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— Shirley Chisholm



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Unemployment Increases Slightly in Tri-Counties

NASHVILLE — After recording the lowest unemployment rate in November 2021 in at least the past 12 years, the rate of unemployment ticked up slightly in December, 2021 in Carroll County, according to the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development.

Carroll County recorded an unemployment rate of 3.7 percent in December 2021, up from 3.2 in November.

Henry County recorded a December rate of 3.8 percent, up from 3.4 in November, and 6.4 percent one year earlier. From 13,253 labor force, there were 12,747 employed and 506 unemployed.

Weakley County recorded a rate of 3.2 percent in December, up from 2.9 percent in November 2021 and 5.1 percent one year earlier. From a labor force of 15,579, a total of 15,076 were employed and 503 unemployed.

Tennessee recorded a rate of 3.8 percent in December. Williamson County had the lowest unemployment rate at 2.1 percent. McNairy County had the highest rate at 4.6 percent.

GREEN POWER



The electrical substation in Trezevant, along State Route 190, is bordered by open land where a 6.25 megawatt solar array is proposed to be located. Photo by Joel Washburn/The Banner

Solar Farm Headed to Trezevant

BY JOEL WASHBURN

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HUNTINGDON (January 27) — An 118-acre solar farm is headed to Trezevant, according to information coming from the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Carroll County Electrical Department. Silicon Ranch of Nashville has proposed to install the solar array

near the CCED's power substation on Power Station Road in Trezevant.

Danny Brawner, general manager of the CCED, said the installation will be a 6.25-megawatt array, which is bigger than the one along Interstate 40 near Brownsville. Brawner had an unsigned contract proposal for CCED's attorney Robert Keeton, II to review prior to submitting to the board for final approval.

The contract calls for CCED to purchase the solar-produced power from Silicon Ranch at a rate of 4.4 cents per kilowatt-hour. That's cheaper than purchasing through TVA with an average rate of 6-6.4-cent per kilowatt-hour. TVA created the flexible energy program that allows local power distributors to

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Bethel University Nursing Program Graduates Achieve Perfect Score on Licensure Exam

McKENZIE (January 19) — Bethel University's 2021 nursing program graduates achieved a 100% pass rate on the NCLEX licensing exam, the university announced Friday.

"This accomplishment stands as recognition of the outstanding work done by each and every one of the nursing faculty and staff as well as the nursing students," said Director of Nursing Program and Associate Professor of Nursing Jenny Webb.

The NCLEX licensing exam is the industry's assessment of record to measure aptitude for nursing graduates preparing to enter the job market.

Nursing continues to be ranked

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Election Deadline Approaches for Local Candidates

BY JOEL WASHBURN

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HUNTINGDON (Updated January 31) — The February 17 noon deadline is quickly approaching for the 2022 elections for state, federal, county and school board candidates.

Candidates can run in a party primary on May 3 ahead of the August 4 local general elections. State and federal races have an August 4 primary and a November general election.

Many offices are beginning to attract candidates, however one school board, McKenzie has no candidates as of Monday, January 31.

The list of persons who

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Carroll County Receives Fire Protection Grant

NASHVILLE — Tennessee Gov. Bill Lee and Department of Economic and Community Development Commissioner Bob Rolfe recently approved \$28.5 million in Community Development Block Grants (CDBG), which will assist communities with infrastructure improvements, housing rehabilitations and health and safety initiatives.

Carroll County Fire Department will receive \$370,700 for firefighting equipment.

The Town of Bruceton received \$511,700 for water/sewer improvements.

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Huntingdon Receives \$950K Grant

BY JIM POTTS

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HUNTINGDON (January 27) — Huntingdon's Town Council met in called session Thursday morning, January 27 with Mayor Dale Kelley being absent due to illness. Vice-Mayor Nina Smothers chaired the short session that included acting on two items.

Council members learned Huntingdon was approved for a \$950,000 Multimodal Access Grant and unanimously approved proceeding with the grant as a locally managed project as opposed to having it managed by TDOT. This grant will be used for repairing, replacing, or installing new

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Henry County Sheriff Investigating Three Fires

HENRY COUNTY (January 31) — The Henry County Sheriff’s Department and the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation along with the Tennessee Agriculture Crime agents are investigating three suspicious fires.

On January 30, 11:56 p.m., a barn was reported to be on fire on Ashby Lane near the intersection of Mt. Sinai Road in Buchanan.

On January 31, 2 a.m., a vacant house was reported to be on fire on Reynoldsburg Road at the intersection with Travis Boyd Road in Mansfield.

On January 31, 2:40 a.m., hay bales were reported on fire in the edge of a field on Highway 218 near Palestine Road.

The Sheriff’s Department is asking for the public’s assistance by checking trail cameras, security cameras or to report any suspicious vehicles in the above areas. The Sheriff’s Office is 731-642-1972.

Huntingdon HOSA Competes in Region

Huntingdon High School - HOSA (Health Occupation Students of America) Regional competition was held December 7-10, 2021. From left to right, Abby Lewis placed 1st in Behavioral Health Knowledge Test, Rylee Holladay placed 2nd

in Human Growth and Development Knowledge Test, Ellie Culbreath placed 4th in Cultural Diversities and Disparities in Health Care Knowledge Test, LG Parish placed 4th in Nutrition Knowledge Test, Greenlee Sharp competed in Patho-

West Carroll, Weakley County Among Five Districts to Receive No Kid Hungry Grant

West Carroll Special School District and Weakley County Schools received a grant to continue feeding students during a pandemic. As a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, many families in communities today face increased hardship. Hunger and poverty, already at unacceptable levels, are affecting children at an alarming rate, and the hunger that kids face today has the power to impact the rest of their lives.

This round of No Kid Hungry grants will support the following schools in the following districts:

Bells City School, Franklin County School District, Haywood County School District, West Carroll Special School District, and Weakley County School District.

As part of No Kid Hungry’s continuing effort to ensure all children in Tennessee remain nourished and

healthy, five districts have received \$42,000.00 in grant funding to help feed more children in the community. Since the beginning of the pandemic, No Kid Hungry has distributed over \$1.5 million to schools, districts and community organizations throughout Tennessee, helping recipients serve over 16 million meals to kids in the state.

“As students in Tennessee continue to face the uncertainties of the pandemic, school meals remain a critical lifeline,” said Eleni Towns, Associate Director for the No Kid Hungry Campaign. “No child should struggle with an empty stomach in the classroom. Tennessee’s schools have been on the front lines throughout this pandemic. We are proud to support school nutrition professionals to do the important work to reach more

County Students Make UTK Dean’s List

BY LYNDSY SUMMERS
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Several area students made the University of Tennessee at Knoxville’s dean’s list for the fall 2021 semester. To be eligible for the dean’s list, students must complete at least twelve credit hours, not counting work taken on a satisfactory/no-credit basis.

To qualify for the dean’s list, an undergraduate student must earn a term grade point average of 3.80 to 4.00

(summa cum laude), 3.65 to 3.79 (magna cum laude), or 3.50 to 3.64 (cum laude). Students on the dean’s list include:

Ryleigh B. Bailey, Huntingdon, Cum Laude; Carter B. Cary, Huntingdon, Magna Cum Laude; Adyson C. Shands, Huntingdon, Summa Cum Laude; and Adyn E. Swenson, Huntingdon, Summa Cum Laude.

Bridget R. Bradberry, McKenzie, Cum Laude; Macie M. Brush, McKenzie, Summa

HMS Principal’s Honor Roll, A,B Honor Roll

HMS is proud to announce the students who made Honor Roll the 2nd quarter of school. Principal’s Honor Roll includes students who made all A’s and Honor Roll includes students who made all A’s and B’s.

4th Grade
Principal’s Honor Roll
Cooper Bergman, Tyler Brinkley, Isabella Cabanas, Rayne Coleman, Davie Grace Crews, Vincent Galindo, Max Kelley, Vivian Singleton, Nolan Tippitt, & Aubree Wilkes

A/B Honor Roll
Courtlyn Brewer, LaKeitha Cason, Christian Cerda, Addison Click, Kaylee Eatman, Carlee Evans, Garrett Fowler, Kierstin Fuentes, Ava Gordon, Elijah Harris, Jake Harris, Harper Hodge, Cloe Cooper, Eli Jordan, Lizzie Latch, Jamison Middleton, Dayton Miller, Jacob Nazi, Case Raines, Elijah Simpson, Bailey Swafford, Connor Thomas, Gabi Vinson, Hayden Weathers, Addie Welch, Parker Wilkinson, & Emory Williams

5th Grade
Principal’s Honor Roll
Emma Adkins, Madelyn Anderson, Kyle Byrd, Kayla Campbell, Harley Chandler, Kiley Crossno, Cody Curtis, Anderson Drinkard, Nicholas Elliott, Ali Harris, Wylie Kee, Bryson Lankford, Marcie Mitchell, Cody Partridge, Eden Pritchard, Kate Radford, Apryl Reindl, Rush Sanders, Teagan Spencer, Avery Todd, & Claudia Williams

A/B Honor Roll
Phoenix Barnhill, William Boals, Lexie Bos, Calla Brewer, Wyatt Cary, StarLynn Dixon, Will Eldredge, Hailley Foster, Lorie Hager, Eli Hayes, Preston Huss, Mil-

6th Grade
Principal’s Honor Roll
Grier Bartholomew, Knox Bennett, Wyatt Bradley, Brooklyn Brooks, Kaylen Cary, Bryce Daily, Haven Dillahunt, Brylee Douglas, Gavin Gray, Maddox Holmes, Brady Johnson, Liam Jones, Ben Kee, Garvin Kee, Nelson Kelly, Gabriel Laws, Colt Luther, Kainan Moore, David Ou, Cruz Perez, Lila Reed, Rayne Reindl, Tatum Rich, Jude Roberts, Robyn Rogers, Camdyn Sellers, Luke Smith, Savannah Vinson, Skyler Walters, Addison Watwood, & Ellie Wilson

A/B Honor Roll
Cody Abel, JP Arnold, Simon Avalon, Daniel Campbell, Branston Cole, Tucker Courtney, Lily Cumba, Hayes Eubanks, AJ Florence, Paisley Fosnot, Bryar Foster, Owen Gillespie, Trinity Glavish, Ginger Hager, Cy Hankins, Cannon Heath, Caydence Holifield, Owen Hueguley, Malikh Krushensky, Adelyn Lay, Emalynn Maness, Myles Pelonero, LaKatie Pratcher, Bella Ritthaler, Evan Rotger, Abigail Shealy, Gracie Smith, Madison Smith, Linsman White, Harmony Webb, & Colt Wood

7th Grade
Principal’s Honor Roll
Katelyn Brewer, Makayla Brinkley, Kayla Cabanas, Aubrey Castleman, Brayden Davis, Celia Deville, Mackenzie

lie Luther, Duke McKinney, Carly Miller, Lily Moss, Johns Nolen, Kevin Perez, Bella Robertson, Evin Rouse, Braetan Seavarns, Brennen Smith, Kingston Smith, Mary Cardon Smothers, McKinley Spellings, Brandon Stimpson, Ben VanSparrentak, Mia Vilalobos, & Ian Williams

physiology Knowledge Test, Michael Byrd placed 3rd in Medical Law and Ethics Knowledge Test, Pari Patel placed 5th in Biomedical Lab Science, and Laney Rhodes competed in Medical Terminology. Congratulations to these students!

kids with the healthy meals, even as they face tremendous challenges with staffing shortages and supply chain disruptions.”

Grantees plan to use funds to purchase equipment, hire additional staff, and implement creative solutions to continue to feed kids even as new challenges arise.

About No Kid Hungry
No child should go hungry in America. But in the wake of the coronavirus pandemic, 1 in 6 kids could face hunger this year. No Kid Hungry is working to end childhood hunger by helping launch and improve programs that give all kids the healthy food they need to thrive. This is a problem we know how to solve. No Kid Hungry is a campaign of Share Our Strength, an organization committed to ending hunger and poverty.

Cum Laude; Claire E. Cottrill, McKenzie, Summa Cum Laude; Moriah Jordan M. DeLoach, McKenzie, Magna Cum Laude; Olivia M. Henderson, McKenzie, Cum Laude; Lauren E. Mansfield, McKenzie, Magna Cum Laude; Lyndsey B. Summers, McKenzie, Summa Cum Laude; and Jackey Q. Zheng, McKenzie, Summa Cum Laude.

Carter M. Graves, Buena Vista, Summa Cum Laude; and Ethan M. Rickard, Bruceton; Summa Cum Laude.

Finley, Lillian Hoad, Everly Johnson, Katherine Meggs, Aidan Moss, Bhavy Patel, Khristofer Pulling, Hayden Strop, Colby Vandiver, Chloe Jo Vaughn, & Cody Wilson

A/B Honor Roll
Tyler Allen, Greyson Anderson, Maddie Brinkman, Ayden Brown, Ripley Buntyn, Taylor Canovan, Natalie Carter, Bobby Craig, Grace Forbess, Grace Fortner, Savannah Gordon, Macie Grice, Ozzy Lessenberry, Mark Mast, Brennan Meggs, Erin Morey, Audrey Mummert, Mahogany Pratcher, Wyatt Pruitt, Will Reeves, Allie Ruffell, Lucas Smith, Nickolas Smith, Abbi Sykes, Carson Watters, Bryson Whiteside, & Grant Wilson

8th Grade
Principal’s Honor Roll
Lani Batey, Broox Bennett, Wyatt Bergman, TJ Brea, Briley Brown, Bailey Cobb, Madison Dill, Kaki Dillahunt, Caleb Ezell, Kanesha Forte, Keran Gordon, Mandie Hodge, Tripp Johnson, Will Lewis, Jaden Martin, Emma Partridge, Brooklyn Pearson, Meredith Peritt, Sawyer Raines, Julianne Salma, Milie Singleton, Khira Smith, Kiley Stephenson, Mary Kendall Stevens, Fisher Stokes, Blaine Todd, & Caitlyn VanSparrentak

A/B Honor Roll
Caiden Biggart, Sunny Carter, Alex Chalk, Aysia Chapple, Claudia Cooper, Gracie Doede, Will Haywood, Mary Claire Kolwyck, Owen Kreuziger, JP Mast, Asia Melton, Alyssa Mitchell, Celeste Perez, Michael Radford, Eoin Reindl, Silas Sharp, Shawn Simpson, McCauley Spellings, Kelcey Stephenson, & Tatianna Whiteside

Tuesday, February 1, 2022
Henry — 1 – 3 p.m., Henry County Courthouse, Basement Conference Room, 101 W. Washington Street, Paris

Thursday, February 3, 2022
Carroll — 9 – 11 a.m., Huntingdon City Hall, 19801 E Main Street, Huntingdon

Gibson — 1 – 3 p.m., Milan City Hall-Board Room, 1061 S. Main Street, Milan

County Watershed Authority Discusses Campground Fees

HUNTINGDON — The fees for overnight camping at the recreational vehicle (RV) Park at the Carroll County 1000-Acre Recreation Lake were discussed during the monthly meeting of the Carroll County Watershed Authority.

Carroll County’s rates are comparatively cheaper than many campgrounds with a current rate of \$35 daily, \$175 for weekly, \$350 for monthly and \$2,000 for annual. Senior citizens receive rates of \$30, \$150, \$300, and \$1,700 respectively. That includes all utilities. Some campgrounds do not allow winter camping.

Brad Chappell, a board member, said some residents take up permanent camping. He noted the rates were the lowest of the compared rates of area campgrounds - Beech Lake, Birdsong, Land Between the Lakes, Natchez Trace and Parkers Crossroads.

Joe Smothers, board members, said there are only 12 campsites and the annual rate needs to be eliminated.

No action was taken on the rates.

Walt Reister, a resident around the lake, said the residents around the lake are concerned about the \$11 million debt owed by the Watershed Authority. He said the city (Huntingdon) and the county needs

Solar

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purchase up to five percent of its power demand from a green-power producer.

Ryan Drewry, office manager, said the system will save an estimated \$250,000 annually.

Brawner said Silicon Ranch, with leadership from Matt Kisber, former-

ly of Jackson, and former Governor Phil Bredesen, covers all the installation costs. He said the substitution needs a new circuit breaker that costs \$100,000. He hoped Silicon Ranch would also cover that cost.

Terry Howell, board chairman, questioned if there is any downside to the deal?

The answer was only if the electrical rates decrease.

The land is under pur-

Election

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have picked up petitions to seek office and those who have completed the petition process are listed below. Persons seeking candidacy, must obtain the signature of at least 25 registered voters, who reside in the district. Those signatures must be on a petition obtained from the Election Commission office.

General Sessions Judge - Larry Logan

Circuit Court Judge -Part 1 - Brent Bradberry.

Circuit Court Judge - Part 2 - Terry Leonard, Vance Dennis, Chancellor - Vicki Hodge Hoover.

District Attorney General - Neil Thompson.

Public Defender - Robert “Tas” Gardner.

Court of Appeals - John Everrett Williams (retention vote only).

U.S. Congressman-District 8 - no listed candidate.

Tenn. House-District 76 - no listed candidate.

Tenn. House - District 79 - no listed candidate.

Tandy Darby is seeking reelection.

County Mayor - Joseph Butler.

County Commission

District 1 (elect 3) - Patrick Lindsey, Randy Long, Frank Casteel, Jimmy Halford, Darrell Ridgely

County Commission District 2 (elect 2) - Bertha Taylor, Daniel Lee Willman, Lana Suite

County Commission District 3 (elect 2) - Larry Spencer, Joey Simmons, Will McMackin

County Commission District 4 (elect 2) - T. Richard Goodwin, Hal Eason, Donald Finch, Daniel Thomas.

County Commission District 5 (elect 3) - Joey Darnall, Barry Mac Murphy, RaKaya Humphreys, Cyril Ostiguy, Vince Taylor

County Commission District 6 (elect 2) - Jimmy D. McClure, Kurt Hunley, Philip E. Moore.

County Commission District 7 (elect 2) - Virginia Ginger House, Manuel Crossno

County Commission District 8 (elect 2) - no candidates - McKenzie

County Commission District 9 (elect 3) - John Austin, Jason R. Martin, Spiros Roditis

Assessor of Property - Rita Jones.

Trustee - Paula Bolen.

Sheriff - Tim Pratt, Andy Dickson.

Circuit Court Clerk - Sarah Bradberry.

County Clerk - Darlene

Kirk.

Register of Deeds - Natalie McCullough Porter.

Road Supervisor - District 1 - Ricky Scott.

Road Supervisor - District 2 - Michael Kyle and Ronnie Wade.

County School Board - District 1 - Mike Foster

County School Board - District 2 - Deborah Broadbent, Randy Kelley

County School Board - District 3 - Charlotte Tucker, Michael Tate.

Hollow Rock - Bruceton - 16th Civil Dist. - Brandy Boyd, Randy Kelley

HR-Bruceton At Large - April Hampton.

HR-Bruceton 15th - Michael Graves.

HR-Bruceton 17th - James Holder.

Huntingdon School Board (elect 2) - RaKaya Humphreys. Kennedy White, Clark White.

McKenzie School Board (elect 4) - no candidate.

South Carroll School - at large (elect 2) - Jimmy McClure, Colton Moore, Christy Blount, Tom Miller.

West Carroll - Old County - Patrick Lindsey, Betty Wallace, Jared Mims.

West Carroll - Old Atwood - David Hilliard, Keith Murray

West Carroll - Old Trezevant - Kelly M. Weaver, Becky Mueller.

County

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New turnout gears for the more than 120 Carroll County volunteer firefighters are funded through the federal-state CDBG grant.

In October, 2021, the county’s Rural Fire Committee voted to seek a 90 percent grant to fund the \$391,682 plus \$19,000 fee for writing the grant through Northwest Tennessee Development District.

Retired County Fire Chief Terry Bradshaw presented a written estimate of items, including 130 sets of turnout coats and pants, helmets, gloves, No-mex hood and fire-fighting

boots and 24 self-contained breathing apparatus. Bradshaw said the firefighters’ gear is decades old and needs to be replaced.

“Investing in local infrastructure is one of our top priorities, and these funds will play a vital role as communities work to update their assets and keep their communities safe,” said Governor Lee. “These recipients are proactively preparing their communities for future economic opportunities and continued growth.”

“Community Development Block Grants are an enormous asset to communities across Tennessee,” Rolfe said. “The 62 communities receiving CDBG funding will be

Grant

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sidewalks in several selected locations in town.

The Council submitted an application for a Tennessee Arts Commission Nonprofit Arts and Culture Recovery Fund Grant. This grant provides an opportunity for Tennessee arts

nonprofits and art organizations operating within a municipal or county government to address documented negative economic impacts of COVID-19. The purpose of this grant is to support pandemic recovery so the arts organizations may again offer arts programs and services that increase access to the arts, contribute to local economies, and result in

Bethel

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among the most in-demand college majors, and Bethel’s nursing program is rising to meet the need.

The career and recruiting website Indeed.com ranked nursing No. 1 on its 23 Top College Majors in

Demand last February, and the report cites a United States Bureau of Labor Statistics report that projects jobs for registered nurses were expected to grow by 12% between 2018 and 2028.

“They are highly sought-after graduates by employers in the West and Middle Tennessee regions,” Webb said.

“Thanks to all who contributed to this successful

outcome!”

Visit Bethel University’s website to learn more about Bethel University’s nursing program.

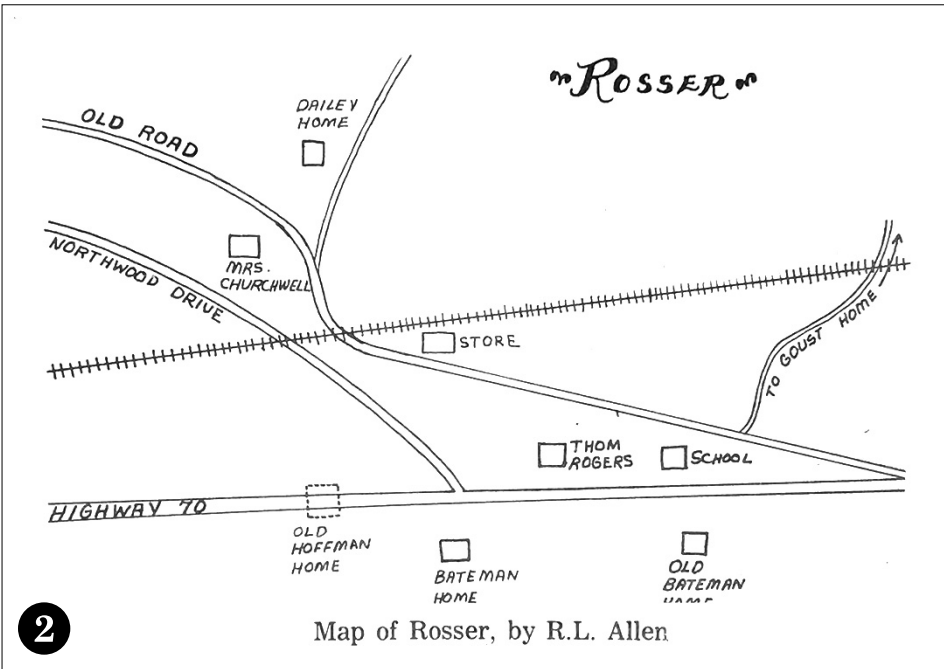
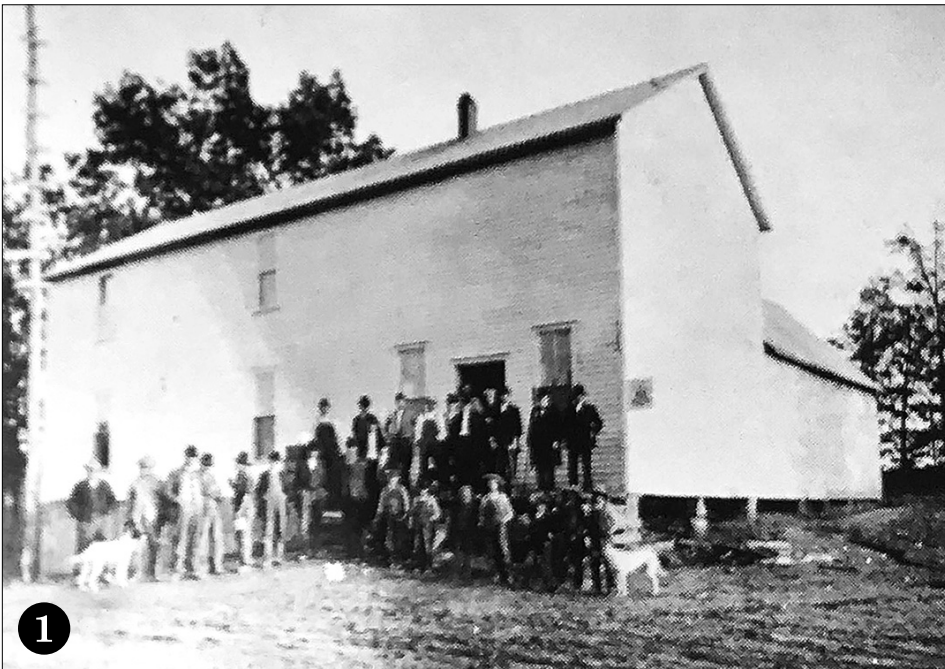
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1. Pictured is the old general merchandise store at Rosser. It was built by Tom Rogers. 2. A map of the Rosser community. 3. Snead’s Picnic in the early 1940s.



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The Carroll County Neighbors, Part IV

ROSSER

The Rosser community grew where the railroad crossed the main highway east of Huntingdon. The official name was Post, but it has always been called Rosser. According to legend, it was called Rosser because of the name of a man who ran the first store there.

After Rosser’s Store, a Mr. Green ran a store and Stewart Huffman another. Edgar Traywick and his partner, Hover Williams, ran a store; they were bought out by Cloud Mebane who in turn sold to Quay Foust. Mr. Foust died and his widow sold it to Lester Campbell, who sold it to William L. Smith. Mr. Smith sold it to Luther Dickerson who was still in operation until 1972.

East of the store was a small schoolhouse. The teachers in order of succession were Eula Williams, Lola Turtan, Ione Ross, Lillian Turner, Loura Herr, Inez Carlton, Thelma Springer, Laura Smith, and May Glisson. Henry Walters ran the grist mill west of the store near where the road crossed the railroad. The cotton gin was owned by the Williams family. Then Alex Webb from Hollow Rock took over, followed by his nephew Rupert Webb.

Across the railroad, just where the modern highway is now, was Stewart Hoffvins’ house which was later moved to another location. About a quarter of a mile down the railroad is the old Foust home which was built by Quay and Maggy Foust. Tom Bateman built a log house near the old school. Later he and his family moved into a frame house across from the store.

The old general merchandise store at Rosser was built and operated by Tom Rogers and later owned by Homer and Clyde Williams,

who added to the original structure and built a hall over the store for use as a lodge hall by Woodmen of the World. Hebron Methodist Church also used it at one time. On the N.C. and St.L. Railway, the post office of Rosser (Post) was in the store. It was the gathering place for the community.

ROWLAND MILLS

Rowland’s mills were started before 1833 when Loyd Rowland was given more land at the site of his mills. The mill was located on Sandy River about five miles from Hollow Rock towards Buena Vista. About 1922, Wash Townsend ran a General Store and Center Point Baptist Church was located nearby.

SELLERS HILL

Taken from an article in Carroll County Democrat, November 6, 1959

The pioneer head of the Sellers family was the father of seven boys and eight girls, who were born and reared on Sellers Hill. He came with his bride on horseback from North Carolina. They ran away and were married on horseback. They built a log house and started their home.

The exact date is not known as the family Bible, which was over 100 years old, was destroyed by fire twenty-five years ago. Most of the children married, raised their families in this section, and are buried in Sellers Cemetery. It is said the first person buried there was a Sellers slave.

Hardy Sellers married Sarah Scott. He built a log house on his father’s property which still stands on land owned by Henry Springer’s heirs. It was built long before the Civil War. Etta (Sellers) Carnal handed down the story of by how during the Civil War bush-

whackers came to the Sellers’ home, and prowled all night; one man slept on the porch near the door when daylight came he took one of the Sellers’ daughters, dragged her by her hair over a large pine grove trying to make her tell where their money was. She never told, but it was buried in a snuff bottle behind the garden.

Hardy Sellers died in 1900. His home was bought by their grandson, Henry Springer. He and his family lived in the old log house for four years. Their son Reed was born there. The land for Sellers Cemetery was given by John Sellers, Alex Brandon, and Dr. Dud Laws, who all lie in wait on that hill for that great day. The Springer land is now owned by A.D. Jarrett.

SNEAD’S GROVE

The Snead community was built upon a picnic. From 1937 until 1943, the Snead brothers-Grady and Mace conducted one of the biggest affairs ever known in Carroll County. Every year they pitched a shindig of a picnic. It featured good eats and good music-country music. It began at sunup and ran until sundown on the appointed day, usually the last Thursday in July.

Performers at the event came from near and far. One object of the picnic, according to the Sneads, was to provide an opportunity for the advancement of local talent. Lots of local talent appeared. Among the featured entertainers in the day-long festivities were the Girls Harmony Four of Paris, Sammy Ezell of Huntingdon, the Stockard Twins of McKenzie, Dick Martin and his string band of McKenzie, and an outfit known as Dan and His Twins of Henry. Local performers were stacked up against professionals imported for the occasion. These included some of the leading lights of country music in those days.

People came from near and far, from several states around. When they gathered on the appointed day at Snead’s Grove out the old road from McKenzie to Paris, there were people and cars as far as the eye could see. The moving spirit of all this was the late Grady Snead. It was his leadership that created the community, and he was well aware of what he was doing.

The announced purpose



of the 1943 picnic was to “keep alive our own Southern Folk Songs, and the Southern way of gathering together in a community fashion.” But there was more to the spirit that created Snead’s Community. Grady and his brother Mace provided the driving force behind the annual event. But the actual event required the labor of many people. All the people in the whole area were involved, particularly when it came to the management of all the work that had to go on.

The cars had to be parked, the crowds managed. Many thousands of people had to be fed. Everyone in the community had to participate in these large affairs were to be a success. All that participation created Snead’s Community.

SPANISH GROVE

Early settlers of this southeast Carroll County community brought with them a desire to have their children educated. So, they built what was known as the Spanish Grove School. Early settlers of Spanish Grove were Edwards, Thompson Butler, Jimmy Jones, James and Thomas McAuley and Joshua Butler. The school was established in 1879. It consisted of a one-room log house with a stick-and-dirt chimney for the large fireplace which provided the heat, one window with wooden shutters and seats made from split logs. The name Spanish Grove was derived from large oak trees growing on the site of the building.

The school was built of lumber donated by citizens of the community. The

log school was replaced by a frame building made of hand-dressed lumber and covered with boards. Around 1915, an extra room was added to provide for increased enrollment of about 80 students.

The lot on which it stands was given to the school committee of Spanish Grove and their successors in the Eighteenth District of Carroll County by Phillip T. Butler. The school was abandoned under consolidation.

About 50 boys from Spanish Grove served in the uniforms of our country from Europe to the Pacific. Everyone returned without being seriously injured.

TERRY

In the years after the Civil War, Colonel J.B. Terry owned a large tract of land on the Old Stage Road where the road crosses the Obion River. He and his family operated an inn not very far from this road westward toward Milan. The inn was a two-story log building and the people riding the stage could spend the night and get food and drink.

Colonel Terry in his older years sold this entire farm to W.H. Shuford. His heirs still own a large amount of this land and his granddaughter has a home on the same spot the inn used to be located.

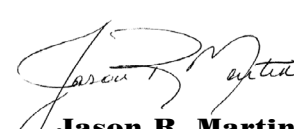
On the east side of the Stage road, Mr. Muse Bryant bought several acres of land and built a store. He also built a cotton gin about the year 1903. Mr. Wylie Cunningham and his wife operated the store, later Mr. Joe Parker of Cedar Grove and his wife purchased the store. On the west side opposite

Terry’s store, Mr. Will Woodall built a store building. C.J. McCollum and J.H. Shuford operated it for many years; Julian Perkins and his wife bought the business in 1946.

After the erection of the first store, people began to want a name for the village. Mr. Wylie McKinney, a prominent magistrate of the Twentieth District whose mother was Colonel Terry’s daughter, suggested it be called Terry.

Mr. W.H. Shuford gave a three-acre tract of land for a schoolhouse. This was a one-room school and later other rooms were added. It remained Terry School until 1957 when a new school was built and became Westview School. The Cool Springs Cumberland Presbyterian Church was moved near the school. There is a small cemetery near the church where some of the oldest markers can be found.

(The research for this article came from History of Carroll County, Tennessee, 1986.)



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HUNKER DOWN WITH KES

The Plot Thickens...And Multiplies!

You may remember back several months ago I told you how my wife willingly and unlawfully stole a cat from our sweet and unsuspecting next door neighbors. I am here today to tell you in no uncertain terms that CRIME DOES NOT PAY!

I was not a party to this act. But, oh brother, have I paid the price!

And don’t give me the “guilty by association” line. I was so blatantly innocent in this caper that Perry Mason wouldn’t have even considered taking my case.

Cats are a special breed. They can’t be “managed.” They are not pets; they are conquerors! They ease in through any door that’s open and immediately take control. They jump up in your lap when they want to be pampered. You can’t get

close to them if they are having a bad hair day.

My history with cats goes way back...to when a semi-wild feral grimalkin showed up at our old house out at the end of Stonewall Street. Leon immediately, and without explanation, named her “Triangle.”

Well, you know cats; it didn’t take her two days to be drinking milk under the kitchen table from a glass saucer Mom had gotten out of a Quaker Oat box. Daddy would drop little pieces of catfish or cornbread to her at supper. Within a week Triangle was an established member of the household.

We had that crazy cat for ten years. She would stand over by the door when she wanted out. She scratched on the outer side when she wanted in. She’d meow loud-

er than the town crier when she was hungry.

Triangle unquestionably had the run of the place. She’d rear up and hiss at Jericho and Trixie, and those big ole hunting dogs would hightail it under the house like they’d been shot out of a cannon!

One day she just up and left. Without a word. It broke our hearts.

You might want to question your “good judgment” before attaching yourself to any cat.

I told Cathy about Triangle. She didn’t hear me. I told her to leave “Cooney” over in the yard from which she emanated. She didn’t hear me. I told her she was opening up a can of worms that we might not be able to get back in the tube. She didn’t hea...

Cooney and Cathy took to meeting in our driveway between the two houses. It didn’t take long after that. And naturally, Cooney is a finicky eater (aren’t they all?) I had to drive thirty-seven miles to Panama City to find a cat food that was expensive enough for her!

Listen, she is now eating high nutritional, gluten free, non-fat chicken, marinated salmon, brown rice and farm fresh vegetables with minerals and vitamins added...out of a special sterilized cat food tray. It is, in all probability, a little better than the fried catfish and cornbread Dad dropped on the floor.

And without a doubt, much better for you than the mayonnaise enriched boloney sandwich and Hostess

Cup Cake I had for lunch!

Cooney makes herself at home in every room in our house. She scratches on the leg of the couch when she wants out, or wants to eat, or wants me to refold her blanket, or just wants me to get up and check on her. I refer to the critter in all of our conversations as “her majesty.”

The Siamese cat showed up in November. Some days Cooney pays him a little attention. Most, she doesn’t. I’ve got to sit on the steps and explain to “Brownie” the facts of life. The white cat jumped the fence into our yard the week after Brownie arrived. “Hi-Yo Silver” doesn’t get close enough for me to know which gender tail it needs.

The giant gray cat has just been coming around for the past few weeks. I can’t tell if “Big Daddy” in visiting Cooney, Brownie, Hi-Yo or all of the above. Suffice it to say I’m knee deep in

catology over here...through no fault of my own!

Duke, the neighborhood dog, chases all of them around the house like a cowpony pushing a herd of longhorns up the Chisholm Trail! I feel like I’m living in the middle of a double feature—“It’s a Mad, Mad, Mad, Mad World” and “Bad Day at Black Rock.”

Cooney recently has been spending a lot of time in my lap. She greets me at the door every time I return home. She won’t let anyone else feed her. She sleeps on my side of the bed.

I was beginning to enjoy her company, the special treatment I was receiving...until I figured out...she was just “getting close” hoping I’d “spill the beans” as to what Brownie was saying about her in those talks we are having on the back steps!

Respectfully,
Kes



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Obituaries



JOHN DAVID BARKER
1924 — 2022

MCKENZIE — Funeral services for Mr. John David Barker were Saturday, January 29, 2022, 2 p.m. at the First Baptist Church - McKenzie. The family received friends on Saturday at the church from 1 p.m. until service time. Interment followed at Mt. Olivet Cemetery-McKenzie.

Brother John Adams and Brother Dennis Trull officiated and Jay Wilson, Connor Wilson, Ryan Holmes, Jackson Holmes, Brents Priestley, Ed Perkins, Dan Bradford and Maurice Aten served as pallbearers and the Tennessee Club were honorary pallbearers.

Mr. John David Barker, 97, went to be with his Lord on January 25, 2022. He was born on October 8, 1924, in the Big Buck Community of Carroll County, Tenn. and graduated from McLemoresville High School in 1943. He entered the U.S. Navy in June of 1943 and participated in the invasions of both Saipan and Guam.

On January 3, 1948, he married Robbie Coleman. Mr. Barker attended both Bethel University and the University of Tennessee at Knoxville.

He was a certified civil engineer and served the Tennessee Department of Transportation as the state, region four, engineer in charge of all utilities in West Tennessee; serving his state for 48 years before requesting to return part-time as an engineering consultant for an additional 12 years. He received outstanding achievement awards from Tennessee governors Ray Blanton, Lamar Alexander, and Ned McWherter, the Tennessee Institute Certificate for the Public Service Management Institute and held one of the first Tennessee Land Surveying licenses, license # 84.

In his retirement, he developed the John D. Barker Place subdivision in McKenzie. His community and church activities were legion. He worked tirelessly with United Neighbors and other charities and taught Sunday School, worked on many church committees, and served as an usher for many years at his beloved First Baptist Church in McKenzie.

He loved his wife and family and was proud of their accomplishments. He has left a legacy of rock-solid personal values, ethics and beliefs.

He is survived by his wife of 74 years, Robbie Barker, his daughter, Sandra Kay Barker, one grandson, Jay Wilson, two great-grandsons, Jackson Holmes and Connor Wilson, one granddaughter, Jaclyn Holmes and one great-granddaughter, Sadie Wilson. Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home, McKenzie, Tenn. For additional information, phone 731-352-4848. +

BONITA LEE THOMPSON
1962 — 2022

HOLLOW ROCK — Mrs. Bonita Lee Thompson, 59, of Hollow Rock, died Friday, January 21, 2022 at Vanderbilt Medical Center in Nashville.

Funeral services were Friday, January 28, 2021, at 2 p.m. in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home. Interment was in Carroll Memorial Gardens.

Mrs. Thompson was born September 2, 1962 in Lexington, Tennessee, to the late Alton and Brenda (Brasher) O'Brien.

She is survived by her husband of fourteen years, Gary Brown, one daughter, Brianna Thompson of Hollow Rock and one sister, Belinda O'Brien of Bruceton. Chase Funeral Home, Huntingdon.



ROBERT ALLEN McCASLIN
1944 — 2022

MCKENZIE — Robert Allen McCaslin of Winter Haven, Florida, formerly of McKenzie, died January 25, 2022. He was 77.

Robert was born on August 11, 1944 in Gibson County, Tenn. and in 2013 Robert moved from McKenzie, Tenn. to Winter Haven Florida.

He was employed and retired from Milan Ammunitions in Milan, Tenn. and also owned and operated McCaslin's Auto Sales in McKenzie.

Robert was a member of First Baptist Church of Lucerne Park in Winter Haven and a previous long-time member of Grace Baptist Church in McKenzie, Tenn.

He loved watching his grandchildren play ball, as well as his beloved UT football team and spent many hours enjoying his wood-working. He was predeceased by his parents, Homer McCaslin and Ruby and Stephen Burrows.

He was also predeceased by his first wife, Shelba (Higdon) McCaslin in 2008. They had two sons, Derrick (Sabrina) McCaslin and their children, Zayden and Caley McCaslin, and Patrick McCaslin and his son, Lute McCaslin, all of McKenzie. He is also survived by his sister, Mary Ruth Harris of Atwood, Tenn.

In 2009, Robert married Wanda (Baty) McCaslin, who had two sons. Predeceased by John Thomas Baty of New Johnsonville, Tenn. in 2012 and survived by John Thomas' two sons, Robbie Baty and Jackson Baty of New Johnsonville, J. David (Ruth Ann) Baty and their daughter, Audrey Lee Baty (Warner) Chavez and their son, Lux Chavez of McEwen, Tenn. J. David's daughter, Lilly Baty (Billy) Ummel and their son, Billy Lane Ummel of Fort Campbell, Kentucky and J. David's daughter, Celia Baty McEwen, Tenn.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. +

ELEANOR DOUB
1939 — 2022

MCKENZIE — Funeral services for Eleanor B. Doub were Friday, January 28, 2022 at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home. Interment was at Shiloh Cemetery, McKen-

Mrs. Doub, 82, died at her residence Sunday, January 23, 2022 in McKenzie. She was born in Winston Salem, North Carolina on July 16, 1939 and moved to McKenzie in 1968. She was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church McKenzie.

She is survived by her husband, John Doub of McKenzie, a son, Chris Doub and a granddaughter, Crystal (Matt) Brasfield.

She is preceded in death by two sisters, Ruth Craft and Rachel Harper.

Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. If you need assistance please call 731-352-4848 or visit our website at brummittmckenziefuneralhome.com. +

KENNETH LEE DOSTER
1944 — 2022

MCKENZIE — Services for Mr. Kenneth Lee Doster, 77, are Wednesday, February 2, 2022 at 2 p.m. at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home with Brother Donald Doster officiating. Interment will follow at Jones' Cemetery at Wildersville.

The family will receive friends on Tuesday, February 1, 2022 5 to 8 p.m. and Wednesday, February 2, 2022, 10 a.m. until service time.

Mr. Doster, a retired employee of the United States Postal Service and a 17-year member of the Army National Guard, died Friday, January 28, 2022 at his residence.

He was born on July 14, 1944 in McKenzie, Tennessee to Clifton (Tip) and

Lillian Davison Doster. He was a member of Grace Baptist Church in McKenzie.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a sister, Barbara Grosvenor and a brother, Charles Doster.

Survivors include his wife of 54 years, Brenda K. Rosser Doster of McKenzie, his daughter, Stacey Sterling, his son, David (Sherry) Doster of McKenzie, seven grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. For more information please call (731) 352-4848 or visit www.brummittmckenziefuneralhome.com. +

BETTY M. DARNALL
1933 — 2022

TREZEVANT — Funeral services for Mrs. Betty M. Darnell were Monday, January 31, 2022 at 2 p.m. at Brummitt Funeral Home -Trezevant.

Mrs. Darnell, 88, died Thursday, January 27, 2022 at her residence. She was born on March 23, 1933 in Trezevant to James and Madge Glover Montgomery.

She is survived by her children Brenda Carroll, Mike Darnell and Larry (Beverly) Darnell all of McLemoresville, two sisters Mary Smith of Waco, TX, Sue Conway of Humboldt and Katie Blacketter of Oklahoma, seven grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Herman Darnell and sister, Linda Bynum.

Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. If you need assistance please call 731-352-4848 or visit our website at brummittmckenziefuneralhome.com.

EMILY J. MILLSAPS
1939 — 2022

MCKENZIE — Ms. Emily J. Millsaps, 82, died at Jackson Madison County General Hospital Monday, January 24, 2022. She was born in Maryville on June 10, 1939 to Ira and Mary Litterer Reagan.

She is survived by her children, Linda Harrison of McKenzie, Robin Foster of Oklahoma and Brian (Amy) Millsaps of Lavinia, four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her parents, sister Marlene Spears and two brothers Gerald Reagan and Lester Reagan.

The family has chosen cremation and no services at this time.

Brummitt McKenzie Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. If you need assistance please call 731-352-4848 or visit our website at brummittmckenziefuneralhome.com.

JEWELL SIMPSON
1936 — 2022

HUNTINGDON — Ms. Jewell B. Simpson, 85, of Huntingdon, Tennessee, died Sunday, January 23, 2022 at Baptist Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were Thursday, January 27, 2022, in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home with Bro. Fred Newman and Bro. Dale Price officiating. Interment was in Sellers Hill Cemetery.

Ms. Simpson was born July 23, 1936 in Huntingdon, Tennessee, to the late George Everett and Florence (Wiles) Eskew.

Besides her parents, she was also preceded in death by one daughter, Rose Wilson, one great-great-granddaughter, Palmer Bolton, nine brothers and sisters, George Arthur Eskew, Darrell Lynn Eskew, Virgie Lou McMinn, Robert Wayne Eskew, Gaylon Monroe Eskew, Betty Joyce Crider, Ivy Jane Davis Callison, Justin Kenneth Eskew, and Mildred Marie Walls.

She is survived by four sons, Dennis Simpson (Ruth), David (Shrimp) Simpson, Billy Simpson (Vicki), Mark Simpson (Robin), son-in-law, Billy Wilson, all of Huntingdon. She also leaves eleven grandchildren, thirty-three great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren. Chase Funeral Home, Huntingdon.

MARTHA JEAN MILLER
1938 — 2022

HUNTINGDON — Mrs. Martha Jean Miller, 83, of Huntingdon, Tennessee, died Saturday, January 22, 2022, at Life Care Center in Bruceton.

Funeral services were Wednesday, January 26, 2022, at in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home with Bro. Lynn Stapleton officiating. Interment was at Sellers Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Miller was born August 2, 1938 in Huntingdon, Tennessee to the late Hebert Alvin and Gertrude (Ozier) Kee. Besides her parents, she was also preceded in death by her husband, Jimmy Miller and one sister, Betty Ringold. She is survived by one daughter, Gina Bartlett (Jonathan) of Hornbeak, two sons, Mike Miller of Smyrna and Larry Miller (Amanda) of Huntingdon, three sisters, Patsy Reynolds of Bartlett, Patricia Bishop (Joe) of Bruceton, and Lida Webb (Ronnie) of Camden. She also leaves three grandchildren, and one great-granddaughter. Chase Funeral Home, Huntingdon.

DAWN MARIE BECKER
1976 — 2022

MCKENZIE — Ms. Dawn Marie Becker, 45, of McKenzie, Tennessee died Wednesday, January 19, 2022 at Jackson Madison County General Hospital.

A memorial visitation was Thursday, January 27, 2022 in the Oakwood Room of Chase Funeral Home Mrs. Becker was born November 2, 1976 in Aurora, Illinois to Robert John Becker, who survives and the late Bonnie Lou (Bolden) Becker. She worked for Tyson Foods in production.

She is survived by two sons, Trystan Johnson of Bruceton, Jaelyn Westbrook of Baltimore, Maryland, a daughter, Kayla Price of Huntingdon, her father, Bob Becker of Huntingdon, and a brother, Brad Becker (Danielle) of McKenzie. She also leaves two grandchildren, Kaystan Luke Johnson and Leya Mae Johnson. Chase Funeral Home.

JOHNNY BARTHOLOMEW
1948 — 2022

HUNTINGDON — Mr. Johnny Bartholomew, 73, of Huntingdon, Tennessee, died Tuesday, January 25, 2022, at Jackson Madison County General Hospital.

Funeral services were Saturday, January 29, 2022 in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home. Burial was in Hickory Flat Cemetery.

Mr. Bartholomew was born November 8, 1948 in Huntingdon to the late John Maxwell Bartholomew and Ray Nell (Richardson) Bartholomew.

He is survived by a daughter, April Carrington (Brandon) of Parsons, a brother, James Sidney Bartholomew (Wanda) of Clarksburg, a nephew, Shamus Bartholomew (Dee) of Cedar Grove and three grandchildren. Chase Funeral Home, Huntingdon.

DAVID WARBRITTON
1949 — 2022

HUNTINGDON — Mr. David Brent Warbritton, 72, of Huntingdon, Tenn. died Wednesday, January 26, 2022 at Jackson - Madison County General Hospital.

Mr. Warbritton was born on April 15, 1949 in Huntingdon to the late Ben T. and Lola Perritt Warbritton. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brothers: Neil, Paul, Phillip, Craig, and Dwight Warbritton.

He is survived by his three sons: David Warbritton of Huntingdon, Danial (Maria) Warbritton of Faragut, Tenn., and Joshua (Samantha) Warbritton of Paris, Tenn.; three brothers: Steve (Elsie) Warbritton of Darden, Tenn., Jeff (Stephanie) Warbritton and Patrick Warbritton both of Huntingdon; two sisters, Beverly Hayes of Huntingdon, and Gloria Williams of Buena Vista, Tenn.; and two grandchildren.

Dilday-Carter Funeral

Home is in charge of the arrangements for Mr. Warbritton, 731-986-8281.

JULIA FOWLER
1930 — 2022

GLEASON — Services for Julia F. Fowler, 91, of Martin, Tenn., were Friday, January 28 at Williams Funeral Home of Gleason.

She was born December 15, 1930 and died January 25, 2022. Julia was a retired postmaster from the United States Postal Service.

She is survived by her daughter, Kris (Sal) Capua and grandchildren, John (Sakoto) Fowler, Mandy (Mark) Livingston, Marsha (Shane) Foley, Michelle Brinkley, Mary Helen (Tyler) Dotson, Melissa Brinkley, Christopher Capua, Thomas Fowler, Nick (Morgan) Capua, Katherine Capua, and Daniel Capua, sister-in-law, Martha Lemonds, and several great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas Fowler, daughter, Susan Fowler, son, John Fowler, daughter, Mary Fowler Hill, son, Tommy Fowler, parents, Rubye and Leland Lemonds, brother, Kenneth Lemonds, brother, Ray Lemonds, sisters, Audrey Lemonds Crossett, Jayne Lemonds Fowler and Marjorie Lemonds Soper. Williams Funeral Home of Gleason, Tenn.

DONALD WHITWORTH
1930 — 2022

GLEASON — Service for Donald C. Whitworth, 91, of Gleason were Tuesday, February 1, 2022 at Beech Springs Church in Gleason. Entombment was in Beech Springs Cemetery. He was born October 17, 1930 and died January 26, 2022.

Mr. Whitworth is survived by son, Donald Whitworth of Rhode Island, sisters, Pat Garner and Margaret Lovell, and brother, Cotton Whitworth. He also leaves behind grandchildren.

Mr. Whitworth was preceded in death by his wife, Billie Jean Whitworth, children, Rebecca Lynne McCollum, and Larry Whitworth, along with parents, Cloys Whitworth and Ella Faye Whitworth, brothers, Aaron Whitworth, Harold Whitworth, Ray Whitworth, and sister, Mildred Garner. Williams Funeral Home of Gleason.

IRVIN ATKINS BRYANT
1931 — 2022

GLEASON — Irvin Atkins Bryant, 90, of Gleason, Tenn. died January 27, 2022 at AHC VanAyer Healthcare in Martin, Tenn.

A Celebration of Life Service was Saturday, January

29, 2022 at the Chapel of Nave Funeral Home with Bro. Gene Price officiating.

Burial was in Bryant Cemetery in Cumberland City. Irvin entered this life on March 7, 1931 in Guthrie, Kentucky, son to the late John and Maggie Bryant. Irvin was owner and operator of Bryant's Video in Gleason.

In addition to his parents, Irvin was preceded in death by his wife, Peggy Bryant; brothers, Charles Edward Bryant, Virgil Bryant; and grandchildren, Christopher Mealer and Amber Sayles.

Survivors include his children, Kim Laws, Tanya (Donnie) Davidson, Theresa (Pete) Birdwell, Shirley Weedman; siblings, John (Loretta) Bryant and Linda Gunson. Irvin also leaves behind his three grandchildren, and fourteen great-grandchildren.

Arrangements are in the care of Nave Funeral Home, (931) 289-4277, NaveFuneralHomes.com.

KENNETH RAY NELSON
1949 — 2022

TREZEVANT — Funeral service for Mr. Kenneth Ray Nelson, 72, of Trezevant are Tuesday, February 1, 2022 at 2 p.m. at Bodkin Funeral Home with burial to follow in the Pisgah Cemetery in Atwood.

He was born August 19, 1949 and died January 27, 2022.

He is survived by his wife, Judy Nelson of Trezevant, six children, Kevin Nelson (Leah) of Atwood, Kim Belew (Sherrill, Jr.) of Idlewild and Kenny Nelson, Jr., James Nelson and Thomas Nelson, all of California and Michael Nelson of Covington, Tenn., seven brothers, Sherrill Davidson, Roy Nelson, Jr., Raymond Lee Nelson, Wayne Nelson, Ricky Nelson, Dale Nelson and Robert Lynn Nelson, eight sisters, Barbara Lloyd, Imogene Davidson, Carolyn Jean Carter, Shirley Day, Judy Ann Grooms, Susie Kay Reed, Kathy Faye Wingo and Lisa Marie Weatherford, seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Ray was preceded in death by his parents, Roy and Lillie Nelson. Bodkin Funeral Home-Milan, Tenn.

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meals twice monthly. On each third Tuesday at First Presbyterian Church located at 19835 E. Main Street and on each fourth Tuesday at First United Methodist Church located at 201 Asbury Circle. Meals are served drive through 5 to 7 p.m. The Shepherds Table is open to the public and there is no cost.

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SUMMER BASEBALL, SOFTBALL SIGN-UPS

McKenzie Summer Softball and Baseball sign-ups are February 12, 19, 26 at McKenzie City Hall, 9 a.m. to noon.

BINGO, SOUP COOK-OFF

The Carroll County Humane Society will host Bingo and a Soup Cook-Off on Friday, February 4 at the Carroll County Civic Center in Huntingdon, 6-9 p.m. The meal is \$10 per person starting at 6 p.m. until sold out. Bingo begins at 6:30 p.m. and priced at .50 per game. Card packages available. \$100 Walmart gift card grand prize. If you would like to enter the cook-off, please let us know that you plan to donate a pot of soup or chili by calling 731-352-9950 or email rbwilson@tds.net.

AMERICAN LEGION FOUR CHAPLAINS DAY

Huntingdon American Legion Post 47 is hosting a Celebration of Four Chaplains Day on Saturday, February 5, 5 p.m. at the Carroll County Civic Center. The public is invited. For more information, contact Chaplain Wilma Pearson at 865-406-9889 or Commander Dennis Simpson at 731-358-3031.

ELECTION COMMISSION TO MEET

Carroll County Election Commission meets Tuesday, February 8, 6 p.m. in the Election Commission office, Carroll County Office Complex. On the agenda are preparing for the upcoming primary elections on May 3 and general election on August 4. This is a public meeting.

MCKENZIE CITY COUNCIL MEETS MONTHLY

The McKenzie City Council meets at 6 p.m. the second Thursday of each month.

HUMANE SOCIETY HOSTS STRAWBERRY FUNDRAISER

The Carroll Co. Humane Society is taking orders for delicious fresh strawberries that will arrive at the shelter during the first week of March. The price is \$25 per flat. The deadline for ordering and making payment is February 19. Cash, check or PayPal us at paypal.me/cchstn. When using PayPal, make sure you are "sending to a friend" to avoid fees and note that it is for strawberries.

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We're also having bingo (50 cents per card with packages available) and additional concessions for \$1 each (canned drinks, popcorn, candy, desserts). The final game will be for a grand prize of a \$100 Walmart card with some changes. Our final game has gotten to be so long due to the number of cards played, that it's not so fun for everyone. So bring your bingo buddies, because we will be limiting the last game to 10 cards per person to keep the game moving along and be a little more fair to everyone.

We are absolutely accepting donations for supplies for this event. Below is a list and these can be brought by the shelter between 8-1 Tuesday or 10-2 on Saturday.

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- Pots of soup!! Crackers, cornbread, breads, rolls
- Bowls, spoons, napkins, dessert plates, forks
- Canned drinks and bottled water
- Shredded cheese
- Desserts (these will be served in individual portions but can be donated whole)
- New Bingo prizes (All those little gifts you received but can't use. Regift to CCHS)
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MCKENZIE CONDEMNATION MEETINGS MONTHLY

City of McKenzie Condemnation Meetings are the fourth Monday of each month at 3 p.m. in the city hall council chambers.

COUNTY DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE, WOMEN MEET MONTHLY

Carroll County Democratic Women Committee meets each third Tuesday at 6 p.m. Meetings are held at the Huntingdon Police Department, Lexington Street in downtown Huntingdon. Everyone is welcome to attend.

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TIMOTHY FOULKS 1961 — 2022

BRUCETON — Mr. Timothy Foulks, 60, of Bruceton, Tennessee died Saturday, January 29, 2022 at his home.

Graveside funeral services Tuesday, February 1, 2022 at 1 p.m. at the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery.

The family will receive friends at Chase Funeral Home on Tuesday, 10 a.m. until noon.

Mr. Foulks was born October 21, 1961, in Jackson, Tennessee, to the late Hubert Ozell and Dimple (Neely) Foulks.

He grew up in Carroll

BURON RAY CHURCHWELL 1941 — 2022

MCKENZIE — Funeral services for Elder Buron Ray Churchwell, 80, of McKenzie, were Thursday, January 27, 2022 at 2 p.m. at the Harmony Primitive Baptist Church near Bradford with burial in the Harmony Cemetery.

Mr. Ray was born on March 2, 1941 to Arlie Elmer and Margaret Bomar Churchwell in Trezevant. He was the pastor of the Pleasant Grove Primitive Baptist Church in McKenzie and he was a retired carpenter.

He is survived by his wife, Carolyn Churchwell of McKenzie, three daughters, Lora Wofford (James) of McKenzie, Deborah Duncan (David) of Lavinia and Dana Churchwell of Murfreesboro, a brother, J. W. Churchwell (Doris) of Arlington, a sister, Loyce Johnson of Huntingdon, five grandchildren, Brittany Clinton, Tristen Fuller, Trace Fuller, Tyson Fuller and Dallas Churchwell and three great-grandchildren, Kylie, Reece and Kash. Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, James Buron Churchwell and several sisters. Bodkin Funeral Home, Milan, Tenn. +

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AMERICAN UNDERDOG (PG)

Tues. 7:35
Wed. 7:35
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SPIDER-MAN: NO WAY HOME (PG-13)

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County, Tennessee and was a member of Mt. Pleasant Missionary Baptist Church.

He is survived by two brothers, Larry Ozell Foulks and Lawrence Wade Foulks, both of Bruceton and a host of nieces and nephews. Chase Funeral Home.

JOSEPH DAVID QUESENBERRY 1930 — 2022

MEMPHIS — Graveside funeral services for Joseph "Joe" David Quesenberry, 91, are Saturday, February 5, 2022 at 11 a.m. at Shiloh Cemetery on TN Hwy 423, McKenzie.

The family will be able to visit before and after the service at the cemetery. Mr. Quesenberry, a fleet service clerk for American Airlines, died Saturday, January 29, 2022 at his residence in Memphis.

He was born on September 1, 1930 in McKenzie, Tennessee to Lee and Lucille Surber Quesenberry.

He was a member of Kirby Woods Baptist Church and was a past member of Bellevue Baptist Church for 34 years, he was also a veteran of the U.S. Army serving in Germany in the years 1951 to 1953 during the Korean War.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a brother, Robert "Bob" Quesenberry, who died on October 16, 2020.

Survivors include his wife, Gaynelle McClain Quesenberry and his son, David Quesenberry, both of Memphis, his sister, Linda (Charles) Kemp of McKenzie, his niece, Carol (Kevin) Hill of Gleason, and his great-nephews, Brandon Hill and Carson Hill.

Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. For more information please call (731) 352-4848 or visit www.brummittmckenziefuneralhome.com.

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CLUES ACROSS

1. ___ de Mornay, actress
8. Surrenders
13. Omission
14. The white poplar
15. They become butterflies
19. Used to chop
20. Select
21. Volcanic craters
22. Consumer price index
23. Utilize
24. "True Blood" actress Paquin
25. Got up
26. Sank in
30. Retail
31. Giants
32. Most bald
33. Changes color
34. Unit of loudness
35. Undresses
38. Fathers
39. Learned skill
40. Remove qualification
44. Covered with frost
45. Speak up
46. Nowhere to be found
47. Part of surgery (abbr.)
48. Type of wrap
49. Church seating
50. Mathematical figure
51. College football conference
55. Turkish officer title
57. Organized body of knowledge
58. Smooth and glossy
59. Left

CLUES DOWN

1. Get back
2. Pass or go by
3. Having a sharp taste
4. Midway between east and southeast
5. Cairo Regional Airport
6. Peace officer
7. Brings to life
8. Automotive vehicles
9. One point south of due east
10. Football position
11. Goes by
12. Most attractive
16. Road divisions
17. Not the sea
18. Small, faint constellation
22. Cabbage
25. Least frequent
27. Change slightly
28. A country in NE Africa
29. Metric units of measure
30. More coherent
32. Make uninteresting
34. Nausea
35. Institution of Oceanography
36. Of little value
37. Hindu model of the ideal man
38. Biblical exclamation
40. You throw it at a board
41. Be about to happen
42. Brutal
43. Opened one's mouth widely
45. 19th letter of Greek alphabet
48. Saturate
51. The woman
52. Someone who is highly skilled
53. A way to launch an attack on
54. Where golfers begin
56. Atomic number 58

Week 5

See solution in next week's edition.

Black History Month Word Search

S I T I N S T A E D U C A T I O N N E
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1 5 8 3 9 6 7 4 2
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4 2 6 7 8 5 1 3 9
3 6 5 1 7 8 2 9 4
8 7 9 2 6 4 3 5 1
2 1 4 5 3 9 6 7 8

Sudoku

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McKenzie Police Reports

Theft/Simple Possession — McKenzie Police were dispatched to the corner of Cherry Avenue and Laurel Street in regards to a vehicle playing excessively loud music. They found no driver in the car but did find the owner in a nearby apartment taking a shower according to a female who spoke to the officers. She came out to turn the car off and once the door was opened, the officers could smell a strong odor of marijuana coming from the vehicle.

The owner, Marquavius Cunningham, 23, of Humboldt came out and was asked about the marijuana odor which he denied and told the officer he needed a search warrant. Sgt. Justin Brister advised him there was probable cause to search the vehicle and didn't need a search warrant. Cunningham admitted to Brister that his brother's gun was in the vehicle along with a small amount of marijuana in the console of the vehicle.

Brister, along with Patrolman Trenton Ruddy, searched the vehicle and found the gun and marijuana along with \$510 in cash. A check of the gun's serial number revealed that it had been reported stolen in Dickson County in 2017. Cunningham was arrested and charged with Theft Under \$1,000 and Simple Possession of Schedule VI Drug and transported to Carroll County Jail.

Driving on Suspended/Revoked License — On Saturday morning, January 29, patrolman Trenton Ruddy conducted a traffic stop on Hwy 79 on a Chevy Trailblazer. The driver, Richard Ballew, 41, of McKenzie was questioned by Ruddy and revealed he did not have a license. Dispatch confirmed that his license was revoked and he had a prior charge for Driving on Revoked in 2017. Ballew was cited for Driving on Revoked/Suspended License-2nd Offense.

Child Abuse/Neglect — A Hamilton Street Apartments resident contacted McKenzie Police on Saturday night, January 29 concerning a possible domestic incident and the well-being of a small child. The caller advised that a neighbor came to his apartment seeking help and had reason to believe a domestic incident occurred between the neighbor and her father. The victim, identified as Shawfon Renea Powell, 26, of McKenzie, was questioned by police officers and found to be impaired. According to the police report, her apartment appearance was consistent with a domestic incident taking place. Relatives were called to take the child and Powell was arrested and charged with child abuse and neglect along with public intoxication.

Huntingdon Police Reports

License Violation — Michael Wayne Shackelford, 26, of Hollow Rock was cited for driving while revoked (second offense) during a Jan. 24 traffic stop on West Main Street.

Sgt. Brad Allen reported that he pulled over a vehicle driven by Shackelford because he had prior knowledge his license was revoked. A computer check confirmed Shackelford's revoked status.

Carroll County Sheriff's Reports

Multiple Charges — Derek Tyler Grooms, 28, of 28180 Broad Street, Hollow Rock, was arrested on multiple charges during a Jan. 21 incident at his residence.

According to the report by Deputy Dakota Meier, he responded to a domestic call at Grooms' address at around 10 p.m., and, upon arrival, he observed Grooms pounding on the front door and screaming to be let inside. When Meier addressed Grooms, Grooms moved aggressively in his direction and verbally threatened to kill the deputy. Meier noted Grooms had blood on the side of his head. Meier pulled his Taser gun, but did not fire it at that time. Grooms walked away from Meier and into a side yard. Meier went to the residence and advised those inside to stay in the home with the doors locked. Two other deputies arrived at the scene, and Grooms was located in a nearby horse pasture. Grooms shouted verbal threats at the deputies as they approached and started walking toward them. After warning Grooms to stop or he would be Tased, Deputy Cody Walker deployed his Taser gun, but it failed to penetrate Grooms' outer layer of clothing. Grooms then grabbed onto Walker's taser gun and struck the deputy in the face. All three deputies then wrestled Grooms to the ground and placed him in handcuffs. EMS was called to the scene to treat Grooms for a cut to his ear sustained prior to deputies' arrival at the scene, but Grooms refused medical treatment. Others there at that residence told deputies that Grooms had come home in an intoxicated state, tried to break down the door, and made verbal threats to kill people at the residence.

Dogs Running Loose — Heather Perez, 35, of 535 Springhill Church Road, Huntingdon, was cited for allowing animals to run at large on Jan. 20.

According to the report by Deputy Jason Walker, a resident on Springhill Church Road contacted the Sheriff's Office and reported Perez's dogs were on his property. Walker noted that Perez has been warned several times to not let her dogs run loose.

Simple Assault — William Henry Hollowell, 39, of 130 Drew Court, Huntingdon, was charged with simple assault following a Jan. 23 incident at a Cedar Grove residence.

According to the report by Deputy Cody Walker, deputies responded to a call about an altercation at around 9:15 p.m. at a residence on Highway 70. Upon arrival, deputies spoke with Hollowell and a male resident, who said that Hollowell attacked him and tried to strike him with his fists. When asked about it, Hollowell told deputies that he did not remember what happened.

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CITY OF MCKENZIE

WARD 2 COUNCIL SEAT AVAILABLE

The City of McKenzie will be accepting resumes from interested applicants for the Ward 2 Council seat which is currently vacant. Interested persons in Ward 2 should submit a resume and a letter to the City Council which explains their interest in the position and how their service can benefit the City of McKenzie. Requirements for the position include: attending the regularly scheduled council meetings, workshops, and called meetings. Completing the newly elected officials' academy during the 1st year. Completing 12 hours of the Water Commission Training (TN state mandate) during the 1st year, and continuing education trainings each year.

The applicants will be voted on at the February 10th City Council Meeting, and will be sworn in at the March 10th Meeting.

All resumes and accompanying letters are due at city hall by Tuesday, February 8 at 4 p.m., 2470 Cedar Street.

If you have any questions, please call city hall – 731-352-2292.

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General Sessions Report

HUNTINGDON — The following cases were heard in Carroll General Sessions Court on January 26.

Cases bound over to Carroll County Grand Jury were:

William Beaton, Dillahunty Road, Huntingdon, was bound over on charges of Domestic Assault, Aggravated Criminal Trespass, Unlawful Possession of Weapon, Possession Weapon-Convicted Felon, and Simple Possession/Casual Exchange.

Brittany Hill, Elm Street, McKenzie, bound over for Aggravated Burglary and Theft Up To \$1,000; Guilty of Probation Violation, 120 days jail or inpatient rehab and 7/29 Supervised Probation; dismissed charge of Theft Up To \$1,000.

Bradley Alton Perry, Hebron Church Road, Bruceton, bound over for Aggravated Burglary-Three Counts, Attempted Aggravated Burglary, Vandalism Up To \$1,000-Two Counts and Theft of Property-\$1,000 to \$2,500-Two Counts.

The following cases resulted in guilty verdicts or guilty pleas:

Daniel Barnhart, Old Paris Road, McKenzie, found guilty of Unlawful Drug Paraphernalia Uses & Activities, 11/29 suspended sentence, 11/29 unsupervised probation, File Proof of Drivers License; dismissed charges of Driving While License Suspended-2nd or Subsequent Offense and Physically Hold/Support Telecommunication Device.

Corbin Combs, Chestnut Street, Bruceton, found guilty of Reckless Driving, \$50 fine, 180 day sentence suspended, unsupervised probation, get driver's license reinstated; dismissed charges of Driving While License Suspended, Financial Responsibility Law Violation, and Light Law Violation-Motor Vehicle.

Zachary Jamison, Blue Lane, Huntingdon, guilty of DUI-First Offense and Evading Arrest, \$350 fine plus court costs, 90 days jail, and loss of license for 1 year; dismissed charges of Reckless Endangerment-Vehicle/Felony, Possession of Unlawful Drug Paraphernalia, Driving While License Suspended, and Driving on Roadways Laned for Traffic.

Ausie W. Welch, McKendree Lane, Huntingdon, guilty of Domestic Assault, 11/29 Suspended Sentence, 11/29 Supervised Probation, No contact with victims, and Comply with Carey Counseling Treatment and A&D Assessment recommendations.

Christopher S. Van Wetter, Highland Drive, McKenzie, guilty of Theft Up To \$1,000, Pay restitution to victim and pay court costs along with no contact with victims; dismissed charge of Criminal Trespass.

The following case was granted pre-trial or judicial diversions:

Justin Quinn Barnhart, Old Paris Road, McKenzie, Pre-trial Diversion for Domestic Assault, Alcohol and Drug Assessment within 60 days and follow recommendations, Supervised probation until costs and A&D assessment are complete.

Jerry Coleman, Hurt Street, Trezevant, Pre-trial Diversion for Assault-Bodily Injury; costs to the defendant and follow recommendations of Neurosurgeon.

The following cases were dismissed:

Christopher Steven McCaslin, Old Lavinia Road, Cedar Grove, dismissed charges of Theft of Property \$2,500-\$10,000 and Theft Up To \$1,000.

Melissa Anne Moore, Sydnor Road, McKenzie, dismissed charge of Violation of No Contact Order:

Marriage Licenses

Tiffany Lynn Mulliniks, 31, of Bruceton to Eric Shane Inman, 41, of Bradford.

Michael Paul McClain, 23, of McKenzie to Madison Claire Hendrix, 19, of McKenzie.

Amber Lee Jordan Hilliard, 34, of Huntingdon to Spencer Sean Allen, 27, of McKenzie.

NOTICE OF BID OPENING

The County of Carroll will be opening bids on two (2) pre-owned (15) fifteen passenger vans for Carroll Academy and (1) 2022 (7) seven passenger van. The 15 passenger vans should be a 2019 model or newer, have less than 40,000 miles and new tires. The van should be equipped with A/C, automatic, power windows, power door locks, rear view camera and should be white. The 2022 (7) passenger van should be equipped with A/C, automatic, power window, power door locks, tilt/cruise, cloth interior and white in color. To inspect trade-in, 2013 Ford E350 white 15 passenger van with approximately 102988 miles and 2013 Ford E350 white 15 passenger van with approximately 100975 miles, call Carroll County Mayor's Office at 731-986-1936. Vans must be delivered no later than March 1, 2022.

Bids need to be turned into Carroll County Mayor's Office at 625 High Street, Suite 101 in a sealed envelope. Bids will be opened on Thursday, February 3, 2022 at 2 p.m. in the conference room at the Carroll County Office Complex at 625 High St., Huntingdon, TN 38344.

Specifications of these vehicles are available in the Carroll County Mayor's Office located at 625 High Street, Suite 101, Huntingdon, TN 38344. Carroll County reserves the right to reject any/or all bids.

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE, FOR THE TWENTY-FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

RONNIE J. MAXWELL,
Plaintiff,

V. No. 21-DR-199

TERESA JEAN MAXWELL,
Defendant.

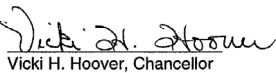
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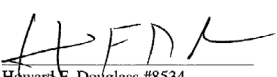
It appearing to the Court from the sworn petition or affidavit filed in this cause that the whereabouts of the Defendant, TERESA JEAN MAXWELL, are presently unknown and cannot be ascertained upon diligent inquiry, so that ordinary process cannot be served upon her. Therefore, this Order of Publication should be published in The McKenzie Banner newspaper located in McKenzie, CARROLL County, Tennessee, as the best possible notice to the Defendant under the circumstances.

Defendant, TERESA JEAN MAXWELL, is hereby required to appear and file an answer with the Clerk and Master of the CARROLL County Chancery Court, CARROLL County Courthouse, 22 Main Street, Huntingdon, Tennessee, or otherwise defend against the Complaint for Divorce, and to serve an answer to said petition by January 27, 2022, which is thirty (30) days from the last day of publication of this notice, and send a copy of said answer to Howard F. Douglass, Attorney for Plaintiff in this cause, whose address is 42 South Main Street, Lexington, Tennessee, 38351, or default judgment will be entered against the Defendant, TERESA JEAN MAXWELL, and this cause set for hearing in the Chancery Court of CARROLL County, Tennessee, sitting in the CARROLL County Courthouse in Huntingdon, Tennessee, ex parte as to Defendant, TERESA JEAN MAXWELL.

If there is no answer, a hearing on Plaintiffs' motion for default shall be heard on February 3, 2022 at 9 a.m. Failure to answer or appear may result in granting a divorce to the Plaintiff.

Entered this the 18th day of January, 2022.


Vicki H. Hoover, Chancellor

APPROVED FOR ENTRY:

Howard F. Douglass #8534
Attorney for Plaintiff
42 South Main Street
Post Office Box 39
Lexington, TN. 38351
731-968-9381

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Property Transfers

Zachary Devan Berogan to Robert Hughes in District 6.

Christopher C. Lutz to Christopher Charles Lutz in District 23.

Christopher C. Lutz to Christopher Charles Lutz in District 11.

Edward Dale Seagraves and others to Edward Dale Seagraves and others in District 14.

Michael Angelo and Sharon Lynn Desantis to Richard Alan Monty and others in District 6.

Azaam Almasudi to Christopher Stephens.

Cheryl Burnett Harris to Jeffery W. Harris in District 16.

Julie Bradley Wilkes to Amanda L. Dotson in District 16.

Edd S. Scarbrough to Sylvia I. Onyensoh in District 4.

Patricia A. Welch to Joseph T. and Amy L. Wortham in District 16.

W. Kent Jones to Bank of Gleason in District 9.

Kimberly Rene Singleton to Gregory Blake Hart in District 13.

Nathan Ray Chamberlain to Joel A. Stair in District 16.

Wayne T. Jones to Wayne T. Jones and others in District 22.

Letha F. Prater to GMJ Properties, Inc. in District 22.

Dallas Ray Wade to Frank McGinnis in District 17.

Robert A. and Christina McCrea to Alexander Elvis and Linda Maria Cruz.

Brock & Scott, PLLC to Bright Future Holdings, LLC in District 4.

Powell Land Partnership to David A. III and Elizabeth N. Etheridge in District 3.

Mary Bess Toombs to Mary Bess and Ronnie Lynn Toombs in District 11.

Lynn and Mary Bess Toombs to Mary Bess and Ronnie Lynn Toombs.

Mary Bess Toombs to Mary Bess and Ronnie Lynn Toombs in District 4.

Mary Bess Toombs to Mary Bess and Ronnie Lynn Toombs in District 23.

Ensley Dirtwork & Investment Properties, LLC to J & E Properties, Inc. in District 12.

Judy McComie to Mary-Ashton J. Blakeman in District 11.

Robert and Gail Reynolds to Michael and Lorie Pritchard.

Hannelore Conway to Harold F. and Cathy A. Ice in District 12.

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Terry Ray and Ricky Arnold Bray to Trisha Marie Moran in District 6.

Patricia L. Grabel to Gregory Mathews.

Max Lee Bybee to Charles Edward Prater in District 11.

Edward Watson Haynes to Hunter Logan Rainwaters in District 12.

Jason A. Roberts to Haley Brooke Byrd.

Daniel and Amy Hollowell to Daniel and Amy Hollowell in District 9.

Felicia Hindman to Jason Sanford Reeves in District 5.

Joe Peters to James A. Keen in District 6.

TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That, WHEREAS, by Deed of Trust recorded on April 7, 2020, of record in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee, in Trust Deed Book 689, page 140, **BARBARA NICOLE MOORE** did convey in trust, to W. KENT JONES, Trustee, a tract of land hereinafter described, to secure the payment of the indebtedness described in said Deed of Trust to CARROLL BANK & TRUST; and,

WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust provides that in the event of default in the payment of the debt secured by said Deed of Trust, when due, or in the event of failure to comply with any of the conditions and/or covenants of said Deed of Trust, the whole amount of the unpaid principal sum, together with all interest due and accrued upon the same, together with all other payments agreed to be made, shall, at the option of the holder, become due and payable immediately without demand or notice thereof; and,

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust and there have been other violations of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, and the owner and holder of said debt has instructed the undersigned Trustee, to foreclose said Deed of Trust.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority in me vested as such Trustee, I will on the 25th day of February, 2022, offer for sale and sell in front of the Courthouse door in Huntingdon, Tennessee, at the hour of 10:05 a.m. to the last, highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, free from the equity of redemption, homestead, dower and curtesy rights, and all other rights or exemptions of every kind, and all unpaid taxes, to effect satisfaction of principal, interest and costs due on said promissory note(s) and Deed of Trust aforementioned, as well as to pay all attorney's fees and costs necessarily incident to this foreclosure, the following tract of land, situated in the 24th Civil District of Carroll County, Tennessee, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a 1/2" rebar found on the east right-of-way of Anark Road (50' R.O.W.), said rebar serves as the southwest corner of Larry F. & Rebecca Kirby (Deed Book 307, Page 495), the northwest corner of Harold Gene Brewer (Deed Book 312, Page 411), the northernmost corner of another tract owned by Harold Gene Brewer (Deed Book 167, Page 162) and the northwest corner of the herein described tract; runs thence, leaving the right-of-way with the south line of Kirby, South 74 degrees 50 minutes 04 seconds East a distance of 246.26 feet to a rock found with a steel fence post witness on the west line of another tract owned by Larry F. & Rebecca Kirby (Deed Book 307, Page 481); thence, with the west line of Kirby, South 08 degrees 17 minutes 13 seconds West a distance of 321.96 feet to a set iron pin; thence, leaving the west line of Kirby to partition across both tracts of Harold Gene Brewer, North 74 degrees 50 minutes 04 seconds West a distance of 308.17 feet to an iron pin set on the above mentioned right-of-way of Anark Road; thence, with the right-of-way the following three calls: with a curve turning to the left with an arc length of 134.63 feet, a radius of 475.41 feet, a chord bearing of North 26 degrees 44 minutes 52 seconds East, and a chord length of 134.18 feet to a point; thence, with a compound curve turning to the left with an arc length of 99.92 feet, a radius of 927.48 feet, a chord bearing of North 15 degrees 31 minutes 26 seconds East, and a chord length of 99.87 feet to a point; thence, North 12 degrees 26 minutes 15 seconds East a distance of 088.44 feet to a found 1/2" rebar, which is the point of beginning, having an area of 1.95 acres more or less as surveyed by Stokes Surveying, LLC, Andrew Stokes R.L.S. #2577, P.O. Box 129, Clarksburg, TN 38324. All iron pins set are 1/2" rebar with plastic cap stamped "STOKES RLS 2577"; all bearings are relative to Grid North, Tennessee State Plane, NAD 83. Survey dated March 13, 2020. The above-described property is subject to any right-of-way and utility easements that may not be shown.

Map 118 - Parcel 51.00-Property Assessor's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee

The above description is the same as in the previous deed of record.

For source of title, see Deed Book 392, page 506, Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee.

The street address of the above described property is believed to be 2220 Anark Rd., Huntingdon, TN 38344 but such address is not part of the legal description of the property sold herein and in the event of any discrepancy, the legal description herein shall control.

Other Interested parties: NONE. If applicable, the notice requirements of TCA 35-5-117 have been met.

The debtors' equity of redemption, homestead, dower and all other rights or exemptions of the debtors are waived in said deed of trust, and the title is believed to be good, but said real estate will be sold and conveyed by me as Trustee and not otherwise.

Said sale will be made by Trustee only, without covenants of seizin or warranties of title, and title will be made subject to any unpaid taxes and assessments and all valid restrictions, liens, covenants or easements, if any, of record on said property.

The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth herein, or with publication setting out the new date, time and place for the sale.

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

Dated at Huntingdon, Tennessee, this the 24th day of January, 2022.

W. Kent Jones, Substitute Trustee
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Russell Cellular Hosts Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

McKENZIE (January 28) — Russell Cellular of McKen- zie held a ribbon-cutting ceremony at its new loca- tion in McKenzie. The store opened September 3, 2021 in the former ACS location at 15020 Highland Drive.

Christy Johnson is the store manager. Ashley Lyles, Andrew Esan, dis- trict manager Madison Wil- son and account manager Mary Beth Lewis. The store is open seven days a week. Helping to celebrate

was McKenzie Chamber of Commerce members and the City of McKenzie. Monica Heath, executive director of the Chamber and Mayor Jill Holland wel- comed the new company to McKenzie.



(L to R): Tory Daugherty, Assistant District Governor, Dr. Michael Babb, District Governor, new members, Jan Latimer, Spiros Roditis, Christy Williams, Rob Harris, Armand Hebert, David Lancaster, James Terrell and President Sandi Roditis.

Rotary Inducts Seven New Members

Welcomes District Governor Dr. Babb

McKENZIE (January 25) — Rotary Club of McKen- zie welcomed District Governor Dr. Michael Babb of Nash- ville to its January 25 meet- ing at the First Cumber- land Presbyterian Church. During the meeting, Dr. Babb inducted seven new members to the service club, presented one Paul Harris Fellowship and awarded a district award to Ed Perkins.

Inducted were Jan Latimer, Spiros Roditis, Christy Williams, Rob Harris, Armand Hebert, David Lan- caster, and James Terrell.

Sandi Roditis, president, was awarded a Paul Harris Fellowship in honor of at least \$1,000 being donated to Rotary International to ben- efit its worldwide humani- tarian and service efforts.

Ed Perkins, the long- gest-serving member of the local club, was awarded the Champion of Change Award. It was an award

for the 2020-21 year and be- stowed by former District Governor April Lieberman. Dr. Babb made the presen- tation. Perkins is a former district governor in the year 1980-81 and also sponsored the first African-American member to the club and the first woman to Rotary for District 6760.

Tory Daugherty, Assistant Governor, and past pres- ident of the Paris Rotary Club, introduced Dr. Babb to the club.



Champions of 1992 include players, coaches, cheerleaders and statistician during the 30-year celebration on January 28, 2022.

Gleason's 1992 Lady Bulldogs Honored on 30-Year Anniversary

GLEASON (January 28) — The 1992 State Champion Gleason Lady Bulldogs were honored for their 30th year since the ladies brought the first title to the county. The trophy gold ball was rolled to mid-court as Coach Randy Frazier, players, managers, and cheerleaders recalled their 33-3 season and the state Class 1A championship.

The celebration was be- tween the games of the 2022 ladies and men's contests with Bradford.

The 1992 players included: Holly Crowe, Kristy McKee, Stacey Stewart, Cristi Saw- yers, Lee Ann Bell, Becky Crowe, Tonya Parham, Cam- ille Connell, Nicki Ste- phens, Heather Lehmkuhi, Lisa Wallace, Kristy Free- man, Olivia Lowe, Ashley Hopper, Selena Dilday, Bran- dy Wiseman; managers - An- drea Bell, Tara Doster, and Kara Sanders; statisticians - Debbie Hagler; cheerlead-



Coach Stephenson honored on his five hundred wins as a coach. GHS senior players with Coach Stephenson include: Grace Stafford, Daisy Blevins, Coach Sean Stephenson, Carrington Lifsey and Alayna Anderson.

- Terri Doster; Wendy Russell, Michelle Warman, Sunshine Lowe, Crystal Lowe, Raquel Watkins, Stacy Gearin and Angela McElhiney.

The principal was Jerry Simmons; assistant principal was Mitchell Parham; cheer-

leader sponsors were Kay Hudson and Amy Orr; and Booster Club President was Nancy Williams.

Also celebrated on the eve- ning was Sean Stephenson on his 500th career win as a coach.



West Carroll Homecoming Royalty. Photo by Jim Potts/McKenzie Banner

Norman Crowned West Carroll Homecoming Queen

BY JIM POTTS
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Senior Erin Norman was crowned 2022 Homecom- ing queen during pregame ceremonies Friday Night, January 28. Erin plays for the Lady Eagle Basketball team and recently signed a scholarship to Freed Harde- man. She is the daughter of Erica Norman and Shauntes Norman and was escorted by Joshua Clark and Riley Duncan. Clark is the son of Patrick Clark and Daliah Clark while Duncan is the

son of Rhonda Cain and David Duncan.

The remainder of the Homecoming Royalty in- cluded Senior Representa- tives Brooklyn Polinski and Natalie Moore. Polinski is the daughter of Jessica Estes and Tommy Polinski and was escorted by Jalen Anglin, son of Crystal Anglin, and Andrew Huff, son of Michelle Huff.

Moore is the daughter of Matt and Kristie Moore and was escorted by Hunter Lindsey, son of Patrick and Kim Lindsey and Xander

Moon, son of James and Amanda Moon.

The Junior Represen- tative was Skylar Jones, daughter of David Jones and Raven and Nathan Browning. Jones was es- corted by JaQuan Adkins, son of Jessica Adkins.

The Sophomore Represen- tative was Autumn Houston, daughter of Stephanie Walls and Jeff Houston. Houston was escorted by Will Mur- ray, son of Keith Murray.

The Freshman Represen- tative was Bailey Rogers, daughter of Daniel and Kelli Rogers, escorted by Pres- ton Bosley, son of Michelle Bosley.



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