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From the Other Side of the Desk
A Rose by any other name would smell as sweet...
Juliet in Romeo and Juliet

I'm thinking this is an oft-repeated phrase that is completely wrong. I don't mean to contradict Bill Shakespeare or anything, but if the "rose" had been called by another name, such as the "rotten eggs flower" I don't think it would have had the following it enjoys today.

And besides, since Juliet doesn't really make a lot of decisions that make sense anyway, I don't know why we are listening to her in the first place.

There was a paper near where I went to school called "The Intelligencer," which always struck me as funny since they were telling us they were making us smarter, but with a word that wasn't really a word in the first place.

And of course, with a radio station under our roof, I've wondered how our name might change if we had to come up with something new to replace 96.7 Real Country.

So while I don't think we have any plans to change things, just in case, I have an idea. Or several.

Some radio stations attach names after their frequency, like 96.7 Real Country, but I think it would be cool to have the number actually be connected to the idea. Such as:

103.5 The Fever. The hottest hits that give you the coldest sweats...

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On second thought, I think we'll just keep 96.7 Real Country...

Darrell Teubner, Editor

County Officials Take Oath of Office

Seven recently elected officials were sworn-in on Wednesday, August 31, at the Hardeman County Courthouse Courtroom.

Each official repeated the Honorable Judge Charles M. Cary's oath and signed the oath, before a word of prayer for the officials was offered by Reverend Jerry Crisp.

The new officials take office September 1.

Left to right: New County Commissioner Johnny Weems, re-elected School Board Member Terry King, Appointed School Board Member Gene Ross, new Road Supervisor Matt Knight, re-elected School Board Member Beverly Bodiford, re-elected County Commissioner Connie Young, re-elected Assessor of Property Josh Pulse, re-elected School Board Member Jerry Crisp, and Judge Cary.



Milk and Wine...Mighty Fine?

Business expansion will be on the minds of voters in two cities, while one will take a different route to expand their tax base.

The Wine in Grocery Stores (WIGS) referendum that will be on the ballot for residents of Bolivar in November will determine whether local grocers will be able to sell wine.

Bolivar is the only municipality in Hardeman County large enough to qualify to have a referendum on the issue, according to Hardeman County Administrator of Elections Amber Moore. A petition with 120 Bolivar residents' names was submitted that paved the way for the referendum.

According to Rob Ikard, President of the Tennessee Grocers and Convenience Stores, a grocery store is any retail store that attributes at least 20% of its gross revenues from grocery items.

This issue was floated before 79 cities and counties in 2014, with only one city, Loretto, rejecting the allowance of retail grocers to sell wine.

The majority of the areas that passed the referendum began selling in 2016, with the exception of stores that were located within 500 feet of liquor stores. Grocers within 500 feet of liquor stores were put off until 2017, to give local liquor stores the chance to adjust inventory and business plans.

In addition to Bolivar, the Tennessee Grocers and Convenience Stores Association estimates that 30-35 cities and counties will have the referendum on their ballots this November. If passed, the timing of implementation would be up to the communities themselves, according to Ikard.

The City of Middleton will have a referendum that would allow them to expand their city limits to include parcels of land that would include areas near Tennessee Gas on Old Tow Road.

The Town of Toone, originally believed to be asking for a referendum to expand their city limits, decided to go another route in order to bring a potential business into the city limits. Recently, Dollar General has broken ground at the intersection of Kilgore Road and Highway 100, past the location of Kilgore Flares. Currently, this property lies outside of the Toone limits.

In November, voters in five cities in Hardeman County will have a chance to vote for their leaders, while they join the remainder of the county in voting for state and national candidates in the November election. Electing leaders are Middleton, Silerton, Hornsby, Toone, and Saulsbury. Two cities, Middleton and Silerton will have mayoral races to decide and aldermen will be elected in all cities.

The number of slots available in each city matches the number of candidates, except for Hornsby, who are two short of the seven needed to run the government, according to their charter. The deadline to register as a certified write-in candidate is noon on September 19 at the Hardeman County Election Commission office.

Fun at the Fur, Fin and Feather



The 26th annual Fur, Fin, and Feather Festival will get going on Friday, September 2, with activities scheduled for that evening and all day Saturday at the City Park in Middleton.

The festival will begin with Leanne Taylor singing the national anthem at 6:00 p.m. and a welcome by Middleton Mayor Jackie Cox. Live music will grace the stage with The Wayne Gerolds Band and Parsons Creek entertaining until 10:00 p.m.

Saturday will have games, arts and crafts sales and food all day at the park with music beginning at 6:00 p.m. with Chase Antwine followed by the Band Jones at 7:00 p.m. and the traditional closing of the festival by the 10-0-C Band, who will take the stage at 8:00 p.m.

The Art Show at the festival will be open all day Saturday as well. Those wishing to try their hand at singing can participate in the Karaoke beginning at 5:00 p.m.

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Hayes to Take the Bolivar Stage on Friday Night

Americana artist Bryan Hayes will bring his signature sound and honest storytelling to Music on the Square at the Bolivar Downtown Amphitheatre on Friday, September 2 at 8:00 p.m.

Touring in support of his third studio album, *Farther Down The Line* (released June 2015), Bryan's shows have been igniting stages throughout the Southeast. Given that Bryan has been consistently touring nationwide for the last two years (over 200 shows per year), it is no surprise that he has become one of the region's top live performers. Bryan headlines and performs festivals, concert halls, clubs, bistros, coffee houses, house concerts, and everything in between!

Opening the night will be Jimmy Anderson, a singer/songwriter from Jackson. He is scheduled to take the stage at 7:00 p.m.



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GOVERNMENT

Hardeman Co. Sheriff Arrest Reports

Mark Randel Anderson, 35, 1393 West Market St., Bolivar, TN, Aggravated domestic assault, child abuse and neglect (age 4), bond \$50,000, (held), court date 9/13

George Arthur Bonner, 27, 403 Moss Ln., Bolivar, TN, Two counts of Assault, resisting arrest, bond \$15,000, (held), court date 9/13

Telvin Jamar Boyd, 22, 508 Johnson St., Bolivar, TN, Failure to appear on driv on sus dl 2nd, failure to appear on FTA, bond \$10,000, (released), court date 9/13

Detravion Keshawn Burkley, 18, 651 Naylor St., Bolivar, TN, Evading arrest, speeding, loud car stereo, bond \$2,500, (released), court date 9/9

Ernest Christopher Deibel, 40, 1080 Laurelwood Dr., Saulsbury, TN, Assault, bond \$5,000, (released), court date 9/13

David Allen Faust, 43, 904 Crestwood Dr., Saulsbury, TN, Driving on sus 2nd offense, bond \$5,000, (released), court date 9/13

Property Transfers

3D Boothandle Six, LLC to Francine J. Blum, 0.821 A. \$1,573,000

John & Ruth Baker to Joshua German & Mackenzie Moore, 5 A. \$175,000

Joann Barner & Johnny Connell to George & Faye Hughey, lot \$9,100

Edward Bell & Pamela-Tract to Tosha Poplar, tract \$14,500

Blue Tractor Farm, LLC to Gusmus Brothers, LLC, 106.04 A. \$328,193

James & Margaret Bostick Jr. to David & Jane Dement, 70 A. \$68,500

Billy & Barbara Byrum to Candrea Amlena & Candra Woods, tract \$1,000

Joseph & Brenda Deibert to Bird Dog Foundation, INC., 2.140 A. \$93,500

Diane Danielle Emerson to Juan Rodriguez and Erin Grantham, lot \$45,000

Enon Baptist Church to Hardeman Co. Baptist Assoc., tract \$2,700

First United Methodist Church to Calvin & Brenda Howell, tract \$15,500

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Richard & Shelia Frezza to Jack Douglas & Zaida Brignoni, 17.67 A. \$8,000

John & Reba Harwell to Gary & Robin Smith, 1/2 A. \$9,500

Tony Hooper Sawmill to Michael Daniel, 1054.00 A. \$3,899,800

Tony Hooper Sawmill to Chase King, ET AL, tract \$460,000

Sandra F. Howell to Debra Tractow, lot \$40,500

Bonnie F. Johnson to Anthony & Melissa Harge, tract \$5,000

Thelma Johnston to Jody & Angela Jackson, lots \$45,000

Keller Family LTD. Partnership to Susan A. Cox, 2.22 A. \$30,000

Albert Keller, Living Trust to Richard & Amanda Crowley, 25.345 \$37,500

James & Debroah Law to George E. Hannah, lots \$150,000

Canedra Malena to Anthony & Fabre Ford, parcels \$153,000

Tim & Cynde Matthews to Benjamin & Rachel Mayfield, 0.25 A. \$50,000

Dustin McClure to Chris Thompson, 3.13 A. \$50

Ronnie & Angela McQueen to Darla Watkins, lots \$35,000

Mary McQueen & Ronnie McQueen to John & Karen Bell, tract \$51,000

Laverl & Ernestine Moore to Terrevus & Adijas Greene, 3.07 A. \$17,300

Fidelia G. Morgan to Valerie J.

9/16

Kierra Brice Fingers, 19, 410 N. Washington St., Bolivar, TN, Vandalsim, bond \$2,500, (released), court date 9/27

Kelvin Carl Golden, 55, 711 East Jackson St., Bolivar, TN, Failure to appear, no bond, (released), court date 9/30

Justin Keeling Graves, 23, 14480 Hwy 18 S, Bolivar, TN, Violation of probation, no bond, (held), court date 9/13

Jamillya Oquanda Haddix, 28, 509 Johnson St., Bolivar, TN, Contempt of court, violation of probation (GS), bond \$3,250, (held), court date 9/7 & 9/13

Michael Timothy Hall, 54, 1040 Walton Rd., Bolivar, TN, Driving on susp dl 1st offense, no bond, (released), court date 9/9

Dustin Lee Harper, 31, 50 Chisca CV, Saulsbury, TN, Domestic assault, bond \$5,000, (held), court date 9/13

Anthony Morica Jones, 47, 629 Morgan St., Bolivar, TN, Vandalism, theft of property form 1,000-10,000, 4 counts of burglary, theft of property less than \$500, 2 counts theft of property \$500-\$1,000, bond \$10,000, (held), court date 9/13

Patricia Ann Jones, 51, 891 Dogwood Dr., Saulsbury, TN, Possession of Sch VI, posses-

sion of drug paraphernalia, bond \$15,000, (held), court date 9/13

Keyon Joy, 33, 125 Carol St., Bolivar, TN, Contempt of court (Juv), bond \$500, (released), court date 9/8

Quentin Lavon McKinnie, 37, 75 Burnett Mills Rd., Bolivar, TN, Driving on revoked 2nd, criminal stimulation, habitual motor vehicle offender, resisting stop, frisk, halt arrest, financial responsibility, child passenger restraint, violation of probation (circuit), simple possession, intro into penal facility, bond \$120,000, (held), court date 9/8 & 9/13

Emilee Hope Phillips, 39, 130 Terrace Place, Jackson, TN, 3 counts of Violation of probation (c), bond \$150,000, (released), court date 9/8

Matess Deonate Phinnessee, 313 S. Jones St., Bolivar, TN, Violation of probation (GS), bond \$2,500, (released), court date 9/13

Cynthia Ann Robinson, 41, 145 Keller St., Toone, TN, Due care for pedestrians, driving under influence, driving within a single lane, no bond, (released), court date 8/23 & 8/26

Akisha Shevette Shaw, 40, 610 Railroad St., Bolivar, TN, Violation of probation (c), bond \$5,000, (released), court date 9/8

James Robert Sisco, 21, 201 Dogwood Ave., Middleton, TN, Driving under influence 1st, speeding, open container, littering, no insurance, bond \$7,000, (released), court date 9/13

Lincquisha Vinsha Smith, 21, 90 Joy Street, Grand Junction, TN, Child restraints, fail to change address on dl, simple possession causal exit, manufacture, sell, deliver sch VI, paraphernalia, bond \$10,000, (released), court date 9/9

James Edward Solomon, Jr., 33, 10565 Macedonia, Brighton, TN, Driving on suspended dl 1st offense, no bond, (released), court date 9/30

Milton Still, Jr., 51, 3006 Monroe St., Paducah, KY, DUI 1st, bond \$5,000, (released), court date 9/9

Resa Teresa Turner, 51, 1125 Dixon Rd., Bolivar, TN, Theft under \$500, bond \$2,500, (held), court date 9/13

Cortavius Dante Warren, 19, 411 West Jefferson Ave., Grand Junction, TN, Fraud, driving on suspended 1st offense, theft under \$500, 43 mph in a 25 mph, bond \$100,000, (held), court date 8/30

Anna May Young, 18, 4565 Peavine Rd., Middleton, TN, Evading arrest, speeding, reckless endangerment, no driver's license, bond \$1,500, (released), court date 9/13

Credit Bureau Reports

Morgan, tracts, \$34,700

Jimmy & Joann Osborne to Julie Alison Parker, lots \$115,000

Jerry Overton, ET AL to Blake & Natalie Sowder, 2 A. \$20,000

Shereasa L. Peterson to Thomas & Nadean Mathews, 0.34 A. \$21,500

Kavon B. Pontius to Mark & Debra Harris, 15.11 A. \$112,000

Winfred & Betty Ray to Lawrence & Debbie Searles Jr., 2/10 A. \$22,000

Jimmie & Hertha Robertson to Randy & Linda James, 0.224 \$3,000

Joyce Shelly to Patricia Ann McGarrity, lot \$750

Joseph & Colleen Skinner to Billy Ralph Jr. & Carrie Doyle, 10 A. \$163,900

SW Properties, LLC. to RFEC IV Investments, LLC, 1.902 A. \$1,617,000

Constantine Tashie to James McPeak, lot \$17,000

Daniel & Ruby Thompson to Kenneth M. Rymanowicz Jr., lot \$70,000

Kenneth Vickers to John & Melinda Kirk, 7.36 \$20,000

Linda Warner & Robert Pittman to Stephen Wooten & Marie Blossom, lot \$27,800

Inez Lockett White to Jomarl Grif-fith, lot \$38,090

Sammy Wilkerson & Dale Wilkerson to Quamaine Fletcher Jr., tract \$147,000

Joe & Lois Woods to Carlos & Tanya Blaylock, 3 A. \$9,000

Donna P. Yopp to Matthew & Michele Pulse, 0.37 A. \$40,000

Marriages

Jonathon R. Arcond to Crystal Hill Carroll

Percy Lee Barber to Gracie Mae Brown

Joel C. Beene to Emily Kay Lederer

Trevor Logan Bell to Savannah Marie Avery

Johnny Barton Brown to Amber Lee Briggs

Kylan Decater Crum Lauren E. Gatewood

Brandon D. Cummings to Ciara Shanise Betts

Freddie Lee Franklin Jr. to Almetra S. Williams

Chadwick Lynn Franks to Kayla Lindsey Wilson

Joshua Tad Galigher to Tiffany Locke Cannon

Khalid Yousef Ghanem to Majd Hassan Abuhammad

Stravinski L. Girley to Angela Jones Merriweather

Kreg Headrick to Judy Tidwell Franks

Arthur Lorenzo Hobson to Verna Juanita Boyland

Vernon Hopper to Mary Baugus Norton

Max Hutcherson to Vickie Mulherin Hutcherson

Dakota Blake Jackson to Karen Lynn Lester

Danny Malone to Gailya Reeder Golding

Randall Wayne Mayfield to Michelle Lyn Jones

Rickey Wayne McDonald to Erica Michelle Bell

Jessie Moon to Rachel Ann Worerle

Keith Dwayne Murden to Towanda Gatlin Murden

George Edward Reynolds to Mary Ann J. Brooks

Juan Manuel P. Rivera to Turicka Resion Neely

Daron Ray Sharp to Jessica Renee Learue-Carter

Richard Lamar Shelly II to Barbara Hollins Thomas

Christopher Lee Sides to Lindsey Lashay Head

Cesar Rafael Tapia to Amber Leigh Radke

Divorces

Geneva Mynatt (vs) Curtis Lynn Mynatt

Ruth Denise Cobb (vs) Javonete M. Walton

Anthony Hunt (vs) Shela Denise Hunt

Corliss William Lax (vs) Deandre Lapale Lax

Boss McKinnie Jr. (vs) Ethyl Mc-Neal McKinnie

Foreclosures

Barnell Herron \$796,514

James Polk and Deitriech M. Polk \$41,000

Bankruptcy

Rosie Lee Barber, chapter 13

Finest Bills, chapter 13

Quinswaylo Brown, chapter 13

Teresa Lynn Brown, chapter 13

Bernice Cook Cannon, chapter 13

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Ashley Nicole Woods, chapter 13

Michelle Lynn Wooly, chapter 13

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NOTICE OF MEETING

The Board of Zoning Appeal will meeting on **Tuesday, 13 September 2016 at 5:30 p.m.** In the conference room, 3rd floor of the Court House. On the agenda:

- Use permit on Appeal: Ms. Essie Walker is requesting a {Use Permit on Appeal} for a small catering business. Tax Map 064 Parcel 007.06 on 2.06 acres. Property is located at 1985 Union Springs Rd., Whiteville, TN. Property is zoned Forestry, Agriculture, and Residential.
- Use permit on Appeal: Mays Hills Baptist is requesting a {Use Permit on Appeal} for a church. Tax maps 080 Parcel 013.00 on 3.06 acres. Property is located on Hwy 18 Bolivar, TN. Property is zoned {Forestry, Agricultural, and Residential.}

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COMMUNITY NEWS

The days are getting cooler and fall is around the corner. The last holiday of the summer will be Labor Day on Monday, September 5th. The Middleton Fin, Fur, and Feather Festival will help start the Labor Day weekend on September 2-3 at Middleton Park. Come on out for a day of fun and fellowship!

Parents, please remember the Hardeman County Schools Parent/Teacher Conference is scheduled for Tuesday, September 6th from 8-11 am and 3-6 pm. Please visit your child's school during these scheduled times.

Mark your calendar for the Grand Junction Library Spaghetti Dinner and Silent Auction on Friday, September 16th at 4-8 pm. It will be held at the John S. Wilder Community Center in Grand Junction. Meal includes spaghetti, salad, garlic bread, dessert, and drink. Ticket prices are \$10-adults, ages 12 and under will be \$5.00 with the purchase of adult ticket. All funds will support our Grand Junction Library.

Ms. Wanza wants to remind students that the library has AR books! Parents, please bring in your child/children to get a library card.

If you have some free time and love animals please volunteer at The Hardeman Adoptable Animals Shelter. The shelter is located within the Hardeman County Landfill on Walton Road in Bolivar. Please call Charla Cooper at 731-234-4421 for more information.

Scripture Verse for the week;

Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Romans 12:2

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The steak dinner for the men at the Silerton Baptist Church on Sat, August 20, was a true success. Twenty four men enjoyed their steak dinner and watermelon plus the fact they enjoyed talking with each other.

Prayer list: Continue to pray for Johnny and Nella Rush and family. Carolyn Stack recently suffered a slight stroke and is receiving therapy.

Wanda Young is improving but covets our continued prayers. Larry Lambert recently spent a few hours in the Emergency Room suffering with diverticulitis. Walter Cooper will be traveling back to Vanderbilt for follow-up the end of October. Mary Jean Jordan is showing improvement. She appreciates your prayers. Recently Sloan Buford was hospitalized with concerns with his heart. It is good to report he is home and doing well.

Oliver and Wanda Young became great grandparents to twin girls, Arielle and Aubrey, born to Hayley, granddaughter, on August 2. All are doing great except Hayley who is dealing with double ear infection.

Mark your calendars for Sunday, September 4! It is time once again for the Lambert family Labor Day weekend reunion. Potluck meal will be served at 12:00 Sunday at the home of Barbara Lambert.

Adrienne Gremore and daughter, Reece, from Ooltewah, TN, visited with Adrienne's mom, Frances Stack, Thursday, August 18th. Also stopping by to enjoy a ribeye dinner were Audrey Cox, Rachel Morgan Keller, and Ashley Brooke Keller.

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Greetings and Salutations from the Town of Toone! As August slips away and September arrives, we now turn our attention to Labor Day. Not only is this the official end of the Vacation Season, but it also starts us thinking about the many upcoming Fall festivities that we look forward to each year. Labor Day also marks the beginning of a great and powerful phenomenon that sweeps across the country transforming even the most normal and easy-going person into a wild, screaming lunatic! It's that strange occurrence that possesses average citizens and makes them dye their hair funny colors, dress themselves and their small children in bizarre clothing, and attach flags to their homes and cars. This thing has been known to turn even the closest friends into mortal enemies for a few months out of the year. Yes, folks, I'm talking about Football Season! That time of the year where you plan each and every event around a team's schedule, and you even have big, flat-screen TV's at wedding receptions so the guests won't miss the big game! And if poor wives and girlfriends aren't stressed enough by football, the hunting seasons also begin in September! So let's all break-out the Pom Poms, the team jerseys and sweatshirts, dig-out the tailgate snack recipes and enjoy the Fall season and all of the festivities it brings!

TES students will be out of school on Monday, September 5, for Labor Day, and Tuesday, September 6, for "Parent/Teacher Conference". Classes will resume on Wednesday, September 7.

Just a reminder that the Toone School "Fall Festival" is scheduled for, Saturday, October 29. As always, there will be lots of games and other fun activities for the kids, along with lots of good food and activities for the adults. So, Mark your calendars, and make your plans early! Most of the money raised this year will go toward new playground equipment and other school projects.

The next scheduled meeting of the Toone Mayor and Board of Aldermen will never, Tuesday, September 12, at Toone City Hall. These are open, public meetings and your opportunity to express your concerns to your Town leaders.

Patsy & Frank Tobias, just returned from a fun week at the beach with their son and his family. They said the weather was nice and the seafood was wonderful.

Happy Birthday to, Bonnie Leathers, who will celebrate her big day, September 6.

Connie Hooper Pickard, will also celebrate a Happy Birthday, September 6. Let's wish them both a very fun day!

I hope you all have a fun and safe Labor Day weekend with family and friends. Until next time. . . . talk to your neighbors!

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Hello all! The town of Hornsby will be having its annual "Fall Classic" event. It will be on September 10th with a lot of activities for everyone. Some of the events include an antique tractor show, lawn mower race, bouncers, mountain climbing, train rides, and food just to name a few, so come on out and have a great time, proceeds are to help benefit the fire department.

The Hornsby PTO met Tuesday night as they are starting to get things going for the Harvest Festival. This has always had been an event that the small community has strongly supported. Please mark your calendar for November 5, to come have a great time and support a wonderful school.

Hornsby Baptist Church had a wonderful time as we watch Sunday night "God's Not Dead 2". A very wonderful and uplifting movie, I strongly recommend if you haven't seen it to get it and watch it. Hornsby Baptist Church 5K for Christ are getting things ready for the race that will be November 12. You can go online and start signing up for this event. If you would like to know more about the race contact Billy Cossar at 731-659-1883.

The adult and children choirs will start soon on practicing for the Christmas programs. If you know of an adult or child who would be interested in being a part of these you may contact Bro. Lynn Gibson for the adult choir who will start practicing September 18th and me for the children's who will start practicing on September 11th.

Hornsby Baptist Church is purchasing new Bibles and Hymn books for the church; if you would like to donate one of these in Honor or Memory of a special individual please contact Anita Johnson at 731-212-1745.

If you have any news you would like to share please give me a call or email me. Please remember to pray for the following: Sydni Aylor, Patricia Baker, Terry Baker, Hughloene Barnes, Freddie Brown, Ricky Chandler, Kay Cooper, Amanda Cornelius, Crawford Cossar, Kenneth Crawford, Elynor DeBerry, Bobbie Dorris, Jacob Dowty, Matt Emerson, Lee Gainey, Lynn Gibson, Billy Hammons, Joe Hindman, Sue Hodge, Ann Hornsby, Carolyn Howell, Jo Edna Howell, Ann Kelly, Aubrey King, Roger King, Debbie Laster, Nell Maddox, Bobbie McBride, Evan Nield, Lockie Newman, Terry Parchman, Gay Pierce, Gail Pope, Paula Prince, Sandy Sanders Stacy Spence, Ronna Spoon, Bobby Vaughan, Eddie Webb, John Worley, the men and women who serve our country, Clark and Morgan Davidson serving missionaries, and the families of the ones who are fighting cancer.

HIS Word for the week is Matthew 5:44 "But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you." Praise God!!

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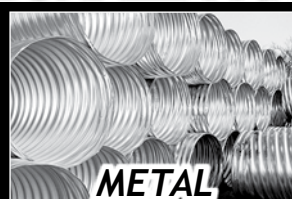
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RICHARD "TOMMY" PULLIAM

DECEMBER 12, 1921 - AUGUST 23, 2016

Mr. Richard "Tommy" Pulliam, age 94 of Bolivar, passed away Tuesday night, August 23, 2016, at Harris Grove Retirement Center in Whiteville, Tennessee.

Funeral services were held Friday morning, August 26, 2016, at Shackelford Funeral Directors of Bolivar with John Jicka officiating. Interment followed in Bolivar Memorial Cemetery.

Richard Thomas Pulliam was born Monday, December 12, 1921, to the late George Reagan Pulliam, Sr. and Ouida Leola Partridge Pulliam in Hickory Valley, TN. He graduated with the Class of 1942 from Grand Junction High School, and on November 12, 1946, he married Mary Louise Pulliam, who preceded him in death on January 1, 2010.

Tommy worked as a plant engineer at Armira, and was a property appraiser for the State of Tennessee and the Hardeman County Tax Assessor's office. He was a retired deacon of the First Baptist Church of Bolivar. He enjoyed dancing, bird hunting, wood working, and helping those in need. He loved spending time with his grandchildren.

Mr. Pulliam served in the US Navy during World War II in the Atlantic and Pacific on the USS Elmore, and was a member of the James David McNulty VFW Post #2949 in Bolivar. He was a native of Hickory Valley, until he moved to Bolivar in 1946.

He is survived by his daughter, Debbie Naylor of Collierville, TN; a brother, Ike Pulliam of Memphis, TN; three grandchildren, Tommy Stewart (Melissa) of Milan, TN, Heather Ervin (Phillip) of Collierville, TN, and Jessica Childers (David) of Collierville, TN; six great grandchildren, BreAnna Moran, Joseph Barr, Connor Stewart, Cooper Ervin, Lily Ervin, and Mary Ervin; and a special friend, Anne Ruth Owens.

In addition to his wife and parents, he was preceded in death by a daughter, Diane Stewart; two brothers, Fred Tillman Pulliam and George Reagan Pulliam, Jr.; a sister, Mary Ouida Powell; and a grandson, Jordan Naylor.

The family requests that memorial donations be made to the Bolivar First Baptist Church Homebound Ministry or Meals on Wheels.

RACHEL ANN "BETSY" KNIGHT

JUNE 4, 1946 - AUGUST 24, 2016

Rachel Ann "Betsy" Knight, age 70 of Bolivar, Tennessee, departed this life Wednesday afternoon, August 24, 2016 at Pleasant View Healthcare in Bolivar.

Funeral services were held Friday, August 26, 2016 at Shackelford Funeral Directors of Bolivar. Interment followed in Walnut Grove Cemetery in Bolivar.

A lifelong resident of Hardeman County, Ms. Knight was born Tuesday, June 4, 1946 to the late Paul and Jettie Rose Knight. She was Baptist in belief and enjoyed coffee, collecting purses and was very sociable.

She is survived by two sisters, Betty Baker and husband Donald of Bolivar, and Linda Brown and husband Roger of Medina; three brothers, Donald Knight and wife Janie of Henderson, Thomas Knight of Jackson, and Cordell Knight and wife Alice of Bolivar; and several nieces, nephews, great-nieces & great-nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a brother, Paul Wayne Knight; and a baby sister, Jennifer Knight.

Charitable contributions made in Ms. Knight's memory may be sent to the American Heart Association (www.heart.org/donate), the American Cancer Society (www.cancer.org/donate), or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital (www.stjude.org/donate).

JERRY JAMES

JANUARY 13, 1946 - AUGUST 21, 2016

Jerry James passed from this life at Magnolia Regional Health Center early Sunday morning August 21, 2016 at the age of 70 years, 7 months and 8 days.

Mr. James was born January 13, 1946 to Marion Reeves and Lee Etta Ray James. He was an auto mechanic and had owned his own shop. He lived in Ashland, MS area until moving to Hardeman County. Mr. James loved to tell jokes, country music, play the harmonica, antique cars and trucks.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday morning, August 24, 2016 at Shackelford's Bolivar Chapel with burial in Middleton City Cemetery.

Survivors include his daughter, Lisa C. Burdge of Texas; his son Jerry L. James and his wife Michelle of Holladay, TN; two sisters Judy Johnson and her husband Jimmy of Friendswood, TX and Dorothy Hopper and her husband Dennis of Faulkner, MS; three brothers M. J. James and his wife Elsie of Bolivar, Wayne James of Ripley, MS and Herman James of Ashland, MS; three grandchildren Robert D. Burdge, Jeremy K. Burdge and Kimberly Nicole James. In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by three sisters, Mary Call, Annie L. Glover, and Gladys Enos; and two brothers Samuel A. James and Edward Lee James. Memorials may be directed to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (www.jdrf.org/donate).

REBECCA "BECKY" CHELETTE

MAY 31, 1949 - AUGUST 18, 2016

Rebecca "Becky" Chelette, 67, of Pochontas, Tennessee, passed away Thursday morning, August 18, 2016 at Tennova Healthcare - Regional in Jackson, Tennessee.

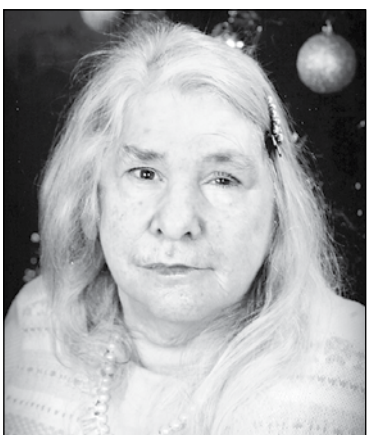
Funeral services were held Monday, August 22, 2016 at Shackelford Funeral Directors of Middleton with Brian Smith officiating. Interment followed in County Line Baptist Church Cemetery in Walnut, Mississippi.

A native of Memphis, she was the daughter of the late Henry Collins Hopper, Sr. (died: March 22, 2006) and Helen Marie Gibson Hopper of Pochontas, who survives. Mrs. Chelette lived in Memphis for many years before moving to Hardeman County in 1986. She was the widow of Daniel Chelette who passed away in March, 2011.

A member of County Line Baptist Church in Tippah County, MS, she enjoyed oil painting, crocheting and her dogs. She graduated with honors, Phi Theta Kappa, from Shelby State Community College in Memphis.

In addition to her mother, she is survived by her son, Johnny (Mary Ann) Logan of Pochontas; a daughter, Lena Marie Logan; a step-daughter, Crystal (Amos) Light of Baton Rouge, LA; two brothers, Hank (Gail) Hopper of Middleton and James (Judy) Hopper of Pochontas; three grandchildren, Brittny Angel, Bethany Marie and Brenna Rhea Logan, all of Michie, TN; three step-grandchildren, Amie, Summer and Cheyanne Light; and two great-grandchildren, Annalisa Lambert and Garrett Logan.

In addition to her father, she was preceded in death by a sister, Lena Sue Rapp on September 24, 2011.



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DEDRICK DERRELL BOWDEN

JANUARY 28, 1963 - AUGUST 24, 2016

Dedrick Derrell Bowden, age 53, passed away unexpectedly in Montgomery, Alabama, on August 24, 2016. He was born January 28, 1963, in Bolivar, Tennessee to WC and Elsie Bowden.

His service was held on Friday August 26, 2016 at 4:00 p.m. at the Jerome Boyd Chapel at Dixie Funeral Home with Reverend Gene Bowden delivering words of Comfort. Burial was in the Mt. Zion Cemetery-Saulsbury and Dixie Funeral Home was in charge of the professional service.

Dedrick was known for his booming voice and he spread the gospel singing God's praises. He served in many choirs as a dedicated Director. He was a gifted teacher of the Gospel and was excited to talk about the Word of God. His bright smile, sense of humor and kind and loving spirit brought joy to those he met along the way. His listening ear was always available and he would go out of his way to help others in any way he could.

He graduated from Bolivar High School and entered the US Air Force. He retired in 2001 as a Master Sergeant after 20 years of service. Dedrick enjoyed tours of duty stateside and overseas and met many friends along the way. He was an avid outdoors man and enjoyed his time fishing, hunting and motorcycling. He was a great cook whose skills pleased the palate of many. After retirement he spent time as a federal employee, state employee and county employee and was serving as the Child Nutrition Director at Montgomery Public Schools. He will be deeply missed by his family, friends, and all who knew him.

He is survived by his parents, WC and Elsie Bowden, his wife, Marjorie Lynn Bowden, children Derrell Bowden and fiancé, Danyelle Davis, Randal Williams and fiancé, Cynthia Hernandez, Ronnel Williams and fiancée, Samantha Abbott, brother, Fredrick Bowden and wife, Tracey, grandchildren, Quian Bowden, Savannah Williams,

OSCAR EMSLEY (POPCORN) HARRIS, JR.

APRIL 21, 1923 - AUGUST 26, 2016

Oscar Emsley (Popcorn) Harris, Jr., age 93, of Bolivar, TN who was born April 21, 1923, in Louisville, KY, went to be with his Lord August 26 at West TN Veterans Home in Humboldt, TN. He was the son of Oscar E. and Dovie Harrison Harris. After graduating from Jackson High School in 1942, he enrolled in Union University. Later in 1942, he married the love of his life, Evalyn Fair Mason, in Corinth, MS. He served in WWII in the 439th Troop Carrier Command as a member of the United States Army Air Corps (From 26 of July 1943 to 17 of February 1946). He attended Lincoln Memorial University in Harrogate, TN, as a member of the Civilian Pilot Training Program and took flight training at the Middlesboro KY Airport, before entering the regular Army Air Corps. After the war he graduated from Murdoch's International Cotton School in Memphis, TN. He was a noted cotton planter and owned Harris Gin and Farm Supply in Bolivar with his father. He was a registered Commodity Broker and former director of the Hardeman County Savings Bank. He was featured on the cover of *Tennessee Farmer Magazine* with an article "Popcorn Harris Tells His Cotton Secrets." In 1969 he was honored by the West Tennessee Chapter of The Soil Conservation Society of America for his contributions, character and influence in advancing the Art and Science of good land use in Hardeman County and on his farm. He was, at one time, a member of the Bolivar Planning Commission. After his retirement he had Commercial Real Estate interests in Bolivar. He was an elder in the old Bolivar Presbyterian Church and treasurer of the church. He served as a volunteer Chaplain with the Hardeman County Ministerial Association, representing the Presbyterian Church. After the church closed he returned to St. James Episcopal Church where he at one time was treasurer there. He was a contributing member of the Heritage Foundation, a member of the James Madison Chapter Sons of the American Revolution and Sons of Confederate Veterans Camp 594, an NRA member and a member of the Hardeman County Chapter of APTA.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a son, Dr. Bradley Metcalf Harris (Kathy) Germantown, TN and a daughter, Tempe Harris Easterday (Mike) Reno, NV; Grandchildren: Dr. Julie Harris Marino (John) Tulsa, OK, Jessie Harris Harvey (Phil) Memphis, TN, Dr. Calvin Harris (Rachel) Memphis, TN, Harris Easterday, Reno, NV, Christina Easterday, Reno, NV, and Samuel Bradley Easterday, Reno, NV; Great-Grandchildren, Emmarie, Nealy, and Story Marino, Tulsa, OK, Ellen and Dietrich Harvey, Memphis, TN, Bradley Kepler Harris, Memphis, TN. He also leaves two nephews, Samuel Clayton Davis of MS and William Bernard Cowell of Memphis; and a great-niece Rebecca Davis Gahring of TN.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Dorothy Harris Williams; his grandson Bradley Metcalf Harris, Jr.; and a nephew, Michael Lewis Davis. "It is well with my soul" Favorite verse-- "Jesus answered, Verily, verily I say unto thee, except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God." -John 3:3. Visitation will be held Friday, September 2, 2016, at 11:00 AM at Ingram Hall (behind the church) and the service will begin at Noon at St. James Episcopal Church. Burial will follow at Union Cemetery in Bolivar. Memorials may be sent to St. James Scholarship Fund (St. James Church 233 Lafayette St. Bolivar, TN 38008) or Covenant College (Carter Hall 14049 Scenic Hwy Lookout Mountain, GA 30750).

Thank you to everyone for your expressions of sympathy during the loss of our sister Rachel Knight. Your kindness will always be remembered and appreciated. A special Thank You to the staff of Pleasant View Healthcare.

The Family of Rachel Knight,
Thomas, Donald, Cordell, Linda & Betty



EDNA'S PAGE

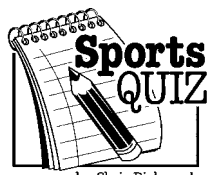
TIME FOR A FRESH START

Super Crossword

BIBLE TRIVIA

by Wilson Casey

1. Is the Book of 2 Peter in Old or New Testament or neither?
2. From Acts 17, at what church was Paul accused of turning the world upside down? *Antioch, Smyrna, Thessalonica, Galatia*
3. How many days did it take Nehemiah to get the wall around Jerusalem completed? *6, 52, 100, 1000*
4. In Genesis 3:15, the snake is supposed to strike at what part of man? *Throat, Hand, Heel, Eyes*
5. From Matthew 4, how many days and nights did Jesus fast before his temptation by Satan? *3, 12, 40, 7 times 70*
6. Who said, "The Lord gave, and the Lord hath taken away"? *Satan, Adam, Job, Haman*



1. When was the last time before 2015 (Virginia) that an ACC baseball team won the College World Series?
2. In 2015, Mark Melancon set a Pittsburgh Pirates record for most consecutive saves (35). Who had held the mark?
3. Three players scored at least 25 touchdowns and kicked at least 70 field goals during their NFL career. Name two of them.
4. How many consecutive 20-win seasons did Billy Donovan have as the coach of the Florida Gators men's basketball team?
5. Who holds the NHL record for most coaching victories with one team?
6. In 2016, Martin Truex Jr. set a NASCAR Cup record for leading the most miles in a race (588). Who had held the mark?
7. Who was the last men's tennis player before Novak Djokovic in 2016 to win the first two Grand Slam events of a season?

Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

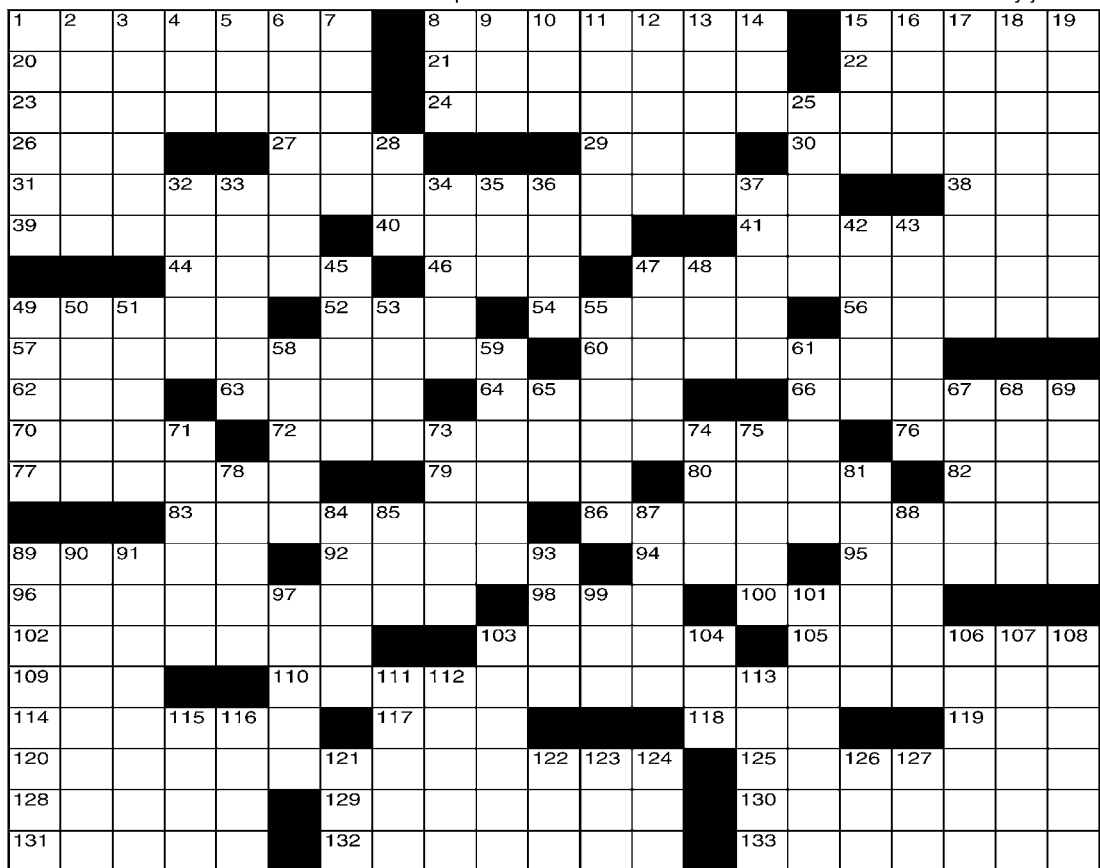
1. THEATER: The song "You'll Never Walk Alone" comes from which musical?
2. ANATOMY: What is the most abundant mineral in the body?
3. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which president said, "The ballot is stronger than the bullet"?
4. LITERATURE: What was the name of Sherlock Holmes' housekeeper?
5. TELEVISION: What was Beaver Cleaver's real first name in the show "Leave It to Beaver"?
6. COMICS: What is the name of the pet duck in the "Hagar the Horrible" comic strip?
7. ASTRONOMY: What is the nearest star to Earth, aside from our Sun?
8. GEOGRAPHY: Which one of the five Great Lakes lies entirely within the United States?
9. GAMES: What game's coin-operated version debuted in 1931?
10. MEASUREMENTS: How many bits are in a byte?



1. Name the 1996 musical comedy film about a one-hit-wonder band.
2. In 1970 Dave Edmunds covered a vintage blues number, playing most of the instruments himself, and took the song to No. 1. Name the song.
3. Who released the popular 1965 version of "There Goes My Everything"?
4. "Nights Are Forever," by Jennifer Warnes in 1983, was used in which film?
5. Name the vintage song that contains this lyric: "If there were sweethearts in the park, He'd pass a lamp and leave it dark, Remembering the days that used to be."

EDNA'S PUZZLES ANSWERS ON A7

- ACROSS**
- 1 Keys that get "tickled"
 - 8 Mysteries
 - 15 Longtime Volkswagen model
 - 20 Port near Naples
 - 21 Allay
 - 22 Brand of deodorant
 - 23 SkyDome national anthem
 - 24 Harley-Davidson product
 - 26 TV's Sajak
 - 27 Meditation sounds
 - 29 With 64-Across, Japan's place
 - 30 A teacher prepares it
 - 31 Also called
 - 38 Nero's 111
 - 39 Political analyst Myers
 - 40 Devilish look
 - 41 Black-and-white bird
 - 44 Optical storage format for burning data
 - 46 Put — (pranks)
 - 47 Ranch jaunt
 - 49 "Socrate" composer Erik
 - 52 Black-and-white bird
 - 54 With 112-Down, backbeat instruments
 - 56 Billionaire Bill
 - 57 Marking the start of, as a 133-Across
 - 60 Homer epic
 - 62 Mani offerer
 - 63 Hydroxyl-containing compound
 - 64 See 29-Across
 - 66 Less jagged
 - 70 Cuts down
 - 72 Film set at Faber College
 - 76 Life-or-death
 - 77 Shoe part
 - 79 County south of Niagara
 - 80 — Pet
 - 82 Org. backing guns
 - 83 Like films, restaurants and bonds
 - 86 Key of Chopin's "Raindrop" prelude
 - 89 Less abundant
 - 92 Suspicious
 - 94 Bump hard
 - 95 Choir song
 - 96 #1 Beatles hit of 1964
 - 98 Unbroken
 - 100 Whaler, e.g.
 - 102 Non-rush-hour, say
 - 103 Pilot
 - 105 Some Japanese cartoons
 - 109 Uncle, in Rio
 - 110 Pampering treatment
 - 114 Carport's kin
 - 117 Meal crumb
 - 118 Sked guess
 - 119 Dernier — (very latest fashion)
 - 120 Bed for eggs Benedict
 - 125 49ers' home, for short
 - 128 Fast Amtrak train
 - 129 Creator of Tigger and Eeyore
 - 130 Chemical salt in spinach and parsley
 - 131 Epoxy, e.g.
 - 132 How some things are chiseled
 - 133 An apt one is spelled out by combining the first two letters of nine Across answers in this puzzle
- DOWN**
- 1 14-legged crustacean
 - 2 Move out of
 - 3 Kansas city
 - 4 Stimpny's pal
 - 5 Gershwin the lyricist
 - 6 Granted
 - 7 "Me too"
 - 8 Bolt down
 - 9 Sydney's state: Abbr.
 - 10 Patricia T. O'Conner's "Voe —"
 - 11 Really go after
 - 12 Showy parrot
 - 13 Corporal on "F Troop"
 - 14 Sch. term
 - 15 Actress Fonda
 - 16 Bits of work
 - 17 Alternative to Wheat Thins
 - 18 Compound in pottery glazes
 - 19 Compounds paired with thymines in DNA
 - 25 Nobody — (mine alone)
 - 28 Sizzling bacon sound
 - 32 Munsters' boy
 - 33 Worship
 - 34 Japanese mushroom
 - 35 Author Kesey
 - 36 Fed Elliot
 - 37 After, to Gigi
 - 42 Israeli desert region
 - 43 Got silver, as hair
 - 45 Was too long, as a sentence
 - 47 Was given no choice
 - 48 Suffix with direct
 - 49 Fish-on-rice dish
 - 50 Trembly tree
 - 51 Mellows out
 - 53 — fruit (tangelo kin)
 - 55 Munched
 - 58 Not fitting
 - 59 Less distant
 - 61 "The way I — ..."
 - 65 Frazier fighter
 - 67 Black-clad mercenary
 - 68 Actor Flynn
 - 69 Update the arsenal of
 - 71 Hollywood's Meryl
 - 73 Dogfight
 - 74 "Mighty Bruins" sch.
 - 75 Frauds
 - 78 Old Yankee Combs
 - 81 Stepping (up)
 - 84 Analogous
 - 85 Hollywood's Stiller
 - 87 Middle Corleone brother
 - 88 Meat jelly
 - 89 Wear for mob quellers
 - 90 Promise to marry
 - 91 Beats into shape again
 - 93 Part of BYO
 - 97 Lots in life
 - 99 Nothing at all
 - 101 Paleolithic tool
 - 103 Trim up, say
 - 104 Adam and —
 - 106 Gordon of "Oklahoma!"
 - 107 Typo list
 - 108 One fishing with a net
 - 111 "— is an island ..."
 - 112 See 54-Across
 - 113 "Challenge accepted!"
 - 115 "— Ask of You"
 - 116 Composer — Carlo Menotti
 - 121 "Bali —"
 - 122 Mel's Diner waitress
 - 123 Orbit listing
 - 124 Born, to Gigi
 - 126 Rural denial
 - 127 Go by jet



Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦

- ♦ Moderate
- ♦♦ Challenging
- ♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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GO FIGURE!

by Linda Thistle

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

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DIFFICULTY: ★★

- ★ Moderate
- ★★ Difficult
- ★★★ GO FIGURE!

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Picnic in a Glass

Ingredients

- 1 (19-oz.) can chickpeas, drained and rinsed
- 2 tablespoons chopped fresh flat-leaf parsley
- 2 tablespoons chopped fresh mint
- 2 tablespoons fresh lemon juice
- 5 tablespoons olive oil, divided
- 1 (2 1/2- to 3-lb.) deli-roasted chicken, skinned, boned, and shredded
- 3/4 cup chopped radishes
- 1/4 cup finely chopped red onion
- 1 pt. grape tomatoes, halved
- 1 1/2 cups chopped cucumbers
- Yogurt Dressing
- 3 cups coarsely crushed pita chips
- Lemon wedges

Preparation

1. Stir together first 4 ingredients and 2 Tbsp. olive oil; stir in shredded chicken. Add table salt and black pepper to taste; let stand 15 minutes.
2. Meanwhile, stir together radishes, onion, and 1 Tbsp. olive oil. Stir together tomatoes and 1 Tbsp. olive oil. Stir together cucumbers and remaining 1 Tbsp. olive oil. Season each mixture with salt and pepper to taste.
3. Layer chickpea mixture, radish mixture, 3/4 cup Yogurt Dressing, tomato mixture, pita chips, and cucumber mixture in a 4-qt. bowl; top with remaining Yogurt Dressing. Cover and chill 2 to 4 hours. Serve with lemon wedges and additional pita chips.



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

FAITH

The Dreaded Hour by Jimmy Sadler

My phone rang at 2 a.m. one morning and I jumped from a haze to find my phone. My dear sister said "It's Debbie, nothing is wrong. We were just passing through town on a tour bus and I just wanted to say I love you." It still makes me laugh that she had to interject the fact that nothing was wrong. In my family, we have had far too many early morning phone calls when something was wrong. It was such a comforting gesture to be awakened simply to hear "I love you". I smiled and went back to bed, hitting my head squarely on the bed post and seeing stars. Still, there was more comfort in the call than there was discomfort from the knot on my head.

We all have learned to work around people's schedules, some needing more sleep or quiet than others. I think we need to revisit the notion that nobody is to be bothered at a certain hour, and imagine how those hours might be redeemed. Why is it that the only news worth waking someone for is bad news? I am not suggesting we wake each other up for scrabble at 4 a.m. when your kid has an SAT exam the next day. I'm also not suggesting you wake people up simply because you can't sleep, even though the hour can be a lonely one to be up.

In my favorite movie, *Awakenings*, Robert De Niro's character is awake in the early morning hours at a psychiatric hospital. He has been catatonic, in an unresponsive state, for all of his adult life and has been

reawakened by an experimental medication. In the true story, the doctor rushes in to find him awake. The patient says "It's so quiet." The doctor tells him that its because everyone is asleep. In a pivotal line and moment in the movie, the patient replies, "But I'm not." It is the first time he has been awake in decades. It's a miraculous moment that happened when everyone was supposed to be asleep. Maybe we need to reclaim the good of those hours.

Please understand, I am not suggesting you go on my sister's actions and start calling people to say you love them at odd hours of the night, unless you feel specifically led. When you are up at night, for whatever reason, and you notice your child's light on, just pop your head in to check on them and say "I love you." When you notice a relative or old college roommate online when you are, check in and see how they are. Think about the times you struggle most with thoughts, fears and anxieties and remember others have those times as well. They probably struggle when there are no distractions, in the quietness of night. I'm suggesting there may be

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times to break through at that hour when someone needs to hear something important.

My little brother called once about 2 a.m. He had just started living on his own and my parents had recently passed away. He called to tell me he was sick with a stomach virus. I was 400 miles away, but he just needed to have someone know, to share the worry. He returned the favor years later by bringing me over nausea medicine at midnight when I was alone and sick.

The calls from both my sister and brother were the same. Because they loved me, they knew they could call me at anytime and share something important. Be the kind of person willing to stay up with someone who needs a representative of Christ when the world seems dark and cold.

HAVE CHURCH NEWS TO SHARE?

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Sunrise: Separation by David Coy

There is a true story about an individual who was going on a journey that would bring them never again to their present place of abode. As the individual was preparing to embark upon their journey and saying their goodbyes, the group who were bearing farewell, wept much because they would see the person's face no more. While we speak about separation due to death primarily, we do try to focus also on separation due to causes other than death. The above story is one example.

Another true story is about a group of youth who were long time friends. They did everything together. They grew up together in the same neighborhood, so they knew one another very well. Everything progressed a-typical to teenage youth, until one day someone got the not-so-bright idea to purchase some weed. This required them to pool their money together. Unknown to the group as a whole, one boy had no desire to contribute or participate in any way. He had heard and seen information that told about the effects of this 'stuff' and he wanted no part of it. Well, the group rose the necessary funding and made the purchase. As they sat around and partook of the item, the one boy was hoping it would not reach him. As it turned out, he was last in line and found himself having to make the decision, to partake and risk the health hazard, or to decline and lose friendships within the group. He chose to decline.

After a year, he noticed his friends have changed. They walk around like zombies, their eyes are red and half-way closed. They are more temperamental and frequently ready to fight. Soon, the non-smoker was being excluded from being invited to activities they all used to be involved. It is not easy to lose friends. You grow up with them, building relationships always involves making investments. You do not let go of that attachment easily. You may even wish that you could go back to the way things were before all this began, but this is not likely as long as the group is partaking of recreational drugs. Sometimes we may experience traumatic separation other than death and the symptoms of grief are just as real. This is Sunrise Aftercare, sunrise@sfdcures.com

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Hardeman County Community Calendar

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The City of Bolivar has announced Neighborhood Cleanup Day on Saturday, October 1. If you have any questions about Cleanup Day call 658-2020.

The Mayor, Town Council and Town of Toone will hold a public hearing on urban growth boundaries on Saturday, September 13 at 7 p.m. at Toone City Hall. A map of the proposed area may be viewed during normal business hours at Toone City Hall. All interested parties are welcome and invited to attend.

The Hardeman County Farm Bureau Annual Meeting will be held Thursday September 15 at 7 p.m. at the Bolivar Municipal Center. All members are welcome by reservation only. Call 658-3031 by September 12.

Attention Home Owners: The City of Bolivar received Tennessee Housing Development Agency Grant to help homeowners make needed repairs to their houses. Public Information and Application Meetings will be held on September 8th at 6 p.m. and on September 13 at 5:30 at Bolivar City Hall. Target homes are in East Bolivar Margin Street to Water Street. Applications are due Friday, October 14. For more information call 658-2020.

The Tennessee Department of Agriculture has expanded the application schedule for the 2016 Tennessee Agricultural Enhancement Program (TAEP). Applications will be accepted online and by mail October 1 through November 1. Applications are available at most farm agencies including USDA Farm Service Agency, UT Extension and Farm Bureau offices, as well as most farm supply stores. To ensure accuracy, producers are encouraged to work with their local extension agent or TDA representative when completing the application. For more information or for an application, call 1-800-342-8206 or visit www.TN.gov/taep.

Become A Certified Recovery Congregation. The State of TN Department of Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services has launched a mission partnering with faith based communities in Bolivar to reach out to those struggling with addictions and connecting them to vital substance abuse

services. If you or your congregation would like to be a part of this recovery ministry email Steve Robinson at recoverybeginshere@gmail.com or call 731-609-7234.

Lifeline Blood Services will be at First South Bank on Friday, September 2 from 12 - 5 p.m. Please remember to bring your photo ID. You can save time by registering online at lifelinebloodserv.org. All donors will receive a free t-shirt. Give the gift of blood!

Music on the Square features Jimmy Anderson Friday night at 7 p.m. and Bryan Hayes and the Retrievers will return to the stage this Friday at 8 p.m. at the Bolivar Downtown Amphitheatre where there's always concessions and a great family atmosphere.

The Bolivar Farmers Market at 110 Lafayette St. is open on Saturdays and Tuesdays, Thursdays beginning at 7 a.m. for the remainder of the growing season. Be there early for the best selection of plants, produce including a variety of apples from Woodall's Farms (on Tuesdays), baked goods, crafts, beef and pork.

Learn How to Take Care of Your Diabetes on Wednesdays at the Bolivar Senior Center through September 14 from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. These classes are free. Call Peggy Adelman at 658-2887 for more information.

The Hardeman County APTA and Epic Haunted Tours present *History, Legends, Ghosts and More* every weekend in October beginning October 7 with a golf cart tour of Polk Cemetery and a paranormal investigation each night. There will be a unique adventure with different character guides each night. Tickets are \$25/night or \$35/weekend and are now on sale at hardemancountyapta.org or call 731-658-7912.

The Middleton Fin, Fur and Feather Festival will be held on Friday and Saturday, September 2 and 3. For more information call 376-8409.

The Town of Silerton will hold a fireworks display on Labor Day at dusk to make up for their rained out 4th of July display.

The Hardeman County Arts Council (HCAC) brings *Dearly Departed* to the stage on Friday and Saturday, September 9 and

10 at 7 p.m. and on Sunday, September 11 at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$10 and will go on sale at the Arts Council to HCAC members on Monday, August 29 and to the general public on Monday, September 6. The box office will be closed on Labor Day. Call (731) 658-2787 to purchase tickets and for more information. HCAC, 1580 West Market Street, Bolivar 38008.

The Hornsby Fall Classic will be held on September 10. This free event will begin at 10 a.m. and will feature a lawn mower pull, motorcycle run, art exhibit, hayride tours, live music, kids rides and activities, antique tractor and car show, food, drinks and much more. Vendors are still needed, call Mack Carter at 433-8098 or Betty Kirk at 453-5543 for more information.

The Love Thy Neighbor Community Event will be held on the lawn of Hardeman County Court Square on Saturday, September 10 beginning at 4 p.m. Bring your lawn chairs as HC residents, pastors and ministers and local officials come together to surround the community in Love and Prayer. Food and drinks are provided.

The Middleton Lady Tigers Rebound Club is sponsoring a car wash on September 10 at the Middleton Getwell Drug & Dollar parking lot from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Car wash is \$10 and refreshments will be sold

A Patriot Day Community Memorial Event will be held on Sunday, September 11 at 6 p.m. at Hardeman County Courthouse Square in Bolivar. This is the 15th anniversary of the 9/11 terrorist attacks on our nation. This event is sponsored by the Bolivar Fire Department and Cry Out America Hardeman County.

Hardeman Adoptable Animals Shelter needs volunteers to socialize with these wonderful animals while they are waiting for their permanent and forever homes. Any and all help is appreciated including but not limited to playing with, walking and cleaning food/water bowls and habitats. The shelter is full to capacity with dogs that need permanent homes. Non committal volunteer hours are daily from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Pedigree dog food, blankets and money donations are always welcome. The shelter is located within

the Hardeman County Landfill on Walton Road west of Bolivar. For more information, contact one of the HAA volunteers: Charla Cooper 234-4421; Jennifer Smallwood 609-0408; or Sheila Wiggins 658-5944. More information is available on their website hardemanadoptableanimals.org and like their facebook page.

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

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

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

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

The 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 Shirley Kelley at 609-9318.

You can keep up to date with Community Events by checking the Chamber of Commerce website at hardemancountytn.com

OUR SCHOOLS

Mock Election Adds Essay Contest by Adam Ghassemi

Tennessee's first ever statewide Student Mock Election is off to an amazing start. As of today, more than 170 schools across the state are registered to participate, meaning an estimated 76,000 students will do something most kids can't: vote for president of the United States.

Now the Secretary of State's office is also rolling out an essay contest to encourage students to be actively engaged citizens. Essays topics will be about voting and length requirements vary by grade level. Schools may submit two essays at each grade level. Winners from each level will receive a TNStars 529 College Savings Program scholarship worth \$100, \$250 or \$500 in addition to a trip to the State Capitol.

"The essay contest is yet another way for teachers to incorporate civics in their classrooms. I am



proud so many educators see value in the Student Mock Election, and I am looking forward to seeing the hard work and creativity of our students through their essays," said Secretary of State Tre Hargett.

The essay contest is in addition to the mock election announced earlier this month.

Early voting for the mock election opens October 17 and results must be submitted by Mock Election Day, November 1. Mock presidential election results will be revealed on November 2, less than a week before the real gener-

al election. Students in preschool through high school from all public and private schools as well as home school associations in Tennessee can participate.

The program also offers lesson plans created by Tennessee teachers. The goal is to offer an easy way for teachers to incorporate civic engagement and citizenship into their curriculum leading up to the Student Mock Election.

For more information on the essay contest, the Student Mock Election or lesson plans visit: sos.tn.gov/civics

EDNA'S PAGE ANSWERS FROM A5

BIBLE TRIVIA

by Wilson Casey

ANSWERS: 1) New; 2) Thessalonica; 3) 52; 4) Heel; 5) 40; 6) Job

FLASH BACK

Answers

1. "That Thing You Do!" came out in 1996 and co-starred Tom Hanks. Set in 1964, the film made a hit out of the title song.
2. "I Hear You Knocking" topped the charts for six weeks.
3. Jack Greene. The song topped the country chart for seven weeks.
4. "Twilight Zone: The Movie," co-produced by Steven Spielberg.
5. "The Old Lamplighter," best known by The Browns in 1960. In the days before automatic streetlights, lamplighters would move around town at dusk lighting all the street lamps (usually candles or oil). At dawn, they'd return and extinguish them.

TRIVIA TEST

Answers

1. "Carousel"
2. Calcium
3. Abraham Lincoln
4. Mrs. Hudson
5. Theodore
6. Kvack
7. Proxima Centauri
8. Michigan
9. Pinball
10. 8



Answers

1. Wake Forest, in 1955.
2. Joel Hanrahan had 26 consecutive saves in 2011.
3. George Blanda, Gordy Soltau and Bobby Walston.
4. Sixteen consecutive seasons.
5. Al Arbour, who notched 740 victories with the New York Islanders.
6. Jim Paschal led 502 miles in a race in 1967.
7. Jim Courier, in 1992.

Go Figure!

answers

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Super Crossword

Answers

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State Teacher Survey Results Published

The vast majority of Tennessee educators feel positively about the climate in their schools, and more teachers than ever are finding value in the statewide evaluation system, according to the results out today from the 2016 Tennessee Educator Survey. More than 30,000 educators, which make up about half of the teachers and administrators in the state, responded to this year's survey.

This is the sixth year the state surveyed all of its educators to gather their feedback, and the results show Tennessee teachers feel increasingly supported, with 86 percent saying instructional time is protected by their administration—which improved for the third year

in a row. Most teachers also view their colleagues in a positive light and say they hold each other and their students to high expectations. In addition, more teachers than ever—71 percent—said the statewide evaluation system has led to improvements in their teaching, and two-thirds of all teachers said the evaluation process has led to improvements in student learning. Both of those statistics have improved every year since the survey began in 2011.

The 2016 survey results also highlight disparities between teacher and administrator views about the effectiveness of school discipline policies. More than 95 percent of administrators say their

school effectively handles student discipline and behavioral problems, but fewer than 70 percent of teachers agree.

The department shares school and district survey results directly with local leaders to inform for their decision-making, and the department also uses the state-level information to understand more about the teacher and administrator point of view and guide the department's work. Last fall, the department used educators' feedback to inform its new strategic plan, Tennessee Succeeds, and build specific priorities to better empower districts and strengthen systems that support educators.

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OUR COUNTY

Three From County Shine in Horse Competitions *by Gary Rodgers*

Hardeman County 4-H Horse Project Members, Mikayla Vincent, Hannah Pattat and Jack O'Neal were busy in June as it is the traditional time for Western Region and Tennessee 4-H Horse Championships.

All three members participated in the Western Region 4-H Horse Show held on the campus of UT Martin during the first weekend of June. Freshman Mikayla Vincent was entered in five classes placing 5th in the flag race and 9th in pole bending during the speed events. Showing her gaited horse, Shelby, in the Walking/Racking Division, Mikayla took home a first place ribbon in the Halter class and a third place ribbon in the Pleasure class. 11th grader Hannah Pattat and her horse, Daybreak, placed 3rd in the Western Halter Mares class, 8th in Ranch Riding and 10th in Western Showmanship. 7th grade 4-H'er Jack O'Neal and his horse, DB also participated in several classes during the weekend show. Together, they placed 2nd in Western Trail, 4th in Junior High Showmanship, 8th in Western Halter Geldings, 4th in Ranch Riding, 5th in Ranch Horsemanship, 6th in Junior High Barrels. Due to all of his successes, Jack was crowned as the Junior High Western Division High Point Champion for the Western Region. Assisting the 4-H members in their efforts were volunteers (and parents) Jennifer Vincent and Natasha Mounsey.

Moving on from the Western Region Show, Hannah Pattat and Jack O'Neal traveled to The Tennessee Walking National Celebration Grounds in Shelbyville to compete in the Tennessee 4-H State Horse Championships. They were accompanied by 4-H Horse Volunteer, Natasha Mounsey. Hannah and Daybreak took part in several classes and placed in one class. They received 3rd place in the Ranch Conformation Mares class at the state show. Jack and DB competed in numerous classes as well and brought home several ribbons for their efforts. They started the week placing as Reserve Champion in Junior High



Hannah Pattat and Daybreak



Jack O'Neal and DB



Mikayla Vincent and Shelby

Pole Bending and 8th in Junior High Barrel Racing. Tuesday of that week saw Jack and DB take home Champion honors in Breakaway Roping and 6th in Western Dressage. During the Ranch Division classes on Wednesday, Jack (DB) placed 8th in Ranch Conformation Geldings. Hannah and Jack also competed in the

Open 4-H Horse Judging Contest in Shelbyville with Jack finishing 4th in the Junior High Division and Hannah placing 6th in the Senior Division. Plans are already being made for next year's horse showing and judging endeavors. For more information on 4-H Horse Projects or anything 4-H, contact the 4-H office at 731-658-2421.



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Hardeman Adoptable Animal of the Week *by Sara Vonderheide*

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DeOhGee (D-O-G) is heartworm positive and will need treatment. While getting these treatments, he will need to be in a calm environment. If you are interested in adopting DeOhGee, contact us a volunteer: Charla Cooper at 731-234-4421 or Jennifer Smallwood at 731-609-0408. You can also check out our Facebook page, Hardeman Adoptable Animals, Inc. You can also come to the shelter. We are located inside the county landfill on Walton Road, and volunteers are there between 9-1 each day. HAA, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization. Adoption fees are \$125, and this includes all vaccines, spay/neuter, and care while at the shelter.

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Mackenzie is the granddaughter of Keith and Janice Leonard of Bolivar, Tennessee and the late Morris and Nell Culver also of Bolivar, Tennessee. Mackenzie is a graduate of UT Martin with a bachelor's degree in education and masters in Speech-Language Pathology. She is currently the Speech Language Pathologist for Pine Meadows Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center.

Joshua is the grandson of Bobby and Betty Jordan of Bolivar, Tennessee and Betty German Hardin of Somerville, Tennessee. He is the grandson of the late Glenn German, Sr. and the late D. J. Hardin both of Somerville, Tennessee. Joshua is a graduate of UT Martin with a bachelor's degree in Plant and Soil Science. He is currently employed by Crop Production Services.

The ceremony will take place on Saturday, October 1, 2016, at 6:00 p.m. at Lone Oaks Farm, 10000 Lake Hardeman Road, Middleton, Tennessee with music beginning at 5:30 p.m. A reception will follow immediately after the ceremony at Lone Oaks Farm as well. All friends and relatives are invited to attend ~ formal invitations only being sent to out of town guests.




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Bolivar Moves to 2-0 Against Gibson County

Bolivar Central (2-0, 1-0) scored five touchdowns in the second quarter to pull away from Gibson County enroute to a 52-20 win on August 26.

Bolivar trailed early as Gibson County scored on their first play from scrimmage and early in the second quarter to lead 14-12 before Bolivar found their game on both sides of the ball.

"We started out rough, but I have confidence in these players," said Coach Woodrow Lowe. "We have five sophomores starting on defense and we made the wrong read (on the opening play). But we adjusted. I told them to work it out."

On offense, Bolivar had little trouble with the Gibson County defense, but turned the ball over three times in the first half on fumbles.

When they did hang on to it, the Tigers averaged 9.8 yards per play from scrimmage, including 9.4 yards per rush, led by senior running back Drek Lewis with

119 yards on 10 carries and three touchdowns.

For the second straight week, Bolivar got points from their defense, with a Jar Lewis 18 yard fumble return for a touchdown and a Demarkus Murrell 74 yard interception return on the last play of the first half to make the score 46-14 at the break.

After Bolivar scored on their opening possession of the second half, the clock ran continuously for the remainder of the game.

Quarterback Trey Lowe completed six of nine passes for 120 yards and two touchdown passes. His favorite target on the night was Cornelius Polk, who caught three passes for 54 yards and a touchdown.

Vaughan Oil Company and WMOD named Drek Lewis (pictured right) the Player of the Week and Kevin Reed the Lineman of the Week.

Reed, a sophomore linebacker, had 10 tackles, including two for losses.



The Middleton Tigers (0-2, 0-0) traveled to Trenton Peabody and left with a loss against the Golden Tide.

Middleton's Players of the Week were Chason Lor on offense

and Edsaviion Kent on defense in the 48-0 loss.

Middleton's first region game is scheduled against Middle College on September 16.

Photo: Jar Lewis returned a

kickoff in the second quarter 85 yards to the Gibson County 2-yard line. The Tigers scored on the next play to put them ahead for good at 20-14. Photo by Nicka Smith.

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Hardeman County Sports Remembered

Most anyone who knows me knows that I LOVE football. I have been a fan of the game for as long as I can remember. When I was growing up, both of my parents enjoyed football, but it was my Mom who was the major football fan in the family. I was, and remain today, an avid Dallas Cowboys fan. When my beloved Cowboys played on Monday Night Football (with Howard Cosell, Frank Gifford, and "Dandy" Don Meredith, a former Cowboy himself) I would get to stay up late - on a school night, no less - to watch the Cowboys. It was awesome. There was Roger Staubach, Ed "Too Tall" Jones (from Jackson, TN), Bill Bates, and hallowed be the memory, the great Tom Landry leading the 'Boys; later there would be greats like Troy Aikman and Emmitt Smith,, and so many others.

Football, as Lewis Grizzard, a great American and marvelous Southern writer once said, in the South isn't just a game, it's our way of life against someone else's way of life. The term "fever pitch" is often used when describing the deep, deep loyalty we Southerners have to the game of football and our favorite teams. That is certainly true here in Hardeman County. You can look at a person's house or car and what they wear on any Friday or Saturday during the season and you understand where their loyalties lie. We're serious about football



'round here.

I don't really know when the first football game was played in Hardeman County, but whenever that auspicious event occurred, it caught on quickly. There's been every level played here from the tiniest of tots to the high schoolers who rule the gridiron on Friday nights. There have been more than a few who have gone on to marvelous careers in colleges, and we cheer on our hometown players each time they take the field.

This week's photo celebrates some of those young men who have played the game here in our county, along with all the dads, uncles, grandfathers, big brothers, and the like who have taken the time to coach them in the game of football and in the game of life. This photo is one of the many groups who played in league football here in the 1970's. This is the Green Bay Packers

team comprised of: (kneeling, left-right) Jerry Wheeler, Maury Richards, Terry Leonard, Jerry Cross, Ronnie Gammel, Kennedy Woods, David Emerson, Anthony Henry; (standing, left-right) Keith Hatch, ? Moore, Reginald Woods, Boyette Denton, Ken Moore, Mike McKinnie, Jimmy Sain, Tommy Breeden, Keith Molinaro or Marty Leitschuh, and Steve Sanders. The Packers that year were coached by Jamie Breeden and Norman Vance.

Coach Landry had an excellent summation of the game of football and the game of life; "When you want to win a game, you have to teach. When you lose a game, you have to learn." Thanks, Coach Landry; and, oh thanks, Mom, for letting me stay up late all those marvelous, long-ago Monday nights to watch the 'Boys. See y'all at the game.

B1 SPORTS

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Hardeman County Sports Scoreboard

August 25
Bethel Springs 40 Middleton Middle School Football 26
Lexington def. Bolivar Central Volleyball, 3-0
Middleton High School Volleyball def. Hardin County, 3-0
Bolivar Middle School Football 14 Fayette East 0
Haywood County 38 Bolivar Central Freshman Football 14

August 26
Bolivar Central Football 52 Gibson County 20
Trenton Peabody 48 Middleton High School Football 0

August 29
Haywood County 28 Bolivar Central JV Football 6
Fayette Academy def. Bolivar Central Volleyball, 2-1
First Christian Academy def. Bolivar Central Volleyball, 2-0
Savannah Christian 10 Hornsby Softball 5
Savannah Christian 10 Hornsby Softball 6
Middleton High School Volleyball def. Madison Academic, 3-0

August 30
Middleton Middle School Softball vs. Pickwick
Haywood County vs. Bolivar Central Volleyball
Middleton High School Volleyball vs. Corinth, MS



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Star PT Hardeman County Sports Notes

CCA-Whiteville pitched in to at the softball field at the Whiteville's Elementary Lady Lions Softball park. John Severson of CCA and his team pulled weeds on the infield, poured concrete dugouts, trimmed the weeds around the entrance, put down new bases and other things to ready the field for the Lady Lions first home game. Severson explained that it's part of what CCA gives back to the community.

"When the team was first formed, they weren't able to play a home game. We started this last year and are getting ready for September so that they can have a few home games," Severson said. The Whiteville Lady Lions Softball team is scheduled to begin their home season on September 6.



Middleton High School will present Donkey Basketball on September 24 at the Middleton High School Gym to help support Middleton High School students. Ronny Clift of Modern Woodmen of America has pledged to match up to \$1,500 in funds raised by the event.

The Sixth 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 the Bulletin Times, and this year, the contest will include an optional team competition. See B3 for details and entry form. There is no fee to enter.

Star Physical Therapy and The Gym Health and Fitness Center is hosting a running and walking club two days a week. Walkers and runners leave at 6:15 p.m. from The Gym on Mondays and Thursdays. Call 731-609-4998 for more information.

Officials of The Pat Summitt Foundation announced the Jackson Inaugural Pat Summitt Invitational will be held on Monday, September 19, 2016, at Jackson Country Club. Proceeds from the event will benefit the Foundation's commitment to launch The Pat Summitt Alzheimer's Clinic at the University of Tennessee Medical Center in Knoxville and award a grant to an Alzheimer's and/or senior care non-profit organization in Jackson.

The event will begin at 11:00 a.m. with registration and lunch followed by a 12:30 p.m. shotgun start and conclude with a reception and award presentations to the top three teams, longest drive and closest to the pin on a Par 3 hole. Online registration and additional details about the event and sponsorship opportunities are available at www.patsummitt.org/jackson

Southwest Human Resource Agency and Southwest TN Community Development Corporation are hosting their 9th Annual Golf Tournament on Thursday, September 8 at Chickasaw Golf Course near Henderson.

Registration begins at 10:00 am with a shotgun start at 12:00 noon. Lunch provided by Coyote Blues at 11:00 am. Cash prizes! Tournament is limited to first 36 paid teams. For more information contact Christy at (731)989-5111, email cmcmahan.swhra@yahoo.com, or visit www.SWCDCGolf.com

Chad Driver of Bolivar Central shot a nine hole score of 43 to win medalist honors at McNairy County in a tri-match against the Bobcats and Jackson South Side on August 25.

Bolivar Cental Cross Country finished 6th at the University School of Jackson meet on August 25. The Tigers will host a meet on September 1 at the 1.5 mile course at Pleasant Run Park in Bolivar.

The three-man team of Fred Kessler, Richard Hazelwood, and Ian Clark shot 58-58--116 to win the three person scramble at Hardeman County Country Club August 27-28. Finishing second at 61-58--119 was Jon Sain, Dennis Strope, and Randy Plunk, while Bobby Sain, Shelby Sain and Richard Clark were third at 59-61--120.

The first flight was won by Tyler Hazelwood, Trey Speight, and Daniel Watkins with an 18-hole score of 58.

The Middleton Lady Tigers Rebound Club will host a car wash Saturday, September 10 at the Getwell Drug and Dollar Parking Lot in Middleton from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The cost is \$10 and hot dogs, baked goods, snow cones and much more will be sold.

Middleton High School will host alumni basketball games for players that played and graduated in the years 1990-2015 at the Bailey Howell Gym October 29, beginning at 12:00 p.m. All proceeds goes to the Middleton High School Basketball programs and the deadline to register is October 1. All players must register by contacting Coach James Burkley by calling 731-376-8391 ext. 12.

Somerville Animal Hospital will return for their ninth consecutive year to the Cotton Pickin' Charity Race and Fun run, which is scheduled this year for Saturday, September 10 in Somerville. The Cotton Pickin' 5k trophies will be awarded in 21 categories including Overall, Master's, and 1st, 2nd, 3rd in age categories from 9 and under to 85 and over. New registrants may register at early packet locations and will receive discounted early rates. Early packet pick up is scheduled for Thursday, September 8th from 5 - 7:30 pm at First Citizens National Bank in Oakland, TN and Friday, September 9th from 10 am - 2 pm at Somerville United Methodist Church. To learn more visit FayetteCares.org/CottonPickin5k or call (901) 465-3802 x 223.

World Radio Controlled Aircraft Championships Return to Clover Creek

It started in Hardeman County when John and Tina Schroder moved just outside Toone in 2007.

"It was his dream to have his own flying facilities and revive the tradition his father, Walt (former editor, publisher and president of *Model Airplane News*) and Bill Bennett had with the Tournament of Champions," said Tina Schroder. "And this property was perfect, even down to the east-west runway layout."

The facility on Hill House Road off Highway 138 is custom built for the Labor Day Weekend Clover Creek Invitational, which is the World Championship of Radio Controlled Airplanes. The event is held in Toone every other season,

as the Tucson Shootout hosts the World Championship in odd numbered years taking the place of the Tournament of Champions, which had its final event in 2002.

The event will begin on Friday, September 2 and continue to the finals on Sunday, with a rain date of Monday the 5th in place. The pilots will be flying a Known sequence and an Unknown sequence Saturday and Sunday, with a Freestyle only routine set for Friday.

In the Freestyle competition, pilots will choreograph a four-minute routine set to music, with smoke and other effects thrown in.

The Known sequence is pre-determined well in advance, while the Unknown sequence is made available to the pilot the day pri-

or, allowing them limited time to learn the moves.

The event will cumulate with the top seven competing for a prize purse, furnished by the Schroders.

John and Tina Schroder came to Hardeman County in February of 2007 after many years in Brooksville, Florida, with John working and saving for almost 30-years in Commercial Fishing and Custom Door and Crown Molding businesses.

"We looked for a spot and this one was perfect. The neighbors

played a large role in us buying and coming here. The community is very supportive," said Tina.

The world class field, with pilots from foreign countries and Puerto Rico, will live in style while they are guests of the Schroders. Many will stay in Recreational Vehicles, many in the Schroder home and their "party barn" sleeps eight.

The Clover Creek Invitational field is comprised of seventy of the top pilots in the world, having qualified by top finishes in other competitions.

At the same time, the Interna-

tional Miniature Aerobatic Club will host an event, with nine flyers in one of four classes: Unlimited, Basic, Advanced, Intermediate and Sportsman. The IMAC competition can be a springboard to a berth in the World Championship.

When not hosting the World Championships, the Schroders host flying camps for youths who have shown some talent, but want to perfect their craft.

The Shroders also sent their proteges, aged from 12-17, to competitions.

"Our boys this year went to the National Championships in Indiana and swept the podium," said Tina. "We are very proud."

The World Championship starts at 8:00 a.m. on September 2.

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 South Carolina at Vanderbilt
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 Southern Miss at Kentucky
 LSU vs. Wisconsin (Green Bay)
 South Alabama at Mississippi State
 Missouri at West Virginia
 Appalachian State at Tennessee
 UCLA at Texas A&M
 Ole Miss vs. Florida State (Orlando)
- Week 2**
 Western Kentucky at Alabama
 Arkansas at TCU
 Arkansas State at Auburn
 Kentucky at Florida
 Nicholls State at Georgia
 Jacksonville State at LSU
 Wofford at Ole Miss
 South Carolina at Mississippi State
 Eastern Michigan at Missouri
 Tennessee vs. Virginia Tech (Bristol)
 Prairie View at Texas A&M
 Middle Tennessee at Vanderbilt
- Week 3**
 Texas State at Arkansas
 Texas A&M at Auburn
 North Texas at Florida
 New Mexico State at Kentucky
 Mississippi State at LSU
 Alabama at Ole Miss
 Georgia at Missouri
 East Carolina at South Carolina
 Ohio at Tennessee
 Vanderbilt at Georgia Tech
- Week 4**
 Kent State at Alabama
 LSU at Auburn
 South Carolina at Kentucky

- Georgia at Ole Miss
 Mississippi State at UMass
 Delaware State at Missouri
 Florida at Tennessee
 Arkansas vs. Texas A&M (Arlington)
 Vanderbilt at Western Kentucky
- Week 5**
 Kentucky at Alabama
 Alcorn State at Arkansas (Little Rock)
 Louisiana-Monroe at Auburn
 Tennessee at Georgia
 Missouri at LSU
 Memphis at Ole Miss
 Texas A&M at South Carolina
 Florida at Vanderbilt
- Week 6**
 Alabama at Arkansas
 LSU at Florida
 Vanderbilt at Kentucky
 Auburn at Mississippi State
 Georgia at South Carolina
 Tennessee at Texas A&M
- Week 7**
 Ole Miss at Arkansas
 Missouri at Florida
 Vanderbilt at Georgia
 Southern Miss at LSU
 Mississippi State at BYU
 Alabama at Tennessee
- Week 8**
 Texas A&M at Alabama
 Arkansas at Auburn
 Mississippi State at Kentucky
 Ole Miss at LSU
 Middle Tennessee at Missouri
 UMass at South Carolina
 Tennessee State at Vanderbilt
- Week 9**
 Florida vs. Georgia (Jacksonville)
 Auburn at Ole Miss
 Samford at Mississippi State
 Kentucky at Missouri

- Tennessee at South Carolina
 New Mexico State at Texas A&M
- Week 10**
 Florida at Arkansas
 Vanderbilt at Auburn
 Georgia at Kentucky
 Alabama at LSU
 Georgia Southern at Ole Miss
 Texas A&M at Mississippi State
 Missouri at South Carolina
 Tennessee Tech at Tennessee
- Week 11**
 Mississippi State at Alabama
 LSU at Arkansas
 South Carolina at Florida
 Auburn at Georgia
 Vanderbilt at Missouri
 Kentucky at Tennessee
 Ole Miss at Texas A&M
- Week 12**
 UT-Chattanooga at Alabama
 Alabama A&M at Auburn
 Presbyterian at Florida
 Louisiana-Lafayette at Georgia
 Austin Peay at Kentucky
 South Alabama at LSU
 Arkansas at Mississippi State
 Western Carolina at South Carolina
 Missouri at Tennessee
 Texas-San Antonio at Texas A&M
 Ole Miss at Vanderbilt
- Week 13**
 LSU at Texas A&M
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Did you know that National Grandparents Day is less than a week away? While this "Day" is not as widely known as Mother's Day or Father's Day, it is nonetheless important, as it recognizes the key role that grandparents play. If you are a grandparent yourself, you might expect some cards or phone calls or emails from your own grandchildren – but you will probably experience even greater enjoyment in the gifts you can give them. If you're thinking of making a financial gift, consider your options carefully.

To begin with, don't forget about your own needs. As much as you love your grandchildren, you can't afford to provide significant financial gifts to them at the expense of your own retirement savings or the resources you might need for health care or long-term care. So, review your budget to determine what you can afford to give. This amount may change year by year, depending on your circumstances, so you may want to review your potential gifts annually.

However, assuming you can afford to give regularly to your grandchildren, how should you go about it? Here are a few possibilities:

Establish a 529 plan. A college degree is a very good investment in your grandchildren's future – but higher education comes with high costs. If you want to help your grandkids go to college, you could establish a 529 plan. Earnings in a 529 plan can grow federal tax-free and will not be taxed when the money is taken out to pay for college. Plus, you may receive state tax incentives if you invest in your home state's 529 plan. (However, if withdrawals are not used for higher education expenses, the earnings portion is fully taxable and will incur a 10% penalty.)

Keep in mind, though, that a 529 plan could affect your grandchild's financial aid. While a 529 plan owned by a grandparents generally won't be reported as an asset under the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), withdrawals used for school will be treated as student income on the next year's FAFSA, and so could lower your grandchild's financial aid package. So you could wait for your grandchild's final year of college, when he or she won't be applying for future financial aid, before you allow withdrawals from the 529 plan. (You may want to discuss a 529 plan's potential financial aid impact with a financial aid professional.)

Contribute to a custodial account. You can give money to your grandchildren through a custodial account, known as UGMA or UTMA. These are irrevocable gifts that minors gain control of at the age of majority. Be aware, then, that once they get the money, they can do with it as they choose, and their choices may be far different from what you had intended.

Pay college bills directly. You can simply write a check to the college to help pay for your grandchild's expenses.

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BUSINESS

Horse Powered Logging by Calley Overton

Jeff Ferge Logging was working a tract of hardwood forest out of Middleton and the owner picked the right men for the job. Like with most businesses, the process begins with a phone call. After the phone call, Ferge stops by to take a look at what the owner wants cut and to discuss how low the owner wants to cut. The average is 18' and above at chest high unless the tree is damaged or dying. The lowest is 14' at chest high. Of course, it all depends on the landowner's preference. Fergie also discusses markets, which fluctuate often, with the landowner.

The operation consists of little equipment: horses, a Bobcat, and a skid steer loader. Ferge recently added a forklift and a bulldozer to move the treetops. Another thing he does is scale the logs to calculate the board feet of timber. Sawmills usually either weigh or scale the timber, but by Ferge scaling it, the landowner knows off the bat how many board feet have been cut. Trees are counted in thousands board feet. On average, Jeff Ferge Logging cuts around 3,500 ft. per team per day with a skid



steer loader and 2,500 ft. per team per day without. After that initial phone call, it might take a while to get to the cutting part since there is a two-year waiting list, but it is evident why Ferge and his horses are so in-demand.

The horses are where the process differs from the majority of the logging business. Instead of harsh skidders, a few men and their horses do harsh work. The horses pull and the men unload several loads of logs weighing thousands of pounds daily. If the logs are not loaded right and fall off while the wagon is rolling or while it is even still with people

nearby, serious injuries could occur. Jeff Ferge and his men ride right on top of thousands of pounds of shifting logs daily. Although the logs are strapped down, accidents can always happen. Unloading is also dangerous work with the hardwoods tumbling down right beside them. Jeff Ferge said, "The only reason I do this is because I was raised backwards. My daddy would not have a tractor for hell or high water. My daddy, all he wanted was mules and horses. Me and my brother, that's all we done. When we got a chance to make a living doing it, that's what we chose to do."

Hardeman County Employment Numbers Get Better

Unemployment rates in Hardeman County dipped a half-percent from June to July, in a report released by the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development.

County unemployment rates for July 2016 show the rates decreased in 73 counties, increased in 11, and remained the same in 11 counties.

For the month of July, Davidson County had the state's lowest

major metropolitan rate at 3.7 percent, decreasing from 3.8 percent the previous month. Knox County was 4.2 percent in July, decreasing from 4.3 percent the previous month. The Hamilton County rate was 4.9 percent, unchanged from the previous month. Shelby County was 5.6 percent, down from 5.8 percent the previous month.

Tennessee's preliminary unemployment rate for July was 4.3 percent, increasing two tenths of

a percentage point from the previous month's revised rate. The U.S. preliminary rate for July was 4.9 percent, remaining unchanged from the previous month.

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The information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, and Forms of Bid Bond, Performance and Payment Bond, and other contract documents may be examined at the following:

Hardeman County Courthouse; 100 North Main Street; Bolivar, Tennessee 38008
Stigall Engineering Associates, Inc.; 4117 Hillsboro Pike, Suite 206; Nashville, Tennessee 37215-2728
West Tennessee Plan Room; 439 Airways Boulevard; Jackson, Tennessee 38008

Copies may be obtained at the office of STIGALL ENGINEERING ASSOCIATES, INC., located at 4117 HILLSBORO PIKE, NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE 37215 upon payment of \$100.00 for each bound paper set or \$50.00 for a digital set. Payments for contract documents are non-refundable.

The owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders.

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Sale at public auction will be on September 20, 2016 on or about 1:00PM local time, at the main door of the Hardeman County Courthouse, Bolivar, TN 38008, conducted by the Substitute Trustee as identified and set forth herein below, pursuant to Deed of Trust executed by THOMAS W BRYANT AND ANN BRYANT, to SOUTHEASTERN TITLE & ESCROW D/B/A PARK PLACE TITLE & ESCROW, Trustee, on August 24, 2005, at Record Book 631, Page 107-122 as Instrument No. 65395 in the real property records of Hardeman County Register's Office, Tennessee.

Owner of Debt: U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE REGISTERED HOLDERS OF AEGIS ASSET BACKED SECURITIES TRUST, MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-5

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BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO THOMAS W. BRYANT FROM LOIS MARIE BRYANT BY WARRANTY DEED DATED MAY 25, 1999 AND RECORDED MAY 26, 1999 IN BOOK T-16, PAGE 564, REGISTER'S OFFICE FOR HARDEMAN COUNTY.

THIS CONVEYANCE IS SUBJECT TO ALL MATTERS OF

RECORD ON PLAT BOOK 142, PAGE 169, REGISTER'S OFFICE FOR HARDEMAN COUNTY.

THIS CONVEYANCE IS MADE SUBJECT TO ANY AND ALL ZONING REGULATIONS, BUILDING RESTRICTIONS AND SETBACK LINES, IF ANY, AND EASEMENTS AND RIGHTS FOR PUBLIC UTILITIES APPLICABLE TO THIS PROPERTY; AND TAXES FOR THE CURRENT YEAR WHICH HAVE BEEN PRORATED AND ASSUMED BY THE GRANTEE(S) HEREIN.

Tax ID: 088-01600.000

Current Owner(s) of Property: THOMAS W BRYANT AND ANN BRYANT

The street address of the above described property is believed to be 13005 HIGHWAY 18 SOUTH, BOLIVAR, TN 38008, but such address is not part of the legal description of the property sold herein and in the event of any discrepancy, the legal description referenced herein shall control.

SALE IS SUBJECT TO OCCUPANT(S) RIGHTS IN POSSESSION.

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OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES: MERS

THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

If applicable, the notice requirements of T.C.A. 35-5-117 have been met.

All right of equity of redemption, statutory and otherwise, and homestead 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.

If the U.S. Department of Treasury/IRS, the State of Tennessee Department of Revenue, or the State of Tennessee Department of Labor or Workforce Development are listed as Interested Parties in the advertisement, then the Notice of this foreclosure is being given to them and the Sale will be subject to the applicable governmental entities' right to redeem the property as required by 26 U.S.C. 7425 and T.C.A. §67-1-1433.

This property is being sold with the express reservation that the sale is subject to confirmation by the lender or trustee. This sale may be rescinded at any time. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagee, the Mortgagee's attorney.

MWZM File No. 16-001557-670

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DUSTIN HARPER

The State of Tennessee, Department of Children's Services, has filed a Petition against you seeking a finding of dependency and neglect in regards to your child. It appears that ordinary process of law cannot be served upon you because your whereabouts are unknown. You are hereby ORDERED to serve upon Rebecca Brady, Attorney for the Tennessee Department of Children Services, 600 Hearthwood Court, Cookeville, Tennessee 38506, (931) 646-3010, an Answer to the Petition filed by the Tennessee Department of Children Services, within thirty (30) days of the last day of publication of this notice and pursuant to Rule 39(e) (1) of the Tenn. R. Juv. P. you must also appear in the Juvenile Court of Dekalb County, Tennessee at Smithville, Tennessee on November 9, 2016, at 9:00 A.M. for the Adjudicatory Hearing on the Petition by the State of Tennessee, Department of Children's Services. If you fail to do so, a default judgment will be taken against you pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 36-1-117(n) and Rule 55 of the Tenn. R. of Civ. P. for the relief demanded in the Petition. You may view and obtain a copy of the Petition and any other subsequently filed legal documents at the Dekalb Court Clerk's Office, Smithville, Tennessee.

NOTICE TO FURNISHERS OF LABOR AND MATERIALS TO:

Traf-Mark Industries, L.L.C.
PROJECT NO.: 98048-4192-04, 98048-4193-04
CONTRACT NO.: CNP094
COUNTY: Hardeman

The Tennessee Department of Transportation is about to make final settlement with the contractor for construction of the above numbered project. All persons wishing to file claims pursuant to Section 54-5-122, T.C.A. must file same with the Director of Construction, Tennessee Department of Transportation, Suite 700 James K. Polk Bldg., Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0326, on or before 10/07/16.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held before the Mayor and City Council of the City of Bolivar, Tennessee on Tuesday, September 13, 2016 at 5:30 p.m. at the Bolivar Municipal Center, 211 N. Washington St. Bolivar, TN 38008. The purpose of this hearing is for the 2nd reading/public hearing of Ordinance 16-004, "An Ordinance to Amend the Budget for Fiscal Year 2016-2017". This ordinance may be viewed during normal business hours at Bolivar City Hall, 211 N. Washington St. All interested parties are welcome and invited to attend.

HARDEMAN COUNTY FARM BUREAU ANNUAL MEETING

HARDEMAN COUNTY FARM BUREAU Annual Meeting will be held **Thursday, September 15, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.** at the Bolivar Municipal Center. All members welcome, reservations only! Call 731-658-3031 by September 12, 2016 to make reservations.

NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF AN EMERGENCY TREATMENT PERMIT TO CHEMRING GROUP PLC

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM) has issued an emergency treatment permit to Chemring Group PLC. Their facility, known as Kilgore Flares Testing Facility (EPA ID TNR000035113), is located in Hardeman County at 1450 Keller Road, Toone, TN 38381. The permit (TNT-MP-16-001) allows 296 antiquated blasting caps to be safely detonated onsite rather than shipped to an offsite treatment facility. The blasting caps are classed as DOT 1.4 explosive and have a D003 (reactive) hazardous waste code. The permit is valid for 90 days beginning July 26, 2016 and shall terminate on October 24, 2016.

Issuing an emergency permit under Tennessee Rule 0400-12-01-.07(1) (d) was necessary because these blasting caps are past the useful shelf life and need to be disposed. Proper documentation that would ensure this material could be legally and safely transported over the public roadways cannot be located. Additionally, the chemical stability of explosives changes with age, dependent on the storage environment and formulation of the explosive. Therefore the material must be disposed on site. The permit was issued under the authority of the Tennessee Hazardous Waste Management Act of 1977, as amended, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-212-101 et seq., and Tennessee Rule Chapter 0400-12-01, Hazardous Waste Management.

The emergency permit, fact sheet and permit application are available online. Visit <http://go.usa.gov/xDjdP> to access the facility information in the data viewer. Paper copies are available for review at the Hardeman County Library, 213 N Washington St, Bolivar, TN 38008 (731-658-3436). These materials are also available at the TDEC Jackson Environmental Field Office, 1625 Hollywood Drive, Jackson, TN 38305 (731-512-1300) or the DSWM Central Office, William R. Snodgrass Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 14th Floor, Nashville, TN 37243 (615-532-0780). Normal state office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on weekdays, excluding legal holidays.

For further information, contact Mr. Albert Frakes in the Hazardous Waste Permitting Section at DSWM's Central Office by email at Albert.Frakes@tn.gov, phone 615-532-0855, or fax 615-532-0938.

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If you would like to receive notices like this directly, contact the Public Participation Officer in DSWM's Central Office for a Mailing List Request form. Email Solid.Waste@tn.gov or call 6155320788.

NOTICE ISSUED: September 1, 2016

OUR COUNTY

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Tickets for the Hardeman County Arts Council's *Dearly Departed* are on sale at the box office located at 1580 Highway 64 in Bolivar.

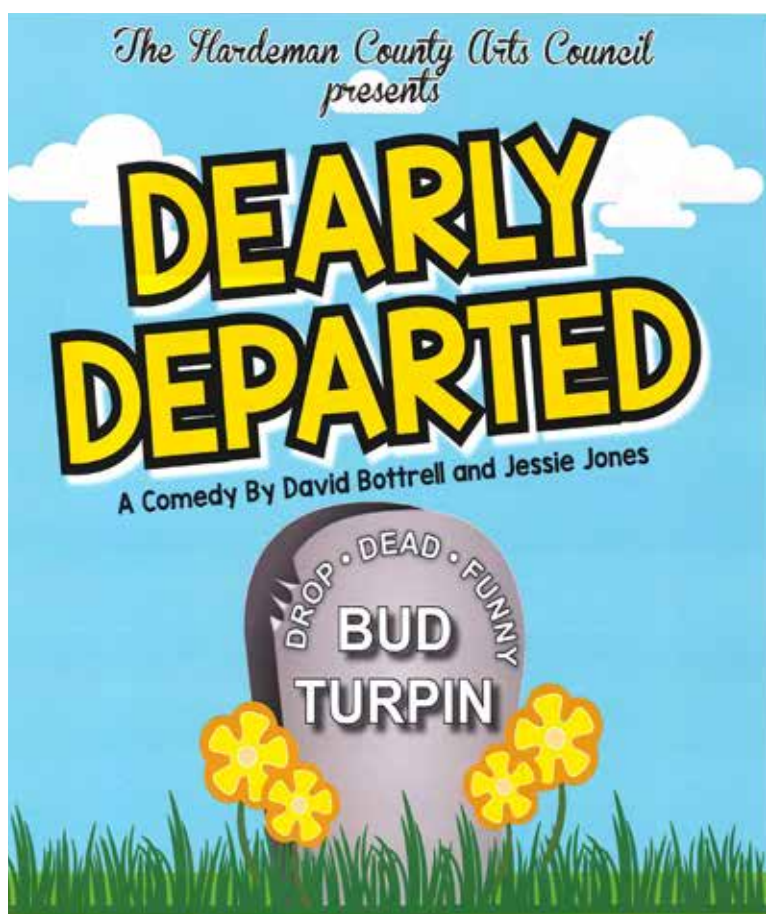
Show dates are Friday, September 9 and Saturday, September 10 at 7:00 p.m. each evening with a Sunday matinee scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on September 11. Doors open 30 minutes prior to show.

In the Baptist backwoods of the Bible Belt, the beleaguered Turpin family proves that living and dying in the South are seldom tidy and always hilarious. Despite their earnest efforts to pull themselves together for their father's funeral, the Turpin's other problems keep overshadowing the solemn occasion: Firstborn Ray-Bud drinks himself silly as the funeral bills mount; Junior, the younger son, is juggling financial ruin, a pack of no-neck monster kids, and a wife who suspects him of infidelity in the family car; their spinster sister, Delightful, copes with death as she does life, by devouring junk food; and all the neighbors add more than two cents. As the situation becomes fraught with mishap, Ray-Bud says to his long-suffering wife, "When I die, don't tell nobody. Just bury me in the backyard and tell everybody I left you." Amidst the chaos, the Turpins turn for comfort to their friends and neighbors, an eccentric community of misfits who just manage to pull together and help each other through their hours of need, and finally, the funeral.

Ticket prices are \$10 per person and the box office hours are 10:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. weekdays at the box office. Tickets may be purchased over the phone by calling 731 658-ARTS during box office hours.

The Hardeman County Arts Council (HCAC) provides artistic forums in a wide range of venues to educate, entertain, and enrich the community.

In so doing, amateur artists are facilitated to develop their artistic talents to levels that satisfy their own artistic objectives and goals, as well as benefiting the public.



Tales from the Yellow House

by Lee McAlpin

The last of September at the Yellow House saw a flurry of activities in preparation for the coming fall and winter months. The turnip green crop in the garden was peeking its green carpet across the ground, alongside with collard plants with leaves as big as elephant ears. Maybe not that big, but huge. We were lucky in that all members of the family loved turnip and collard greens. The country folk always looked forward to a good "mess of turnip sallet" as it was called. And good it was and still is. A big plate of turnip greens doused with a hefty sprinkling of hot pepper sauce along with a pone of cornbread is a culinary delight, and the purple and white turnips that grow underneath the greens are also delicious. Guess that is why Dad always planted the purple top type of seed. Mom was still busy drying apples and canning the last of the summer gardens surplus. Every last green tomato, down to the size of a marble was canned with spices, or chopped up to be used in green tomato chow chow. The red pepper pods were dried and strung on a string, and the sage leaves stripped and dried to be used

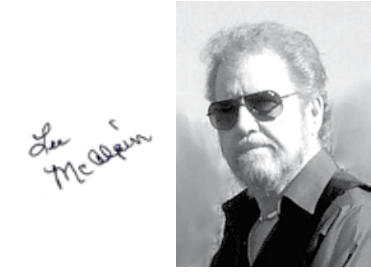


in making pork sausage in the fall at hog killing time. Us kids were in school looking forward to and yet dreading the fall school break for cotton picking. We knew that when the field around the house turned into white gold, we would be out in the field pulling a cotton sack and picking cotton. It was a necessary task for us in order to buy our school clothes for the winter.

This time of the year, Dad was busy fattening up a big hog to be slaughtered at the first cold snap in the late fall. We were also busy cutting and stacking firewood for the winter. We had a saw rack in the wood pile that we used to lay a log on to be sawed. When I was helping Dad saw with the crosscut saw, he would always tell me to quit riding

the saw. I didn't know exactly what he meant, as the only thing I knew to do was to push and pull the instrument. I noticed this week that the yellow butterflies had begun making their annual journey southward, just as they did when I lived at the Yellow House. I can hear Dad saying, "It won't be long now till cool weather".

So looking forward to it.



100th Anniversary Celebration Comes to an End

The National Parks 100th Anniversary Celebration at Shiloh National Military Park on August 25 included an outdoor concert with Chuck Mead and his Grassy Knoll Boys, a Darryl Worley acoustic set, and Richie Owens and the Farm Bureau (pictured right) as they perform *Franklin Town* off their Tennessee album.

Shiloh's FREE Summer Concert Series will end September 3 with "Concerts & Symphonies" starting at 5:00 p.m.

This year Shiloh joined the Savannah Arts Commission in pre-

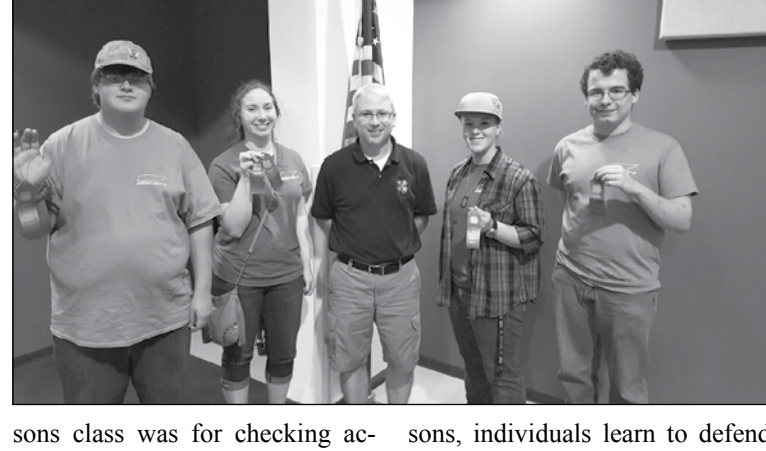


senting an evening of music on the battlefield as part of the NPS Centennial celebration. Photo by Ginger Tester.

4H Consumer Team Qualifies for State Competition

Hardeman County's 4-H Consumer Decision Making team and their agent, Mr. Gary Rodgers, made their way to the West Tennessee AgResearch and Education Center in Jackson, on August 27. The team, consisting of Jacob Lumpkins, Calley Overton, Mikayla Vincent, and Jacob Bryant, had high hopes and were not let down. They placed 4th out of ten teams in the Western Region, qualifying for the state level Consumer Decision Making competition. Team members, Calley Overton, placed 5th individually out of over thirty individuals.

The contest consists of judging four different classes of products, having to give oral reasons for one of the classes, and a portion called group think. This year's classes were bicycles, cleaning products, natural disaster preparedness, and checking accounts. The oral rea-



sons class was for checking accounts.

Consumer Decision Making teaches young people to observe, compare, and apply knowledge in making practical, money-smart decisions. Team members have to rank products over others based on quality and standards, all while considering the fictional, but realistic, scenario. Through oral rea-

sons, individuals learn to defend their choices for a particular class and convince others to their point of view. Group think is a facet that requires collaboration from the whole team in reasoning through a scenario in order to not just rank given options, but to create their own in order to make the best decision.

Senior Center Hosts Cookout



The Bolivar Seniors and their families held a cook out, shared stories and had a performance in honor of Senior Citizen Day on August 19. Bolivar Senior Center Director Peggy Adelman thanked the Bank of Bolivar, Maxwell's and Walmart for providing the food and drinks and a special thanks to the Bolivar Fire Department for grilling for the cookout. Photo by Anna-Alicia Sails

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The Tennessee Alcoholic Beverage Commission will consider the application at a later date to be set by the Tennessee Alcoholic Beverage Commission in Nashville, Tennessee.

Interested persons may personally or through counsel submit their views in writing by the hearing date to be scheduled by the Tennessee Alcoholic Beverage Commission.

Anyone with questions concerning this application or the laws relating to it may call or write the Alcoholic Beverage Commission at 500 James Robertson Parkway; Suite 300; Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0755, 615-741-1602.

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