



City Opens New Dog Park

The city of McKenzie dedicated its new dog park Thursday, August 22 at 1:15 p.m. It is located at 608 Como Street, the next driveway past the drive into McKenzie City Park.

Randy Boyd, interim president of the University of Tennessee, was in attendance to view the newly completed facility.

Boyd was impressed with the design, the separate areas for large and small dogs, fencing, seating for humans, and the water fountains for the pets.

McKenzie was the winner of a grant for a dog park from the Randy Boyd Foundation. Boyd and his wife, Jenny, were in town Wednesday, August 8, 2018 to present a check for \$25,000 to Mayor Jill Holland and the City of McKenzie to construct the park. Holland told the gathering a

group of citizens came forward with the idea for such a park.

She acknowledged this was not something high on the priority list due to McKenzie and other towns having to tighten the financial belts and likely would not have happened without this grant. Boyd's goal is to help make Tennessee the dog friendliest state in the country.

Dog Park Dash is the program which McKenzie won the grant for the park. Dog Park Dash is an initiative of the Randy Boyd Foundation that is giving \$1 million per year for three years broken down into one grand prize grant of \$100,000 and 26 grants of \$25,000 each per year. McKenzie competed against 50 other cities across the state who applied for these grants.

Above Left, Randy Boyd and Mayor Jill Holland unveil the new sign, designed by Elliott's of McMoresville. The dog park is free to use and is located adjacent to McKenzie City Park on Como Street. Above Center, Debbie Tharp of Mixie and her dog, Angus enjoy the newly opened dog park. Angus checks out the pet water fountain. Above Right, Daphne and Lollie Brown and their Australian Shepherds attended the ribbon-cutting ceremony at the McKenzie Dog Park. Below, The ribbon-cutting ceremony was attended by city officials, contractors, and Randy Boyd.



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Christian Care Center Executive Director Wendy Melton cuts the ribbon to mark the completion of Phase I of renovations, joined by other administrators and staff, open house guests and community leaders, including Carroll County Mayor Joseph Butler and Carroll County Chamber of Commerce President Brad Hurley. Photo by Brad Sam/The Banner

Christian Care Center Celebrates Renovation Milestone with Open House, Ribbon-Cutting

BY BRAD SAM

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McKENZIE (August 22) — Christian Care Center marked the completion of the first of three phases of renovations Thursday with an open house and ribbon-cutting.

Administrators, staff, residents and their family members were joined by other business and community leaders, including Carroll County Mayor Joseph Butler and Carroll County Chamber of Commerce President Brad Hurley, for the event.

According to Executive Director Wendy Melton, Phase I consisted of renovation of all resident rooms, including all new furnishings, televisions and electric beds; new spas on each hall; renovation of nursing stations; new lighting; and new dining furniture.

Guests were invited to check out the improvements. Refreshments were served, and live music was played in the dining area by local musicians Carl Byars and Steve Bomar. Door prizes were given, donated by CCC's health care partners and other McKenzie businesses. Bingo was played to

wrap up the event.

Phase II will include renovation of the current entrance area to include a chapel, expanded dining area and fireplace.

Phase III will add a new building facing Highway 79, which will serve as the new entrance; a beauty shop; a therapy gym; and outpatient therapy services.

Sandy Deakins, Vice President of Client Operations Consulting Services for Care Centers Management Consulting (parent company of CCC), noted to The Banner that Christian Care Center is among

just six percent of nursing homes to be accredited by The Joint Commission, an independent, not-for-profit organization that accredits and certifies nearly 21,000 health care organizations and programs in the United States.

In an interview with The Banner, Melton said, "Our goal is to be prominent in our city and important to our city. We're very blessed to be here. Very blessed. We have a wonderful team... We provide excellent therapy. We provide excellent nursing care. We are a cut above."

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Carroll, Weakley Counties in Top Ten Highest Unemployment

NASHVILLE — The percentage of persons unemployed in the tri-counties has increased over the last month with Carroll County remaining into the top ten highest unemployed counties and Weakley County joining the top ten highest unemployed counties.

In Carroll County, the unemployment rate hit 6.3 percent in July, as compared to 6.0 in June. The rate is also up .04 from 5.9 in July 2018. From a labor force of 12,228, 11,455 were employed and 773 were unemployed.

In Weakley County, the unemployment jumped to 6.8 percent, up 1.9 from 4.9 percent in June 2019 but down .07 from 7.5 in July 2018. 14,770 were employed out of 15,847 with 1,077 unemployed in the county.

In Henry County, the unemployment rate increased to 4.8 percent, up from 4.5 one month earlier; and 4.6 one year earlier. From a labor force of 14,972, there was 14,258 employed and 714 were unemployed.

The northwest Tennessee region of Tennessee had the second

highest unemployment rate of all the regions in the state with 4.7 percent unemployment across nine counties.

Six West Tennessee counties are listed in the top ten highest in unemployment with Carroll County listed eighth and Weakley County listed fifth. The other counties include Lake, Dyer, Lauderdale, and McNairy counties.

Williamson County had the lowest unemployment rate at 3.2 percent, and Hancock County had the highest at 8.2 percent.

McKenzie School Board Agenda

McKenzie School Board meets Tuesday, September 3, 5:30 p.m. at the McKenzie Board of Education, 114 Bell Avenue, McKenzie.

The agenda includes:
Election of Board Chairman.
Election of Vice Chairman and Treasurer.
Election of Tennessee Legislation Network member and alternate
Hear correspondence addressed to the Board.

Presentation from McKenzie Middle School.

Consider for approval budget amendments to the McKenzie Special School District School Funds.

Consider for approval, MOU related to Collaborative Conferencing.

Hear from MEA representative. Consider for approval, on second

reading, the following amendments to the McKenzie Special School District Board of Education Policy Manual.

1.406 Minutes, 4.605 Graduation Requirements, 4.700 Testing Programs, 5.200 Separation Practices for Tenured Teachers, 5.201 Separation Practices for Non-Tenured Teachers, 6.506 Students from Military Families Director's Report.

County Approves Budget, Tax Rate

HUNTINGDON — Carroll County commissioners approved the 2019-2020 fiscal year budget during their meeting Monday, August 26 at 7 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Carroll County Office Complex. Three commissioners voted against the proposed budget and tax rate, Commissioner John Austin, Commissioner John Mann and Commissioner Randy Long.

The tax rate is \$1.5519 per \$100 assessed value of real property.

The rate is unchanged from the year 2018-19.

The rate consists of \$1.1219 for the General Fund, .09 for Solid Waste, .08 for the Highway, .14 for School Transportation, and General Debt Service of .12.

It will fund a budget of \$11,991,102 for General Fund, \$1,688,255 for Solid Waste, \$119,832 in Drug Control, \$4,375,746 for Highway/Public Works, \$2,600,055 for General Purpose School Fund, \$1,649,057 for School Transportation,

and \$639,425 for General Debt Service Fund.

Approved donations to non-profit organizations are as follows: Rescue Squad \$3,000, Gordon Browning Museum \$5,000; McKenzie Memorial Library \$6,000, Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse \$25,000, Tennessee Rehab Center \$500, McKenzie Senior Citizens Center \$200, and Carroll County Shooting Sports Park \$10,000.

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Festival

...From Front Page

reopened to sell food and crafts and the Southern Fried Funnies returned for the second and final performance at the Park Theatre. The cast included: Wayne Bannister, Katie Bloodworth, Anna Moore, Veronica Davis, Matthew Espey, Andrew Evans, Ed Long, Amy McCaskill, Judi Murphy, Fran Musser, Brad Sam, Joe Sam, Mark Warren, Dan Webb

and "The Gossip Girls." The Barons band from Paris performed at 5 p.m. followed by Bethel's Renaissance Theater, Quartet, and Choir. Act II Committee hosts the annual event. It is chaired by Ryan Griffin. The Committee was first organized to raise money to restore the Park Theatre. That goal was accomplished, however, the festival continues as McKenzie's signature festival. The next festival is the Boo Bash, sponsored by the City of McKenzie and Bethel University.



Above Left, Matthew Holt, executive director of Renaissance, was right at home on the keyboard. Above Right, A large gathering of people enjoyed the evening entertainment along Broadway Street. Below Left, Belle Glisson gets her face painted by Carla Lee. Below Center, Cason Simmons and Hailey Johnsonius look at the Sulcata Tortoise at the petting zoo. Below Right, Mayor Jill Holland visits with Eddyville Fried Pork Skins. Photos by Joel Washburn/The Banner



Above Left, The First Cumberland Presbyterian Church ladies display some of the crafts. Some were also in costume as actors in the Southern Fried Funnies. Above Right, The family and associates of the late Dr. Volker Winkler donated a sitting bench in the doctor's memory. Forty-one years ago, Dr. Winkler came to McKenzie and started practicing medicine. He was the catalyst to build McKenzie Medical Center to bring big city amenities to the rural area. Pictured are Kirsten Winkler Sass, Jeff and Sabastian Sass, Robyn Winkler Hatler, Fred Hatler, Alyssa Bella Sass, Benjamin Winkler, Dr. Terry Colotta, and Ty Winkler. The bench will be placed at the Splash Pad. Below Left, Bethel's Renaissance Choir concluded Saturday evening's entertainment. Below Right, Bethel's Renaissance Theater presented a animated production of Aladdin on the Broadway Street. Photos by Joel Washburn/The Banner



Flood

...From Front Page



A car stalled along South Main Street.

Tater

...From Front Page

Gazelle Grounds. During intermission is the annual Gazelle cake auction, with proceeds benefitting the Gleason Community Benevolence Fund. Gleason's best cooks have been asked to prepare their finest to go on the auction block. The 2019 Sweet Potato Bake Off will be held at the Gazelle Grounds on Friday night, August 30. Entries must be at the

cook booth by 5 p.m. First place will receive a \$50 cash prize, with second and third receiving gift certificates from Simply Southern Café. The Community BBQ is Friday night, August 30. Gates open at 5:30 p.m. Admission will be \$7. The band Flashback will be on hand to entertain. The annual JC Carey 5K Memorial Race starts the Saturday morning events on August 31. Registration will be at 6:30 a.m. in front of Gleason School, with the race to start at 7 a.m. The Jr Parade starts at 10 a.m. followed

by the Grand Parade. All horses will register at the Gleason Saddle Club prior to the parade. There is an antique tractor and truck show on the school grounds. Live entertainment, arts and crafts, food and jumpy houses will begin at 11 a.m. on the Gazelle Grounds. The week's festivities conclude on Sunday, September 1 with a community wide worship service hosted by Gleason Cumberland Presbyterian Church. The Gleason Gazelles wish to invite everyone to attend the 2019 Tater Town Special.

Austin

...From Front Page

Rhonda Bomar, Micah's grandmother, wrote the following timeline of events. The incident occurred around 8 p.m., early in the contest. Micah was tackled during a play at the football game between McKenzie and Huntingdon! We knew he had been hit hard because he was not moving at all. His Mom & I knew something was seriously wrong so we went to him. The medical personnel, including the paramedics were working with him. They told us he was unconscious and definitely had a concussion. The family requested Austin be transported to Henry County Medical Center. As the paramedics got him to the

ambulance Micah lost conscience again and couldn't answer their questions. At that point they said we need to have him airlifted to Vanderbilt Trauma Unit of Pediatrics. They told us it would be best to have the helicopter arrive in Huntingdon so we all headed that way! When Micah got to Huntingdon he was more alert and concerned about riding in the helicopter. They departed with Micah around 9:30 and told us they would call in an hour to let us know how he was doing. The helicopter made a stop in Dickson because the clouds were too low! He was transferred to an ambulance for the remainder of the trip to Vanderbilt. The family arrived at Vanderbilt around 11 p.m. and found Micah in his room. He said he had been there about 15 minutes. His blood pressure and

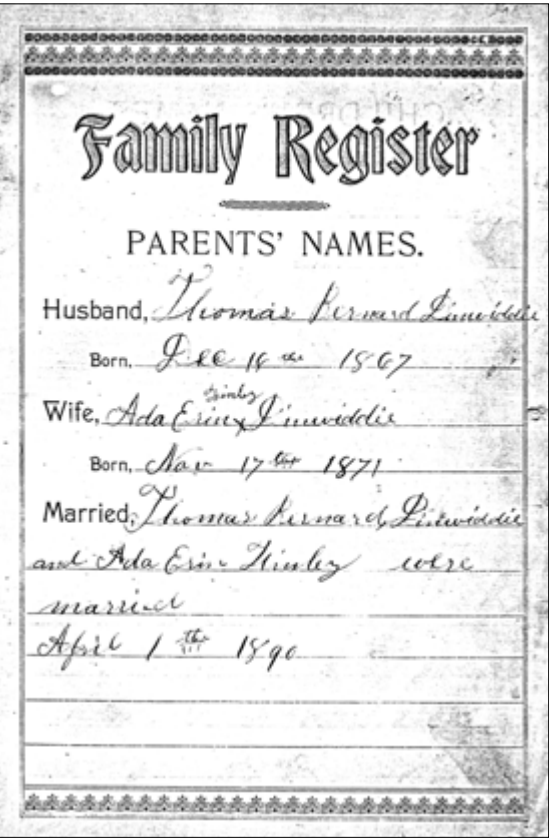
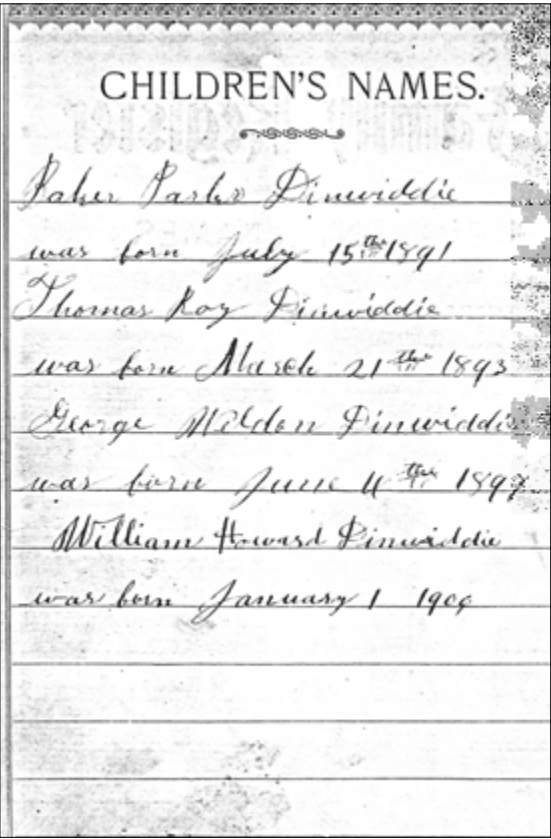
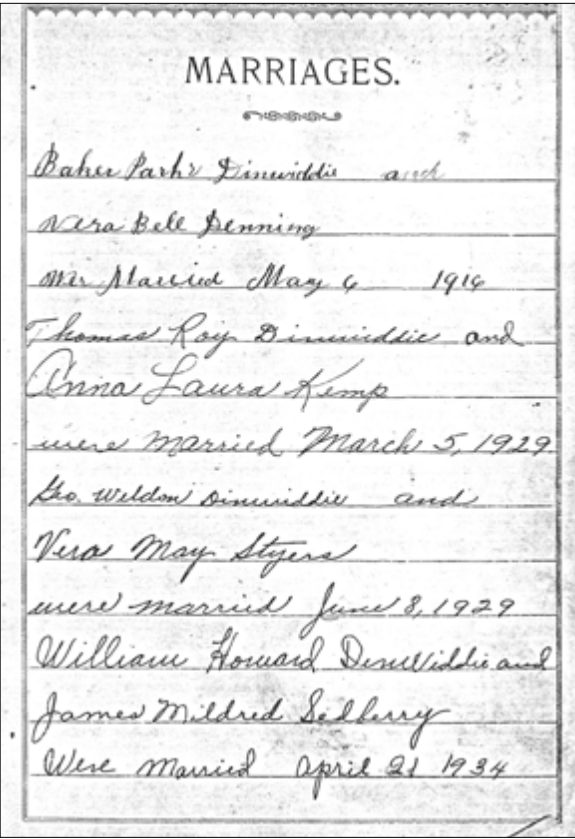
other vitals were very good. The doctor gave the family an update on Micah's condition. She said he did have a concussion but everything else looked good. She told us that she would do a cat scan if we wanted. One just to assure us that he would be good. I walked with him to have the scan and he was doing good. The results came back clear. So he was released to go home after that! The doctor told Micah not to do much for the next two weeks. He is still having headaches, which is normal, according to the medical staff. We are to watch him closely to make sure his speech (if slurred) and any numbness be checked. Micah is at home and resting from the trauma of the concussion. We thank everyone who was concerned and prayed for him. We were blessed it wasn't worse and we know that God is good!

Early Deadline

The McKenzie Banner will be closed for Labor Day on Monday, September 2. Deadline for all ads and news is Friday, August 30 at NOON for the Tuesday, September 3 edition. Thank you for allowing our staff a day off. Please come see us this week if you need to get something in next week's paper.

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Above Left, Howard Dinwiddie, Bethel Athlete. Taken around 1927. Above Right, Pages from the Joseph Robert Baker Dinwiddie's family bible. Right, Madison Bagby Dinwiddie (1839-1924), fought for the Confederacy during the American Civil War. Far Right, Members of the Thomas Dinwiddie family in front of the old home place on Eli Brown Road, taken approximately 1911. (L to R): Badly (horse), Baker Parker Dinwiddie, Thomas "Tom" Dinwiddie (father), Thomas Roy Dinwiddie, George Weldon Dinwiddie, William Howard Dinwiddie, Ada Finley Dinwiddie (mother), Jim (dog) and Floyd Dinwiddie (relative on porch).

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The Dinwiddie Family — Part II

From Caledonia to McKenzie

In the previous edition, I left off with Joseph Robert Baker "Bake" Dinwiddie who was the third generation Dinwiddie to live in the Caledonia community. If you recall his grandfather, James Dinwiddie (1755-1842), fought in the American Revolution with undocumented battles and dates. Bake's father, James Jr., was born 1782 in Virginia. He moved with his father to Lafayette County, Kentucky in 1787. From there they moved to Madison County, K. in 1792. The Dinwiddie family migrated to West Tennessee in 1823.

Bake was born in Henry County, Tenn. on February 2, 1828. He married Sarah Lee Gordon in 1860, where they produced nine heirs: Mary Martha, Prucilla Gordon, Nancy Lee, Eliza Ellen, James Mucious (died as young man), Thomas Bernard, John Newton, Callia Calista and William Floyd. Sarah died in 1887, and Bake remarried in 1893 to Dolphine Snead.

The following record is from Eva D. Beasley (Bake's granddaughter) dated 1986:

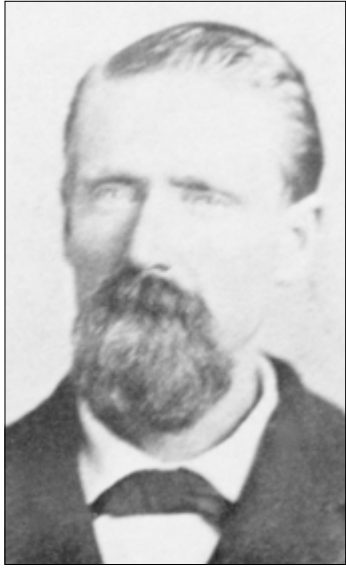
J.R.B. Dinwiddie was a large landowner and farmer. He owned and operated a "Thread Factory" in old Caledonia near McKenzie, Tenn. He was quite active in community service. Bake and his wife were educated Tenn. Sarah Lee's parents lived in Carroll County, near or in Macedonia Community... The Dinwiddie children were

educated at Macedonia School. The beautiful two-story colonial home built by Joseph Robert Baker for his family home was called "Cedar Front." It was partially destroyed by fire. Lightning struck the tall chimneys at each end of the house. It was later rebuilt into a one-story house...In its time the home was gathering place for young and old. Inside the house, over three doors were secret hiding places for valuables or guns, knives and weapons for protection. Furniture was purchased in Philadelphia on a buying trip and brought to the home by boat to Big Sandy Landing then loaded onto an oxcart and brought to the Henry County location at the Carroll County line.

In the family bible there are important notes as well as family history. There is a Dinwiddie family cemetery on the land that was the Dinwiddie Plantation. It is almost gone from lack of care.

Thomas Bernard was born in 1867 in Henry County. He married Ada Erin Finley in 1890. She was a Carroll Countian and a descendant of William Finley, a wagon-maker from Baltimore, Md., who fought in the American Revolution. The couple had four children: Baker, Roy, Weldon and William Howard.

William Howard was born New Year's Day in 1906 on a farm near the Perry School Community in Henry County.



Howard graduated from Henry County High School in 1924, then completed a business course at Bethel College in McKenzie. In 1929, he moved to McKenzie and began working with the Cash Economy Wholesale Company, which was headquartered in McKenzie. The company moved to Jackson, Tenn. in 1958, but Howard stayed in McKenzie taking the position of city clerk. He served as clerk until his retirement in 1976.

Howard married Mildred Sedberry in 1934. Mildred was the daughter of Hettie Nesbitt and Andrew Johnson Sedberry. Mildred's grandfather was Nathan Nesbitt, who on December 9, 1822, made a trail through the woods to the new county seat (Huntingdon), carrying a cross-cut saw. It is reported he carved the door for the log courthouse and as Chairman of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, opened the first session of the court. Mildred's older sister was Cora Sedberry.

The following record is from Mildred Sedberry Dinwiddie:

As a student in high school and college, "Dinwiddie" was a member of the football, basketball and baseball teams. His interest in sports activities never declined and he always remained an avid fan of all teams McKenzie. He was committed to other civic projects and had been elected treasurer of the Senior Citizens Center in 1983.



While a member of the First United Presbyterian Church in McKenzie, Mr. Dinwiddie served as choir member, elder of the church, church treasurer, and Sunday school teacher and superintendent. When he was a small child, the family were members of the Shiloh Presbyterian Church in rural McKenzie.

Howard and Mildred had two children: Catherine Love (Argo) and Betty Jane (Brinkley). Howard died in 1984.

Another Dinwiddie story of interest is that of Madison "Matt" Dinwiddie, son of Jedidiah, grandson of William Dinwiddie, great-grandson of Lt. James Dinwiddie. He was born 1839 in Madison County, Tenn.

Matt enlisted in the Confederate Army in Company I of the Fifth TN Infantry. The regiment was organized in Paris, Tenn., in May, 1861. The unit fought at New Madrid, Shiloh, and Perryville before being assigned to Strahl's, Stewart's, and Palmer's Brigade, Army of Tennessee. In December, 1862, it was reduced to five companies, and consolidated with the Fourth Tennessee Volunteers. It participated in the

various campaigns of the army from Murfreesboro to Atlanta. He returned to Tennessee with Hood and was active in North Carolina and Chickamauga.

During the war he suffered the loss of every member of his immediate family, and returned to find his home devastated by Union troops. His father's house was destroyed, and the only people left were a few of the older body servants who remained on the plantation until their death.

At the Battle of Atlanta, Matt's brother was killed, and Matt was felled with a ball from a Union musket passing through his left lung just above his heart. He was in a hospital in Georgia for four months and finally recovered sufficiently to make his way home.

When he returned home he married Mary Elizabeth Patterson and began farming near McKenzie. The family was located on Coldwater Road near the old Manley Crossing.

Not only did the Dinwiddie family play a prominent role in McKenzie history, but they helped in the shaping of American history with family members fighting in the American

Revolution and the Civil War. Strong in their pious faith and a high regard for education, numerous Dinwiddies were educators and members the clergy. From colonial times to the modern era in McKenzie, the Dinwiddies helped make McKenzie what it is today.

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A Pictorial History of McKenzie, Tennessee



Southern Star Lumber Co. office, Magnolia Ave., early 1980s. 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

Another Tie That Binds...

My older brother, like he did with so many things, introduced me to football. He came in one afternoon with an old worn out leather football that looked more pumpkin shaped than the official Wilson "Duke" used by the NFL today. I would have thought it more suited to the Knute Rockne or Red Grange era but I'd never heard of either of those guys at the time.

Leon collected me and David Mark out in the front yard and explained the rules of the game, "I'm going to tuck this ball under my arm and run from the sidewalk to the edge of the road. The house is out of bounds on this side, the line of maple trees will be the other sideline. Y'all have to tackle me to the ground before I get to the road.... anyway you can!"

He directed us out to the middle of the "field" and came thundering at us with a full head of steam. Folks, I'm five years old. David is twenty months younger. Leon (because of World War II) was almost eleven!

He was twice as tall, three times as big and four times meaner! We would have thought he looked like Bronko Nagurski and Tank Younger rolled into one snorting across the yard.... but again, we'd never heard of either of these NFL titans.

His knee caught me square in the nose, his left foot crushed my Adam's apple as he roared over us on the way to his first ever touchdown. I was gasping for air and wiping blood on the tail of my shirt when he backed us up almost to the sidewalk, "I'm going

to kick the ball to you now, you have to catch it and try to run to the road before I smack you into the ground."

David Mark and I didn't win a game the first two seasons.

I hear these coaches today talk about how football builds character. They swear the game prepares you for life. They extol the virtues of getting knocked down...and rising again and again. They toss words around like fortitude, courage, teamwork, guts and determination.

Didn't a one of those things cross my mind out there between the house and the maple trees! Survival did! How to stop a nosebleed did! What in the world am I doing out here did!

I signed up for junior high football in the seventh grade. I was so proud to finally have shoulder pads, real football cleats and a helmet.

Coach Rogers ran us everyday before, during and after practice. It was hard to go out for a pass when you were standing on your tongue. I'm telling you, we ran more than we footballled!

Coach Scott ran us even more in high school. He allowed it would make us "stronger in the fourth quarter". We'd get in a circle and play "bull in the ring" to toughen us up. We'd back up about ten feet apart and practice running head long into each other.

I came home limping or nursing a bruise so often that Mom grew a little leery of football. She was afraid we might get hurt. I shook my head in disbelief. Didn't she ever look out the

window when Leon was beating us to death in the front yard! We were barefooted, not a bit of protective gear and playing against a giant!

And remember when Leon shoved us out of bounds...it was into a maple tree on one side, and a brick house on the other!

My first day of practice in college was a hoot. The University of the South didn't have tackling dummies. They used freshmen! If you got run over or dropped a pass, Coach Majors would say, "Your problem, son, is your mother has always cut your meat for you."

He didn't give the character speech. Or bother with the courage or determination stuff. He "grew you up" whether you wanted to or not...

Another football season is upon us. We'll hear about the Crimson Tide and the rambling wreck from Georgia Tech. We'll be inundated with Aaron Rogers' sightings. We'll argue over targeting rules. And maybe this is the year someone will explain how the Big Ten Conference has, in fact, fourteen teams.

But mostly, the return of football gives me pause to appreciate all over again the wonderful moments I spent with Leon and Dave out in the front yard, the many teammates that are as special to me today as they were "back when" and the precious group of tough, mean, snarly old coaches that cared enough to yell at me...from their hearts.

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HUNTINGDON ELKS LODGE OPEN HOUSE

The Huntingdon Elks Lodge will host an all-day, family-friendly event on Saturday, August 31. The open house will begin at noon with a free lunch for visitors. Information about the organization and what it does for communities will be set up throughout the facility. Activities will be set up for children and the Vols game will be shown. The event will continue in the evening with a free fish fry dinner complete with frog legs and sides. The meal is free; however, Food Fund donations are always welcome. The event will end with a live band, One Nyte Stand, performing from 9 p.m.-1 a.m. This part of the event is for those 21 and older. The event is open to the public and all Elks and their guest.

ERVIN, BARNES, ALLEN REUNION

A reunion of the three families is Saturday, September 14, 11 a.m. at the Henry Civic Center. The meal is add-a-dish style.

DEMOCRAT WOMEN TO MEET

The Carroll County Democratic Women and County Executive Committee meets in a combined meeting every third Tuesday each month, 6 p.m. at

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PARKS, RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD TO MEET

The McKenzie Parks and Recreation Advisory Board will meet Wednesday, August 28, 2019 at 5:30 p.m. at McKenzie City Hall.

MCKENZIE ALCOHOL BOARD TO CONVENE

The McKenzie Alcohol Board convenes Thursday, Sept. 12

at 5:15 p.m., at McKenzie City Hall. The agenda includes non-compliance by the Red Cave regarding customer capacity, food service, and issues raised with the nature of the business.

CARROLL COUNTY ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES

Huntingdon location: Adult Education Building, 191 Mebanwood Drive on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9 a.m. to noon, also Tuesdays, 5-7 p.m. McKenzie Location: McKenzie Church of Christ, 16300 Highland Drive on Thursdays, 4-7 p.m. New Student Orientation on the third Thursday of each month in the Huntingdon location. For more information please call the Carroll County office at 731-986-4841.

MCKENZIE INDUSTRIAL BOARD MEETS AUGUST 20

McKenzie Industrial Board meets Tuesday, August 20, 6 p.m. at the former railroad depot.

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The Carroll County Humane Society provides low-cost cat spay/neuter vouchers for \$35. Come by the shelter 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 10 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Saturdays. Call Paris Vet Clinic and set up your appointment. Take your cats in one morning

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MILAN ARSENAL REUNION

Associates of Milan Arsenal Ammunition Plant will convene for the 2019 reunion on Friday, September 13 at Hig's Restaurant, Milan. Registration begins at 11 a.m.

MCKENZIE CONDEMNATION MEETINGS MONTHLY

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

WEBB ALUMNI MUSEUM

Webb High School Alumni, Inc., and the Webb High School Alumni Museum Committee welcome all to visit the museum at 938 West Walnut Ave., McKenzie, open every Tuesday from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. or by appointment.

MCKENZIE HISTORIC ZONING MEETS MONTHLY

The McKenzie Historic Zoning Committee meets the second Wednesday of each month at 4 p.m. in the council chambers at city hall.

TURNING POINT GROUP AA MEETINGS

Turning Point Group AA meetings are Thursdays at noon at the Park Theatre in McKenzie.

MCKENZIE AA MEETINGS

The McKenzie group of Alcoholics Anonymous meets Sunday and Wednesday nights at 8 p.m. at 10 Lee Street in downtown McKenzie. For more information, call Sean at 731-535-2884 or Robert at 731-418-2772.

MCKENZIE INDUSTRIAL BOARD MEETS MONTHLY

McKenzie Industrial Board meets the second Tuesday of each month, 6 p.m., in the former railroad depot building.

MCKENZIE CITY COUNCIL MEETS MONTHLY

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

Democrats Make Rural Healthcare Stop



Left, Tennessee Democratic Chairman Mary Mancini speaks in front of the former McKenzie Regional Hospital. Behind Mancini are members of the Democratic Party from Madison, Gibson, Weakley and Henry counties. Right, Tennessee Democratic Chairman Mary Mancini and Randal Rice hosted a round table event at Bethel's Vera-Low Center discussing events that led to McKenzie Hospital's closure and the closure of 12 other hospitals across Tennessee. Photos by Jim Potts/The Banner



County Mayor Welcomes Students to Head Start



Students at Head Start-McKenzie started the 2019-20 year last week. Carroll County Mayor Joseph Butler welcomed students and parents as they entered the building. Left, Lea Harris and Jennifer Vinson also with Mayor Butler welcome Nazier Townes and Shaccarro Weatherford. Right, Major and King Howard were welcomed to Head Start by Mayor Butler. Photos by Joel Washburn/The Banner



Dove Season, Early Goose Season Opens Sunday

NASHVILLE — Dove season opens September 1 at noon (local time), the annual start of one of Tennessee's most long-standing outdoor sports traditions. This year's opening day falls on a Sunday. Tennessee's dove season is once again divided into three segments: September 1-28; October 12-November 3; and December 8-January 15, 2020. Hunting times, other than opening day, are one-half hour before sunrise until sunset. Doves are found throughout the various regions in the state, but the highest concentration is in farming areas. The hunter must have in his/her possession a valid state hunting license and Tennessee Migratory Bird Permit at all times while hunting. Hunters must have landowner's permission to hunt on private land. TWRA manages dove-hunting fields in each of the four regions. For more information and location of fields, visit <http://tn.gov/twra> (dove). The daily bag limit for mourning doves is 15. There is no limit on collared doves. Doves not

readily identifiable as collared doves will be considered mourning doves and will count toward the mourning dove daily bag limit. No person shall take migratory game birds by the aid of baiting, or on or over any baited area. Any auto-loading or repeating shotgun must be incapable of holding more than three shells while being used for dove hunting. In addition to the start of dove season, the early season for Canada goose, brant, blue, snow and Ross' Geese (light geese) also starts on September 1 and runs through September 22. Refer to the 2019-20 Tennessee Hunting and Trapping Guide for daily bag limits. Other hunting seasons that open September 1 are moorhens/gallinules and rails (Virginia and sora). The Tennessee Migratory Bird Permit is also required to hunt these species. More information on Tennessee's dove and other migratory birds can be found on the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency website (www.tnwildlife.org)

in the Hunting section. The 2019-20 Tennessee Hunting & Trapping Guide can also be viewed on the website, the TWRA App, or a copy may be obtained at any TWRA regional office or

wherever hunting and fishing licenses are sold. This year's guide also includes waterfowl regulations, which in previously years were included in a separate guide.

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What is Faith?

BY DR. DENNIS PRUTOW

An old hymn intones, “Only believe. Only believe. All things are possible. Only believe.” Wait. At the end of empty faith there are empty dreams.

Faith that is worthy of the name always has an object. People believe in someone or something, even if it's themselves.

The faith of the Bible is never empty. It is a faith in Jesus Christ. It is belief in the truth that He is God who entered the world in human form.

It is belief in the certainty that He lived an earthly life of sinless perfection on behalf of those who believe—in Him.

It is belief in the fact that Jesus Christ was crucified. It is belief in the explanation that He died to pay for the sins of those who believe—in Him.

It is belief in the record that Jesus Christ was raised from the grave. It is belief in the verity that He lived again to conquer death and the fear of death for all those who do believe—in Him.

Not only so, it is belief in these truths: that Jesus Christ ascended bodily into heaven, that He sat down on the throne of God, that He pours out the Holy Spirit from heaven, and that He reigns as King to give confidence and purpose for living to those who believe—in Him.

McKenzie High School Class of 1957 Meets



McKENZIE (August 16) — The McKenzie High School Class of 1957 met Friday at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church for a catered dinner. Stories of school days were retold with improvements. They also met the next morning at Bobby Gee's for breakfast and to plan next year's reunion. Pictured are (L to R): Front Row — Vernon Lemons, Jenny Garner and Thelma Delaney; Back Row — Barry Baker, Bill Webb, Doyle Chandler, Dwayne Delaney and Tom Campbell.

Church 25 CALENDAR

GOSPEL SINGING AT CIVIC CENTER

Friday, August 30, a gospel singing event will be at the Carroll County Civic Center.

Doors open at 4:30 p.m. for concessions provided by Bates Pentecostal Church; 5:45 features The Bell Family Band; 6 p.m. features “Kids Sing” with five children 10 and under singing. One is Hannah Kate Whitworth, the great granddaughter of Loretta Lynn. 6:30 p.m. is the main event featuring “The Troy Burns Family, The Emeralds, and Carroll County's own..Gospel Edition.

FAIRVIEW BAPTIST HOMECOMING

Fairview Baptist Church Homecoming is September 8. Preaching at 11 a.m. and lunch follows. Fairview Quartet is singing at 1:30 p.m.

LONG HEIGHTS FOOD GIVEAWAY

Long Heights Baptist Church Perishable Food Giveaways are on the second and fourth Wednesday night each month at 8 p.m. at the church located at 260 Old Paris Road in McKenzie.

JOHNSON TEMPLE C.M.E. PRAYER VIGIL

There is a Community Prayer Vigil every Tuesday at 5 p.m. at Johnson Temple C.M.E., 915 Walnut Avenue, McKenzie. We come together to pray for one another, our community and country, then study the Word of God. We invite all to join us.

Johnson Temple C.M.E. Church convenes each Sunday with Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. and morning worship at 11 a.m.

OWEN FAMILY TO SING

The Owen Family will seek at Marlboro Baptist Church, 25164 Highway 114, Bruceton on September 1, 1:30 p.m. at the church homecoming.

Hogslop String Band to Close Nights on Broadway

McKENZIE — Hogslop String Band will wrap up this year's Nights on Broadway summer concert series Thursday, September 5 from 7-9 p.m. The event is sponsored by Carroll Bank and Trust.

Based in Nashville, Hogslop String Band creates and performs cross-genre music that pushes the boundaries of what Old Time music could/should be, blending country, psych and astounding stamina for an energetic performance.

Hogslop has shared stages with the likes of The Avett Brothers, Lukas Nelson, Del McCoury, Punch Brothers, The Infamous Stringdusters, Yonder Mountain String Band, Dom Flemons and many more.

Hogslop is rooted in tradition-

al southern American old-time string band music. Each member was naturally exposed to this wonderful musical heritage through family and friends—just the way traditional music has always been passed down. They formed in 2009 and soon set about entering—and winning—every major string band contest in the South, as well as putting on epic, sweat-drenched square dances wherever space allowed.

Fast-forward to 2017, and the boys begin writing and arranging original material, shaking constraints of traditional forms, but still lending their old-time sensibility to a fresh new sound. With influences ranging from The Byrds to John Prine, Doug Kershaw (guest appearing on the

album) to the 1920's sound of The Skillet Lickers, their new direction is something not easily defined, but unmistakably Southern, unmistakably raw and exciting. This new material is on full display in their first official, self-titled studio album, released in July 2019, accompanied by an extensive schedule of live performances.

If you've never seen Hogslop live, you're missing out on one of the most exciting, floor-stomping musical rides you'll ever see. So be sure to check their tour dates, because these fellas get around!

Hogslop String Band is: Kevin Martin—Vocals, Fiddle; Gabriel Kelley—Vocals, Guitar; Harmonica; Daniel Binkley—Vocals, Banjo; and Pickle—Vocals, Washtub Bass, Upright.

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— MATTHEW 5:16

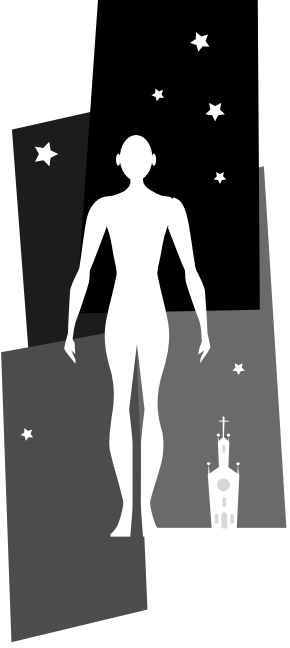
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The Dark Night of the Soul



“Lord, you are the God who saves me; day and night I cry out to you. May my prayer come before you; turn your ear to my cry.” —Psalm 88:1-2

Everyone has their ups and downs. Very few people remain on an even keel, emotionally or spiritually. Just as we have periods of high and low emotions, we can be spiritually elevated one day and spiritually down in the dumps the next. Religious depressions are sometimes described as “dark nights of the soul,” and even the saints have sometimes felt as if God had abandoned them at these times. Even Jesus experienced something like this, saying “My God, my God, why have you abandoned me” when he was dying on the cross. Most of us will never experience anything as horrific as being crucified, but we will all experience some low points spiritually. Perhaps the best way to handle them is simply to ask God for the strength and courage to endure and to realize that these low points always pass. And there may be an upside to these dark nights of the soul. We often advance in virtue during these periods. These experiences keep us humble and make us realize just how dependent we are on God. Without Him, things are quite bleak, and we should give thanks to God for our deliverance, but not be in such a hurry to leave the “valley of the shadow.” Often, we discover important things about ourselves while struggling with pain and adversity.

— Christopher Simon

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Obituaries

DWAYNE BATEMAN
1942 — 2019

TREZEVANT, Tenn. — Funeral services for Dwayne Bateman are 11 a.m., Tuesday, August 27, 2019 at First Baptist Church Trezevant. The family will receive friends on Monday, August 26, 2019 at 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Tuesday 9:30 a.m. until service time. All visitation is at First Baptist Church. Brother Malcolm Norton is the officiant and interment is at Oak Grove Cemetery.

Mr. Bateman, 76, died, Friday, August 23, 2019 at Jackson-Madison County General Hospital. He was born November 9, 1942 in Jackson to L.H. and Arnette Tate Bateman. He was a barber at Bateman Barber Shop and a member of First Baptist Church. He is preceded in death by her parents, and sister, Ruby Nell Fuller.

He is survived by his daughters, Lisa (Arthur) Kapeller of Trezevant and Tina (Jimmy) Kelly of Trezevant, sister, Martha Hopper of Nashville, three brothers, Lloyd (Hope) Bateman of Trezevant, Clyde Bateman of McKenzie and Gordon Bateman of Trezevant, four grandchildren, Kyle (Alexia) Kapeller, Tyler (Kristina) Kapeller, Ryan (Ellie) Latch and Elizabeth (Cody Culp) Latch, three great-grandchildren Scarlett, Cooper and Brantley and a special friend, Johnnie Ingram of Trezevant. Brummitt Funeral Home Trezevant is in charge of the arrangements. If you need assistance please call 731-669-3871 or visit our website at brummittmckenziefuneralhome.com. +

ANITA F. HALE
1917 — 2019

McKENZIE, Tenn. — A family memorial service for Anita F. Hale was Thursday, August 22, 2019 at Carroll Memorial Gardens. Mrs. Hale, 102, died at Jackson-Madison Co. General Hospital Saturday, August 17, 2019. She was born in Yuma, Tenn. on July 13, 1917 to Ben and Ollie Rainey Hudson. She was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church McKenzie. She is preceded death by parents, husband,

Arvie Martin Hale and sister, Ruth Collins. She is survived by her sons, Gene (Nellie) Hale of McKenzie, Richard (Theresa) Hale of Harvest, Alabama and Randy (Joyce) Hale of McKenzie, three grandchildren, Gina (De-ryl) Gore, Jason (Michelle) Hale and Katie Hale, three great-grandchildren, Matt Gore, Anna Hale and Audrey Hale and one great-grand grandson, Brooks Gore, a niece, Pam Collins Bohanek of McKenzie and nephew, Jimmy (Sandra) Collins of McKenzie. In lieu of flowers the family has asked that you make a donation in memory of Mrs. Hale to a charity of your choice. Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. If you need assistance please call 731-352-4848 or visit our website at brummittmckenziefuneralhome.com.

JESSIE MCDADE
1931 — 2019

McKENZIE, Tenn. — Funeral services for Jessie R. McDade, 88, were Sunday, August 25, 2019 at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home. Interment is at Union Academy Cemetery. Mrs. McDade died Friday, August 23, 2019 at Baptist Memorial Hospital. She was born April 12, 1931 in Milan, Tenn. to Claude and Lula Porter Swindell. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, Raymond McDade, a sister, Geraldine Walker and two brothers, Lynn Porter Swindell and John Swindell. She is survived by her daughter, Debra (Rev. James A.) Ketzal of Davis, Ill., sister, Betty Porter of Greenfield and brother, Billy Wade (Shirley) Swindell of Greenfield. Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements. If you need assistance please call 731-352-4848 or visit at brummittmckenziefuneralhome.com.

JIMMY ROSAMOND
1963 — 2019

HUNTINGDON, Tenn. — Graveside services for Jimmy Eugene Rosamond were Saturday, August 24, 2019 at Chapel Hill Cemetery. Mr. Rosamond, 56, died at Jackson-Madison County General Hospital, Thursday, August 22, 2019. He was born July 6, 1963

in New Port, Arkansas to James Marshall Rosamond and Virginia Mitts Rosamond. He was preceded in death by his father. He is survived by his mother, three sisters Sandy Satterlee of Little Rock, Ark., Carolyn Cates of Jackson and Melba Solovie of Paragould, Ark. and three brothers, Johnny Rosamond of Monticello, Ark., Darwin Rosamond of Huntingdon and Marshall Rosamond of Huntingdon. Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements. If you need assistance please call 731-352-4848 or visit brummittmckenziefuneralhome.com.

SUE HEARN
1934 — 2019

McKENZIE, Tenn. — Services for Sue Hearn, 85, will be held Monday, August 26, 2019 at 2:00 pm at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home with Reverend Kip Rush officiating. Interment will follow at Liberty Cemetery near McKenzie. Mrs. Hearn died Wednesday, August 21, 2019 at Lakeside Retirement Center in McKenzie, where she had been living the last few years. She was born on January 20, 1934 in rural Carroll County to Elmer Thomas and Rema Mae Merrell Britton. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Jerry Kent Hearn who died May 28, 2008. Survivors include several nieces and nephews. Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

LORENE PINSON
1933 — 2019

HOLLOW ROCK — Mrs. Lorene P. Pinson, 86, of Hollow Rock, Tennessee died Sunday, August 18, 2019 at the Life Care Center in Bruceton. Funeral services were Saturday, August 24, 2019 in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home. Interment was at New Prospect Cemetery. Mrs. Pinson was born February 25, 1933 in Yuma, Tenn. to the late Ebern N. Parish and Lucy Gray (Hedge) Parish. She was also preceded in death by her husband of 63 years, Johnny Ray Pinson, one sister, Ora Mae McMackins, two brothers, Lloyd Parish and Robert D. Parish. She is survived by four daughters, Judith Avril (husband James)

of Brentwood, Lindel Jackson (husband Kenny), Suzie Edwards (husband Brian), both of Huntingdon, Lucy Daugherty (husband Patrick) of Spring Hill and one son, Johnny Rickey Pinson of Middletown, Delaware. She also leaves nine grandchildren and thirteen great grandchildren.

JIMMIE HALE, JR.
1926 — 2019

PARKER'S CROSSROADS — Mr. Jimmie Hale Jr., 93, of Parker's Crossroads, Tennessee died Thursday August 8, 2019. Funeral services were Sunday, August 11, 2019 at Clarksburg Missionary Baptist Church. Interment was at Parker's Crossroads Cemetery. Mr. Hale was born May 26, 1926 in Yuma, Tennessee to the late James Homer Hale and Bertha Lee McArthur. He was preceded in death by his wife of 65 years, Joy Hale, three brothers, Arvie (Anita), Ozlee (Audrey), Freamon (Billie) and one sister, Artie Todd (Vester). Mr. Hale was drafted at 18, left home in senior year of high school and served in US Army WWII European Theater in various countries. Mr. Hale was survived by his children, Roy Steven Hale (Nancy) of Hernando, Mississippi, Joseph Martin Hale (Regina) of Parker's Crossroads, Tennessee and Rebecca Jean Williams of Trezevant, Tennessee; five grandchildren and his sister-in-law, Anita Hale of McKenzie, Tennessee, who died this week. Dilday-Carter Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements 731-986-8281.

MELISSA ELLIS
1962 — 2019

McKENZIE — Ms. Melissa Ellis, 57, of McKenzie, Tennessee passed away Saturday, August 24, 2019 at her home. Funeral services will be conducted on Tuesday, August 27, 2019 at 2 p.m. in the Chapel of

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Chase Funeral Home. Interment will follow in Everett's Chapel Cemetery. Ms. Ellis was born June 29, 1962 to late Martin Lee Ellis and Sylvia Ann Clark Ellis. She was also preceded in death by a brother, Marty Ellis, and her maternal grandparents, W.C. and Ethel Clark. She is survived by her son Blake Ellis (Jasmine), of Decherd, Tennessee, two sisters, Teresa Beadles (Rickey) of McKenzie, and Charlotte Perry of Lexington, a brother, Lee Ellis (Kelley) of Westport, one grandchild and several nieces and nephews.

BEN HOWARD, III
1956 — 2019

JACKSON, Tenn. — Benjamin (Ben) Fulton Howard, III, died Saturday, August 24, 2019, at his home in Jackson, Tenn. Born on September 15, 1956 in Baltimore, Maryland, Mr. Howard was predeceased by his mother, Virginia Claire Moss Edwards, and his father, Benjamin Fulton Howard, Jr. He was also predeceased by his stepfather, Howard Ripley Edwards. Mr. Howard is survived by his brothers, William Moss Howard of Knoxville and Vincent Howard Edwards of Providence, Rhode Island, as well as numerous cousins. Mr. Howard was a 1974 graduate of McKenzie High School, where he was a member of one of the great football teams in the school's history. He also played football at Memphis State Uni-

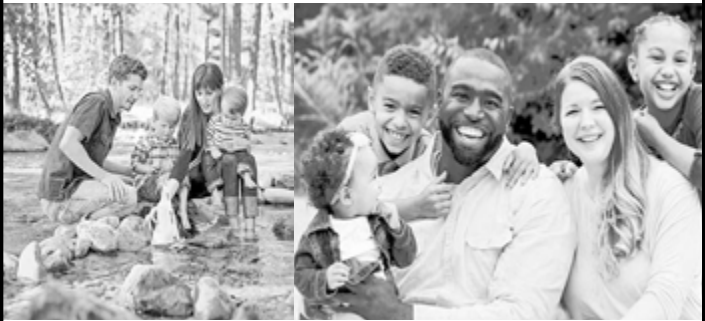
versity (now University of Memphis). In addition to his love for football, Mr. Howard was an avid golfer. In his professional life, Mr. Howard was a sales agent for Aflac Insurance. He was happiest, however, when enjoying the fellowship of friends and family. While Mr. Howard attended several churches, he always considered First Cumberland Presbyterian of Jackson his church home.

A memorial service will be announced at a later date. Memorial gifts may be made to First Cumberland Presbyterian Church, 1730 Highway 45 Bypass, Jackson, TN, 38305. +

LOYCE FULLER
1931 — 2019

HUNTINGDON — Rev. Loyce "Dick" Murrall Fuller, 88, of Huntingdon, Tennessee died Sunday August 25, 2019 at his home. Funeral services are Wednesday, August 28, 2019 at 2 p.m. in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home. Interment will follow in Hampton Cemetery. Mr. Fuller was born March 9, 1931 in Huntingdon, Tennessee, to the late Curtis Edward Fuller and Flosie Mae (Holladay) Fuller. He worked at TVA as a foreman and a Primitive Baptist Minister for many area churches. He was also preceded in death by two brothers, Jack Fuller and Pete Fuller. He is survived by his wife of 67 years, Marjorie Fuller and many nieces and nephews.

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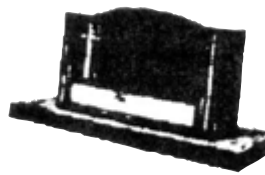
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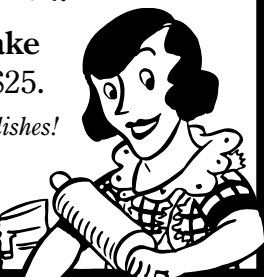
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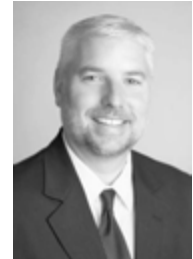
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See solution in next week's edition.

Weekly Crossword

CLUES ACROSS

- Job
- Retirement account
- Parent-teacher organizations
- Audibly
- Leavened bread in Indian cooking
- "To ___ his own"
- Violent disorder
- Not wet
- Worst (French)
- Move with springy steps
- Georgia rockers
- Moved quickly
- Blood proteins
- Return to
- Related to Iran
- The first
- Pearl Jam's debut
- Nocturnal, catlike mammal
- Hymn
- One who engages in arbitrage
- Less bright
- Indian lute
- Discovers
- Weatherman
- Jai __, sport
- Spy organization
- Ancient Greek oracles
- Swindles
- Not young
- Log-shaped pastry
- Professional engineer association
- Arabic feminine name
- Sacred text
- ___ and ends
- What remains after taxes
- Type of watt

CLUES DOWN

- Pack full of clay
- Relating to wings
- Type of bean
- Former MLB commish Bowie
- Short-tailed lemur
- Cheese dish
- To any further extent
- Enzyme
- Taiwan capital
- Extensive landed property association
- Remove
- Remove the head
- High IQ group
- Israeli city ___ Aviv
- Sportscaster
- Hastily set up
- Midway between northeast and east
- Beloved basketball player Jeremy
- Consumed
- One point east of due south
- Television network
- Allow
- Wife
- Grayish-brown mammal
- Written language for blind people
- Insecticide
- Della __, singer
- Cleaned
- Eye membranes
- Past tense of fly
- Anwar __, Egyptian statesman
- Currency exchange charge
- Dark stain
- Easily manageable
- One who does not tell the truth
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CIRCUIT COURT CLERK
CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

STATE OF TENNESSEE, CARROLL COUNTY

WHEREAS, Jennifer Ward executed a Deed of Trust to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as beneficiary, as nominee for FirstBank, Lender and Donald K. Holsinger, Jr., Trustee(s), which was dated October 9, 2012, and recorded on October 15, 2012 in Book 618, Page 667, Instrument Number 148240 in Carroll County, Tennessee Register of Deeds.

WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the debt(s) and obligation(s) thereby secured by the said Deed of Trust and the current holder of said Deed of Trust, Branch Banking and Trust Company, (the "Holder"), appointed the undersigned, Brock & Scott, PLLC, as Substitute Trustee, with all the rights, powers and privileges of the original Trustee named in said Deed of Trust; and

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable as provided in said Deed of Trust by the Holder, and that as agent for the undersigned, Brock & Scott, PLLC, Substitute Trustee, by virtue of the power and authority vested in it, will on September 17, 2019, at 12:00PM at the usual and customary location at the Carroll County Courthouse, Huntingdon, Tennessee, proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described property situated in Carroll County, Tennessee, to wit:

Within the corporate limits of the City of McKenzie and BEGINNING at an iron stake on the west margin of the sidewalk on the west side of Bailey Avenue and on the south margin of Floyd Noel's driveway in line with the outside edge of the concrete curb leading from Bailey Avenue onto said driveway, this being the beginning corner of the lot or parcel of land deeded to P.L. Fite and wife by Mrs. Fannye B. Moore on July 19, 1947 as shown of record in Deed Book 93, Page 278, Register's Office for Carroll County, Tennessee, and runs westwardly and parallel with the north all of the brick garage situated on the lot hereby conveyed 132 1/2 feet to an iron stake, the agreed corner of the Floyd Noel lot and the east boundary of the James Gregg lot; thence south with Gregg's east boundary and "parallel" with Bailey Avenue 174 feet to the north margin of the sidewalk on the north side of Magnolia Street; thence east with the north margin of said sidewalk 132 1/2 feet to the west margin of the sidewalk on the west side of Bailey Avenue; then north with the west margin of said sidewalk along Bailey Avenue 174 feet to the beginning, included in this transfer all rights and title to said sidewalks and plots to the curbs of said streets, except such rights and easements now held thereto by the City of McKenzie, being what is known as the N. B. and Fannye B. Moore homeplace and is the same property deeded to Charles C. Privette, Sr., and wife, Mary Joyce Privette on May 20, 1961 as shown of record in Deed Book 117, Page 248, Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee, to which reference is here made.

This being the same property conveyed to Jennifer Ward by deed of James A. Purcell dated October 9, 2012, and recorded in Deed Book 358, Page 870, Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee.

Parcel ID Number: 012E L 008.00
Address/Description: 386 Magnolia Avenue, McKenzie, TN 38201.
Current Owner(s): Jennifer Ward.
Other Interested Party(ies): N/A

The sale of the property described above shall be subject to all matters shown on any recorded plat; and any all liens against said property for unpaid property 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; a deed of trust; and any matter than an accurate survey of the premises might disclose; and

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 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.

This office is attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

Brock & Scott, PLLC, Substitute Trustee
c/o Tennessee Foreclosure Department
4360 Chamblee Dunwoody Road, Ste 310
Atlanta, GA 30341
PH: 404-789-2661 FX: 404-294-0919
File No.: 18-23613 FC02

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Huntingdon Police Reports

Assault, Kidnapping — A Huntingdon man was arrested August 17 after allegedly assaulting his wife and holding her prisoner at their residence. John David Mayo of 18660 West Main Street was charged with domestic assault and aggravated kidnapping. According to the report by Zachary Barker, he and another officer spoke with Gina Bailey at the HPD. Bailey advised officers about an ongoing situation regarding her brother (Mayo) and his wife, Joetta Mayo, at their home. Bailey said that she was at the Mayos' house when an argument ensued, during which Mr. Mayo threatened to hit his wife and refused to let her leave and threatened Bailey with a baseball bat. Bailey said that before she left the residence, Mr. Mayo, who she said was in possession of a firearm, told her that he would kill her and that Mrs. Mayo "would not make it out alive" if she contacted the police. After calling the Carroll County Sheriff's Department for backup, officers went to the residence. Mr. Mayo walked out onto the front porch and was ordered by officers to lay face down on the ground with his hands behind his back. After Mr. Mayo was taken into custody, officers entered the home and spoke with Mrs. Mayo, who told them that her husband had threatened to "hunt her down" if she didn't call the police and say that everything was okay. Mrs. Mayo showed officers the firearm, which she said belongs to her husband. License Violation — Roman Nathan Guillen of Huntingdon was charged with driving on a revoked license after a minor traffic accident on August 18. According to the report by Officer Brad Allen, Guillen's wife called police to report an accident involving her vehicle and her husband's vehicle. Allen spoke with both Mr. and Mrs. Guillen. Mr. Guillen told Allen that he and his wife had gone to Paris together and had been arguing. He said that after they arrived home, he took his vehicle to get gas, and on his way back home, his wife pulled up behind him in her vehicle at a stop sign, pulled around and struck his vehicle. Mrs. Guillen told Allen that Mr. Guillen had pulled in behind her, pulled around and struck her vehicle. In examining both vehicles, Allen found damage to the front driver's side fender of Mrs. Guillen's vehicle and damage to the front passenger's side fender of Mr. Guillen's vehicle, which supported Mrs. Guillen's account of the incident. A computer check showed that Mr. Guillen's license was revoked. Theft, Criminal Impersonation — Samantha Raye Smith of Woodland Mills was cited for theft under \$1,000 following an August 15 incident at Walmart in Huntingdon, and an active warrant for criminal impersonation was later filed against her. According to the report by Officer Labe Ezell, Smith was detained by Walmart security after she was seen taking a \$1 price tag off a cup and swiping that tag in place of other items in the self-checkout area. When Ezell asked her for identification, she said she only had her social security card and gave him the name of a female family member as her own. Later after returning to the HPD, Ezell discovered that Smith had given a false identity and signed a warrant for her arrest. License Violation — Britany Carol Lee of Paris was charged with driving while license revoked during an August 17 traffic stop. According to the report by Officer Brad Allen, he pulled over a vehicle driven by Lee for having a broken taillight. When asked for her driver's license, Lee told Allen that she had left it at home. A computer check showed that her license was revoked.

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Carroll County Sheriff's Reports

Suicide Threat — A Huntingdon man was arrested August 16 after threatening suicide and acting aggressively toward officers. Scott William Luther, 32, of 3650 Highway 22 was charged with public intoxication and disorderly conduct and ordered to undergo a mental evaluation. According to the report by Deputy Michael Taylor, officers responded to Luther's residence after receiving a call that Luther was intoxicated, had a shotgun and a knife, and was threatening to kill himself. When officers arrived at the scene, Luther was in the house with his mother, who was trying to calm him down. When officers tried to talk to Luther, he became more aggressive and tried to pull a pocket knife from his front pants pocket. Officers wrestled Luther to the floor and put him in handcuffs. DUI — Billy Clayton Williams, 65, of 39673-1265 Newton Road, McKenzie, was charged with driving under the influence (first offense) during an August 16 traffic stop near Huntingdon. Deputy Steven Scott reported that he pulled over a vehicle driven by Williams after observing the vehicle cross the centerline into the westbound lane, almost colliding with another vehicle. According to Scott, Williams smelled of alcohol, and when asked, he told Scott that he had been drinking. Williams performed poorly on field sobriety tests. Drug Possession — Antonio Owens, 18, of 619 Tower Road, Huntingdon, was charged with simple possession of a schedule II drug during an August 17 traffic stop on Highway 22. According to the report by Deputy Steven Scott, he pulled over a vehicle due to a failure to maintain lane violation. Scott reported that the driver appeared to be acting nervously, so he asked if there was anything illegal in the vehicle. Owens, who was sitting in the front passenger's seat, said that he had some Xanax pills in his possession and then pulled five pills out of his sock and handed them to Scott, who then placed Owens under arrest. DUI — Drake Ansley Whitmer, 18, of Covington was charged with driving under the influence (first offense) during an August 18 traffic stop on Highway 436 in McKenzie. According to the report by Deputy Michael Sevarns, he pulled over a vehicle driven by Whitmer after observing the vehicle run off the right side of the road and then veer across the center line. Sevarns reported that Whitmer smelled strongly of alcohol, and the deputy also observed an 18-pack of beer in the back floorboard. Whitmer performed poorly on field sobriety tests, and he refused to submit to breath or blood-alcohol tests. Assault — Tracy Lynn Malone, 49, of 675 Darnall, Huntingdon, was charged with simple assault following an August 18 incident in Trezevant. According to the report by Deputy Steven Scott, he went to 85 Yates Street in Trezevant and spoke with Dayton Campbell and Ashley Saulters, who told Scott that Malone had punched Saulters and grabbed her by the neck. Scott noted that Saulters had visible injuries on her neck and face and a ripped shirt. Malone was later located in McKenzie and placed under arrest. Multiple Charges — Houston T. Wilkes, Jr., 46, of 20590 Highway 114 South, Hollow Rock, was charged with evading arrest, driving on a revoked license, reckless driving, and possession of drug paraphernalia. According to the report by Deputy Scotty Davis, he was driving west on Highway 70 between Huntingdon and Hollow Rock in an unmarked car, when a white car passed him in a no-passing zone. A few minutes later, Davis observed the vehicle stopped on the side of the road, pulled in behind the vehicle, and announced himself as a police officer. Davis observed a black male, later identified as Wilkes, in the driver's seat and a white female, later identified as Cheri Beecham, 26, of Camden, in the passenger's seat. When Scott told Wilkes to turn off the engine and show his hands, Wilkes put the car in drive and sped off. A local firefighter driving a fire truck called in shortly thereafter reporting that a car matching the description had almost hit him on Highway 219. Scott later found the car abandoned behind a residence near the intersection of Highway 219 and Tulip Lane. Identification belonging to Wilkes, a glass pipe, a small amount of marijuana, and one white pill were found in the vehicle. Later that day, deputies found Wilkes and Beecham walking along Highway 219. A handgun was found in Beecham's possession, but no charges had been brought against her as of the time of the report. Assault — Doug Wade Biggart, 55, of 4765 Westport Road, Westport, was charged with simple assault following an August 20 incident at his residence. According to the report by Deputy Michael Krause, Biggart's wife, Andrea Biggart, came to the Sheriff's Office and told officers that her husband was having a mental episode. She said he had locked her out of the house on two occasions, and earlier that day he had started breaking things and yelling and had shoved her into the bathroom, grabbed a large knife, and started making suicidal threats. Vandalism — Authorities are looking for the person or persons responsible for the recent vandalism of property in Cedar Grove. According to the report by Deputy Frank McGee, someone cut through a fence at 20 Water Tower Road and then used a hammer and a crowbar to break into a small building where a county radio repeater is located. Nothing was reported as being taken. Damage was estimated at \$1,000. Multiple Charges — Mary Elizabeth Crews, 43, of Hunter Ridge, Apt. 29, Huntingdon, was charged with DUI (second offense), driving while license revoked, and simple possession of a schedule IV drug during an August 21 traffic stop on Smyrna Road. According to the report by Deputy Steven Scott, he pulled over a vehicle driven by Crews after observing the vehicle run off the side of the road twice. Crews performed poorly on field sobriety tests, and a computer check showed that her license was revoked for a previous DUI conviction. Fourteen white round pills were also found in her possession.

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Marriage Licenses

•David Ray Doster, 52, of McKenzie to Sherry Jean Poiner, 51, of McKenzie.

•Ashton Drake Damesworth, 23, of Bruceton to Peyton Dawn Ellis, 23, of Bruceton.

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City of McKenzie (Owner)

Sealed bids for one Telehealth Cart will be received by the City of McKenzie at the McKenzie City Hall, 2470 Cedar Street, McKenzie, TN 38201 until 1:30 PM, C.S.T., September 13, 2019, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

Bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope, bearing on the outside the name and address of the Bidder and the words "BID FOR Telehealth Cart." If forwarded by mail, the sealed envelope must be enclosed in another envelope addressed to:

Jill Holland
McKenzie Mayor's Office
2470 Cedar Street

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informality or to reject any or all bids.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Close-Out Public Hearing for 2016 CDBG Facade Project

DATE: Friday, August 30, 2019
TIME: 2:00 p.m.
PLACE: McKenzie City Hall, 2470 Cedar Street, McKenzie, TN

A public hearing will be held for the purpose of informing citizens of the 2016 CDBG façade project that has been completed in McKenzie, TN. The City of McKenzie submitted an application to the State of TN, Dept. of Economic and Community Development for the funds to complete the 2016 Community Development Block Grant façade project for improvements to downtown businesses. This public hearing will inform the citizens regarding the program guideline, the amount of funds used and how they were used, the type of project, and the benefit received by the community. McKenzie's governing body is seeking comments from the public. All area citizens are encouraged to attend. The McKenzie City Hall is accessible to persons with disabilities. Persons with special needs who wish to attend should contact the office of the Mayor to make any necessary arrangements which may be needed prior to the time and date of the meeting indicated above.

Mayor Jill Holland, City of McKenzie

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Left, McKenzie's Will Latimer hauls in a pass from Evan Jarrett. Center, Marquez Taylor runs for yards against the Mustangs. Right, Huntingdon's Hunter Ensley goes over the top for a touchdown. Photos by Joel Washburn/The Banner



Huntingdon Rolls to 42-7 Win Over McKenzie

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MCKENZIE — It was a scoreless affair for a little over a quarter before Huntingdon rolled up six touchdowns in a 42-7 win over McKenzie to open the season.

The Rebels won the toss and elected to defer to the second half which gave the ball to Huntingdon first to start the

game. The Mustangs ventured into Rebel territory before being forced to punt. The Rebels moved the ball well into Mustang territory before they were forced to punt. The contest went this way back and forth for the remainder of the opening quarter. Huntingdon did have a touchdown called back on a penalty with 48 seconds left in the quarter.

Two plays into the second quarter, Hunter Ensley leaped

over a pile for a 1-yard touchdown with 11:26 left in the first half. The extra point was good by Cole Edwards for a 7-0 Mustang lead.

McKenzie opened their next drive with a nice 9-yard run by Micah Austin. Austin picked up another 5 yards before getting knocked unconscious on the play delaying the contest for several minutes. Austin was airlifted to Vanderbilt and examined for concussion symptoms.

McKenzie punted the ball after the next couple of plays went nowhere. Huntingdon struck quickly on a 66-yard touchdown with 7:50 left in the half. The PAT was good by Edwards for a 14-0 lead for the Mustangs.

After McKenzie went three and out, Brandon Lawton scored on a 3-yard touchdown run with 5:27 left in the half. The PAT was good by Edwards for a 21-0 Mustang lead.

McKenzie finally got a drive and posted two more touchdowns in the quarter. The first came with 5:14 left on a 78-yard run by Hunter Ensley. The PAT

cut into the Mustang lead 21-7.

Huntingdon's Hunter Ensley took the ensuing kickoff back for a touchdown with 1:22 left in the half. The extra point was good for a 28-7 lead which was the score at halftime.

Both teams engaged in fumbleitis to open the second half with McKenzie fumbling away their first two possessions and Huntingdon fumbling one away during the third quarter.

The Mustangs settled down and posted two more touchdowns in the quarter. The first came with 5:14 left on a 78-yard run by Hunter Ensley. The PAT

was good for a 35-7 lead. The last score of the game came with 2:43 left in the third period on a 71-yard touchdown run by Brandon Lawton. The PAT was good for what would be the final score of 42-7.

Both teams played their younger players in the final quarter. The Mustangs rolled up over 500 yards offensively while McKenzie threw for close to 250 yards in the contest. Huntingdon is on the road again this week to Waverly while McKenzie travels to West Carroll. Both games are scheduled for 7 p.m. starts.

MIDDLE SCHOOL SOFTBALL

MHS Lady Rebels Dominate In Two Wins, Remain Unbeaten

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MCKENZIE/NEW JOHNSONVILLE (August 19-20) — The McKenzie Middle School Lady Rebels continued their early-season dominance last week, taking the sting out of a pair of opponents and improving their record to 5-0. Monday, they hosted Greenfield and blew out the Lady Yellowjackets 13-1 in three innings. Tuesday, they traveled to face the Lakeview Lady Yellow Jackets and came home with a 6-1 win.

McKenzie Lady Rebels 13, Greenfield Lady Yellowjackets 1

McKenzie jumped out to a quick lead with five runs in each of the first two frames. Greenfield plated a run in the top of the third inning, but the Lady Rebels answered with three in the home half to

end the game via mercy rule.

Lady Rebel Nicole Gibson was 2-for-2 with a triple, a walk, four RBIs, two runs scored and two stolen bases. Savannah Davis was 2-for-2 with a double, two RBIs and two runs scored. Aubrey Jackson was 1-for-1 with an RBI. Bailey Hill was 0-for-0 with a walk, two runs scored and two stolen bases. Belle O'Brien was 0-for-0 with a walk, two runs scored and a stolen base. Amy Kate Washburn was 0-for-0 with an RBI and three stolen bases. Mikaela Reynolds, Morgan Little and Taylor Rawls were each 0-for-1 with a walk, a run and a stolen base. Tori Singleton was 0-for-0 with a walk and a run scored. Alyse Lowe was 0-for-0 with an RBI. Sophie Carasco was 0-for-1 with an RBI.

Belle O'Brien earned the complete-game win for McKenzie, allowing one unearned

run on no hits while striking out eight and walking four.

Lady Rebels 6, Lakeview Lady Yellow Jackets 1

McKenzie struck first with a pair of runs in the top of the first, then added two more in the third and one each in the fourth and fifth. Lakeview got on the board with a run in the bottom of the fifth.

Lady Rebel Mikaela Reynolds was 2-for-2 with a double, a walk, three runs scored and a stolen base. Belle O'Brien was 2-for-2 with a walk and a run scored. Savannah Davis was 1-for-2 with a triple, a walk and two RBIs. Taylor Rawls was 0-for-1 with a walk and a run scored. Carli Beeler was 0-for-1 with a run scored.

Belle O'Brien earned the complete-game victory for McKenzie, allowing one unearned run on no hits while striking out five and walking four.

Arnold is 2019 WCJH Homecoming Queen



Above, The court included: (L to R) Jayden Matthews, seventh grade, daughter of Johnny and Tracy Matthews of Trezevant. She was escorted by Brannon Black, son of Bobbie Ewrin of Atwood; Jolie Lowery, eighth grade, daughter of David and Sissy Lowery of Trezevant. She was escorted by Will Rogers, son of Daniel and Kelli Rogers of Cedar Grove; Queen Olivia Arnold, who was escorted by Hayden Holley, son of Travis and Christina Hampton of Cedar Grove; Paisley Coffman, eighth grade, daughter of Avery and Shenna Coffman. She was escorted by Joe Vermillion, son of Jimmy and Cassie Vermillion of Atwood; Zaykia Newbill, eighth grade, daughter of Avery Scates and Angel Newbill. She was escorted by Jon Coleman, son of Harold and Dalira Coleman of Huntingdon; and Lesley Baker, sixth grade, daughter of Robin and Jean Drinkard of Cedar Grove. She was escorted by Michael Adkins, son of Eric and Brittany Adkins of Huntingdon. Right, Olivia Arnold, 13, eighth grade, daughter of Mark and Sally Arnold of Trezevant, was crowned queen at the 2019 West Carroll Junior High Homecoming. She is in Junior Beta Club and plays trumpet in the school band.



Property Transfers

- Janet Marie Barcroft to Janet Marie Barcroft and others.
- Bobbie Jean Brandon and others Charles Scott and others in District 12.
- Ricky and Marisa Gallimore to State of Tennessee.
- Melvin and Frances Marilyn Wimberley to Brad K. and Tiffany Dines in District 6.
- Paul H. Eubanks to Jeff A. and Heather Butterworth in District 6.

- David Wayne and Tara Roberts to Patricia Lee Keith in District 17.
- Wilburn Lee Jr. and Shawn Denise Belcher to Carol S. Wright in District 4.
- Gregory E. Pace to Michelle Fussell in District 4.
- Matthew Simmons to Tippitt Farms in District 23.
- Matthew Simmons to Thomas H. and Nancy Angel Roberts in District 23.

- Matthew Simmons to Tyler Joseph and Elizabeth M. Tippitt in District 23.
- Baristo Rentals to Tommy and Lisa Tippitt in District 11.
- Mackie Wolf Zientz & Mann, P.C. to Samuel and Jane Carrell in District 4.
- Denise Moody Barger and others to Burton D. Edwards in District 12.
- Betty L. Reeves to Krystal J. Brewer in District 3.
- Samuel K. and Jane P. Ellis and others to Michael T. Culpson in District 4.

- Harold Webb to Tonya Lutz in District 11.
- Quent and Vickie Eskew to Ronald and Mary Barnhill in District 11.
- James L. Crayton to Sara J. Burns in District 11.
- Cindy Pruitt Doles to Alisha Suzanne Kirby and others in District 7.
- Kimberly Cavender Hamton and others to Loretta and Dale Irwin in District 16.
- Jesse and Brenda Comstock to Dusty Lee Johnson in District 22.
- Stephen and Cathy Dorris to

- Bart and Janet Gibson in District 5.
- Sammie Gene Haywood to Michael and Steven L. Haywood in District 7.
- Village Capital & Investment, LLC to Secretary of Veterans Affairs.
- Michael W. and Janet P. Nelson to Raymond and Wendy Johnston.
- Dannie R. Harper and others to Zenell Quintella Johnson in District 24.
- Ann Mayfield and others to Paul Williams in District 24.
- Russell Bobbitt to Daniel Scott

- Thomas in District 22.
- Phillip R. and Carolyn E. Williams to Donald Wayne and Brenda Lee Carroll in District 5.
- Gena R. Pancake and Gary R. Ross to Gena R. Pancake and others in District 13.
- William C. Dillahunt to William Clay and Brooxie Dillahunt in District 4.
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- Jerry W. and Debra P. Cobb to Angela and John Spranger in District 11.

Carroll County General Sessions

HUNTINGDON (August 21-22) — The following defendants were bound over to the Grand Jury last week in Carroll County General Sessions Court:

Kevin Shearer, Martin Avenue, Sharon, bound over on charges of Possession of Meth with Intent to Manufacture, Deliver, Sale, Simple Possession/Casual Exchange, Tampering W/Evidence, Evading Arrest, Resisting Arrest, and Driving While License Suspended.

Hunter M. Stafford, Sixteenth Fairway, McKenzie, bound over on charges of Possession of Schedule I Drugs with intent to Manufacture, Deliver, or Sell, Possession of Schedule II Drugs with intent to Manufacture, Deliver, or Sell, and Possession of Schedule VI Drug with intent to Manufacture, Deliver or Sell.

Kaelin Dwayne Willis, Old Franklin Road, Antioch, bound over on charges of Evading Arrest, Reckless Endangerment, Meth-Possession or Casual Exchange, Possession of Schedule II and Schedule IV drugs with intent to Manufacture, Deliver, or Sell.

The following defendants entered guilty pleas and received sentences, fines, and/or court orders:

Gina Alas, Walnut Circle, McKenzie, guilty of Probation Violation, probation revoked, Jail Credit for Successful completion of long-term rehab at least 6 months; dismissed: charge of failure to appear.

Kenneth W. Allen, Garland St, Greenfield, guilty of Misdemeanor or Failure to Appear, \$100 fine, costs and taxes, 90 days unsupervised probation; dismissed: charges of misdemeanor failure to appear.

Joseph A. Conger, Dunaway Ridge, Dover, guilty of Public Intoxication, \$25 fine and 30 days unsupervised probation.

Joshua Joe Evans, Peck Switch Cove, Dyer, guilty of Joyriding-Unauthorized Use auto/other vehicles and Public Intoxication, 30 days jail, \$25 fine, and 11/29 supervised probation.

Brittany Gale Goodman, Stepp Road, Camden, guilty of DUI-First Offense and Forgery Up To \$1,000

and Criminal Simulation up to \$1,000-Attempt. 60 days jail, 11/29 suspended, 11/29 supervised Probation with SSI, \$350 fine, costs and taxes, and loss of license for 1 year; dismissed: charges of Driving while License Revoked, identity theft, Forgery Up To \$1,000, Speeding, Seat Belt Violation, Financial Responsibility Law.

Crystal D. Hernandez, Beasley Street, Huntingdon, guilty of Public Intoxication, \$50 fine, costs and taxes.

Bobby Johnson, Randle Street, McKenzie, guilty of Public Intoxication, \$50 fine, costs and taxes.

Keyonna Tena Johnson, Hillcourt Circle, Huntingdon, guilty of Assault-physical contact and Vandalism Up To \$1,000, \$25 fine, costs and taxes, 2 days jail, 11/27 supervised probation, and complete anger management.

Scott W. Luther, Hwy 22 Huntingdon, guilty of Public Intoxication, \$50 fine, cost and taxes; dismissed: charge of Disorderly conduct.

Tracy L. Malone, Darnall Lane, Huntingdon, guilty of As-

sault-Physical Contact, \$100 fine, costs and taxes, 11/29 supervised probation.

Marquetta Milton, Booker Street, McKenzie, guilty of Probation Violation and Assault-Physical contact, 30 days jail, cost and taxes, 11/27 supervised probation; dismissed: charge of Criminal Trespass.

Tommy Mitchell, Brown Drive Murfreesboro, guilty of Driving While License Suspended and Violation of Financial Responsibility Law, \$100 fine, costs and taxes, 6 months unsupervised probation; dismissed: charge of Speeding.

Antonio Owens, Tower Road, Huntingdon, guilty of Simple Possession/Casual Exchange, \$750 fine, costs and taxes.

Kevin E. Ross, Hwy 79 S, McKenzie, guilty of Contempt of Court, 10 days jail, costs and taxes.

Mark Russell, Magnolia Ave, McKenzie, guilty of Theft Up To \$1,000, \$25 fine, costs and taxes, 11/29 supervised probation; dismissed: charge of criminal trespass.

Billy C. Williams, Newton Road, McKenzie, guilty of DUI First Offense, 2 days jail, \$350 fine plus costs, and 11/27 supervised pro-

bation.

Michael C. Avery, Kirk Road, Huntingdon, guilty of Fraudulent Use of Debit/Credit Card-Up To \$1,000, costs and taxes along with 11/29 supervised probation.

Douglas Wade Biggart, Westport Road, Westport, guilty of Domestic Assault, costs and taxes, 11/29 supervised probation.

John D. Forrest, Clear Lake Road, McKenzie, guilty of Misdemeanor Failure To Appear, 30 days jail and cost and taxes.

Kevin L. Goodrum, Rolling Hills Lane, McKenzie, guilty of Meth-Possession or Casual Exchange, 30 days jail, 750 fine, cost and taxes; dismissed: charge of Possession of Unlawful Drug Paraphernalia.

Whitney Kirkpatrick, Main Street, McKenzie, guilty of Misdemeanor Failure To Appear, 3 days jail, cost and taxes, and 11/26 unsupervised probation.

Virgil Nance, McLemoresville Road, Huntingdon, guilty of Allowing Dogs To Run At Large-Bodily Injury, 500 fine, cost and taxes, and proof within 10 days of vaccination of Dog and Proper Confinement of the Dog.

Rebecca Lynn Hogan Todd, For-

rest Ave, McKenzie, guilty of Driving while License Revoked-Due to Conviction of DUI, 4 days jail, \$200 fine, cost and taxes, and 11/25 supervised probation.

All charges were dismissed against the following people:

Sabrina G. Bradford, Independence Road, Huntingdon, dismissed charges of Driving While License Revoked and Speeding.

Haley Brooke Hart, School House Rd, Yuma, dismissed charges of Driving While License Suspended, Aggravated Child Abuse, Neglect, Endangerment, Aggravated Assault, Vehicular Assault, DUI-First Offense, Reckless Endangerment, Reckless Driving, Seatbelt Violation, Financial Responsibility Law, and Driving on the Right.

Michael Tucker, Hawkins Lane, Huntingdon, dismissed charge of Driving while License Suspended.

Robert D. Doede, Briar Creek, Huntingdon, dismissed charge of Misdemeanor Failure to Appear.

Thomas G. Jones, E. Walnut Ave, McKenzie, dismissed charge of Misdemeanor Failure to Appear.

McKenzie Police Reports

Driving on Suspended/Revoked License — Officer Dalton Raspberry initiated a traffic stop on a gray Taurus on Wednesday afternoon August 21, knowing the driver to have a suspended license. The driver was confirmed to be Christopher Copeland of McKenzie. Copeland was found to be driving on a suspended license. One passenger, John David Forrest, also of McKenzie was found to have an active warrant for Failure to Appear. Forrest

was arrested on his warrant and Copeland was cited into General Sessions Court for Driving on Suspended License-First Offense.

Multiple Traffic Violations — On August 21, Officer Jeff Lowden initiated a traffic stop on a vehicle driven by Melissa Keel. Keel admitted to her license being suspended. A status check confirmed the suspension. Keel was arrested for Driving on a Suspended License-Due to DUI conviction and cited for a light law

violation and expired registration.

Domestic Assault — McKenzie Police were dispatched to an Allen Trailer Court residence early Wednesday, August 21, in reference to a Domestic Assault which occurred earlier. According to the report filed by Michael Lowe, Dakota Rainwaters told officers he had been involved in an altercation with Bryan Wuersch earlier in the day and again just before calling the police. After gathering all details, Wuersch was arrested and charged with Domestic Assault and transported to Carroll County Jail.

Theft of Merchandise/Shop-

lifting — On Thursday, August 22, A Milan man was cited into General Sessions Court for taking four beers from Little General. Daniel Myers was found later after the theft was reported and admitted to officers that he took the items and hid them. Officers found the evidence and cited Myers into General Sessions Court for Theft of Merchandise Under \$1,000.

Public Intoxication — McKenzie Police got a report of a black male in the road in front of Dollar General on Friday evening. Officer Trey Boucher found Maurice Lawrence walking on the road in front of Dollar General and had

him perform sobriety tests which he did poorly on and was placed under arrest for Public Intoxication and transported to Carroll County Jail.

DUI/Driving on Suspended License — McKenzie Police was alerted by a witness on Saturday August 24 that a silver Taurus was all over the road and had pulled into Dollar General. According to the report filed by Officer Cody Coleman, he found the driver, Tim Edwards of McKenzie and had him perform sobriety tests which he did poorly on. Edwards was arrested for DUI and cited for Driving While License Suspended

Domestic Assault — McKenzie Police responded to a 911 call from an Euclid Street residence Sunday night August 25, in reference to an active domestic assault. According to the report filed by Officer Cody Coleman, he and several other officers responded. Coleman spoke to Anthony Marr who advised he punched his television but didn't touch his wife. Officers spoke with Jessica Doster who told officers that Marr pushed her and later punched her in the jaw. A witness observed him hit Doster. Marr was arrested for domestic assault and transported to the Carroll County Jail.

Bastyr, Crews Announce Their Wedding Plans

Rachel Marie Bastyr and William Seth Crews are happy to announce their engagement to be married in September. Rachel is the daughter of Randy and Heather Bastyr of Paris, Tenn. and Bryan and Teri Stephens of Big Sandy, Tenn. She is a 2017 graduate of Henry County High School and is currently working at Hibbett Sports and is enrolled in the Cosmetology Program at TCAT in Paris. Seth is the son of Michael and Kristy Crews of Paris, Tenn. He is a 2017 graduate of McKenzie High School in McKenzie, Tenn. and currently employed at UPS in Paris, Tenn. The wedding is planned for September 28, 2019 in Big Sandy.

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HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL



Above Left, West Carroll War Eagle Bryce Bolton hurdles a diving Tiger defender on his way to a 47-yard receiving touchdown. Above Right, Tiger quarterback Justin Haskins throws on the run for a seven-yard touchdown to cut the deficit to six in the final minute. Below, West Carroll War Eagle Jeremiah Bryant sheds two Tiger defenders to convert a fourth down, leading to a West Carroll touchdown. Photos by Brad Sam/The Banner



War Eagles Edge Tigers in Season Opener, 34-28

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BRUCETON (August 23) — High school football kicked off Friday in Carroll County with a pair of long-standing rivalries. Huntingdon at McKenzie may have been the hot ticket, but West Carroll at Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central was a thrilling back-and-forth that came down to the final seconds.

The Tigers struck first in the early minutes, and the War Eagles responded late in the first frame. The teams swapped touchdowns early in the second, then West Carroll took the lead just before the half. The War Eagles kept the momentum with a third-quarter touchdown, but Central kept the game in reach going into the fourth. West Carroll and then Central each saw long drives end with interceptions, and the War Eagles capitalized on the latter to go up two scores with under two minutes to play. The Tigers worked the sidelines on a quick drive to score, but West Carroll got the ball back and ran out the clock on a 34-28 win.

Central won the coin toss and elected to defer. That decision paid off as the War Eagles went three-and-out on the opening possession and punted.

Starting at their own 42, the Tigers opened the drive with a 15-yard run by Gavin Guthrie to cross into West Carroll territory. Guthrie repeated for three, then Steven Rich gained another three. Guthrie rushed for nine to move the chains again, then Malik Mathes ran for a short gain. Quarterback Justin Haskins kept for a dozen and another first down. Rich gained five, but Guthrie's run on the next play was called back on a holding penalty. On second-and-15, Guthrie gained 13. Mathes earned the first down, but was stopped just short of the goal line. Haskins kept the next snap and scored the one-yard touchdown. Mason Binkley kicked the point-after, and Central led 7-0 with just over two minutes to play in the first frame.

The Tigers' kickoff bounced out of bounds, and West Carroll started the drive at the far 35. Quarterback Jeremiah Bryant completed two throws to Bryce Bolton, the second for 44 yards to set up first-and-goal at the 3. Jarrius Weatherford was stopped for



no gain, then Devin Rader gained just a yard. Bryant kept the next snap for a two-yard touchdown. The point-after kick was blocked, and Central kept a one-point lead, 7-6, with just under a minute left in the quarter.

Guthrie made a long return on the ensuing kickoff, and a West Carroll penalty made it great field position for Central, first-and-ten at the 20. Guthrie started the drive with a six-yard gain as the opening frame ended. Rich gained seven to set up first-and-goal at the eight, then punched it in on the next play. Binkley's kick was good, and the Tigers led 14-6 half a minute into the second frame.

Bryant received the Tiger kickoff and was forced out of bounds after a lengthy return. A late hit penalty made it even better starting field position at the Central 27. Weatherford gained three, then Bryant kept for five. A false start negated Bryant's gain, but he repeated for four. On fourth-and-three, Bryant shook off several defenders for a nine-yard gain. Weatherford then had a gain called back for holding. Bryant threw incomplete on first-and-long, then found Dylan Cox in the end zone for a 21-yard touchdown. Bryant dropped back for a two-point attempt but was tackled by Tiger Reece Patterson. With eight minutes to play in the half, Central still lead 14-12.

The Tigers started the ensuing drive at their own 41, reaching midfield on a fourth-down run by Mathes. Three consecutive penalties pushed Central back, and the offense was unable to recover.

After the punt, West Carroll

took over at the far 32 with under two minutes to play until intermission. Bryant threw deep to Cody Wildridge, who reeled in the catch and headed for the end zone. He was knocked out of bounds at the 2 by Tiger Caleb Haskins. On first-and-goal, Bryant kept and was stopped inches short. His second try broke the plane, and the War Eagles had their first lead of the contest. Bryant's two-point pass was deflected by Tiger Brayden Frye, and the West Carroll advantage was 18-14 with 15 seconds to play.

Central managed just one play before time expired.

The Tigers received the second-half kick and managed two first downs before a fumble was recovered by War Eagle Jacob Blankenship.

The War Eagles faced a long field, starting at the 27, but Bryant threw to Blankenship for five, then Weatherford ran for four. On third-and-one, Bryant kept for four to move the chains. He then threw to Jack Barrow for 13 across midfield. Bryant went back to the air, hitting an open Bolton for a 47-yard touchdown. Rader ran for the two-point conversion, and West Carroll led 26-14 with six minutes remaining in the third quarter.

Central began the ensuing drive near midfield. Haskins ran for 17 and a first down, then again for a short gain. Guthrie moved the chains to the 23, then Haskins kept for three yards. On the next snap, Guthrie took the handoff and went 19 yards to paydirt. Haskins kept for two points, and the War Eagle lead was cut to 26-22 with three minutes left in the third.

Central's inside kick attempt bounced out of bounds, and West Carroll started at the far 38. Weatherford ran for a short gain, then a false start set the War Eagles back. Bryant threw to Rader and then Barrow to cross into Tiger territory and move the chains. Rader ran for four as the quarter ended. To start the final frame, Bryant kept and was dropped for a loss. Facing third-and-long, Bryant scrambled and made an off-balance throw to Barrow, who made the catch in double coverage. On first-and-ten at the Tiger 30, Bryant tossed to C.J. Ray for three yards. He then hit Barrow again for seven and another first down. A repeat of the same play yielded a 20-yard touchdown, but a holding penalty negated the score. Bryant threw incomplete on first-and-long, then kept for 21 to set up first-and-goal at the 9. Bryant's next pass was picked off by Rich to give the Tigers the ball at their own 7.

Either Haskins or Guthrie ran on ten straight plays, earning four first downs along the way. A holding penalty made it first-and-20 at the West Carroll 36, and Haskins' first pass of the drive was intercepted by Bryant, who returned it across midfield to the Tiger 46.

Bryant wasted no time capitalizing on the turnover, taking the first snap 46 yards to the house. Weatherford punched it in for two points, and the War Eagles led 34-22 with 1:41 remaining in the contest.

Central began the ensuing drive at midfield. Haskins kept for a gain of nine, then threw incomplete. He kept again to move the chains, then threw to Frye, who hopped out of bounds after a nine-yard gain. On second-and-one at the 20, Haskins ran to the outside for a first-and-goal and out of bounds to stop the clock at 43.6 seconds. He kept again, running out of bounds at the 7. Haskins then threw to Frye for a touchdown. The two-point pass attempt fell incomplete, and West Carroll led 34-28 with 36.6 seconds on the clock.

The Tigers attempted an inside kick, but War Eagle Seth Edwards snagged it. Bryant took a knee twice to run out the clock and seal the win for West Carroll.

The War Eagles (1-0) will host McKenzie (0-1) Friday; the Tigers (0-1) will travel to Greenfield (1-0). Kickoff for both games is 7 p.m.



Above, Tate Surber looks to throw against Henry County. Right, Drew Chappell runs to the left for yardage against the Patriots. Photos by Jim Potts



McKenzie Defeats Henry Co.

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MCKENZIE — After suffering a lopsided loss to Huntingdon last week, McKenzie Middle regrouped and posted a convincing 24-6 win over a physically bigger Henry County team. Much needed rain soaked the field prior to the game but quit just in time to get the contest played.

The Rebels won the toss but elected to defer possession to the second half so the Patriots received the ball first on a short kickoff. The patriots too the ball at their own 42. Three plays later they were on the scoreboard first following a 46-yard scamper

by James Bobbitt for a Patriot touchdown. Their 2-point conversion attempt failed leaving McKenzie with a 6-0 deficit.

The Rebels went 3 plays and out on their first offensive possession and punted away to the Patriots. Three plays later, a bad punt snap allowed McKenzie to down the ball in excellent field position at the Patriot 30-yard line near the end of the first quarter. The Rebels completed a 9-yard pass as the first quarter clock expired with the Rebels parked at the Henry County 16 yard line.

After a no-gainer, the Rebels pounded the ball on the ground for three straight plays capped by a Tate Surber touchdown with

5:22 left in the second period. The 2-point conversion pass attempt was just short leaving the score tied 6-6.

The Patriots began moving the ball on the ground following the ensuing kickoff but a fumble recovered by the Rebels ended that possession for Henry County. Two plays later, Surber located Stafford Roditis in the endzone for a 31-yard touchdown pass with 1:26 left in the half. The two-point conversion pass no good but the Rebels led 12-6.

The Rebels shut the Patriots out the remainder of the first half including sacking their quarterback to hold their lead headed into halftime.

McKenzie came out the second half and chewed the entire third quarter clock up with a ball-control offense with Drew Chappell and Tate Surber running the

football. Their drive started at their own 37 and resulted in a third touchdown on the first play of the fourth quarter when Surber scored on a two-yard keeper with 7:52 left in the fourth period. The 2-point conversion pass was no good but the Rebels extended their lead to 18-6.

The Patriots got some offense on their ensuing drive but McKenzie's defense stopped a fourth down play and took over on downs in Henry County territory.

The Rebels kept the ball on the ground eating up more clock and scored on a 3-yard Drew Chappell run with 2:00 left in the contest. The 2-point conversion was no good as the Rebels again extended their score to 24-6.

McKenzie improved their record to 2-1 with West Carroll coming to town this week. Game time is 6:30 pm.