings hated him and sold him into slavery, took his coat, dipped it in the blood of a male goat and presented it to their father, allowing him to come to an erroneous conclusion that an animal had devoured him and he was torn to pieces. Thus Israel mourned his loss for decades. Researchers have identified a phenomenon known as 'chronic sorrow'. Apparently, sorrow cycles back around and never truly resolves itself much the way a person continually may grieve over a disabled child. It is noted also that chronic sorrow also depends on an unchanging belief system (perception) that views the situation as worthy of grief.

Our own grief situation may be perceived as hopeless, non-ending, or more than we can endure. If we are willing to entertain the possibility of change in our perception then we can change our outcome. This is Sunrise Aftercare, sunrise@sfdcares.com

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(731) 658-5257 Hardeman County Community Calendar

Porters Creek Baptist Church in Middleton will host The Joylanders in concert August 6th at 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome to

The State of Tennessee's Mobile DMV Unit Highway for Heroes will be at Courthouse Square on August 9 and 30 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Call 658-6138 for more information or visit the State of Tennessee website. These services are provided for all Hardeman Countian residents.

TCAT Whiteville is offering a new program! As a Patient Care Technician, you can be at the heart of healthcare and in 12 months can earn certificates as a nurse's aide, phlebotomist, electrocardiogram technician, patient care technician or medical assistant. Financial aid is available to those who qualify and through TN Reconnect and TN Promise, you could reach your goals with little or no out of pocket cost. Call 254-8521 or visit, www. tcatwhiteville.edu. Space and time is limited, call today!

The Hardeman County UT Extension Office is offering a Master Gardening Class that begins on August 17 and will run through November 9 from 6-9 each Thursday evening at the extension office. Applications are available online at the Extensions website, at all Hardeman County libraries or stop by 200 E. Market St., in Bolivar. The application and fee of \$125/person, \$150/couple is due no later than August 11. Call Lee Sammons at 658-2421.

sion presents another free Music on the **Square** featuring the Wise Guys on Friday, August 4 with Amber McCain opening the stage at 7:00 p.m. at the Bolivar Downtown Amphitheatre where there's always a great family atmosphere and concessions unless there's rain, then it will be at the farmers market pavilion. The Bolivar Farmers Market is open at

The Hardeman County Music Commis-

7:00 a.m., on Tuesdays and Saturdays for the best selection of beef, pork, plants, produce, baked goods and hand-made items. Call Market Manager Gerald Sykes at 731-609-2345 for more information or to participate. The

Bolivar Farmers Market is part of Pick Ten-

nesseeProducts.

Bolivar Middle School will host its first 6th Grade orientation on Thursday, August 3 from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. Please report to the gym to for a general overview of expectations as well as an open forum of questions and answers. Parents and students will have an opportunity to tour the building as well. Principal Mary Ann Polk and Team BMS look forward to seeing you there as we prepare for a productive school year. The Bolivar - Hardeman County Li-

brary's 1st Color Run will be on August 5 at Pleasant Run Park on Stevens Road in Bolivar at 9:00 a.m. There is no time limit and participants can walk, jog or run at your own

Bring the whole family. Registration fee is \$15, sign up at BHCLColorRun.eventbrite. com. To see a list of activities and times, visit their facebook page.

The Annual Wild Game Dinner at the Ames Plantation in Byan Hall will take place on August 5 at 6:00 p.m., with Doug Barcroft as the featured speaker. For those who are not as adventurous, there will be a variety of entrées that do not include wild game. No live snakes or raw skunks allowed. This community event is open to everyone and is sponsored this year by First Baptist Church of Grand Junction. Pastor Edrick Garrison and Jones Chap-

el MB Church in Grand Junction announces the "Jones Chapel Choir CD Release" on August 6 at 5:00 p.m., at 3190 Highway 18 S. This event is free and all are welcome. The Bowden Hill C.M.E. Church and

pastor, Rev. Dr. Jellory Stokes will sponsor its Annual Homecoming Service on Sunday August 6 at 2:00 p.m. The guest speaker will be Rev. Robert Parham, Pastor of Greater Springfield Baptist Church, Bolivar. The public is cordially invited to attend. Coffee Talk at the Hardeman County

Chamber of Commerce will be on Friday, August 11 at 8:00 a.m. Community leaders,

employers and interested citizens are always invited and welcome. **Lifeline Blood Services** will be at Bolivar Ford on August 11 from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m. Summer blood supplies are needed. Help

save a life! You must be at least 18 years of

age to donate blood. Save time by registering online at lifelinebloodserv.org.

The Pillars will host Ghost Hunting 101 with Stones River Paranormal on August 12. Tickets are \$60.00 per person and are available at www.stonesriverparanormal.com/ events. You must be 18 years or older to attend. Doors open at 6:30 p.m., starts at 7:00 p.m., and ends at 3:00 a.m. Questions about the event or The Pillars or Little Courthouse Museum? Call Renee Houston of the Hardeman County APTA at 731-518-8058.

Oak Hill Baptist Church and Pastor Gene Bowden announce Revival Services on August 16, 17 & 18 at 7:00 p.m., with evangelist David L. Perry. The Fair Theater in Somerville presents

"Mary Poppins", a Star production of Disney and Cameron Mackintosh August 18-20 and 25-27. Show times are at 7 nightly on Fridays and Saturdays and Sundays at 2:00 p.m. General admission tickets are \$10 and can be purchased by calling 901-671-5536. The Hardeman County Arts Council

presents Grease School Version September 8,9 and 10 with evening performances Friday and Saturday at 7:00 and a Sunday matinee at 2:00. Tickets are \$10 and will be available to arts council members on August 21 and for the general public on August 28. Call 658-2787 for more information. Team Mica Fund is bringing a Let Love

Glow 5K and Fun Run to Jackson, for the very first time. Hosted by The Fund and Pathways Behavioral Health, this dusk-to-nightfall glow race will be held from 6-9 p.m. Saturday, August. 26 on the campus of Union University. Located near the university's Bell Tower, this suicide awareness event will feature live music, a silent auction, an official timing company for the 5K, a one-mile walk (not timed), food trucks, vendors and much more. Participants are encouraged to register in advance. For more information or to

register, visit <u>TeamMicaFund.org</u>.

The Bolivar Senior Center has activities

invited to participate. Call 658-4320 for more

information. The APTA Sampler II Cookbook is full of good ol' Southern recipes and history. Help preserve Tennessee's antiquities all year long. \$20 each, stop by On the Square Gallery and Gifts or order yours today by calling 658-7912. Join the APTA, visit www.hardemancountyapta.org and follow them on facebook at The Pillars and Little Courthouse Museum.

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.

The GED (HiSET) Prep Class at the Grand Junction Library is held on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. It's free, call 731-764-2716 for more information.

Bolivar General Hospital hosts an Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group on the second Monday of each month (August 14) at 5:30 p.m. in the cafeteria. For more details call Sara Skinner at 659-0216 before 4:00 p.m. New Bethel Baptist Church Services

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. All are always welcome and invited to attend. Mt. Calvary Baptist Church and Pas-

tor Algie Jarrett at 255 Burnette Mills Rd., in Bolivar welcomes all to be a part of Sunday night services on the first Sunday of the month at 6:00 p.m.

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.

The BiPolar/Depression Support Group will meet each Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at Horizons Peer Support Center on 428 Market Street in Bolivar. For more information call

Events by checking the Chamber of Commerce website at hardemancountytn.com

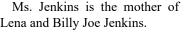
every week including Bingo on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10 a.m., Medicare repre-Shirley Kelley at 609-9318. sentative on the third Monday of each month, You can keep up to date with Community birthday celebrations, day trips and special guests. If you are a senior 60+, then you're

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PETZIE MAE JENKINS

SEPTEMBER 16, 1914 - JULY 17, 2017 Petzie M. Jenkins, 102 years old of Saulsbury, passed away on

July 17, 2017. Funeral services were held on July 28 in Memphis at MJ Edwards Whitehaven Funeral Chapel on Elvis Presley Blvd.





NANCY STEWART SILER

JUNE 9, 1937 - JULY 24, 2017

Nancy Stewart Siler, age 80, of Toone, departed this life Monday morning, July 24, 2017 at Pine Meadows Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center in Bolivar.

Funeral services were held Friday, July 28, 2017 at Shackelford Funeral Directors in Bolivar with Rev. Danny Hopper officiating. Interment followed in New Union Cemetery in Medon.

The widow of Jerry Alvis Siler, who preceded her in death on June

19, 2003, she was retired as a production worker with Kilgore. She was born June 9, 1937 in Hardeman County, daughter of the late James Edward "Jim" Stewart and Ossie Hodge Stewart and lived all of her life in the county. She was a member of New Union Baptist Church.

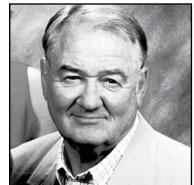
Survivors include two daughters, Susan Smallwood and Louise Ray, both of Toone; a son, Jerry Stewart Siler of Toone; and a granddaughter, Jennifer Smallwood. In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by two sisters, Annie Tims and Jean Pyles.

Memorial contributions in her name may be made to the American Diabetes Association (diabetes.org/donate) or Hardeman Adoptable Animals.

John Robert (Bob) Stevens

AUGUST 2, 1938 - JULY 21, 2017

John Robert (Bob) Stevens, 78, of Kingsport, passed away on Friday, July 21, 2017 at his home after a courageous battle with multiple myeloma. He was born in Bolivar, Tennessee, on August 2, 1938 to the late James Thomas and Thelma Grantham Barrett Stevens. On July 12, 1959 he was united in marriage to Carolyn Kirksey Stevens. He worked his entire career in the oil and gas industry, beginning work with Tennessee



Gas Pipeline Company in 1960. His family moved with him to several southern states in his work with Tenneco/TN Natural Gas.

After retirement he enjoyed golf and traveling to western states with their wide open spaces. He also enjoyed family hiking trips and picnicking on trails along the Blue Ridge Parkway and in the Great Smoky Mountains. Bob was a member of Colonial Heights United Methodist Church.

Behind the scenes he faithfully served the missions team.

He was preceded in death by his brother, Jim Stevens. Along with his wife of 58 years, he leaves daughters, Lisa Marcello of Kingsport and Emily Stevens of Johnson City; son, John (Sandra) Stevens of New Braunfels, TX; brother, Barrett (Dianne) Stevens of Bolivar, TN; sister-in-law, Jane Stevens of Bolivar; six granddaughters, Sydney (Bryan)

Braunfels, TX, Hannah Marcello, Gretchen (Michael) Blair, and Lily Marcello of Kingsport; and two great-granddaughters, Brynlee and Harper. The family received friends on Sunday, July 23, 2017, from 1:00-3:00 p.m. at Colonial Heights United Methodist Church. A private family graveside service was held at Union Cemetery, Bolivar, Tennessee, Monday

of San Antonio, TX, Shelby Stevens and Sara Kathryn Stevens of New

afternoon, July 24. The family would like to extend a special thank you to Caris Hospice

Care for their sweet, gentle care of Bob.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Colonial Heights United Methodist Church, 631 Lebanon Rd. /P.O. Box 6027, Kingsport, TN 37663.

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LARRY GENE TOMLIN

January 26, 1954 ~ June 14, 2017

Larry Gene Tomlin was born January 26, 1954 in Hardeman County, Tennessee. Larry was the fourth eldest of 10 children. He was preceded in death by his father, Sylvester Arthur Jestice (Tomlin) and mother, Annie Louise Jestice, and two brothers; James Edward and Arthur Thomas Tomlin.

Friday, June 14, 2017, at St. Thomas Hospital West in Nashville, Tennessee, God called His faithful servant of 63 years home to rest from labor to reward.



His funeral service was held on Saturday, July 22, 2017 at 1:00 p.m. at Clover Chapel MBC with Reverend George Beauregard in charge. Burial was in the church cemetery and Dixie Funeral Home was in charge of the professional service.

He attended Bolivar Central High School, Bolivar Tennessee. Larry later became a member of the Tennessee Army of National Guard. He was employed at the Ameria Corporation and later went on to be employed at Kilgore Corporation. Larry accepted Christ at an early age and united with Clover Chapel

Missionary Baptist Church where he remained a faithful member until his departure. Larry loved to sing. In his earlier years, he sang with The Trumpet Aires. He was also a member of the Clover Chapel Male Chorus and the Clover Chapel Mass Choir where he served as president. Larry was a dedicated and dependable servant as he faithfully served as deacon. He was always willing to drive the church van to pick-up and/or drop-off members. Larry was very active in the community. He enjoyed cooking, baking,

gardening, landscaping, and just hanging out with his family and friends. He was a loving father and loyal to his family and friends.

Larry leaves to cherish his memories his sons: Montrell Tomlin of Nash-

villea and JaRobyn Tomlin of Smyrna, Tennessee; grandsons: Ma' Kyron Shantavious Tomlin and Jonah Deshawn Crawford: and granddaughters: Imani Cordero Tomlin and Nautica Breanna Tomlin: four brothers: George Tomlin of Browns Mills, New Jersey; John and Willie Tomlin of Nashville, Tennessee, and Terry Lynn (Janice) Jestice of Whiteville, Tennessee; three sisters: Nancy Emery of Jackson, Tennessee; Martha (Marvin) Tomlin-Mc-Crary of Columbia, Missouri and Karen (Stan) McGrady of Nashville, Tennessee; sister-in-law: Carolyn Tomlin of Toone, Tennessee, and a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

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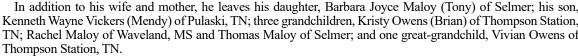
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WILLIAM "SONNY" VICKERS JUNE 16, 1945 - JULY 26, 2017

Funeral services for Mr. William "Sonny" Vickers, age 72, of Middleton, were held at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, July, 29, 2017 in the chapel of Shackelford Funeral Directors of Middleton. Burial followed in the Ebenezer Cemetery at Middleton.

Mr. Vickers passed away Wednesday at the Bolivar General Hospital. A native of Middleton and life-long resident of Hardeman County, he was the son of the late Herman Berton Vickers and Katie Lou Russell

Vickers, who survives. On December 26, 1962, he was united in marriage to the former Doris Nell Kirk. He was a self-employed sawmiller and member of Cypress United Pentecostal Church and in his leisure time, Sonny enjoyed fishing, hunting and volunteering at various nursing facilities in our area. He would spend many hours entertaining residents with his guitar-playing ability, something he enjoyed doing more than just about anything else. He also took time to help teach young people how to play.



Besides his father, Mr. Vickers was preceded by his sister, Linda Kirk. Memorials may be sent to the American

Cancer Society. (http://www.cancer.org) ERMA DEE SPENCER BISHOP NOVEMBER 24, 1942 ~ JULY 29, 2017

Services for Erma Dee Spencer Bishop, age 74, of Middleton are 11:00 a.m. Thursday, August 3, 2017 at Brush Creek Baptist Church in Alcorn Co., MS with burial in the church cemetery. Visitation is Wednesday, August 2nd, from 3:00 - 9:00 p.m. at Shackelford Funeral Directors in Middleton and Thursday from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. at the church.

Mrs. Bishop passed away Saturday, July 29, 2017 at Methodist Univer-

sity Hospital in Memphis. She was a native of Walnut, MS. The daughter of the late George Gilbert and Ruthie Ann Mills Spencer, her family moved to Memphis where she attended school and graduated from Humes High School with the

On October 18, 1981, she was united in marriage to John W. Bishop.

The Bishop's moved to Middleton in 1982 where they lived until Mr. Bishop died April 21, 2010. Mrs. Bishop worked as insurance broker and a manager for the Bank of Middleton from 1982 - 2008. She was a member of the Middleton First United Methodist Church.

In her leisure time, she enjoyed computers, camping, shopping, visiting family, Mexican food and her pomera-

Her survivors include two daughters, Donna Burleson of Barlett and Cathy Waterbury (Lee) of Atoka; one son, Jim Bishop (Joanna) of Bell Buckle, TN; one sister, Ruth Ingram of Memphis; nine grandchildren, John Burleson, Judy McGinnis (Cody), Jeanne Burleson, Jay Bishop, Carrie Bishop, Casey Waterbury, Justin Waterbury (Angie), Jenna Burlison (Will) and Anna Waterbury; three great-grandchildren, Sonni and Bo Ryce Burlison and Jackson Hanks; nephew, Dale Brock (Sharrisse) of Cordova; niece, Kelley Bagwell of Collierville; great-nieces and nephews, Brody Brock, McKenzie and Michael Bagwell and Taylor Simon.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by a sister, Opal Marie Brock; a brother, James Rebon Spencer; and a niece, Phyllies Diane Brock Terrell and her husband, Pat. Memorials may be sent to the charity of the donor's choice.

NORMAN RHODES AUGUST 29, 1910-JULY 16, 2017

Norman Rhodes, age 106, passed from this earthly life on July 16, 2017 at

Pine Meadows Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center. Mr. Rhodes was born on August 29, 1910 to Charlie and Mattie Lee Rhodes

in Fayette County, TN. He was one of eight children, born to that union: Norlean, Maebell, Queen, Annester, Anna, Earl and Willie Rhodes (all of whom preceded him in death). He had numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives and friends. He accepted Christ at an early age and for over 75 years was a faithful, ded-

icated member of the Elcanaan Missionary Baptist Church, Whiteville, TN., where he was a very active member of the Sunday School, served as a deacon for over 70 years, an officer of the Trustee Board and an avid "tither" which was his passion. Although in his latter years he could not attend church as he wanted to, he was persistent in his tithe being

paid each week. He was also a member of the church choir. He was very active in the community in various positions and received numerous awards and citations from local and

state organizations. Norman was married for 61 years to the late Mable McNeal Rhodes, who preceded him in death on June 25, 1990. To

this union six children were born: Mary Christine Rhodes (deceased 2014); William Ray Rhodes of Columbus, OH, Dr. Earnest Cornell (Charlotte) Rhodes of Nashville, TN; Jesse Calvin (Lucille) Rhodes of Bolivar, TN; Willie Jerry Rhodes (deceased 2015) and Delois R (Clyde) Wright of Westerville, OH. Always referred to as "Granddaddy" by his ten grandchildren: Norman Rhodes II (El Paso, TX); Rosalind Rhodes

(Detroit, MI); Sharon Gordon (Columbus, OH); Mark Rhodes (Detroit, MI); Randy Rhodes (Detroit, MI); Adorea Rhodes (Columbus, OH); Reginald Rhodes (Atlanta, GA); Celestine Jones (Nashville, TN); Calvin Rhodes (Rockford, IL) and Rodney Jones (Cleveland, OH). Three step-grandchildren: Pamela Woods Ingram (Bolivar, TN); Cheryl Woods-Talley (Saulsbury, TN); Lictoria Monet Woods (Antioch, TN) and numerous great and great-great grandchildren.

His funeral service was held on Saturday, July 22 at 12 p.m. at Elcanaan M.B. Church with Pastor Guy Hendree officiating. Interment followed at Union Hill Cemetery and Motley and Rivers Funeral Home was in charge of the professional service.

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Edna's Page



- 1. GEOGRAPHY: Which is the largest of the U.S. National Parks?
- 2. MYTHOLOGY: Whose kidnapping was said to trigger The Trojan War?
- 3. AWARDS: Who was the youngest
- person to receive a Nobel Prize? 4. MOVIES: Which 1988 movie starred a character named John
- 5. MATH: How would you write the
- number 1015 in Roman numerals? GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What profession's members would
- most likely wear a toque? 7. MUSIC: What pop-music star sang the theme song "Nobody Does It
- Better" in the James Bond movie "The Spy Who Loved Me"?
- 8. SCIENCE: Who developed the Periodic Table of Elements?
- 9. ANATOMY: How many pints of blood are in the human body?
- 10. LANGUAGE: What is noteworthy about the word "facetiously"?



- 1. Who had a global hit with "Sweet Pea" in 1966? 2. Name the b-side of the 1962 song
- "Rhythm of the Rain." 3. What are the differences between Elton John's "Simple Life" single and
- album versions? 4. What song did John Denver write as a tribute to Jacques-Yves Cous-
- 5. Name the song that contains this lyric: "I don't want you to come round here no more, I beg you for mercy, You don't know how strong my weak-

EDNA'S PAGE answers on A9

Sports QUIZ by Chris Richcreek

- 1. In 2016, Detroit's Miguel Cabrera became the fifth-youngest player (33 years old) to reach 2,400 career hits. Who was younger?
- 2. The New York Yankees set a major-league record in 2015 by having seven pitchers with at least 100 strikeouts. Name five of them.
- 3. Name the last time before the 2015 season (Carolina) that a team scored at least 49 points in an NFL conference title game.
- 4. In 2016, the ACC set a record by having six men's basketball teams in the Sweet 16 of the NCAA Tournament. Name them.
- 5. When was the last time before the 2016-17 NHL season that the Edmonton Oilers reached the Stanley Cup playoffs?
- 6. Name the first woman to drive in Formula One racing.
- 7. Who was the first back-to-back gold medalist in singles in Olympic men's tennis history?



- 1. Is the book of Galatians in the Old or New Testament or neither?
- 2. From which book's 10:35 does Jesus say the scripture cannot be broken? Matthew, Mark, Luke, John 3. In order to see Jesus, Zacchaeus
- climbed what type tree? Fig, Carob, Sycamore, Cedar
- 4. From Matthew 17, what did Peter find with a coin in its mouth? Ram, Fish, Viper, Raven
- 5. In Mark 3:17, who were called "The Sons of Thunder"? James/John, Thomas/Judas, Peter/Andrew, Philip/ 6. From Luke 8, Jesus caused swine
- to rush into what body of water? River Jordan, Dead Sea, Nile, Sea of Galilee

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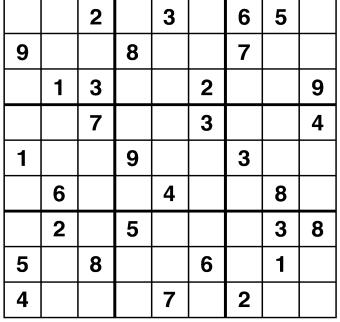
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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle



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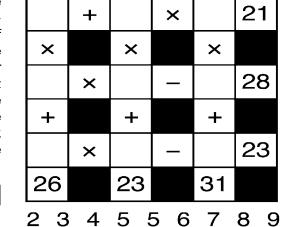
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by Linda Thistle GO FIGURE!

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The Maxwell's Stay-at-Home Gourmet

BLT Stuffed Avocados

Ingredients

- 4 strips thick-cut bacon 1 cup cubed bread (Fresh, Sourdough, Or Other Crusty Bread)
- 1 cup chopped tomatoes 1 cup romaine lettuce (Loosely Packed Chopped) 2 tablespoons mayonnaise
- 4 avocados (Large Ripe)
- Sea salt and cracked pepper

Directions

To get started, cook four slices of thick-cut bacon in a skillet.

While that cooks, cut two slices of sourdough bread into small cubes.

When the bacon is crisp and finished cooking, remove to a paper towel lined plate and toss the bread cubes into the skillet. Cook for about five minutes, tossing often, until the croutons are golden and crisp.

Chop the cooled crispy bacon up into small pieces. combine bacon, bacon grease and croutons.

To prepare the tomatoes, slice through the middle hemisphere and push out the seeds and juice with your finger or a butter knife. Chop the tomatoes into small pieces, as well as some fresh romaine lettuce.

Combine all the ingredients in a bowl. Add a couple tablespoons of mayo, a sprinkle of salt, and some freshly cracked black pepper.

Stir it all together to coat. The stuffing is now done!

Slice 3 or 4 avocados in half through the middle, around the pit and remove pit.

Sprinkle the tops of the avocados with sea salt. Spoon a couple heaps of BLT filling into all the avocado halves.



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

LEGALS

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEES SALE WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms and conditions of a Deed of Trust dated November 29, 2005, executed by KELLEE JO HATTON, WILLIAM G. HATTON, conveying certain real property therein described to JARRELL DAVID WEATHERFORD, AN OFFICER OF MACQUARIE MORTGAGES USA INC., as Trustee, as same appears of record in the Register's Office of Hardeman County, Tennessee recorded December 12, 2005, in Deed Book 635, Page 520; and WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was last transferred and assigned to U.S. Bank Trust National Association, as Trustee of CVF III Mortgage Loan Trust II 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 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 August 17, 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:A CERTAIN TRÁCT OR PARĆEL OF LAND LOCATED IN THE COUNTY OF HARDEMAN, STATE TENNESSEE, DESCRIBED FOLLOWS, TO-WIT: POINT BEGINNING BEING AN IRON AS FOUND SET IN THE SOUTH MARGIN OF BARHAM ROAD; THIS ALSO BEING THE NORTHEASTCORNEROFTHEGAY PROPERTY; THENCE WITH SAID MARGIN NORTH 77 DEGREES 38 MINUTES EAST 314.9 FEET TO AN IRON ASFOUND BEING THE NORTHWEST CORNER PULLIAM PROPERTY; THENCE WITH THE WEST BOUNDARY LINE OF SAME SOUTH 1 DEGREES34 MINUTES NORTH BOUNDARY LINE OF SAME SOUTH 87 DEGREES 33 AN IRON AS FOUND, BEINGTHE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE GAY PROPERTY; THENCE WITH NORTH 1 DEGREE 34 MINUTES ALL ZONING REGULATIONS,

WEST 714.5 FEET TO AN IRON AS FOUND, BEING THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE S. HORNSBY PROPERTY; THENCEWITH THE MINUTES WEST 306.4 FEET TO THE EAST BOUNDARY LINE OF EAST660.1 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.THIS CONVEYANCE IS MADE SUBJECT TO ANY AND BUILDING RESTRICTIONS, SET BACK LINES, IF ANY, EASEMENTS AND RIGHTS FOR PUBLIC UTILITIES APPLICATION TO THIS PROPERTY.Parcel ID: 069 035.39 000PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be 370 BARHAM LN, 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): KELLEE JO HATTON, WILLIAM G. HATTONOTHER INTERESTED PARTIES: CAPITAL ONE BANK (USA), N.A.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.rubinlublin.com/

0992Fax: (404) 601-5846 Ad #120630 07/20/2017, 07/27/2017, 08/03/2017 TRUSTEE'S SALE WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of a Deed of Trust Note dated February 4, 2008, and the Deed of Trust of even date securing the same, recorded February 7, 2008, in Book No. 666, at Page 125, in Office of the Register of Deeds for Hardeman

County, Tennessee, executed by

Teresa D Overton, conveying certain

property therein described to Emmett

James House or Bill R. McLaughlin as

Trustee for Regions Bank d/b/a Regions

property-listings.php Tel: (877) 813-

Mortgage; and the undersigned, Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., having been appointed Successor Trustee by Ditech Financial LLC.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable; and that an agent of Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., as Successor Trustee, by virtue of the power, duty, and authority vested in and imposed upon said Successor Trustee, by Ditech Financial LLC, will, on October 19, 2017 on or about 11:00 AM, at the Hardeman County Courthouse, Bolivar, Tennessee, offer for sale certain property hereinafter described to the highest bidder FOR certified funds paid at the conclusion of the sale, or credit bid from a bank or other lending entity pre-approved by the successor trustee. The sale is free from all exemptions, which are expressly waived in the Deed of Trust, said property being real estate situated in Hardeman County, Tennessee, and being more particularly described as follows:

Situate, lying and being in the 8th Civil District of Hardeman County, Tennessee, and being more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Being the southwest corner of an 8.00 acre tract conveyed to John L Snyder by deed of record Book A-18, Page 807; thence, South 45 degrees 38' 32" East with Snyder a distance of 1832.79 feet to the east line of Davis; thence, South 01 degrees 58' 54" West with Davis a distance of 456.63 feet; thence, North 41 degrees 08' 32" West with Davis residue a distance of 1727.49 feet; thence, North 21 degrees 51' 28" East with Davis residue a distance of 178.44 feet; thence, North 45 degrees 46' 32" West with Davis residue a distance of 351.00 feet to the east line of the Cloverport-Uptonville Road; thence, North 45 degrees 06' 28" East with the east of said road a distance of 50.00 feet to the beginning, Containing 10.00 acres. This description was taken from the previous deed.

ÁLSO KNOWN AS: Uptonville Road, Mercer, TN 38392

This sale is subject to all matters shown on any applicable recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements, or setback lines that may be applicable; any statutory rights of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; 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. In addition, the following parties may claim an interest in the above-referenced property:

TERESA D OVERTON

W&A No. 322399 MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. NOMINEE DECISION ONE

MORTGAGE COMPANY, LLC DECISION ONE MORTGAGE

COMPANY, LLC

The sale held pursuant to this Notice may be rescinded at the Successor Trustee's option 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. W&A No. 322399

DATED July 21, 2017 ASSOCIATES, WILSON & P.L.L.C., Successor Trustee

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of a Deed of Trust Note dated January 11, 2008, and the Deed of Trust of even date securing the same, recorded January 28, 2008, in Book No. 665, at Page 641, in Office of the Register of Deeds for Hardeman County, Tennessee, executed by Carolyn O'Barr, conveying certain property therein described to PRLAP, Inc. as Trustee for Bank of America N.A.; and the undersigned, Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., having been appointed Successor Trustee by PennyMac Loan Services, LLC.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable; and that an agent of Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., as Successor Trustee, by virtue of the power, duty, and authority vested in and imposed upon said Successor Trustee, by PennyMac Loan Services, LLC, will, on September 19, 2017 on or about 1:00 PM, at the Hardeman County Courthouse, Bolivar, Tennessee, offer for sale certain property hereinafter described to the highest bidder FOR certified funds paid at the conclusion of the sale, or credit bid from a bank or other lending entity pre-approved by the successor trustee. The sale is free from all exemptions, which are expressly waived in the Deed of Trust, said property being real estate situated in Hardeman County, Tennessee, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a steel post as found in

the intersection of the west margin of River Road and the north right-of-way line (100 feet from the center line) of US Hwy 64 being the southeast corner of Carolyn Jean O'Barr (Deed Book XI5, Page 842) of which the herein described tract is a part, thence with the north line of US Hwy 64, North 84° 30 minute West 719.09 feet to the east edge of Hatchie River, this point witnessed by an iron rod bearing easterly 15.00 feet on the last described line; thence along the east edge of Hatchie River the following 2 calls: 1) North 5° 0 minutes East 89.68 feet; 2) North 5° 18

minutes West 39.52 feet; thence leaving

said river with a severance line the following 2 calls: 1) South 84° 30 minutes East 442.22 feet to an iron rod set; 2) North 64° 40 minutes East 220.03 feet to an iron rod set in the west margin of River Road; thence with said road the following calls; 1) South 24° 48 minutes East 94.58 feet; 2) South 17° 37 minutes East 94.08 feet; 3) South 3° 26 minutes East 73.99 feet to the point of beginning containing 2.41 acres more or less. Together with any covenants, easements, or restrictions. Included but excluded from the above described tract: Beginning at the point of intersection between subject's west property line and proposed north right-of-way 126.06' left of relocated S.R. 15 survey centerline station 15+433.309; thence along said proposed right-of-way S 82 degrees 55 minutes 37 seconds E 702.16' to a right-of-way marker on the point of intersection between proposed north right-of-way of S.R. 15 and proposed west right-of-way of River Road 125.87' left of relocated S R. 15 survey centerline station 15+647.407; thence along said proposed right-of-way of River Road as follows: N 01 degree 03 minutes 12 seconds W 47.64' to a right-

of-way marker 56.58' left of River

W&A No. 320009

Road survey centerline station 5+059.8 19; thence N 23 degrees 33 minutes 13 seconds W 184.06' to a right-of-way marker 56.61' left of River Road survey centerline station 5+120.000; thence N 63 degrees 50 minutes 15 seconds E 30.12' to a rightof-way marker on the point of intersection between proposed and present west right-of-way of River Road 26.50' left of River Road survey centerline station 5+120.000; thence along said present right-of-way of River Road as follows: S 25 degrees 52 minutes 09 seconds E 170.86' to a point 22.25' left of River Road survey centerline station 5+066.690; thence S 04 degrees 55 minutes 37 seconds E 126.42' to the point of intersection between present west right-of-way of River Road and present north right-of-way of S.R. 15 80.88' left of relocated S.R. 15 survey centerline station 15+660.784; thence along said present right-of-way of S.R. 15 N 82 degrees 55 minutes 37 seconds W 740.09' to a point on subject's west property line 81.29' left of relocated S.R. 15 survey centerline station 15+535.178; thence along said property line N 00 degrees 43 minutes 34 seconds W 45.18' to the point of

ALSO KNOWN AS: 85 River Road, Bolivar, TN 38008

more or less.

beginning and containing 0.943 acres

This sale is subject to all matters shown on any applicable recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements, or setback lines that may be applicable; any statutory rights of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; 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. In addition, the following parties may claim an interest in the above-referenced property:

CAROLYN O'BARR

The sale held pursuant to this Notice may be rescinded at the Successor Trustee's option 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. W&A No. 320009

DATED July 20, 2017 WILSON & ASSOCIATES, P.L.L.C., Successor Trustee #32009 **SUBSTITUTE**

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Default having been made in the terms, conditions, provisions and payments made and provided for in a Deed of Trust dated May 4, 2015, executed by Daniel Alan Jones a/k/a Daniel Allen Jones, married, to Anthony R. Steele, Trustee, and recorded in Book 727, Page 383 in the Register's Office for Hardeman County, Tennessee, to secure the indebtedness therein described to Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance, Inc., and the entire indebtedness having been called due and payable as provided in said deed of trust, and said payment not having been made, and the lawful owner and holder of said indebtedness having appointed the undersigned, David G. Mangum, as substitute trustee by written instrument dated July 7, 2017, recorded in Book 746, Page 442, in the above mentioned Register's Office, notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned substitute trustee, or my designated agent, under the power and authority vested in me by said deed of trust, and having been requested to do so by the lawful owner and holder of said debt, will on Thursday, August 10, 2017 at Noon at the front door of the Hardeman County Courthouse located in Bolivar, Tennessee, sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, free from the equity of redemption, homestead and dower, and all other exemptions and rights of every kind, all of which are expressly waived in said deed of trust, the following described tract or parcel of land more particularly described as follows, to-

Lot 891 and Lot 892 of the Candlewood Lakes Subdivision, as shown on plat of record in Plat Book 3, Page 75, in the Register's Office of Hardeman County, Tennessee, to which plat reference is hereby made

as Tax Map 169J, Group C, Parcels

property.

for a more particular description of said Being the same property designated

004.00 (Lot 891) and 005.00 (Lot 892), in the Tax Assessor's Office of Hardeman County, Tennessee.

DEED REFERENCE:

Being the same property conveyed from Charles Baldwin and Mary Baldwin to Daniel Allen Jones by Quitclaim Deed found of record in Deed Book 76, Page 282, in the Register's Office of Hardeman County, Tennessee.

Subject to any and all existing ROW, easements, setback lines and restrictive covenants of record in said Register's Office including restrictions found in Book P-5, Page 200, revised in Book E-12, Page 238, and By-laws in Book E-12, Page 243, said Register's Office. This description was taken from

the deed of trust being foreclosed on of record in Book 727, Page 383, said Register's Office.

TAX MAP-PARCEL NO.: 169-J-C-004.00

PROPERTY ADDRESS: Dogwood Drive, Saulsburgy, TN 38067, as shown on the tax maps for the Assessor of Property for Hardeman County, TN.

This sale is subject to any and all unpaid real estate taxes; restrictive covenants, easements and setback lines; any and all redemption rights, including rights of redemption of any governmental agency, State or Federal, and any and all prior liens or encumbrances against said real property. Said sale is further subject to matters that an accurate survey of the property might disclose.

The property sold pursuant to this notice shall be sold "AS IS" and neither the Substitute Trustee nor the beneficiary of the Deed of Trust, nor any agent or attorney therefore, makes or shall make any warranty, whether express or implied, as to the condition, quality or quantity thereof, including,

but not limited to, the enforceability of any lease affecting the property, the existence or absence of defaults under or the effect or this sale upon the rights of any party under such lease. The Substitute Trustee shall make no warranty of title, express or implied, and will sell and convey the subject real property by Substitute Trustee's Deed only.

The substitute trustee may adjourn or postpone the aforementioned sale of real property by public announcement at such time and place of sale, and from time to time thereafter may postpone such sale by public announcement at the time and place fixed by the preceding postponement or subsequently noticed sale, and without further notice make such sale at the time fixed by the last postponement, or may, in its discretion, give a new notice of sale. If applicable, the Notice requirements of T.C.A. § 35-5-117 have been met.

The failure of any high bidder to pay the purchase price and close the sale shall, at the option of the Substitute Trustee, be cause for rejection of the bid, and, if the bid is rejected, the Substitute Trustee shall have the option of making the sale to the next highest bidder who is ready, willing, and able to comply with the terms thereof. The proceeds derived from the sale of the property will be applied as provided for in said deed of trust.

Terms of sale: Cash

Substitute Trustee: David G. Mangum

Substitute Trustee 2303 Franklin Road Nashville, TN 37204 (615) 255-8690

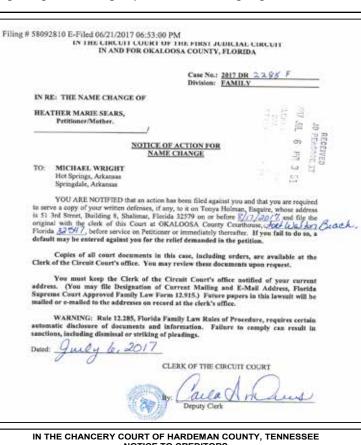
Interested Parties: Patricia Ann

HARDEMAN COUNTY FARM BUREAU ANNUAL MEETING

HARDEMAN COUNTY FARM BUREAU Annual Meeting will be held Thursday, August 17, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. at the Bolivar Municipal Center. All members welcome, reservations only! Call 731-658-3031 by **August 14, 2017** to make reservations.

Bus Route Changes for Hardeman County

For the 2017-2018 School Year, Hardeman County Schools is making some changes to Bus Route #55. The students that have been assigned to Bus #55 will ride either Bus #59 or Bus #6. Students zoned for Bolivar, who live on Mecklinburg Drive between Highway 64 and Thompson Bottom Lane, will ride Bus #6. High School students, zoned for Bolivar Central High School, that live on Mecklinburg Drive, between Thompson Bottom Lane and Whiteville-Newcastle Road will be picked up by Bus #59. In addition, high school students, zoned for Bolivar Central High School, who live on Union Springs Road, and Murphy Lane, will also be picked up by Bus #59. These high school students will ride Bus #50 from Whiteville Elementary School to Bolivar Central High School. Students should be ready to catch the bus a few minutes earlier than normal until you know when the bus will be arriving at your stop. If you have questions regarding these changes, please call the bus garage at 658-3444.



NOTICE TO CREDITORS

PROBATE NO. P- 2091

ESTATE OF ROSEMARY HAACK DENTON late of Hardeman County, Tennessee Notice is Hereby Given that on the 19th day of July, 2017, Letters Testamentary in respect of the Estate of Rosemary Haack Denton, deceased, who died July 8, 2017, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk of Hardeman County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required by law to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

- (1) (A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting, as the case may be) of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this Notice to Creditors at least sixty (60) days before date that is four (4) months from the date of the first (B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the Notice to
 - Creditors, if the creditor received the copy of the Notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting) as described in (1) (A); or
- Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death. All persons indebted to the above Estate must come forward and make proper settlem

the undersigned at once This 19th day of July, 2017.

Bradley D. Denton Co-Executor

FILE CLAIMS IN TRIPLICATE WITH: JANICE M. BODIFORD, CLERK & MASTER P.O. BOX 45 BOLIVAR, TN 38008

THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS

W. Boyette Denton

BUSINESS

CLASSIFIEDS

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YARD SALE

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MOVING FINAL SALE: Saturday, August 5 from 8:00 until. 2280 Clifft Road, Bolivar.

8/3P

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Effective on or about August 25, 2017, Cornerstone Health Care of Bolivar, Inc. will cease operating Cornerstone Health Care of Bolivar located at 214 North Water Street, Bolivar, Hardeman County, Tennessee. As of August 25, 2017, Cornerstone Health Care of Bolivar, Inc. will no longer participate in the Medicare Program (Title XVII of the Social Security Act), and the related agreements with the Secretary of the United States Department of Health and Human Services will be terminated in accordance with the provisions of the Social Security Act.

Hardeman County Landfill **Equipment Operator**

Salary DOE. Medical, Dental, Vision Ins., and TCRS Retirement. Applications can be picked up at Court House, 100 N. Main St., Bolivar, in the Solid Waste office located on the 2nd floor. Application deadline is August 14, 2017 by 4:30. If you have any further questions please contact the Solid Waste Office at 731-658-2884.

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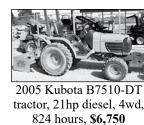
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You have probably heard that diversification is a key to investment success. So, you might think that if diversifying your investments is a good idea, it might also be wise to diversify your investment providers – after all, aren't two (or more) heads better than

Before we look at that issue, let's consider the first half of the "diversification" question – namely, how does diversifying your investment portfolio help you?

Consider the two broadest categories of investments: stocks and bonds. Stock prices will move up and down in response to many different factors, including good or bad corporate earnings, corporate management issues, political developments and even natural disasters. Bond prices are not immune to these dynamics, but they are usually more strongly driven by changes in interest rates. To illustrate: If your existing bond pays 2 percent interest, and new bonds are being issued at 3 percent, the value of your bond will fall, because no one will pay you full price for it. (Of course, it may not matter to you anyway, especially if you planned to hold your bond until maturity, at which point you can expect to get your full investment back, providing the bond issuer doesn't default.)

Here's the key point: Stocks and bonds often move in different directions. If you only own U.S. stocks, you could take a big hit during a market downturn, but if you own domestic and international stocks, bonds, government securities, certificates of deposit and other types of investments, your portfolio may be better protected against market volatility, and you'll have more opportunities for positive results. (Keep in mind, though, that even a diversified portfolio can't prevent all losses or guarantee profits.)

So, it clearly is a good idea to diversify your investment portfolio. Now, let's move on to diversifying financial service providers. Why shouldn't you have one IRA here and another one there, or enlist one advisor to help you with some types of investments and a different advisor assisting you with others?

Actually, some good reasons exist to consider consolidating all your investment accounts with one provider. For one thing, you'll keep better track of your assets. Many people do misplace or forget about some of their savings and investments, but this will be far less likely to happen to you if you hold all your accounts in one

Also, if you have accounts with several different financial service providers, you might be incurring a lot of paperwork – and many fees. You can cut down on clutter and expense by consolidating

But most important, by placing all your accounts with a single provider, possibly under the supervision of a single financial advisor, you will find it much easier to follow a single, unified investment strategy, based on your goals, risk tolerance and time horizon. You won't get conflicting advice and you'll receive clear guidance on important issues, such as the amounts you can afford to withdraw each year from your retirement accounts once you do retire.

Diversification and consolidation – one is good for building an investment portfolio, while the other can help you invest more efficiently and effectively. Put the two concepts together, and make

them work for you. This article was written by Edward Jones for use by your local Edward Jones Financial Advisor.

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OMMUNITY NEWS

It's difficult to believe but it's back to school time! Hardeman County teachers started back on August 1st and students will start on Monday, August 7th. I hope you were able to take advantage of the recent Tennessee Tax Holiday on

The work on the new city library location is going great. Many people from our community are looking forward to the expanded area and programs that

Another addition that is coming soon to our community will be The Family Dollar Store. It will be located by the old cotton gin on Highway 57. We're looking forward to saving money and not having to travel so far. Grand Junction is on the move!

First Baptist Church recently completed a summer mission project. It was called Serving Our City 2017 (SOS). Three projects were completed on July 27-29: repainting the three signs at the town entrance, surveying the town to see who needed a smoke detector, and picking up trash on Highway 368, Highway 57, and Virginia Street. Our Pastor, Brother Troy Styers and many church members volunteered their time to serve our beautiful City of Grand Junction. We're proud of our city and we want everyone else to feel the same.

Make plans to attend the Wild Game Supper at Bryan Hall at the Ames Plantation at 6 p.m. Saturday, August 5th. There will be great food, door prizes, and a wonderful speaker. There will also be lots of tasty dishes for those who do not like to eat wild game. Birthdays for July 1-31: Brian Houston-2, Lester Wynn-4, Colby Shelby-9, Debra Welch, Alysa Anderson,

ria Colbeck-23, Jordan Carlisle-25, Jodi Joyner-28, Brittini Hilton-30. Scripture Verse for the week; But I say unto you which hear, love your enemies, do good to them which hate you. Bless them that curse you, and pray for them which despitefully use you. Luke 6:27-28

Mark Wilson, and Sally Lockee-10, Gail Downen-13, Harold Hensley-17, Kristy Styers-20, Earl Smith-22, Victo-

Mrs. Sue Hatch sends her love and thanks to Mike and Diana Moore for their thoughtfulness in visiting and entertaining Roger and herself with their singing and Mike picking the guitar.

Oliver and Wanda Young enjoyed their recent trip with three of their grandchildren. Wanda writes, "We were blessed to have three of our grandchildren,

Leah Grantham and Hayley and Ryan Hoskinson, accept our invitation with the 'old folks' to travel to Slidell, LA and the surrounding area, a big advantage since they helped with driving. We enjoyed a swamp tour in the Louisiana bayou where we were close to the wildlife, including unusual birds and several alligators. We drove into New Orleans for a few hours, visiting the French Market and Jackson Square, taking advantage of the trolley rides due to the oppressive heat. One highlight of the trip was driving up the coastal highway all the way to Biloxi. It was a beautiful drive and we took advantage of relaxing and walking on the beach. We are looking forward to our next 'grandparent' trip with the grandkids that didn't get to make this one."

Betty Burnett hosted a luncheon for her sisters on Friday, July 21, at her home in Bartlett, TN. Other guests were Frances Stack, Jacie Reagan, Betty Jane Dawkins, and Shannon and Grayson Gatewood. Not only did she serve a very delicious meal, an ice cream cake was served to celebrate an early birthday for me which is August 15.

The Tull-Howell Reunion was held Saturday, July 22, at Chickasaw State Park. Attendance was lower than past years, but approximately 40 family members enjoyed the day. Linda Russell said, "Everyone seemed to have an enjoyable time. The food was delicious and everyone seemed eager to see family that they had not seen in a year. Ways to increase attendance were discussed. The family played bingo and participants loved winning the prizes. The oldest attendees were Sarah Chandler and Sue Hatch. Hugh Harwell and his son, Arthur, traveled the farthest, traveling from Alabama."

Jessie and Alline Sanders announce the birth of their third grandchild. Tucker Michael Sanders was born July 15. Alline said, "We call him our miracle baby because his parents, Michael and Shannon, were told they would never conceive. God saw differently." Tucker is welcomed by his two cousins, Matthew, age 10, and Rachel, age 7, who are the children of Lee and April Sanders.

Janice Newberry from Waldron, AR is visiting with her daughter, Trish Diffee and family.

Hello from Toone, where the new school year is officially underway. No more sleeping late on weekdays or watching TV late into the night. Yep, it's back to the books and the old routine of school days!

Looks as if it was a very productive week at the Toone Elementary School 'Cheer Camp' for our "Bobcat" cheerleaders! These girls all worked very hard learning new routines, and everyone had a fun time! They will be more than ready to cheer on the TES basketball team this season.

meet and get to know their children's new teachers.

TES hosted their "Meet the Teacher" day on, August 3. This annual event gives the parents an opportunity to

Toone

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You can find the TES required school supplies list for the 2017-18 school year by going to the Hardeman County Schools website and then clicking on the Toone School link. There is lots of great information about the school and faculty on this site.

Miss Betty Davis, celebrated her birthday with family and friends on, Sunday, July 30. Her children hosted a cookout held in her honor. Miss Betty's son, Jeff, was in charge of the grilling duties, and everyone enjoyed deli-

cious steaks with all of the trimmings. Happy Birthday, Miss Betty! Tina Schroeder, will celebrate a birthday, August 9. Tina and John are the owners/operators of "Clover Creek Areodrome" radio-controlled airplane flight school on Hillhouse Rd.

Happy Birthday to Donna Anderson, on August 10. Donna and Lee own and operate Anderson's Grocery in

Brad Tucker, will celebrate his birthday on August 11. Brad and wife, Kelli, live in the Teague Community, and spend most of their time following their kids' activities and sporting events.

a nice visit with her over the weekend, and I must say that at age 97, she looks great and is still going strong. Great seeing you again, Ms. Moetta, we miss you! Go ahead and mark your calendars on Saturday, September 23, for this year's TES PTO "Harvest Festival". This

I would like to give a Toone "shout-out" to a former long-time Toone neighbor, Ms. Moetta Nuckolls. I enjoyed

event is the PTO's main fundraiser each year, so make your plans to attend. Anyone wanting to volunteer or make a donation to the festival can call the school at: 731-658-5606.

Middleton Bonnie Callahan bonnieshealthyliving@comcast.net

Continue to remember the sick and shut ins in your Prayers. Those I know of are: Sharon Azotea, Johnny Lowrance, Benny Luker, Jackie Kennemore, David Burcham, Jason Dixon, Linsey Parmley, Mary Long, David Kennedy, J W McMillin, Diane Taylor, Stephen Robinson, Doug Henderson, Nick Scott, Betty Matthews, Clara Jones, Donna Braddock and Dorris Medlin.

Condolences and prayers for the Sonny Vickers family and the Erma Bishop family.

Middleton Civitan next meeting will be August 7th at 6 p.m. at Middleton Methodist Church fellowship hall. Anyone and everyone is invited.

Middleton Methodist Church will have their next senior luncheon next August 11th at 10 a.m. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend.

Jesus Name Community Church will have their young at heart luncheon August 22nd at 11:30 a.m. Watch for

Thanks to those who are saving the Best Choice labels for the Middleton Woman's Club. The money received from this helps with the improvements to the city park. I received best choice labels today from two very sweet and kind ladies, Etta Rainey and Betty Burnette. We thank you very much.

School will be starting Monday so lets watch out for our children and keep them in our prayers.

I know there is much news in the Middleton area and would appreciate a call, text or email. Thanks to those calling and giving me people that are sick and/or news. Call 731-376-8202 or email at bonnieshealthyliving@ comcast.net with any news.

Hornsby Amber D. Moore 731-609-1210 amber.moore_04@yahoo.com

Hello to all! Well its here kids will be back in school next week, I will have happenings from them next week when things are back in full swing.

Very proud of our youth and the leaders for the work they did on their mission trip in Gatlinburg. So very thankful to anyone who goes and help areas that are in need of it. Will be lifting Matthew Moore and James and Sarah Weakley up in prayer as they will be attending seminary. Please remember the prayer breakfast Saturday morning at 8:00 a.m. at Hornsby Baptist Church as we fellowship and

pray focused on our students, teachers and the coming school year. Our speaker will be Constance Avent and we know it will be good. Ms. Avent is a wonderful school teacher at Hornsby Elementary and we look forward to hearing her devotion. Sunday night at 6:00 is movie night and it is always a good time shared by all. If you have any news or prayer request just call or email me. Please remember to pray for the following: Sydni Aylor, Juanita Baker, Patricia Baker, Terry Baker, Max

Beck, Melanie Bowers, Rick Brown, Ricky Chandler, Amanda Cornelius, Dell Ann Cossar, Deryal Crawfordl, Kenneth Crawford, Sue Day, Elynor DeBerry, Bobbie Dorris, Shirley Emerson, Esther Galigher, Richard Hazelwood, Sue Hodge, Diane Holmes, Dewey Hopkins, Ann Hornsby, Jo Edna Howell, Wade Howell, Charley Johnson, Ann Kelly, Aubrey King, Jamie King, Debbie Laster, Nell Maddox, Bobbie McBride, Betty McMahan, Evan Nield, Lockie Newman, Josh Overton, Timmy Parchman, Gay Pierce, Prissy Poirier, Gail Pope, Tosha Powell, Paula Prince, Cindy Pulse, Keith Raines, Terry Reed, Stacy Spence, Ronna Spoon, Gary Valter, Josh Walton, Eddie Webb, Elaine Wharton, Greg Wilson, the men and women who serve our country, the family of Brandon and Kaitlyn Lambert, the families of the ones who are fighting cancer.

His word for the week: Psalm 62:1 "My soul finds rest in God alone; my salvation comes from Him." Praise God!!

Edna's Page Answers from A6

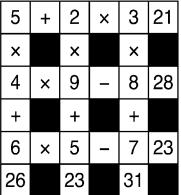
BIBLE TRIVIA

ANSWERS: 1) New; 2) John; 3) Sycamore; 4) Fish; 5) James/John; 6) Sea of Galilee

FLASH BACK

- 1. Tommy Roe. It was used in the
- film "Jesus Son" in 1999.
- 2. "Let Me Be," by the Cascades. The group started in 1960 as the Silver Strands, a group of Navy guys in San
- 3. The single is faster with more drums and less bass. The album version is 90 seconds longer.
- 4. "Calypso," in 1975. The Calypso was an oceanographic research ship, converted from a British minesweeper and then a ferry in Malta.
- 5. "My Heart Can't Tell You No," by Rod Stewart in 1988. The song was written for Barbara Mandrell, but Stewart grabbed it first. Sara Evans covered it in 2011. Mandrell never released the song, but her niece Vanessa appeared in the Evans video.

Go Figure! answers



TRIVIA TEST

- 1. Wrangell-St. Elias in Alaska (over 8 million acres)
- 2. Helen
- 3. Malala Yousafzai, at age 17
- 4. "Die Hard"
- 5. MXV 6. Chefs
- 7. Carly Simon
- 8. Dmitri Mendeleev 9. About 10
- 10. It uses all vowels in alphabetical

SPORTS QUIZ

- 1. Ty Cobb (31 years old), Rogers Hornsby (32), Hank Aaron (32) and Robin Yount (33).
- 2. Michael Pineda (156 strikeouts), Masahiro Tanaka (139), CC Sabathia (137), Dellin Betances (131), Nathan Eovaldi (121), Adam Warren (104)
- and Andrew Miller (100). 3. In the AFC Championship Game after the 1990 season, Buffalo scored 51 points against the Los Angeles Raiders.
- 4. Miami, Fla., Duke, North Carolina, Notre Dame, Virginia and Syracuse.
- 5. It was the 2005-06 season.
- 6. Maria Teresa de Filippis, in 1958.
- 7. Andy Murray of Great Britain.

Weekly SUDOKU

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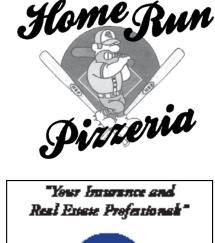




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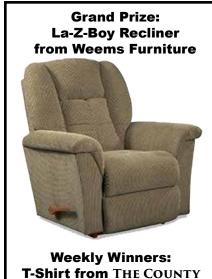
Teams of four may compete for an end of the year prize. Highest total of the four players at the end of the year will get a free buffet meal at home run pizza for eight persons.

Rules: A player may be on only ONE team, and MUST have an individual entry turned in by the deadline. A player who is written into more than one team will be on the first team that reaches the WMOD/ Bulletin Times Office.

Only one of the four players needs to fill out the team form to make a

If fewer than 10 teams participate, this part of the contest is void.

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Charleston Southern at Mississippi State

Missouri State at Missouri South Carolina vs. North Carolina State (Charlotte)

Texas A&M at UCLA

Vanderbilt at Middle Tennessee

South Alabama at Ole Miss

Tennessee vs. Georgia Tech (Atlanta)

Week 2

Fresno State at Alabama TCU at Arkansas

Auburn at Clemson

Northern Colorado at Florida

Georgia at Notre Dame

Eastern Kentucky at Kentucky

UT Chattanooga at LSU UT Martin at Ole Miss

Mississippi State at Louisiana Tech

South Carolina at Missouri

Indiana State at Tennessee

Nicholls State at Texas A&M Alabama A&M at Vanderbilt

Week 3

Colorado State at Alabama

Mercer at Auburn Tennessee at Florida

Samford at Georgia

Ole Miss at California

LSU at Mississippi State

Purdue at Missouri

Kentucky at South Carolina

Louisiana-Lafayette at Texas A&M

Kansas State at Vanderbilt Week 4

Arkansas vs. Texas A&M (Arlington)

Mississippi State at Georgia Florida at Kentucky

Syracuse at LSU

Auburn at Missouri

Louisiana Tech at South Carolina

UMass at Tennessee

Alabama at Vanderbilt

Week 5

Ole Miss at Alabama

New Mexico State at Arkansas

Mississippi State at Auburn

Vanderbilt at Florida Eastern Michigan at Kentucky

Troy at LSU

Georgia at Tennessee South Carolina at Texas A&M

Week 6

Ole Miss at Auburn

Missouri at Kentucky LSU at Florida

Arkansas at South Carolina

Alabama at Texas A&M

Georgia at Vanderbilt

Week 7

Arkansas at Alabama

Texas A&M at Florida Missouri at Georgia

Auburn at LSU

Vanderbilt at Ole Miss

BYU at Mississippi State

South Carolina at Tennessee

Week 8 Tennessee at Alabama

Auburn at Arkansas

LSU at Ole Miss

Kentucky at Mississippi State

Idaho at Missouri

Week 9 Georgia vs. Florida (Jacksonville)

Tennessee at Kentucky Arkansas at Ole Miss

Vanderbilt at South Carolina Mississippi State at Texas A&M

Week 10

LSU at Alabama

Coastal Carolina at Arkansas

South Carolina at Georgia

Ole Miss at Kentucky

UMass at Mississippi State Florida at Missouri

Southern Miss at Tennessee

Auburn at Texas A&M

Western Kentucky at Vanderbilt

Week 11

Georgia at Auburn Arkansas at LSU

Louisiana-Lafayette at Ole Miss

Alabama at Mississippi State

Tennessee at Missouri

Florida at South Carolina New Mexico at Texas A&M

Kentucky at Vanderbilt

Week 12

Mercer at Alabama Mississippi State at Arkansas

Louisiana-Monroe at Auburn

UAB at Florida

Kentucky at Georgia

Texas A&M at Ole Miss

Wofford at South Carolina LSU at Tennessee

Missouri at Vanderbilt

Week 13

Ole Miss at Mississippi State

Missouri at Arkansas

Alabama at Auburn

Florida State at Florida

Georgia at Georgia Tech Louisville at Kentucky

Texas A&M at LSU Clemson at South Carolina Vanderbilt at Tennessee

Missouri at UConn

SPORTS

Star PT Hardeman County Sports Notes

Tim Tebow, professional baseball and football icon, will speak at the Freed-Hardeman University Benefit Dinner Friday night, December 1, 2017. Last year the annual event raised almost \$1.7 million for student scholarships at FHU.

FHU President David Shannon talked about the event's importance, "The money raised through the benefit dinner impacts students' lives in major ways; many simply could not be here without it. Tim Tebow's sportsmanship, character and philanthropy have helped young people around the world, and his presence at this dinner will support Freed-Hardeman students. We look forward to seeing those who never miss this event and invite those who have not yet visited campus to join us for a great evening."

Sponsorships begin at \$600, and individual tickets may be purchased for \$150.

The Bolivar Parks and Recreation Department Co-ed Soccer league registration will continue through August 31 with leagues for ages 4-6, 7-9, and 10-13. The fee is \$25 and can be paid at the Bolivar Municipal Center weekdays from 3:00-5:30 p.m. For more information, call 658-PLAY.

The Bolivar - Hardeman County Library's Color Run will be on August 5 at Pleasant Run Park on Stevens Road in Bolivar at 9:00 a.m. There is no time limit and participants can walk, jog or run at ther own pace. The fee is \$15.

The Fayette Care High Cotton 5K/1K is scheduled for September 9 in Somerville.

Participants of all ages and abilities are welcome to take part in the competitive 5k or the 1k fun run and awards will be presented at the Fayette County Chamber Cotton Festival. All proceeds benefit Fayette Cares, a United Way Agency. For more information visit FayetteCares.org/5k or call 901-465-3802.



Hardeman County Sports Scoreboard Bolivar Central Volleyball Schedule

- 8/14 Scotts Hill (H)
- 8/15 Chester Co. (H)
- 8/17 Hardin Co. (H)
- 8/21 Haywood Co (H)
- 8/22 Madison (A)
- 8/24 Lexington (H)
- 8/28 McNairy Co. (H)
- 8/29 South Side (H) 8/30 Middleton (H)
- 8/30 Middleton (H) 8/31 Fayette Ware (
- 8/31 Fayette Ware (H) 9/5 Liberty (H)
- 9/7 Haywood Co. (A)
- 9/11 Southside (A)
- 9/12 Chester (A)
- 9/14 Scotts Hill (A)
- 9/18 Madison (H) 9/19 Hardin Co. (A)
- 9/20 Middleton (A)
- 9/21 Lexington (A)
- 9/26 McNairy (A)
- 9/28 Fayette Ware (A)







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Mays Commits to WVU continued from A1

great coaches and universities that took interest in me," he wrote on Twitter.

Mays, who is listed as a 6'4" 290 pound lineman, is a three-star athlete who received more than two dozen scholarship offers, including all three service academies and five Power 5 conference schools. He scored a 23 on the ACT.

Mays joins Bolivar quarterback Trey Lowe, who committed to the Mountaineers in early July. *Photo by Nicka Smith*.





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Sain Earns All-America Scholar Award

Srixon/Cleveland Golf All-America Scholar for his performance in the past season for the Bulldogs.

Sain, who had three top-10 finishes, took third place at the Cumberland Phoenix Invitational and had a low round of the season of 67 during that event leading his team to victory.

To earn the award, a golfer must have at least a 3.2 GPA and a scoring average under 78.0. Sain averaged 77.0 for his 22 rounds and was one of two Union golfers to play in each round of the season. Sain is the only player from Union to achieve the All-America Schol-

ar status and is listed on the Union golf roster as the lone senior returning for the 2017-2018 season.

Sain is the son of Jackie and Deana Sain of Bolivar and is majoring in Business Management.

Photo courtesy Union University.

BULLETIN-TIMES SPORT



Star PT Hardeman County Sports Notes

The Hardeman County Sports Association will hold their football signups Saturday, August 12 and Tuesday, August 15 from 5:00-7:00 p.m. each evening.

The flag football league for ages 6-8 costs \$55, while the tackle league will have players 9-11 and costs \$62. All players need to bring their birth certificate.

Call Mikey McMahan at 731-609-6410 for more information.

The Seventh Annual SEC Football Pick'em Contest will award a La-Z-Boy recliner from Weems Furniture in Bolivar to the winner for the competition that has contestants pick each game of the SEC football season prior to the first game.

The contest will have weekly winners courtesy of Home Run Pizzeria, and again this year, the contest will include an optional team competition.

Last year's winner Jessica Malone (pictured with William Weems) picked 87 games correctly, beating Steve Whitten of Ramer, Eva Reynolds of Bolivar, Tim Malone of Saulsbury, Tommy Sain of Bolivar and Hayden Lanier by one game each.

Past champions are Bobby Wright (2011), Julia Bobbit (2012), Stubby Dancer (2013), Lee Garner (2014), and John Webster (2015).

Wright has picked the most games correctly over the past six years, with 549, one ahead of Tommy Sain at 548, with Bobby Sain at 542, and Jerry Rhodes at 540 in third and fourth all-







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Photo below: The Middleton High School Fundamental Basketball Camp completed in July, had campers participate in Coach James Burkley's annual event. Winning awards were: Ke'Mora Buggs and Taquinis Mitchell- Best three point shooters; Correon McNeal and Ryan Peeler- Best Defensive Players; Jack Drake and Bresha Graham- Best Sportsmanship; Brayden Waller and Jonah Brady- Best free-throw shooters; Roman Wilson- Best Offensive Player; Cameron Smith-Most Improved Male Camper; Whitney Russell-Most





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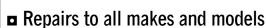


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tnAchieves, the partnering organization for Governor Bill Haslam's TN Promise in 84 counties, is currently seeking volunteers to serve as mentors for its fourth class of TN Promise applicants. TN Promise offers every high school senior the opportunity to attend one of the state's 13 community colleges or 27 colleges of applied technology tuition free with a last dollar scholarship.

The program also pairs each applicant with a volunteer mentor to ease the transition from high school to college. The mentoring program requires a one hour per month commitment following a mandatory training and background check.

The program needs 9,000 volunteers across the state to ensure students that apply are provided a local support system. Hardeman County needs 43 mentors by the

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December 1st deadline.

tnAchieves Executive Director Krissy DeAlejandro has been with the program since its inception in 2008. "With the idea of eliminating the barriers keeping Tennessee students from entering the post-secondary pipeline, Tennessee Promise provides a last-dollar scholarship with mentor support to our state's high school seniors," said DeAlejandro. "It sends the message to Tennessee families that post-secondary education is within reach for everyone, regardless of socio-economic status or zip code. It also attracts business and industry to Tennessee because we can know this generation is getting the required skills to be successful in tomorrow's job mar-

The scholarship dollars are important, and often create excitement around going to college, but the support of the mentor can be

critical to student success. Most of the students participating in the program are first generation college attendees who find navigating the admissions and financial aid processes overwhelming.

tnAchieves Deputy Director of Engagement and Partnerships Graham Thomas explained the importance of the role of the mentors. "Mentors provide the encouragement and support students need to be successful as they transition from high school and begin college." Thomas continued, "Mentors remind students of important deadlines, answer students' questions, alleviate their concerns, and most importantly, encourage students to reach their full potential."

In the first three years of the program nearly 180,000 students have applied. In the first year, 16,291 students began college TN Promise eligible. The state's col-



Mentoring with

lege going rate increased 4.6 percent, more than the previous seven years combined. Enrollment at the state's community and technical colleges increased more than 20 percent and enrollment at all of the state's public higher education institutions increased 10 percent. This translates into approximately 4,000 new students entering the

college pipeline. Students participating in the program are also retaining at rates higher than their peers that entered college without TN Promise.

To learn more and apply you can visit www.tnachieves.org or contact Thomas at graham@ tnachieves.org or 615-604-1306.



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The Hardeman County NAACP Committee along with the City of Bolivar, the City of Whiteville, and the City of Grand Junction all held Back to School-Stay in School Carnivals on Saturday, July 29. The Hope Street Building in Bolivar saw a line that started an hour and a half before people were allowed to enter, backing up all the way to the parking lot. Volunteers from ZETA PHI BETA, WRAP, NAACP, The Willie Kemp Foundation, city employees, and others stockpiled notebooks, pencils, facial tissues, crayons, markers, and folders into backpacks for children snacking on hot dogs and popcorn as they and their parents made their way through the lines.

Pictured: Members of the Hardeman County Branch of the NAACP.



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Hardeman County Remembered by Lisa Coleman



When I was growing up, my Granny Kiestler's telephone was an endless source of entertainment and information. Nope, it didn't connect to the internet, play games, or anything like that, but her phone line was on a party line which was better than any news network, breaking update, message, tweet, or chat. She had what was the standard issue black, rotary dial phone. With rotary phones you could always tell the mood of the dialer by how fiercely they whipped the dial around. It seemed like it took forever to call anyone with lots of "8s" or "9s" in the number as you waited for the dial to spin back into place.

The party line was born out of necessity to accommodate the new invention of the telephone and they were first introduced in the United States in the 1890's and even earlier in some large cities. The number of home phones and phone lines increased dramatically after WWII and the party

line was frequently part of phone I remember one time when my service, most especially in rural areas. Newspapers used to run ads to explain to folks how to dial, how to conduct themselves on calls (wait, we could use that today), and the proper etiquette for a party line or a single phone line.

Phone numbers used to be a letter followed by 2-4 numbers, then a series of three numbers, and finally the seven digit system (well, 10-digit with area codes) that we use today. For many years, Bolivar residents could dial just four digits to ring up a friend or local business; the "658" prefix was added several years later, much to the dismay of some patrons. I have a friend who told me that his father was bewildered to have to dial "so many numbers just to make a call".

I think that the party line my Granny's phone was on was one of the last party lines in Bolivar and maybe even in the county. It was always more entertaining than anything on television and you could learn all the news up and down her road just by listening in. Every so often someone might ask who all was on the line, or someone would ask if a neighbor could hang up so they could make a call. I don't remember anyone ever refusing that type of request.

Dixie Hills Hosts Workshop for Moms

brother and I were visiting my Granny's and she was short an egg for some cookies or a cake and she asked me to "get on the line" and ask her neighbor, Mrs. Jones, if I could walk down and borrow an egg. I remember her telling me to "be polite, Missy, and wait till somebody stops talking". I listened and jumped right in and asked if Mrs. Jones was on the line, and made my request; she said "sure, honey, the door's open, just come on in", and off I went on my errand. She probably updated the party line listeners as to when I got the egg, what exactly we were making, and when I left her house, just so everyone would know how things were going.

Party lines began to phase out in the 1970's as home answering machines began to be popular; they were not able to accommodate a multi-line system used by the party line set up. There are still several very rural areas in the United States today that continue to use the party line system, but for the most part the party line lives on only in our memories.

But, gosh, y'all; I'd like to hear my Granny tell me one more time to "get on the line" and see about borrowing an egg.

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A community wide breast-feeding workshop sponsored by Hardeman County Community Health Center, Bolivar Health Department, and the UT Extension Service was held at Dixie Hills Baptist Church in Bolivar on August 1. Photo: Edkishna Gray and her daughter Emri Kaye Swinger were in attendance to help spread the awareness and benefits of breastfeeding to expectant mothers. Photo by Jessica Simmons.

"Sabbatical BACK!!!! What a difference a year can make. This time of year, there's so many projects I'm catching up on. 1st and very high priority is the pursuit of "SLICK". For those of you that don't remember, SLICK is a flathead catfish I lost several years ago. My Quest for her has been: RELENTLESS!!!! although Larry JOE and I have caught several "GOOD UNS" they're just not the same caliber fish SLICK is. The Hatchie is very low making safe boating an issue. Will try SLICK again before Squirrel Season opens. I'll keep you posted on the hunt for SLICK. Right now?? Winter firewood has my attention. Of course, already checking for duck blind brush. If you're out and about, be watchful, very good population of Mr. NO Shoulders (snakes) this year. Very happy to be keeping you up with my antics again. Hunting season is just around the corner, Hootvember (November) is going to be welcomed with open arms. HOT WEATHER AIN'T MY THING!!!!!! HOOT



Bolivar Energy Authority, your local publicly-owned electric utility, says if you use your air conditioning less, you'll spend less on your cooling bill. These simple steps will help:

- Use a dehumidifier to decrease moisture from summer air.
- Plant shrubs or trees to shade your central air conditioning unit.
- Set your thermostat at 78 degrees Fahrenheit.

Call Bolivar Energy Authority for more information. Incorporated in 1936, Bolivar Energy Authority serves Hardeman County and parts of Fayette, Chester, Madison, and Benton

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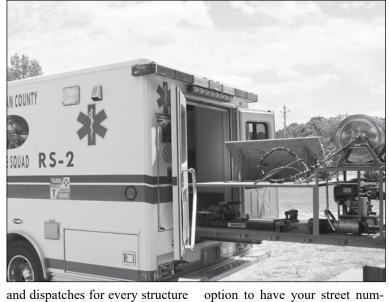
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Rescue Squad Upgrades Equipment by Jessica Simmons

The Hardeman County Rescue Squad recently took out a loan for new equipment to save lives. With the new technological advances in cars, newer models are being made with ultra-high strength elemental steels that will hold one and a half times the weight of old

Three new Hurst Jaws of Life tools purchased for \$28,000 will cut through 150,000 pounds of steel and save time getting you out of your car in case of an emer-

Along with the Hurst equipment, twelve sets of turn out gear for 12 of the 32-member rescue squad were ordered as well. An exciting find for the department was a 1995 Ford service truck with only 70,000 miles in excellent condition that they purchased for \$5,000. The striping for the new truck, that will be based in Hornsby was donated by a member and other members donated their time striping out the truck in county colors. The Hardeman County Rescue Squad is strictly volunteer



fire within Hardeman County except for those dispatched for Middleton Fire Department.

The Rescue Squad is currently selling 911 signs for your home or business as one of their yearly fundraisers. The signs are made out of angle iron, with a foot step for easy installation, green fiberglass, and white reflective numbers. They've also added an

ber and name on the sign as well. Your information is on both sides with the cost of the signs: 911 number only- \$15 and 911 number and street number or name \$20. Please order from any squad member or check out their Facebook page. The Rescue Squad started their biggest fundraiser, the annual portrait drive, on Tuesday August 1.

State of Tennessee Gives Grant to Allen White School

Members of the Tennessee Black Caucus presented the Allen White School with a grant to help further their goals to create a cultural and educational center at the school

"It's a great thing for me personally," said Tennessee State Representative Johnny Shaw, who is an alum of the school. "It will be a neat museum and bring visitors to Whiteville. I'm proud to be a part of this."

The donation was a portion of the agenda at the meeting of the Tennessee Black Caucus held at Elcanaan Baptist Church in Whiteville. Photo by Jessica Simmons.



Bolivar Native a Finalist in Film Contest

Bolivar native Jaron Lockridge is a top ten finalist out of nearly 50 entries into the Memphis Film Prize competition where the grand prize is \$10,000. His film, The Preacher, is the story of a pastor of a small southern church that must "find the strength to continue his purpose when the world around him seems to be crashing down." (source: The Memphis Film Prize is for filmmakers across the country to make

a short film between five and fifteen minutes long, with the requirement that it be made in Shelby County. As a result, filmmakers used the area for their film sets, locals got the opportunity to help crew the projects.

The festival dates are August 4-6. The audiences and industry professionals with combine to choose the winner.

For more information, go to www.facebook.com/thepreacherfilm and for more information about the competition go to www. memphisfilmprize.com.



Adoptable Animal of the Week by Sara Vonderheide

Sally (#16343) is a five year old female hound mix. She weighs a little under 50 pounds and has a beautiful coat. Sallie loves to go for walks and get her ears scratched. She prefers a home without other female dogs, but she gets along well with males. She will make a great companion for someone willing to give her a forever home. She has been treated for heartworms and has been spayed. This sweet girl has been at the shelter for a year now, and she deserves a life with a family of her own. She will need a fenced in yard, as the hound in her could roam or chase a scent. If you are the right human for this wonderful girl, please contact (text is preferred) Charla Cooper 731-234-4421 or Jennifer Smallwood 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©3 not-forprofit organization. Adoption fees are \$125, and this includes all vac-



cines, 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. If you would like to donate to the shelter's general fund, sponsor a

mitment. Photo by Jessica Simmons.

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AT&T Announces Plans for Hickory Valley in 2020

AT&T will bring high-speed internet to Hickory Valley as early as 2020, the company announced in a press conference on July 19. The move will make AT&T the

second company to come to the central Hardeman County town as Crossroads Wifi began providing high-speed fixed wireless Internet in 2011. No other Hardeman County ar-

eas are targeted by AT&T for the 2020 launch date. Crossroads Wifi, a locally

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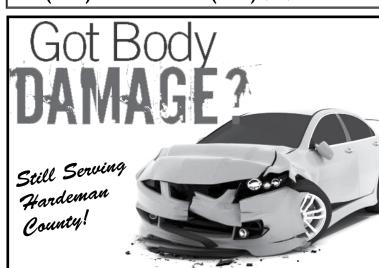
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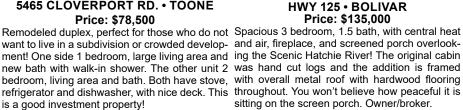
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