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Early Voting Begins Wednesday in Party Primaries

The Carroll County Election Commission announces Early Voting for the Republican and Democratic Primary Elections. Any registered voter may cast a ballot early by personal appearance at the Election Commission office, 625 High St., Suite 113, Huntingdon.

Early Voting for the May 3, 2022 pri-

mary elections is Wednesday, April 13 through Thursday, April 28. Weekday voting is 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., except for the holiday closing on Friday, April 15. Saturday voting, April 16 and 23, will be 9 a.m. to noon.

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Annual Cancer Bake Auction Is This Week

McKENZIE — The annual Relay For Life American Cancer Society's Bake Auction is April 11-15 on WHDM radio.

Freshly baked items are auctioned on the radio each day beginning at 1 p.m. The proceeds from the event go to the American Cancer Society.

The drop-off location is at the McKenzie Church of Christ, 16300 Highland

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McKENZIE

City's Sidewalk, Wi-Fi Projects Back on Track

BY JASON R. MARTIN
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McKENZIE (April 5) — The City of McKenzie Board of Mayor and Council met Tuesday, April 5, with a light agenda. The sole item on the agenda, other than department reports, was the discussion of either purchasing or repairing the City's leaf machine.

With little debate, the Council at the recommendation of the Public Works Department decided to repair the machine at an estimated

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BLUE OVAL FORD PROJECT Carroll County is In the Sweet Spot

McKENZIE (April 5) — "Carroll County is in the sweet spot" said Joe Barker, executive director of the Southwest Tennessee Development District. He was speaking of the geographic location of the county, located equal distance between the proposed Blue Oval/SK Battery assembly plant in Haywood County, Tennessee and two SK battery plants in Kentucky. In the year 2025, both plants are expected to be operating.

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McKenzie's EASTER EGG DROP Huge Success

McKENZIE (April 9) — Despite an early morning chill in the air, thousands of individuals, mostly children, gathered at McKenzie City Park to partake in the McKenzie Chamber of Commerce's Easter Egg Drop. Members of the chamber along with vendors and volunteers from the commu-

nity, McKenzie High School and Bethel University came together to make the event a resounding success for McKenzie.

Approximately, 20,000 plastic eggs with surprises, along with various prizes, were either dropped by helicopter or spread out by the Easter Bunny and her helpers. Children were divided into four age groups with each division in

search of a golden egg for a grand prize Easter basket.

Before and after the event, children visited with the Easter Bunny and the Balloon Chicken, took rides aboard the Easter Express and received balloon animals and other neat creations from MelRhea

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Top, Helicopter drops approximately 20,000 eggs on Saturday at McKenzie City Park. Left, Two girls display their golden egg prize. Right, The Easter Bunny and the balloon chicken entertained children during the event. Photos by Joel Washburn and Jason Martin/The Banner



Budget Committee Hears From Sheriff, School Director

HUNTINGDON (April 7) — Deputies, dispatchers, and jailers all need a pay increase to maintain the workforce, Sheriff Andy Dickson told members of the Carroll County Budget Committee. His requests followed those of John McAd-

ams, director of Carroll County School District, who noted the cost to purchase new school buses has increased \$12,000 each and delivery is delayed until December.

The two were the last department directors to present to the Budget

Committee for their requests for the 2022-23 fiscal year, beginning in July. McAdams said the Tennessee Department of Education has

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Eggs

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Balloons. A bounce house and slide along with other photo ops were made available by Chamber members. Individuals from as far as Dyer County and one grandmother from St. Lou-

is, Missouri made the trip to McKenzie. Monica Heath, Executive Director of the McKenzie Chamber of Commerce, stated, "We are pleased with the huge turnout at Saturday's Egg Drop. I'm so thankful for all of the Chamber Businesses and Volunteers who helped make this great event happen. Like other first-year events, things may not have been perfect, but we've made notes and have a plan to make next year's bigger and better."

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1. Children were all smiles as they wait to search for Easter eggs. 2. Little Raya Wood found the golden egg. She is held by her father Lance and joined by her mother, Hailey, and newborn brother, Kallen. 3. The McKenzie Chamber of Commerce's Egg Drop brought children of all ages. 4. Boys ages 5-7 scrambling to pick up prize filled eggs. 5. New moms are more excited to see the Easter Bunny than the babies. 6. A bounce house and slide provided extra entertainment for City Park goers. 7. The Lambda Sigma Sorority of Bethel University helped tremendously during the Easter event. 8. The Easter Chicken pays a visit to one little visitor. 9. The McKenzie Chamber decorated the McKenzie City Park for the Easter event. 10. The Easter Bunny greeted and helped children onto the Easter Express Train. Photos by Joel Washburn and Jason R. Martin/The Banner



Lynn Watkins, director of schools, presented certificates to attendees of the annual SCOPE Conference in Nashville. Pictured (L to R) Lynn Watkins, Kristen Bradberry, Payton Ognibene and Lilly Sumrok. Not Pictured: Amya Gilbert. Photo by Joel Washburn/The McKenzie Banner

Construction Ready to Proceed at McKenzie Schools

MCKENZIE (April 5) — Construction at three McKenzie school sites will soon begin or is in the development phase.

During the April 5 meeting of the McKenzie Board of Education, Lynn Watkins, director of schools, said the legislation was approved to allow the school system to borrow up to \$4 million to construct an all-purpose sports practice facility on the campus of McKenzie High School. The indoor practice facility will be used for the practice of all sports, except basketball, band, and physical education.

Dressing rooms at the McKenzie Middle School gymnasium are ready to be upgraded and new air

conditioning for the McKenzie Elementary School playroom and the McKenzie Middle School Gymnasium are awaiting the fire marshal's approval before construction can start.

The Board heard from Kristen Bradberry, Payton Ognibene and Lilly Sumrok about their attendance at the SCOPE conference on the campus of Belmont University in Nashville.

The Student Congress on Policies in Education (SCOPE) is an annual conference hosted by the Tennessee School Boards Association. It brings together 9th-12th grade students from across the state to discuss current topics in education.

The SCOPE event is for

students to simulate being on the school board and to make decisions applicable to the students.

The 2023 topics were: (1) The school calendar shall be changed to a year-round schedule. (2) Students shall only be permitted to park on school property if they meet certain criteria. (3) Uniforms shall be worn by all students. (4) No student shall be permitted to leave campus during the lunch period.

The four ladies thanked School Board members for allowing them to attend the conference.

Their teacher sponsor was Sheila Ridley, counselor at McKenzie High School.

Projects

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cost of \$5,000. If the city were to purchase a new machine, the cost would be upwards of \$68,000.

Since 2019, the City of McKenzie and the Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) have worked towards the construction of a sidewalk running along Cedar Street to Highland Drive/Highway 79. Delays towards construction have been numerous including retention of easements, governmental agencies and the COVID-19 Pandemic.

TDOT has requested and received updated plans, specs and construction estimates since the originals were submitted nearly three years ago. Pushing the project completion back another year.

The Broadway sidewalk grant through TDOT could begin by the end of May. TDOT felt it was necessary to add on to the project to include a crosswalk/ADA ramp from Broadway to

Cedar. The City has submitted the necessary documentation for the amended project.

The Main Street sidewalk/culvert project has been delayed at the review and approval stage of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA). According to Mayor Holland, "We had requested to begin the survey phase of the project before the NEPA document approval but were told to wait until we received the Notice to Proceed on the design phase. The engineer submitted a new project timeline and an amendment was added to the original contract. The mayor provided the Council with a thorough report providing a detailed list of completion dates on the project. As of March, the City is waiting for surveys to be completed, with an anticipated return date of late April 2022.

By June/July 2022, the City of McKenzie should be ready to provide free Wi-Fi throughout the city limits. As technology changed and delays occurred during the pandemic, McKenzie's Wi-Fi project through Trane was

put on the "back burner." As of Tuesday, Ubiqquia, the City's Wi-Fi conduit, is working with MCA Communications to build out McKenzie's capabilities. As equipment becomes available, both organizations hope to have the city-wide Wi-Fi up in three months.

FEMA has made money available for mitigation. The City has submitted and/or will submit applications for the following projects: Kencidot washout repair (\$550,000); Forrest Avenue sewer and culvert project (\$250,000); tornado siren replacement; and lightning alert system.

The National Guard will return to McKenzie in the coming weeks to discuss the construction of soccer fields, pickleball courts, concession stands and walking trails within the City Park and Mulberry Park. According to Mayor Holland, engineers have submitted the environment plans for the fields and expect updates soon.

The next regular meeting of the McKenzie City Council is May 12 at 6 p.m.

Voting

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The last day for the Election Commission to receive an Absentee Application for Ballot is April 26, 2022. You can find more information about absentee voting on the website: carrollcountytnelections.com or by calling the election Commission Office at 731-986-1968.

Candidates running in political party primary on May 3 ahead of the August 4 local general elections are the lone ones on the May ballot. State and federal races have an August 4 primary and a November general election. The winners in the May Democrat and Republican primaries advance to the August General Election.

Registered voters in Carroll County recently received updated voter registration cards in the mail. Those cards reflect where they are to vote and any new legislative districts following mandatory redistricting following the 10-year U.S. Census.

Tuesday, May 3, 2022

State and County Primary Election - Primaries for state judicial offices and applicable county offices in which a party holds a primary, such is the case in Carroll, Henry and Weakley counties. The winner of primary advances to face candidates of the other political party or independent candidates in the August 4 election.

Candidates in the May Primary in Carroll County include:

Carroll County General Sessions Judge - Larry Logan (R). He will face Michael King (I) in August.

Circuit Court Judge - Part 1 — Brent Bradberry (R), the lone candidate to qualify.

Circuit Court Judge - Part 2 — Terry Leonard (R), Vance Dennis (R), Bruce Griffey (R).

Chancellor — Vicki Hodge Hoover (R). The lone candidate to qualify.

District Attorney General — Neil Thompson (R), Matthew Stowe (R). The winner will not have a challenger in August.

Public Defender — Robert "Tas" Gardner (R), the lone candidate to qualify.

Court of Appeals — John Everett Williams, incumbent, (retention vote only).

County Mayor — Joseph Butler (R), the lone candidate to qualify.

County Commission District 1 (elect 3) — Patrick Lindsey (R). He will face Randy Long (I), Frank Casteel (I), Jimmy Halford, Jr. (I), and Darrell Ridgely

(I) in August.

County Commission District 2 (elect 2) — Bertha Taylor (D), Daniel Lee Willman (R). They will face Lana Suite (I) in August.

County Commission District 3 (elect 2) — All candidates are running as independents and will appear on the August ballot. Larry Spencer (I), Joey Simmons (I), Will McMackin (I).

County Commission District 4 (elect 2) — All candidates are running as independents and will appear on the August ballot. T. Richard Goodwin (I), Hal Eason (I), Donald Finch (I), Daniel J. Thomas (I), Lin Smith (I).

County Commission District 5 (elect 3) — Joey Darnall (R), Cyril Ostiguy (R). Both will advance to face Barry Mac Murphy (I) and RaKaya Humphreys (I).

County Commission District 6 (elect 2) — All candidates are running as independents and will appear on the August ballot. Jimmy D. McClure (I), Philip E. Moore (I).

County Commission District 7 (elect 2) — Virginia Ginger House (D). She will face Manuel Crosso (I), Walter Smothers, Jr. (I) in August.

County Commission District 8 (elect 2) — Jay Phipps (R). He and Willie Huffman (I), both are running unopposed since two will be elected.

County Commission District 9 (elect 3) — No candidates in the primary. Three will appear in August John Austin (I), Jason R. Martin (I), Spiros Roditis (I).

Assessor of Property — Rita Jones (I), the only candidate to qualify.

Trustee — Paula Bolen, (I), the only candidate to qualify.

Sheriff — Tim Pratt (R). He will face Andy Dickson, (I) in August.

Circuit Court Clerk — Sarah Bradberry. (R) the only candidate to qualify.

County Clerk — Darlene Kirk, (I), the only candidate to qualify.

Register of Deeds — Natalie McCullough Porter (D), Harold T. Smith, Jr. (I). Both will appear in May and August on the ballot.

Road Supervisor - District 1 — Ricky Scott (R), the only candidate to qualify.

Road Supervisor - District 2 — No primary candidate, but two are running as independents, Michael Kyle (I) and Ronnie Wade (I).

County School Board - District 1 — No Primary candidate. Mike Foster (I) the only candidate to qualify will appear in the General Election in August.

County School Board - Dis-

trict 2 — No Primary candidate. Deborah Broadbent (I), the only candidate to qualify will appear in the General Election in August.

County School Board - District 3 — Charlotte Tucker (I), the only candidate to qualify.

Hollow Rock - Bruceton - 16th Civil Dist. — Brandy Boyd (R), the only candidate to qualify, will appear on the May and August ballots.

HR-Bruceton At Large — No Primary candidate. April Hampton (I), the only candidate to qualify, will appear on the August ballot.

HR-Bruceton 15th — No Primary candidate. Michael Graves, (I), the only candidate to qualify, will appear on the August ballot.

HR-Bruceton 17th — No Primary candidate. James Holder (I), Vicki Brown, (I), both will appear on the August ballot.

Huntingdon School Board (elect 2) — No primary candidates. Kennedy White, Clark White, Clay Nolen, RaKaya Humphreys, all independents, will appear on the August ballot.

McKenzie School Board (elect 4) — No Primary candidates. Renee Hobson, Bobby Young, George Cassidy, LaShonda Williams, Spiros Roditis, all independents, will appear on the August ballot.

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

West Carroll - Old County — Patrick Lindsey (R), will face Betty Wallace (I), Jared Mims (I) in August.

West Carroll - Old Atwood — No Primary candidate. Keith Murray, (I), the only candidate to qualify, will appear on the August ballot.

West Carroll - Old Trezevant — No Primary candidate. Kelly M. Weaver, (I), the only candidate to qualify, will appear on the August ballot.

Elections for municipalities are as follows:

City of Clarksburg 8/4/2022

Hollow Rock-Bruceton SSD 8/4/2022

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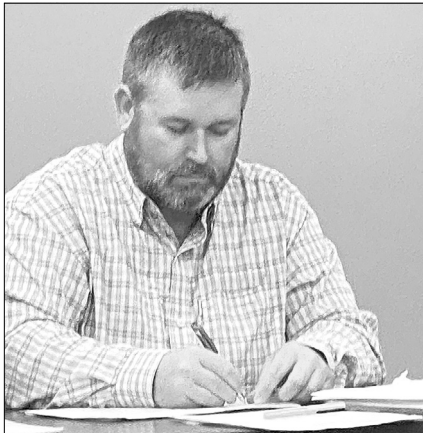
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Above Left, Budget Chairman Darrell Ridgely. Above Right, John McAdams, director of Carroll County School System. Below, Sheriff Andy Dickson.

Budget

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not provided any revenue projects for the local school system for the coming fiscal year. The department operates buses for all five special school districts and a high school-level technical school, located in Huntingdon. He noted the cost of fuel and new buses is increasing. Buses are replaced in a 15-year cycle. Three buses were to be replaced with new one this year, however, because of the expected delayed delivery, the school system ordered five to satisfy two years of needs.

The Committee recommended he return on April 21, the next Budget Committee meeting.

Sheriff Dickson said his oversight included the jail and sheriff's department.

He requested an increase in pay for all the employees, especially the dispatchers and road deputies. Dickson said he wants to add more full-time dispatchers and reduce the number of part-timers. Often, the part-time people are trained and then leave the department for a full-time position in a different emergency department. A minimum of two dispatchers must be on duty at all times, said the sheriff. Because of the shortage, the head dispatcher worked 19 straight days.

Deputies need a raise



to better match the pay offered by McKenzie Police Department. They are already behind by about six percent as compared to the pay of MPD, said the sheriff. Other area departments are actively recruiting officers with Jackson Police Department offering a \$5,000 sign-on bonus.

He noted his budget will reflect an increase to pay compensation time due to Chief Deputy David Bunn and Becky Keith, the sheriff's mother, both of whom are retiring. Bunn's due pay with benefits equals \$16,272 and Keith's is \$17,188.63.

Joel Washburn, county commissioner of District 9, requested funding for the McKenzie Industrial Board, which receives no funding from the city nor county. He noted the McKenzie Industrial Board has been effective in job recruitment as any other local industrial recruiter. The Carroll County Chamber of Commerce receives funding from the county for industrial re-

cruiting. Washburn noted the Carroll County Shooting Park receives \$10,000 annually as a grant from the county. He requested funding for the McKenzie Industrial Board equal to other industrial recruiting grants.

Recently, the McKenzie Board paid \$50,000 for the environmental studies for the VP Racing Fuels building to help land the company's expansion in the airport industrial park. The Committee took the request under advisement. Two new companies call the McKenzie South Industrial Park home. Another just located in the former hospital building.

The Committee voted to appropriate funding for the purchase of new voting machines for the Election Commission. A Federal grant known as Help America Vote Act provided \$210,000 for new voting machines. The measure now advances to the full County Commission for approval.



Joe Barker, director of the Southwest Tennessee Development District, speaks to a gathering of city and county leaders about Ford's Blue Oval City in Brownsville. It is to generate 21,000 to 26,000 direct and indirect jobs in west Tennessee.

Oval

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Barker was speaking at Bethel University at a meeting of McKenzie Industrial Board, McKenzie Chamber of Commerce, McKenzie Rotary Club, Carroll County Mayor Joseph Butler, McLemoresville Mayor Phil Williams, Trezevant Mayor Bobby Blaylock, McKenzie city officials, Bethel University President Walter Butler, McKenzie Director of Schools Lynn Watkins, Melinda Goode, executive director of Northwest Tennessee Development District, and others. McKenzie Mayor Jill Holland and Rotary President Sandi Roditis opened the meeting with comments.

The Tennessee site is expected to generate between 21,000 and 26,000 direct and indirect jobs, including many in the tri-counties of

Carroll, Henry, and Weakley counties, where suppliers are expected to locate to be within 1 to 1.5 hours of the two sites.

Barker said the labor market includes Memphis and Jackson and many rural west Tennessee communities. Rural people will drive 1 to 1.5 hours to work, said Barker. While the labor market is tight for available workforce, Barker said "Ford does not make a mistake" when it evaluates where to locate a new manufacturing facility. It's internal studies indicate an available workforce.

Ford and SK are locating on 4,100 acres in Haywood County. Another 500 acres of the industrial park will include another company. Tennessee has committed to construct a new TCAT - Tennessee College of Applied Technology on the site to help train workers.

The company found Tennessee attractive because of its low cost of living, edu-

cational opportunities with TCATs, free community colleges, and four-year universities, such as Bethel, pro sports teams in Memphis and Nashville, world class healthcare, entertainment, and incredible outdoor activities.

Ford will produce electric-powered automobiles in Haywood County. Tennessee is the top producer of electric vehicles in the southeast U.S. Since 2013, 159,000 electric vehicles have been produced in Tennessee. General Motors recently announced its electric-powered Cadillacs will be produced in Spring Hill, Tenn.

Barker said the Ford plant is a game changer for rural West Tennessee. However, the area communities must prepare for growth. Government leaders need to plan, prepare and perform.

Melinda Goode said Carroll County has two industrial sites with available land and certified sites.

Auction

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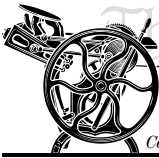
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The Carroll Children Part I

After last week's article on Governor William Carroll, I found a few more interesting finds. In the mix, I came across a few biographic sketches of his three children; General William Henry Carroll (1810–1868), Colonel Thomas Bradford Carroll (1818–1857) and Colonel Charles Montgomery Carroll (1821–1899).

The three men played active roles in the military. William and Charles fought for the Confederacy during the Civil War with William advancing to the rank of brigadier general. Thomas died before the onset of the war while serving as Mayor of Memphis.

William Henry Carroll was a wealthy planter, a postmaster, and a brigadier general in the Confederate States Army during the American Civil War. Before the Civil War, he commanded the 154th Regiment of the Tennessee Militia.

On December 11, 1861, Carroll, as the Confederate commander at Knoxville, issued a proclamation declaring martial law in the city. He then arrested all those who were openly opposed to the Confederate States before restoring civil authority. He commanded the 2nd Brigade in the District of East Tennessee, commanded by George B. Crittenden, that engaged George H. Thomas's Union forces at the Battle of Mill Springs in Kentucky on January 19, 1862.

Braxton Bragg, the Department commander, in his effort to rid his command of political generals, had Carroll arrested for drunkenness, incompetence and neglect on March 31, 1862, as he was reported to have been drunk on duty

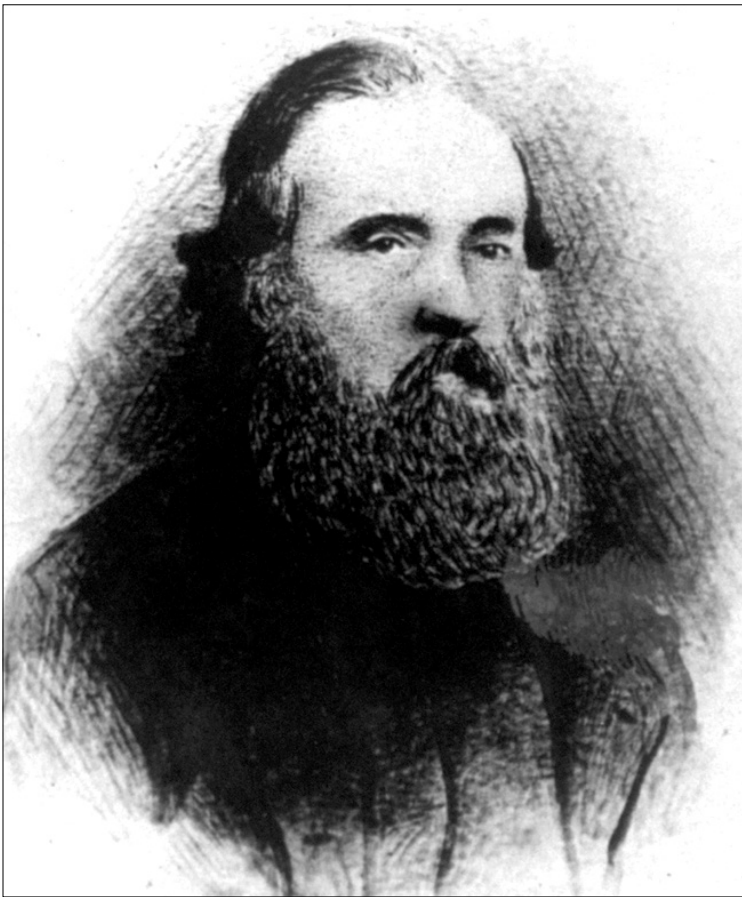
in Iuka, Mississippi. Bragg brought similar charges against Crittenden the following day.

Like Crittenden before him, Carroll, after a court of inquiry, resigned on February 1, 1863. With Nashville, the state capital, in Union hands, he moved to Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

The city of Montreal was leaning with sympathies toward both sides of the American conflict. The streets were filled with spies from both sides, exiled Confederates of high rank, sympathizers, arms dealers, Union detectives and saboteurs. Carroll became a fixture at the luxurious St. Lawrence Hall on St. James Street which was where the more affluent Confederates in Canada stayed such as Jacob Thompson, Clement Claiborne Clay, James Westcott, Moses Montrose Pallen, Luke P. Blackburn, Nathaniel Beverly Tucker and John Wilkes Booth. Many plots were formed by the members of this group.

After staying in Montreal for a time, Carroll sailed south and was captured off the coast of North Carolina. He was placed in prison in Fortress Monroe and was quickly released and forced to return to Montreal, Quebec. On June 8, 1865, Carroll and a friend named O'Donnell confronted Sanford Conover in front of the William Ennis saloon. They demanded to know whether he was using the alias James Watson Wallace, the man who had spun the web of false testimony towards the Assassination of Abraham Lincoln. Carroll accepted the affidavit swearing his innocence, later explaining it in great detail to Andrew Johnson.

He never returned to the United States. He died in Montreal on May 3, 1868.



Left, William Henry Carroll, General in the Confederate States Army. Drawing based on photographs by Mathew Brady. Library of Congress Prints and Photographs Division Right, Thomas Bradford Carroll, former Mayor of Memphis and son of Governor William Carroll.



He is buried in Lenox Circle at Elmwood Cemetery in Memphis.

Not much has been written about Thomas with the exception from the Memphis Daily Appeal's April 28, 1857 edition:

Death of Honorable Thomas B. Carroll

Our whole community has been affected painfully by the sudden death of Hon. Thomas B. Carroll, Mayor of the City, which melancholy event occurred at his residence on Hernando street, on Sunday evening at 10 minutes to 4 o'clock. The disease which terminated so fatally to one who had hitherto been considered in the most robust health was inflammation of the bowels. Its ravages were fearfully rapid, Col. Carroll had only been confined to his room for about five days. Thus has our city been deprived of its Chief Magistrate by the hand of death, his family of a kindest, affectionate and devoted head, and the

numerous warm personal friends of the deceased of a friend and companion, true as steel in every emergency of fortune and ready to risk everything in their defense.

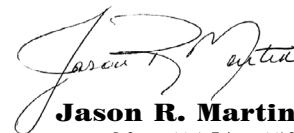
Col. Carroll was the second son of the late Hon. Wm. Carroll, Governor of Tennessee during several successive terms, and chief aide de camp to Gen. Jackson at the battle of New Orleans. He received his collegiate education at the University of Nashville, and soon after he entered upon manhood's estate removed to Panola County, Mississippi, where he successfully engaged in mercantile pursuits, and where he enjoyed the general respect and esteem of the community among whom he had cast his fortunes. From that county, he removed to Helena, Ark., and from the latter place to this city, about twelve years after. Col. Carroll inherited the warm, impulsive and fearless qualities of his father.

Frank and outspoken in all his dealings with men, he sometimes made enemies by the very frankness of his nature, as do all men of a quick and impulsive temperament. Yet he was as quick to repair a wrong, when convinced that he had erred, as he was to maintain his rights.

Col. Carroll was twice a candidate for the Mayoralty of this city. His first race was with Hon. A.B. Taylor in 1854, who was the successful candidate over him by a comparatively insignificant majority. Last year the citizens of Memphis elevated him to the first office in their gift by a majority which indicated flattering confidence in his ability and integrity. He was again a candidate for election with fair prospects of success when he was summoned to a higher tribunal. The business houses of the city were yesterday closed after 12 o'clock, and the bells were tolled during the morning

and the evening previous, in respect to his memory, and his remains were followed to the tomb by the Common Council, FreeMasons, Military, Fire Companies, and an immense concourse of citizens.

Next week, I will continue the story about the Carroll brothers picking up with Charles who commanded Confederate troops from McKenzie.

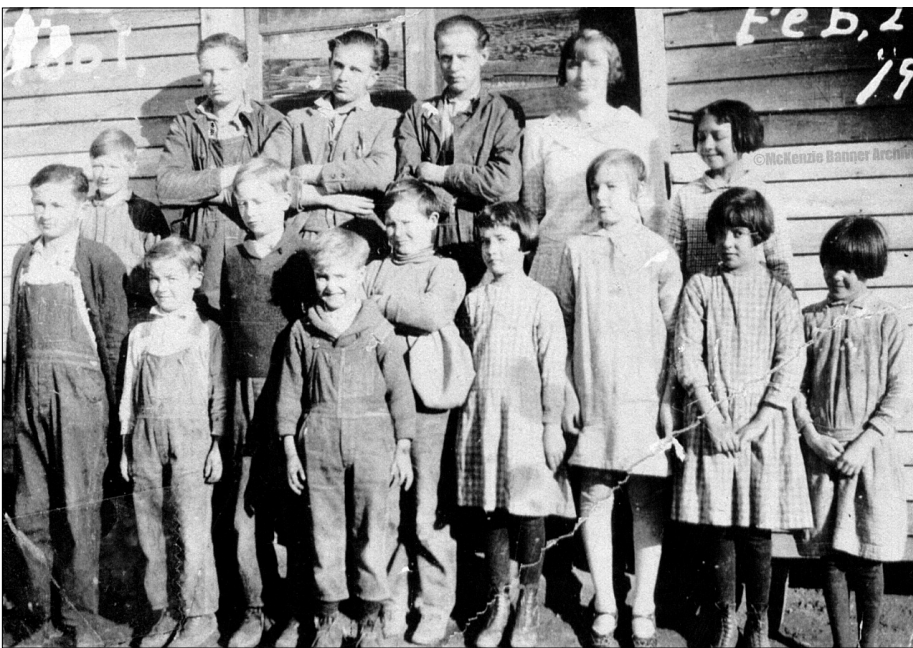


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From the pages of

A Pictorial History of McKenzie, Tennessee



Swindell School, 1927. Front Row: Bernard Horn, Marshall Crews, Everett Abernathy, Walton Abernathy, Novil Hicks, Eva Barton, Mildred Reynolds (Hicks), Geneva Barton (Cole) and Loretta Parker (Atkins). Back Row: ____, Archie Hicks, Weldon Reynolds, Malcolm Abernathy, Pearl Harder and Mary Crews. File photo originally published in "A Pictorial History of McKenzie, Tennessee," by The McKenzie Banner in October 2004.

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HUNKER DOWN WITH KES

Say It Ain't So, Joe... And Brenda and Yogi...

Sometimes I write the story because I can't help myself. It's like day following night. Reaching for a second potato chip. Or those swallows returning year after year to San Juan, Capistrano.

Major League baseball cranked off another season this past week. I cannot not say something!

The lockout between the owners and the players shortened spring training and delayed the start of regular season play. Most of the disagreement had to do with money. Doesn't it always!

But part of the final agreement dealt with proposed larger bases. And some talk was given to the awful experiment of a "ghost man" on second to start an extra inning. And, as Wee Willie Keeler and Dom DiMaggio turn over in their graves, the Designated Hitter rule was made universal.

The money would have been a non-factor for us when we chose up sides in Brenda Ellis's backyard. We wouldn't have said so at the time, but we all were so blessed in being unencumbered by any type of financial wealth. We showed up for one simple reason; the sheer joy of being "in the game!"

The proposed larger bases wouldn't have phased us either. We used to fill tow sacks full of dirt and throw them down as bases. After we stomped on them for a thousand innings they begin to spread out. We naturally took advantage of the "extra" edges.

In that ballfield in the empty lot beside Ricky Hale's house, we had bare spots for first and second base. Those things got wider and wider as the season progressed. By

late July you just had to get near'em to be safe.

And we had "ghost runners" back in the day. Shoot, many times we didn't have but three on a side. If we loaded the bases, the guy on third had to come in and hit... and the "ghost man" took his place.

I am a little confused on exactly how Major League Baseball plans on having a "ghost man" and a real player on the same base...at the same time.

Baseball, if nothing else, is certainly adaptable.

And when you played from sunup till sundown in a multitude of venues with a shifting list of players available due to work schedules, dentist appointments, bloody noses, broken legs, your mother just calling you home for no reason...believe me, flexibility was the name of the game.

BUT we drew the line at the very notion of a Designated Hitter. That's why the move to the DH in the National League is so disappointing. It goes against everything sandlot baseball has stood for since Abner Doubleday was a pup. The first rule, whether you were a six year old rookie or a fifteen year old seasoned veteran, was if you wanted to hit...you had to play in the field!

We didn't allow no part time players!

Listen, we wouldn't even let Leon hit when he showed up after working at the Swimming Pool all day and picked up a bat. He was too old to be interested in our game. He just wanted to show-off by belting one across the empty lot between our house and Aunt Jessie's, over the field behind Mrs. Boaz's house and

into the fenced in area in Joe Gooch's backyard.

Buddy or Yogi would do the talking for us, "If you want to hit, you can grab a glove and play leftfield until your turn comes up." Leon would fuss a mite, and threaten to beat me up, but he would eventually give up and go in the house and pester Mother.

He knew the rules. It was as simple at that.

You'd figure if "mighty" Leon couldn't wrangle a free at-bat in 1958, Major League Baseball would have enough sense, and respect for the game, so as to not mess with the proper order of things in 2022.

Friends, former players and casual acquaintances from ages past have gotten in touch since the latest DH decree to ask if I am giving up on the game.

Heaven forbid! Baseball is, and has always been, bigger than any one guy, one team, one bad decision...

In Brenda Ellis's backyard we felt the wind in our face as we rounded third and headed for home. We chased down fly balls that soared high in a sky so blue and expansive it surely stretched into eternity. We slid under tags at second with unbounded glee. We cheered a diving catch in centerfield...no matter who made it.

We played like life itself depended on each at-bat, each close play, each ground ball to second...which, in actuality, it did!

No silly rule "made up" 65 years after the fact can nullify the beauty, the symmetry, the uninhibited joy of those days...

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Obituaries



CODY CUNNINGHAM
1988 — 2022

ATWOOD — Services for Cody Chase Cunningham, 33, of Collierville, formerly of Atwood, were Saturday, April 9, 2022 at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Tom Burris officiating. Interment was at Pleasant Grove Cemetery in the Stafford Store Community.

Mr. Cunningham died Monday, April 4, 2022 at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Collierville.

He was born on July 27, 1988 in Jackson, Tennessee to Donald and Rhonda Box Cunningham.

He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Ray Box. Survivors include his father and mother, Donald and Rhonda Cunningham of Atwood, Tenn., a brother, Drew Cunningham of Atwood, his grandparents, Sandra Box of Atwood and Mickey and Irmgard Cunningham of Atwood.

Pallbearers for Cody were Jim Halford, Don Bukovi, Chris Baker, Brian Forrest, Thomas Ryan Allen, Santiago Reyna, Justin Harper, Thomas Billings, Scott Odom, Kevin King, Michael P. Kington, and Jared Travis.

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

RUDOLPH COKER
1942 — 2022

MCKENZIE — A Celebration of Life for Rudolph Clare Coker, 79, was Saturday, April 9, 2022 at 1 p.m. at The New Beginnings Church, 321 West Magnolia Avenue, McKenzie with Brother Eugene Whitt officiating. Interment followed with U.S. Army Military Honors at Chapel Hill Cemetery in Milan, Tenn.

Mr. Coker, a retired maintenance employee, died Sunday, April 3, 2022 at Jackson Madison County General Hospital.

He was born on October 17, 1942 in Daisetta, Texas to Richard and Eula Mae Burns Coker. He was a member of Trezevant First Baptist Church and served in the U.S. Army in Germany.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Dorothy Gillen.

Survivors include four daughters, Karolina (Brian) Mark of Tampa, Florida, Suzanne (Dennis) Jones of Milan, Tenn., Barbara Coker of Tampa, Florida, Stephanie (Eugene) Whitt of McKenzie, a sister, Barbara Wyman of Marietta, Georgia, a brother, Richard Coker of Woodville, Texas, his grandchildren, Ashley Workman, Robert Frye, Jr., Jessica Miguel, Alex Mark,

Sarah Whitt, John Koffron, Jr., and Sophie Whitt, his great-grandchildren, Weston Workman, Maddie Kate Workman, and Jeremiah Miguel.

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BOBBY 'BOB' JOE NEWTON
1934 — 2022

MCKENZIE — Bobby Joe Newton, 88, of McKenzie died Thursday, March 3, 2022.

A celebration of life is scheduled for 2 p.m. April 16, 2022 at the McKenzie First United Methodist Church.

Mr. Newton died at Brookdale Belle Meade in Nashville on March 3, 2022.

He was born on February 9, 1934 in McKenzie to J.A. and Willie Penny Newton. Mr. Newton was a radio announcer for WHDM for over 40 years and also taught special education in Carroll and Montgomery counties. He is a member of McKenzie First United Methodist Church and a U.S. Army veteran.

He is survived by his son Michael (Allison) Newton of Nashville, a brother in law Gaylon Biggs, sister in law Jettie Ann (Bobby) Bowers, nieces Tracy Newton Best, Joanne Hutchins, Etta Heizman, Ruth Johnson and Tammy (Kenny) Trevathan and nephews Jason (Andrea) Hoffman and Bobby Hoffman.

He is preceded in death by his parents, siblings and wife Jo Biggs Newton. The family suggests that memorials can be directed to the McKenzie United Methodist Church.

Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home, phone 731-352-4848. +

CASSIDY POLINSKI
2000 — 2022

ATWOOD — Funeral service for Cassidy Faith Polinski, 21, of Atwood, Tenn. were Saturday, April 9, 2022 at Bodkin Funeral Home with burial in the Pisgah Cemetery in Atwood.

Cassidy was born on July 14, 2000 to William Richard and Della Fay Tolley Polinski in McKenzie.

Cassidy is survived by a son, Cole Ryan of Atwood, her parents, Willie and Della Polinski of Atwood, her fiancé, Bradley Ryan of Atwood, a sister, Cheyenne Jewell (Cody) of Atwood, and her maternal grandmother, Billie Jean Mayberry (Bobby Joe) of Atwood.

She was preceded in death by her maternal grandfather, Edward Tolley, Sr. and her

paternal grandparents, Leo Joseph and Florence Virginia Polinski.

LINDA WOODS BRINKLEY
1948 — 2022

HUNTINGDON — Mrs. Linda Kay Woods Brinkley, 73, of Huntingdon, Tennessee died Monday April 4, 2022 at Jackson Madison General Hospital. Funeral services were Thursday, April 7, 2022 in the Chapel of Dilday-Carter Funeral Home. Interment was in Prospect Cemetery.

Mrs. Brinkley was born April 13, 1948 to the late Herman "Woody" Woods and Estelle White Roark.

She was preceded in death by brothers, Larry Woods, Danny Woods, Stanley Woods and Randy Woods; granddaughter, Jeci Drinkard.

She is survived by her husband, Edward "Butch" Brinkley; three daughters Deanna (Henry) Drinkard, Delana Brinkley and Denisha Brinkley; one son, Daniel (Cayce) Brinkley all of Huntingdon, Tennessee; 9 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren; sister Debbie Baumgardner of Cedar Grove, Tennessee; brother, Michael (Joyce) Woods of Huntingdon, Tennessee.

Dilday-Carter Funeral Home in charge of arrangements 731-986-8281.

HOWARD CRIDER
1929 — 2022

ATWOOD — Mr. Howard Dalton Crider, 93, of Atwood, Tennessee died Tuesday April 5, 2022 at his home. Memorial services will be scheduled at a later date.

Mr. Crider was born January 5, 1929 in Trezevant to the late William Edward and Vera Willis Crider.

He was also preceded in death by his first wife, Margaret Hopper Crider; three sisters, Nala Allen, Helen Parrish and Oder Webber; three brothers, Paul Crider, Willis Crider and G.C. Crider; a daughter, Debi Fry; a grandson, and a stepson, Jerry Whitby.

He is survived by his wife, Iris "Yonnie" Crider; a son, Donnie Crider (Wanda); a daughter, Donna Jackson all of Atwood; step sons, Rickey Whitby of Dandridge and Paul Whitby of Marshall, Illinois; eleven grandchildren and sixteen great-grandchildren.

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BETTY McCLURE
1932 — 2022

CLARKSBURG — Mrs. Betty McClure, 89, of Clarksburg, Tennessee died Wednesday, April 6, 2022 at Huntingdon Health & Rehabilitation. Funeral services were 2 p.m. Saturday, April 9, 2022 in the Chapel of Dilday-Carter Funeral Home. Interment followed in Carroll Memorial Gar-

dens. Brother Clint Ezell officiating.

Mrs. McClure was born October 28, 1932 to the late Ted Butler and Eulene Warbritton Butler.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Cecil McClure, and sister, Ramona (Nick) Narushko.

She is survived by four sons, Jimmy (Barbara) McClure of Yuma, Tennessee, Glenn (Karen) McClure of Lexington, Tennessee, David (Beth) McClure of Lexington, Tennessee; Johnny (Janet) McClure of Huntingdon, Tennessee; one brother, Bobby (Sue) Butler of Huntingdon, Tennessee; nine grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends at Dilday-Carter Funeral Home on Saturday, 10 a.m. until the time of services.

Dilday-Carter Funeral Home in charge of arrangements 731-986-8281.

LOWELL DEAN SAWYERS
1945 — 2022

HUNTINGDON, Tenn. — Services for Lowell Dean Sawyers, 77, were Monday, April 11, 2022 at 1 p.m. at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home. Interment was at Everetts Chapel Cemetery.

Mr. Sawyers, a retired laborer for United Clay Company and Gleason Clay Company of Gleason, died Thursday, April 7, 2022 at his residence. He was born on January 21, 1945 in Gleason, Tennessee to J.P. and Birtie B. Bradberry Sawyers.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Betty Sawyers who died in 2017, his parents, three sisters, Shirley McDaniel, Mary Ann Reynolds, and Lucille Winstead, and a brother, Richard Sawyers.

Survivors include his children, Cindy Sawyers, LaVada Sawyers, Lowell (Bubba) Sawyers, Jr., and Ricky Sawyers, four sisters, Janice Gross of Asher, Kentucky, Judy Hopper of Puryear, Tenn., and Doris Damesworth of Paris.

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ANTOINETTE MCGEE
1941 — 2022

MCKENZIE — Antoinette McGee, 80, of McKenzie, Tenn. died Monday, April 11, 2022. She was born November 20, 1941. Funeral arrangements were incomplete at press time. A complete obituary will be published at a later date.

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McKenzie Garden Club Celebrates 95th Anniversary

The McKenzie Garden Club observed its 95th Anniversary with a luncheon and meeting at the McKenzie Cumberland Presbyterian Church on Friday, March 25. Special guest was Mayor Jill Holland.

The Devotional was given by Marsha French, who spoke about how worry and depression can affect all of us, robbing us of happiness; but how leaning on our friends, family and faith can help us - not to get over it - but get through it. Marsha led the group in prayer before the members and guests enjoyed the annual add-a-dish luncheon.

After lunch, Mayor Holland addressed the group with updates and upcoming events and projects underway in McKenzie. These include the Farmers' Market opening soon, Nights on Broadway beginning in June, the Sweet Tea and Southern Pickin's festival happening the fourth weekend in August, and matinees will soon begin at the McKenzie Theatre for seniors.

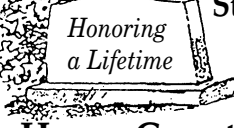
Mayor Holland also informed the group that the building that used to house our hospital has been donated and will be purchased and used for a communication equipment business, with the accompanying 67 acres being zoned for business as well as a residential subdivision. She explained

that it was the Council's responsibility to grow to meet upcoming changes, but their duty is to preserve the character and home values of McKenzie. The Mayor then took time to address questions from the Club members.

Following the Mayor's departure, the general business of the Club was conducted. Thirteen members answered the roll call, and our other guest, Brenda Smith was recognized. The minutes of the last (December 2021) meeting were read and approved, as was the financial report.

Sunshine Committee chair Donna Hodge reported on cards she sent to various members. President Myra Sasser reported that a work day for Bethel is still waiting for decent weather, as is a work day for Triangle Park. It was noted that the rotted bench slats at the park had been replaced by the City. Victoria Ard requested the members to consider and bring their thoughts on extending the meeting dates to include the months of January, February, June and July.

Judy McCadams' birthday was recognized; and the members were pleased to hear that Brenda Smith had decided to join the Club as a member. The Collect was read to close the meeting.



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include: 5K run and a 1 mile walk (optional). Trophies are awarded for 1st place, 2nd place and 3rd place for 5K run participants only. Medals are given for participation. All proceeds support The Vanderbilt Research Center for sarcoidosis. The West Tennessee Sarcoidosis Group thanks the R.B. Wilson Clinic, Baptist Memorial Hospital for allowing us to host this event. For more information, contact Patricia Coleman at pat.coleman1954@yahoo.com or 731-697-3912.

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WEST CARROLL BASEBALL

War Eagles Have Busy Week

West Carroll's War Eagles had a busy week in baseball with road trips to Madison and Camden and hosting a game with Liberty Tech.

Madison Academic

West Carroll defeated Madison Academic 9-8 on Friday, April 1, after taking the lead late in the game. The game was tied 7-7 with the War Eagles batting in the bottom of the sixth inning when a Madison error scored a run for West Carroll.

Madison started the scoring with a run in the top of the second inning. West Carroll tied the game 1-1 with a run in the bottom of the third inning. Madison retook the lead with three runs in the top of the fifth inning with West Carroll answering with 5 runs in the bottom of the inning to retake a 6-4 lead. Madison added three more in the top of the sixth while West Carroll got two runners across the plate for an 8-7 lead at the bottom of the sixth inning. Madison Academic tied the game with a solo run in the top of the seventh inning with the War Eagles going scoreless to force an extra inning. West Carroll scored the winning run in the bottom of the eighth for a 9-8 win.

West Carroll recorded 10 hits while Madison Academic had six hits for the game. Briggs Easley had a hit and scored two runs. Parker McAfee had two hits driving in one run and scoring two. Jason Langston had two hits driving in a run and scoring a run. Conner Kothe had a double and a single driving in two runs and scoring two more. Jose Martinez had a hit and scored while Seth Edwards recorded a pair of hits.

Martinez got the win on the mound for West Carroll giving up one run on no hits over three innings striking out four and walking one. Seth Edwards started for the War Eagles going five innings allowing five runs on five hits and striking out seven.

Camden

West Carroll traveled to Camden last Tuesday April 4 for a doubleheader against the Camden Lions losing 11-0 in the first contest and 4-2 in the second contest.



Seth Edwards (10) takes a swing against Liberty Tech during a 17-10 win.

Game 1
West Carroll gave up three runs in the top of the first inning and four in the top of the second inning putting them in a 7-0 hole heading into the third inning. Camden added a run in the third inning, two runs in the fourth inning and another run in the fifth inning finishing an 11-0 shutout.

Jose Martinez took the loss for West Carroll on the mound giving up six runs on five hits and striking out three. Seth Edwards started the game for the War Eagles allowing five hits and five runs in one inning of action. Martinez recorded the only hit for West Carroll during the game.

Game 2

The second game was a lot different and a lot closer too. Camden drew the first score in the bottom of the first inning to lead 1-0. The next four innings were scoreless for both teams until West Carroll scored the tying run in the top of the sixth inning. Camden retook the lead with three runs in the bottom of the sixth. The War Eagles added a run in the top of the seventh inning but it wasn't enough to overcome the Lion lead.

Brock Polinski went the distance for the War Eagles giving up six hits and four runs while walking three and striking out six batters.

Liberty Tech

The War Eagles came home Thursday, April 7 for

a single contest against Liberty Tech which turned into a high scoring affair with West Carroll winning 17-10 in seven innings.

Liberty Tech drew first blood with a solo run in the top of the first inning but the War Eagles had their bats hot in the bottom of the inning getting eight runs across the plate for an 8-1 lead. Liberty plated two runs in the top of the second inning while West Carroll plates one run in the bottom of the inning and two more runs in the bottom of the third inning for a 11-3 War Eagle lead. Liberty Tech's offense really got going in the latter part of the game with two runs in the fourth, 3 runs in the fifth and two more runs in the sixth inning. West Carroll added a single run in the fourth inning, four runs in the fifth inning, and a solo run in the sixth inning to finish the contest.

The War Eagles totaled 11 hits with Hunter Lindsey, Jose Martinez, Mason Cochran, and Jason Langston all had multiple hits. Conner Kothe, Seth Edwards, and Brock Polinski all had solo hits in the contest. West Carroll tallied eight steals for the game.

Seth Edwards got the win for the War Eagles going three innings allowing three runs on three hits and striking out five. Nolan Grant and Jason Langston saw action on the mound in relief to close out the game.

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ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS
Backhoe Operator

The City of McKenzie is accepting applications for a backhoe operator. Candidate must be 18 years of age, possess a valid driver's license, high school diploma or its equivalent and pass the pre-employment drug screen. Applications will be accepted at city hall until 4 p.m. on April 19.

- Pay based on backhoe experience.
- Applicant is also expected to work on the crew, so must be able to perform manual labor, stooping, bending twisting and lifting heavy weight at times.
- Job consists of learning to maintain and repair water lines, fire hydrants and related equipment. Install water pipe and make repairs to water lines.
- Participate on emergency call out when needed for water line/water main breaks.
- The City offers excellent benefits and retirement through TCRS.

Applications can be picked up at city hall Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

CITY OF MCKENZIE A1/14-2

ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS
Water Department Laborer Position

The City of McKenzie will be accepting applications for laborer position for the Water Department. Candidate must be 18 years of age, possess a valid driver's license, high school diploma or its equivalent and pass the drug screen. Applications will be accepted at city hall until 4 p.m. on April 19. This is a full time position and includes benefits.

- You must be able to perform manual labor, stooping, bending, twisting and lifting heavy weight at times.
- The job consists of learning to maintain and repair water lines, fire hydrants, and related equipment. Install water pipe and make repairs to water lines throughout the City's entire distribution system.
- Participates on emergency call out list which is in effect 24 hours a day for emergency water line/water main breaks.
- Runs service orders. Locates water service and water mains, meter reading, check backs and water taps.
- Makes necessary repairs to property after completing excavations. Performs landscaping duties, and other duties as necessary to restore property to original condition.

JOB OPENING
GENERAL MANAGER

The Carroll County Electric Department (CCED) is seeking candidates to replace the current General Manager who is retiring June 2, 2022.

CCED is a county-owned municipal that serves the county of Carroll, employs 44 employees, and serves over 15,000 electric customers in all of Carroll County and parts of Henderson and Weakley counties. The service area encompasses approximately 630 square miles and includes eight cities and towns, as well as a large rural area. Carroll County is also home to Bethel University.

The General Manager is responsible for managing the daily operations of the CCED; hiring, training and retaining employees; complying with all Federal, State and Local regulations; and implementing the policies of the five-member Board of Public Utilities.

The successful candidate will have a minimum of five years work experience in a supervisory and/or management duties. Candidates must have a solid understanding of sound business practices, must exhibit good judgment, and should possess excellent communication/people skills. The candidate must be able to successfully lead and direct the CCED and maintain certain public positions within the community, e.g., Chamber and civic organizations. The candidate must possess or be able to obtain a Tennessee Driver's License. CCED offers excellent benefits and will offer a competitive salary based upon qualifications and experience.

Applications may be picked up at the CCED or downloaded at ccelectric.org. Interested candidates should submit a completed application and a separate, detailed resume outlining education, work history, management experience, salary history, three professional references and salary expectations.

The required documents may be submitted by sealed envelope in-person at CCED, by mail or delivered by courier service to Carroll County Electric Department, Attention: Chairman Terry Howell, 103 West Paris Street, Huntingdon, TN 38344. In addition, these documents may be submitted electronically to the CCED Board of Directors at board@ccelectric.org.

All resumes must be received by 4 p.m. CST on Wednesday, April 27, 2022.

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JOB OPENING
NORTHWEST TENNESSEE DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT
CHOICES SERVICE COORDINATOR/CASE MANGER

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Interested parties should email letter of interest and resume to Emily Payne at Emily.Payne@nwtdd.org no later than April 29, 2022 at 10 a.m.

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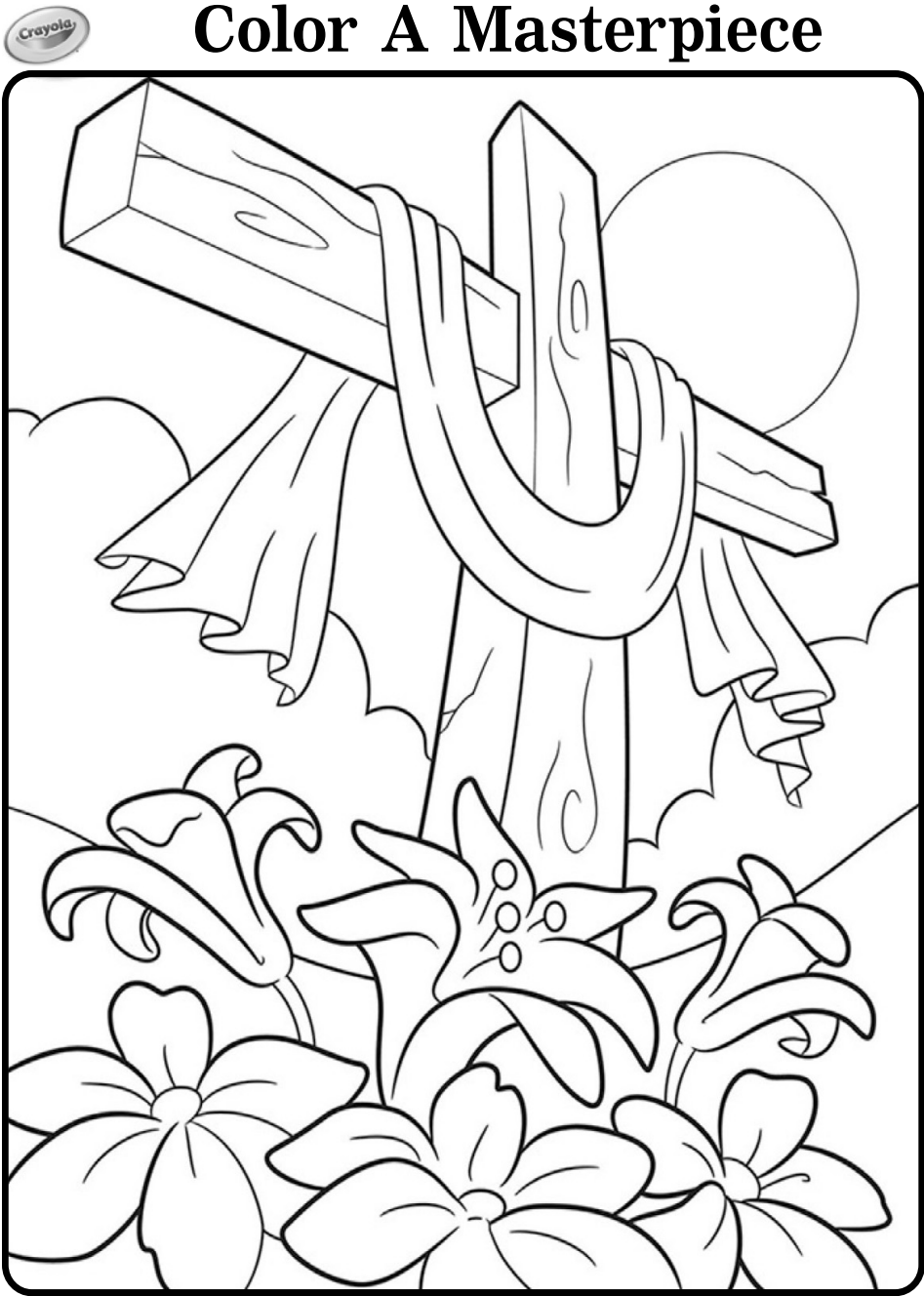
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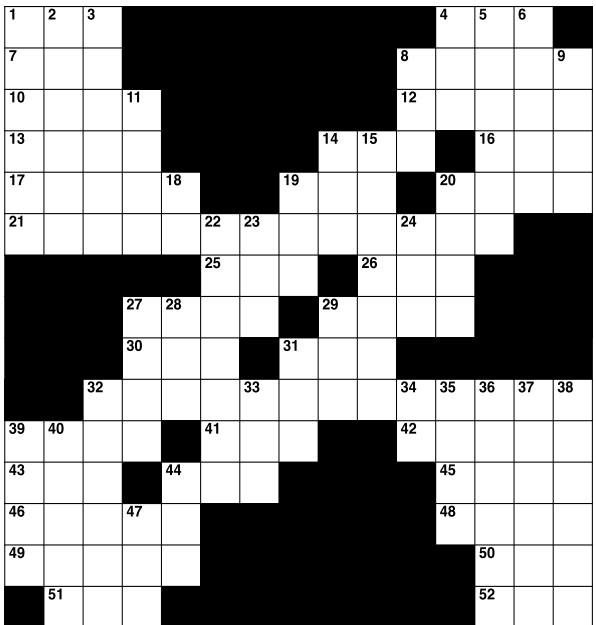
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Weekly Crossword

- CLUES ACROSS**
- 1. Runs PCs
 - 4. An entertaining, eccentric person
 - 7. Small, faint constellation
 - 8. Indigo bush
 - 10. Not excessive
 - 12. African antelope
 - 13. A way to fly a glider
 - 14. Tough softly
 - 16. In the course of
 - 17. Early Mesoamerican people
 - 19. A way to drop down
 - 20. Mistake!
 - 21. Housing developments
 - 25. Baseball stat
 - 26. No (Scottish)
 - 27. Type of cuisine
 - 29. British Army infantrymen (abbr.)
 - 30. Marry
 - 31. Buffer solution
 - 32. Legendary rock band
 - 39. Recording industry show
 - 41. A way to consume
 - 42. Lake in Botswana
 - 43. Political action committee
 - 44. Field force unit (abbr.)
 - 45. Very eager
 - 46. Excessive fluid accumulation in tissues
 - 48. Nocturnal insect
 - 49. Challenged to perform
 - 50. Thus far
 - 51. Famed NYC arena
 - 52. Commercials

- CLUES DOWN**
- 1. Small, purple-black fruit



- 2. Baltimore ballplayer
- 3. Highly seasoned sausage
- 4. Split pulses
- 5. Northwestern Mexico town
- 6. Edible fruit
- 8. Upper-class southern young woman
- 9. Sums up
- 11. The most worthless part
- 14. Dash
- 15. Sufferings
- 18. Clearinghouse (abbr.)
- 19. Indian title of respect
- 20. Poems meant to be sung
- 22. Actor Cooper
- 23. Luke's mentor ___-Wan
- 24. Clumsy person
- 27. Figures
- 28. Polish Baltic coast peninsula
- 29. Old cloth
- 31. Explosive
- 32. Automobiles
- 33. 007's creator
- 34. The Volunteer State
- 35. Old Irish alphabet
- 36. Japanese city
- 37. Portrayed emotion
- 38. Observers
- 39. Mimicked
- 40. Polite reference to a woman
- 44. Male parent
- 47. Peter Griffin's daughter

Week 15

See solution in next week's edition.

Easter Word Search

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F W G O D N N E S I R E R A P N R I L
O E A S T E R B C L I L Y F S I N E
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April

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Body

Celebration

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- Cross

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Easter

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God

Good Friday

Gospel

Holy
- Hope

Jesus

King

Lamb

Lent

Life

Lily

Love

Mary
- Messiah

Nails

Palm Leaves

Prayer

Renewal

Resurrection

Risen

Sacrifice

Salvation
- Savior

Sin

Son

Spear

Spring

Stone

Sunday

Third Day

Tomb

THIS DAY IN...



- **1111:** HENRY V OF GERMANY IS CROWNED HOLY ROMAN EMPEROR.
- **1870:** THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART IN NEW YORK CITY IS FOUNDED.
- **1997:** TIGER WOODS BECOMES THE YOUNGEST GOLFER TO WIN THE MASTERS.

Week 14 Crossword Puzzle Solution

S	S	E	G	A	L	A	S	A	M	B	O	S
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SUDOKU SOLUTION WEEK 14

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8	4	5	6	2	7	3	9	1
3	9	7	5	1	8	6	4	2
7	3	1	8	5	9	2	6	4
5	8	6	1	4	2	9	3	7
9	2	4	7	3	6	8	1	5
4	6	8	3	7	1	5	2	9
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2	5	3	9	8	4	1	7	6

SUDOKU WEEK 15

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See solution in next week's edition.

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HUNTINGDON — The following cases were heard in Carroll General Sessions Court on April 6 and 7.

Cases bound over to Carroll County Circuit Court were:

Ricky Orlando Butler, Biggart Lane, Huntingdon, Bound Over for Meth – Possession or Casual Exchange and Possession of Unlawful Drug Paraphernalia.

Floyd Edward Hilliard, Jr, Buck Ditch Road, Huntingdon, Bound Over for Meth – MFG, Deliver, Sale, Possession with Intent and Possession Unlawful Drug Paraphernalia.

Michael A. Smith, Dillon Road, Denmark, Tenn., Bound over for Failure To Appear – two counts, Driving While License Suspended, and Speeding; Dismissed charge of Failure To Appear.

Austin D. Taylor, McClure Street, McKenzie, Bound Over for Aggravated Burglary and Assault – Threat of Bodily Injury.

Charlotte Ann Winberry, Hwy 70, Cedar Grove, Bound Over for Theft of Property - \$10,000 - \$60,000 and Criminal Trespass.

Jimmie King Williams, 222 Clark Street, Huntingdon, Bound Over for Meth – MFG, Deliver, Sale, Possession with Intent, Simple Possession/Casual Exchange, Possession Unlawful Drug Paraphernalia, Probation Violation, Failure To Appear, Driving While License Suspended – 2nd or Subsequent Offense, and One Way Roads and Rotary Traffic Islands.

The following cases resulted in guilty verdicts or guilty pleas:

Justin Devary, Fox Pass Cutoff, Hot Springs, Arkansas, Guilty of Meth – Possession or Casual Exchange, \$750 fine, 90 days jail already in custody, 8/29 Supervised Probation, and Forfeit Weapon to CCSO; Dismissed charges of Driving While License Revoked-2nd or Subsequent Offense, Unlawful Possession of a Weapon, and Possession of Unlawful Drug Paraphernalia.

Heather Lashea Ecker, Hwy 77, Trezevant, Guilty of Reckless Driving and Implied Consent-Misd, \$50, fine, 6 months jail, 6 months

unsupervised probation, and Not to Drive for 1 year.

Richard Garner, Mill Creek Road, Lyles, Tenn., Guilty of Reckless Driving and Implied Consent-Misd, 6 months jail, 6 months unsupervised probation, and Not to Drive for 1 year; Dismissed charge of Failure To Appear.

Christopher Medlock, Bridgeman Street, Huntingdon, Guilty of Meth – Possession or Casual Exchange and Theft of Merchandise Up To \$1,000, 180 days jail already in custody and 17/28 supervised probation; Dismissed charge of Burglary Other Than Habitation.

Lawrence Norman, Jr, Leona Street, Milan, Guilty of Failure To Appear – two counts, 10 days jail report by 5/13/22, Sentence may be served on consecutive weekends; Dismissed charges of Casual Exchange – Adult/Minor – Schedule II, Possession Unlawful Drug Paraphernalia, Driving While License Suspended, and Failure To Appear.

David Alton Puckett, Spruce Street, McKenzie, Guilty of Domestic Assault and Meth – Possession or Casual Exchange, \$750 fine, 90 days jail already in custody, 20/28 Supervised probation, No contact with Victim; Dismissed charges of 3 counts Failure To Appear, Theft Up To \$1,000, and Possession of Unlawful Drug Paraphernalia.

Hunter J. Taylor, Arlington Avenue, Jackson, Guilty of Probation Violation, 90 days jail, Report to jail by 5/23/22, Appeal right expires 4/14/22; Dismissed charges of 2 counts of Failure To Appear.

Kevin L. Walker, Oaklawn Drive, McKenzie, Guilty of Probation Violation, 10 days jail, Report by 4/15/22, and probation extended 5 months.

Norman Watne, Paris Street, McKenzie, Guilty of two counts Sexual Offender Registration Form Contents Required – ATT. \$250 fine and 11/29 Jail Sentence.

Shane Kyle Westphal, Highland Avenue Apts, Martin, Guilty of Possession Unlawful Drug Paraphernalia, \$150 fine, 45 days jail already in custody, and 11/29 Supervised probation;

Huntingdon Police Reports

License Violation — Gerald T. Stevens (age and address not provided) was charged with driving on a revoked license during a March 9 traffic stop in Huntingdon.

Officer Joseph Hedge reported that he pulled over a vehicle driven by Stevens on Lexington Street because he had prior knowledge that Stevens' license was revoked. A computer check revealed the revoked status with seven prior convictions. Stevens was transported to Carroll County Jail.

Accident, License Violation — Bert W. Hurlburt, 66, of Huntingdon was cited for driving on a suspended license following a March 24 traffic accident in Huntingdon.

According to the report by Officer Labe Ezell, Hurlburt

was traveling east on East Main Street when his vehicle struck another vehicle from behind. A computer check showed that Hurlburt's license is for identification only with eligibility for reinstatement.

Shoplifting — Kenneth Ray Beckham, 35, of Huntingdon was charged with theft of merchandise under \$1,000 on March 30.

According to the report by Officer Zachery Barker, he responded to a call about a shoplifter at Walmart. Upon arrival, Barker found that Beckham was being detained in the store security office. Beckham removed stolen items from the front of his pants and returned them to store security personnel. The items totaled \$59.85, but no restitution is due to Walmart.

Marriage Licenses

Joshua Loren Bowers, 45, of McKenzie to Melissa Joy Moreno, 40, of McKenzie.

Mark Anthony Vestal, Jr., 22, of Trezevant to Autumn Alexis Gungl, 23, of Trezevant.

Property Transfers

Rodney Neilson to Highway Partners in District 6.

Michelle Leann French to Brian Paul French in District 11.

Amy Danette Sanders to Zachary Ray Sanders and others in District 11.

Ricky and Cindy Haddock to John D. and Kathie Abbott in District 11.

Joel and Teresa Washburn to Matthew R. Taylor in District 22.

Van A. and Louanne P. Blackketter to Phillip R. and Timothy Rogers Williams in District 5.

Van A. and Louanne P. Blackketter to Jared and Mary Joe Davidson in District 5.

Paul D. and Christine Archie to Jeffery Alan Shavers in District 2.

Rita G. Umstead to Habitat for Humanity of Carroll County, Inc. in District 24.

Jonathan Blake Baker and others to John C. and Lacey M. Johnsonius in District 22.

Will McKee to Staci C.

Lindsay in District 13.

Bufford Webb to Danny L. and Stacy A. Webb in District 16.

Jon W. Zuber to Jon W. Zuber in District 6.

Jeffrey K. Webb to Tanner J. Hill in District 22.

Blake J. and Brandi Jill Courtney to Michelle Leann French in District 11.

Pat and Betty Davis and others to Caleb Westbrook and Haley Diane Page in District 11.

Demetria Janean Strayhorn and others to Demetria Janean Strayhorn and others in District 22.

Donna S. Fleenor and others to Mary Linda McDonald in District 23.

Spiridon L. and Sandi S. Roditis to Jeffery K. and Monica M. Lamonte in District 4.

Timothy Smothers and others to Teresa L. Shell in District 22.

Malani Sidwell to Melani Sidwell in District 21.

CU Farms, LLC to Raymond Robert Jr and Bernar-

dine A. Curtis in District 6.

Craig O. and Traci R. Lunn to Lois R. Wentworth in District 4.

Clint L. Gina Butler to Blake J. and Jill Courtney in District 11.

Recia M. Klutts to Recia M. Klutts and others in District 12.

Danny Johnson to Tremayne Johnson in District 15.

Steven Dameron and others to Jennie Weaver in District 10.

Robert N. II and Conni Lynn Foster to Kelly L. Sharp in District 24.

Mary Ann Janner to James K. and Kathryn Wilwohl Sydner in District 4.

Sean and Penny Garrison to William Hunter Thompson in District 20.

Joseph J. Sr. and Linda D. Anhalt to Anchor Properties Group Inc.

Barsto Rental to Mary L. Mays in District 11.

Jason Lee Hix to Frank P. and Christy M. McGinnis in District 16.

Benjamin L. Carter to Emily Kaitlin Carter in District 11.

NOTICE

Twenty Fourth Judicial Circuit Court

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

IT IS THE DUTY OF THE GRAND JURORS TO INVESTIGATE ANY PUBLIC OFFENSE WHICH THEY KNOW OR HAVE REASON TO BELIEVE HAS BEEN COMMITTED AND WHICH IS TRIABLE OR INDICTABLE IN THIS COUNTY. ANY PERSON HAVING KNOWLEDGE OR PROOF THAT SUCH AN OFFENSE HAS BEEN COMMITTED MAY APPLY TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE GRAND JURY SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF TENNESSEE CODE ANNOTATED, SECTION 40-12-104

THE FOREMAN IN THIS COUNTY IS PRESENTLY:
MS. JIMMIE SUE STATEN

THE GRAND JURY WILL MEET NEXT ON:
MONDAY, MAY 2, 2022 AT THE CARROLL COUNTY COURTHOUSE.

YOU MAY BE PROSECUTED FOR PERJURY FOR ANY ORAL OR WRITTEN STATEMENT WHICH YOU MAKE UNDER OATH TO THE GRAND JURY, WHEN YOU KNOW THE STATEMENT TO BE FALSE, AND WHEN THE STATEMENT TOUCHES ON A MATTER MATERIAL TO THE POINT IN QUESTION.

SARAH BRADBERRY
CIRCUIT COURT CLERK
CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That, WHEREAS, by Deed of Trust recorded on October 11, 2012, of record in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee, in Trust Deed Book 618, page 526, **JEFF BLANKS BARKER JR.** 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 6th day of May, 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 11th Civil District of Carroll County, Tennessee, more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a stake in the Southeast margin of Highway #70A at the common corner of Tommy L. Barker; runs thence in a Southeasterly direction with Tommy Barker approximately 350 feet to an inner corner with Barker; runs thence in a Northeasterly direction 500 feet to a stake, common corner with Smothers; thence in a Northwesterly direction with Smothers, approximately 190 feet to a stake in the common corner of Hollowell; thence Southwesterly with Hollowell, 220 feet to Hollowell's Southeast corner; thence in a Northwesterly direction with Hollowell, 210 feet to the Highway; thence with the Highway, approximately 250 feet to the point of beginning, containing approximately 3.03 acres. The above description is the same as in the previous deed of record.

For source of title, see Deed Book 350, page 309, Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee. Map 74 - Parcel 55.00-Property Assessor's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee

The street address of the above described property is believed to be 10850 Hwy 77, 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: Bureau of TennCare. 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 1st day of April, 2022.

W. Kent Jones, Trustee
THE JONES LAW FIRM
19478 WEST MAIN STREET, HUNTINGDON, TN 38344-0707

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

PROBATE CASE NO: 2022PE54

ESTATE OF: **BOBBY GENE JOHNSON, LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE**

Notice is hereby given that on the **28TH** day of **MARCH, 2022** Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of **BOBBY GENE JOHNSON** deceased, who died **JANUARY 15TH, 2022**, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk & Master of Carroll 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 a 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 28TH day of MARCH, 2022.
THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS.

FILE CLAIMS IN TRIPLICATE WITH:
KENNETH TODD - CLERK & MASTER
99 Court Square, Suite 105, Huntingdon, TN 38344

JENNIFER CECCONI, Executor/Administrator
DWAYNE D. MADDOX III, Attorney
KENNETH TODD, Clerk & Master

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

PROBATE CASE NO: 2022PE55

ESTATE OF: **GLENDORA FAYE CREWS, LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE**

Notice is hereby given that on the **28TH** day of **MARCH, 2022** Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of **GLENDORA FAYE CREWS** deceased, who died **DECEMBER 14TH, 2021**, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk & Master of Carroll 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 a 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

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FILE CLAIMS IN TRIPLICATE WITH:
KENNETH TODD - CLERK & MASTER
99 Court Square, Suite 105, Huntingdon, TN 38344

DEBORAH HART, Executor/Administrator
STEVEN L. WEST, Attorney
KENNETH TODD, Clerk & Master

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NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms and conditions of a Deed of Trust dated October 14, 2016, executed by WILLIAM CARTER, conveying certain real property therein described to ALAN PRITCHARD, as Trustee, as same appears of record in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee recorded October 17, 2016, in Deed Book 655, Page 976 ; and

WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was last transferred and assigned to FREEDOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION who is now the owner of said debt; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned, Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, having been appointed as Substitute Trustee by instrument to be filed for record in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable, and that the undersigned, Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, as Substitute Trustee or his duly appointed agent, by virtue of the power, duty and authority vested and imposed upon said Substitute Trustee will, on **May 10, 2022** at 12 P.M. at the Carroll County Courthouse, 99 Court Street, Huntingdon, TN 38344, proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds ONLY, the following described property situated in Carroll County, Tennessee, to wit:

BEING LOT NO. 1, ON THE PLAN OF HANSEN MEADOWS SUBDIVISION, OF RECORD IN PLAT BOOK 3, PAGE 75, SLIDE 180 A, REGISTER'S OFFICE FOR SAID COUNTY, AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED BY A SURVEY BY SAMUEL K CARROLL, R.L.S., AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT THE INTERSECTION OF HANSEN DRIVE AND CHERRYWOOD ROAD; RUNS THENCE NORTH 85 DEGREES 30 MINUTES WEST WITH THE SOUTH MARGIN OF HANSEN DRIVE 158 FEET TO A STAKE; BEING LOT NO. 21 NORTHEAST CORNER AND THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY; RUNS THENCE SOUTH 05 DEGREES 00 MINUTES WEST 132.3 FEET WITH LOT NO. 21 EAST BOUNDARY TO AN OLD IRON PIN, BEING THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF CATHY HART AND THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY; RUNS THENCE SOUTH 83 DEGREES 11 MINUTES EAST WITH HART'S NORTH BOUNDARY 167.5 FEET TO AN IRON POST IN THE WEST MARGIN OF CHERRYWOOD ROAD; RUNS THENCE WITH THE WEST MARGIN OF CHERRYWOOD ROAD, NORTH 01 DEGREE 07 MINUTES EAST 139.3 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

Parcel ID: 22-016-L-016-L-A-011.00-000

PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be **8877 HWY 436, MC KENZIE, TN 38201**. 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): WILLIAM CARTER

OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES: MCKENZIE REGIONAL HOSPITAL

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
rslaw.com/property-listing
Tel: (877) 813-0992
Fax: (470) 508-9401

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McKenzie Police Reports

Multiple Traffic Charges — Early Sunday morning, April 3, Officer Trenton Ruddy initiated a traffic stop on a Grey Ford F150 for speeding well over the limit. The driver was identified as Fernando A. Corrales, 21, of McKenzie. Ruddy had a driver's license check done with it coming back that Corrales' license was suspended for failure to file insurance and did not have proof of insurance. He was cited for Speeding, Financial Responsibility Law Violation, and Driving on Suspended License – First Offense.

Failure To Appear — Varandre Rakeem White, 25, of Warren, Michigan turned himself in to the McKenzie Police Department on Wednesday morning, April 6 advising that he had a warrant for Failure To Appear based

on the original charge of Driving on a Suspended License – First Offense written on 1/17/2022.

The Carroll County Jail confirmed the warrant and Mr. White was taken into custody and transported to Carroll County Jail.

Probation Violation — Officer Dalton Raspberry initiated a traffic stop on a 2017 Kia after observing the driver failing to stop at a stop sign. During the traffic stop, Raspberry identified both the driver and passenger of the vehicle and also smelled an odor of Marijuana coming from the vehicle. The passenger was identified as Adrian Nesbitt, 34 of McKenzie whom Raspberry knew to have active arrest warrants out of Carroll County for two counts of Violation of Sentence. Raspberry recovered a

bag of green leafy substance believed to be Marijuana near the vehicle and vehicle search recovered a digital scale containing Marijuana and Meth residue, and Marijuana shake. The driver was given a warning while Nesbitt was arrested on his active warrants and transported to Carroll County Jail.

Failure To Appear — Officer Trenton Ruddy conducted a traffic stop on a Blue Jeep on Forrest Avenue early Friday morning, April 8 for a tail light being out. The driver was identified as Stacy Hinson, 46, of Trezevant. Hinson was found to have an active cite in Carroll County for Failure To Appear. Ruddy cited Hinson and gave him a 10-day booking sticker and advised him to book in at the Carroll County Jail.

Carroll County Sheriff's Reports

Drug Possession — Anthony Jerome Patterson, 40, of 115 Dodd Street, Hollow Rock, was cited for simple possession of schedule VI (marijuana) during a March 31 traffic stop near Bruceton.

Deputy Cody Coleman reported that he pulled over a vehicle driven by Patterson near the intersection of Highway 70 and Cotton Creek Road due to a license plate display violation. While speaking with Patterson, Coleman detected the odor of marijuana coming from inside the vehicle, and when asked about it, Patterson said he had a joint and produced a marijuana cigarette from the center console. Coleman said he would search the vehicle, and Patterson then reached behind his seat and pulled out a container with a small amount of a substance believed to be marijuana inside. While searching the vehicle, Coleman found a marijuana grinder containing a small amount of marijuana.

Warrant, Drug Equipment — Lloyd Sawyer, 56, of 185 Park Circle, McKenzie, was cited for a drug equipment violation and for an outstanding warrant on April 2 in McKenzie.

According to the report by Deputy Christopher Adams, he made contact with Sawyer on Maple Street with prior knowledge that Sawyer had a warrant for failure to appear out of Carroll County General Sessions Court. A computer check confirmed the warrant. Sawyer told Adams he had a "kit" in his possession,

and Adams observed that it contained two hypodermic needles, which the deputy placed in a biohazard container.

Drug Paraphernalia — Joseph Tyler Walters, 30, of 980 Highway 436, Trezevant, was cited for possession of drug paraphernalia during an April 2 traffic stop near Huntingdon.

Deputy Dakota Meier reported that he pulled over a white pickup truck driven by Walters on Highway 77 due to the truck not having running lights in the back. Meier obtained Walters' permission to search the vehicle after observing Walters behaving in a defensive and suspicious manner. During that search, the deputy found a glass pipe and a small plastic bag, both containing a white crystal-like residue.

Theft — Deputies are investigating the recent theft of items from a home and shop near Huntingdon.

According to the report by Deputy Dakota Meier, Randal Vinson told him on April 2 that a recent storm caused a tree to fall on his house on Ledsinger Road, and he has since been having to stay in a local motel. Vinson said that sometime on April 1 or April 2, items valued together at \$740 were stolen from his home and shop. These items included a 43-inch TV, a 32-inch TV, a battery drill, a 22 rifle, and a 20-gauge shotgun.

Felony Evading — Joshua Ryan Leaver, 31, of Paris was charged with felony evading and possession of drug paraphernalia following an April 3

vehicular pursuit in the Trezevant area.

Deputy Chance Townes reported that he pulled over a white Ford Taurus driven by Leaver due to prior knowledge that Leaver had an active warrant out of Henry County for violation of probation. After Townes asked Leaver to step out of the vehicle, Leaver put the vehicle in drive and sped away on Highway 79 toward McKenzie. Townes followed in his vehicle as Leaver turned onto Big Buck Road. At one point, Leaver stopped and let out a passenger and then continued to flee. The pursuit ended on Springhill Church Road after another deputy set out a spike strip and successfully deflated the vehicle's tires. Leaver tried to flee on foot but was apprehended after Townes deployed a taser gun. A search of Leaver's vehicle yielded a plastic pipe wrapped in foil with drug residue inside it.

Burglary — Deputies are looking into a break-in/burglary incident at a church near Huntingdon.

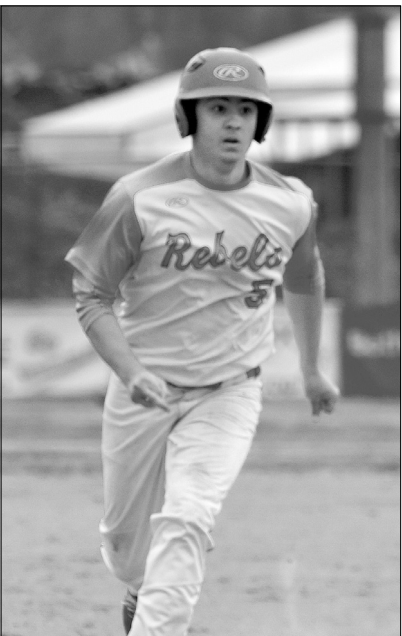
Laura Hutcherson told deputies on April 3 that while she was in Springhill Church earlier that morning getting things ready for the church service, she heard a loud noise coming from a Sunday School room in the back of the church. When she went to investigate, she found that the window air conditioner unit was lying in the floor and the window had been broken out. Hutcherson also said that she observed candy wrappers lying around and that the hot water had been turned on.

McKenzie Rebel Baseball Ranked in Top Five

The Tennessee Baseball Coaches Association announced the Class A Coaches Poll which has two West Tennessee teams ranked in the Top 10. The McKenzie Rebels are

ranked number three while Trenton-Peabody ranks at number eight. Other teams of note are Eaglesville at number one and South Pittsburg with a number nine ranking.

MCKENZIE BASEBALL



Left, Ty Anderson went the distance against the Irish. Right, Braden Birmingham (5) running the bases against Houston County. Photos by Jim Potts/The Banner

Rebels Sweep Houston County, Defeats Bruceton

BY JIM POTTS
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Houston Co. 1st Game

McKenzie's Rebels posted a pair of lopsided scores in a doubleheader against Houston County at home Monday afternoon.

In the first game, the Rebels wasted no time getting runs on the board with four in the bottom of the first inning and five more in the second inning. The third inning was scoreless but McKenzie added three more runs in the bottom of the fourth inning to reach a 12-0 score. The first game ended in the fifth inning.

Three Rebels had multiple hits including Hayden Hixson, Zayden McCaslin, and Nolan Renfro having three hits each while Collin McLearn added a hit. Hixson had two singles and a double that drove in a run and scored a run. McCaslin also had two singles and a double that drove in three runs and he scored three runs. Renfro had two base hits and a double that drove in three runs and scored a run. McLearn posted a base hit that drove in a run and scored two runs in the contest. Ty Anderson got on base after getting hit by a pitch which walked in a run and he scored a run shortly after that. Jackson Cassidy drew a walk that drove in a run and scored one as well.

Houston Co. 2nd Game

The second game went much like the first game with the Rebels getting six runs across the plate in the bottom of the first inning while adding a solo run in the second inning and six more runs in the third inning to win 13-0 in five innings.

Jake McDaniel and Jackson Cassidy led the way for the Rebels. McDaniel recorded two singles and two doubles driving in two runs and scored three runs himself. Cassidy had a single and a double that drove in five runs and scored two runs. Braden Birmingham had two base hits that drove in three runs while Hayden Hixson had a pair of hits that scored two runs for the Rebels. Zayden McCaslin had two singles and scored a run. Collin McLearn had a hit and scored a run and Ty Anderson had a double that drove in a run and scored two runs in the contest.

Jackson Cassidy got the win with four innings of action on the mound giving up two hits, no runs, and struck out 6 while walking two. Tate Surber came in relief for the final inning giving up no hits, no runs and struck out all three batters he faced.

Bruceton

On Thursday, April 7, the Rebels hit the road to Bruceton winning 12-2 in six innings of action. They got off to a good start with four runs in the top of the first inning and recorded single runs in the second and third innings while adding two runs in the fourth inning and capping it off with four runs in the sixth inning. Bruceton scored their two runs in the bottom of the third inning.

Jake McDaniel and Hayden Hixon led the way with McDaniel hitting a single and a home run that drove in four runs and scored one run. Hixon had three hits including a pair of singles and a home run that drove in a run and he scored three. Jackson Cassidy hit a pair of singles that drove in two runs. Collin McLearn ripped a base hit that drove in a run and scored two runs. Ty Anderson smacked a single that drove in a run and scored a run. Zayden McCaslin drove in a run and scored on a base hit. Nolan Renfro hit a single that drove in two runs and later scored. Tate Surber hit a single and double while Braden Birmingham hit a single that drove in a run and later scored.

Surber earned the win on the mound for the Rebels throwing nearly three innings giving up two hits, two runs, walked four and struck out two batters. Lane Anderson came in relief giving up one hit and struck out three.

Spring Sports Schedules

April 12-18
Middle School Soccer
April 12 — Huntingdon at Union City at 5:30 p.m.
April 14 — Huntingdon vs Henry County at 5:30 p.m.
Middle School Baseball
April 12 — Huntingdon vs West Carroll (DH) at 5 p.m.
April 14 — McKenzie vs West Carroll at 5 p.m.

April 14 — Huntingdon at Henderson North at 5 p.m.
April 18 — McKenzie at Camden at 5 p.m.
April 18 — Huntingdon vs Henderson North at 5 p.m.
High School Soccer
April 12 — Huntingdon vs Gibson County at 6 p.m.
April 14 — McKenzie vs Milan at 5 p.m.

April 14 — Huntingdon at Trenton at 5:30 p.m.
High School Baseball
April 12 — McKenzie at Big Sandy at 5 p.m.
April 12 — Huntingdon vs Union City at 6:30 p.m.
April 12 — West Carroll vs Frank Hughes at 5:30 p.m.
April 14 — McKenzie at Westview at 5 p.m.
April 14 — Huntingdon at FHU Classic at 4 p.m.
April 15 — West Carroll at Liberty Tech at 6 p.m.
April 15 — McKenzie vs Camden at 5 p.m.
April 15 — Huntingdon at FHU Classic at 10:30 a.m.
April 18 — McKenzie vs McEwen at 6 p.m.
April 18 — Huntingdon at Gibson County at 6:30 p.m.
April 18 — West Carroll vs Bruceton at 6 p.m.
High School Softball
April 12 — McKenzie at Dresden at 5 p.m.
April 12 — Huntingdon vs Gibson County at 5 p.m.
April 12 — West Carroll at Perry County at 5 p.m.
April 14 — McKenzie at South Gibson at 5 p.m.
April 14 — Huntingdon at Milan at 5 p.m.
April 18 — Huntingdon vs Union City at 5 p.m.
April 18 — West Carroll at Trenton at 5 p.m.
High School Tennis
April 12 — Huntingdon vs Westview at Bethel at 4 p.m.
High School Track
April 12 — At Huntingdon at 4:30 p.m.
*All Games Are Weather Permitting!

MCKENZIE SOFTBALL



Above, Taylor Rawls hustles to first after her hit allows Cassidy Brown (14) to score. Below Left, Jaden Barton makes the catch for an out. Below Right, Payton Ognibene on the mound for the Lady Rebels. Photos by Joel Washburn/The Banner



Lady Rebels Defeat Lady Irish 3-2

BY JIM POTTS
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The McKenzie Lady Rebels played and won a close 3-2 game against Houston County Monday afternoon, April 4.

Houston County scored first in the top of the first inning with a solo run for a 1-0 lead. The second and third innings were scoreless for both teams. The top of the fourth was scoreless for the Lady Irish but McKenzie

took the lead with a pair of runs in the bottom of the fourth inning. Cassidy Brown reached base on a hit and scored. Aubrey Jackson reached base after being hit by a pitch and scored. Taylor Rawls drove them both home on a single.

After the fifth and sixth inning went scoreless, Houston County tied the game with a run in the top of the seventh inning. It appeared the game would go into extra inning when McKenzie's Anna Rob-

inson drew a walk to reach first base. Katie Chesser had two strikes in the count and hammered a game winning triple driving Robinson home for the winning score.

McKenzie got their three runs on four hits by Cassidy Brown with two hits, Taylor Rawls, and Katie Chesser.

Payton Ognibene went the distance on the mound giving up nine hits and two runs while walking three and striking out three.

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

PROBATE CASE NO: 2022PE56

ESTATE OF: BARBARA J. ROGERS, LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE
Notice is hereby given that on the **28TH day of MARCH, 2022** Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of **BARBARA J. ROGERS** deceased, who died **DECEMBER 19TH, 2021**, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk & Master of Carroll 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 a 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 28TH day of MARCH, 2022.
THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS.

FILE CLAIMS IN TRIPPLICATE WITH:
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Huntingdon Hometown Royalty Crowned



Above Left, 2022 Miss Huntingdon — Greenlee Ellis Sharpe. Above Right, Miss Toddler 2-3 — Channing Amelia Crider. Below, Miss Huntingdon 16-19 (L to R): Third Maid — Brooklyn Alyse Hudson, First Maid — Kaylan Belew, Miss Huntingdon — Greenlee Ellis Sharpe and Second Maid — Lakin Pinson.



Above, Teen Miss Huntingdon 13-15 (L to R): First Maid — Chloe Grace Mitchell, Second Maid — Mileage Grace Hilliard, Teen Miss Huntingdon — Madison Barton, Third Maid — Mandi Hodge and Fourth Maid — Chloe Irwin. Below, Junior Miss Huntingdon 10-12 (L to R): Second Maid — Kaylee Eatman, Junior Miss Huntingdon — Apryl Dawn Reindl and First Maid — Mia Villalobos.



Above, Little Miss Huntingdon 6-9 (L to R): Little Miss Huntingdon — Ava Hadley Martin, First Maid — Harper Hodge, Second Maid — Emma Brooke Dillingham and Third Maid — Clairetta Annelise Prater. Below, Miss Petite Huntingdon 4-5 (L to R): Third Maid — Ada Rose Woods, Second Maid — Maci Woods, Miss Petite Huntingdon — Paislee Page and First Maid — Emma Carlene Powell.



Wilma Hansen to Celebrate 100th Birthday

Wilma Hansen will be honored with a reception in honor of her 100th birthday on Tuesday, April 19 at the home of her son, Gary (Peggy Espey) Parish at 150 Tower Road in McKenzie. Also hosting the event will be her children, Linda (Dwayne) Bolton of McKenzie and Don (Ludean) Parish of Mt. Pleasant, Utah, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Please join the family in marking this milestone during a come-and-go event between the hours of 1 and 3 p.m. No gifts please. For those able to attend, your presence will be your gift to her. Those unable to attend, but would like to send her a card, her address is: 365 Tower Road, McKenzie, TN 38201.

Mrs. Hansen and her twin brother, W.E. (Jeff) McSwain, were born on April 19, 1922 in McKenzie to parents Ellen and Lonnie McSwain.

She has seen many changes in her life, including modes of travel advancing from horse and buggy days to automobiles, planes, and space travel, including watching man's first walk on the moon.

As a young girl, she lived through the great depression, although she says her family did not suffer much because they lived on a farm in a rural community, where they made a living and raised their own food.



Wilma Hansen

"We didn't have much money, but no one did at that time so you didn't miss it," she remembered.

Entertainment was mostly found in church socials, visiting with family and friends, and listening to the radio before getting her first television in 1954, and later socializing through the internet. Her first rural telephone service was shared with neighbors on a party line.

Her early years of education were in a one-room schoolhouse before later graduating from Trezevant High School.

She has lived her long life under the leadership of 18 different U.S. presidents and survived World War II as an Army wife traveling by train to California with a small child.

She remembers the pass-

ing of the Social Security Act in 1935, setting of the first minimum wage in 1938 and Medicare and Medicaid being signed into law in 1965.

Her first jobs were in local factories and restaurants before spending her final years of employment at Milan Army Ammunition Plant.

She is a member of First Baptist Church in McKenzie and treasures the friendships made in Family Life groups and group traveling as long as health allowed.

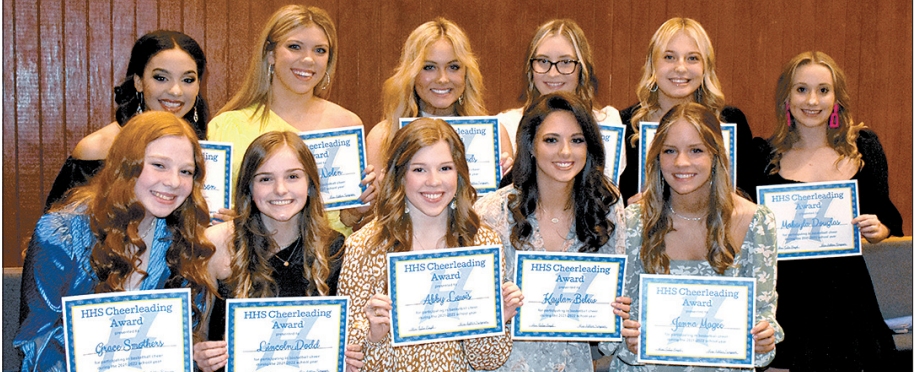
She is a lifetime member and former board member of McKenzie Senior Citizens Center, where she enjoyed playing cards with friends. She also served as former president of McKenzie Garden Club, former officer of Carroll County AARP, and was a hospital volunteer for many years.

There was also sorrow in later years with the death of husbands, W R (Ralph) Stobbe in 1982 and Howard Hansen in 2001, with whom she enjoyed traveling the U.S. and abroad. Other tragic events included the untimely death of a grandson, the 9/11 attack on the U.S., and more recently, a worldwide pandemic.

Mrs. Hansen attributes her long life to mostly God's will, keeping her mind sharp through social interaction, and being blessed with good health most of her life.



Above, Mustang Award Winners (L to R): Jeremiah Irvine, Aden Hutcherson, Jeb Atkinson, Keller Smith, Elijah Flowers, Ty Kelly and EJ Lewis. Below, Huntingdon High School Cheerleaders.



Huntingdon Basketball Celebrates Season

BY JIM POTTS
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A good crowd celebrated the recent Huntingdon basketball season at a banquet held Saturday evening, April 9, at the Huntingdon Church of Christ.

Following the meal catered by Mallard's Restaurant, the cheerleading squad was honored first by grade from Cheer Coach Ashton Simpson. The cheerleaders include Abby Lewis, Ava Williams, Brooklynn Hudson, Jenna Magee, Lydia O'Bryant, Madison Noonan, Makayla Douglas, Sadie Shands, Tatum Nolen, Grace Smothers, Kaylan Belew, Lincoln Dodd, Nevaeh Caruthers.

Coach David Wilkins described this year's Fillies as "an extremely young team with no seniors." He told the players and audience that he was proud of what they accomplished being a young team playing a tough schedule that included several teams that advanced to substate and on to the state tournament. He picked out his favorite game which was against Stewart County in the Region Tournament. He noted that the Fillies trailed three times by double digits during the contest and still came back and won it.

After introducing the Filie managers and players, Coach Wilkins announced individual awards which included Annabelle Singleton being named All-District and All-Region Tournament teams. Sydney Anderson was named to the All-District Tournament Team while Lilly Kee was named to the All-Region Tournament Team. Singleton and Kee were also named to the All-District Team for the regular season.

Coach Wilkins handed out several individual awards with Lilly Kee winning several including Free Throw Award, Highest Field Goal Percentage hitting 56 percent of her shots, Leading Rebounder with 271 rebounds on the year, and Most Improved Award hardly playing last year to averaging 16 points per game this year. The 3-Point Award went to Sydney Anderson nailing 33 three-pointers



Fillie Award Winners (L to R): Josey Stokes, Lilly Kee and Annabelle Singleton. Not pictured is Sydney Anderson.

for the season. Anderson also won the Best Teammate Award which is voted on by the individual players. Jose Stokes won the Most Assists Award with 77 for the season. Annabelle Singleton won the Most Steals Award with 56 on the season.

In closing, Coach Wilkins issued a challenge to the Fillies for next year. "I feel like we could win a gold ball next year. So let's do this!"

Mustang Coach Porsche McClerking started his comments with thanks of appreciation to everyone involved with the basketball programs. He acknowledged the Mustangs got hit with a "double whammy" this year from losing a lot of seniors in '21 and changing classifications. He introduced his managers including Davion Parker, Sydney Vinson, Adalyn Allen, Steven Baker, and Garrett Brawner. Coach

McClerking noted he had several players do exceptionally well making a 3.5 GPA or better.

Getting into the individual awards, Most Improved Award went to Keller Smith who hardly played last season to one of the leading scorers this year and was named All-District. E.J. Lewis was named Rookie of the Year while the Big Board Award went to Elijah Flowers and the 6th Man Award went to Ty Kelly. The Coaches Award went to Aden Hutcherson who will be inducted to the Carroll County Sports Hall of Fame in the near future. Jeremiah Irvin won the Defensive Player Award leading the team in several defensive categories. The Team MVP Award went to Jeb Atkinson who was a 4-year player who was named to the All-District and All-Region Teams.

Another Success Story

"I thought everyone here was very friendly and certainly selfless. My stay was great."

- Ms. Smith, AHC McKenzie patient

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Gleason Middle School Sports Banquet



Above Left, Gleason Middle Football Award Winners — Sitting (L to R): Bulldog Award — Caleb Jones, Offensive Player of the Year/Most Improved — Gage Byington, and Team MVP — Drake Lehmkuhl. Standing (L to R): Most Improved — Blaine Harrison, Best Lineman/Co-Defensive Player of the Year — Trey Mayo and Co-Defensive Player of the Year — Aiden Legens. Above Right, Gleason Middle Cheerleaders — Sitting (L to R): Bulldog Award — Hadley Garrison, Leader Award — Casey Sutton and High Achiever Award/Dedication Award — Sophie Beasley. Standing (L to R): Team Player Award — Marley Crews, Team Player Award — Shelby Mayo, Best All Around — Cadence Bailey and Spirit Award — Kenlee Jo Suddath. Below Left, Gleason Middle Boys Basketball Award Winners — Sitting (L to R): Hustle Award — Brock Dilday, Coach's Award — Andrew Harrison and Most Improved — Parker Morgan. Standing (L to R): Best Defensive Player — Gage Byington, Best Offensive Player/Team MVP — Drake Lehmkuhl and Most Improved — CJ Reed. Not Pictured: Bulldog Award — Brody Sanders and Assist Leader — Kade Sawyers. Below Right, Gleason Middle Girls Basketball Award Winners: Sitting (L to R): Coach's Award — Hayden Beasley, Hustle Award — Brinley Lehmkuhl and Bulldog Award — Hylan Leach. Standing (L to R): Coach's Award — Paisley McClure, Most Valuable Player — Maya Lamb, Best Defense Award — Skylar Arnold and Most Improved — Madi Dean.



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