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## From the Other Side of the Desk

Here at the *Bolivar Bulletin Times*, we get letters. Not as many as we would like, but we do get some letters to the editor.

On A10, there are two such letters. And while one of them breaks most all of the rules of the *Bolivar Bulletin Times* Editorial Policy, we decided to print it anyway. But, before you turn back there and start reading, I want to point out a few things.

1. First of all, I'm NOT a Socialist. My favorite Marx is Groucho, not Karl.

2. The letter is a bit long. We ask for 300 words or less. This one is 1,566. I guess if you are going to break the rules, go big.

3. It appears to have been written by someone who may have made up a name, didn't put a return address on the envelope, nor did they identify themselves when they called the office and ranted and yelled at whoever answered. More than once. This may be their real name. But we can't find them.

Anyway, it's on A10 as I said. We address specific points in the letter as it goes along, so please feel free to enjoy it, or cringe, as the case may be.

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In explaining this in this space, I'm a little upset that I wasn't able to write about the subject I planned to this week, which was: *Swimming as a sport.*

While I'm sure there are plenty of arguments for swimming as a sport, I just don't see it. Here's why:

If you jump in a pool or lake or whatever and DON'T swim, you drown. So it's not really a sport, it's survival. Michael Phelps isn't an athlete per se, he's more like the most scared guy of drowning in the world. He's the fastest guy out of the pool, or at least to the edge where he can hold on and raise his clenched fist to show us he cheated death one more time, and celebrate that he did it faster than the other thrill-seekers that did it along with him, just not as fast. I'm not even sure he looks back to make sure everyone else made it. I don't think he cares.

And for all that he gets medals to hang around his neck, which I'm guessing makes it even harder to swim the next time he jumps in the pool.

On second thought, maybe it's a good thing I'm not writing about that after all.

Darrell Teubner, Editor

## Sunday Morning in Bolivar

The calm of a Sunday morning in Bolivar was rocked on July 5, when a Mississippi man drove his car into the back of the Bolivar Police Department.

According to the report from the Bolivar Police Department, the incident began as the Bolivar Police Department was asked to investigate a suspicious person report in the rear parking lot of the Bolivar PD, which shares the space with the Bolivar First United Methodist Church.

As the officer approached the vehicle, the driver exited the park-

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### Statement from Mayor McTizic

*This morning, a man drove his vehicle into the Bolivar Police Department. A stand-off and pursuit ensued which resulted in the capture and arrest of the man without injury to either the public, the officers, or the suspect.*

*A portion of the stand-off was captured on video from across the street where numerous innocent bystanders had begun to gather. From the video posted on social media, it is clear that the officers' lives, as well as the lives of the bystanders, were endangered by this individual, however, it is equally important to note that any use of deadly force, justifiable or not, would have also endangered the public.*

*The incident itself, the stand-off, and the resulting pursuit are currently under investigation. Further details of the arrest and investigation will not be discussed until such time as the investigation is complete.*

*I thank God for his grace on our city this day and every day. At the end of the day, everyone wants to go home safely. Today, that happened.*

Julian McTizic, Mayor



### Things you might need to know:



**HARDEMAN COUNTY SCHOOLS**  
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Bobby Doyle - Interim Director of Schools

Message from the Schools  
See A8 & A9

Hardeman County Schools said they would be open for business in August, but with options for educating those who decide it would be better to avoid close contact.

"We worked with a lot of people to put this plan together," said Superintendent of Schools Bobby Doyle. "And we will continue to listen to our parents, staff, and students."

The plan is detailed on A8 and A9.

### Lee Lets Mayors Decide...For Now

Tennessee Governor Bill Lee signed Executive Order 54 on July 3 to grant county mayors in 89 counties the authority to issue local mask requirements in the event of a significant rise in COVID-19 cases.

It is the third change in policy since the first executive order addressed the COVID-19 pandemic in March, and Hardeman County Mayor Jimmy Sain said he would continue to let the governor's office make any changes in the general public, although he did announce a request from county government as it pertains to business in the county courthouse.

"Governor Lee decided that the state would make the decisions regarding covid-19 and superseded the county mayor orders back in May. I will wait on state orders by the Governor pertaining to mandatory mask wearing. The county elected officials are asking that you wear mask when entering the courthouse due to the close contact involved in

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### Your Weekend Forecast:

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## It's Showtime! At Music on the Square

Downtown Bolivar will be alive with the sounds of music as The Showtime Band will be the featured group at Music on the Square on Friday, July 10.

The Showtime Band (right photo) was formed in May of 2004 in a small recording studio in Parsons. Playing dance hits from the 60s, 70s and 80s was the goal of the group.

Music on the Square, in its 13th year in Bolivar, is made possible through the efforts of the Hardeman County Music Commission.

Photo by Ken Savage.




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# OUR COUNTY

## Offering a Helping Hand in West Tennessee



With Hardeman County reported as having the third most abortions per capita in the State of Tennessee, Birth Choice, a pro-life, non-profit pregnancy center is sending a mobile pregnancy testing unit on regular visits to Hardeman County.

“We are in Fayette County on Wednesdays, in Hardeman County on Thursdays and in Haywood County on Tuesdays,” said Unit Director Kay Simpson. “These three counties are the third, fourth, and fifth most abortions per capita in the state.”

“Our hope is that we will be able to see clients in an unplanned pregnancy, for them, that there more than one option. Many see only abortion as an option, but we want to show them other options and how that can happen, getting them connected to resources.”

“One resource that is available is a ministry called One by One. They are a mentoring program. If they are parenting, they will have resources in each community through local churches that they can connect to,” she said, mentioning that First Baptist Church in Bolivar is a participant.

Simpson said the name, Birth Choice, is exactly what it is, a choice and a chance to do something other than abort.

“We always explain over the phone that we don’t do abortions. We find most of a time a woman who is pregnant doesn’t want an abortion, but feels it is her only option. Many times they feel with everything else going on, that is where their hope lies but our hope is they see they have choices and aren’t cornered and don’t have to have an abortion.”

But there is not deception in what they do and won’t do.

“We do not do abortions and we do not refer them to any clinic to have one. We hope to get them to talk to us.”

The services are free, regardless of income.

Trained in limited obstetrical ultra-sound, the staff can show an expectant mother the baby and hear the heartbeat.

“We do have a medical advisory board and a doctor that views each ultrasound for anything the person should know about.”

They are clear though, their services are not a substitute for pre-

natal medical care, but they can help with answers faster than the ordinary.

“Sometimes it takes a while to get in to see someone,” she continued. “This can be much quicker to get checked out to see if a person is even pregnant.”

“We provide pre-natal counseling and pre-natal vitamins. And we advise them to go see their doctor as soon as possible.”

Once a pregnancy is confirmed, the staff gets to work on getting information to the expectant mother.

“We have a resource we give them. Every girl who has a positive pregnancy test, we give them information and go over it with them. And it is all catered to the area we are in, with resources for adoption, financial, medical, jobs, food, housing, everything. We research it and provide it for them. And if there is something we haven’t thought of for someone, we make it our goal to figure it out for them.”

Birth Choice can be found at birthchoice.biz, with corporate offices in Jackson and Gibson County.

## Tennessee Ranked Third in Lowest Taxes

Tennesseans have got it pretty good when it comes to taxes, according to a national study done by WalletHub.

To determine the residents with the biggest and least tax burdens, WalletHub compared the 50 states across the three tax types of state tax burdens — property taxes, individual income taxes and sales and excise taxes — as a share of total personal income in the state.

Tennessee is ranked 48th in overall tax burden, at 6.18%, 46th in property tax burden, at 1.92%, 42nd in individual tax burden at .08% and 11th in total sales and excise tax burden at 4.18%. Only Delaware and Alaska were shown as taxing their citizens less.

Sales tax is seen by some as the fairest taxation method, taking a percentage of what people spend in the marketplace as opposed to what people earn.

The highest taxed states were (in order): New York, Hawaii, Vermont, Maine, Minnesota, Connecticut, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Illinois, and Iowa. Of the ten, only Iowa had a majority vote for President Donald Trump in 2016.

## Governor Lee Lets Mayors Decide...For Now *from AI*

conducting county business. We appreciate everyones understanding. “

Governor Lee gave his reasoning for the flip in policy, saying it was about the smaller counties having more power.

“While our densely populated urban areas continue to have the highest COVID-19 case rates, our local governments expressed a need for greater flexibility in addressing a rise in cases and that includes setting stronger expectations around masks,” said Governor Lee. “This targeted approach ensures we protect both lives and livelihoods and safely keep our economy open in Tennessee. We encourage every Tennessean across the state to use a face covering or mask, make sure to socially distance and wash hands frequently.”

The six counties with locally run health departments including Sullivan, Knox, Hamilton, Davidson, Madison and Shelby counties retain the existing authority to issue mask requirements as needed.

## Free COVID Testing Available

Tennessee’s rural county health departments continue providing traditional services and are taking every precaution to keep patients, clients and staff members safe from COVID-19, offering COVID-19 testing at no charge for anyone who wishes to be tested.

“We’re ready and eager to provide crucial services such as immunizations, WIC, family planning and sexually transmitted infection testing and treatment, and to remind everyone of the importance of maintaining routine health care,” said Assistant Commissioner for Community Health Services Karen Hyman, MHA. “We will work with you to provide the care you need in the safest manner possible. We don’t want anyone putting off needed health care for fear of COVID-19, so call your local clinic to ask about available services.”

Tennessee’s local health departments are diligent in infection control efforts and provide a safe environment in which to receive health care and other services. Our rural health departments now offer some services by telephone and will soon have services available via telemedicine. Many health department clinics offer curbside immunizations and prescription pick-up. Clinics are managing appointment times and patient flow to provide for social distancing. TDH county health department clinics offer face masks to patients and clients who do not bring their own to wear, and all staff members wear masks and follow strict Centers for Disease Control and Prevention guidelines for health care facilities and providers.

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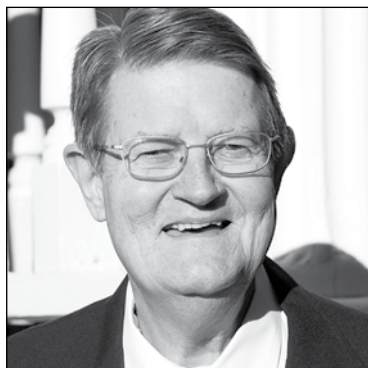
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# OBITUARIES

## JAMES ALBERT "AL" COLEMAN OCTOBER 31, 1938 – JULY 4, 2020

Mr. James Albert "Al" Coleman, age 81, of Bolivar left this world on July 4, 2020, at Pine Meadows Healthcare in Bolivar to go to his heavenly home.



Services were held on Wednesday, July 8, with Dr. Jim Koonce of Jackson, a long time neighbor and family friend, officiating. Visitation for family and friends was held from noon – 2:00 p.m., with the service at 2:00 p.m. in the funeral home chapel.

Burial was in the Bolivar Memorial Cemetery with Shackelford Funeral Directors providing professional services.

Mr. Coleman was a native of Henderson, Chester County, Tennessee, and was the oldest son of James Alvin and Mary Emma (Lanier) Coleman. He graduated from Chester County High School in 1956 and was a graduate of the West Tennessee Business College. Mr. Coleman was a veteran of the United States Army, Specialist 5<sup>th</sup> Class; he was trained in computers and programming while in the Army and worked with them throughout his career. He was a Data Analyst and Systems Programmer at Harman Automotive for 31 years; in his semi-retirement he worked in accounting for the Hardeman County Correctional Facility, and worked part-time for several years in the Electronics Department at Walmart, where he enjoyed helping customers learn more about electronics.

Mr. Coleman was a member of First Baptist Church in Bolivar where he taught in the children's Sunday School and Church Training departments, was a member of the Sanctuary Choir, many of the Living Christmas Tree choirs, the Golden Sounds Choir, and the Handbell Choir. He also served as a Deacon in the church for many years. He enjoyed working with electronics of all kinds, especially computers, watching Western movies and television shows, music, photography, and genealogy.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 55 years, Freddie Lee (Kiestler) Coleman, and a brother, Robert Gregory "Greg" Coleman of Murfreesboro, Tennessee. He is survived by his two children, Lisa Coleman and Chris Coleman, both of Bolivar. He is also survived by his brother and sister-in-law, Hal and Joyce Coleman of Jackson, Tennessee; his sister-in-law, Debbie Coleman of Crawford, Tennessee, and several cousins, nieces, and nephews.

The family would like to express their gratitude to the wonderful and kind staffs of Pine Meadows Healthcare and Bolivar General Hospital for the care they provided to him over the past few months.

Memorials may be sent to Hardeman Adoptable Animals or the American Heart Association.

## AVA MARIE BYRD

APRIL 16, 1934 – JUNE 25, 2020

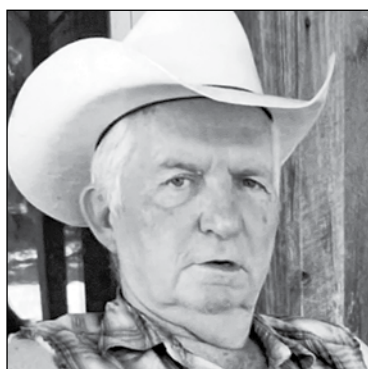
Ava Marie Byrd, 86, departed this life Thursday, June 25, 2020 with her family around her at her residence. She was a lifelong resident of Saltillo where she raised her family with the love of her life Rev. Elden Byrd. They had five children, Sharon Glover (Wayne) of Summit, MS, Randy Byrd (Becky) of Troy, MS, Sandra Watson (Carl) of Bolivar, TN., Michelle Robinson (George) of Melbourn, FL., Richard Byrd (Jennifer) of Guntown, MS and 13 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. She was one of 16 brothers and sisters and preceded in death by four sisters Ellen Cooksey, Omega Sweat, Ruth Tucker, baby girl and seven brothers Ray, JW, Paul, Dub, Bruce, Junior and Charles White. She was survived by Virginia Goodwin, Obera Sowell, Roger, Phillip and Calvin Rayburn White. She loved God her family and will be greatly missed by all.

Her Memorial service will be Friday, July 10, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. at the Grace Apostolic Pentecostal Church 12265 Hwy 57 Middleton, TN 38052. Bro. Wilbanks and Bro. Hicks will be officiating. Condolences may be left at [www.Ezellfuneralhome.com](http://www.Ezellfuneralhome.com).

## SAMUEL ADAM TODD

APRIL 3, 1949 – JULY 6, 2020

Samuel Adam Todd transitioned from this earthly realm to the heavenly realm at the age of 71 on July 6, 2020, in Jackson, TN.



He was born April 3, 1949 to James and Bertha (Loghry) Todd in Attica, AR. As a child, Sam was not afforded a good formal education, but was taught to work so that he could always support his family. His family and his relationship with his heavenly Father were his two most important things in his life. As a young man, Sam chose to serve his country and became a soldier in the US Army during the Vietnam War. Before and after his time in the military, he helped his mother support his younger siblings. Sam enjoyed 35 years of marriage with the love of his life, Lynn, during which time they raised three children and helped with a multitude of others.

Graveside services are 3:30 p.m. Friday, July 10, 2020 at the Todd Family Cemetery on Lake Hardeman Road. Shackelford Funeral Directors of Bolivar were in charge of professional arrangements.

Sam was preceded in death by both parents, one sister, Martha (Todd) Miller, one brother Ted Todd, six nephews, two nieces and one grandnephew. Survivors in addition to his wife, Lynn (Jones) Todd are: two daughters - Karin Todd of Saulsburry, TN and Laressa (Todd) Herron of Saulsburry, TN; one son - Dall Parks, Jr and his wife Christina (Knight) Parks of Henderson, TN; five brothers - Douglas Todd and his wife Marjorie (Borchert) Todd of Pocahontas, AR, James Todd and his wife Mildred (Greer) Todd of Supply, AR, Daniel Todd of Bowling Green, KY, Richard Todd and his wife Mary (Breux) Todd of Berwick, LA, Stephen Todd and his wife Cindy Todd; five sisters - Marena (Todd) Hendrix of Donovan, MO, Mary (Todd) Reed of Pocahontas, AR, Mildred (Todd) Burk of Pocahontas, AR, Margaret Todd of Pocahontas, AR and Melvina (Todd) Hunt of Pocahontas, AR; seven grandchildren - Melissa Watkins, Morgan Parks, Adam Todd, Aubrey Parks, Seth Vickers, Briley Braswell and Hayden Herron; one great-grandchild - Isabell Sloan many nieces and nephews.

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## FAITH

### Peace or Anxiety? by Jeff Capshaw

Normal life affords people with many stressors. Relationships, the workplace, the number of resources needed for a modicum of middle-class existence, and so on, all give rise to personal anxiety. Coupling contemporary, everyday existence--along with the recent pandemic and sociological turmoil in the country-- creates an environment ripe for the loss of peace and tranquility.

One familiar source defines anxiety as follows: "anxiety is an emotion characterized by an unpleasant state of inner turmoil, often accompanied by nervous behavior such as pacing back and forth, somatic complaints, and rumination. It is the subjectively unpleasant feelings of dread over anticipated events." In light of recent events in 2020, many are asking themselves, "what's next"? It causes one to want 2020 quickly to end or to just do a complete reboot and start all over.

But, going back in time or changing the future isn't practically possible. Who knows what the future holds? And, given the current social unrest, an election year, and a virus still afoot, then things could get worse before they

get better. However, life goes on, and people have to make the best of the hand they are dealt.

The Apostle Paul offers some practical advice for believers, and his words are both timely and on point for the current, anxiety-producing times being experienced. Part of his purpose for writing to them was to encourage the Philippians to stand firm in the face of persecution and rejoice regardless of circumstances. Did you get that? "Rejoice, regardless of circumstances." That's tough, but one way to carry this out is found in chapter 4.

He wrote, "do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus" (4:6-7). Defending against anxiety is not easy. It's hard: very hard. Sometimes it is so bad that people need medication for it. That's probably appropriate in the short term, but it often isn't a permanent solution. The mental and spiritual attitudes have a role to play as well.

### Hardeman County Church Services on the Air

#### Sunday Morning

8:00-8:30

8:30-8:45

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11:00-12:00

12:30-1:30

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Power of the Gospel, WMOD (96.7 FM)

Searching the Scriptures, Steve Gibson, WMOD (96.7 FM)

First Baptist Church, Bolivar, WMOD (96.7)

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Porters Creek Baptist, Middleton, WMOD (96.7)

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Paul says to "stop being anxious about anything." Instead, he urges believers to replace meditating and ruminating on circumstances with prayer. But he amplifies the prayer admonishment with the word "supplication." Put simply, it is a calling out to God for help. And the Lord knows help is needed for times like these. Yet, to ask for help requires at least two things. First, one has to recognize the need for help. Second, one has to be humble enough to ask for help. How about you? Are you willing and humble enough to ask the Lord for help during these trying times?

What's the payoff? The Scripture promises that God's peace will replace emotional and mental anxiety. It probably will not be a "one-off" sort of situation. It will take discipline and ongoing effort. But as one famous person often says, "what have you got to lose"?

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### Children Too by David Coy

Ralph Waldo Emerson said, Sorrow makes us all children again. It seems that we who are adults fail to see that we can also feel and express some of the same grief experiences as children do. Sometimes the only difference is our level of understanding of loss. We recall that infants are incapable of complete understanding or adequate expression of the experience of loss. They receive messages by sensing the emotional vibe from their parent's sorrow and mimicking their response. Children from approximately 3-5 years of age generally believe that death does not happen, it is just sleep. They usually think very concretely. The 6-10 age group have grown to understand death more and its finality. They may be curious and ask questions. This is when they need honest answers to their questions that they can understand. Above this last age group they continue to learn and expand their understanding about loss. We who are supposed to be adults need to open, transparent, warm and honest in our response to loss so that our children may receive that message and use the information to come to figure out what is going on in their own lives.

Children can respond with emotion expressions or isolate themselves and express and share nothing just like adults do. It is believed that children may express their sorrow by protest, because they cannot believe the loss happened. They also might attempt pain, depression, and disorganized behavior as they begin to believe eternity of death. Then there is hope. The child is learning to build a life anew without the deceased. Life is a journey and our grief experience is also and children in similar fashion take their own journey. We should walk with together. This is Sunrise Aftercare, [sunrise@sfdcares.com](mailto:sunrise@sfdcares.com)

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*Hardeman County Community Calendar*

**Music on the Square** this Friday will feature ShowTime beginning at 7 at the Bolivar Downtown Amphitheatre.

**The Bolivar Farmers Market** on the corner of Washington and Lafayette Streets in Bolivar is open each Saturday and Tuesday from 7:00 a.m. - 3 p.m. for the best selection of produce, plants, beef, catfish, handcrafted items and more. Call Market Manager Mike Malone at 659-1521 if you would like to participate. The Bolivar Farmers Market is part of PickTennessee Products.

**Grand Junction TN Farmers Market** is open Fridays 3-6 p.m. and Saturdays 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Produce, Fresh baked goods, and Artisan crafts. Get out and see what the Hardeman and Fayette area has to offer! Located at 216 Hwy 57, Grand Junction TN. Vendors and Crafters can call Anita at 901-860-3643.

**The City of Bolivar Community Garden** volunteer hours are Mondays 8-10 a.m., Thursdays 6-8 p.m. and the first Saturday of the month from 8-10 a.m. at Pleasant Run Creek Park. If you would like more information, check out their Facebook page.

**Lifeline Blood Supply** will conduct a blood drive on July 10 at Simmons Bank from Noon to 5 p.m. On July 21 they will have a blood drives at Bolivar General Hospital from 10 a.m.-Noon and at Bolivar Ford from 2-5 p.m. Blood donors can register to win a 2019 Ford Fiesta through August, must be 18 to donate and register. Visit [lifelinebloodserve.org](http://lifelinebloodserve.org) for more information. Must present current photo ID, social distancing practiced.

**New Hope Baptist Church** located

at 137 Valentine Rd., Slayden, MS will have gospel singing Saturday, July 11 at 7 p.m. featuring The Morrow Family. Meal will be provided at 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend. For more information contact Bro. Boyce Wilson at 901-496-2003.

**Parran's Chapel & Dixie Hill Baptist Churches** will sponsor Rocky Railway VBS July 13-17, 9 a.m.-noon for completed K-5th grade and youth class. Limited spots available. Registration starts at 8:30 each morning at 75 Dixie Hill Road in Bolivar.

**TnAchieves Mentors** are needed for TN Promise students for the Class of 2021. To learn more contact Graham Thomas at 615-604-1306 or visit [tnachieves.org](http://tnachieves.org)

**The HCAC** is seeking volunteers for Tech Crew. Tech Crew is responsible for sound, special effects, lighting, and other technical areas of productions. Experience is not required, the HCAC will provide the necessary training. If you are interested or would like more information please call or text Technical Director, Brandon Burvee, at (731)518-6404.

**Loaves and Fishes Food Bank** needs all non-perishable food items. Call 609-2397 to drop off your donations. Canned fruit and protein items are most needed.

**Free Meals** for children 18 & under will be available each day for breakfast and lunch at Bolivar, Whiteville, Toone, Grand Junction, Middleton Elementary Schools and at Bolivar Middle. More information can be obtained by calling 1-800-497-1286.

**The Warrior Center** in Bolivar on

North Water Street needs donations of men's hygiene products like bar soap, body wash, shampoo, toothpaste and toothbrushes; Men's clothing like shirts, pants, shoes, socks, and underwear; Cleaning supplies like dish soap, multipurpose cleaners, bleach, laundry soap, fabric softener, window cleaner, air fresheners, Lysol disinfectant, Comet, Ajax, paper towels, and Pine sol; Vehicles in good running condition, preferably multipurpose vans (a receipt will be provided with tax id for donation purposes); Notebook paper, spiral notebooks, ink pens, bibles, computers, tools, and other household items. For more information, call 731-212-0259.

**Disciples Embracing Christian Education Bible College** asks, "Do you want a deeper understanding of the Work of God?" The Bible College is in Whiteville, TN and they offer a three-year study of the Bible. Contact 731-225-3114 or register for the Whiteville or Grand Junction campus at [www.fbiclass.com](http://www.fbiclass.com) Intercersory prayer hotline at 731-608-9593.

**The Hardeman County Boxing Club** is accepting applications from people ages 8-80. Call Obie Beard at 402-1078 for more information.

**For Meals on Wheels** assistance, please call the Southwest Human Resource Agency at 658-9292

**Avalon Hospice** is seeking compassionate volunteers to work with patients in your community! If you would like to volunteer, please contact Jasmine Lee at 731-658-6812 or [jasmine.lee@southerncares.com](mailto:jasmine.lee@southerncares.com).

**Celebrate Recovery** a Christian-based recovery from hurts, habits, and hang-ups every Tuesday night at 7 p.m. Beginning July 10. Hardeman County Baptist Association, 755 Vildo Rd., Bolivar. Contact: Shirley at 731-609-4182

**The Tennessee Department of Agriculture Division of Forestry** is reminding citizens of the online burn permit system, that is free, fast and simple at [BurnSafeTN.org](http://BurnSafeTN.org) or at Bolivar City Hall. Call 658-2020.

**AA Meetings** are held on Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. at the HC Baptist Association on 755 Vildo Rd. Contact Denelle at 433-8266.

**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.

**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.

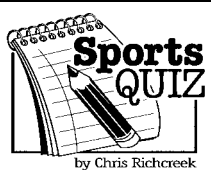
**The Bipolar/Depression Support Group** will meet each Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at Horizons Peer Support Center on 428 Market Street in Bolivar. For more information, call Shirley Kelley at 609-9318.

*You can keep up to date with Community Events by checking the Chamber of Commerce website at [hardemancountytn.com](http://hardemancountytn.com)*

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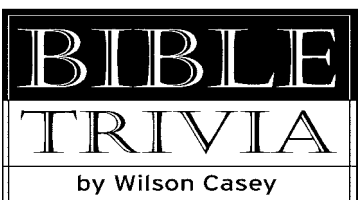
1. Baseball Hall of Famer Ron Santo played third base for the Chicago Cubs from 1960-73, but finished his Major League playing career in 1974 with what team?  
 2. Former NFL quarterback Jay Cutler regularly appeared on what E! reality TV show from 2018-20?  
 3. Jim Shoulders, Don Gay, Warren G. Brown, George Paul and Larry Mahan were among the inaugural inductees into what Hall of Fame?  
 4. What Major League Baseball great had his No. 29 retired by the California Angels in 1986 and by the Minnesota Twins in 1987?  
 5. Nicknamed "The Iceman," what NBA great won four league scoring titles from 1978-82 while a member of the San Antonio Spurs?  
 6. What cable TV sports network had its first broadcast on Oct. 1, 1993?  
 7. What Japanese pitcher was named Most Valuable Player of the 2006 and 2009 World Baseball Classics?



1. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: Which U.S. highway is known by the nickname "the Mother Road"?  
 2. FOOD & DRINK: What kind of cocktail contains ginger beer, lime juice and vodka?  
 3. SCIENCE: What kind of cloud produces thunderstorms?  
 4. MUSIC: How many musicians play in a quartet?  
 5. GEOGRAPHY: Which of the seven continents is the driest?  
 6. MOVIES: What word is on Austin Powers' license plate in "Austin Powers: International Man of Mystery"?  
 7. HISTORY: What was the ancient Sumerian form of writing called?  
 8. TELEVISION: What is the name of Bert's roommate on the children's show "Sesame Street"?  
 9. ANATOMY: How many lobes is the human brain divided into?  
 10. MEASUREMENTS: How much liquid does a standard jigger hold?



1. Which group had a hit with "Sweet Child o' Mine"?  
 2. Name the group that had a run as house band on a TV variety show called "All-Time Hits" in 1965.  
 3. What group released the memorable cover of "Keep on Dancing"?  
 4. Which group had a hit with "Save Your Heart for Me"?  
 5. Name the song that contains this lyric: "I tell myself what's done is done, I tell myself don't be a fool."



1. Is the book of Philemon in the Old or New Testament or neither?  
 2. From 1 Samuel 17, how many stones did David take with him to fight Goliath? 2, 5, 7, 14  
 3. Which book first refers to Jesus as the Prince of Peace? Isaiah, Daniel, Matthew, Luke  
 4. Who is thought of as being the "mother of all the living"? Ruth, Sarah, Eve, Esther  
 5. In Numbers 22, to whom did the donkey speak? Silas, Daniel, Jeremiah, Balaam  
 6. Where was Paul the Apostle born? Thessalonica, Tarsus, Ur, Antioch

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ANSWERS ON A7

## Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

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## Super Crossword

TRIPLE OVERLAP

**ACROSS**  
 1 Boater, e.g.  
 4 Poker chip, for one  
 8 Uncorks again  
 15 Liven (up)  
 19 Mexican resort port  
 21 To-do trays  
 22 Actor Bates  
 23 GOP race runner  
 25 At midnight, say  
 26 Justice Kagan  
 27 Planet near Earth  
 28 "Attack, dog!"  
 29 First-class  
 30 "Dirty" drink  
 32 Data entry device  
 36 Ewoks and Na'vi, in brief  
 38 Actor DeLuise  
 39 Strengthens in volume  
 40 Large insectivores with long snouts  
 47 Recycling container  
 48 Support financially  
 49 Unmannerly  
 50 Suffix with pay  
 52 Nissan, formerly  
 58 Mop brand  
 60 Common bit of onstage audio equipment  
 63 Writer Isak  
 65 Pago Pago's home  
 66 Pied-à- —  
 67 Tokyo, prior to 1868  
 68 Play dumb  
 73 Bloom-to-be  
 74 Clichy's river  
 77 Radio booth notification  
 78 Mattel guy  
 81 Company not reliant on a parent, e.g.  
 86 Actress Kazan of "My Favorite Year"  
 87 MRI's kin  
 88 —de-France  
 89 Branchlet  
 91 Krone spenders  
 92 Breakfast brew  
 94 Ones who love making others happy  
 96 Egg-making organs  
 101 Many a pro bono TV ad  
 103 Grass sold in rolls  
 104 Clinton-Kaine, in 2016  
 108 Optimistic  
 114 Somber song  
 115 Party card game cry  
 116 "Tomb Raider" Croft  
 118 Raptor's nest  
 119 Foot bottom  
 120 They include Advent and Eastertide  
 124 Be fitting for  
 125 Ideal spots  
 126 Appeases  
 127 Warlike god  
 128 Floral wrist accessory  
 129 Rolling car part, to Brits  
 130 "Ethyl" suffix  
**DOWN**  
 1 Female seal group, e.g.  
 2 Amtrak bullet train  
 3 Get thinner at one end  
 4 Persian Gulf emirate  
 5 Ailing  
 6 Sword type  
 7 Funny Imogene  
 8 Classic detergent brand  
 9 Complete  
 10 California's San Luis —  
 11 Speaking platform  
 12 Spot-on  
 13 Kin of .com  
 14 Flagstaff-to-Tucson dir.  
 15 Ashen-faced  
 16 Actress Stritch  
 17 Wickerwork cane  
 18 Genuflects  
 20 Gridiron kick  
 24 Oval portion  
 29 Aussie avian  
 31 Once known as  
 33 "ER" extras  
 34 Wallach of "The Deep"  
 35 Sonata part  
 37 Poker variety  
 40 Like the giant sphere at Epcot  
 41 Occurrence  
 42 Lymphoid throat  
 43 Lymph — masses  
 44 Christmas verse starter  
 45 Ice cream maker  
 46 Kyo of "Star Wars"  
 47 Breakfast meat  
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 51 Peru's capital  
 53 Spot-on  
 54 With 55-Down, Paris edifice housing several universities  
 55 See 54-Down  
 56 More out of control  
 57 Not necessary  
 59 Ring arbiter  
 61 Of — (in some way)  
 62 Spice holder  
 64 Very bright  
 69 Agra's home  
 70 Manxman, e.g.  
 71 Square root of 81  
 72 Slithery fish  
 75 Japanese tech corp.  
 76 MPG-rating org.  
 79 Nil  
 80 "Buenos —" ("Good day")  
 82 Get admitted  
 83 Suffix with Denver  
 84 16 eighths  
 85 Pups' plaints  
 90 The world over  
 93 That, in Peru  
 94 Karachi's nation: Abbr.  
 95 Kin of .com  
 96 Ukraine port  
 97 Fabric with a soft nap  
 98 2002 César winner for Best Film  
 99 Popular thesaurus, familiarly  
 100 Really cold  
 101 Models on walls, maybe  
 102 Smelting slag  
 105 One-on-one teacher  
 106 Beethoven's "Für —"  
 107 Tic —  
 109 With 121-Down, judge in the O.J. Simpson trial  
 110 Helen of Troy's mother  
 111 Seeing red  
 112 Air raid alert  
 113 German state  
 117 Engrossed  
 120 Jazz's Jean-Ponty  
 121 See 109-Down  
 122 Funny bit  
 123 Big elephant part

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## GO FIGURE! by Linda Thistle

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# Food Giant Big Star Stay-at-Home Gourmet

## Yellow Squash Casserole

### Ingredients

- 4 cups sliced yellow squash
- ½ cup chopped onion
- 35 buttery round crackers, crushed
- 1 cup shredded Cheddar cheese
- 2 eggs, beaten
- ¾ cup milk
- ¼ cup butter, melted
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ground black pepper to taste
- 2 tablespoons butter

### Directions

Preheat oven to 400 degrees F (200 degrees C).  
 Place squash and onion in a large skillet over medium heat. Pour in a small amount of water. Cover, and cook until squash is tender, about 5 minutes. Drain well, and place in a large bowl.  
 In a medium bowl, mix together cracker crumbs and cheese. Stir half of the cracker mixture into the cooked squash and onions. In a small bowl, mix together eggs and milk, then add to squash mixture. Stir in 1/4 cup melted butter, and season with salt and pepper. Spread into a 9x13 inch baking dish. Sprinkle with remaining cracker mixture, and dot with 2 tablespoons butter.  
 Bake in preheated oven for 25 minutes, or until lightly browned.



You can buy all the ingredients in this recipe at  
 Food Giant Big Star 200 North Main Street, Bolivar

# GOVERNMENT/LEGALS

## HARDEMAN COUNTY ARREST REPORT

**April Sharee Anderson**, 35, Corinth, MS, Agg assault, Failure to appear, bond \$5,000, court date 8/4 (held)

**Larry Avent**, 66, Bolivar, TN, Disorderly conduct, bond \$2,500, court date 7/28 (released)

**Jamarious Jarell Barber**, 31, Bolivar, TN, Domestic agg assault, Violation of parole, no bond, court date 7/7 (held)

**James Wallace Bass**, 37, Jackson, TN, 7 counts Agg assault, 7 counts Reckless endangerment, Vandalism over \$10k less than \$60k, Felony evading arrest, Resisting arrest/stop/frisk/halt, bond \$150,000, court date 8/4 (held)

**Jeremy Rashad Black**, 32, Saulsberry, TN, Unlawful carry or poss of a weapon, bond \$25,000, court date 7/28 (held)

**George Arthur Bonner**, 31, Bolivar, TN, Vandalism, no bond, court date 7/28 (released)

**Shawilliam Danyale Bonner**, 22, Bolivar, TN, Agg domestic assault, Vandalism, Resisting arrest, Domestic assault, Failure to appear, Child abuse, bond \$150,000, court date 7/7 (held)

### SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness and obligations secured by a certain Deed of Trust on property currently owned by ANDRE JONES, and which Deed of Trust was executed by Andre Jones, to Joe Cole, Trustee for CB&S Bank and is recorded in the Register's Office of Hardeman County, Tennessee, in Trust Deed Book 743, page 65.

WHEREAS, the undersigned was appointed Substitute Trustee by instrument recorded in Trust Deed Book 772, page 604, in said Register's Office.

WHEREAS, the owner of the indebtedness has declared the total amount due and has directed the undersigned to advertise and sell the property described by said Deed of Trust;

THEREFORE, this is to give notice that I will on July 30, 2020, commencing at 1:00 p.m., at the Front Door of the Courthouse in Bolivar, Hardeman, Tennessee cause to be offered for sale and will cause to be sold at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described property located in Hardeman County, Tennessee, and more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Said property is known as 513 Butler Street, Bolivar, Tennessee. For a more complete description of said property see Trust Deed recorded in Trust Deed Book 743, Page 65, in the Register's Office of Hardeman County, Tennessee. Map 70P, Group D, Parcel 9.00.

All right of equity of redemption, statutory and otherwise, and homestead are expressly waived in said Deed of Trust, and the title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee.

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.

If the highest bidder cannot pay the bid within twenty-four (24) hours of the sale, the next highest bidder, at their highest bid, will be deemed the successful bidder.

This property is being sold with the express reservation that the sale is subject to confirmation by the lender or trustee. This sale may be rescinded at any time.

This office is a debt collector. This is an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

R. Bradley Sigler  
Substitute Trustee

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids for group health insurance and prescription drug coverage for the City of Middleton will be received by the City of Middleton until **12 noon, August 3, 2020** at Middleton City Hall located at 300 South Main Middleton, TN and will be publicly opened and read at that time. Bids received after the deadline will be rejected and not opened. Postmarks will not be accepted. Bid packages are available at Middleton City Hall or by calling (731) 376-8409.

Bids are to be submitted in accordance with specifications stipulated in the bid documents and on the forms contained in the package. The City of Middleton currently has Health Savings Account compatible policy as outlined in the bid package. No optional plans are requested. The contract should begin September 1, 2020 and last for one (1) year. Bids are to be sealed and marked "HEALTH INSURANCE BID". The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

**Kenyata Roshay Braxton**, 29, Memphis, TN, Marijuana, Suspended, Speeding, bond \$7,500, court date 7/17 (released)

**Daniel Gene Cox**, 44, Middleton, TN, Reckless endangerment, Resisting stop/frisk/halt/arrest/search, Evading arrest, Agg assault, bond \$55,000, court date 8/4 (held)

**Ricky Benard Dotson**, 58, Whiteville, TN, Violation of sex offender registry, bond \$50,000, court date 7/28 (held)

**Dustin Lee Harper**, 34, Somerville, TN, Violation of probation (C), bond \$50,000, court date 7/31 (held)

**Terry Lee Henson**, 60, Bolivar, TN, See narrative, no bond (held)

**Anya Danae Hunt**, 27, Grand Junction, TN, Driv on susp DL, Violation of registration, Light law, no bond, court date 7/17 (released)

**Cedric Jones**, 40, Jackson, TN, Violation of probation (C), Child support, bond \$100,750, court date 7/9 & 7/31 (held)

**Quindarius Devonta Nathan**, 19, Bolivar, TN, Domestic assault, Theft less than \$1,000, no bond, court date 6/30 (released)

**Michael Andre Norment**, 66, Whiteville, TN, DUI driving under influence, bond \$5,000, court date 7/17 (released)

**Marshea Partrice Patterson**, 26, Memphis, TN, Driv on susp., Light law, Violation of probation,

bond \$2,500, court date 7/17 & 7/28 (released)

**Raven Sherrell Perry**, 33, Whiteville, TN, Simple, bond \$5,000, court date 7/7 (released)

**Rodney Leslie Price**, 58, Whiteville, TN, 1<sup>st</sup> offense, Driv under influence, no bond, court date 7/17 (released)

**Roy Jeffrey Pugh**, 43, Henderson, TN, Violation of probation, bond \$50,000, court date 7/31 (released)

**Dori Amber Roberts**, 41, Bolivar, TN, No insurance, Disregarding stop sign, Contrib to deliq of a minor, Simple possess, bond \$7,500, court date 7/3 & 7/17 (released)

**Dominique Theodosia Turner**, 23, Somerville, TN, Driv under influence, Simple possession, Child restraint law, Violation implied consent law, Failure to appear, bond \$15,000, court date 7/17 & 7/28 (released)

### CORRECTION

In last weeks Property Transfers it should have read:

Bell & Howell Investments, LLC to Tyrone Sullivan, 1 A. \$17,000.

Robert & Loretta Bell to Robert & Catherine Christensen, tracts \$500.

STAKE IN THE SOUTH MARGIN OF THE AFORESAID PUBLIC ROAD; THENCE EAST WITH THE SOUTH MARGIN OF SAID PUBLIC ROAD 140 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 64/100 ACRE, MORE OR LESS.

Parcel ID: 090-075.01

PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be 945 DIXON RD, BOLIVAR, TN 38008. In the event of any discrepancy between this street address and the legal description of the property, the legal description shall control.

CURRENT OWNER(S): L.T. ROBINSON, JR.

OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES:

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

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

Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC,  
Substitute Trustee  
119 S. Main Street, Suite 500  
Memphis, TN 38103  
rlselaw.com/property-listing  
Tel: (877) 813-0992  
Fax: (404) 601-5846  
#174087

### REQUEST FOR BIDS

The City of Middleton, TN will be accepting bids for road paving in our city for the 2021 Fiscal year. Price quoted will be per ton at a blade and pave, two inches after compaction with 411E. Bids will be accepted through **4:00 p.m. on Monday, August 3, 2020.**

Parties interested in submitting a bid should contact Tony Davis, City Administrator at (731) 376-8409 Monday through Friday during the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. for additional information and specifications. Submitted bids must sealed with "Middleton Asphalt Bid" written on the outside. Bids received after the deadline will be rejected. The City of Middleton retains the right to accept or reject any and all bids.

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

PROBATE NO. P-2272

ESTATE OF MARY HELEN WIGGINS late of Hardeman County, Tennessee

Notice is Hereby Given that on the 2nd day of July, 2020, Letters Testamentary in respect of the Estate of Mary Helen Wiggins, deceased, who died June 8, 2020, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk of Hardeman County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required by law to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

- (1) (A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting, as the case may be) of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this Notice to Creditors at least sixty (60) days before date that is four (4) months from the date of the first 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 2nd day of July, 2020.

THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS

FILE CLAIMS IN TRIPLICATE WITH:

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

Lynn E. Wiggins  
Executor

Harriet S. Thompson  
Attorney

Janice M. Bodiford  
Clerk & Master

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

PROBATE NO. P-2269

ESTATE OF ALTON DOUGLAS HUNT late of Hardeman County, Tennessee

Notice is Hereby Given that on the 24th day of June, 2020, Letters Testamentary in respect of the Estate of Alton Douglas Hunt, deceased, who died January 2, 2020, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk of Hardeman County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required by law to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

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- (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 24<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2020.

THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS

FILE CLAIMS IN TRIPLICATE WITH:

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

Christopher Buck  
Executor

MoLisa J. Williams  
Attorney

Janice M. Bodiford  
Clerk & Master

### BUS DRIVERS NEEDED

Hardeman County Schools needs bus drivers for bus routes in the Bolivar, Middleton, Toone and Whiteville areas. Most bus routes are less than an hour in length. Starting pay is \$47.00 per day and drivers are needed for the 180 day school year. If you currently have a CDL with P & S endorsements or would like a good part-time job and need assistance meeting the license requirements, please call Mary Pierce at 731-658-3444.

### HARDEMAN COUNTY SCHOOLS INVITATION TO BID

The Hardeman County Board of Education is now accepting sealed bids for the following:

#### Tires

A copy of the bid specifications can be picked up at the Hardeman County Board of Education, 10815 Old Hwy 64, Bolivar, Tennessee 38008.

Any questions should be directed to Steve Gibson at the Hardeman County Board of Education, (731) 658-2510.

Sealed bids will be received by the **County Mayor's office, 100 N. Main Street, P.O. Box 250, Bolivar, TN 38008, ATTN: Jimmy Sain/Steve Gibson, until 10:00 a.m. CST, Tuesday, July 14, 2020, at which time said bids will be opened.** All bids are subject to the terms and conditions of the bid invitation and must be received in separate sealed envelopes identified by "Tires"

Hardeman County Schools reserves the right to reject any or all bids or any part of any bid and accept that bid which is best as evidenced by reasons relative to the purpose of the purchase. **All bids shall be effective for one year from the date of the bid opening.**

# COMMUNITY NEWS

## Silerton

Melea Beshires  
tatteredthread@gmail.com

For those of you who do not know me, my name is Melea Beshires. I have enjoyed reading Mary Lynn Lambert's Silerton News for some time and she has now passed the torch to me. I moved to Silerton in 2015 after marrying Kevin Beshires under the big tree in Bobby Naylor's yard. Some of you may recall seeing the first, and probably last, hot air balloon to fly over Silerton as our send off. In a hot air balloon, you land wherever the wind blows and where there is enough field and road access free of power lines. After about an hour in the air, we landed in Selmer, Tennessee. Apparently our fields have too many crops and cattle to be ideal landing spots.

We now have a 17 month old son, Otto. Already he loves the townspeople he sees on stroller rides and he is fascinated by tractors and 4-wheelers. We look forward to him getting to play in the Silerton City Park.

Mayor Willard Beshires has been working with Mayor Jimmy Sain on accessing grant money for park developments. The park will be expanding to include the "old store" lot. The park will also be receiving a professionally installed play structure as well as a split rail fence.

In other news, Mary Lynn Lambert shared with us about recent visitors to Silerton. She writes, "William Siler Dean and wife, great grandson of Horace Siler, one of the first settlers in our area stopped in to visit with Bill and Vonda Siler. He currently lives in Germantown. They had visited Chickasaw and were on their way home. Carrie Haynes Muldavin, granddaughter of Carrie (Siler) Haynes and great granddaughter of Dr. Siler from Memphis drove to Silerton to visit the Silerton Cemetery and Dr. Siler's homeplace. She dropped in at our house seeking answers to a few questions. It was a joy to meet her and listen to her to share memories of Silerton and Dr. Siler. Jaycee Doris celebrated her 16th birthday by kayaking with her mother, Becky, and Tracy Watkins, on the Current River in Van Buren, MO. Presleigh Hatch, her cousin who happens to be her best friend, enjoyed the trip with her. Thomas, Tiffany, and Easton Watkins were also in on the celebration."

I welcome this opportunity to write for Silerton. If anyone has Silerton news or stories, I would be delighted to hear and share them.

## Toone

Glenn Yarbrough  
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gnyarb@bellsouth.net

celebration was bigger and better than ever. However, the traditional annual fireworks show at Pickwick Dam was canceled this year due to state regulations, but a few miles up the lake, Grand Harbor Marina hosted their annual fireworks display. The weather cooperated, and hundreds of boats gathered on the lake to watch the show. With the heavy boat traffic, we were fortunate again this year to find a good vantage point across the lake from which to enjoy the amazing display. Sadly, the decision was made to cancel this year's Toone Fireworks. The city leaders made the call a few days before the show in order to ensure everyone's safety during the Covid epidemic. Hopefully it will be back next year with a bigger and better display!

The Town of Toone has secured a grant to install new lighting at our city park. Installation of the new light poles is set for late July, or early August. The deadline has been extended to, July 13, for families to sign-up for financial support through the school's participation in the Community Eligibility Provision for lunches. This program provides \$5.70 per child per day for each day school was closed due to COVID-19. Families who currently receive SNAP or TANF do not need to apply. Families who do not qualify for SNAP or TANF should use the link below to sign up. [hcsedu.org/34927?articleID=55425](https://hcsedu.org/34927?articleID=55425)

The deadline for voter registration for the August 6 county election was July 7. In this election you will be casting your votes in the Federal and State primary and County General Elections. If you are a registered voter, make sure you go to the polls on, August 6, and cast your ballot. Voting is our constitutional right and our way of having our voices heard.

I hope everyone enjoys the rest of your summer. Don't forget to contact me through the information listed above to share your summer vacation stories and your community news with our readers. Until next time. . . talk to your neighbors!

## Middleton

Bonnie Callahan  
731-376-8202  
bonnieshealthyliving@comcast.net

Dorris Medlin, Barbara Hamilton, Wilton Morrow Brown, Buddy Vickers, Marion Shearon, Shelly Tranum, Kay Curtis, Jimmy Thompson, Keesha Lamberth, Teresa Mynott, Patsy Bell, Anna Hopper, Kathy Swinford, Gail Powers, Ray Cossar, Leon Campbell, Emma Haddix. Ruby Spencer, Vernon Spencer, Randy Antwine, Connie McCarter Jackson, Ray Rixie, Linda Rixie, Barb Senzig, Robert Thearp, Jimmy Webb, Carson Webb, Jack Russell, Shirley Russell, Charlene Hawkins, Rev Cecil Robinson, Ralph Spencer, Tim Crum, Fagin Smith, Marshall Mullins, Mildred Harris, Micheal White and Paige Gillon.

Condolences to the Aurbra Joe Haddix and Shannon and Shelly fore families. Let us all be in prayer for our president, governors, mayors, health care professionals, police and fire fighters and any others that may be involved in this dilemma. Keep the prayers going

There will be wrestling at 108 Henderson St., Friday, July 10 on the outside. Bell time is 7:30 p.m. Social distancing is still to be observed. Masks and hand sanitizer available. Looking for a great time.

Middleton Civitan met July 6 at Southwind. There were nine members present and one guest, Ron Stollemlire. Ron joined the Middleton Civitan Club. We are so excited to have him. The next meeting will be August 3 at 6 p.m. We would love for you to visit us and learn about what all we do.

School will be starting about a month. Let's keep our children, teachers, and all those that work at the Schools in Prayer also.

Joan Henderson submitted funny for the week: Two guys are walking through a game park & they come across a lion that has not eaten for days. The lion starts chasing the two men. They run as fast as they can and the one guy starts getting tired and decides to say a prayer, "Please turn this lion into a Christian, Lord." He looks to see if the lion is still chasing and he sees the lion on its knees. Happy to see his prayer answered, he turns around and heads towards the lion. As he comes closer to the lion, he hears it saying a prayer: "Thank you Lord for the food I am about to receive."

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

## Hornsby

Amber D. Moore  
731-609-1210  
votetn35@yahoo.com

how proud and thankful you are for them, they are our future. Hornsby Baptist is back to having Sunday school we are still being cautious, we want you to feel comfortable when you come to worship. The new app for the church is really a great tool for anyone I hope you have downloaded it. VBS is scheduled for July 31st through August 1st. If you would like to help in any way reach out to Jennifer Aylor. I know she will appreciate it. I have always loved bible school, I still have very fond memories when I was a child and for the adults who taught us many years ago. This year's theme is "Jesus: Our Strong Foundation", I don't know of any words that are truer than this, so I am looking forward to the study. The annual 4th of July celebration will take place with great food, games and fireworks on July 3rd starting at 6:30 at the ballpark in Hornsby and on July 4th the best barbecue, and the slip and slide for the children at the church at 11:30, we hope to see you there!

The committee that is working on the 100 year celebration is working hard to make this a great celebration. Please mark your calendar to make plans to attend, a lot of great things are going to be happening on October 17th in our little town. Just to name a few there will be a commemorative t-shirt that will be sold, lots of great food, and entertainment. Tell the folks who once lived in Hornsby we want this to be a great celebration for our little town. We will have more information in the next few weeks for everyone.

Prayer is a powerful thing and I know there are a lot of wonderful folks who are happy to pray for you or someone you know. If you have prayer request please let us know. Please continue to lift the following people up in your prayers: Lynn Allen, Joe Anderson, Mimi Anderson, Hugholene Barnes, Ricky Bass, Diane Cross, Sue Day, Norma Emerson, Rich Emerson, Robert Gibson, Crystal Grantham, Thomas Green, Sue Hall, James Hanna, Marilyn Hanna, Willie Lou Hannis, Richard Hazelwood, Justin Hodge, Sue Hodge, Willis Hornsby, Jo Edna Howell, Charley Johnson, Ann Kelly, Aubrey King, Lucy King, Debbie Laster, Bobbie McBride, Betty McMahan, Orville McMahan, Margie Moore, Carolyn Morgan, Evan Nield, Lockie Newman, Joyce Overton, Gay Pierce, Gail Pope, Scarlett Sipes, Stacy Spence, Ronna Spoon, Susan Thompson, Martyn Venuti, Tommy Warner, Chasity Watkins, Eddie Webb, Joe West, Jennifer Wheeler, Piper Williams, the men and women who serve our country, the families of the ones who are fighting cancer, all the health care workers, the leaders of our country and especially the ones who are lost. His Word for the week: Zephaniah 3:17 "The Lord your God is in your midst, a mighty One who will save; He will rejoice over you with gladness; He will quiet you by His love; He will exult over you with loud singing." Praise God!!!

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE COMMUNITY NEWS FROM A MUNICIPALITY, PLEASE CONTACT CRISTIE AT 731-658-7328.**

## It's Coming:::

Saturday, August 22 the 2020/21 squirrel season opens. Well over a month away but, the "scouting" started while fishing.

We notice Hickory trees on the river with and without nuts. While fishing a couple of weeks ago, we noticed a trend up and down the river. Hickory nuts were already falling! I'm hoping they (nuts) have time to mature before they all hit the ground. As normal, the opening of squirrel season is a long time tradition that signals hunting season is finally here.

The picture was taken last October, the leaves were changing colors and the mornings depicted a long sleeve shirt was in order. It won't be much longer till the phrase Limb Shaker has a whole new meaning!::: **As Always SAFETY FIRST::: HOOT**



## EDNA'S PAGE ANSWERS FROM A5

### FLASH BACK

#### Answers

1. Guns N' Roses, in 1987. The song appeared on their "Appetite for Destruction" album.
2. The Pulsations, who changed their name to The Buckinghams to reflect the coming British invasion. It was a security guard who came up with the new name.
3. The Gentrys, in 1965. The song, which is actually played twice to stretch the record, reached No. 4 on the Billboard Hot 100. It was their only hit.
4. Gary Lewis & the Playboys, in 1965. Brian Hyland released the song first in 1963.
5. "It Must Be Him," by Vikki Carr in 1967. The song went international, and Carr recorded both Spanish and Italian versions. It was used in the 1987 film "Moonstruck," starring Cher, which received six Oscar nominations and won three.

### Go Figure!

#### answers

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### SPORTS QUIZ

#### Answers

1. The Chicago White Sox.
2. "Very Cavallari."
3. The Bull Riding Hall of Fame.
4. Rod Carew.
5. George Gervin.
6. ESPN2.
7. Daisuke Matsuzaka.

### TRIVIA TEST

#### Answers

1. Route 66
2. Moscow Mule
3. Cumulonimbus
4. Four
5. Antarctica
6. Swinger
7. Cuneiform
8. Ernie
9. Four
10. 1.5 ounces

### BIBLE TRIVIA

ANSWERS: 1) New; 2) 5 (needed only 1); 3) Isaiah 9:6; 4) Eve, 5) Balaam; 6) Tarsus.

### Weekly SUDOKU

#### Answer

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6	7	1	2	4	5	9	3	8
4	8	5	6	9	3	7	1	2
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## Super Crossword

### Answers

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

#### PROBATE NO. P-2271

ESTATE OF JACQUELINE P. FLEMING late of Hardeman County, Tennessee

Notice is Hereby Given that on the 7th day of July, 2020, Letters of Administration in respect of the Estate of Jacqueline P. Fleming, deceased, who died November 18, 2019, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk of Hardeman County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required by law to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

- (1) (A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting, as the case may be) of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this Notice to Creditors at least sixty (60) days before date that is four (4) months from the date of the first 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 7th day of July, 2020.

THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS

FILE CLAIMS IN TRIPLICATE WITH:

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

Matthew West  
Administrator

W. Derek Green  
Attorney

Janice M. Bodiford  
Clerk & Master



## RE-ENTRY PLAN 2020-2021

Hardeman County Schools has been working diligently with multiple stakeholders and groups to design a framework for a safe and efficient return to school. COVID-19 has presented challenges that have been unprecedented and extremely difficult to navigate in uncertain times. Returning to school under the circumstances we knew prior to COVID-19 will be monumentally difficult. This roadmap is a framework based upon information we have at the present time. The district will adapt the plan in real time as the pandemic continues to evolve.

Four principles will be used to guide planning, decision-making, and execution of the work of returning to school in Hardeman County:

1. We will put safety first. The safety of our students and staff will drive every decision we make, but it is impossible to ensure any guarantees.
2. We will listen, be transparent, and share what we know and what we don't know. We will be clear about what we can control and what is outside of our control.
3. We will be equitable. We will center decisions on what is best for all students, families, educators, and stakeholders. For most students, being in school with a teacher providing instruction is the best way to learn. We understand that many in our community depend on school being in session.
4. We will be decisive. There will be tough choices and we will make mistakes. However, we will adapt quickly as variables on the ground change.

We must all be prepared to adapt to changing environments not only at the beginning of the year, but at any given moment during the school year. Thank you for your understanding and support during these difficult times. Our student safety and academic success is the guiding light of all that we do.

### On Campus Learning

Hardeman County Schools is preparing for on campus school operations to resume in August 2020. However, we will use a modified schedule from Aug. 7-14 only. This will allow extra time for our students to meet with their teachers, discuss the safety measures that will be in place, learn "new norm" protocols and procedures, and answer any questions that students may have. This will also be a time to acclimate and reconnect to the educational setting. Due to the different configurations of schools in the district, each school will have it's own staggered schedule for that week. **All students are scheduled to return on Aug. 17, 2020.**

#### Staggered Re-Opening Schedule for the Week of Aug. 7-14, 2020

<u>BES</u>	<u>BCHS</u>	<u>MES/GJES</u>
Aug. 7 (Fri.) – PreK & K	Aug. 10 (Mon.) – Grade 9	Aug. 7 (Fri.) Pre-K & K
Aug. 10 (Mon.) – Grade 5	Aug. 11 (Tues.) – Grade 10	Aug. 10 (Mon.) – Grades 5 & 6
Aug. 11 (Tues.) – Grade 4	Aug. 12 (Wed.) – Grade 11	Aug. 11 (Tues.) – Grade 4
Aug. 12 (Wed.) – Grade 3	Aug. 13 (Thurs.) – Grade 12	Aug. 12 (Wed.) – Grade 3
Aug. 13 (Thurs.) – Grade 2	Aug. 14 (Fri.) – Grade 9	Aug. 13 (Thurs.) – Grade 2
Aug. 14 (Fri.) – Grade 1		Aug. 14 (Fri.) – Grade 1
<u>BMS</u>	<u>MHS</u>	<u>HES/TES/WES</u>
Aug. 10 (Mon.) – Grade 6	Aug. 10 (Mon.) – Grade 7	Aug. 7 (Fri.) - Pre-K & K
Aug. 11 (Tues.) – Grade 7	Aug. 11 (Tues.) – Grades 8 & 9	Aug. 10 (Mon.) – Grades 5 & 6
Aug. 12 (Wed.) – Grade 8	Aug. 12 (Wed.) – Grade 10	Aug. 11 (Tues.) – Grades 7 & 8
Aug. 13 (Thurs.) – Grade 6	Aug. 13 (Thurs.) – Grade 11	Aug. 12 (Wed.) – Grades 3 & 4
Aug. 14 (Fri.) – Grade 7	Aug. 14 (Fri.) – Grade 12	Aug. 13 (Thurs.) – Grade 2
		Aug. 14 (Fri.) – Grade 1

*\* Please note that Kindergarten will stagger during the week of Aug. 10-14 in small groups. PreK will stagger the week of Aug. 17-21 in small groups. Schools will reach out to these families with specific dates.*

Specific school based decisions, plans, and procedures regarding on campus modifications will be finalized over the next month. Students, parents, and employees should begin the year with the expectation that specific health and safety procedures will be in place. Stakeholders should maintain awareness that at any given point, instructional design and the method of schooling may change due to changes in information regarding local health data.





# HARDEMAN COUNTY SCHOOLS

*"Preparing for the Future, One Child at a Time"*

## On Campus Learning

**Health and Sanitization:** Temperature checks will be performed on everyone entering the school building. Any person with a temperature of 100.4 or greater will be sent home or placed in an isolation area until a parent/guardian can pick them up. Hand sanitizer will be available throughout the schools with strict hand hygiene practices enforced. Regular sanitization/cleaning practices will be implemented throughout all school buildings. Automated water filling stations will be available to students. Students are encouraged to bring their personal water bottles to school. Staff/students have the option to wear face coverings/masks.

**Daily Activities:** Students will have minimized contact throughout the buildings and practice social distancing to the greatest extent possible. Modifications will be made when necessary with limits on crowd sizes. Campus access within the building will be limited to required and necessary personnel only.

**Transportation:** All buses will run their normal route times for morning pickup and afternoon delivery. Additional spacing between students will not be required but will be utilized to the greatest extent possible. Buses will be sanitized. Windows should be open as much as possible in an effort to increase fresh air flow, weather permitting. Parents have options and should make transportation decisions that they are most comfortable with.

**Academics:** Schools will conduct benchmark assessments in August to make plans for the learning needs of all students. This will include intervention, remediation, and acceleration for all students. Daily, on-campus instruction will continue to be based on TN State Standards with classroom instruction planned as normal. In the event that a school closure is necessary, plans will be implemented so that students do not miss instructional school calendar days (Specifics will be released later).

**Virtual Learning Option:** For parents/students who are not comfortable returning to the traditional classroom setting at this time, virtual learning opportunities will be available at no cost to the family. Parents will need to provide or access internet connectivity and be able to manage self-paced instruction. This option is available to all school age children in Hardeman County including students currently enrolled in a homeschool or private school program. To explore these options, call Wendy Mills at the Hardeman County Schools Central Office (731) 658-2510 ext. 124. An application for virtual learning is available on the district website [www.hcsedu.org](http://www.hcsedu.org) under COVID-19 Resources or may be picked up at the Central Office. Applications should be turned in as soon as possible for planning and consultation purposes. Any family considering virtual learning will need to complete a consultation session to understand the expectations and requirements of the program. We are requesting that applications be submitted by July 17 for planning purposes.

**School Meals:** It is our intent to provide school breakfast and lunch in the buildings. Changes will be made to the current food service program in order to comply with increased health recommendations. At this time, visitors will not be allowed for lunch.

**Special Education Services:** It is our plan to provide services at the beginning of the 2020-2021 school year as dictated by the child's IEP. We understand that some of our students with identified needs may be unable to attend school or participate in therapy. We will work with parents and provide the level of support that is appropriate. Parents should contact Dianne Whitaker at (731) 658-2510 ext. 136 with questions or concerns.

**Dual Enrollment/Dual Credit:** High school students will continue to have the option of participating in college classes as they have done in the past. Individual colleges and universities will establish their own protocols and instructional delivery models, which we will share as they make those decisions.

We will continue to provide updates throughout the summer as they become available. We look forward to seeing your child soon!

Bobby Doyle  
Interim Director of Schools

## Other Services

# OPINION

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

Wednesday, June 17, 2020 (received at Bolivar Bulletin Times on July 2)

Dear Mr. Teubner,

It was with great disgust and consternation that I read the front-page article entitled, *A Fight for the Ballot Box*, that you printed in the June 11, 2020 issue of the *Bolivar Bulletin Times*. As best I could gather from my research, you are the author of that article.

I've got a few deficiencies that I need to bring to the attention of both you and whomever else has opportunity to read this letter, which I hope you will publish in its entirety in your paper, but which I am certain you will not.

1. First, your newspaper fails to attribute authorship to the articles found there. You're doing a grave disservice to the citizenry in your circulation area by omitting that vital information. If you're afraid to admit authorship, what else have you got to hide? I see a roster of five (5) names that the box in the middle of page A2 identifies as "Writers/Columnists/Photographers." My phone call today to your newspaper's offices turned up a female who identified herself only as a "worker" informing that the article (referenced above) was written by "the owner" of the *Bolivar Bulletin Times*. The Tennessee Secretary of State's office's website lists Darrell Teubner as the registered agent for *The County Journal, Inc.*, so I will assume, until informed otherwise, that she was referring to you. Although I am very well aware that there is a major difference between ownership of a business and the role of the registered agent for service of legal process upon such business. No one else's name but yours, is required to be listed in the Secretary of State's office/website, in connection with *The County Journal, Inc.* See *Editor's Note #1*

2. Any educated person knows that all scholarly writing contains citations of the (hopefully) reliable sources that were consulted in putting together what the author asserts. Numerous instances of irresponsible omissions of any sort of referencing are found throughout your article. You make statements that the reader is supposed to accept as fact, with no mention of what source provided you such information. For example, you assert that "Tennessee is one of 15 states in the country that requires voters to have a "qualifying excuse" to obtain an absentee ballot." According to whom? And then what are we to assume about the other 35 states, DC, the VI, Puerto Rico, Guam, etc.? By omitting such information, you're deceiving the reader into accepting a false conclusion much of the time. See *Editor's Note #2*.

3. Not only are you irresponsible in your authorship both by omitting the names of the authors from your articles that you print, and by short-circuiting the fact checking process and thereby insulting the intelligence of your readership, but you also commit the egregious blunder of exhibiting obvious political bias in what you print. Take that same statement you made concerning Tennessee being one of 15 states that requires voters to have a "qualifying excuse" to obtain a ballot for mailing in. The way you put it, your choice of words, makes it appear to the reader that Tennessee, in being responsible to ensure as much as possible the integrity of the voting process by limiting the number of absentee ballots to special cases with a bona fide reason why the vote can't make it to the polls on election day, is in the minority in America and needs to get with the times. Do we need to start playing "fast and loose" with the soundness of the election process, which has stood the test of time for centuries, and meddle with it at this time, by expanding access to "vote-by-mail" simply because there's a convenient crisis to give us an excuse? See *Editor's Note #3*.

I notice how you extensively quote Willie Spencer, Chair of the Hardeman County Democratic Party, eloquently arguing in favor of why we need to chuck our existing election system in the dumpster, in favor of an unprecedented fraud-susceptible vote-by-mail scheme because allegedly (no sources cited, no proof given) a certain number of people in another state are supposedly able to conclusively prove (or not?) that they were sickened directly as a result of being a poll worker earlier this year. Where's the coverage for the other side? Where is the merit given, the respect shown, in your supposed professional journalism, to the sound logic in preserving our current election accountability? Here's what you said about the Republican party's response: "A spokesperson for the Hardeman County Republican Party said they would wait for a ruling on the appeal before making a comment on the issue." You make the Republicans sound like a do-nothing group who for some reason want to remain anonymous. These three glaring breaches of duty to your readership clearly indicate that the dominant newspaper of this community is nothing but a snot rag of one man's political agenda. See *Editor's Notes #4, #5, and #6*.

I see what you are up to, Mr. Teubner. You are shamelessly and brazenly trying to foist a dangerous agenda on Tennesseans, whether they read your paper or not. You're doing a wonderful job of being an activist for a cause that clearly would spell the end of freedom and our way of life in America. See *Editor's Note #7*.

Vote-by-mail, hey?. Everybody loves the mailman, don't we? Ever since we were little tots, we were taught to trust the postal worker in those distinctive uniforms. It seems, on the surface, so safe, so innocuous, so acceptable...so...American! See #8.

Whether or not what some people call the COVID-19 "planned-demic" was a deliberate release of a successfully engineered mutant virus facilitated by a \$7.4 million grant from United States taxpayers (that's you and me) for dangerous "gain-of-function" research by virologists at the Wuhan lab in China with exactly this outcome in mind, is a subject for another debate. See #9.

So why do we now suddenly need to completely revise our sacrosanct election process in the United States, to allow huge numbers of mailed-in votes? Uniformed readers, and readers unacquainted with their heritage as Americans, will see nothing wrong with such a perilous course, and might even applaud it as a convenience. How many more of us who otherwise would not vote at all, would now have a voice! But let us thoughtfully consider: If there were a group, or groups, seeking to perpetrate widespread voter fraud in order to get their candidate elected, a la Saul Alinsky and his modern-day totalitarianist disciples, which scenario would be easier to tamper with; to infuse with millions of fraudulent votes: (A) the current, tried-and-true system where all but a very tiny percentage of us have to go in person to vote on election day, present their photo ID to the work, and verify their registration before being permitted to cast their vote? The whole integrity of the process rests on the cardinal rule that each voter gets one and only one vote. Or (B) a system where a huge number of unprecedented paper votes swamp the process by being (bona fide or not) shipped to such vote-counting offices via the postal service? The answer is obvious, to any rational, thinking adult: scenario (B) is the far more favorable scenario for rampant voter fraud. A group with access to a sophisticated printer and a database, and such groups do in fact exist everywhere in the United States, would be easily able to clog the system with huge numbers of fraudulent votes for their favorite candidates and issues. The way it is now, the way it was designed to be, with people casting their votes in person, they can be counted by the casual observer as well as by election officials, security personnel, and volunteers on election day, and there is wonderful accountability, with transparency and with numbers that can be confirmed by independent observers. Not so much with the mail. The mail comes in through a clandestine channel, which no one but the postal workers have access to, and who is to say how many mailed in votes were genuine or not? No one can say with certainty what the location of the origin of a mailed item was, that arrives via the local postman. Vote fraud has occurred in the United States of America, and it does go on today. We ought to be more vigilant, not less so, to protect our election process, in light of how polarized, disconnected, dysfunctional, and violent our society has become in recent decades. If we re-vamp it now, the fragile trust that exists in a representative republic, which America is, that has already taken a beating in many other ways, would be summarily terminated overnight. It would be the death knell for our entire way of life. Which is, incredibly enough, exactly what some socialists want. See *Editor's Note #10 and #11*.

You're not a journalist, Mr. Teubner. You're not a professional. You seek to dismantle what is arguably the most important freedom we have in America. I strongly suspect that you are in the pay of one or more of these Alinskyites who have America on a dangerous course toward becoming a giant version of impoverished Venezuela. Concentration of governmental power in the hands of a very few, unaccountable dictators and their cronies, has always been the recipe for mass starvation and bloodshed. The citizens of Hardeman County and the surrounding areas deserve to know you for who you are: a fraud. The sooner your paper is shut down, the better. See *Editor's Note #12 and #13. And also #14*.

Sincerely,  
Jack Nelson  
A Concerned Citizen

## Editor's Notes

1. Not hiding a thing. We are a small town newspaper. The editor writes most of the stories. It's not a secret. When someone who is a part of the community asks about a story, they don't ask who wrote it. They know. And our names and address, unlike yours on the envelope of the letter you sent, is in the masthead.

2. Everything was attributed. We used quotes for some statements and named the source in other statements, even if it was the Hardeman County Democratic Party. By the way, I did look up where they got their information. It was accurate.

3. We gave no opinion on the issue. The people we quoted stated their opinions AND we printed the other side of the argument in and amongst the story. I don't know how much voter fraud there is, but then again, neither does anyone else. I mean, if we know how much there was, we'd be able to stop it, or would have already.

4. I like Willie. As the chair of the party, his words have meaning. Yes, he was eloquent. What would the coverage for the other side be? That the poll worker didn't get sick? And as I said, the Tennessee Attorney General's response was printed and as far as the Republican's go...

5. Why would they necessarily be against it? Just because the Democrats are for it? But anyway, I called and this is what they said to print. They may be against it or for it but this is what they said. Which was the point of talking to them in the first place, to find out what they said. We printed what they said.

6. Klennex is better, although I have used used newspapers for a towel, a plate, kindling, a dam for a potential flooding of a carport, gardening, paper training, a prop at the *Rocky Horror Picture Show*, wrapping paper, cleaning windows, book covers, a disposable table cloth, concealing my identity in a spy movie, packing dishes, origami, paper mache, and shining shoes.

7. Whether they read my paper or not?

8. Yes, I do like the Post Office.

9. Uh, ok...yeah, let's do that one some other time. Maybe after I understand what the accusation actually is...

10. According to Wikipedia, Saul David Alinsky (January 30, 1909 – June 12, 1972) was an American community activist and political theorist. His book *Rules for Radicals*, written the year before he died, is credited with ideas for grassroots community organizing. I'd never even heard of him until Hillary Clinton ran for President.

11. Always beware of sentences that begin, "The answer is obvious, to any rational, thinking adult..." or something of that nature that insults you if you don't agree. You're being intellectually bullied. Which is how Saul Alinsky found his success, ironically.

12. Attacking our character, qualifications, motives and accusing us of being under the paid influence of those who wish mass starvation and bloodshed crosses the line. But since it is both an exercise of the freedom of speech and utterly ridiculous at the same time, we'll choose to confidently defend our record of being an impartial news source (that is, making everyone mad that we don't side with them all the time) and just enjoy the debate. But, just so you know, the Alinskyites are NOT paying us to prop up dictators or their cronies and turn Hardeman County into Venezuela. And as far as surrounding counties go, I've had issues with the Oakland Police Speed Trap, but who who hasn't?

13. I'm sorry you feel that way. But maybe you'll agree it's nice we made it long enough to print this...

14. Ok, you've had your moment in the sun, or at least as much as we could provide. But for this debate on voting (and anything else) to continue, you are going to have to identify yourself. Until then, take care.

Darrell Teubner, Editor

**The most of the time, but not always, and certainly not this week, Bolivar Bulletin Times Editorial Policy:** Please send letters to: editor@hardemancountyjournal.com with "letter to the editor" in the subject line. **Letters should be 300 words or fewer.** Please include your name and hometown. Anonymous letters are not accepted, unless signed and confirmed by *The Bulletin Times*. Once submitted, letters become property of *The Bulletin Times* and we might change it around for grammar or length purposes.

If you wish to point out a problem, try to offer a solution.

The editor also reserves the right to add an editor's comment at the end of the letter if the editor believes portions of the published letter may be inaccurate or misleading. The authenticity of all letters to the editor must be verified to be eligible for publication. In other words, you can't just make up a name and send in a letter...ok?

Congratulations to our Hardeman County Mayor and the county commissioners for having the great foresight to defund our sheriff department before the rest of the country even thought of this exceptionally clever idea and make it a popular movement. With the savings, we should have sufficient funds to pay the lawyers to keep the law suits ongoing for quite some time. Again, congratulations to them for their great foresight.

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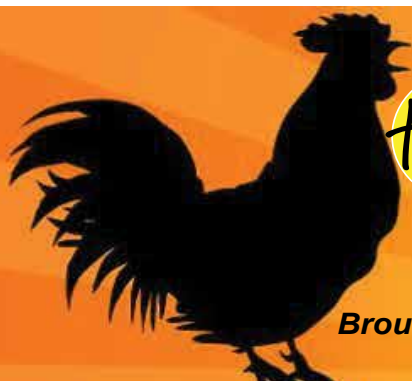
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## Chasing Perfection on the Diamond

The Bolivar Youth Association Baseball 6U team (see photo right) are on pace to become the second undefeated team in the last two seasons, but also only the second to achieve that feat in the last ten years.

The Blue team has outscored their opponents 59-16 in racing to a 7-0 record on the year. Their closest game was a margin of four runs, on June 18 in a 6-2 win over the Green team and a 7-3 over the Orange team on June 15.

Only one other team in the Bolivar Dizzy Dean or Dixie Youth Baseball League has finished undefeated since at least 2010, when *The County Journal* began keeping records of wins and losses in Bolivar Lions Club Baseball, which was Nelms Auto Body, who went 14-0 in 2019.

The 8U league got tighter this week, with the Blue team winning for the first time in five games, taking a 20-6 win over the White team on July 6 to get their record to 3-4 on the year, while the 12U league seems decided as the Gray team is at 5-1, well ahead of both the Blue and White teams at 2-4-1.

Photo by Heather Carlton.



BOLIVAR BULLETIN TIMES

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## SPORTS

JULY 9, 2020

### Hardeman County Sports Notes

#### Bolivar Baseball Standings

<b>6U League</b>	
Blue	7-0
Green	4-3
Gray	2-5
Orange	1-6
<b>8U League</b>	
White	4-3
Blue	3-4
<b>12U League</b>	
Gray	5-1
White	2-4-1
Blue	2-4-1

#### 12U Statistics

<b>Hitting</b>	
<b>Runs Scored</b>	
Kelly	12
Wilson	11
Woods	10
Herron	9
J. Baker	8
Zawacki	8
C. Dorris	6
<b>Hits</b>	
Wilson	7
Woods	7
Herron	7
Zawacki	6
Phinseece	6
Gilliam	5
J. Baker	4
<b>Extra Base Hits</b>	
Phinseece	4
Wilson	3
Herron	3
J. Baker	2
Kelly	2
Woods	2
Zawacki	2
Diffie	1
<b>Bases on Balls</b>	
C. Dorris	11
Carter	8
Allen	8
Davis	8
J. Baker	7
Kelly	7
R. Baker	7
Swift	7
Howell	7

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#### Hit by Pitch

Carter	3
Leatherwood	2
Clutter	2
8 tied with	1
<b>Batting Ave. (min. 10 PA)</b>	
Wilson	.700
J. Baker	.571
Herron	.500
Woods	.467
Phinseece	.462
Zawacki	.400
Gilliam	.357
Kelly	.333
<b>On Base Pct (min. 10 PA)</b>	
Carter	.917
J. Baker	.786
Wilson	.769
Clutter	.750
C. Dorris	.706
Davis	.692
Allen	.667
Kelly	.647
R. Baker	.643
Swift	.636
Woods	.619
Diffie	.600
Herron	.588
Gaugh	.545
Haddix	.538
Phinseece	.533
Gilliam	.500
Leatherwood	.500
Zawacki	.471

#### Pitching Leaders

<b>Appearances</b>	
Woods	6
Wilson	6
Gilliam	6
<b>Games Started</b>	
Woods	5
Wilson	4
<b>Innings Pitched</b>	
Woods	8
Gilliam	7
Zawacki	6.67
C. Dorris	6.33
<b>Wins</b>	
Wilson	2
J. Baker	2
<b>ERA (min. 5 IP)</b>	
Zawacki	3.00
Wilson	4.00
Woods	5.50
C. Dorris	6.95
<b>Strikeouts</b>	
Woods	17
Zawacki	16
Wilson	13
C. Dorris	12
Gilliam	12
J. Baker	10
<b>Strikeout/Walk Ratio</b>	
Woods	5.67
Baker	5.00
Zawacki	2.00
Kelly	1.50
Wilson	1.08

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#### Hardeman County Sports Scoreboard

<b>July 2</b>	
Blue 6U	7 Gray 1
Green 6U	13 Orange 2
White 8U	11 Blue 8
<b>July 3</b>	
4th of July	
<b>July 6</b>	
Blue 8U	20 White 6
Blue 6U	7 Orange 1
Green 6U	10 Gray 8
<b>July 7</b>	
White 2	Blue 1 (shortened by rain)
Blue vs. Gray, Rain	



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# OUR COUNTY

## Sunday Morning in Bolivar *continued from A1*

ing lot, only to re-enter it and crash into the back of the building.

The report then describes what happened next.

“After a few minutes the subject put the car into reverse and backed up at a high rate of speed. Subject did a u-turn in the parking lot and was driving at a high rate of speed back and forth in the parking lot screaming ‘call the feds’. The subject stopped the car and officers were trying to get to him. Every time we tried to approach the vehicle, the subject would start driving and continued to drive around in circles ignoring all commands by law enforcement. Subject stated several times that he had done nothing wrong and people were out to kill him.”

As the driver continued to avoid any attempts at direct contact with the officers by driving in circles if anyone approached, a stand-off that went on for at least 15 minutes ensued. Guns were drawn by the officers, but no shots were fired. Eventually, the driver, with a flattened front left tire from spike strips thrown down by the officers, left the parking lot and drove west on Market Street. A slow-speed chase ensued that ended when the driver attempted to cross a grassy area to reach Mecklinburg Drive, but was prevented from reaching the road due to the high bank of the ditch. (see photo above).

The officers subdued the subject with physical force and with the use of a taser. A pellet gun was found in the vehicle.

Mr. James Bass of Etta, Mississippi was charged with Aggravated Assault; Evading Arrest; Reckless Endangerment; Resisting Stop, Frisk, and Halt; and Felony Vandalism. He is currently being held at the Hardeman County Criminal Justice Complex. Etta’s motive is still under investigation.

The investigation of the incident was initially handled by the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), but was released back to the Bolivar Police Department after determining that the incident was not a hate-related crime.

The city released this statement on July 7, saying, “The City of Bolivar would like to thank the Hardeman County Sheriff’s Department and Whiteville Police Department for its assistance in apprehending the suspect. We would also like to thank the Federal Bureau of Investigation for its expeditious response to the incident and for its initial handling of the investigation.”



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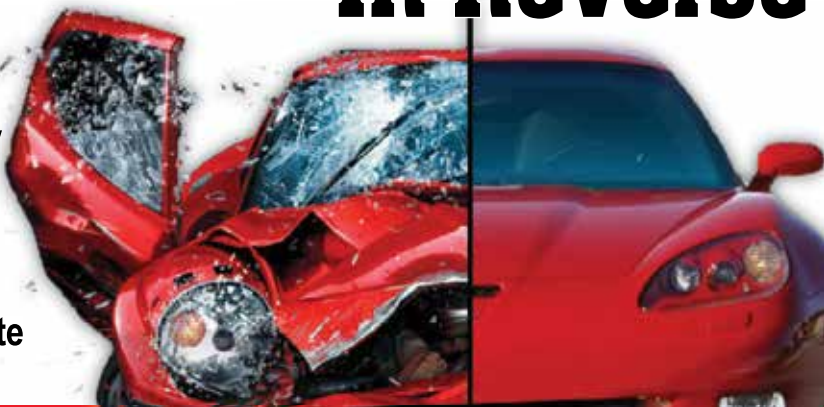
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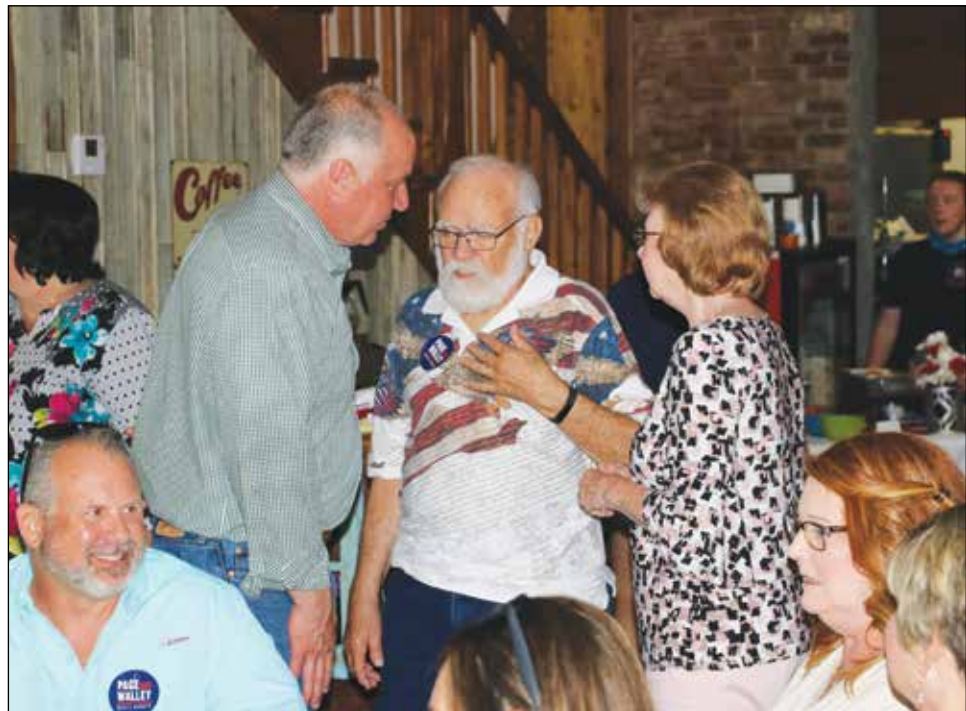
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## Candidate Walley Hosts Bolivar Event



Page Walley’s campaign for the 26th District Senate Seat continued on July 7 at Big Waves Bar and Grill in Bolivar.

With over a capacity crowd in attendance, Walley spoke of his plans for the office and treated the crowd to food and drinks.

Walley, who is the Vice-Mayor of Bolivar, previously served in the Tennessee House of Representatives for 10 years. Wally’s grassroots team, announced in April, includes quite a few contributors from Hardeman County.

A self-labeled staunch conservative, Walley served five terms in the Tennessee State House of Representatives from 1990-2000, and was a strong advocate in his opposition of a state income tax. He has served as a licensed Clinical Counselor for over 35 years.

Walley is pro-life, a member of both the NRA and Tennessee Firearms Association, Tennessee Farm Bureau, is a licensed minister and author, and received numerous awards for his leadership in the Tennessee State House. Dr. Walley and his wife Terry have been married for 35 years and have three children and three grandsons.

Walley’s first step is the Republican Primary, where he is facing Jai Templeton of McNairy County.

The 26th District Senate seat has been held by Dolores Greshman since 2008, but announced her retirement earlier this year.

Early voting in Tennessee is scheduled to begin Friday, July 17 and continue through August 1, with Election Day scheduled for Thursday, August 6.

Early voting in Hardeman County will take place at the Hardeman County Election Commission offices on Porter Street in Bolivar and in more than a dozen precinct locations around Hardeman County on Election Day.

## THE SIXTEENTH ANNUAL TYLER BOMAR MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP TOURNAMENT



July 18, 2020

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# A New Court in Town

Bolivar Housing Authority (BHA) has recently installed a new outdoor basketball court at the Eastside Court apartment complex located on Fairground Street. The project was contracted in July 2019, prior to the COVID-19 pandemic, and recently completed.

For several years the development had two outdoor basketball goals installed by the City of Bolivar that were on bare ground. BHA is very appreciative of the City of Bolivar's contributions over the years but due to issues of drainage and standing water something needed to be done in the area. BHA felt installing a concrete basketball court could resolve two important issues, help solve the drainage problem and offer the residents an important outdoor recreational opportunity.

The delay in the project's opening was mainly due to the busy schedule of the court painting contractors. It was scheduled for a possible October 2019 date but when that did not materialize the season for painting ended until about April 2020, depending upon the weather. The painting was finally scheduled for June 2020. In the middle of June the painters completed the project and on July 1, 2020 the contractor completed installing the new Mega post and goals.

BHA wanted to make the basketball court a unique education symbol by adding the mascots and names of all the Hardeman County High Schools prior to 1970, the year the schools were racially integrated. They include the Bolivar Central Tigers, Middleton Tigers, Bolivar Industrial Red Devils, Grand Junction Blue Devils, Allen-White Bears and the Whiteville Lions.

Some of the alumni affiliated with the school basketball programs include: Allen-White Bears-Mr. Evelyn C. Robertson, Coach Benny Perry; Whiteville Lions-Coach Marvin Williams; Bolivar Industrial Red Devils- Mr. Joe L. Reaves and Roger "Skippy" Jones; Grand Junction Blue Devils-Mrs. Eva Reynolds.



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## Managing Withdrawals Carefully Can Protect Retirement Income

Throughout much of your working life, you contribute to your 401(k), IRA and other investment accounts to help ensure a comfortable retirement. However, once you do retire, you'll need to shift your focus somewhat from building these investments to using them – in other words, you'll have to start withdrawing from your portfolio to meet the costs of living. How can you be sure you're not taking out so much that you risk outliving your resources?

First of all, you need to establish a proper withdrawal rate – the percentage of your portfolio's value needed for one year's worth of retirement expenses. Ideally, if you were to stick with this rate, your portfolio would last as long as you do. Your withdrawal rate should be based on a number of factors, including your age, amount of assets, portfolio mix and retirement lifestyle. A financial professional can help you determine the rate that's right for you, but it's important to understand that this rate is a starting point since you will want to review your withdrawals each year to ensure they are still appropriate.

If the financial markets performed smoothly and predictably, year in and year out, any adjustments you make would likely be more modest. But, as you know, and as we've all been reminded the last several months, the markets are neither smooth nor predictable. Rather than constantly trying to change your withdrawal rate and spending in response to movements in the markets – which may be challenging if you have grown accustomed to a certain standard of living – you might be better off adopting a more conservative rate at the beginning of your retirement. For example, if you are in your mid-60s, you could start at a withdrawal rate of about 4%, which also assumes an increase in withdrawals (a "raise") of approximately 3% each year to incorporate inflation. By starting at a more modest withdrawal rate, you would have some flexibility for those years in which the market drops significantly. And you could increase your chances of extending the lifetime of your portfolio.

But even if you started out with a conservative rate, you may need to review it during periods of extreme market movements. If, for instance, your portfolio were to fall 20% in one year, the 4% you had planned to withdraw would actually become 5% because you're taking out the amount you had planned, but now it's from a smaller pool of money. If this happens, should you consider making an adjustment?

There's no easy answer. The amount you withdraw from your portfolio has a major impact on how long your money lasts. You'll improve your likelihood of success if you are able to be flexible and make some spending adjustments – spending less on some of your discretionary items, for example, or not taking a "raise" until your portfolio recovers. Importantly, your financial advisor can help run different scenarios to determine if adjustments need to be made to ensure you remain on track.

In any case, think carefully about your withdrawal rate. By managing it carefully, and reviewing it over time, you can take greater control over your retirement income.

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## Tales from the Yellow House by Lee McAlpin

The latter part of the summer at the Yellow House was sweltering hot like it is today. In weather like this, as I mentioned before, immediately after breakfast, Mom would begin covering the four eyes of the cook stove with black iron pots and skillets in preparation of preparing the daily meals before the temperature reached it's peak for the day. The house was filled with the aroma of the contents of those cooking utensils which kept me hungry all day. Fresh cabbage, peas, beans, potatoes, corn, and usually fatback simmered all morning long. At dinner time (lunch), the family sat down to a rib-sticking, delicious lunch of the produce from the garden. We knew that what we had for dinner would also be what we had for supper, (dinner), served at room temperature.. It was just too hot to fire the old stove up for the evening meal. After dinner, Mom would group the bowls of food in the center of the dining table and cover them with a white table cloth where they sat until the supper meal. We never suffered any effects from E Coli, botulism, ptomaine poisoning or such. Many days in the summer months, the stove had a fire in it all day long while Mom canned all the vegetables and fruit to store for the winter months. She canned everything from corn on the cob to pork sausage. I don't see how she stood the heat, but I guess that we were all somewhat accustomed to it. I remember a lot of times, I would walk into the kitchen where she was cooking. She would stop, wipe her brow and remark, "Seems like all I do is stand in this hot kitchen".



Later in life, when she had air conditioning in her kitchen, I would ask her if she remembered saying that phrase a lot. She would just smile and nod her head. Moms are so precious and giving, most times not thinking of themselves in order for the sake of their families. Mom would spend hours peeling and slicing apples to dry in the sun, and shelling peas. She would put the dried apples in a flour sack, along with a pod or two of red pepper, to ward off any wandering insects. She also stored the dried peas the same way. She canned some of the best spiced apple quarters and chow chow that I have ever eaten. Sometimes after the canning season was over, I would ask her to open a jar of this and that. She would tell me that we had better save it for some cold snowy day in the coming winter. And on one of them "cold snowy days in winter," she would open the jars up and prepare a mouth watering country meal for all the family. As I've mentioned before, we did not have any indoor plumbing, but we did have some outdoor plumbing. Our kitchen sink was outside the back door of the kitchen nailed to the wall. Being the innovative sort that country people are, Dad attached a funnel shaped tin bucket to the outside wall on the left of the kitchen door, attached a long metal pipe to the bottom of it and ran the pipe out across the yard into the edge of the cotton patch. You could open the door and pour the dish water into the bucket and it was carried away to the cotton patch, No sewage bills here, and it made a great place to dig big fat earthworms for our fishing trips. My youngest sister Joyce and I usually had the dishwashing chores. We used two dish pans for the process. One for washing and one for rinsing. I was the dryer. I just never could get into dishwashing. I did get into a lot of trouble while drying the dishes. I couldn't resist the temptation of splashing a little water in sister's face, or popping her with the dry towel. And she was happy to see me get into trouble. While I was getting my punishment, she would stand aside and giggle, which made me want to do it all over. I remember a few times that prior to my punishment with the switch for a no-no that I might have done, I would run around the house with Mom and the switch steadily a few paces behind. I would gain ground and bend over, look under the house (no underpinning) to see where her legs were located and play cat and mouse with her. That worked for awhile until my oldest sister came out the back door and they cornered me between them, where I gave up. The whooping was twice as bad at these times because I got my deserved licks for the deed I done, and extra licks for running. So goes the life of a country boy.

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