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From the Other Side of the Desk

I almost never do national politics in this column, but this week, I'm making an excep-

As some of you may have heard, there is an opening on the Supreme Court of the United States and I've got a huge problem with one of those who have been reported to have a chance, of being nominated for the position.

His name is Hardiman. That's right, Hardiman. I don't know anything else about him. I don't know his first name. I don't know where he went to law school, how he stands on constitutional questions, if he likes coke or the other soft drink or anything about him except that he and his people are spelling their name wrong, or at least in a way that is going to be annoying for us.

Here in HARDEMAN County, we can already see that this ain't gonna work. We already have enough trouble with people from off spelling our county name, but if this guy gets the nod for the robe, it will be impossible. It will be in the mainstream, sort of. People will think they know how to spell it and they won't ask and they will be wrong most of the time. It will be a disaster.

So please, anyone else.

Darrell Teubner, Editor

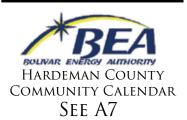
P.S....I did catch his first name on the news the other day though. It seems that a group of Senators are all set, if he is nominated, to talking about the idea to Phil E. "Buster" Hardi-

Well, at least he has a colorful nickname.

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Hicks Legacy Honored

Hardeman County honored a historical legacy created by a lifelong law enforcement official on July 2, as a stretch of highway was named the Sheriff Delphus Hicks, Jr. Highway.

The stretch of highway dedicated runs on Highway 18 from the Hickory Valley city limits south to the intersection of 18 and Highway 57 near Grand Junction.

Hicks, who served as sheriff for two terms adding up to 24 years, was the first African American Sheriff elected in the State of Tennessee. His terms spanned 1978-1994 and 2002-2010. His career in law enforcement began in Hardeman County in 1968, after serving in the United States Army from 1962-1967.

A corridor in the Hardeman County Criminal Justice Center was dedicated in his honor in 2014.

Photo from left to right: Hardeman County Mayor Jimmy Sain, Tennessee State Representative Johnny Shaw, Hicks and children Diane Redditt and James Hicks.

Photo by Ginger Tester.



Fountain Ground Broken on Square



The project was made possible through grants from Tennessee Economic and Community Development, a Tennessee "Healthier Community" Grant and a Wells Fargo Community Grant Funding worth approximately \$80,000, according to Hardeman County Mayor Jimmy Sain.

Designed by Brad Grantham, the fountain will be a map of Hardeman County with streams of water flowing from each municipality into Bolivar, which is in the center of both the fountain and the county. Grantham won the project in the bidding process and selected local labor (Grantham Backhoe and Tommy Baker Plumbing and Electricity) to complete the job, which Grantham estimated will be three weeks.

Photo: Darren Grantham of Grantham Backhoe breaks the ground on the southeast corner of the square.

Candidates Will Debate on July 10

The Hardeman County NAACP, WMOD Radio, and the Bolivar Bulletin Times, invite candidates for the Hardeman County Mayor and Sheriff races to debate on July 10 beginning at 6:00 p.m. in the Bolivar Central High School Auditorium.

All other candidates will be invited to address the audience prior to the debate. The audio for the event will be aired on WMOD Radio (96.7 FM) and on The County Journal's Facebook page.

Format for the evening will be to allow any candidate for county office ninety seconds to speak, followed by the sheriff's debate, and the mayor's debate will finish the evening.

The debate portion of the evening will have each candidate address three questions by the panel followed by the candidates fielding questions from each other in hopes of allowing the candidates the opportunity to bring their issues to the floor. The questions will be furnished to the candidates on July 9, and they will be posted to the County Journal's Facebook page on the same day.

Confirmed to participate are incumbent Democratic Mayor Jimmy Sain, Republican Calvin Howell, and Independent candidate Kandy Shackelford along with incumbent Democratic Sheriff John Doolen, and Independent candidates Pat Baker and Jerry Siler.

The debate will be three days prior to the opening of early voting in the Hardeman County General Election, which will be July 13 at the Hardeman County Election Commission at 106 S. Porter Street in

Originally scheduled for the to-be-renovated Luez Theatre, the venue for the event was moved to the auditorium at Bolivar Central High School. A delay in delivery of the seats by the Irwin Seating Company pushed back the completion on the theatre.

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Your Weekend Forecast:

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The Wolf River Band Comes to Hardeman County

The Bolivar Downtown Amphitheatre will welcome the Wolf River Band to the stage on Friday night for Music on the Square.

The Wolf River Band, who play a blend of country, blues and southern rock, are Ronnie Moss on vocals and drums, James Berry on bass, Larry Meggs on keyboard, and Boyd Brown on guitar and vocals.

Opening up the evening will be Brian Lee Howell as Elvis, scheduled to take the stage at 7:00 p.m. Music on the Square in Bolivar is made possible

by the Bolivar Downtown Development Corporation through the Hardeman County Music Commission.

Photo: The Wolf River Band on stage. Photo by Ken Savage.







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Again, it is an honor to serve as Sheriff and I am asking for your continued support and **VOTE** in the upcoming General Election August 2.

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HAA Says Goodbye to a Friend by Sara Vonderheide

Hardeman Adoptable Animals volunteers were saddened by the passing of animal lover John Schroeder. He and his wife Tina own the Clover Creek Aerodrome and have supported many philanthropies over the years. HAA would like to thank Tina for the opportunity to come to the Aerodrome and raise much needed funds for HAA in John's memory.

HAA is thankful for supporters like the Schroeders, and we could not do our work without them. HAA is a non-profit organization that is run solely on donations and fundraising. We provide shelter, medical care, and socialization for the unwanted dogs of Hardeman County. Since we were founded in 2011, we have rehomed (through rescue and adoption) over 3,500 Hardeman County dogs. This work is tiring, but it is incredibly rewarding. HAA has no paid staff, and we are always in need of new volunteers. The dogs at the shelter must be taken care of 365 days a year.

If you are interested in volunteering, adopting or fostering a dog, sponsoring a dog's medical bills, assisting with fundraising, or want to make a donation, please contact a volunteer: Charla Cooper at 731-234-4421 or Jennifer Smallwood at 731-609-0408. You can also check out our Facebook page, Hardeman Adoptable Animals, Inc. You can also come to the shelter. We are located inside the county landfill on Walton Road, and volunteers are there between 9-1 each day. Adoption fees are \$125, and this includes all vaccines, spay/neuter, and care while at the shelter.





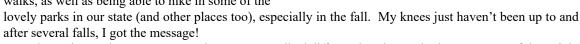


Hardeman County Remembered by Lisa Coleman

This is kind of a different column for me to write; normally I write about history, things in the past, but I find myself writing about something that hasn't happened just yet.

As I've written about before, I was diagnosed at age 17 with an Autoimmune Disease which caused Rheumatoid Arthritis (RA). Because of the damage over time caused by the RA, I have already had a few surgeries to correct, repair, and replace things, and it is time for yet another surgery, actually two surgeries. I'll be having both knees replaced in just a few days, or to be medically correct, I'll be having simultaneous bilateral knee replacement surgeries. My doctors and I have managed my knees and their many issues for as long as we can and the time has come to finally replace them.

Thinking about getting new knees has made me think a lot about all of the places my original knees have carried me. They were my first mode of transportation when I learned to crawl as a baby; running, bike riding, and roller skating followed over time. In my 20's I discovered that walking was great not only for my knees but for my overall health, and for many years (until about 15 months ago, actually) I walked several miles, several days a week. I have really missed those walks, as well as being able to hike in some of the



My knees have taken me to many places – I've walked different beaches on both coasts, part of the Bright Angel Trail in the Grand Canyon, the beautiful Great Smoky Mountains, all over big cities like Boston, Chicago, and Washington D.C., up and down the beautiful hills in San Francisco. I climbed the centuries old trail at the Acoma Pueblo in New Mexico (that's where I am in this photo), hiking on Maui and Oahu, and adventures in so many of our marvelous National and State Parks. My knees, until last year, carried me up and down staircases as a docent at many of our beautiful old homes here in Bolivar, especially The Columns and McNeal Place, for many tours over the years.

After surgery, I will spend the next few months rehabbing and learning to navigate with my new knees. I am already looking forward, with apologizes to Dr. Seuss, to the places I'll again be able to go. While I focus on healing and recovery, I am taking a break from writing this column, but you will get to re-read some columns in the weeks ahead from years past that I hope you will enjoy again.

And y'all, I would appreciate your prayers and good thoughts during this adventure; my new knees and I will see you soon.





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Tales from the Yellow House by Lee McAlpin

Life at the Yellow House on July the fourth went on as usual with no special activities. Sometimes our aunt and uncle who lived in Covington would come visit us. They were well off as we called it, with a new car that always smelled of Aunt Ruth's expensive perfume. Me and brother Don would sneak out and sit in that car and pretend that we were driving down some paved highway miles away from Pocahontas. Aunt Ruth was always dressed to the nines and always made a fuss over us kids. I remember one time on their visit, our extra treat for the meal was fried bologna, that Dad had somehow managed to buy. I was in the kitchen, along with Mom and Aunt Ruth and hungry as ever, smelling that bologna frying. I told Mom that I wished that we could have that good of a dinner every day. It embarrassed Mom and I guess that is why Aunt Ruth grabbed me and gave me a big hug. I guess that the biggest fireworks display on the fourth that we had was striking a match to light one of our coal oil lamps. We had two of the lamps. Someway we accumulated an Aladdin's lamp, which burned coal oil, but had a mesh mantle which lit up the old Yellow House like a dozen GE light bulbs. We thought we were on Broadway with that fancy lamp. One thing that we

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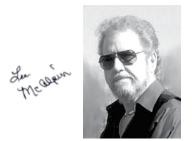
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were thankful on the fourth of July was the fact that we were out of the cotton patch for awhile. Mom was busy canning vegetables from the garden, and us kids were busy washing and sterilizing mason canning jars, and picking and breaking green beans. As I mentioned in last weeks article, we did not own a cow, but we had a big old stone milk churn. Dad would chop up the cabbage for the kraut with a garden hoe that he had flattened out and removed the wood handle. Mom would pack the kraut into the churn, lay a layer of cabbage leaves on top and tie a cloth over the top and let the kraut go through the souring process prior to her sealing it into the jars. Dad, much to Mom's dismay used that old churn for another purpose.

Once a year he would slip it out to the smokehouse and brew up his annual potion of home brew, which after it worked off as he called it, he would pour into bottles and hide them and on occasion imbibe his amber potion. After that, he would slip the old churn back into the house, or thought he was slipping it back in. He could tell by Mom's frown that he hadn't pulled anything over her eyes. She purely detested alcohol spirits of any kind. I think that she even dreaded having to use rubbing alcohol on our scrapes and bruises. Being out of school gave me time to ramble in the woods surrounding the Yellow House. I enjoyed walking along the creek and looking at the wild animal tracks. My Pa Pa Barkley trapped a lot for animal hides and passed along his lore of animal tracks to my Mom who passed them on to me. Sometimes in the summer, we would dam up this little creek and make us a swimming hole to go skinny dipping in. It was never over knee deep but to us it was a lake. The water was always muddy and its a wonder we did not have malaria or some other dreaded disease. When us boys was sloshing around in our swimming hole, we played a game called New Moon. One person would try to run or swim past a line of other people. If he was



tagged, he had to go under the water and stick his hind end up out of the water and the rest would holler new moon. I have not seen this game on the summer Olympics as of yet, but they may add it in the near future.

Editor's Note: The book, Tales from the Yellow House by Lee McAlpin can be purchased at On the Square Gallery and Gifts in



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The Bolivar Farmers Market is ideal for menu planning and most

everything can be found on your list. Every Saturday and Tuesday

eginning at 7:30 a.m., a collection of farmers, gardeners, vendor retirees, and craftsmen line the stalls at the Bolivar Farmers Market offering their fresh produce, plants, meats, baked items, and home-

Sunflower Farms in Henderson is another new face seen recently at

the farmers market. April Hendren, who "has always lived on a farm"

offers carrots, cabbages, tomatoes, onions, squash, potatoes, cucum-

bers, peppers, sweet potatoes, green beans, peaches, and plums. Hen-

dren's love for gardening and farming is demonstrated by her attrac-

Buying from a farmer not only helps support agriculture, but it provides a fresher and better tasting product. If you would like to

participate in the Bolivar Farmers Market, contact Market Manager Mike Malone at 659-1521. The Bolivar Farmers Market is part of

Pick Tennessee Products. Photo and story by Ginger Tester

tive displays of fresh homegrown items.

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FAA Gets Help from Local Business



Bolivar Central FFA received the Tractor Supply Grant for Growing for \$2,385. The chapter will use this money to improve the welding facilities for the students. Pictured: Front row- Colten Watkins and Clayton Moorehead. Middle-Jessica Pinner, Emma Cody, Tabitha, and Libbie Smith. Back- Connor Emerson, Caleb Atkins, Mark, and Darrion.

OPINION

The Editor's Inbox...Letters to the Editor

As directors of Hardeman County Emergency Medical Service, Hardeman County Airport, and the Hardeman County Solid Waste, we are proud of our facilities and the services they provide. Our employees give 100% to their job performances daily to provide the best services possible to the citizens of our county.

The Hardeman County EMS was recently inspected and received an A+ rating. We provide three Advanced Life equipped ambulances 365 days each year with 24-hour service. Each unity has a backup unit. During a recent inspection, the Tennessee inspector stated that Hardeman County EMS was among the top managed services in West Tennessee; has the most advanced lifesaving equipment available; and has been recently received to give our teams the best technology out there.

The Hardeman County Airport is up to date and is operating efficiently and professional as ever. It recently received a \$450,000 grant to seal, coat, and repair any cracks in the runway. With the addition of automated fueling, the fuel sales are increasing annually. Airport planning priorities call for a new terminal building and additional hangar spaces. These priorities have been submitted to TDOT Aeronautical.

The Hardeman County Solid Waste continues to operate eleven convenience centers throughout the county. The Hardeman County Landfill is a Class 1 Landfill that continues to advance with new regulations. It has received recent grants for new equipment and is repairing an additional cell for the future. The Hardeman County Solid Waste Committee has worked very hard to maintain the nine-dollar per month landfill fee without any increase. The solid waste fund is financially secure, and the fee has not increased during the past four years.

It is disappointing that we have been brought in to an election with a mayoral candidate classifying each of our departments with the title of "MESS" and using that politically. Our employees deserve better, and we are proud of the job each one performs. Does Mrs. Shackelford even know what the aviation term "ILS Approach" means, what the EMS term "Pulse Oximetry" means, what the solid waste term "Class 1 Landfill" means? We are proud of our positions with Hardeman County and thankful that the current administration has the confidence in us to operate our departments.

EMS Director, Troy Dempsey Airport Director, Shelby Isham Solid Waste Director, Kenny Brown

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Edna's Page

by Wilson Casey

- 1. Is the book of Libitaria in the Old or New Testament or neither?
- 2. In Galatians 5:1, "Stand fast therefore in the ... wherewith Christ hath made us free"? Light, Liberty, Redemption. Resurrection
- 3. From John 8:32, "And ye shall know the ..., and 'it' shall make you free"? Word, Truth, Love, Forgiveness
- 4. In which book's 6:7 does it say, "For he that is dead is freed from sin"? Isaiah, Daniel, Mark, Romans
- 5. How many times is the word "independence" mentioned in the Bible (KJV)? 0, 2, 11, 17
- 6. In Acts 22:28, who said, "But I was free born"? Paul, Bernice, Nicodemus, Phoebe



- 1. Who was the last World Series winner before the Chicago Cubs in 2016 to reach the playoffs in the next
- 2. When was the last time before 2017 that the University of Miami. Fla., failed to make the NCAA postseason in baseball?
- 3. Name the only NFL defensive player to win the Pro Football Writers of America's regular-season MVP
- 4. St. Mary's men's basketball team has retired the numbers of three players who went on to NBA careers. Name two of them.
- 5. Through the 2017-18 season, how many consecutive seasons had the Pittsburgh Penguins reached the NHL
- 6. Entering 2018, who was the last NASCAR Cup driver to win four races in a row?
- 7. When was the last time before 2017 that the U.S. won the Fed Cup in women's tennis?

- 1. HISTORY: Who was Jesse James brother and partner in crime?
- 2. ANATOMY: Where in the human body would you find the tympanic membrane?
- 3. MUSIC: Which artist recorded the album titled "Blood on the Tracks"?
- 4. LITERATURE: Who wrote the novel "The Swiss Family Robinson"? 5. CHEMISTRY: What is the symbol for the element magnesium?
- 6. GEOGRAPHY: What is the capital of Portugal?
- 7. TELEVISION: What was the name of Robert Blake's cockatoo in the TV series "Baretta"?
- 8. LANGUAGE: What does the Greek prefix "ornitho" refer to?
- 9. MATH: What does the symbol "r" stand for in classic geometry?
- 10. ADVERTISEMENTS: What product's slogan is "When it rains, it pours.'



- 1. Who wrote and released "Right Down the Line"? Where's he from? 2. What was the name of David
- Gates' first solo album? 3. Who released "I'll Be in Trou-
- ble"?
- 4. Which group released "Where Did Our Love Go"?
- 5. Name the song that contains this lyric: "Where's his jacket and his old blue jeans, If this ain't healthy it is some kinda clean.'

EDNA'S PAGE Answers on A9

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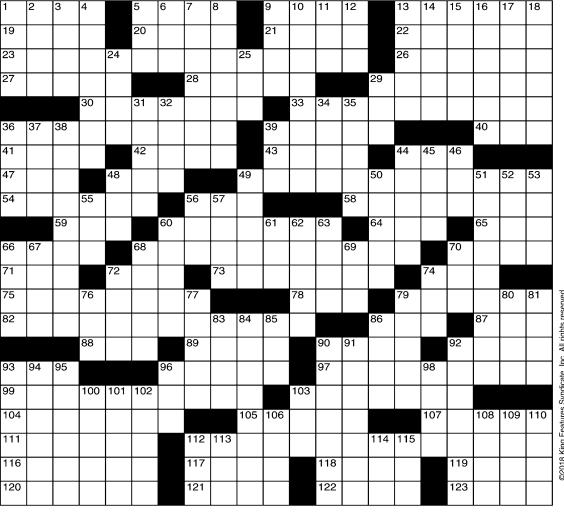
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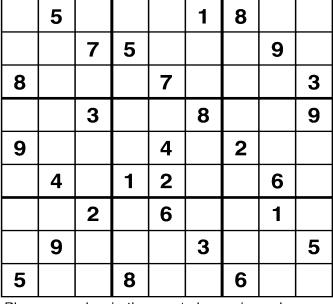
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Weekly **SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle



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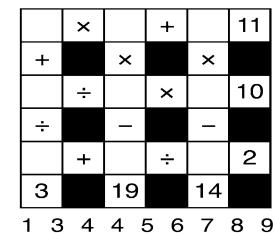
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FIGURE! by Linda Thistle

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.

DIFFICULTY: ★★

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The Maxwell's Stay-at-Home Gourmet

Broccoli Tots

- **Ingredients**
- 1 bunch of broccoli, cut into equal sized florets (around 3-4 cups) 1 cup sharp cheddar cheese, shredded (I used Cabot Vermont Sharp White Cheddar)
- 1/3 cup onion, finely chopped
- 1/2 cup breadcrumbs
- 2 eggs

salt and pepper

- **Directions**
- 1. Preheat your oven to 400 degrees F. 2. Pour 1 inch of water into a saucepan; bring to a boil. Place the broccoli into the boiling water, cover, and reduce the heat to medium. Cook the broccoli for 5-6 minutes, or until it can easily be pierced by a
- fork. Drain the broccoli and set aside to cool slightly. 3. Lay the broccoli out onto paper towels and cover with more paper towels, Press down firmly on the broccoli to absorb as much moisture as you can. Another method is to put the broccoli in the center of a dish towel and ring out the water as seen here. Finely chop the broccoli.
- 4. In a large bowl, combine all of the ingredients and season with salt and pepper. Stir everything together until well mixed. Fill each muffin cup in a mini muffin tin to the top, pushing down on the filling with your spoon so it's nice and compacted.

5. Bake for 18-20 minutes in preheated oven. The top will be starting to golden. To easily remove from the

pan (without scratching it to death), run a plastic knife around the edges of each tot and they should come out easier.

NOTES If they seem to be falling apart when you take them out of the pan you can (1) put them back into the oven to cook for a few minutes longer so they are a bit crisper or (2) let them sit in the pan for a few minutes to let the insides firm up a bit before removing them from the pan. You have to be ginger with them if they're sticking a little to the pan!

The sharp cheddar can be substituted with whatever cheese you have on hand.



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The Department of Revenue wants to remind people that this weekend of savings is not exclusive to students or Tennesseans. Anyone who wants to shop in Tennessee during the last weekend of July will be eligible to save on sales tax.

"The sales tax holiday provides savings for families preparing to send their children back to school and we encourage all Tennesseans to take advantage of this tax break on the necessary clothing and supplies before the start of the new school year," Governor Bill Haslam

State law provides for a sales tax holiday each year the last weekend in July. This year, the sales tax holiday begins Friday, July 27 at 12:01 a.m. and ends Sunday, July 29 at 11:59 p.m.

"We want to remind Tennesseans about this savings opportunity. It's available to everyone and only happens once a year," Revenue Commissioner David Gerregano said.

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continue with the financial strategies you've been following; but if you aren't, you may need to adjust them.

Am I taking on too much – or too little – risk? The financial markets always fluctuate, and these movements will affect the value of your investment portfolio. If you watch the markets closely every day and track their impact on your investments, you may find yourself fretting considerably over your investments' value and wondering if you are taking on too much investment risk for your comfort level. Conversely, if you think that during an extended period of market gains your own portfolio appears to be lagging, you might feel that you should be investing more aggressively, which entails greater risk. In any case, it's important that you know your own risk tolerance and use it as a guideline for making investment choices - so it's definitely an issue to discuss with your fi-

How will changes in my life affect my investment strategy? Your life is not static. Over time, you may experience any number of major events, such as marriage, children, new jobs and so on. When you meet with your financial advisor, you will want to discuss these types of changes, because they can affect your long-term goals and, consequently, your investment decisions.

How are external forces affecting my investment portfolio? Generally speaking, you will want to create an investment strategy that's based on your goals, risk tolerance and time horizon. And, as mentioned above, you may need to adjust your strategy based on changes in your life. But should you also make changes based on outside forces, such as interest rate movements, political events, new legislation or news affecting industries in which you have invested substantially? Try not to make long-term investment decisions based on short-term news. Yet, talk with your financial advisor to make sure your investment portfolio is not out of alignment with relevant external factors.

By making these and other inquiries, you can help yourself stay informed on your overall investment picture and what moves, if any, you should make to keep advancing toward your goals. A financial advisor is there to provide you with valuable expertise – so take full advantage of it.

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OBITUARIES

ANNIS "BOBBIE" HAWKINS MARCH 3, 1932 - JUNE 26, 2018

Mrs. Annis Katherine "Bobbie" Hawkins, age 86 of Pocahontas,

Hawkins, age 86 of Pocahontas, Tennessee, departed this life Tuesday afternoon, June 26, 2018 at her home. She was the widow of Mr. Alex Hawkins, who preceded her in death in 2007.

Funeral services were held in

Funeral services were held in the chapel of Shackelford Funeral Directors of Middleton at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, June 29, 2018. Burial was in the Rogers Springs Cemetery.



A native and life-long resident of Hardeman County, she was the daughter of the late Calvin Neely Bevill and Cyrenia Margaret Shelly Bevill. She was a member of the Church of Christ and married Alex J. Hawkins on September 21, 1948. A homemaker, she enjoyed gardening, cooking for her family, neighbors, the sick, and taking care of others.

She leaves her daughter, Betty Wiggins (Coy) of Pocahontas; a son, Christopher Hawkins of Pocahontas; a daughter-in-law, Loretta Hawkins of Walnut, MS; nine grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

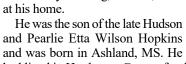
In addition to her husband and parents, Mrs. Hawkins was preceded in death by her son, Wayne Hawkins; her grandson, Billy Wayne Hawkins; sisters, Jewell Curlin, Ruby Thompson, Mildred White, Martha Turner, Margie Hawkins and Mary Baxter; and brothers, John and Luther Bevill.

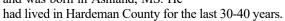
Memorials may be sent to the Rogers Springs Cemetery.

ARTHUR P. HOPKINS

May 10, 1939 - June 27, 2018

Funeral services for Arthur P. "Dewey" Hopkins, 79, of Hornsby were held at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, June 29, 2018 in the chapel of Shackelford Funeral Directors in Bolivar. Burial was in New Hope Baptist Cemetery in Benton Co., MS. Mr. Hopkins passed away on Wednesday morning, June 27, 2018 at his home.





Mr. Hopkins married the former Iris Delois James on September 15, 1960 and was an owner/operator OTR driver for 30 plus years. He attended the Hatchie Baptist Church. In his leisure time, he enjoyed fishing, hunting and spending time with his grandchildren.

He leaves his wife, Iris Hopkins of Hornsby; his daughter, Vicki Renfro of Hornsby; and his son, Tony Hopkins of Hornsby; four grandchildren, Felicia Hopkins, Shelby Golden, Lauren Hopkins and Kristen Renfro; and three great-grandchildren, Tabitha and Tony Lambert, and Jace Smith.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Hopkins was preceded in death by two sons, David Wayne and Freddy Dale Hopkins; and four brothers, William, Wayne, John and Dennis Hopkins.

Memorials may be sent to the charity of the donor's choice.

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CLARA GRAHAM HENLEY

JULY 8, 1922 - JUNE 28, 2018

Services for Mrs. Clara Virginia Graham Henley, 95, of Somerville were held in the Shackelford Chapel in Bolivar at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, July 1, 2018. Burial was in the Mt. Olive Cemetery in Fayette County. Mrs. Henley passed away Thursday morning, June 28, 2018 at Pine Meadows Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center in Bolivar.

She was born in Hardeman County, the daughter of the late William Patrick Graham and Ora

Contact Phone

Lee Clark Graham. Mrs. Henley lived most all of her life in the District 15 area of Fayette County.

On July 26, 1941, she was united in marriage to Mr. Audrey Burton Henley who preceded her in death on March 12, 1994. A homemaker, she also had worked for Salant & Salant before retiring after 27 years of service. Her church membership was with Bethlehem Baptist Church near Whiteville. Faith and family were top priorities for Mrs. Henley and she enjoyed tending to and nourishing her flowers in her leisure time.

She leaves three daughters, Janice Faye Lax of Somerville, Linda Lois Kirkland (James) of Toone and Brenda Henson (Rickey) of Whiteville; two daughters-in-law, Dot Henley of Somerville and Joan Henley of Oakland; 17 grandchildren, 34 great-grandchildren and 39 great-great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by five sons, Jerry, Terry, Audrey Burton, Jr., Jimmy and Bobby Glenn Henley; an infant daughter; two grandchildren, Hunter Kirkland and Christian Nicole Nix; her sister, Doris Graham Chesser; three brothers, Bobby, Charles and Billy Jace Graham; and son-in-law, Riley Lax.

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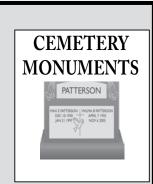
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DANIEL ARLANDER SWINFORD

June 2, 1950 - June 27, 2018

Daniel Arlander Swinford, age 68, of Pocahontas, TN. was born on June 2, 1950. He went to be with the Lord on June 27 in Memphis, TN at 4:26 p.m.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, July 1, 2018 at Shackelford Funeral Directors' Middleton Chapel with Jamie Hodoe, Fred Wilbanks and Jesse Cutrer officiating. Interment followed in Gentry Chapel Cemetery.

Growing up he lived in Middleton, attending school and playing for the Middleton Tigers. He married the love of his life, Mary Lou Flake, on June 9, 1971 and they raised four children together. He went to work early in life and worked briefly at Dover before starting a career at Western Mental Health Institute in Bolivar. He spent the next 32 years faithfully providing for his family till he retired.

Throughout the years, he became a skilled plumber, carpenter, electrician, and gas technician.



Bro. Swinford was a minister of the gospel, born into an era of revival fire. He gave his heart to God, and was filled with the Holy Ghost, speaking in tongues, and baptized in the only saving name of Jesus. He pastored Gentry Chapel Holiness Church in Middleton, TN. During those 11 years he was priviledged to baptize over 50 people in Jesus Name. He also briefly pastored Zion's Chapel (Ashland, MS), Jesus Name Community Church (Block building) in Walnut, MS. Throughout the span of many years he authored four different mission works to the cities of Grand Junction and Hickory Valley. He spent many years helping establish and working on the building at Soul's Harbor in Walnut, MS pastored by Rev. Jesse Cutrer. After retiring from pastoring he attending Gentry Chapel faithfully until his passing. He was a man of great faith, loyal and giving. Believing up until his death that God had the power to perform a miracle if God chose.

Rev. Daniel Swinford was preceded in Death by his mother, Florence M. McCollum, and father, Thomas Orlando Swinford. He leaves behind his wife of 47 years, Mary Lou Swinford. His children, Michael (Christi) Swinford, Shari (Rick) Brassfield, Angela (Jamie) Hodoe, and Carrie (Steve) Dixon. His grandchildren were many, Channing Green, Riley Embrey, Lakyn Embrey, Jonathan Swinford, Elizabeth Swinford, Emily Swinford, Tyler (Kelsey) Hodoe, Ciera Anthony, Matthew Dixon, Joshua Dixon, Bethany Dixon, and Jonathan Dixon. He was also proud of his six great-grandchildren.

He leaves behind his sisters, Helen Gooch from Ripley, MS., Doris Hopkins and Ruby Vanstory both from Ashland, MS., and Linda Adams of North Carolina.

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FAITH

Sunrise: Imagine by David Coy

Knowledge is crucial to every facet of life, even and especially during one's journey with grief. Numerous people have informed me they're seeking information that they hoped would explain the number of questions they had concerning their grief experience. It never ceases to amaze as highly we as a society value information, how we also have shut out any desire to be educated before trauma strikes about grief. Only when it strikes us personally do we as a society take an interest. As individuals we desire to know more than we as a society. While

knowledge is so very important, sometimes we come up against a mental block and we do not understand how there is anything beyond where our knowledge has led us up to our mental block.

We then ask ourselves, how can I go on? This is where and when we may benefit from the words of Albert Einstein, "Imagination is more important than knowledge. For knowledge is limited to all we know and understand, while imagination embraces the entire world, and all there ever will be to know and understand." I have had people express to me they thought they were going 'crazy' or they no longer had purpose to fulfill in their life or they just could not go on any further. Sometimes in our pain and sorrow we are so overwhelmed that we cannot see the path forward. Mr Einstein asks us to allow our imagination to guide us when reason seems to fail us. He went on to say while knowledge is limited, imagination encircles the world. When we are stuck and we keep coming up with roadblocks of unanswered questions, our imagination may provide the comfort that our lack of knowledge and understanding does not. This is Sunrise Aftercare, sunrise@sfdcares.com

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Defending the Faith: Part 1 by Jeff Capshaw

In the last ten weeks here, I discussed the Christian worldview. This week I introduce another brief series closely related: defending the Christian faith.

The division of Christian Theology concerned with defending the Christian world and life view is Christian Apologetics. The English word "apologetics" comes from the New Testament Greek word apologia: "defense." Thus, Apologetics has nothing to do with "apologizing" per se, as in saying "I'm sorry."

According to Millard J. Erickson's Concise Dictionary of Christian Theology, apologetics is "that branch of Christian theology which has at its aim the reasoned advocacy of the Christian faith." Erickson continues, "it includes both positive arguments for the truths of Christianity and rebuttals of criticisms leveled at it" (p.14). Yet, is there any warrant for such a posture in the Bible itself? Yes; there is.

For example I Peter 3:15 says, "but in your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect, . . ." (ESV, emphasis added). Thus, "to make a defense" is to apologia.

Another example in the New Testament for justifying a defense of the Christian faith is found in Acts 17:16-34. Bible students refer to this passage as Paul's Mars Hill Address or Paul's Areopagus Sermon. Therefore, this week I briefly discuss Peter's instruction and reserve Paul's speech in Acts for next week's article.

First Peter teaches an important but often ignored lesson. In addition to "always being ready," the Christian apologist ought not exude an attitude of superiority or arrogance. Instead, Peter encourages the apologist to approach humbly the apologetic task with "gentleness and respect." Such a demeanor reminds one of Jesus' admonition in Matthew 10:16. There he instructed his disciples that, in spite of being sent out into a hostile environment "among wolves," they were to be "wise as serpents but harmless as doves."

Second, Peter also reminds his readers not to neglect the real key to defending the faith: honoring Christ as Lord from the heart. Since Christ is Lord of all (of the defender, of the knowledge used, etc.), the Christian apologist must remember that the true source of power is the indwelling Christ. Without his presence and aid, all efforts to defend the faith will be anemic at best and futile at worst.

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The Value of a Contented Life #2

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Paul was speaking about his own life when he said, "Not that I speak from want, for I have learned to be content in whatever circumstances I am." (Philippians 4:11) So many people in our society live lives that could only be described as "discontented." They are never satisfied,



never content with where they are in circumstances of life. They are always searching for things that will make them happy and bring fulfillment; and to them, life is a never-ending struggle to see who has the most stuff. The scriptures teach us NOT to be discontent, but to be content in 1 Timothy 6:6-8, But godliness actually is a means of great gain when accompanied by contentment. For we have brought nothing into the world, so we cannot take anything out of it either. If we have food and covering, with these we shall be content." Contentment has value!

(3) Contentment shows thankfulness.

I don't know if we have ever thought about it, but to be discontent is to say, in some degree or other, "I can't be thankful for what I already have—I want something else." It can be like the kid who gets a red toy, when he really wanted a blue one, and doesn't show any kind of thankfulness for someone's generosity. But being content with what we have shows that we place value in God's blessings to us. There is a peace that comes with knowing that what little or much we have is from the Lord. (James 1:17) And may we never forget that a thankful heart leads to contentment.

(4) Contentment is God's will for our lives.

I hope no one misunderstands what I am trying to say about scripture's teaching on how we look at our possessions and contentment. I am not saying it is wrong to buy better things or upgrade when we have opportunity. What I am saying is that when we let that get out of control and impact our lives in very hurtful and negative ways—that is not God's will for our lives. God wants the best for us and does not want our lives out of balance like those in the world. And if the world's mold is to be discontent, never satisfied, and always striving to get the best this world has to offer now—then let us be different (Romans 12:1-2; Hebrews 13:5). Contentment may require us to believe and trust in God to reward us with what is better than all the treasures of material gain here and now (Hebrews 11:26). May we truly believe that, "godliness with contentment is great gain?"



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Hardeman County Community Calendar

Music on the Square will feature Affirmation Friday, July 6 at 7:00 p.m. with Wolf River Band taking the stage at 8 at the Bolivar Downtown Amphitheatre. Concessions will be available.

The Bolivar Farmers Market is open each Saturday and Tuesday at 7:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Call Market Manager Mike Malone at 659-1521 for more information and to participate. The Bolivar Farmers Market is part of PickTennessee Products.

Lifeline Blood Services will be at 809 West Market St. on Friday, July 6 from noon -5p.m. Register online at lifelinebloodserv.org. Please remember your photo ID.

Marsha Blackburn will be at Homerun Pizza Saturday, July 7 at 4:30. Public is invited to attend.

The Hardeman County Mayoral and Sheriff Debate will be on July 10 at 6:00 p.m. in the BCHS auditorium. All other candidates are invited to address the audience before the debate. It will be broadcast live on WMOD and on County Journal Television and is brought to you by WMOD, the *Bolivar Bulletin Times* and the HC Branch of the NAACP.

The Hardeman County Chamber of Commerce will have Coffee Talk on July 13 at 8:00 a.m. at the Bolivar-HC Regional Library.

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The Bolivar-Hardeman County Library has Pre-school Story Time & Activity each Monday at 3:30 p.m., Adult Rock Painting each Tuesday at 10:00 a.m., Crafternoon on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m., Toddler Story Time each Thursday at 10:30 a.m., and Lego Club each Thursday at 3:30 p.m., See their full activities list on their Facebook, Instagram, or twitter pages.

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The Bolivar Police Dept. is partnering with the TN Highway Safety Office for its fifth annual Seatbelts are for Everyone campaign through August 1. In TN, a disproportionate percentage of unrestrained fatalities tend to occur between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 5:59 a.m., and fifty percent of Tennessee's fatalities are unbelted. Buckle up, it saves lives, and it's the law. For more information, visit tntrafficsafety.com.

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Agriculture Division of Forestry is remining citizens of the online burn permit system, that is free, fast and simple at BurnSafeTN.org or at Bolivar City Hall. Call 658-2020.

The Bolivar Senior Center has BINGO every Tuesday and Thursday at 10:00 a.m. Call Director Peggy Adelman for information on what's happening at the Senior Center this month. 658-2887.

AA Meeting on Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. at Parrans Chapel, 9390 Old Highway 64. Contact Dianne S at 694-3161.

Bolivar AA Meetings Mondays and Fridays 8:00-9:00 p.m., FUMC in Bolivar. Call 609-9679.

Middleton AA Group meets every Thursday and Saturday at 7:00 p.m. at the United Methodist Church on Main St., in Middleton. Call 609-9697 for details.

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

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

The Bipolar/Depression Support Group will meet each Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at Horizons Peer Support Center on 428 Market Street in Bolivar. For more information, call Shirley Kelley at 609-9318.

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

Have something to tell everyone? Email editor@hardemancountyjournal.com

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RECENTLY **UPDATED!**

236 MARION **CREEKMORE DRIVE BOLIVAR • Price:** \$179,500

Bedroom, 2 home with approxi. 2,056 sq. ft., 2 car garage, fenced back yard and patio! Recently received updates throughout. Beautiful kitchen, eating area, stainless appliances, tile flooring, wood ceiling, nice utility room, sunken den with brick fireplace and dining room This home has lots of extras and location is great with view of lake from front porch.



800 West Market Street

Bolivar, TN

15445 HIGHWAY 18 S • BOLIVAR Price: \$89,500

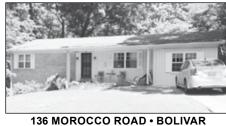
Looking for Privacy? 3 Bedroom, 2 bath brick home with 1.9 acres. With over 1,280 square feet of living area, you'll have to see how nice the interior is with updated kitchen and baths, and hardwood in the den! Best of all, it's tucked away from the Highway for only you to enjoy!



Price: \$179,900

Check this one out, inside the city of Bolivar. 6 Bedroom, 4 Bath Brick Home. Perfect for Mother-In-Law living quarters or just a great home for a large family! This home has 2 dens. 2 kitchens. 2 utility rooms, a 2-car garage, nice patio with hot tub, and a fenced in back yard! Ready to move into, this home is priced to move fast!

AFFILIATE BROKERS: Blake Sain, Bobby Doyle, James Hicks, Dajuan Sain, Amy Sain and Don Young



Price: \$129,500

Home with Basement! 3 or 4 bedroom, 2 bath home located inside the city limits in a great location with a beautiful wooded lot! It has approx. 1,800 sq.ft. of living area and features 2 bedrooms, kitchen, eating area, living room, den and dining room upstairs, and 2 bedrooms, den, utility, and bath downstairs.

CENTRAL HEAT AND AIR!

1420 VIRGINIA

DRIVE • BOLIVAR Price: \$98,500

You will love this 3 Bedroom. 2 Bath brick home! This home is in great condition, has approx. 1800 sq. ft., central heat and air, carport. really nice backyard and is priced to sell! Call Jackie Sain at 658-0342 today for an appointment to view this home.

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

Sale at public auction will be on July 24, 2018 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 TIMOTHY SWIFT AND APRIL SWIFT, to Fayette County Title, Trustee, on April 15, 2003, at Record Book 597, Page 725-744 as Instrument No. 37471 in the real property records

Owner of Debt: Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, successor by merger to Wells Fargo Bank Minnesota, National Association, as Trustee f/k/a Norwest Bank Minnesota, National Association, as Trustee for First Franklin Mortgage Loan Trust, 2003-FF3

of Hardeman County Register's

Office, Tennessee.

The following real estate located in Hardeman County, Tennessee, will be sold to the highest call bidder subject to all unpaid taxes, prior liens and encumbrances of record:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the lot belonging to H.W. Black and runs north with the same 173 to the line of Sid Williams; thence south 173 feet to a stake, to the street (Jackson); thence east with Jackson Street 82 feet to the beginning.

Tax ID: 070P K 030.00 Current Owner(s) of Property: TIMOTHY SWIFT AND APRIL **SWIFT**

The street address of the above described property is believed to be 312 West Jackson Street, 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.

THE RIGHT IS RESERVED TO ADJOURN THE DAY OF THE SALE TO ANOTHER DAY, TIME AND PLACE CERTAIN WITHOUT FURTHER UPON PUBLICATION, ANNOUNCEMENT AT THE TIME AND PLACE FOR THE SALE SET FORTH ABOVE. THE TERMS OF SALE ARE CASH. ANY TAXES OR FEES WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PURCHASER. IF THE SALE IS SET ASIDE FOR ANY REASON, THE PURCHASER AT THE SALE SHALL BE ENTITLED ONLY TO A RETURN OF THE PURCHASE PRICE. THE PURCHASER SHALL HAVE NO FURTHER RECOURSE AGAINST THE GRANTOR, THE GRANTEE, OR THE TRUSTEE.

INTERESTED OTHER PARTIES: FIRST FRANKLIN FINANCIAL CORPORATION

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

applicable, the notice requirements of T.C.A. 35-5-101 have been met.

All right of equity of redemption, statutory and otherwise, and homestead are expressly waived in said Deed of Trust, 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. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the purchase price. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney.

MWZM File No. 16-001446-

Mackie Wolf Zientz & Mann, P.C., Substitute Trustee(s) PREMIER BUILDING, SUITE 404 5217 MARYLAND WAY Brentwood, Tennessee 37027 PHONE: (615) 238-3630 EMAIL: TNSALES@MWZMLAW.

BCNS 139850 SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S **SALE**

Sale at public auction will be on July 24, 2018 on or about 1:00PM 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 ARETHA GREEN AND FREIDA HERRON, to Arnold M. Weiss, Trustee, on February 20, 2004, at Record Book 604, Page 33 as Instrument No. 46326 in the real property records of Hardeman County Register's Office, Tennessee.

Owner of Debt: THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK AS TRUSTEE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF THE CWABS INC., ASSET-CERTIFICATES, BACKED SERIES 2004-4

The following real estate located in Hardeman County, Tennessee, will be sold to the highest call bidder subject to all unpaid taxes, prior liens and encumbrances of record:

All that certain parcel of land situate in the 2nd Civil District of Hardeman County, Tennessee, being known and described as

follows: Beginning at a cotton picker spindle in the center of Vildo Road, being the Northeast corner of the Margaret H. Tucker property (R-9/220), runs thence with the center of said road South 46 degrees 14 minutes East 175.2 feet to a cotton picker spindle, being the Northeast corner of the residue of the Alan Moss property; thence with the North boundary line of said residue South 52 degrees 36 minutes West 159.3 feet to a steel post in the East boundary line of said residue South 52 feet 36 minutes West 159.3 feet to a steel post in the East boundary line of said Tucker property, being the Northwest corner of said residue; thence with the East boundary line of said Tucker property North 01 degree 14 minutes East 271.9 feet to the point of beginning, containing

0.317 acres. Per certificate of Survey by L. Wayne Yates, R.L.S #486, Bolivar, Tennessee, dated December 2,

Being the same property as conveyed from Alan Moss and Janette H. Moss to Freida Herron and Aretha Green, as described in Deed Book L16 Page 108, Recorded 05/08/1998 in HARDEMAN Count

Records.

Tax ID: 50-11-01 Tax ID: 50-11-01

Current Owner(s) of Property: ARETHA GREEN AND FREIDA HERRON

The street address of the above described property is believed to be 1875 Vildo Road, 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 OCCUPANT(S) RIGHTS IN POSSESSION.

THE RIGHT IS RESERVED TO ADJOURN THE DAY OF THE SALE TO ANOTHER TIME AND PLACE CERTAIN WITHOUT FURTHER PUBLICATION, **UPON** ANNOUNCEMENT AT THE TIME AND PLACE FOR THE SALE SET FORTH ABOVE. THE TERMS OF SALE ARE CASH. ANY TAXES OR FEES WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PURCHASER. IF THE SALE IS SET ASIDE FOR ANY REASON, THE PURCHASER AT THE SALE SHALL BE ENTITLED ONLY TO A RETURN OF THE PURCHASE PRICE. PURCHASER SHALL HAVE FURTHER RECOURSE AGAINST THE GRANTOR, THE GRANTEE, OR THE TRUSTEE.

OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES: None

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If applicable, the notice requirements of T.C.A. 35-5-101 have been met.

All right of equity of redemption, statutory and otherwise, and homestead are expressly waived in said Deed of Trust, 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 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. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the purchase price. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney.

MWZM File No. 18-000096-

Mackie Wolf Zientz & Mann, P.C., Substitute Trustee(s) PREMIER BUILDING, SUITE 404 5217 MARYLAND WAY Brentwood, Tennessee 37027 PHONE: (615) 238-3630 EMAIL: TNSALES@MWZMLAW.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of a Deed of Trust Note dated July 24, 2017, and the Deed of Trust of even date securing the same, recorded July 28, 2017, in Book No. 746, at Page 720, in Office of the Register of Deeds

for Hardeman County, Tennessee, executed by Shirley Hornsby, conveying certain property therein described to Old Republic Title Company of Tennessee as Trustee for Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for State Farm Bank, F.S.B., its successors and assigns; and the undersigned, Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., having been appointed Successor Trustee by State Farm Bank, F.S.B..

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable; and that an agent of Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., as Successor Trustee, by virtue of the power, duty, and authority vested in and imposed upon said Successor Trustee, by State Farm Bank, F.S.B., will, on July 26, 2018 on or about 1:00 PM, at the Hardeman County Courthouse, Bolivar, Tennessee, offer for sale certain property hereinafter described to the highest bidder FOR certified funds paid at the conclusion of the sale, or credit bid from a bank or other lending entity pre-approved by the successor trustee. The sale is free from all exemptions, which are expressly waived in the Deed of Trust, said property being real estate situated in Hardeman County, Tennessee, and being more particularly described as follows:

FOLLOWING DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE, SITUATED AND BEING IN THE 5TH CIVIL DISTRICT, THE COUNTY OF HARDEMAN, STATE OF TENNESSEE, TO-WIT: TRACT 1: LOT 411 OF THE WCCDRUN SUBDIVISION AS PER PLAT OF RECORD IN THE REGISTER'S OFFICE OF HARDEMAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE AT PLAT BOCK 3, PAGE 28 TO WHICH **REFERENCE** IS MADE HEREBY FOR A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION SAID PROPERTY, AND SUBJECT TO THE RESTRICTIONS OF SAID SUBDIVISION RECORDED IN DEED BOCK D-5, PAGE 28 IN SAID REGISTER'S OFFICE, CONTROL MAP 170-K GROUP B, PARCEL 01400. TRACT 2: LOT 410, WOODRUN SUBDIVISION, AS SHOWN ON PLAT OF RECORD IN PLAT BOCK 3, PAGE 28 IN THE REGISTER'S OFFICE OF HARDEMAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE TO WHICH PLAT REFERENCE IS HEREBY MADE FOR A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF SAID PROPERTY.

ALSO KNOWN AS: 410 Woodrun Drive, Middleton, TN

This sale is subject to all matters shown on any applicable recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements, or setback lines that may be applicable; any statutory rights of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose. In addition, the following parties may claim an interest in the above-referenced property:

SHIŘLEY HORNSBY

MICHELLE HARRISON ESTATE OF SHIRLEY HEIRS **SHIRLEY**

KELLY LOMAX ALAN LOMAX TAMARA EASTON BILLY JOE KEEL

HORNSBY

The sale held pursuant to this Notice may be rescinded at the Successor Trustee's option at any time. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. In the event of inclement weather, the trustee hereby announces that the sale will be postponed for a period of two weeks. In such situations, notices will be mailed to interested parties of record. W&A No. 330909 DATED June 25, 2018

WILSON & ASSOCIATES, P.L.L.C., Successor Trustee

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HARDEMAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE NOTICE TO CREDITORS

PROBATE NO. P-2150

ESTATE OF CARNEY GRAHAM late of Hardeman County, Tennessee

Notice is Hereby Given that on the 27th day of June, 2018, Letters Testamentary in respect of the Estate of Carney Graham, deceased, who died April 29, 2018, were issued to the

undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk of Hardeman County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and

non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required by law to file the ne with the Clerk of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1) (A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting, as the case may be) of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this Notice to Creditors at least sixty (60) days before date that is four (4) months from the date of the first

publication (or posting); or (B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the Notice to

Creditors, if the creditor received the copy of the Notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting) as described in (1) (A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

All persons indebted to the above Estate must come forward and make proper settlement with the undersigned at once.

This 27th day of June, 2018.

THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS

FILE CLAIMS IN TRIPLICATE WITH:

JANICE M. BODIFORD, CLERK & MASTER P.O. BOX 45 BOLIVAR, TN 38008

Billy T. Graham Executor

Janice M. Bodiford Clerk & Master

LEGALS

SECTION 00 11 16 – INVITATION FOR BIDS

Lashlee-Rich, INC, Construction Manager for the Hardeman County Board of Education will receive bids for Middleton High School Gym for Hardeman County Board of Education at the Hardeman County Court House located at 100 Main Street, Bolivar, TN 38008 until 2:00 p.m., Local Time, on July 12, 2018. Bids will be opened and read aloud.

Bids will be received on the following Bid Packages:

Asphalt Paving Concrete Structural & Misc. Steel Roofing, Insulation & Sheet Metal Firestopping, Caulking & Sealants Door Hardware Glass & Glazing Metal Studs & Drywall Wood Athletic Flooring **Epoxy Resinous Flooring** Interior Signage & Plaque Toilet Accessories Metal Lockers Gym Equipment

Pre-Engineered Metal Building

Plumbing

Electrical

Termite Control Masonry Millwork **Gutters & Downspouts** Hollow Metal Frames & Doors Coiling Doors **Aluminum Entrances & Storefronts Acoustical Ceilings and Panels** Resilient Flooring & Base Painting **Toilet Partitions** Fire Extinguisher & Cabinet Aluminum Walkway Covers Telescoping Bleachers Fire Protection **HVAC**

Plans and Specifications may be viewed at www.hubcityblueprint.com.

No bid will be received or accepted after the above specified time for receipt of bids. Such bids may be deemed invalid and returned unopened to the Bidder.

Plans, Specifications and other Contract Documents may be examined at the office of the Construction Manager, Lashlee-Rich, Inc., 1100 W. Main St., Humboldt, TN 38343, West Tennessee Plan Room, 439 Airways Blvd., Jackson, TN 38301, Builders Exchange, 642 South Cooper, Memphis, TN 38104 and Dodge Plan Room @ www.construction.com.

Copies of the documents may be obtained by depositing \$300.00 with the Construction Manager, Lashlee-Rich, Inc., P.O. Box 483, 1100 W. Main St., Humboldt, TN 38343. Check should be made payable to Hardeman County Board of Education.

The full amount of the deposit will be returned to all bidders providing the plans and specifications are returned to the Construction Manager in satisfactory condition within seven (7) days after the bid date. The deposit will also be returned to the successful bidder.

A certified check or bank draft, payable to Hardeman County Board of Education, U.S. Government bonds, or a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder and acceptable sureties in an amount equal to five percent

(5%) of the bid, shall be submitted with each Labor and Material Bid or Labor Only Bid in excess of \$25,000.00.

The successful bidder, submitting a Labor and Material Bid or Labor Only Bid in excess of \$25,000.00, will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory performance and payment bond or bonds.

Hardeman County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any informalities in the bidding and to choose the bidder that the Owner believes to be in its best interest.

No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of 60 days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of Hardeman County Board of Education.

All bidders must be licensed Contractors as required by the Contractors Licensing Act of 1976, enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee on March 21, 1976 and as currently amended, TCA 62-6-119.

The bidders' name, license number, date of expiration of the license and license classification must be placed on the outside of the envelope containing the bid except when the bid is in amount less than twenty five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00). Failure of any bidder to comply shall void the bid and the envelope shall not be opened or considered.

When the bid is less than twenty five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00), the name of the Contractor only may appear on the outside of the envelope containing the bid; and upon opening the envelope, if the bid is in excess of twenty five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00), the bid shall automatically be disqualified.

All bidders shall place the Drug Free Work Place Affidavit, Section 00 45 00, in a separate envelope and attach to the outside of the sealed envelope containing the bid. (NO EXCEPTIONS ALLOWED). The bid will not be opened unless this requirement is followed.

Effective January 1, 2011, a masonry subcontractor must be licensed with an "LMC" classification in order to bid or to be listed on the outside of bid envelope as a Licensed Masonry Contractor (LMC) when the masonry portion is \$100,000 or more (including materials and labor). The BC-9 or BC will not be acceptable.

All bidders shall comply with Public Chapter 587 of 2007, as codified in Tennessee Code Annotated Section 49-5-413, which required all contractors to facilitate a criminal history records checks conducted by the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation for each employee prior to permitting the employee to have contact with students or enter school grounds when students are present.

Bids over \$10,000.00, Must be Sealed.

Hardeman County Board of Education Bolivar, TN

By: Dr. Warner Ross, Director

Date: 06/01/18

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E V E N T S R E S O L E

FLASH BACK

- 1. Gerry Rafferty, in 1978. The song spent four weeks in the No. 1 slot in the U.S. He's from Scotland.
- 2. "First," recorded in 1973. Gates was the lead singer for Bread. The group netted only one No. 1 song,
- 'Make It With You" in 1970.
- 3. The Temptations, in 1964. Songwriter Smokey Robinson was disappointed by its lack of success and turned his attention instead to "My Girl," creating The Temptations' first No. 1 hit.
- 4. The Supremes, in 1964. Before recording, the group wasn't happy with the song, saying it lacked a hook. The song went to No. 1.
- 5. "Chuck E's in Love," by Rickie Lee Jones in 1979. Jones had a friend by the name of Chuck who suddenly disappeared. Turned out he'd moved out of state overnight to be with a girl he loved.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of a Deed of Trust Note dated April 21, 2017, and the Deed of Trust of even date securing the same, recorded April 21, 2017, in Book No. 744, at Page 407, in Office of the Register of Deeds for Hardeman County, Tennessee, executed by Lawanda Young and Dantez Kareem Young, conveying certain property therein described to Terry Abernathy as Trustee for Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for American Bancshares Mortgage, LLC., its successors and assigns; and the undersigned, Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., having been appointed Successor Trustee by The Money Source,

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable; and that an agent of Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., as Successor Trustee, by virtue of the power, duty, and authority vested in and imposed upon said Successor Trustee, by The Money Source, Inc., will, on August 9, 2018 on or about 1:00 PM, at the Hardeman County Courthouse, Bolivar, Tennessee, offer for sale certain property hereinafter described to the highest bidder FOR certified funds paid at the conclusion of the sale, or credit bid from a bank or other lending entity preapproved by the successor trustee. The sale is free from all exemptions, which are expressly waived in the Deed of Trust, said property being real estate situated in Hardeman County, Tennessee, and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a stake 30 foot east of center in Blacktop road in the driveway to the house that stands on this one acre, and just east of the house French Smith lives and ran all bearing Magnetic, runs with old fence North 65 degrees East 209 feet to a stake in deep ditch; thence South 31 degrees East 209 feet to a stake, a Southeast corner of this one acre; thence South 65 degrees West 209 feet to a stake 30 foot east of center in blacktop road; thence with east margin of the blacktop road North 31 degrees West 209 feet to the point of beginning, containing only one acre.

ALSO KNOWN AS: 3305 Mississippi Rd, Saulsbury, TN 38067

This sale is subject to all matters shown on any applicable recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements, or setback lines that may be applicable; any statutory rights of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose. In addition, the following parties may claim an interest in the above-referenced property:

LAWANDA YOUNG

DANTEZ KAREEM YOUNG

The sale held pursuant to this Notice may be rescinded at the Successor Trustee's option at any time. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. In the event of inclement weather, the trustee hereby announces that the sale will be postponed for a period of two weeks. In such situations, notices will be mailed to interested parties of record. W&A No. 330537

DATED June 11, 2018 WILSON & ASSOCIATES, P.L.L.C., Successor Trustee

EDNA'S PAGE ANSWERS FROM A4

BIBLE TRIVIA

ANSWERS: 1) Neither; 2) Liberty; 3) Truth; 4) Romans; 5) 0; 6) Paul

SPORTS QUIZ

- 1. The 2011 St. Louis Cardinals won the World Series and made the playoffs in 2012.
- 2. It was 1972.
- 3. Lawrence Taylor of the New York Giants, in 1986.
- 4. Tom Meschery, Matthew Dellave-
- dova and Patty Mills. 5. Twelve straight seasons (2007-
- 2018).
- 6. Jimmie Johnson, in 2007. 7. It was 2000.

TRIVIA TEST

Answers

- 1. Frank James 2. Between the outer and middle ear (eardrum)
- 4. Johann Wyss
- 3. Bob Dylan
- 5. Mg 6. Lisbon
- 7. Fred 8. Bird
- 9. Radius 10. Morton Salt

COMMUNITY NEWS

Silerton Mary Lynn Lambert 609-6455

Prayers for Norma Jean Sedberry. She was hospitalized at JMCGH for pneumonia.

Condolences for the family of Mr and Mrs. Drew Hearnsberger. Their infant daughter, Ellie Marie, died Saturday, June 23. Ellie's mother, Brooke, is the daughter of Keith Jernigan and Michelle Jernigan,

granddaughter of Ricky and Pat (Howell) Rowland and great granddaughter of Mary Sue (Stack) Howell and the late Elmo Howell. Paternal great grandparents were Drew and Jessie Rowland. Ellie was an 8th generation descendant of Jessie Siler, one of the original settlers of Silerton.

The Silerton community welcomes Bobbie Barr to Silerton, TN. She moved here May 18 from Omaha, Nebraska. When asked if she was experiencing culture shock, she replied, "Yes, Silerton is quite different but I am thoroughly enjoying the people. Omaha was a busy city. I am enjoying the slower pace and the quietness. The people are all so sweet and very friendly. Bobbie said about herself that she is a unique person. She loves meeting new people and always is willing to talk to strangers in hope of making friends. Bobbie writes, "In Omaha, I started the Nebraska Parrot Rescue in 2006 and currently have 23 parrots in my home. They range from a canary to four Macaws plus cockatoos. If you have any questions about parrots, please feel free to call at 731-659-2142. I would be happy to groom your parrots. If you are interested in seeing the birds, please just let me know. During 2011-2012, I adopted out over 500 parrots and we are still going strong. I will continue adopting birds here. I also have three tortoises, one sulcata tortoise that is over 65 pounds and two red foot tortoises. They love this Tennessee humidity."

The homemade ice cream social held on Saturday, June 23, at the Baptist church was a very enjoyable event. After enjoying the ice cream, attendees settled down to playing games.

I encourage all readers to call and share stories and special memories of people who are associated with Silerton. Let's stay connected.

Toone Glenn Yarbrough 731-609-0939 gnyarb@bellsouth.net

Hello from Toone! I hope everyone had a very happy and safe '4th of July' Holiday. With the 4th falling in the middle of the week on Wednesday this year, I'm sure it was difficult for some of you to make plans, since most employers were open the two days before and after leaving just one vacation day. Many families plan their vacations the week of the 4th so they can celebrate all week long!

Toone residents and visitors from all around the county celebrated our Nation's birthday with the Town's annual 4th of July Fireworks Spectacular. It was yet another fun evening of live music, delicious food concessions and one of the best fireworks displays you will find anywhere around. And as always, we would like to say thank you to Police Chief, Jerry Siler, and the many hard-working volunteers and generous sponsors who make this wonderful event possible each year.

The 'Yarbrough Clan' always schedules our big family reunion for the Saturday before the 4th of July, so the individual families can plan their own activities for the actual holiday. We had a great turn-out for this year's event, despite the sweltering heat and humidity. Family members enjoyed a fun day of swimming, kayaking, paddle boats, playing fun games, followed by a delicious potluck dinner, and a fireworks display after dark, but the best part of the day is the quality time spent visiting with other family members.

Speaking of reunions, the Chism, Whitford and Cobb Families will reunite for their 37th Family Reunion, July 13-15. The Host Hotel is the Holiday Inn and Suites at Wolfchase in Memphis. The festivities begin with a meet and greet, Friday evening, July 13, in Lakeland. It's western night featuring boots and western hats with a bit of two stepping and line dancing, with a "Pride of the South" Fish Fry later that evening. On Saturday, July 24, the family will tour the National Civil Rights Museum in Downtown Memphis, as well as other attractions. There's a banquet on Saturday evening that includes a program and Family History to be read, a video presentation and a memorial service for all our deceased members. On Sunday we return to Hardeman County for Worship services at the Clover Chapel Church in Cloverport Tennessee. A farewell brunch will occur after Services. All three families are from the Toone/ Cloverport area in rural West Tennessee. The families became related when Chism and Cobb Men married Whitford Women. In the late 60's a large number of family members moved to several of the Northern states to find employment. For more information, contact Ham and Bernice Finley, in Toone, or, Aaron Chism, in Memphis.

Be sure to share your Community events with our readers by contacting me at the phone number or email address listed in the heading of this article. Until next time. . . . talk to your neighbor!

Middleton Bonnie Callahan bonnieshealthyliving@comcast.net

Continue to remember the sick and shut-ins in your prayers. Those I know of are: Peggy Baker, Helen Coffman, Sharon Azotea, David Burcham, Linsey Parmley, Travis Kennedy, Johnny Matthews, Betty Matthews, Grady Matthews, Clara Jones, Sandy Rodgers, Eugene Hodge, Pat Hodge, Lloyd Bell, Patsy Bell, Margaret Brumbelow, LaWanda Vickers, Sonny McCarter, Lee Bell, Darian Chasteen,

Easton Gray, Mike Kelly, Naomi Griffin, Annette Allen, Charles Lanier, Doris Vickers, Larry Sanders. Ray Rixie, Isla Rose McAlpin, Liam Cruz McAlpin. Cheryl Russell, Cindy Rixie, Genita Burgess, Foy Norwood, Steve Matthews, Benny Luker, Amy Felks and Dorris Medlin.

Condolences to Bobbie Hawkins family and Rev Daniel Swinford family.

A special thanks to Mrs. Betty Burnett for bringing me a lot of best choice labels.

Welcome to Middleton Community, Steve and Elaine Matthews.

Middleton is excited to see progress being made on the New Middleton Gym.

Bonnie's grandson Luke spent three days with her last week. He enjoyed going to the water pad in Selmer with Asa, Dara and Allison. The next day Colton and Faith came over and Colton and Luke got to play together. Bonnie enjoyed having her grands over.

Middleton Methodist Church will have their Senior Luncheon the second Friday which will be July 13 at the fellowship hall at the Methodist Church.

Jesus Name Community Church will have their Young at Heart lunch the 3rd Tuesday which will be July 17.

Thanks to those who are saving the Best Choice labels for the Middleton Woman's Club. This helps with the ongoing projects the Middleton Woman's Club does.

Thanks to those calling and giving me people that are sick and/or news. Call 731-376-8202 or email at bonnieshealthyliving@comcast.net with any news.

Hornsby 731-609-1210 amber.moore 04@yahoo.com

Hello to all from Hornsby! First I would like to say thank you to all the wonderful adults who helped the youth with YEP last week. Everything I have heard has been wonderful, and it is such a joy to see and hear when anyone is out helping, and spreading the word of Christ to people. Thank you to Hornsby Baptist Church and the community for the wonderful 4th of July events. Lots of great food,

fun, fireworks, and fellowship was for all to enjoy who wanted to. Sunday night was fun for those who came to the church for homemade ice cream. The Hornsby Baptist Church Youth will be doing a summer mission trip in Orange Beach July 18 through the 22, for more details you can contact Bro. Matt Emerson or Matt Moore. On the 5th Sunday night of the month July 29 come out at 5:00 to sing some praises of old songs

and hymns. If you would like to know more about participating in the choir contact Lynn Gibson. If you have any stories you would like to share about the history of the community please contact me, I would love to share them. I know our prayer list is long but please lift these people up I know there are more out there.

Please remember to pray for the following: Kathy Anthony, Sydni Aylor, Laura Baker, Patricia Baker, Terry Baker, Wilbur Baker, Max Beck, Greg Breeden, Melanie Bowers, Eddie Bryant, Amanda Cornelius, Kenneth Crawford, Sue Day, Elynor DeBerry, Nancy Dillard, Bobbie Dorris, Matthew Dorris, Rich Emerson, Shirley Emerson, Esther Galigher, Sue Hall, James Hanna, Kristian Harris, Richard Hazelwood, Joy Herriman, Sue Hodge, Dewey Hopkins, Ann Hornsby, Willis Hornsby, Jo Edna Howell, Margaret Howell, Wade Howell, Kathleen Hyman, Charley Johnson, Ann Kelly, Aubrey King, Roger King, Debbie Laster, Shirley Lindsey, Nickie Lyles, Nell Maddox, Bobbie McBride, Betty McMahan, Orville McMahan, Diane Mehr, Margie Moore, Evan Nield, Lockie Newman, Joyce Overton, Timmy Parchman, Gay Pierce, Eloise Poole, Gail Pope, Paula Prince, Keith Raines, Stacy Spence, Ronna Spoon, Susan Thompson, Bertha Vaughn, Martyn Venuti, Lawanda Vickers, Josh Walton, Eddie Webb, Jennifer Wheeler, Piper Williams, Monica Yopp, the men and women who serve our country, and the families of the ones who are fighting cancer, and especially the lost.

His word for the week: 1 Peter "Live as people who are free, not using your freedom as a cover-up for evil, but living as servants of God" Praise God!!

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This year, we landed the biggest catfish I've ever caught. That memory will last a life time. Although putting him in the live well was "Mission Accomplished", there was a ton of work, prior. Numerous people think that fish is "SLICK", I can assure you it's not!! The Quest continues, I'm



in constant thought of ideas to land him. I will say this::: The day SLICK gets a ride in "HOOT'S" boat, everyone will be greatly sur-

The river is changing everyday, be aware each trip you make on it. Although it's hotter than a firecracker outside, need to message SLICK:::: you let me eyeball you that afternoon, yes as 17 years ago, you took my breath, one day, VICTORY will be mine! I'll make you a Legend and can promise this:::: you'll have a memory of "HOOT" embedded in your mind!!

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HARDEMAN COUNTY **ARREST** REPORT

Kimberly Jane Bailey, 49, 490 Issac Jordan Rd., Henderson, TN, Agg burglary, bond \$10,000, court date 7/3 (held)

Melinda Jean Brewer, 58, 1050 Pinetop Rd., Toone, TN, Domestic assault, no bond, court date 7/26 (released)

Larry Lee Brown, 44, 404 Blossom Lane, Bolivar, TN, Violation of probation (GS), bond \$2,500, court date 7/10 (released)

Jolanda Thi Bui, 55, 608 Mission Ridge Dr., Memphis, TN, Simple assault, no bond, court date 7/10 (released)

David Dewayne Driver, 19, 214 Simmons St., Whiteville, TN, Fail to report, bond \$2,500, court date 7/3 (held) Leona Ellen Duncan, 55, 890

Fitts Ross Rd., Bolivar, Driv on rev., no bond, court date 7/13 (released)

Paul Wayne Garrett, 42, 125 McKenzie Rd., Jackson, TN, Domestic assault, bond \$2,500,

court date 7/24 (released) Tomarcus O'Brian Gibson,

28, 155 Pearl Rd., Grand Junction, TN, 5 counts Reckless endangerment (felony), Evading in a motor vehicle, Speeding 56/40, bond \$50,000, court date 7/13 (released)

Patrick Glass, 43, 105 Smith Rd., Grand Junction, TN, Evading arrest, Violation of community supervision, bond \$100,000, court date 7/27 (held)

Oscar Leon Hoskins, 54, 1440 Vaughan Rd., Toone, TN, Identity theft, bond \$2,000, court date 7/10

Gary Levoro Jarrett, 49, 304 Tisdale St., Bolivar, TN, DUI 3rd offense, Reckless driving, Implied consent law, bond \$15,000, court date 7/10 (released)

Gregory Leon Jenkins, 36, 2635 Center Point, Hickory Valley, TN, Violation of probation, bond \$2,500, court date

Jerry Wayne Kuykendall, 64, 490 Issac Jordan Rd., Henderson, TN, Assault, no bond, court date 7/3 (released)

Damien Nathaniel Lambert, 22, 4580 Essary Springs Rd., Pocahontas, TN, Failed to report, bond \$2,500, court date 8/14 (released)

Zachary Taylor Lambert, 2145 New Hope Rd., Middleton, TN, Fail to report, bond \$2,500, court date 8/14 (released)

Becky Diane Lipford, 25, 130 Ohio Av., Middleton, TN, Driv on susp 1st offense, no bond, court date 7/13 (released)

Tony Maurice Luellen, 38, 140 Tommy Lp., Grand Junction, TN, Arson, 4 counts Reckless endangerment, 3 counts contempt of court, bond \$100,600, court date 7/10 & 7/11

Anthony Wayne McBride, 32, 840 Mount Tabor Rd., Whiteville, TN, Theft, bond \$25,000, court date 7/3 (held)

Caderricios M McCaster, 26, 829 Hancock Way, Saulsbury, TN, Criminal impersonation, Filing false report, bond \$40,000, court date 7/3 (held)

Jesmond Taquiya McKinnie, 19, 1355 Ermon Rd., Bolivar, TN, Domestic assault, bond \$2,500, court date 7/3 (released)

Michael Anthony McMahan, 47, 1490 Russell Rd., Bolivar, TN, Driv under influence 2nd offense, Leaving scene of accident, no bond, court date 7/13 (held)

Adam Anthony Moss, 36, 110 Baker Blvd., Bolivar, TN, Bond pulled, Failure to appear, bond \$7,500, court date 7/13 (held)

Austin Lane Norton, 21, 2575 Norton Rd., Middleton, TN, Aggravated assault, bond \$30,000, court date 7/10 (held)

Jorvontai Raymond Polk, 19, 115 Taylor Cove, Bolivar, TN, Domestic assault, bond \$2,500, court date 7/10 (released)

Marquita Mashy Robinson, 35, 508 Moss Lane, Bolivar, TN, Driv on susp 1st, no bond, court date 7/13 (released)

Laketa Sherice Scates, 25, 85 Alvin Rd., Somerville, TN, 7 counts Theft under \$500, bond \$10,000, court date 7/10 (released)

William Ricardo Scates, 42, 1155 Old Hwy 125 S., Bolivar, TN, Domestic assault, bond \$5,000, court date 7/3 (held)

Trista Ashley Shields, 33, 560 Pintail Circle, Auburndale, FL, Domestic assault, no bond, court date 7/26 (released)

Rory Terriel Springfield, 33, 1805 Quinn Rd., Collierville, TN, Holding for Collierville PD (released)

Aaron Jeffrey Taylor, 31, 3150 Enon Lane, Bolivar, TN, Brought back from rehab (held)

Mitchener Scott Vaughn, 50, 75 Wolfpen Rd., Pocahontas, TN, 2 counts Domestic agg assault, Poss of firearm while under influence, bond \$75,000, court date 7/10 (released)

Alexandrea Crum Walker, 28, 1785 Fritton Spur Rd., Middleton, TN, Vandalism, no bond, court date 7/3 (released)

Quintarius Shilelion White, 25, 25 River Oaks Dr., Jackson, TN, FTA (Driving on susp), bond \$10,000, court date 7/13 (released)

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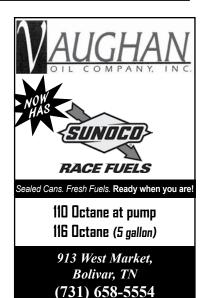
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David Adams, Irrevocable trust to Anthony & Melissa Hardge, lot \$20,000 Barbara D. Baker to David Lynn Baker, 0.039 A. \$15,000

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Vicky Bell, ET AL to Jimmy Ervin & Donna Sparks, tracts \$50,000 Nina Bowden to Trent Futrell, tract \$2,500 Deborah Bruce & Janet Leigh Bell to Donald & Heather Bruce, 145.7 A.

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The new board members will be welcomed to the ARSL board at the 2018 ARSL conference in Springfield, Illinois.

ARSL's Mission is to provide a network of people and materials to support rural and small library staff, volunteers, and trustees to integrate the library thoroughly with the life and work of the community it serves.

Photo: Hutchinson at the 2017 Bolivar-Hardeman County Fundraiser at Falcon Ridge Farm.



Money for the Brick...Courthouse

The Hardeman County Courthouse in Bolivar will be even more mighty-mighty due to a \$29,543 grant to fund restoration brickwork and windows on the National Register-listed Hardeman County Courthouse.

The Tennessee Historical Commission, the State Historic Preservation Office, announced the award of 30 matching grants from the Historic Preservation Fund. The grants are awarded annually to community and civic groups for projects that support the preservation of historic and archaeological resources. State Historic Preservation Officer and Executive Director Patrick McIntyre notes "This year's grants reflect the many diverse ways the Ten-



nessee Historical Commission's support reaches all corners of the state. We are proud to work with our partners to help save these important places."

Awarded annually, 60% of the project funds are from the federal Historic Preservation Fund and 40% of project funds come from the grantee. Grants are competitive and this year the Tennessee Historical Commission staff reviewed 46 applications with funding requests totaling approximately \$1.5 million, significantly more than the amount of funding available.

This year's selection included archaeological surveys, design guidelines for historic districts, rehabilitation of historic buildings, posters highlighting the state's archaeology, National Register nominations.

One of the grant priorities is for projects that are in Certified Local Governments (CLG), a program that allows communities to participate closely in the federal program of historic preservation. Eleven CLG communities were awarded grants this year. Additional priorities include those that meet the goals and objectives of the office's plan for historic preservation. Properties that use the restoration grants must be listed in the National Register.

Sobriety Checkpoint Notification

Law Enforcement officials in Bolivar will be out in force cracking down on impaired drivers. The Bolivar Police Department, working under a grant administered through the Tennessee Highway Safety Office, will hold a sobriety checkpoint on Saturday, July 14, from 8:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. on West Market Street in Bolivar.

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BOLIVAR BULLETIN TIMES

Fire Department Wins Battle of the Badges

The Bolivar Fire nd Rescue (see photo right) won the first-ever Battle of the Badges, June 29 at the Bolivar Municipal Center.

A new event begun by Mayor Julian MctTizic was held in conjunction with a fiscal year-end luncheon sponsored by the city employee insurance provider to celebrate how well the staff has done in attempts to have a healthier workplace.

"We wanted to have a day of fun with the employees who give their all to us year-round," said McTizic. "We appreciate Bobby Sain and Bolivar Insurance and Real Estate for sponsoring the event."

The teams were divided into fire department and police department (see photo below) teams. The fire department won by a 45-33 score.

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Middleton High School Hosts Fundamentals Camp



Middleton Coach James Burkley hosted a June camp that helped students focus on fundamentals.





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Star PT Hardeman County Sports Notes

The Tyler Bomar Scholarship Golf Tournament will be July 14 and will be contested as a three-man scramble event. Registration is at 7:15 a.m. with a shotgun start scheduled to begin at 8:30 a.m.

There will be first, second, and third places given in two flights, and door prizes and lunch will be provided after the round.

Entry fee is \$50 and all proceeds go to the Tyler Bomar Scholarship Fund.

To register or to sponsor a hole, contact Blake Armstrong at 901-604-5835.

Former Bolivar Central basketball players Nick Beauregard and Cameron Crisp will offer players 5-16 their annual basketball camp from July 9-13 at Bolivar Central High School.

Bolivar Parks and Recreation offers a Pickleball Clinic at the Bolivar Municipal Building in the gymnasium on Mondays and Fridays from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m.

For more information, call 658-7529.



Olympic gold medalist Scott Hamilton will speak at Freed-Hardeman University's 54th Annual Benefit Dinner December 7 in Loyd Auditorium. The event raises funds for scholarships at FHU.

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West Tennessee State Tournament Schedule Bolivar 6U vs. Germantown 7U

- July 6 Cameron Brown Park, Germantown, 5:45 p.m.
- July 7 Cameron Brown Park, Germantown, 3:00 p.m.
- July 7 If necessary, TBA

Bolivar 8U vs. Germantown 8U

- July 6 Cameron Brown Park, Germantown, 7:00 p.m.
- July 7 Cameron Brown Park, Germantown, 4:30 p.m.
- July 7 If necessary, TBA

Bolivar 10U vs. Germantown 10U A&B

- July 7 vs. Germantown A Cameron Brown Park, 4:30 p.m.
- July 7 vs. Germantown B Cameron Brown Park, 6:00 p.m.

Bolivar 12U vs. Germantown 12U

- July 6 Cameron Brown Park, Germantown, 7:00 p.m.
- July 7 Cameron Brown Park, Germantown, 4:30 p.m.
- July 7 If necessary, TBA

Bolivar 14U vs. Germantown 14U

- July 6 Cameron Brown Park, Germantown, 7:00 p.m.
- July 7 Cameron Brown Park, Germantown, 4:30 p.m.
- July 7 If necessary, TBA







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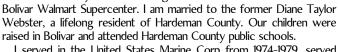


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Elect Gary Barber For County Commissioner

My name is Gary Barber, Democratic nominee for County Commissioner, District 2 Position 1. I was appointed to this position in March 2016 to fill out a term left by Donald McTizic. I am now asking for your vote. Early voting on April 11 through April 26. Democratic Election May 1.

I moved to Hardeman County in 1996, and have made Bolivar my home since then. I am currently Assistant Manager of



I served in the United States Marine Corp from 1974-1979, served two years active duty and three active reserve. I received my BBA from the University of Mississippi in 1980. I am an active member of the Bolivar Rotary Club, and past President and Paul Harris Fellow. I have been a volunteer for Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse, serving as Vice President, a member of the Developmental Center Board, the Hardeman County Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, a former organizer for the Hatchie Hollow Hog Fest.

As you see, I am extremely vested in this community and have a strong desire to help guide and direct the decisions that will be made to shape the future of our county. I believe the initiatives that are currently in place will move our county forward as a destination that will better the lives of all our residents.

My experience working with people and managing multi-million dollar budgets gives me an edge to handling the business of this county. I feel that my job provides me with wide contact with all county residents. Being in tune to the voice of the community will allow me to make decisions to represent my constituents for a better Hardeman County.

I would appreciate your vote. Early voting July 11-26, General election August 2.

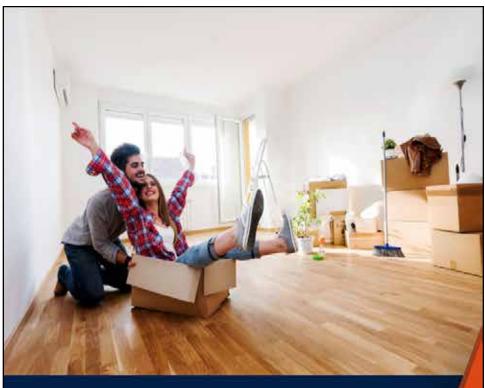


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