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OVER 60 PEOPLE CHARGED IN CONNECTION TO ONGOING INVESTIGATION

Massive Undercover Drug Operation Nets Numerous Arrests

HUNTINGDON (January 10) — Carroll County Jail was filled to capacity after an undercover operation spanning 15 months into the sale of illicit drugs throughout Carroll County has resulted in the indictment and arrest of dozens of individuals. Today, during an extensive roundup involving numerous local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies, various drugs, vehicles, explosive devices, and more than \$30,000 in cash were seized, and a search warrant was secured. "Operation Dark Crystal," led by special agents with the Drug

Investigation Division of the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation, Huntingdon Police Department, McKenzie Police Department, and 24th Judicial Drug Task Force began in September 2021. During the investigation, authorities conducted multiple controlled purchases, surveillance, and research.

On January 3rd, the Carroll County Grand Jury returned indictments, charging 61 people in connection to the ongoing investigation. Today, more than 90 officers from 15 agencies participated in a roundup to bring the individuals into custody.

Along with TBI, the participating agencies include Huntingdon Police Department, McKenzie Police Department, 24th Judicial Drug Task Force, Carroll County Sheriff's Office, Tennessee Highway Patrol, Drug Enforcement Administration, Henderson County Sheriff's Office, Bruceton Police Department, Homeland Security Investigations, 27th Judicial Drug Task Force, Big Sandy Police Department, Lexington Police Department, Bolivar Police Department, and the

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Two Extricated From Vehicle After Fleeing From Police

McKENZIE (January 13) — Friday the 13th proved to be unlucky for two men after they fled from authorities, exited the roadway and struck a tree. Both men had to be extricated from the pickup truck and the driver was airlifted to a medical facility.

McKenzie Police Department's Officer Sean Beck indicated he was patrolling when he clocked a Dodge Ram pickup truck speed on Oaklawn Drive. The officer turned around to follow and activated his blue lights as the pickup truck turned onto SR 124W and drove into Weakley County.

McKenzie Fire/Rescue Extricate two passengers from a wrecked vehicle on Friday evening. Photo courtesy of McKenzie Fire Department

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Representative Brock Martin

Brock Martin Sworn in as Member of 113th General Assembly

NASHVILLE — State Rep. Brock Martin, R-Huntingdon, was officially sworn in as a member of the Tennessee House of Representatives on Tuesday, January 10.

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Veronica Davis speaks to the council about her neighbor's dogs and her fears for safety.

McKenzie To Purchase Snow Plow

McKENZIE (January 12) — After December's wintery mix, the City of McKenzie has agreed to purchase a snow plow implement to help with the flow of traffic through downtown. The \$10,000 plow will attach to one

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Commission Votes Against Pay Change of Department Heads

HUNTINGDON (January 9) — The Carroll County Commission met Monday evening with a full agenda. The top point of discussion and contention was Resolution 1-07-2023 to amend the budget by decreasing the salary of the Civic Center Director by \$15,000 and increasing the salary of the Airport Manager.

Following multiple committee meetings of the budget committee and personnel committee, both recommended the salary adjustment.

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Welcome to McKenzie, Bethel Sign to Be Moved

McKenzie — The physical roadside sign that welcomed passersby to McKenzie and Bethel University must be totally removed because it encroaches on the state right of way on State Route 22N.

The sign was constructed and placed at the in-

tersection of University Drive and S.R. 22 in October, 2022. It had brick end posts and landscaping.

The city of McKenzie received a letter from the Tennessee Department of Transportation, dated January 9, that the sign must be removed within

10 days.

Area motorists complained the sign obstructed vision of drivers at the intersection.

A temporary solution is to remove the signage with a mandate to remove the brick columns soon.

Grand Jury Issues 91 Criminal Indictments

CARROLL COUNTY (January 3) — The Grand Jury of the Carroll County Circuit Court issued 91 criminal indictments when they convened on January 3.

On January 3, several of the indictments were secret from undisclosed charges against defendants related to a multi-agency undercover drug operations led by the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation.

The following defendants were indicted and will face the charges in Circuit Court. Some of the defendants are listed as “walk-in” meaning they have not been arrested.

Andra Lee Adams, Schedule II Drugs-Cocaine.

Walk-In - Meth - Manufacture, Deliver, Sale, or Possess.

Billy Ray Anderson - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess.

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess.

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess Mason Storm Baker - Possess Firearm with Intent to Go Armed-Dangerous Felony, Possession Weapon-Convicted Felon, Theft of Firearm, Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess.

James Lincoln Banks, III, Schedule VI Drigs - Manufacture, Deliver, Sell, Possess.

Hunter Lee Birdwell - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess, Counterfeit Cont. Substance.

Cody Allan Bradley - Domestic Assault

Walk-In - Meth, Manufacture, Deliver, Sale, Possess with Intent.

Jessie Freeman Butler, Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect, Endangerment 8-under; Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Juan Francisco Canales, Schedule VI Drugs- Manufacture, Deliver, Sell, or Possess, Evading Arrest, Reckless Endangerment.

Austin Bradley Cantrell, Leaving Scene of Accident-Property Damage; Reckless Endangerment - Vehicle-Felony; DUI-Second Offense.

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess - six counts.

Lindsey Beth Cary, Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Jarood Lakeem Cherry, Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Holly Nicole Christian - Aggravated Child Abuse, Neglect, Endangerment - age 8 and under.

Jerry Lynn Christian - Aggravated Child Abuse, Neglect, Endangerment - age 8 and under.

Stacy Michelle Cochran, Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess - 4 counts.

Haley Ashay Craig - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver,

Sale or Possess

Gregory Michael Curry - Rape, Statutory Rape by Authority Figure, Incest, Sexual Battery by Authority Figure.

Candace Leigh Davidson - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess - 2 counts.

Logan Daniel Dodd - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess, Possession of a Firearm Intent to Go Armed - Dangerous Felony.

Alicia Farrar - Contraband - Intoxicant/Durgs in Penal Facility.

Jorge Flores-Duran - Public Intoxication.

Victor Donyphn Foster, Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess - 4 counts.

Justin Ray Gateley - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Latoyia Annette Gordon - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Michael James Gukeisen - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess Walk-In - Theft of Property, Burglary, Vandalism

Walk-In - Counterfeit Cont. Substance.

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess - 2 counts.

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess.

James Darnell Hedge, Jr., Schedule II - Manufacture, Deliver, Sell, Possess, Meth-Possess or Casual Exchange.

Candis Nacole Highsmith - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Jonathan Palmer Hill, Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess - 2 counts.

Brittany Nicole Hill, Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Jerry Davon Hilliard, Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess- 2 counts

Gabriel Allen Hillsman - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess- 2 counts

Patrick John Holbrook - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess - 2 counts

Marcus Antonio Holder - Schedule II Drugs - Cocaine, Light Law Violation, Speeding, Casual Exchange.

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

William Audrie Hollowell - Public Intoxication

Samantha Ann Hughes - Aggravated Child Abuse, Neglect, Endangerment - age 8 and under; Meth - Manufacturing, Deliver, Sale Possess.

Walk-In - Aggravated Assault, Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect/Endangerment - 8 and under.

Johnnycz Chantillio Johnson - Schedule II Drugs - Cocaine; Theft of Property, Burglary, Vandalism.

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess.

Anthony Paul Lashlee - Resist Stop, Arrest, Search, Assault on First Responder, Tampering with Evidence, Disorderly Conduct.

Amy Elizabeth Ledford - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Micah Joelee Leite - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Walk-In - Schedule II Drugs - Manufacture, Deliver, Sell, or Possess - 4 counts.

Carlos Lazenta Milton - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess, 2 counts.

Tracey Michele Myles - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess, 6 counts

Cyra Samara Napier - Reckless Endangerment, Evading Arrest.

Adrian Markell Nesbitt - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess, 5 counts.

Chase Austin Norden - Burglary

Jamie Patrick O'Mahony - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Ronald Alton Patton - False Report to Officer

Pappas Duane Pearson - Schedule II Drugs - Cocaine - 3 counts

Joe Eugene Petree - Aggravated Assault, Rape-Attempt.

Gabrielle Michelle Phillips - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess - 3 counts.

Briana Mai Pruitt - Theft of Property

S a m a n t h a R h e a - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Tristan John Roberts - Possession of Weapon by Convicted Felon

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Stella Louise Siggers - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Markus Leshawn Sneed - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Herbert Lee Strayhorn - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Terry Ethan Swafford - Schedule I Drugs - Manufacture, Deliver, Sell, Possess, Casual Exchange.

Johnnie Hugh Taylor, Public Intoxication.

Kimberly Lynn Taylor - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Arthur Amos Teas, Sr. - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess - 2 counts

Marquez M. Tharpe - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess - 2 counts

Alex Paul Travelstead - Theft, Evading Arrest-Vehicle, Meth-Possess or Casual Exchange.

Opal Marie Travis - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess - 5 counts.

Rickey Phoncello Warlick - Schedule II Drugs - Cocaine - 3 counts.

Linda Carol Warren - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Kendal Weatherford - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess - 4 counts

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

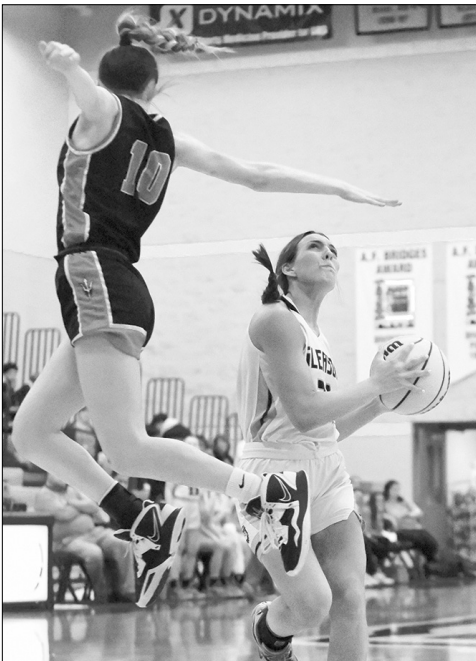
James Edwards Williams - Schedule VI Drugs - Manufacture, Deliver, Sell, or Possess - 2 counts; Vandalism; Schedule II - Cocaine.

Jimmie King Williams - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess

Walk-In - Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sale or Possess - 3 counts

Tyron Winston - Harassment

Sherrie Denna Wisdom - Meth- Manufacture, Deliver, Sale, or Possess.



Left, Autumn Mingle #31 had a 21 point game. Right, #20 Drake Lehmkuhl had a 25-point Game.

Gleason Lady Bulldogs Best Bradford Lady Devils

BY ERIN DOUGLAS
Sports Writer

GLEASON (January 10) — The Gleason Lady Bulldogs more than doubled the Bradford Lady Devils Tuesday night. The Lady Bulldogs had two twenty-point quarters to push them to their 60-25 victory.

Autumn Mingle led the Lady 'Dogs with 21 points. Sophie Wilson contributed 16 points, and Ava Sawyers added 15 points.

The Lady Bulldogs garnered 20 points in the first quarter. Sawyers and Mingle each had seven points. Wilson added two points to the board. Skylar Arnold had four points in the paint.

The Lady Bulldogs held the Lady Devils to single digits in the first quarter. Rebecca Wood drained a 3-pointer. Samiah Thomas and Ashlyn Reynolds tacked on two points each. The Lady Devils trailed 20-7 at the end of the first quarter.

The Lady Bulldogs chalked up ten points in the second quarter to take a 30-12 lead at halftime. Mingle added five points to the board. Wilson drained a shot from behind the arc for three points. Jaeda Perry drove to the basket for two points.

The Lady Devils added five points to their score in the second quarter. Wood drained another three-pointer. Thomas drove to the basket for another two points. The Lady Devils fell behind by 18 points at the break.

The Lady Bulldogs cooled off during the third quarter and only scored nine points. Wilson had eight of the nine points with two shots from the 3-point line and a shot under the basket for two. Mingle tacked on one point from the free throw line.

Ward was the only Lady Devil to score in the third quarter. Ward made three 3-pointers. The Lady Bulldogs still dominated going into the final quarter with a lead of 39-21.

The Lady 'Dogs secured

their win with a 21-point quarter. Mingle and Sawyers had eight points each. Wilson drained another 3-pointer. Arnold drove to the basket for another two points.

The Lady Devils were held to just four points. Ward drained a 3-pointer, and Abby Dunn added one point from the free-throw line.

The Gleason Lady Bulldogs defeated the Bradford Lady Devils 60-25.

The Lady Bulldogs hit the road on Tuesday, Jan. 17 to take on the Greenfield Lady Yellowjackets. Tip-off is 6 p.m.

'Dogs Downed by Devils

GLEASON (January 10) — The Bradford Devils topped the Gleason Bulldogs 79-56 Tuesday night. The Devils took an 18-11 lead in the first quarter and held the lead for the night.

Jayden Street led the Devils to victory with 17 points. Bryce Arnold contributed 16 points, and Cason Sharp had 15 points. Sharp went four-for-four from the free-throw line.

For the Bulldogs, Drake Lehmkuhl had 25 points with eight of his shots being in the paint. Kade Sawyers chalked up 13 points with all of his shots in the box or from the free-throw line.

During the first quarter, Lehmkuhl had seven points. Gage Byington and Sawyers tacked on two points for the Bulldogs.

The Devils took an 18-11 lead with Street chalking up seven points. Cole Cates and Ethan Richardson had two points each. Sharp drained a 3-pointer. Arnold had four points with two shots in the paint. Bradford led Gleason 18-11 going into the second quarter.

Bradford increased their lead to 13 points in the second quarter. Sharp added nine points to the board with four free throws in the second quarter. Arnold had another four points. Richardson had three points along with Street. Cates tacked on one point from the free throw

line.

The Bulldogs added 14 points to their side of the board during the second half. Kyzer Crochet and Lehmkuhl each had four points in the paint. Sawyers had four points, two coming from the foul line and two in the paint. Owen Taylor added two points with a drive to the basket. The Bulldogs trailed 38-25 at halftime.

The Devils dominated in the second half scoring 41 points to the board. During the third quarter, Arnold chalked up six points. Street and Richardson had four points each. Cates had five points with a shot behind the arc.

The Bulldogs were held to 13 points during the third quarter. Lehmkuhl added nine points to the board with three shots in the paint. Sawyers had three points and Crochet added one point from the line. At the end of three, the Devils led 57-38.

Lehmkuhl added five points to the board in the final quarter for the Bulldogs. Sawyers drove to the basket twice. Kylan Borneman drained a shot from behind the arc. Dawson Luhellier chalked up five points with a 3-point shot and a shot in the paint. Parker Morgan added one point from the foul line. The Bulldogs rallied in the final quarter scoring 18 points, but that wasn't enough to stop the Devils.

The Devils secured their victory with a 22-point fourth quarter. Street and Sharp drained a 3-pointer each. Jeb Allen had six points from behind the arc. Jax Richardson drove to the basket twice for four points. Cates had three points from the free throw line. Arnold drove to the basket for two points. Ethan Richardson made a foul shot to put the Devils on top 79-56.

The Gleason Bulldogs will travel to Greenfield High School on Tuesday, Jan. 17 to take on the Yellowjackets. Tip-off is set to take place after the conclusion of the girls' contest.



Ashleigh and Alleigh Britt, Athletic Director Brad Chappell and Coach Jeff Britt. Photo by Erin Douglas/The Banner

Coach Jeff Britt Honored for 500th Win

McKENZIE — Prior to the tip-off of the Bethel Wildcats game against the Campbellsville Tigers, 'Cats Head Coach Jeff Britt was awarded his 500th career victory ball by Bethel Athletic Director Brad Chappell. Alongside him on the court as he received his award were his daughters Ashleigh and Alleigh Britt.

The Bethel Wildcats secured the coach's 500th win with a 70-60 victory over the Tennessee Southern Fire Hawks on December 8 in Crisp Arena.

Ironically, Coach Britt won his 400th game on the UTS/Martin Methodist floor back in 2016 when the 'Cats defeated Pikeville in the SSAC/MSC Challenge.

Britt entered his 23rd year at the helm of Bethel University's men's basket-

ball program this season. In his time at Bethel, Britt has had 15 winning seasons and is on track for another one. Other career highlights include an East Region tournament championship, an NAIA Division II Sweet Sixteen appearance, a KIAC tournament championship runner-up finish, a 2015 NAIA Division I National Tournament appearance, a 2019 National Tournament appearance where his team advanced to the Sweet Sixteen, several NAIA All-Americans, and, most proudly, 11 NAIA Academic All-Americans and several all-conference selections.

Coach Britt talked about the historic milestone win. "On win number 500, it's another win, and I feel fortunate to be able to coach

and be around the game this long. Growing up in Sedalia, Kentucky I have loved the game since I was a little boy and I have always cherished playing and coaching. All the praise goes to some wonderful and talented players and coaches who I have been blessed with. I am sincerely grateful to them, the university, and a loving and supportive family."

The Bethel Wildcats are 11-7 overall and 7-6 in the Mid-South Conference. As of Jan. 7, the Wildcats are on a three game win streak with victories against Cumberlands, Campbellsville and Lindsey Wilson. The Wildcats will look to keep their streak going as they travel to Pikeville on January 19. Tip-off is at 6:30 p.m.

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Vehicle

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Dylan Bates, 20, Highway 436, McKenzie was driving the pickup truck, according to the report.

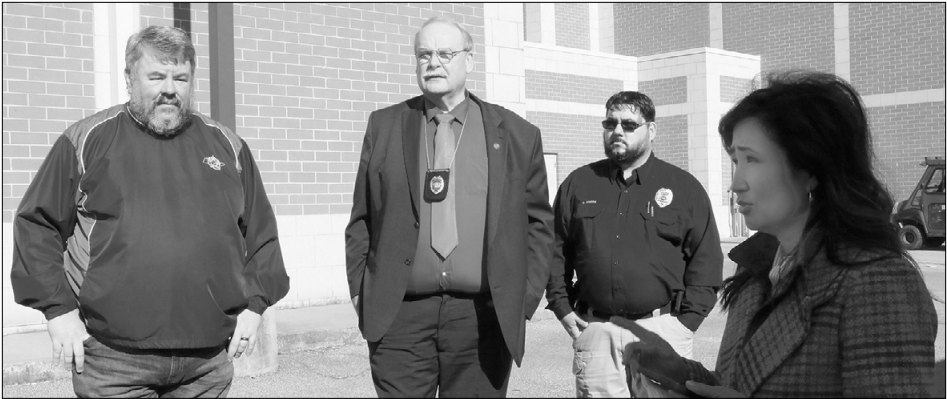
Officer Beck indicated he witnessed the pickup truck driving at speeds of approximately 80-85 miles

per hour, passing vehicles on a double solid line. Since it was outside the city limits, Beck slowed the patrol vehicle and turned off the emergency equipment. Beck said he made a curve on State Route 124 and witnessed the vehicle off the roadway and had crashed into a tree. The driver was yelling in pain. Officer Beck advised the dispatcher to send rescue and

emergency medical services.

McKenzie Fire/Rescue used extrication tools to remove the doors to free the patients. The driver, Bates, was airlifted and the passenger, Stephen Stigall, was driven to the hospital to treat his injuries.

Bates is charged with Evading Arrest, Reckless Endangerment and Simple Possession/Casual Exchange.



Keli McAlister with the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation speaks to reporters as Carroll County Sheriff Andy Dickson, Public Safety Director Walter Smothers, and McKenzie Chief Ryan White await their turn to speak to reporters.

Drug

...From Front Page

Tennessee Department of Corrections.

Participating in the news conference at the Carroll County Jail on January 10 were McAlister, Sheriff Andy Dickson, McKenzie Chief Ryan White, and Huntingdon Public Safety Director Walter Smothers.

Smothers said the war on drugs has taken a dangerous turn with Fentanyl being laced on common illicit drugs such as marijuana.

Fentanyl is a synthetic opioid that is up to 50 times stronger than heroin and 100 times stronger than morphine. It is a major contributor to fatal and nonfatal overdoses in the U.S., according to the Centers for Disease Control.

Smothers said his officers have responded to Fentanyl cases and administered Narcan to save the subjects' life.

Smothers said the recent arrests are one chapter in continuing operations.

Chief White thanked the TBI, noted they have resources that the local departments do not have.

Sheriff Dickson said he appreciated the law enforcement partners including those in other municipalities. Drugs are an ongoing battle and we want those involved to constantly be looking over their shoulders. He noted that many drugs are laced with Fentanyl and taking any drug is a gamble with one's life.

In the Tuesday arrests, the drugs seized included meth, Fentanyl, cocaine and marijuana.

Officers also seized several vehicles used to transport illicit drugs.

At the time of this release, 47 individuals had been taken into custody, 46 of whom were charged as a result of the indictments. Each individual was booked into the Carroll County Jail on bonds ranging from \$50,000 and \$2,000,000.

Arrests include:

Andra L. Adams (DOB: 6/22/69), Huntingdon: 1 count – Sale of Schedule II (Cocaine); bond: \$100,000

Billy R. Anderson (DOB: 5/27/79), Huntingdon: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale, 1 count – Criminal Responsibility for Conduct of Another (Sale of Methamphetamine); bond: \$500,000

Hunter Birdwell (DOB: 10/26/96), Bruceton: 2 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale, 1 count – Criminal Responsibility for Conduct of Another (Sale of Methamphetamine); bond: \$150,000

Jessie F. Butler (DOB: 8/28/97, McKenzie: 1 count – Sale of Methamphetamine; 1 count – Aggravated Child Endangerment; bond: \$250,000

Torrie Carter (DOB: 9/25/79), Lavinia: 6 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$1,000,000

Lindsey Cary (DOB: 2/12/94), Huntingdon: 1 count – Criminal Responsibility for Conduct of Another (Sale of Methamphetamine); bond: \$100,000

Jarood Cherry (DOB: 6/30/93), Huntingdon: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale, 1 count – Criminal Responsibility for Conduct of Another (Sale of Methamphetamine); bond: \$100,000

Stacy Cochran (DOB: 1/28/78), Huntingdon: 4 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$1,000,000

Haley Craig (DOB: 12/28/97), McKenzie: 1 count – Facilitation of the Manufacture, Delivery, Sale of Schedule II (Methamphetamine); bond: \$50,000

Candace Davidson (DOB: 12/23/82), Bruceton: 2 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$100,000

Victor D. Foster (DOB: 10/11/63), Huntingdon: 4 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$500,000

Justin R. Gateley (DOB: 1/24/92), Cedar Grove: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$500,000

Latoyia A. Gordon (DOB: 9/19/80), Huntingdon: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$100,000

Candis N. Highsmith (DOB: 6/25/81), Huntingdon: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$100,000

Brittany N. Hill (DOB: 6/10/91), McKenzie: 1 count – Criminal Responsibility for Conduct of Another (Sale of Methamphetamine); bond: \$500,000

Jonathan P. Hill (DOB: 9/13/78), McKenzie: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$250,000

Jerry D. Hilliard (DOB: 2/27/65), Huntingdon: 2 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$150,000

Gabriel Hillsman (DOB: 8/13/76), Atwood: 2 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$1,000,000

Patrick J. Holbrook (DOB: 11/12/72), Trezevant: 2 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$500,000

Marcus Holder (DOB: 10/14/71), Huntingdon: 1 count – Sale of a Controlled Substance (Cocaine); bond: \$500,000

Hannah N. Hollingsworth (DOB: 6/18/98), Hollow Rock: 2 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$100,000

Samantha A. Hughes (DOB: 10/25/94), McKenzie: 1 count – Criminal Responsibility for Conduct of Another (Sale of Methamphetamine), 1 count – Aggravated Child Endangerment; bond: \$300,000

Johnnnyez C. Johnson (DOB: 2/4/99), Huntingdon: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Cocaine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale, Burglary, 1 count – Theft of Property between \$1,000 – \$2,500, 1 count – Vandalism between \$2,500 – \$10,000; bond: \$250,000

Amy E. Ledford (DOB: 5/17/77), Paris: 1 count – Sale of Methamphetamine; bond: \$250,000

Micah J. Leite (DOB: 8/17/94), Murfreesboro: 1 count – Criminal Responsibility for the Conduct of Another (Sale of Methamphetamine); bond: \$250,000

Carlos L. Milton (DOB: 7/2/85), McKenzie: 2 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$1,000,000

Tracy Myles (DOB: 8/12/66), Huntingdon: 4 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale, 2 counts – Criminal Responsibility for Conduct of Another (Sale of Methamphetamine); bond: \$250,000

Adrian Nesbitt (DOB: 1/12/88), McKenzie: 5 counts – Possession of Schedule II

(Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$500,000

Jamie O'Mahony (DOB: 7/28/99), Huntingdon: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$100,000

Pappas Pearson (DOB: 9/12/68), Huntingdon: 3 counts – Sale of Schedule II (Cocaine); bond: \$100,000

Gabrielle Phillips (DOB: 11/14/88), Huntingdon: 2 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale, 1 count – Criminal Responsibility for the Conduct of Another (Sale of Methamphetamine); bond: \$100,000

Samantha Rhea (DOB: 1/19/83), Lavinia: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$100,000

Stella L. Siggers (DOB: 11/2/78), Huntingdon: 1 count – Criminal Responsibility for the Conduct of Another (Sale of Methamphetamine); bond: \$100,000

Markus Sneed (DOB: 4/12/84), McKenzie: 1 count – Sale of Methamphetamine; bond: \$100,000

Herbert Strayhorn (DOB: 2/5/62), Huntingdon: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$100,000

Arthur A. Teas Sr. (DOB: 6/25/59), McKenzie: 2 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$250,000. During today's arrest, Teas was charged with additional counts of Possession of Methamphetamine and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

Marquez M. Tharpe (DOB: 7/18/78), Huntingdon: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$100,000

John Todd (DOB: 4/19/80), Camden: 2 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$100,000

John Todd (DOB: 4/19/80), Camden: 2 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$250,000

Rickey Warlick (DOB: 8/28/80), Huntingdon: 3 counts – Criminal Responsibility for the Conduct of Another (Sale of Cocaine); bond: \$1,000,000

Linda C. Warren (DOB: 9/20/79), Huntingdon: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$250,000

Kendall Weatherford (DOB: 3/26/64), McKenzie: 4 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$500,000

Jimie K. Williams (DOB: 12/13/65), Huntingdon: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$250,000

Charlotte Winberry (DOB: 9/25/82), Atwood: 3 counts – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$250,000

Sherrie D. Wisdom (DOB: 6/30/72), Hollow Rock: 1 count – Possession of Schedule II (Methamphetamine) with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale; bond: \$2,000,000

Additional arrest:

George G. Freeland Jr. (DOB: 6/25/73), Humboldt: 1 count – Failure to Appear (Gibson County)

This remains an active and ongoing investigation. More indictments and arrests are expected.



Representative Brock Martin in his assigned seat in the Tennessee House of Representatives.

Martin

...From Front Page

Martin took the oath of office during the first legislative day of the 113th General Assembly. He was elected in November to represent House District 79, which includes part of Carroll, Gibson and Henderson counties.

"It is an incredible honor

and privilege to serve in this role as state representative," Martin said. "I look forward to doing whatever it takes to help ensure that our families, our businesses and our communities have a prosperous future in Tennessee."

Martin, a chiropractor and small business owner, received his bachelor's degree from Bethel University and his doctoral degree from Logan College of Chiropractic. He is president of

the Tennessee Chiropractic Association and serves on several boards across Tennessee including the Board of Trustees for Bethel University and the Huntingdon Industrial Board. He is a graduate of Camden Central High School and the son of two career educators, Barry and Connie Martin, both Bethel University graduates.

Martin lives in Huntingdon with his wife, Krista, a chiropractor, and their five-year-old son, Steele.

Carroll County Will Not Host 2023 Bassmaster Junior National Championship

HUNTINGDON (January 11) — It is official, the 2023 Bassmaster Junior National Championship will not return to Carroll County. The decision, made by Bassmaster, is due to its desire to have more boats fishing the tournament.

According to Brad Hurley, president of the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce, Bassmaster prefers 120-plus boats fishing the tournament. All parties

agree the Carroll County Thousand-Acre Recreational Lake could support between 80 and 100 boats in a fishing tournament.

We have requested consideration of another tournament, and we are exploring other options with other fishing organizations to host their tournaments,, said Hurley.

He continued, "While this is disappointing news, we know that the best days for

the Lake are ahead. This closes one door, but we are confident that another door will open."

"We have enjoyed a great working relationship with Bassmaster and wish them the best," said Brad Hurley, President. "Our decade-old relationship with Bassmaster and friends we have made from other states have been a source of great pride for all of us."

Snow

...From Front Page

of the Street Department's larger trucks. While all residential streets will not be able to be cleared, Street Department Supervisor Johnny Mercer stated the plow would help in the downtown area, especially along Main Street, Forrest Avenue and University Drive.

A point of tension during the meeting was the discussion of whether or not to donate to the high school regarding the football state championship signage. After some back and forth, it was determined the City of McKenzie would make a donation of \$1,000 matching the funds previously donated to the basketball team's championship sign. The question arose regarding the requested size of the sign versus the established size used for other championships. Mayor Ryan Griffin went on record to state that he was against the motion. The council voted unanimously in favor of the donation and chose not to dictate the size of the sign.

Under financial matters, the Police Department purchased a 2013 Chevy Tahoe. The vehicle was purchased after one of the department cars was totaled during the ice storm. Insurance paid \$15,000 on the totaled 2010 Tahoe and the department's "Safe Street Funds" the difference of \$11,000 was paid for the 2013 vehicle.

Veronica Davis of Alabama Street in McKenzie spoke during citizens' input.

Davis made a passionate plea to the Mayor and Council to do something about her neighbor's dogs. She referenced how the neighbor had previously been cited under the "Vicious Dog" ordinance and his dogs were destroyed. According to Davis, the neighbor now has new dogs that she claims to be dangerous and fears for the safety of the neighborhood.

Director Mercer stated the owner in question has kennels and on the last inspection they were up to code. Davis commented on the state of disrepair of the retaining fence but was informed the fence does not fall under the parameters of the ordinance. Mercer did state he would check in on the owner to make sure everything was still up to code.

During council reports, Councilperson Josefina Batton asked for clarification on various happenings and events that have taken place in the city. Batton asked about the status of the rumored new Dollar General store coming to McKenzie. Mayor Griffin stated the plans failed to pass through the Planning Commission and the delivery of building materials was a mistake on behalf of an overzealous developer.

Batton then questioned the status of Christmas bonuses to city employees. City Clerk Jennifer Waldrup stated the council did not have to vote in December on the bonuses due to the fact the bonuses were included in the 2022-23 Fiscal Year Budget. Batton also questioned Waldrup on the sale of city furniture on

Facebook and was informed the post had been removed.

Batton brought to the public's attention that Mayor Griffin believes certain project files are missing, i.e., the City Park project with the Tennessee National Guard. No accusations were made in the meeting but Griffin stated he has spoken to the District Attorney's Office. He added the City will implement a backup system in-house and a cloud-based to prevent the issue from happening in the future.

Lastly, Batton brought up the hazards of the crosswalk area near McKenzie Middle School stating she recently witnessed serious drive neglect. Students have been near hit in the crosswalk by motorists not paying close attention. Police Chief Ryan White stated that he has spoken multiple times to the Student Resource Officers (SROs) about the concerns expressed. He added that he would speak to the sheriff's office again on the matter.

In department reports, the Street Department is continuing its brush and debris pickup. The Water Department is working on its annual Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) for sewer repairs. The Parks Department has removed and stored all Christmas decorations and cleaning up some of the landscaping within the City of McKenzie. The Codes Department is continuing its work on the condemnation of four local properties and hopes to be able to move forward in the next few weeks.

The next regular meeting of the McKenzie City Council is February 9 at 6 p.m.

Pay

...From Front Page

The recommendation was rejected by the full legislative body by a vote of 10-7. Leading the charge for the rejection of the pay change were Commissioners Barry Murphy and Joey Darnell, both have committee appointments on the Civic Center Board.

The commission approved Resolution 1-04-2023 authorizing a contract between the county and the Tennessee Department of Transportation for the construction and completion of industrial access points along Highway 22 near the Carroll County Airport. The construction would allow for turning lanes onto Rochelle Road for the recent industrial expansion in McKenzie's Industrial Park. The estimated cost of the project is \$2,410,000 at no expense to Carroll County.

The legislative body agreed to allow the County Mayor's office to further pursue the position of a grant coordinator. The responsibilities would include providing guidance and sup

port to county departments and Carroll County in the identification and development of grant opportunities. The individual would work across all departments, under the direct supervision of the County Mayor, for funding opportunities; lead in research, writing, and submission within the grant process; manage post-award fiscal administration, monitoring, and compliance; support the County's purchasing and bid process to drive efficiency and competitiveness; work closely with the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce and other stakeholders in economic and community development through grant planning and opportunities; be cross-trained to provide support in bookkeeping and purchasing in the County Mayor's Office to provide a positive economic impact on the Carroll County community.

The salary along with benefits for the position total \$45,865.63

Three financial matters were brought before the commission. The first was to inform the commission of the debt obligation of the Highway Department's purchase of equipment totaling

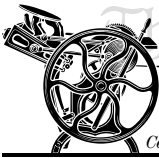
\$268,000. The second matter was the increased cost of repairs to the courthouse. The commission agreed to pledge an additional \$50,000 of American Rescue Plan Act Funds for the maintenance and repair of the court house. The accepted bid for repairs is now at \$171,215.

The third matter pledged \$40,000 of American Rescue Plan Act Funds to the Carroll County Board of Education. The money will be distributed as employee bonuses.

Appointments were made during the meeting. Brittany Fowler, Philip Moore, and Joey Simmons were appointed to the Carroll County Agricultural Extension Board. Willie Huffman and Dr. Paul Evans were appointed to the Carroll County Airport Board and Keith Priestley to the Carroll County Health and Educational Facilities Board.

Notaries elected during the meeting were April Arnold, Sonia Baird, Mary Barnhill, Lauren Bomar, Danny Brandon, Lana Foster, Amanda Hankins and Melinda Skinner.

The next regular meeting of the Carroll County Commission is February 13.



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Bank of McKenzie Robbed*

A Sheriff Must Not Have Fear

Growing up I heard a tale of two gun-toting outlaws from out west robbing the little bank on the square. Which in my mind gave way to the romanticized idea of a John Dillinger or Bonnie and Clyde sweeping into town with Tommy guns blazing followed by a high-speed chase; woe the imagination of a child. Needless to say, this week I set out to find what I could of the real story. Even though it wasn't Bonnie and Clyde that knocked over the bank, it was still a pretty darn interesting story.

On November 28, 1923, at approximately 12:30 p.m. two men entered the Bank of McKenzie. One of the men pointed a pistol at the 23-year-old bookkeeper, Anna Ray Sedberry, and ordered her into the bank vault. Sedberry was struck in the head with the butt of the pistol when she lunged for the telephone.

Sedberry, the only employee in the bank at the time, and two bank customers, Reverend F.E. Durham and Van Dillinger, were forced into the vault while the two armed men cleaned out the cash drawers. The captives were released within five minutes of the heist's conclusion. Shortly after the robbers' exit, the alarm was sounded and a search for the bandits was underway. Carroll County Sheriff Sam Carroll Kennon took control of a large posse that formed to search Henry, Carroll and Weakley counties.

Kennon was just 30 years old at the time of the robbery but had a reputation for catching criminals. In 1917, he served as superintendent of the County Farm until being elected sheriff from 1922 to 1928. (A county

farm or poorhouse was a local government-run residence where mainly elderly and disabled people were supported at public expense. Some county farms were part of an economic complex as a prison farm and other penal institutions.)

The first night resulted in no clues. The first clue came from James Pope. He reported two men on his farm near Paris, Tenn. Pope said the pair would not speak to him or make eye contact.

A second man, Frank Porter said he followed behind two unfamiliar men in a car on a country road near Paris but lost sight of them. Kennon and his posse rushed to the area, about three miles south of Paris, to find a large abandoned car. The car had plunged six feet into a ravine after falling through an old dilapidated bridge.

A member of the posse, Fred Hill, a Jackson, Tenn. taxi driver, arrived on the scene and identified the car as the one he had used while driving two men from Jackson to within two miles of McKenzie before he was put out of the car. Hill had been bound and gagged. He was released several hours later after being found.

Sheriff Kennon sent groups in all directions looking for the two criminals. After no avail, the sheriff refused to give up and had all trains passing through McKenzie searched. The searches paid off.

In a newspaper article from the Tennessee Republican, Sheriff Kennon recalls his tale of the capture:

"A group searched a freight train that stopped in McKenzie and found a man huddled in a coal car. They covered him with a gun before he could reach for



Left, Former Carroll County Sheriff Sam Kennon holding a copy of the Tennessee Republican newspaper from 1923. The headline reads, LOOT RECOVERED: BANDIT IN NASHVILLE. Right, A photo of the Bank of McKenzie from 1920.



his. Taking him to the city hall in McKenzie, we found him bulging with money. He had \$9,000 in bills in his waistband and a small set of burglar tools on his back. It was the tools that made officers think that he was a professional bandit.

When questioned, he confessed that he robbed the McKenzie bank but stoutly refused to name anyone with him. He refused the offer to take us to where the remainder of the money and bonds he had taken from the bank were hidden until I told him that feelings were running high in McKenzie and that if anything happened to Miss Sedberry, I would turn him over to them.

Frightened, he said he would go with me and some others to show us where the rest of the money was. We went to a place near Routon, Tenn. and we found a black bag by a cedar tree lightly covered with leaves. The posse had searched the area before but the robber had hovered down out of sight. Later he said that if

they had taken one more step they would have seen him. He gave his name as Buck Lacy but would not talk about himself.

We rushed him to Huntingdon, bypassing McKenzie because of the upsurge of feeling there. After a magistrate's hearing, Lacy was put under a \$25,000 bond, then we took him to the city jail in Nashville for safe-keeping and interrogation."

The sheriff went to work searching for the second man. A break came when Lacy telegraphed a boarding house in Memphis. He requested clothes he left following his stay. Memphis officers raided the boarding house and gather information. Through the raid, Sheriff Kennon and his chief deputy, Lloyd Smith, received information that a man named Lee Allen was the second bandit. The only issue, Allen was hiding out in the Badlands of Oklahoma.

Allen was apprehended by Sheriff Kennon and Smith, but they faced the arduous

task of returning Allen to Carroll County. Rumors swirled that members of Allen's group were going to stop the train to free the wanted man.

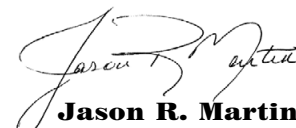
The lawmen worried Allen would try to escape but Kennon lived through his creed "a sheriff must not have fear." Throughout the trip, the sheriff or his loyal deputy held a chain that was fastened to Allen's handcuffs. As the train neared McKenzie, the conductor sent his flagman ahead to clear the track. McKenzians had learned the sheriff had captured the fugitive and were eager for their arrival, so eager in fact that downtown was full of people wanting to get a look at the man.

They got their chance as Sheriff Kennon and Deputy Smith changed trains with Allen at the depot so they could make their way to the jail in Huntingdon. Allen and Lacy were reunited in Nashville and would receive prison sentences of five to ten years for bank robbery. Their time would be served in the state penitentiary.

For his work on the case, Sheriff Kennon was given a black Stetson hat by the president of the Bank of McKenzie. He had promised Kennon that if he kept the prisoner and delivered him to the penitentiary, he could select any hat in the store he wanted, regardless of price.

Near the end of his life, Kennon donated his prized Stetson to the Carroll County Historical Society.

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From the pages of

A Pictorial History of McKenzie, Tennessee

Published in October 2004



Bobo's Store, 1922 (L to R): Mrs. Erma Heath, Walton James, Graden Featherstone, Fred Ragland, Gordon Finley, J. D. Featherstone and Emma Marshall. 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

Superman Goes To Washington

Did you hear the one about the U. S. Representative who took the oath of office for the current session of Congress with his hand on a Superman comic book? That's like some kind of amazing story from another planet! I didn't get his name. But I am pretty sure he is from California.

My first thought was that it is somewhat disrespectful. Maybe to God, or Calvin Coolidge, or to all the representatives before him, or to the American people...

It is, at the very least, a terrible slight to Batman, Wonder Woman, Spider-Man and the Incredible Hulk. And if you pause a moment to ponder on it, wouldn't Mad Magazine have been a better choice!

Then my mind dug a little deeper. If he wasn't sure about using the customary Bible, why didn't he pick "Great Expectations" by Charles Dickens? That would display the unimaginable opportunities that lie before any of us...especially a sitting member of Congress.

"Advise and Consent" by Allen Drury might have been a better choice than Superman. This novel actually does deal with some inner workings of his sister chamber, the Senate.

Of course, some would believe Edward Gibbon's "The History of the Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire" might have been more appropriate. The problem here is the Representative would have had to reach up pretty high to get a hand on top of it; the unabridged version weighs a hundred pounds! And most serious scholars have punched all sorts of holes in Gibbon's theories and beliefs as to the exact cause of the fall.

Plus, Gibbon didn't base the decline on the fact that

the Roman government contained Senators back then!

"Pride and Prejudice" by Jane Austen would seem to me a good choice. Robert Penn Warren's 1946 classic, "All the Kings Men", based loosely on the life of Huey P. Long would have been perfect. And no true self-respecting "oath-taker" could ever go wrong picking "To Kill a Mockingbird."

And listen, this representative didn't select just any old copy of a Superman comic. He put his hand on a genuine first edition from 1938. One of those things sold last year for over five million dollars! Ye doggies, I'd swear to about anything to get my hands on one....

And then I wouldn't have to worry about whether the 118th Congress is going to raise taxes this coming year!

If he gave any indication on why he chose this particular vehicle on which to pledge his allegiance to our nation and his new job, I didn't catch it. I would suppose it had more to do with "Truth, Justice and the American Way"...than leaping tall buildings in a single bound or outrunning a speeding bullet.

One could make the connection that Superman is complete fantasy. There is nothing real in it. Villains abound on every side. And Superman's arch enemy Lex Luthor is about as power hungry, money grabbing and diabolical as they come.

But that is not what crosses my mind when Superman flies into my life. He was my all-time favorite comic book character. By far! I trusted mild mannered Clark Kent. I didn't like it when Perry White fussed at him. I couldn't wait for Clark to realize that Lois Lane might be his forever girl.

I was amazed that Lois couldn't figure out that

Superman and Clark Kent were never in the same place at the same time. But I knew the world was going to be a little safer, a little more protected, when Clark took off his glasses and stepped quickly into the convenient nearby closet...and emerged in a nanosecond as the Man of Steel.

You talk about some Truth and Justice taking place!

Boy howdy, if this Congress had the humbleness of Clark Kent and the power and goodness of Superman...

Maybe this new U. S. House of Representative member is on to something. I'm going to give him the benefit of the doubt on this one. But I would remind the honorable Congressman there may be some in his new surroundings...that tote a handful of kryptonite around in their back pockets!

But he has raised an interesting question for all of us. If we were being officially sworn in to any group, organization or political body and couldn't use the Bible, what would be our fitting substitute?

Surely we wouldn't choose George Orwell's "Animal Farm" or "Walden" by Henry David Thoreau. They are a bit heavy on the mind. And who is into social unrest or transcendentalism these days.

You know where I'm headed here. "Coal Miner's Daughter" by Loretta Lynn can't be beat for any occasion!

But really the list is endless, "Gone with the Wind," "Moby Dick," "There's Not a Bathing Suit in Russia and Other Bare Facts"...

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Obituaries

CHARLES RAY CRARY 1941 — 2023

Charles Ray Crary died peacefully on Thursday, January 6 at his home in McKenzie, Tenn. A memorial service for Mr. Crary was Saturday, January 14, 2023, at 11 a.m. The family received friends 10 a.m. until service time at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home.

Charles was born on July 4, 1941, in Terre Haute, Indiana. He graduated from Gerstmeier High School in 1958 as a member of the National Honor Society. He attended Lincoln Bible Institute in Lincoln, Illinois and Minnesota Bible College in Minneapolis, Minn. While there, he worked at Gray's Drug store in Dinkytown and met his future wife, Kathleen Atchison, who worked across the street at Bridgeman's Ice Cream shop.

Charles enlisted in the Air Force in July 1965 and was stationed at Grissom Air Force Base in Indiana. He married Kathleen on September 3, 1966, in La-Crosse WI. Charles' last two years of duty were at Alconbury Air Force base in Alconbury England. After discharge, he attended Spartan School of Aeronautics in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Charles and Kathleen lived in several places including Wausau, Wisconsin and Minneapolis, where he was employed by the Federal Aviation Administration as an aviation safety inspector until he retired. His marriage ended in 2003 and he moved to Camden, Tenn. He later moved to McKenzie and was a member of the First Baptist Church.

He loved dogs, especially his current dog, Rusty who he spoke to like a good friend. He was very handy and could fix anything and enjoyed flying his drone. He loved anything related to airplanes and astronomy and was always learning something new. He recently spent many hours studying for and passing his test to receive his Ham Radio license.

Charles is survived by his sister, Wilma Hastings (Larry), his ex-wife, Kathleen Crary, his three children, Karen Smith (Daniel), Kevin Crary (Amy) and Margaret Collins (Jeffery) and grandchildren, Kayleigh Woller (Josiah), Aaron Smith, Cassandra Smith, Alyssa Smith, Julia Crary, Victoria Crary, Emily DeBoer (Ben), Maquanet Collins, Joshua Collins (Christina), Mitike Collins, Bete Collins, Tyler Collins, Paige Collins, Silas Col-

lins, great-grandchildren Zorah Woller and Elianah Woller and several nieces and nephews.

Charles was preceded in death by his sister, Rhonda Harrison (Charlie), brother, Gil Crary (Nancy) and his parents, Lucile and William Crary.

A memorial for Mr. Crary will be announced soon.

Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home, McKenzie, Tenn. +

YEVONNE COLLINS McCASLIN 1938 — 2023

HUNTINGDON — Yevonne Collins McCaslin, 84, of Huntingdon, Tenn., died Wednesday, January 11, 2023, at Baptist Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were 11 a.m. Saturday, January 14, 2023, at Clarksburg Church of Christ. Interment was in Sellers Hill Cemetery with Brother Chase Sanders and Todd Buttrey officiating.

She was born October 30, 1938, in Clarksburg to the late Bennie Collins and to the late Vera Springer Collins. She married on October 26, 1979, to James "Jack" McCaslin, who preceded her in death on March 8, 2019, daughter, Celena Stanford, and one grandson, Randall Kirk.

She is survived by two daughters, Alisa (Carl) Byars of Huntingdon and Robin (Todd) Buttrey of Yuma, Tenn.; two sons, Stephen Carter of Huntingdon and Mitchell (Melinda) Carter of Clarksburg; one step-son, Ronnie McCaslin; one sister, Bertie Lou Warbritton of Huntingdon; one son-in-law, Charles Stanford of Cedar Grove; 12 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren; and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to: The Sellers Cemetery perpetual care fund, c/o Carroll Bank and Trust, 19510 E Main St., Huntingdon, TN 38344.

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

MORRIS RAY HOLLOWELL 1952 — 2023

HUNTINGDON — Mr. Morris Ray Hollowell, 70, of Huntingdon, Tenn., died Wednesday, January 11, 2023, at the Jackson Madison County General Hospital.

Funeral services were Sunday, January 15, 2023, in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home. Interment was in Bethel Cemetery.

Mr. Hollowell was born June 6, 1952, in Huntingdon, to the late Audrine and Alta Lee Hollowell. He retired from mainte-

nance from Carroll County Schools. Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers, R.J. Hollowell and Edward Hollowell.

He is survived by his wife of 30 years, Janice Hollowell, two sons, Joseph Hollowell (Tamara), Jason Ray Hollowell, both of McKenzie, three stepchildren, Amanda Mayberry of Nashville, Fred Johnson (Tammy) of Atwood, Jason Mayberry of Huntingdon, three sisters, Kathy Reynolds (Donald) of Huntingdon, Judith Smothers (Tim) of Leach, Linda Metcalf (William) of Cedar Grove, two brothers, William Hollowell and Michael Hollowell, both of Huntingdon. He also leaves 18 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Chase Funeral Home, Huntingdon.

RIKKE CURTIS 1966 — 2023

McKENZIE — Grave-side funeral services for Rikke Lanelle Curtis, 56, were Monday, January 16, 2023, at 11 a.m. at Mt. Olivet Cemetery with Brother Phil Williams officiating. Interment followed the service.

Rikke, a former teacher, died Saturday, January 14, 2023, at her residence. She was born on May 17, 1966, in Memphis, Tenn., to Robert Lewis Bouldin and Betty Jean Putman. She was preceded in death by her husband, Joe David Curtis, who died July 14, 2009.

Survivors include her daughter Jeana Curtis of Paris, TN, her son Johnathan (Micah) Curtis of Birmingham, Alabama, her mother Betty Putman Highfil of McKenzie, her father Robert (Susan) Bouldin, her sisters Robin (Marshall) Russell and Clara (Kelly) Weatherford, all of McKenzie, and a granddaughter, Hayden Chapman.

The family asks to please consider memorials can be made in Rikke's memory to the Autism Awareness, www.autismawareness.com or a donation to the Carroll County Humane Society, www.cch-stn@gmail.com or mail to 21822 Hwy 22, McKenzie, TN 38201.

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

DELOMA JONAK 1940 — 2023

GLEASON — Services for Mrs. Deloma Ann Jonak, 82, of Gleason are Tuesday, January 17, 2023 at 12 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Gleason. Burial will follow in

West Union Cemetery in Dresden, Tenn. Visitation begins Tuesday, 10 a.m. until the time of her funeral service at noon.

She was born October 6, 1940, and died January 11, 2023.

Mrs. Jonak is survived by her husband, Richard Jonak of Gleason, Tenn. She is also survived by four children, Keith (Kaylee) Jonak of Athens, Tenn., Kevin Jonak of Puerto Rico, Kyle Jonak of Apple Valley, California, and Kelly Jonak of Atlanta, Georgia. She leaves behind four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Jonak was preceded in death by her parents, Charlie and Edith Jones, and her two brothers, Larry and Stanley Jones.

Williams Funeral Home of Gleason.

DONALD REEVES 1939 — 2023

Col. Chaplin, Donald D. Reeves, U.S. Air Force (Retired), 83, died peacefully on January 5, 2023 at Dekalb Regional Medical Center, Fort Payne, Alabama.

Reverend Reeves was the former pastor of McKenzie First Cumberland Presbyterian Church, a Bethel University graduate and a graduate of Vanderbilt University.

He served over 22 years in the U.S. Air Force while being awarded numerous honors and medals, before retiring. Don was a Presbyterian Minister for nearly 60 years serving several churches across the Tennessee Valley before retiring. He was a retired instructor from Northeast Alabama Community College where he taught multiple courses from World Religion, Survey of The Old Testament, Survey of the New Testament, Philosophy, and Appalachian Studies.

He leaves behind his wife: Jane Clemons Reeves; son: David Reeves; daughters: Dawn (Bill) Cattaneo, Heather Satterwhite, Danielle (Todd) Anderson, Ashley Givens, and 11 grandchildren.

A celebration of life service is at Macklin Baptist Church (2750 Co. Rd. 78, Pisgah, Alabama 35765) on January 29, 2023, at 2 p.m. The service will be live-streamed through Col. Chaplin, Donald D. Reeves's Facebook page. Application submitted to Arlington National Cemetery for burial.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you make a donation in his memory to The Don Reeves Memorial Scholarship fund. To donate using a credit card, call Rachael Graham at 256.638.4418 ext. 2391 or donations may be mailed to NACC, Development Department, PO Box 159, Rainsville, AL 35986.



City Attorney Charles Trotter administers the oath of office to Don Barger, Pam Joyner and Dan Dieringer.

Trezevant Officials Administered The Oath of Office

TREZEVANT (January 10) — Three Trezevant Councilman were administered the oath of office after winning their respective races in the November 2022 election.

City Attorney Charles Trotter administered the oath to Don Barger, Pam Joyner, and Dan Dieringer. Pam Joyner was reelect-

ed as vice mayor upon the recommendation of Mayor Bobby Blaylock.

The lone item on the agenda was an interlocal emergency services with other emergency agencies throughout the county. It is a long-standing agreement to help neighboring communities in emergency situations.



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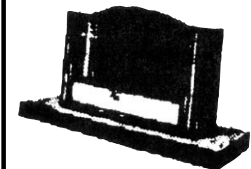
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McLemoresville Mayor and Council (L to R): Mayor Phil Williams, Councilman Don Reed, City Clerk Barbara Younger, Councilwoman Angie Martin, Councilwoman Sharron Holland, Councilman Mike Presson and Councilwoman Lana Suite.

McLemoresville Officials Administered Oath of Office

BY JOEL WASHBURN
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McLEMORESVILLE (January 10) — Mayor Phil Williams was recently re-elected to a four-year term in McLemoresville. His tenure as mayor began in 1977 following a four-year term as councilman, which began in 1973. He has served the citizens of McLemoresville for fifty years.

Barbara Younger, the city clerk, has also served the city for fifty years, including 45 years as a councilwoman.

Councilwoman Angie Martin has served since 1985 and starts a new four-year term. Councilman Don Reed has served since 2002. Councilwoman Lana Suite has served four years and begins a new four-year term.

Councilman Mike Reed returns to the board after his recent election. He previously served a four-year term.

The new member is Sharron Holland, who begins her first four-year term.

During the January 10 meeting, the board had a busy agenda.

The board decided to seek bids for a new roof on City Hall after years of patching the roof.

The daily rental rate for the McLemoresville Activities Center (MAC) was increased from \$50 to \$75 to help cover increasing costs of operations.

Councilwoman Martin said the MAC needs a new door and new flooring.

Councilwoman Suite said Verizon Wireless has indicated the wireless provider will install a cell tower in the city.

Suite also said the pa-

perwork was submitted in hopes of getting a grant to build a storm-safe facility at a cost of approximately \$1 million. It would provide short-term safety for up to 295 persons and have a kitchen. It is proposed to be located next to City Hall and the city would pay five percent of the costs.

A three-percent increase price increase was approved for collection and waste disposal services by Republic Services. There will be no increase in the monthly fee of \$15 for residents.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

CARROLL COUNTY ARTS TRIVIA BOWL JANUARY 28

Carroll County Arts is hosting the Trivia Bowl on Saturday, January 28, 2023, at 7 p.m. at the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church, 16835 Highland Drive, McKenzie. Support the arts in Carroll County and register teams of three to five people by calling Glynda Rich at 731-225-4470 or Denise Sam at 731-697-1844. The registration fee

is \$25 and can be paid in advance or at the door.

SMALLTOWN CRUISERS ANTIQUE CAR CLUB MEETS MONTHLY

The Smalltown Cruisers Antique Car Club meets the second Thursday of every month at 6 p.m. at the Hollow Rock Fire station, 21280 Seminary Street, Hollow Rock. The monthly Cruise-Ins begin in April. For more information, contact Jan Ostiguy at 217-304-2606 or email jano1970@att.net.

CUPID SHUFFLE 5K, ONE-MILE FUN RUN, TOT TROT FUNDRAISER FOR MATTHEW JONES

The Cupid Shuffle 5K/One Mile Fun Run/Tot Trot to benefit Matthew Jones takes place Saturday, February 11, 2023, at McKenzie City Park, 570 Como Street, McKenzie. Registration begins at 7 a.m. and the race begins at 8 a.m. Preregistration guarantees a

CARROLL COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY TO MEET

The Carroll County Republican Party meets the fourth Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. in the court room of the Public Safety building, 12740 Lexington Street, Huntingdon.

SHEPHERD'S TABLE COMMUNITY KITCHEN

On the third Tuesday of each month, The Shepherd's Table community kitchen serves meals at First Presbyterian Church located at 19835 E. Main Street, Huntingdon. Meals are served restaurant style with drive-through available after 6 p.m. It is open to the public and there is no cost. Donations are accepted. All are invited. It is our mission to create a community atmosphere where individuals can come in and have a meal and a comfortable setting. We en-

courage friendly conversation, prayers and laughter. If you would like to volunteer to help prepare the meal, serve the meal or help in any way, please call 731-415-9199 and leave a message or email fpcshepherdstable@gmail.com or write PO Box 651, Huntingdon, Tennessee.

MOUNT ZION UNITED METHODIST FOOD PANTRY

The Mount Zion United Methodist Church offers a monthly food pantry on the second Saturday of every month from 9-11 a.m. The church is located at 125 Mt Zion Church Road, Huntingdon.

McKENZIE CITY COUNCIL MEETS MONTHLY

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

TAKE OFF POUNDS SENSIBLY

The McKenzie TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Chapter meets on Mondays at 3 p.m. at the McKenzie Church of Christ gym. Anyone interested in losing weight can join. Visitors

are welcome. For more information, contact Linda Lawrence at 731-352-7309. If no answer, leave a message.

CARROLL COUNTY COMMISSION MEETS MONTHLY

Carroll County Commission meets the second Monday of each month, 7 p.m., in the Conference Room of the Carroll County Office Complex, High Street, Huntingdon. There are no meetings in December, February, and July.

ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES

Huntingdon Location - Adult Education Building, 14155 Paris Street. Office hours are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Classes are offered for one-on-one instruction on Mondays, 1-4 p.m. and Thursdays, 9 a.m. to noon. For more information, phone 731-364-5481.

CARROLL COUNTY BUDGET COMMITTEE

Carroll County Budget Committee meets Thursday, January 19, 9 a.m., in the Conference Room of the Office Complex.

CARROLL COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY EVENTS STRAWBERRIES

It's time to order those delicious Florida strawberries. We are taking orders now through February 14th for delivery in early March. A flat is \$30 and half flat \$18. Pre-orders may be done by phone or in person.

SOUP SUPPER & BINGO
Saturday, February 4, 4-7 p.m., Carroll County Humane Society is hosting an all-you-can-eat soup supper with a drink and dessert for only

\$10. Additional concessions will be available throughout bingo. This event is at the CB&T bank building in Huntingdon located on West Main behind the bank. If you'd like to enter a crock pot of soup, we will be letting everyone vote for their favorite with a prize going to the winner.

We would also appreciate donations of desserts, crackers and breads.

BOW WOW at the BARN
Big news! We have the band 24 Seven booked to provide you with 4 hours of listening and dancing pleasure. Tickets are \$25 per person and can be purchased at Carroll County Humane Society. Door prizes, silent auction, bar available for purchasing and bar snacks provided. Poot's BBQ food truck will be set up at the event with plenty of great food for purchase.

Note about the band. 24 Seven is always in demand and we feel fortunate to have snagged them for this event because they are fantastic! They play a lineup of music including country, rock, easy listening and top hits from different decades.

You do not want to miss Bow Wow at the Barn so fill in your calendars now. Saturday, March 4th, 6-10 p.m. at The Venue at Waddell Place located at 894 Joy Sparks Road in McKenzie.

McKENZIE INDUSTRIAL BOARD TO MEET

McKenzie Industrial Board meets Thursday, January 19, 6 p.m. at the Railway co-working space on Broadway Street.

HUNTINGDON SCHOOL BOARD MEETS

Huntingdon Board of Education meets Wednesday, January 18, 5 p.m. in the Central Office, 585 High Street, Huntingdon.

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Minimum qualifications:

- Master's degree in education (professional educator's license)
- Ten years of experience in education (preferred)
- Three years of successful experience in school administration or supervision (preferred)
- Upon employment, the director will be required to reside in the McKenzie Special School District

The term of the contract and salary will be negotiated based upon the applicant's education and experience.

Candidates will be evaluated in accordance with their district qualities as well as professional accomplishments.

Selection Criteria

- Has exceptional listening skills with a commitment to approachability and an open-door policy
- Has the knowledge to know when change is vital and the ability and determination to generate such change even in the encounter of opposition
- Has sound knowledge of instruction, curriculum, and educational programs that best meet the needs of a diverse student body
- The ability to serve as an academic leader in a student-centered district
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Application Process

Qualified candidates wishing to be considered for this position must submit the following items to LaShonda Williams (lashondarainbow@yahoo.com) by February 20, 2023.

1. A formal letter of interest
2. A current resume, including accomplishments by position
3. A copy of all educational certifications and licenses
4. University transcripts
5. Names, addresses, email addresses, and telephone numbers of five (5) professional references

The Board will review candidates' qualifications, match those qualifications against the Board's stated criteria, and make recommendations.

The Board will select candidates to be interviewed. Additionally, once submitted, application materials are subject to open records requests under Tennessee law.

Any Questions Contact: LaShonda Williams (Chairman) 731-445-4078
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JOB DESCRIPTION

Title of Position: Grants Coordinator
Supervisor: County Mayor

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Qualifications:

- Grant writing, administration, or grant-related experience strongly preferred
- Bachelors or Associates Degree in Accounting, Business Administration, Finance, Public Administration, or relevant field; or equivalent proven grant experience
- Experience in planning and budgeting, as well as knowledge of business processes and functions (finance, HR, procurement, operations)
- Strong analytical ability, excellent communication skills (both written and verbal), and excellent organizational and leadership skills
- Excellent organizational skills, with the ability to define and/or meet deadlines
- Ability to multi-task, handle multiple projects at the same time, and be able to shift and balance priorities
- The ability to quickly adapt and learn new skills

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For inquiries, please contact Carroll County Mayor Joseph Butler at jbutler@carroll.tn.gov or 731-986-1936.

To submit a résumé, please email to jbutler@carroll.tn.gov.

Deadline for applicant submission: February 3, 2023 by 4 p.m.

JANUARY 17-21

Local Sports Schedule

Tuesday, January 17
Huntingdon vs. Milan Basketball 6 p.m.
McKenzie vs. Jackson South Side Basketball 6 p.m.
Gleason at Greenfield Basketball 6 p.m.
West Carroll at Jackson North Side 6 p.m.

Thursday, January 19
Bethel University at Pikeville Basketball 5:30 p.m.
Gleason at West Carroll Basketball 6 p.m.

Friday, January 20
Huntingdon at Westview Basketball 6 p.m.
McKenzie vs. Houston County Basketball 6 p.m.
Gleason vs. South Fulton Basketball 6 p.m.
West Carroll at Hollow Rock-Bruceton 6 p.m.

Saturday, January 21
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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 pre-employment drug screen. Applications will be accepted at city hall until 4 p.m. on January 27. 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. Locate water service and water mains, meter reading, check backs and water taps.
- Makes necessary repairs to property after completing excavations. Perform landscaping duties, and other duties as necessary to restore property to original condition

Applications can be picked up at city hall

Monday- Friday 8:30-5 p.m.

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JOB POSTING

CSBG – Case Manager

Northwest Tennessee Economic Development Council is now accepting applications for the position of **Case Manager** for the Community Services Block Grant Program (CSBG). The individual selected for the position will serve the areas of **Benton/Henry/Carroll and Weakley counties** and will be centrally located in this service area.

Essential Job Duties: Assume responsibilities for overall operation of the Case Management program for CSBG. Provide oversight, support and assistance to the county service managers in all aspects of case management. Network with other service agencies to secure and maintain partnerships for referral of clients. Assist with application process, accessing and monitoring clients and address concerns related to case management. Ensure all policies and procedures of Case Management are followed in compliance with federal, state and local regulations of the Community Service Block Grant (CSBG). Travel county service locations and possibly out of area for training when necessary. Assist with, conduct training sessions with staff, and participate in cross training efforts for other community service department functions.

Knowledge/Skills: Candidate must have knowledge of computer-based applications including word processing and spreadsheet applications, and database management. Must be able to deliver presentations and provide training in group settings. Must have strong organizational and decision making skills and be able to accurately handle detailed, confidential and complex information. Candidate must be able to interpret regulations and operational policies and procedures to ensure program compliance.

Qualifications: Bachelor's degree in social work or related field, from an accredited four-year college or university. Prefer work experience in community programs. Computer/Data entry skills, required. Candidate must be able to communicate effectively with low-income citizens. Candidate must possess a valid Tennessee Driver license and liability insurance coverage.

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231 South Wilson Street, Dresden, TN 38225

Or, you may call (731)364-4822 to have an application mailed, faxed, or emailed to you for your convenience.

**** Applications must be submitted to:**

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231 South Wilson Street, Dresden, TN 38225

Attn: Human Resource Department – Suite 210

Reference: Case Manager-CSBG

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CITY OF MCKENZIE

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ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

Animal Control/Public Works Laborer

The City of McKenzie is accepting applications for a full time animal control/public works laborer. Candidate must be 18 years of age, possess a valid drivers license, high school diploma or its equivalent and pass the pre-employment drug screen.

- Candidates must have the ability to work week-ends and holidays when required.
- An ability to tolerate work in all weather and season conditions.
- Participate on emergency call out when needed during storms and other related incidents.
- The City offers excellent benefits and retirement through TCRS.

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JOB VACANCY

County Service Manager – Carroll County

Northwest Tennessee Economic Development Council is now accepting applications for the position of County Services Manager for the Community Services Block Grant Program (CSBG). The individual selected for the position will serve the **Carroll County area and will be centrally located in Huntingdon, TN.**

Essential Job Duties: Maintain responsibility and accountability for county service center activities in compliance with agency policy, current contract and program guidelines; sustain daily and program activity requirements for CSBG (Linkages, Emergency, and Nutrition) and LIHEAP, TEFAP, responsible for supervision of County Service Aide and Senior Aides; determine eligibility of applicants, provide case management and perform follow-up assessments and progress evaluations based on Results Oriented Management and Accountability (ROMA); complete applications for program services in compliance with agency Policy and Procedures; utilize Agency Customer Information System technology including accurate data entry and review of customer information in the CSBG TNCIS database; maintain accurate records for each person who requests assistance along with required documentation; provide essential travel for customers in compliance with contract (when funding is available); prepare and submit required reports as requested by supervisor in a timely manner.

Qualifications: High School diploma or GED required. Prefer work experience in community programs. Computer/Data entry skills, required. Candidate must be able to communicate effectively with low-income citizens. Candidate must possess a valid Tennessee Driver license and liability insurance coverage.

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Northwest TN EDC Central Office

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Attn: Human Resource Department

Reference: County Service Manager – Carroll County

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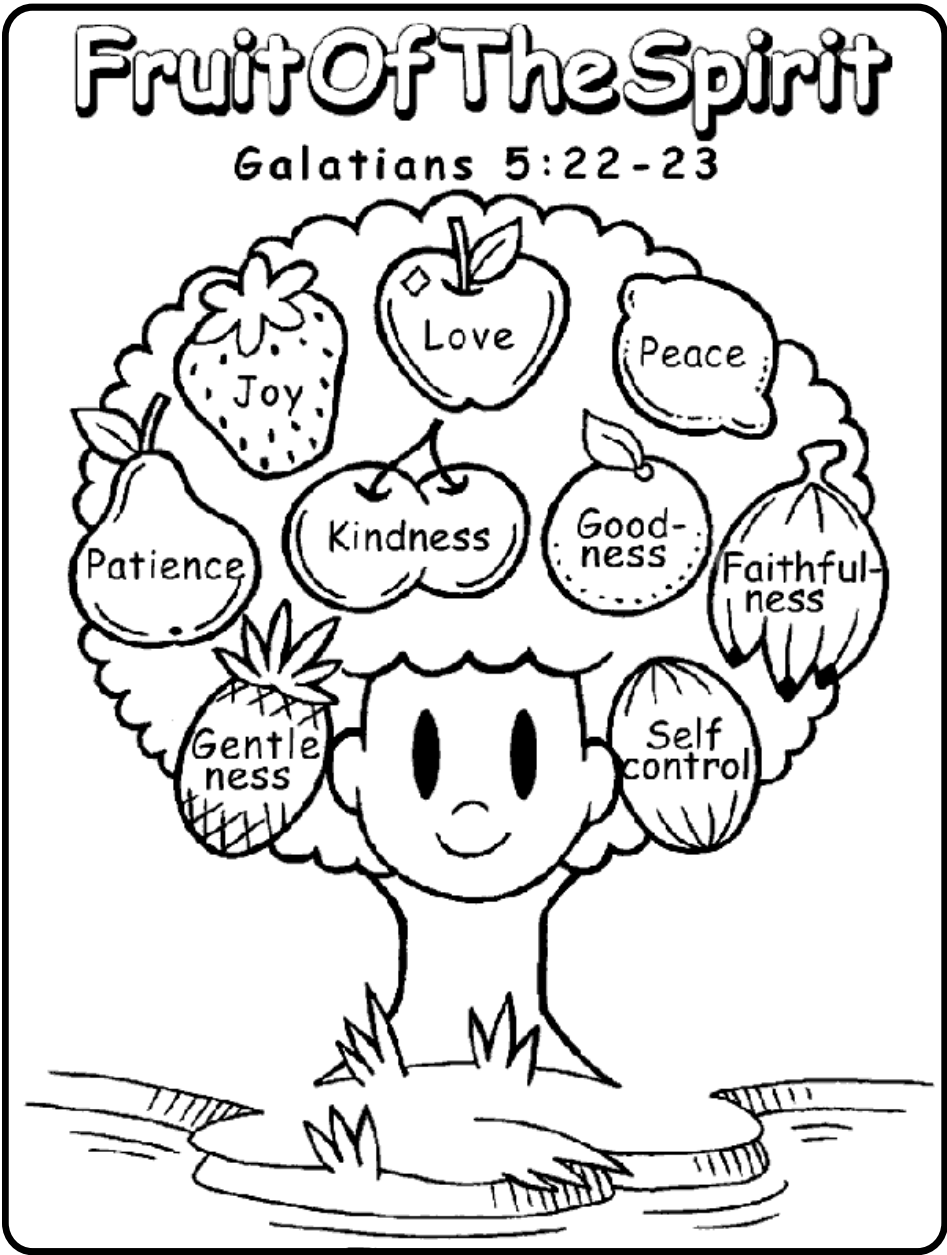
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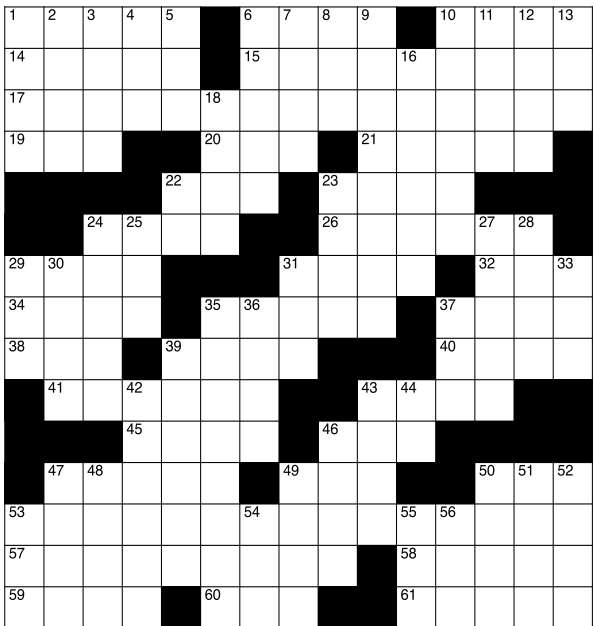
Weekly Crossword

CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Not invited
- 6. Whale ship captain
- 10. One point south of southwest
- 14. Small cavity in a rock
- 15. Recidivists
- 17. City of Angels hoopster
- 19. A way to mark with one's signature
- 20. OJ trial judge
- 21. Rice cooked in broth
- 22. One point east of due south
- 23. One point east of southeast
- 24. Complements an entree
- 26. Grouped by twos
- 29. Disfigure
- 31. Woods
- 32. Political action committee
- 34. Longer of 2 bones in the forearm
- 35. Kin groups
- 37. Philippine Island
- 38. Contrary to
- 39. Bluish-gray fur
- 40. Comprehend the written word
- 41. Natural depressions
- 43. Felines
- 45. Breathe noisily
- 46. Taxi
- 47. Pancake made from buckwheat flour
- 49. Swiss river
- 50. Foot (Latin)
- 53. Have surgery
- 57. Formal withdrawal
- 58. Monetary units of Peru
- 59. Greek war god
- 60. 2,000 lbs.
- 61. High points

CLUES DOWN

- 1. Green and yellow citrus fruit
- 2. A bright color
- 3. Thicket
- 4. Journalist Tarbell
- 5. A place to work or relax
- 6. Sharp mountain ridge



7. Helicopter

8. Mimic

9. Suggests

10. More musty

11. Large, flightless rail

12. Make beer

13. Soviet Socialist Republic

16. People who can account for you

18. Taunt

22. South Dakota

23. Cover the entirety of

24. Kids' favorite visitor

25. A way to save for retirement

27. Fencing swords

28. C. China mountain range

29. Type of sandwich

30. Team

31. Paddle

33. Partly digested food

35. Most cagey

36. Shoppers make one

37. Cathode-ray tube

39. Food supplies

42. Backbones

43. Concern

44. Blood group

46. Broadway songwriter Sammy

47. Dutch colonist

48. Full-grown pike fish

49. Deity of a monotheistic cult

50. Type of bread

51. S. Nigerian people

52. Scottish tax

53. Young women's association

54. Brazilian city

55. Hide of a young animal

56. Midway between north and northeast

Week 3

See solution in next week's edition.

World Religion Day Word Search

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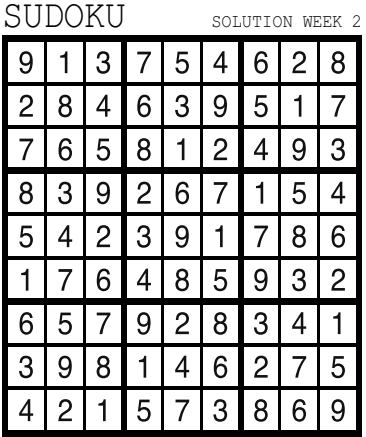
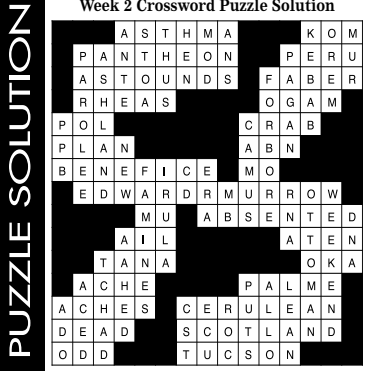
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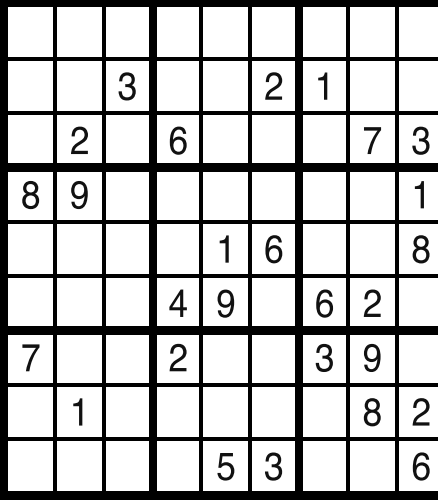
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WEEK 3



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See solution in next week's edition.

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McKenzie Police Department Reports

DUI — Justin R. Edwards, 40, Jones Street, Huntingdon, was charged with DUI-First Offense on January 11 after officers stopped his vehicle after a report of a suspicious driver.

Officer Sean Beck said he was alerted of a possible drunk driver coming into McKenzie from U.S. 79 N. He made contact with the driver and made a traffic stop. The officer indicated he could smell alcohol and asked him to submit to field sobriety tests. He reportedly did poorly on the tests and was charged with DUI.

Domestic Assault — Kimberly Sue Sarkozi, 58, Booker Street, McKenzie was charged with Domestic Assault, Aggravated Assault on January 9.

Officer Cody Coleman responded to Cherrywood Avenue where two persons were walking and were followed by a pickup truck. William Milton said he and his daughter were walking from Relax Inn to the house of a friend of the daughter after a domestic argument at that location. Sarkozi, who is a relationship with Milton, was attempting to get the two to get in the truck with her. She reportedly bumped Milton with the front bumper of the truck. The daughter also claimed pain in her foot. An ambulance was summoned to check on Milton, however he refused transport.

Sarkozi was transported to Carroll County Jail.

Simple Possession, Drug Paraphernalia — Arthur Amos Teas, 63, Spruce Street, McKenzie was charged with Simple Possession and Drug Paraphernalia in relation to a Grand Jury indictment against Teas and Opal Travis.

On January 10, multiple officers entered the home and found a small amount of white crystal-like powder, a digital scale, and a composition book with names, dollar amounts, and the amount of grams listed - information consistent with drug transactions. A small amount of methamphetamine was also located.

Manufacture Meth, Drug Paraphernalia — Cody James Jarrett, 33, Winston Road, McKenzie was charged with Methamphetamine, Failure to Display Registration, and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia after a traffic stop on January 15.

According to a report filed by Sergeant Cody Coleman, he stopped Jarrett for a display of registration plate violation. Once Jarrett was stopped, Officer Coleman indicated the smell of marijuana and conducted a search of the vehicle. He reportedly found a glass pipe with residue of meth, a small plastic bag of a white crystal substance. Jarrett was transported to Carroll County Jail.

DUI, Disorderly Conduct

— Keith Eugene Davis, 54, Oaklawn Drive, McKenzie was charged with Disorderly Conduct and DUI on January 14 after he was disorderly in two restaurants.

Sergeant Cody Coleman responded to Rivals after receiving a call about a disorderly patron. Davis had left there and went to nearby Maria's, where he was also disorderly and attempted to strike a patron before fleeing the business and driving away recklessly in his pickup. Officers went to the Oaklawn Street address and located Davis in his truck at home. Davis reportedly had a strong odor of alcohol and had slurred speech.

Officers interviewed managers at both restaurants and both told how Davis was disorderly. Both restaurants banned Davis from returning after the incident. Davis was arrested and refused to submit to the blood-alcohol screen.

Elder Abuse, Domestic Assault — Wilfredo Rivera, 54, Kay Street, McKenzie was charged with Elder Abuse, Domestic Assault on January 14.

Assistant Chief Trey Boucher filed a report indicating Rivera and his one-year older brother were arguing and Rivera punched his wheelchair-bound brother. Rivera was transported to Carroll County Jail.

— Mary Dement, Fowler Circle, Hollow Rock, guilty, Failure to Yield to Emergency Vehicle, \$200 fine, six months jail-suspended, probation.

Kaitlyn Candice Gehl, Hillcourt, Huntingdon, guilty, Probation Violation, 11/29 jail, defendant can receive day-for-day credit upon successful completion of rehab.

April Lynn Gocal, Park Cove, McKenzie, guilty, School Entrance/Attendance/Withdrawal, 30 days jail suspended except 4 days; supervised probation for 60 days, neither child can miss school without an excused absence.

Justin Goodman, Stigall Road, Camden, guilty, Driving While License Suspended - 2nd or Subsequent Offense, Failure to Appear, \$100 fine, 11/29 Jail-suspended to time served, supervised probation.

Vicki Harper, Park Circle, McKenzie,

Carroll County General Sessions Report

HUNTINGDON (January 11) — The following cases were heard in Carroll County General Sessions Court on January 11.

Bound over to the Grand Jury of the Carroll County Circuit Court were:

Matthew Helms, Palmersville Highway, Dresden, bound over on Vehicular Assault, Reckless Endangerment-Vehicle, Vandalism, Reckless Driving, Disorderly Conduct, Violation of Financial Responsibility.

The following cases resulted in a guilty plea or finding.

Allen Campbell,, Highway 104, Lavinia, guilty, Simple Possession/Casual Exchange- Meth., 11/29 jail suspended, supervised probation, alcohol and drug evaluation; dismissed, Simple Possession/Casual Exchange-Marijuana; dismissed, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

Jimmy Lee Conder, Highway 220, Lavinia, guilty, Driving While Suspended, \$100 fine, 6 months jail-suspended; supervised probation; dismissed, Light Law Violation.

Mary Dement, Fowler Circle, Hollow Rock, guilty, Failure to Yield to Emergency Vehicle, \$200 fine, six months jail-suspended, probation.

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Vicki Harper, Park Circle, McKenzie,

guilty, Theft of Merchandise-Shoplifting, \$10 fine, items were recovered, 11/29 jail-suspended, no contact with Walmart for one year, probation.

William H. Hollowell, Tank Range Road, Huntingdon, guilty, Theft, 11/29 Jail-suspended except 30 days, supervised probation, defendant must forfeit firearm.

Tiffany R. Howard, Park Lane, McKenzie, guilty, False Report of Accident, 30 days jail, supervised probation; guilty, Accessory After the Fact, 11/29 supervised probation.

Maurice Lawrence, homeless, guilty, Criminal Trespass, 30 days jail-suspended to 12 days time served, unsupervised probation.

Micah Leite, Maple Street, Huntingdon, guilty, Meth Possess or Casual Exchange, \$750 fine, 11/29 jail - suspended except 60 days, already on supervised probation in Henderson County; dismissed, Possession of Unlawful Paraphernalia.

Robert Glynn Long, East Main, Atwood, guilty, Community Supervision Violation, \$10 fine, 11/29 jail - suspended except 48 hours, unsupervised probation; dismissed, Sexual Offender Registration, dismissed, Residential and Work Restrictions.

Jacob Metcalf, Highway 70, Huntingdon, guilty, DUI-First Offense, \$350 fine, 48 hours jail, not to drive for one year, DUI School; dismissed, Reckless Driving, Failure to Exercise Due Care.

Marcus Rhodes, Saint John Road, Denmark, Tenn., guilty, Theft, 11/29 jail suspended except 15 days, six months supervised probation, \$243.60 restitution to Dollar General.

Kowasha Quinvette Smith, Coles Ferry Pike, Lebanon, guilty, Simple Possession/Casual Exchange, \$750 fine, 11/29 jail-suspended except 5 days; unsupervised probation.

Kelly Turnbow, Walnut Avenue, McKenzie, guilty, Reckless Driving, six months jail-suspended except 30 days, supervised probation; guilty, Driving While Suspended.

The following cases were dismissed.

Haley Nicole Baugh, Main Street, Trezevant, dismissed, Mandatory School Attendance.

Amber Rachelle Brewer, Paw Paw Lane, McKenzie, dismissed, Driving While License Suspended; Violation of Registration.

Evelyn Leann Cary, State Route 114, Hollow Rock, dismissed, Allowing Dog to Run at Large.

Jerry David Kyle, Maple Street, Huntingdon, dismissed, Allowing Dog to Run at Large, agreed to pay \$80 to Huntingdon Animal Clinic for care of another person's dog.

Melissa Anne Moore, Sydnor Road, McKenzie, dismissed, Probation Violation.

Steven Pinkston, Lexington Street, Bruceton, dismissed, Disorderly Conduct, Criminal Trespass.

Katie Nicole Smith, Carlton Street, Gleason, dismissed, Driving While Suspended, dismissed, Violation of Light Law.

The following cases were adjudicated through pre-trial diversion.

Eric Jimmerson, Highland Drive, McKenzie, pre-trial diversion, Possession/Casual Exchange, \$250 fine, after successful probation.

Chassidi Tucker, Ebenezer Road, Reagan, pre-trial diversion, Assault - Bodily Harm, no intentional contact with the victim.

Huntingdon Police Department Reports

Drug Violations — Allen W. Campbell, 60, of Lavina was charged with Simple Possession/ Casual Exchange (meth and marijuana) and Unlawful Drug Paraphernalia.

On January 3, Allen Campbell was found sleeping in his truck in the Huntingdon Walmart parking lot. A clear glass pipe was in clear sight. Officers located 1.7 grams of meth and 3.4 grams of marijuana on Campbell's person.

Multiple Charges — Marcus A. Holder, 51, of Reagan, was charged with Possession of Schedule II (cocaine) with Intent, and seventh offense

of Driving on a Suspended License. He was also charged with Driving on Suspended Convictions in 2022.

Officers' prior knowledge of the driver's license being suspended, allowed for a traffic stop. Officers located two bags that field tested positive for cocaine.

Carroll County Sheriff's Department Reports

Theft — On January 9, Rickey G. Doyle reported that his 2002 Helix Hummingbird 12 Fish Finder was taken off his Hummingbird Mega 360. The report was filed for insurance purposes, Fish Finder valued at \$2,600 and Hummingbird Mega 360 estimated damage valued at \$1,400.

All other Larceny - On January 5, Terry Tatum reported his white 2002 14-foot enclosed trailer was stolen off his property. Tatum last saw the trailer on January 2. It is valued at \$3000.

Multiple Charges — Lisa Renee Montgomery, 55, of Atwood was cited with possession of Schedule II (meth) and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

On January 7, a traffic stop was conducted for driving behavior. The driver, Lisa Montgomery, hit her brakes roughly five to ten times before abruptly pulling over. Montgomery was very adamant about getting to work on time. Yet she backtracked and changed her story stating she was already over an hour late to work. The deputy gained reasonable suspicion of criminal activity at play. He was denied consent to search the vehicle. A K-9 arrived on the scene and alerted on the vehicle. Officers located 0.5 grams of methamphetamines and a small black straw with residue.

Drug Violation — Patricia Lynn Keathley, 53, of Camden was charged with Possession of Schedule II (meth and methadone) and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

On January 8, Deputy Meier conducted a traffic stop. The deputy communicated with the driver, Patricia Keathley, explaining he felt there was criminal activity going on because of her behavior of not letting him talk much. She handed him a \$20 bill instead of her driver's license. Officers located three glass pipes used for meth with a white residue, a plastic bag with an orange powder substance that field tested positive for methadone, and a small bag that tested positive for meth.

Drug Violation — David Lee Hampton, 56, of Buena Vista was charged with Possession of Schedule II Meth and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

On January 7, Deputy Walker went to serve a warrant on David Hampton. Upon his arrival, he searched for Hampton and located a meth pipe and loose meth in Hampton's bedroom. Hampton admitted to the meth and was transported to jail for booking.

Multiple Charges — Chase Austin Norden, 25, of McKenzie was charged with Felony Evading, Reckless Endangerment, Possession of Schedule VI, and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

On January 10, Deputy Scott made contact with Chase Norden at BP gas station in relation to an active warrant. Norden was aware of the deputy as he pulled onto Highway 423. Deputy Scott initiated his blue lights and sirens. Norden

eventually wrecked and was taken into custody. Officers located one gram of marijuana and a glass pipe with residue in his possession.

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 December 31, 2007, executed by LINDA BETH STANFILL and GRADY STANFILL conveying certain real property therein described to ROBERT M. WILSON, JR., as Trustee, as same appears of record in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee recorded January 14, 2008, in Deed Book 571, Page 1103; and

WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was last transferred and assigned to Nationstar Mortgage LLC who is now the owner of said debt; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned, Ruben 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, Ruben 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 **February 21, 2023** at 12 p.m. at the Carroll County Courthouse, 99 Court Street, Huntingdon, TN, 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:

A 1.236 ACRE TRACT OF LAND AS SURVEYED BY THE FIRM OF F. T. SEARGENT AND ASSOCIATES OF PARIS, TENNESSEE ON MAY 10, 1994, AND BEING KNOWN AS LOT 10 OF THE ALLEN BEASLEY SUBDIVISION (A/K/A POPLAR KNOLLS ESTATES) RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3, PAGE 34, LYING IN THE 4TH CIVIL DISTRICT IN CARROLL COUNTY,

TENNESSEE AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT A RAILROAD SPIKE (SET) IN AN EXISTING CUL-DE-SAC, SAID SPIKE BEING THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF LOT 9 OF THE ABOVE SAID SUBDIVISION AND THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE HEREIN DESCRIBED TRACT OF LAND; THENCE NORTH 37

DEGREES 36 MINUTES 46 SECONDS EAST FOR A DISTANCE OF 45.00 FEET WITH THE EAST SIDE OF THE CUL-DE-SAC TO A #4 REBAR (SET); THENCE NORTH 53 DEGREES 22 MINUTES 54 SECONDS WEST FOR A DISTANCE OF 67.00 FEET TO A #4 REBAR (SET) IN THE EAST LINE OF LOT 5; THENCE NORTH 21 DEGREES 19 MINUTES 04 SECONDS EAST

FOR A DISTANCE OF 68.00 FEET TO A #4 REBAR (SET) AT THE COMMON CORNERS TO LOTS 5, 3, 10; THENCE NORTH 57 DEGREES 07 MINUTES 56 SECONDS EAST FOR A DISTANCE OF 299.83 FEET WITH THE SOUTH LINE OF LOTS 3, 2, 1 TO A #4 REBAR (SET) IN A FENCE

ON THE WEST LINE OF BILLY BRYANT PROPERTY (D. B. 136, PG 23); THENCE SOUTH 01 DEGREES 57 MINUTES 32 SECONDS WEST FOR A DISTANCE OF 300.00 FEET WITH A FENCE TO A #4 REBAR (FOUND) AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 9; THENCE SOUTH 89

DEGREES 33 MINUTES 27 SECONDS WEST FOR A DISTANCE OF 240.00 FEET WITH THE NORTH LINE OF LOT 9 TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

Parcel ID: 011-018.01

PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be **80 POPLAR KNOLLS LN, 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): LINDA BETH STANFILL, GRADY STANFILL

OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES:

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

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

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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 August 5, 2013, executed by ANGELINE A. LENOIR conveying certain real property therein described to ANDREW C. RAMBO, as Trustee, as same appears of record in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee recorded August 14, 2013, in Deed Book 627, Page 737; and

WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was last transferred and assigned to PennyMac Loan Services, LLC who is now the owner of said debt; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned, Ruben 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, Ruben 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 **February 2, 2023** at 2 p.m. at the East Court House Door of 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:

A CERTAIN TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND LOCATED IN THE 4TH CIVIL DISTRICT OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE, AND FURTHER DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: LYING AND BEING IN THE CITY OF MCKENZIE, AND BEING LOT NO. 28 OF THE DIAMOND DRIVE SUBDIVISION TO THE CITY OF MCKENZIE, A PLAT OF WHICH IS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1, PAGE 12, IN THE REGISTER'S OFFICE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE, AND FURTHER DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF DIAMOND DRIVE STREET, THIS BEING RIP EDWARDS NORTHWEST CORNER AND RUNS WITH THE RIGHT-OF-WAY OF SAID STREET SOUTH 88 DEGREES 32' WEST 187 FEET TO A POINT, THENCE SOUTH 51 DEGREES 54' WEST 24.1 FEET WITH SAID RIGHT-OF-WAY TO A POINT; THENCE SOUTH 15 DEGREES 17' WEST 89.5 FEET ALONG SAID RIGHT-OF-WAY TO A POINT THIS BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THIS LOT AND THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF ALTON CARY LOT #29, AND RUNS THENCE SOUTH 79 DEGREES 19' EAST 237.4 FEET ALONG CARY'S NORTH LINE TO A POINT (THERE IS A FIRE PLUG ON THIS LINE LOCATED 2 FEET FROM THE WEST CORNER); THIS POINT BEING THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THIS LOT AND THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF RIP EDWARDS AND RUNS THENCE NORTH 1 DEGREES 28' WEST 150 FEET WITH EDWARDS WEST LINE TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. THIS PROPERTY IS SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIVE COVENANTS RECORDED AT DEED BOOK 121, PAGE 297, REGISTER'S OFFICE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE, INCLUDED IN THE ABOVE DESCRIPTION BUT TO BE EXCLUDED FROM THIS CONVEYANCE IS A TRACT CONVEYED TO HOWARD R. EDWARDS AND WIFE, VIRGINIA M. EDWARDS, BY DEED RECORD AT DEED BOOK 146, PAGE 265, REGISTER'S OFFICE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE, AS FOLLOWS: IN THE CITY OF MCKENZIE AND BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE SOUTH MARGIN OF DIAMOND DRIVE AND RIP EDWARDS NORTHWEST CORNER AND RUNS THENCE SOUTH 88 DEGREES 32' WEST 25 FEET TO JOHN S. SMOOT'S NEW NORTHEAST CORNER; THENCE SOUTH 7 DEGREES EAST 146 FEET TO A STAKE ON JOHN PADGETT'S NORTH LINE; THENCE SOUTH 79 DEGREES 19' EAST 12 FEET TO EDWARDS' OLD SOUTHWEST CORNER; THENCE NORTH 1 DEGREE 28' WEST 150 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, BEING THE SAME LOT AS SURVEYED BY SAMUEL K. CARRELL, SURVEYOR, DATED AUGUST 20, 1971.

Parcel ID: 011H-C-022.00

PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be 98 DIAMOND DRIVE, MCKENZIE, 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): ANGELINE A. LENOIR

OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES:

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

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Property Transfers

Veronica Crews to Veronica Crews in district 3.

Paul Elvis and Betty Kaye Wallace to Wallace Family Trust.

M land, Inc. to William G. and Patricia Evet Willis in district 11.

John and Anne-Marie Handley to Nicholas J. and Kayla M. Troup.

Dasset at McKenzie, LLC to Brenda Marie Joins and others.

David and Elizabeth Lott to Benjamin and Morgan Lott in district 4.

Bobby Don Inge to Jordan Goodman in districts 16 and 6.

James and Teresa J. Speer to Matthew W. and William Roberts in district 16.

Paul L. Conquest Jr to Isaac A. Ezell and Elizabeth G. Smith in district 9.

Gerrit Christiaan and Maureen B. McGoldrick to Gloria P. McKinley and others in district 15.

Steve Bunn as trustee and others to Deana D. Edwards in district 11.

MMT Properties, LLC to Bryan Matthew Merrick in district 4.

Jimmie Sue Taylor to Jimmie Sue Taylor and others in district 4.

Teresa Goodrum to Jerry Wayne and Peyton Lane Boyd in district 16.

Patricia Taylor Cunningham to Shelia Ann Lott in district 4.

Lloyd E. Russell, Jr. to Mary Katherine and Sarah Elizabeth Russell in district 1.

Jeffrey Alan Coleman to Jerry Lynn Coleman and others.

Nathan G. Sellers to Kevin Richard Andrews in district 21.

Spiridon L. and Sandi S. Roditis to Joy N. Brown in district 4.

William Rutherford and Judy Hickerson Davis as trustees to James A. and Jeaneane A. Jones in district.

Dewey Ellis to Byron and Lori Ann Robertson in district 4.



Above Left, Zay Webber moves under the goal as Kade Sawyers and Kylan Borneman defends. Above Right, Drake Lehmkuhl shoots. He was the high scorer with 25 points. Below Left, Autumn Mingle drives toward the basket as #1 Katie Chesser defends. Below Right, McKenzie's Sophie Pate and Gleason's Skylar Arnold struggle for possession of the ball.



McKenzie Wins Two Over Gleason

BY JOEL WASHBURN
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GLEASON (January 12) — The last time the Gleason Lady Bulldogs and McKenzie Lady Rebels met last season was in the Class 1A state tournament in Murfreesboro on March 11, 2022 in the semi-final round. McKenzie won that back and forth contest by 58-46 over McKenzie's closest neighboring city.

On January 12, it was McKenzie edging Gleason by a score of 53-41. The final score spread is not indicative of the tight score throughout the contest. McKenzie held a slim margin at the end of the first three quarters by scores of 13-12, 27-23, and 40-36. It was a 13-point surge in the fourth that secured a

McKenzie victory. McKenzie Lady Rebels (11-5 overall) were led in scoring by Kiley Reynolds with 17, followed by Briley Auvenshine with 12, Katie Chesser with 7, Sophie Pate with 6, MiKaela Reynolds with 5, Sarah Luci with 3 and Molly French with 3.

The team is coached by John Wilkins.

Gleason Lady Bulldogs were led by Autumn Mingle with 13, Ava Sawyers with 9, Kaylee Tucker with 9, Sophie Wilson with 8 and Maya Lamb with 2 for a total of 41.

The team is coached by Sean Stephenson.

McKenzie Rebels took an early lead over the Gleason Bulldogs. The Rebels led the entire contest. Gleason's Drake Lehmkuhl was the lead scorer in the contest with 25 points on the

evening. Younger players saw action much of the fourth quarter.

McKenzie scored 31, 24, 13, and 10 in the respective quarters for 78 points total.

The Rebels were led by Bryson Steele with 17, Tate Surber with 16, Marquez Taylor with 14, Hayden Garrett with 11, Zay Webber with 6, Stafford Roditis with 5, and Carter Kee, Christopher Beck and Mar-tez Teague each with 3. The team is coached by John Wilkins.

Gleason scored 14, 14, 16, and 11 in the respective quarters for 55 total points.

Drake Lehmkuhl led with 25 points. Kylan Borneman had 12, Kade Sawyers had 9, Kyzer Crochet had 4, Conner Cook had 3 and Gage Byington had 2.

The team is coached by Mike Riggs.



(L to R) Meredith Perritt and Blaine Todd, Delaney Byars and Braylon Rich, Lilly Kee and Grant Livingston, Queen Sydney Anderson and Ethan Lewis, Lia Fuller and Seth Ricketts, Madison Mann and Jax Bennett, Claire Cary and Easton Byars, and Kelcey Stephenson and Jameson Drinkard. Photo by Erin Douglas/The Banner

2023 Huntingdon Basketball Homecoming Royalty

HUNTINGDON (January) — The 2023 Huntingdon Basketball Homecoming Queen and Court were announced during the halftime of the Huntingdon Mustangs game against Gleason.

The representatives from each grade level were announced and the event culminated with the crowning of the 2023 queen, Sydney Anderson.

Freshman Representatives — Meredith Perritt, daughter of Mark and Misty Perritt, escorted by Blaine Todd, son of Corey and Candace Todd; and Kelcey Stephenson, daughter of Chad and Bridgett Barnhart, escorted by Jameson Drinkard, son of Johnny and Cristina Drinkard and Sarah Drinkard.

Sophomore Representatives — Delaney Byars, daughter of Chad and Kim Byars, escorted by Braylon Rich, son of Tim and Lori Laprade; and Claire Cary,



The 2023 Huntingdon High School Basketball Homecoming Queen is Sydney Anderson, daughter of Chip and Karen Anderson.

daughter of Mike and Susan Cary, escorted by Easton Byars, son of Chad and Kim Byars.

Junior Representatives — Lilly Kee, daughter of Stacey Kee and Carl and Kim Johnson, escorted by Grant Livingston, son of

Brad and Kim Livingston; and Madison Mann, daughter of Ryan Mann and Jacquelyn Ramsey, escorted by Jax Bennett, son of Seth and Jill Bennett.

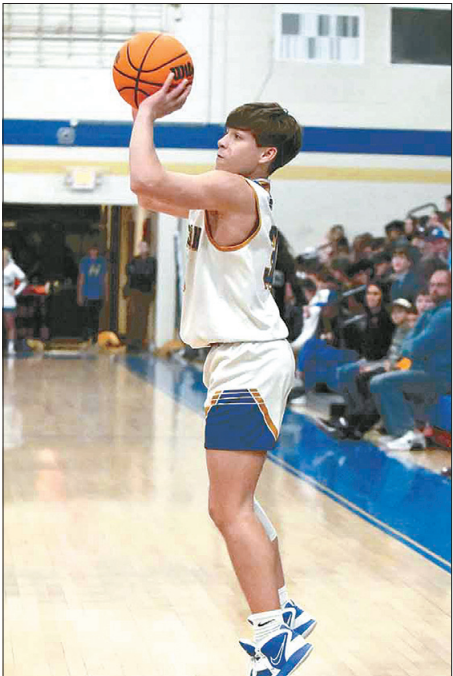
Senior Representatives — Sydney Anderson, daughter of Chip and Karen Anderson, escorted by Ethan Lewis, son of Jason and Heather Lewis; and Lia Fuller, daughter of Jody and Amy Fuller, escorted by Seth Ricketts, son of Bud and Tanya Ricketts.

The Huntingdon High School Cheerleaders presented flowers to the homecoming court followed by AB Club President, Josie Sanders, crowning the 2023 homecoming queen and AB Club Co-Vice-President, Sydney Vinson, presenting her with flowers.

The 2023 Huntingdon High School basketball homecoming queen is Sydney Anderson.



Sophie Singleton



Ty Kelley

Huntingdon Fillies Top Gleason

BY ERIN DOUGLAS
Sports Writer

HUNTINGDON (January 13) — The Huntingdon Fillies topped the Gleason Lady Bulldogs 60-38 on homecoming night. The Fillies held the Lady Bulldogs to single digits during the first half.

The Lady Bulldogs were scoreless three minutes into the game. Autumn Mingle scored the first two points for the Lady 'Dawgs from the free-throw line. Sophie Wilson drove to the basket for two points.

The Fillies were off to the races during the first quarter and chalked up 22 points. Annabelle Singleton chalked up ten points in the first eight minutes. Annabelle drained three 3-pointers in the first quarter. Sophie Singleton drove to the basket twice for four points. Lilly Kee had five points to start the game. Kee drove to the basket twice then drew a foul and made one shot from the line. Sydney Anderson drove to the basket for two points. Sara Beth Smith tacked on one point from the foul line. The Fillies had a 22-4 lead at the end of the first quarter.

The Huntingdon defense had the Lady 'Dawgs on lockdown and only allowed five points in the second quarter. Mingle had two points in the paint and another from the line. Ava Sawyers drained two free throws. The Lady Bulldogs were held to just nine points at halftime.

The Fillies added 16 points to their lead during the second quarter. Kee added six points to the board. Sophie Singleton drove to the basket and had a 3-point play in the paint. She then drained a shot from behind the arc and one shot from the free-throw line. Anderson drained three free throws during the second quarter. Huntingdon led Gleason 38-9 at halftime.

After the break, the Fillies added 12 points to their side of the board. Josey Stokes and Kee added four points each. Delaney Byars and Anders chalked up two points each.

The Lady Bulldogs were able to break through the Huntingdon defense during the third quarter and chalk up 13 points. Mingle had a

shot in the paint and one from behind the arc. Wilson added two points. Jaeda Perry and Maya Lamb had three points each with a shot in the paint and one from the free throw line. The Lady Bulldogs trailed 50-22 going into the final quarter.

The Bulldogs added 16 points to their score during the fourth quarter. Mingle had four points in the paint. Sawyers had seven points during the quarter. Skylar Arnold went 3-for-4 from the line in the final quarter and had a shot from the block for two more points.

The Fillies flew past the Lady Bulldogs adding another ten points in the final quarter. Byars had seven points going 3-for-3 at the free-throw line. Juli Harris drained a 3-pointer to finish off the victory. The Huntingdon Fillies secured a 60-38 victory on homecoming night.

The Huntingdon Fillies play host to the Milan High School Lady Bulldogs on Tuesday, Jan. 17. The Gleason Lady Bulldogs travel to Greenfield High School on Tuesday. Tip-offs for both contests are 6 p.m.

Mustangs Muscle Out Homecoming Win

The Huntingdon Mustangs defeated the Gleason Bulldogs 74-45 on Homecoming night.

The Mustangs were led to victory by Ty Kelley who had 25 points for the night. Tylen Willis had 17 points all coming from either the line or from in the paint.

For the Bulldogs, Drake Lehmkuhl had a total of 16 points.

The Mustangs started the game strong scoring 19 points in the first quarter. Kelley drained two 3-pointers and drove to the basket for two. Landon Gordon added five points to the board. Tylen Willis had four points in the first quarter. Ethan Ramsey drove to the basket for two points.

Lehmkuhl had six points in the first quarter for the Bulldogs. Kade Sawyers drove to the basket for two points. Kylan Borneman drained a shot from behind the arc. The Bulldogs trailed 19-11 at the end of the first quarter.

The Bulldogs added most of their points from the free-throw line in the second quarter. Lehmkuhl made three free throws, then drove to the hoop for two points. Borneman chalked up two points. Carter Cook added two points from the line.

The Mustangs doubled their score in the second quarter. Kelley added ten points by himself. Tylen Willis had two shots in the paint for four points. EJ Lewis and Caleb Ezell drained a 3-pointer each. Kaleb Pateron tacked on one point from the free-throw line. The Mustangs led 40-20 at halftime.

The Mustangs added another 19 points to the board during the third quarter. Tylen Willis added three points from the free throw line and four points in the paint. Kelley added five points to the board. Jordan Willis and Ramsey drove to the basket for two points. Lewis made two free throws and Noah Smothers added one point from the line as well.

The Bulldogs broke free from the Mustangs' defense and scored 16 points in the third quarter. Sawyers had nine points in the quarter. Byington and Lehmkuhl had two points each. Borneman had two points in the paint and one from the foul line. The Bulldogs trailed 59-36 going into the final quarter.

The Bulldogs were held to nine points in the final quarter. Byington and Lehmkuhl had three points each. Borneman made two shots at the free-throw line, and Tristan Chandler added one point from the line.

The Mustangs secured their victory with a 15-point quarter. Kelley added his final two points in the fourth quarter. Keller Smith had six points in the paint. Smothers had two shots for four points. Landon Bryant drove to the basket for two points. Owen King drained one shot from the line to finish off the game. The Mustangs defeated the Bulldogs 74-45.

The Huntingdon Mustangs play host to the Milan Bulldogs on Tuesday, Jan. 17. The Gleason Bulldogs travel to Greenfield High School on Tuesday. Tip-offs for both contests are after the conclusion of the girls' game.



Katie Chesser signs with Dyersburg State. Pictured (L to R): Meya, Jason, Katie, and Samantha Chesser and Dyersburg State Coach George White.

Katie Chesser to Play Softball for Dyersburg State

McKENZIE (January 12) — Katie Chesser, a three-sport athlete at McKenzie, plans to continue her ath-

letic career at Dyersburg State Community College. She committed to play softball on Thursday, Janu-

ary 12 as her family, fellow players, and fans looked on. Dyersburg State softball coach George White said Katie will fit well into the program. He said she is impressed with the way she carries herself and her lateral movements as an infielder. She has good power and will do well with the collegiate elite program.

McKenzie Principal Kelly Spivey told those gathered for the celebration that Katie has done the work both in the classroom and on the field.

Katie said she is happy with her decision to play at Dyersburg State after looking at many choices, some out of state.

The signing event was complete with photos of Katie and her family, softball, soccer, and basketball team mates in separate photographs.

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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