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'BOMB-LIKE' DEVICES RETRIEVED AT ONE-VEHICLE ACCIDENT

According to a report by McKenzie Police Department (MPD) Patrolman Billy King, on November 23 at 1:54 p.m., the officer responded to a call regarding a vehicle that was flipped on its side on Forrest Avenue. Upon arrival, Michael Pierce, 28, Lakewood Lake Lane, Huntingdon said he was the driver of the white-colored, 1997 Ford Explorer lying on its side and that he did not have a valid driver license. A computer check revealed that Pierce's license was revoked for a DUI in the state of Colorado. Examining the scene, the officer observed two possible pipe bombs that had fallen out of the overturned vehicle. Pierce told the officer that the objects were fireworks that were given to him by a friend. The report noted that the first object was approximately 18

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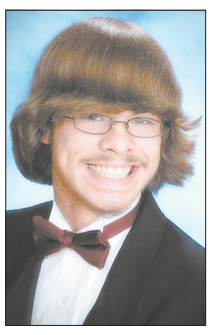
West Carroll Grad Dies in Head-On Crash

HUNTINGDON (November 23) A 2011 graduate of West Carroll High School died in a head-on collision on November 23 around 10:30 p.m.


Dylan Hopper

According to a report filed by the Tennessee Highway Patrol, Dylan Hopper, age 23, of Trenton, was a passenger in a 2000 Chevrolet Blazer driven by John Gordon, 20 of Cedar Grove.

They were traveling east on U.S. Highway 70 four miles west of Huntingdon when their vehicle was struck head-on by a 2011 Chevrolet driven by Robert Hicks, 51, of Cedar Grove.

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Holiday Activities

McKenzie Hometown Christmas Provides Week of Activities

McKenzie Lions Clubs, Beta Sigma Phi, City of McKenzie, and Bethel University are hosting Hometown Christmas activities throughout the week.

Events start Tuesday with the Jingle Bell Luncheon and include events for children, bake sales, carnivals, music, a car show, a parade, a helicopter landing, and Santa Claus.

Jingle Bell Luncheon
Tuesday, November 29
11:00 a.m. — 1:00 p.m.

At the Church of Christ and sponsored by Beta Sigma Phi

5th Annual Twinkle Ball
Wednesday, November 30
6:00 p.m. — 8:00 p.m.

The Theme this year is "Vision of Sugar Plums." Event will be located in the Dishman Gymnasium in the Baker Fieldhouse. Tickets can be purchased at the Bethel University Book Store. For more information, contact 352-4094 or 352-4090.

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Huntingdon to Host Main Street Christmas

HUNTINGDON — Join the Town of Huntingdon and The Dixie on Saturday, December 10, 2016 for a holiday extravaganza in downtown. The day begins with events at The Dixie and on the Court Square beginning at 2:00 p.m. that includes activities inside the building and outside on the court square.

Inside The Dixie are photos with Santa by A.Wilson Photography, children nativities and chorus performances on stage, with ticket discounts available to Dixie performances. On the Court Square: ISTEA train rides, live nativity with accompanying church choirs singing on the courthouse steps, and Christmas carolers around town. Street vendors will be set up on the sidewalks selling items or spreading Christmas cheer including Lula Roe clothing, Pampered Chef, Itza Snap jewelry, and Huntingdon First Pentecostal Church will be giving out hot chocolate.

The Dixie had approximately 1,200 individuals attend the events in the Hal Holbrook Theatre last year. With this amount of foot traffic around the court square, it is a great way for a local business, church, family or fundraising organization to come out and give back to your community by spreading some Christmas cheer to all those individuals. Anyone, who is

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Nina Smothers Elected Vice Mayor Of Huntingdon

A Huntingdon council member who was recently elected to a third term was elected vice mayor for the next two years until the next town election.

Nina Smothers

Nina Smothers was chosen at the Nov. 22 meeting of the Huntingdon Town Council to fill the appointment previously held by council member Melissa Powell. It is the council's practice to take turns among the council

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E911 Board

Sixteen Radios Approved for Police, Fire Departments

By Ernie Smothers
smothers@mckenziebanner.com

HUNTINGDON (November 23) — During an Interview with The McKenzie Banner, Carroll County E911 Director Kristy Meggs said that sixteen portable radios at a cost of $13,520 were approved by E911 board members at the November 15 meeting for distribution to area municipal law enforcement and fire departments.

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Watershed Authority Awaits Environmental Study

Carroll County Watershed Authority is awaiting an environmental study before allowing real estate developer Mark Dillahunty to dredge an area near the water's bank to construct a boat dock.

The water is too shallow for lots 8, 9, 10, and 11 of his subdivision development to install boat docks on the Carroll County 1000-Acre Recreation Lake, located off U.S. 70 near Huntingdon.

Dale Kelley said the Tennessee Department of Conservation and Environment will perform the assessment prior to the Watershed Authority voting on the dredging proposal.

The Authority will soon establish fees for use of the recreational vehicle park at the lake. The Watershed Authority owns the new RV park.

High Winds Cause Power Outage at Bethel University

HUNTINGDON (November 28) — During an interview with The McKenzie Banner, Carroll County Electric Department General Manager Danny Brawner said, "Falling limbs felled by high winds on the front of an approaching storm front caused a power outage at the McKenzie electrical substation that impacted Bethel University and 500 customers in the McKenzie area around midday Monday. We have since restored electrical power to the affected area."

He said, "In addition to the power outage that affected a portion of McKenzie, our work crews have been dealing with a lot of scatted power interruptions throughout the county caused by high winds and falling limbs. We are currently working on a broken three-phase electrical transmission pole north of Hollow Rock that will take a few hours to fix. We hope to have power restored to the area in two to three hours."

He added, "More storms with high winds are expected to pass through Carroll County this evening, so it might be a busy night for us. We will just have to wait and see."

Waldrup is Grand Marshal of Hometown Christmas

Jennifer Waldrup is the grand marshal of the 2016 McKenzie Lions Club Christmas Parade.

She has been employed with the City of McKenzie as retail economic development and event coordinator for the past five years. She is a graduate of Leadership Carroll County and West Star and has a certificate of design from Jackson State Community College.

The lifelong resident of McKenzie said she loves working with her community.

"My job is very demanding, but I love seeing my visions for McKenzie come to fruition. I could not accomplish half of this without the support of my family: husband, Tim, son, Marty, daughter-in-law, Amanda, and granddaughters, Madelyn and Mary Ryan," said Mrs. Waldrup.

She is extremely active in the community. Her public service includes serving six years on the McKenzie School Board, and 22 years on the McKenzie Housing Authority. She was a charter member of McKenzie United Neighbors, served on the building committee for the McKenzie City Hall, and was chairman of the Iris Invitation Walking Horse Show that benefited the

(former) Hope Center. She coached girls' softball and served on the Little League board for six years. She is a former member of the Morning Glory Garden Club and served as entertainment chairman for Relay For Life for two years.

The organization that is dearest to her heart is Beta sigma Phi (ladies' service organization), where she serves as president.

In her passion to help the less fortunate in the community, she serves as the chairperson of the Angel Tree Committee, a position she has held for 28 years.

She helped develop Breakfast for Santa as a supplement fundraiser for the Angel Tree, a project Beta Sigma Phi has undertaken.

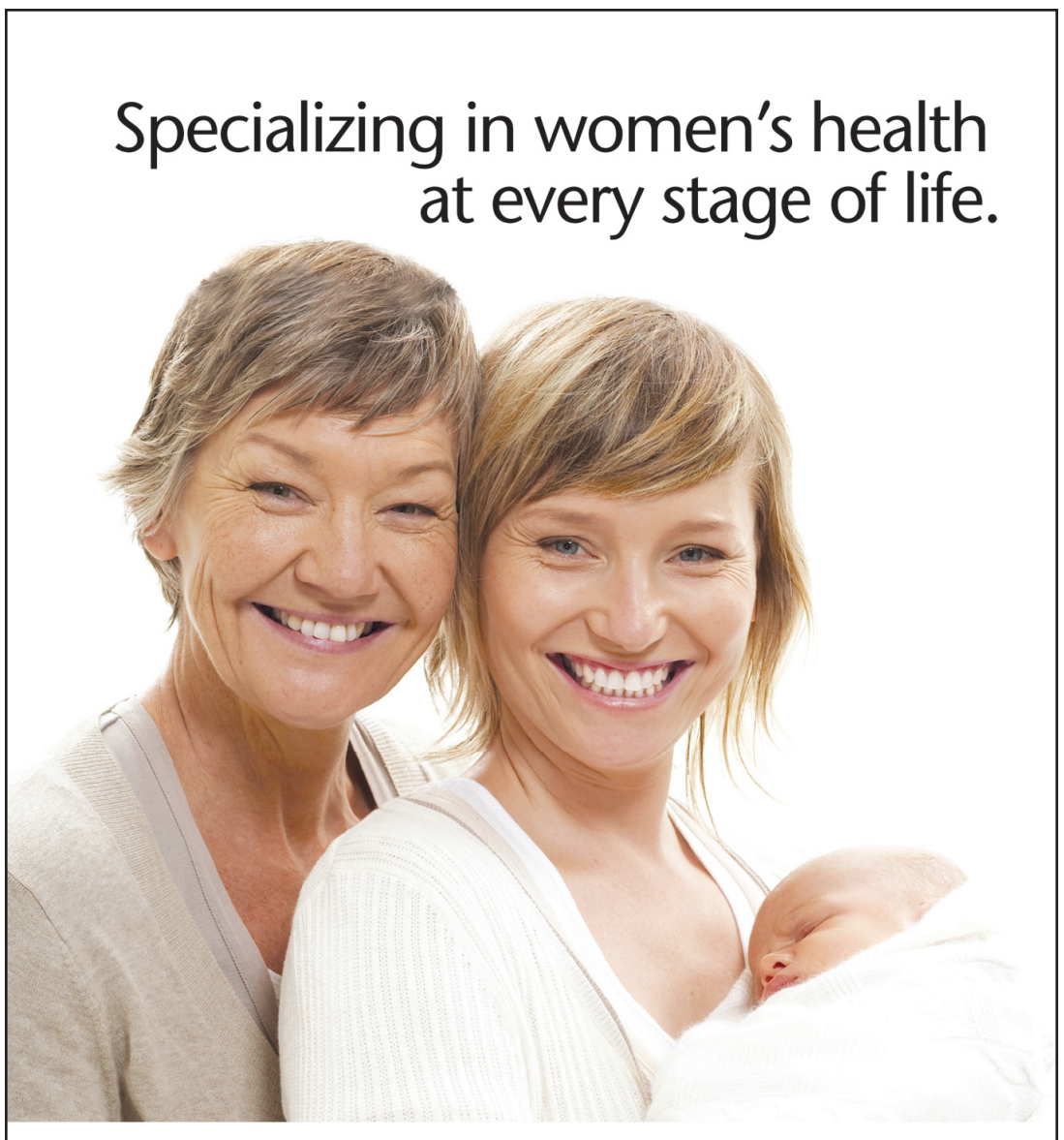
Beta Sigma Phi partners with Modern Woodmen of America each year to support McKenzie by doing large fundraising projects from which the entire community can benefit. This year's Pocket Park project on Lee Street will be unveiled in the coming weeks.

Beta Sigma Phi also purchases and plants flowers each year in the downtown Veterans Park and in the planters around the perimeter of downtown.

"The ladies in this group are awesome, never seeming to back down from whatever new venture I dream up," said Waldrup.

In addition to the full-time working for the city and promoting it at home and throughout the state, Waldrup also serves as secretary for Modern Woodmen of America Camp 12261 and volunteers for ACT II and the Park Theatre. She was also instrumental in the renovation of the Farmers Market.

The Park Theatre and the Farmers Market are "two landmarks that have a new life in our community and are both near and dear to my heart," concluded Waldrup.



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Left, Diana Poole also signs her Oath of Office as City Recorder Angela Hunt looks on. Above, The Aldermen sign their Oath of Office: (L to R) Jim Phelps, Marcus Hopper, Jerry (Bubba) Dunn Jr, and Doug Johnson.

Gleason City Officials Take Oath

Courtesy of Cristi Wallace

Friends and family gathered on Sunday afternoon, November 27 at Gleason City Hall to witness the official swearing in of the Gleason mayor and the board of aldermen. Diana Poole was re-elected to serve a second term as Gleason's mayor and she opened the festivities with remarks about being honored for this position and how it demands that she and the board keep the well-being of the city in mind when they make decisions. When she finished, Angela Hunt, Gleason City Recorder read the oath of office and swore in Mayor Diana Poole. Mayor Poole then read the oath of office to the newly elected board members and those in attendance applauded and wished them well.

MHS Theatre to Present 'A Christmas Story: The Musical'

The McKenzie High School Theatre will present "A Christmas Story: The Musical" on Saturday, December 10 at 7 p.m. and on Sunday, December 11 at 2:30 p.m. The production, co-sponsored by Carroll Arts, is directed by Charro Keenan, Glynda Rich, and Denise Sam, with musical direction by Connie McCain. Intern director is Beth Fleming. Tickets will be available at the door for $8. For more information, call MHS at 731-352-2133.

Front Row (L to R): Assistant Principal Christy Carey, contest winners Cayden Kissell, Ketelyn Brewer, Erin Morely, Keira Tittle, Lucas Smith and Rowan Dunbar. Back row: Huntingdon Public Safety Director Walter Smothers, Patrolman Paul Hugueley, Patrolman Cody Walker, Commander Johnny Hill, Lieutenant Angie Barker, Sergeant Rick Crossno, Huntingdon Mayor Dale Kelley, and Huntingdon Primary School Principal Alan Eubanks.

Huntingdon Primary School Vehicle Safety Program

Courtesy Walter Smothers
Huntingdon Director of Public Safety

HUNTINGDON (November 22) — Huntingdon Mayor Dale Kelley and HPD Officers joined with Michelle Wright from Tennessee Tech and Ollie the Otter to present a vehicle safety program to the Huntingdon Primary School Second Grade students.

Topics of the presentation included the importance of wearing your seatbelt and shoulder harness correctly, the importance of using booster seats, and asking your parents to obey the speed limit, wear their seatbelts and slowing down in a construction zone.

Ollie Otto was a big hit with the students and enjoyed many high fives and fist bumps with the students.

The Huntingdon Police Department and Mayor Dale Kelley sponsored a traffic safety coloring contest with a trophy being given to the best coloring sheet in each of the six classrooms. The entries were judged by Dr. Emily Ezell of Guntown, Mississippi.

HPS second graders listen to Ms. Michelle Wright from Tennessee Tech. Also pictured are Ollie Otto, Lieutenant Barker, and a student posing as a construction worker.

County's Unemployment Rate Drops 0.4 Percent

Carroll County's unemployment rate for October was 6.5 percent, down from the 6.9 percent recorded in September. Neighboring Henry County's unemployment rate decreased from 6.0 in September to 5.8 percent in October and Weakley County's 6.1 percent unemployment rate in October was 0.4 percent less than the 6.5 percent recorded in September. Benton County's unemployment rate of 6.8 percent in October decreased 0.6 percent from 7.4 percent in September, while Henderson County's unemployment rate for October of 6.7 percent decreased 0.3 percent from September.

Carroll County's labor force for October of 12,320 includes 11,510 employed and 800 unemployed.

Henry County's unemployment rate for October of 5.8 decreased 0.2 percent from September.

Henry County's labor force for October of 14,080 includes 13,260 employed and 820 unemployed.

Weakley County unemployment rate of 6.1 percent for October decreased 0.4 percent from September.

Weakley County's labor force for October of 15,930 includes 14,970 employed and 960 unemployed.

Of Tennessee's 95 counties, six of the 10 counties with the highest unemployment are in West Tennessee. They include: Lake (95th place, 8.0 percent), Lauderdale (94th place, 7.7 percent), McNairy (91st place, 7.3 percent), Obion (89th place, 7.2) Benton (87th place, 6.8 percent), and Henderson (86th, 6.7 percent). They are joined by Hancock (93rd, 7.7 percent), Grundy (92nd, 7.3 percent), Scott (90th place, 7.2 percent), and Jackson (88th place, 7.2 percent).

Nine of the 10 counties with the lowest unemployment are in Middle Tennessee. They include: Williamson (1st place, 3.5 percent), Davidson (2nd place, 3.7 percent), Rutherford (3rd place, 3.8 percent), Moore (4th place, 3.9 percent), Wilson (5th place, 3.9 percent), Sumner (6th place, 3.9 percent), Cheatham (7th place, 4.0 percent), Maury (9th place, 4.3 percent), and Robertson 10th place, 4.1 percent).

Knox County in East Tennessee is 9th in the state in unemployment with a rate of 4.1 percent.

Tennessee recorded an unemployment rate of 4.9 percent in October, a decrease of 0.1 percent from September. The U.S. recorded a rate of 4.7 percent in October decreased 0.1 percent from September.

County unemployment rate changes from September, 2016 to October, 2016 include: rate decreased in 80 counties; rate increased in 7 counties, remained the same in 8 counties.

Henry County Commission Seeks Non-Partisan Elections

On the heels of the decision of the Carroll County Commission to seek non-partisan county-wide elections, the Henry County Commission voted unanimously to ask the state legislature for a private act eliminating partisan county election.

Henry County Mayor Brent Greer said, "There's been a movement of several counties in west Tennessee to do this. We feel our jobs should not be partisan—we represent all the people and this would allow us not to have primaries in the spring and we could save the county $30,000."

Just as in Carroll County, all of the Henry County's elected officials signed a letter in support which will be forwarded to the state legislators.

McKenzie

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Bake Sale, Auction
Friday, December 2
10:00 a.m. — 2:00 p.m.
At Farmer's Market Across from City Hall in Downtown McKenzie

Bethel Division of Music Presents Recital Hour
Friday, December 2 — 12:00 p.m.
Event is free to the public and takes place in the L.J. Turner Recital Hall in the Marrs-Stockton Music Building (Across from the Baseball Field)

Christmas with Renaissance
Friday, December 2
Featuring an evening performance at 7 p.m. Located at the Bouldin Auditorium in the Dickey Fine Arts Building. Tickets are $10 for adults and $5 for children 12 and under. Contact the Renaissance Office at 731-352-6980 for more information.

Breakfast with Santa
Saturday, December 3
8:00 – 11:00 a.m.
At First United Methodist Church. Have breakfast with Santa Claus, visit Santa's workshop, and have your picture taken with Santa.

McKenzie's Hometown Christmas Opening Ceremonies
Saturday, December 3 — 9:00 a.m.
The official beginning of the Hometown Christmas weekend will be on the square with entertainment provided by The Rebel Singers

Bake Sale, Auction
Saturday, December 3rd
10:00 a.m. — 2:00 p.m.
Farmer's Market Across from City Hall in Downtown McKenzie

Amusement Rides and Petting Zoo, Games, etc.
Saturday, December 3
10:00 a.m. — 7:00 p.m.
Enjoy a variety of amusement rides, bouncers, bungee rides, a petting zoo, and games Located downtown McKenzie

Train Rides
Saturday, December 3
10:00 a.m. — 7:00 p.m.
Come board the Mistletoe Express and enjoy the music and festive sites. Family Fun for All

Concessions
Saturday, December 3
Featuring all your favorite Fair Foods and other concessions Located Downtown McKenzie.

Bake Sale, Auction
Saturday, December 3
10:00 a.m. — 2:00 p.m.
Cakes will be on display at the Farmer's Market across from City Hall

Mistletoe Market
Saturday, December 3
11:00 a.m. — 7:00 p.m.
Open all day, located in Downtown McKenzie

Helicopter Landing
Saturday, December 3 — 2:00 p.m.
An Air-EvacLifeTeam Helicopter will land downtown. Come and join the crowd and check out the helicopter

Santa at Farmer's Market
Saturday, December 3
2:00 p.m. — 4:30 p.m.
Come and visit Santa and take pictures and let him know what you would like for Christmas

Christmas with Renaissance
Saturday, December 3
Featuring a matinee at 2:00 p.m. and an evening performance at 7 p.m. Located at the Bouldin Auditorium in the Dickey Fine Arts Building. Tickets are $10 for Adults and $5 for children 12 and under. Contact the Renaissance Office at 731-352-6980 for more information

E-Z Rodders Classic Car Show
Saturday, December 3
2:30 p.m. — 4:00 p.m.
Come see the fabulous classic cars on display in downtown McKenzie. Take a picture and admire the view.

Magic Show
Saturday, December 3
3:00 p.m. — 4:00 p.m.
Come see the Wonderful Magic of the Great Larry Mink at the Farmer's Market across from City Hall

Women's Ministry at First Baptist Church
Saturday, December 3
4:00 p.m. — 6:00 p.m.
Come enjoy free hot chocolate at the First Baptist Church on Stonewall Street

Christmas Open House At Depot
McKenzie Industrial Board is hosting Christmas Open House at the historic railroad depot on Saturday, December 3, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Big Wins
Saturday, December 3 — 4:30 p.m.
Drawing for Big Wins will be at the Gazebo in the Downtown City Park

McKenzie Lions Club Christmas Parade
Saturday, December 3 — 5:00 p.m.
Please abide by these guidelines for entries in the McKenzie Lions Club Christmas Parade:

Line Up at 4:30 p.m. with parade judging taking place near Woodrow Street. Must be lined up at 4:30 to participate in the judging process.

Emergency Vehicles (Fire Trucks, Squad Cars, etc.) — After arriving in McKenzie, please park on Stonewall Street as directed.

General Public (Royalty, Antique Cars, Floats, etc.) — Bring your own transportation and meet at McKenzie Middle School Parking Lot on Woodrow Street at 4:30 p.m. — No 3- or 4-Wheelers are allowed for safety reasons. Golf carts will be permitted however. Please, no Santa Helpers; Santa will be at the parade.

Horses and Horse-Drawn Vehicles — At 4:45 p.m. bring vehicles, trailers, and horses to McKenzie Middle School and meet near the football field. Any decorated horses will lead this portion of the parade.

Christmas with Renaissance
Sunday, December 4
Featuring a matinee at 2:00 p.m. Located at the Bouldin Auditorium in the Dickey Fine Arts Building. Tickets are $10 for Adults and $5 for children 12 and under. Contact the Renaissance Office at 731-352-6980 for more information

Bethel Graduation
Saturday, December 10 — 10:00 a.m.
2016 Fall Commencement at Bethel University's Rosemary and Harry Crisp Arena

Huntingdon

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interested in becoming a vendor, needs to register by contacting city hall at 986.2900. Once registered, you will be included in all future media promotions.

New time this year: At 5:15 p.m., the town Christmas tree will be lit and include a small ceremony with the community joining together to sing Christmas songs. This event happens rain or shine and will be located at City Hall on East Main Street.

New event this year: From 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. children's favorite characters will be on the court square for meet and greets.

This year the parade begins at 6:30 p.m. Traffic on the court square will be blocked beginning at 1:00 p.m. until the parade concludes. Parade entries will assemble behind Carroll Bank & Trust. The parade route begins on West Main St. and proceeds to the square and East Main St., and it ends right after City Hall on 5th Avenue. Parade entry forms may be picked up at the Huntingdon Police Station. Come enjoy an afternoon filled with Christmas charm and make Main Street Christmas and the Huntingdon Christmas Parade one of the best ever.

E911

...From Front Page

Meggs noted that 18 portable radios were approved for purchase by the E911 Board earlier this year.

She said, "A total of thirty-four portable radios were ordered. In all, Bruceton Police Department will receive four; Bruceton Fire Department will receive five; Hollow Rock Police Department will receive four; Hollow Rock Fire Department will receive two; Clarksburg Police Department will receive four; McLemoresville Fire Department will receive five; Trezevant Fire Department will receive seven; and Trezevant Police Department will receive three."

Meggs said that although she had not received a formal written request from Atwood Fire Department for portable radios, provision of radios to that department would not pose a problem.

She said, "The portable radios ordered earlier in the year are in use with some loaned to police and fire departments that were having difficulties communicating with Sheriff's Department deputies due to incompatibility issues with the existing radios.

She said, "The new radios have been ordered and will be programmed and distributed once they arrive."

Bomb

...From Front Page

inches in length and appeared to be composed of the tubular objects completely bound in black electrical tape with three fuses combined into one fuse. A second object was approximately three inches long containing two tubular objects with two fuses bound into one fuse. MPD Sergeant Andy Weaver contacted Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (ATF) special agent Reed for instruction in handling the devices. Reed then contacted Jackson Bomb Squad Sergeant Cole who arrived on the scene and took possession of the devices and said that he would have the objects x-rayed. Pierce was charged with driving on revoked #1 and transported to Carroll County Jail. Results of the findings were not available at the filing of the report.

Smothers

...From Front Page

members who desire to hold that position.

Council member Charles Hodges nominated Smothers, with Powell seconding the motion. After Mayor Dale Kelley asked if there were other nominations, he called for the nominations to cease and she be elected by acclamation, which was motioned by council member Carl Byars. Voting for the motion besides Byars were Powell, Smothers, and Hodges with council member Tim Tucker abstaining.

"We have some very capable people to serve in that capacity," said the mayor in congratulating Smothers. "We're fortunate to have a council that can lead. As mayor I appreciate your leadership."

Besides being elected for three terms, Smothers served a portion of former council member Jeanie Newman's unexpired term.

"It is with humble pleasure that I serve as vice mayor and work with other council members to move forward and grow our town and serve our citizens," said Smothers following the meeting.

Council members absent were John Sanders and Jeff Bailey.

The town will enter into a Letter of Agreement with Municipal Technical Advisory Service (MTAS) for a Water/Wastewater Rate Study at a cost of $50 per hour and not to exceed $3,000.

The mayor said MTAS will provide a summary of its review with recommendations for setting fair and equitable rates.

The town council received copies of the state comptroller's letter at the last meeting relating to their receipt of the 2017 budget. The letter noted that the Utility Fund reflected a negative change in the net financial position for the fiscal year.

"It's not a serious matter, but the comptroller's office can come in and set the rates," said the mayor.

State law states that once a wastewater system has a negative change in the net position for two consecutive fiscal years, the Division of Local Government Audit shall refer the system to the jurisdiction of the Water and Wastewater Financing Board.

The existing rates have been in effect since Jan. 2010.

Even though the Utility Fund has revenues exceeding expenses each year and has a healthy reserve fund, once the depreciation expense is included, the fund does not have sufficient revenues to fully fund the cost of depreciation to meet the requirement mandated by state law.

"In order to stay in compliance with TCA laws, we feel it's in the best interest of our customers to enter into an agreement with MTAS for a waster/ewer rate study," said the mayor.

In other business, council members:

• Agreed to enter into an agreement with Tegrah for engineering services for the $370,000 Clean TN Energy Grant.

• Heard from the mayor on several items. He said that the town's holiday celebration of Main Street Christmas is Dec. 10 from 2 until 5 p.m. on the Court Square with vendors, carolers, live nativity scene and the added attraction of Children's Favorite Characters this year. A tree lighting is the same day at 5:15 p.m. followed by the Christmas parade at 6:30 p.m. that will proceed around the south side of the square, down East Main Street and turn at Fifth Ave.

On Dec. 19 from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. there will be the city's Christmas open house at City Hall.

He also announced that the town has a new accounting clerk, Nikki Cunningham McCaslin.

After the adjournment of the meeting, town recorder Martha Taylor, who acted in the capacity of coordinator for Title VI training which is a part of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 against discrimination of race, color, creed or national origin, spoke to the council about what it involved.

"If federal funds are received the town must be in compliance with Title VI," said Taylor. " The town adopted the policy when a million dollars were received by The Dixie."

She said not only is the mayor required to have the training, but the council, employees and contractors as well. Too, she mentioned that communication must be able to be done in other languages and that Bethel or Union could be called to assist in such matters.

"Title VI is nondescrimatory," she said. "It's the way we live our lives every day."

Courtesy of the Carroll County News-Leader

Peanut Brittle

2 cup sugar
1 cup white corn syrup
½ cup water
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon butter
2 cup raw Spanish peanuts
2 teaspoon baking soda

Using a large kettle, boil first four ingredients together until mixture reaches thread stage of 238 degrees. Then add butter and peanuts. Stir, cook until golden brown at about 300 degrees. Remove from heat and add baking soda. Mixture will bubble up. Mix well and pour onto a well greased enamel tabletop to cool. As it cools, pull as thin as possible. When cool, break into pieces and store in an airtight container.

Cranberry Streusel Muffins

2 tablespoons packed brown sugar
1 tablespoon Bisquick Baking mix
1/3 cup milk
1 egg
½ cup whole berry cranberry sauce
2 cups bisquick baking mix
2 tablespoons granulated sugar

Heat oven to 400 degrees. Grease bottoms only of 12 medium muffin cups, 2 ½ x 1 ¼ inches, or line with paper baking cups. Mix brown sugar and 1 tablespoon baking mix; set aside. Beat milk, egg and cranberry sauce slightly in medium bowl. Stir in 2 cups baking mix and the granulated sugar just until moistened. Fill muffin cups about half full. Sprinkle with brown sugar mixture. Bake about 18 minutes or until golden brown. Cool slightly before removing from pan. Makes 1 dozen muffins.

Old Fashioned Molasses Cake

½ cup brown sugar
½ cup shortening
2 large eggs
1 cup molasses
1 cup hot water
2 ½ cup self rising flour
¼ teaspoon cloves
¼ teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon ground ginger
½ cup pecan pieces, optional

Cream shortening and sugar; add beaten egg and molasses. Sift dry ingredients together, add alternately, with hot water to shortening mixture. Add pecans last. Beat until smooth.

Bake in 13 x 9 inch pan for 40-45 minutes at 350 degrees.

Sprinkle powdered sugar over cake when cooled or top with caramel icing.

Orange Cream Cheese Biscuits

3 cups bisquick baking mix
2 teaspoons grated orange peel
¾ cup orange juice
1 package (3 ounces) cream cheese softened
2 tablespoons orange marmalade
Sugar

Heat oven to 450 degrees. Mix baking mix, orange peel and orange juice until soft dough forms; beat vigorously 30 seconds. Turn dough onto surface generously dusted with baking mix; roll in baking mix to coat. Knead 10 times. Roll dough ½ inch thick. Cut with 2 ½ inch cutter dipped in baking mix. Place on ungreased cookie sheet. Mix cream cheese and marmalade. Spoon about 1 tablespoon cream cheese mixture onto center of each circle; sprinkle with sugar. Bake 8 to 10 minutes or until golden brown. About 15 minutes. Makes about 15 biscuits.

Apricot Almond Chewies

4 cups finely chopped dried apricots (about 1 pound)
4 cups flaked coconut
2 cups slivered almonds, toasted and finely chopped
1 (14oz) Eagle Brand sweetened condensed milk
Whole almonds, optional

In large bowl, combine all ingredients except whole almonds. Chill 2 hours. Shape into 1-inch balls. Top each with whole almond if desired. Store tightly covered in refrigerator.

Banana Pudding

2/3 cup sugar
1 tablespoon flour
1 egg
1 ½ cup milk
½ stick butter
1 tablespoon vanilla
1 package of vanilla
3 to 4 bananas,

Add dry ingredients to milk. Cook in microwave until thick for approximately
8 to 10 minutes. Remove from Microwave place in blender. Add butter and vanilla.
Beat in blender until smooth.
Add a layer of vanilla wafers, then slice bananas and pour liquid mixture over layers.
Top with move vanilla wafers. Delicious!

Chex Reindeer Poop

9 cups Corn Chex®, Rice Chex®, Wheat Chex® or Chocolate Chex® cereal (or combination)
1 cup semisweet chocolate chips
1/2 cup peanut butter
1/4 cup butter or margarine
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 1/2 cups powdered sugar
Substitution

Peanut butter and chocolate are a favorite flavor combo, but peanut butter lovers can substitute peanut butter chips for the chocolate chips to intensify that flavor.

DIRECTIONS: Into large bowl, measure cereal; set aside. In 1-quart microwavable bowl, microwave chocolate chips, peanut butter and butter uncovered on High 1 minute; stir. Microwave for about 30 seconds longer or until mixture can be stirred smooth. Stir in vanilla. Pour mixture over cereal, stirring until evenly coated. Pour into 2-gallon re-sealable food-storage plastic bag. Add powdered sugar. Seal bag; shake until well coated. Spread on waxed paper to cool. Store in airtight container in refrigerator.

Strawberry Pretzel Dessert

2 cup crushed prezels
2 tablespoons sugar
¾ cup melted butter

Mix and press into 9 x 13 pan. Bake for 7 minutes at 400 degrees. Let cool.

Blend together
1 8 ounce cream cheese, softened
1 cup sugar
1 8 ounce container of cool whip

Blend together and spread over crust then chill.

1 large strawberry jello
2 cups boiling water
2 10 ounce packages strawberries
1 small can crushed pineapple

Dissolve Jello in water, add strawberries and pineapple. Chill slightly, pour over Cream cheese mixture. Chill.

Mashed Potato Pinwheel Candy

1 Tablespoon mashed potatoes
1 Tablespoon carnation milk
1 Tablespoon butter or margarine
Peanut butter
Confectioners' sugar

Mix first three ingredients until smooth. Add sifted confectioners' sugar until consistency of pie dough. Roll out between waxed paper. Spread with peanut butter and roll up. Chill and cut.

Hot Ambrosia

1 (16oz) can pineapple chunks in unsweetened pineapple juice undrained
2 (11oz) cans mandarin orange sections, drained
¼ cup sweetened flake coconut

Combine ingredients in a 3 quart casserole dish. Put into microwave oven. Cook for 5 minutes on high. Stir mixture after 2 ½ minutes. Cook until hot. Serve over vanilla ice cream.

Sausage Crescents

1 pound sausage, hot or mild
1 8 ounce package cream cheese, softened
2 cans of crescent rolls 8 count

Brown sausage in skillet and drain fat. Spray 13 x 9 inch pan with non stick spray. Add 1 can of crescent rolls to bottom of pan. Add sausage mixture and spread softened cream cheese to next layer. Then add second can of crescent rolls to top of layers. Bake at 350 degrees for about 15 – 20 minutes or until golden brown.

Divinity

2 cup sugar
½ cup corn syrup
½ cup water
2 egg whites
1 cups nuts

Mix the sugar, water and corn syrup into a saucepan. Stir it while it dissolves over the heat. Then let boil without stirring to a light crack stage of 265 degrees. While mixture is cooking, beat the egg whites of the eggs stiffly. When boiling mixture has reached 265 degrees, pour over egg whites, beating constantly. Beat until creamy, then add nuts and pour into buttered pan.

Fruit Crescents

1 can pie filling, Cherry or Apple
2 cans of Crescent rolls

Add on can of crescent rolls to bottom of 13 x 9 greased pan. Pour pie filling & spread.

Add next can of crescent rolls to top of layers.

Bake at 350 degrees for 15 – 20 minutes or until golden brown.

Coconut Cream Candy

2 cups sugar
1/3 cup butter
1 cup coconut
½ cup milk
4 marshmallows

Cook sugar and milk until it forms a soft ball in cold water. Remove from heat, add butter, marshmallows and coconut. Beat until creamy. Pour into buttered dish, cut into squares.

Grad

...From Front Page

The trooper's narrative indicates Hicks' vehicle crossed the centerline in a curve and struck Gordon's vehicle.

Funeral services for Hopper were Monday at Bodkin Funeral Home in Milan. He was an employee of Sonic Drive-In in Huntingdon. (see obituary inside this issue).

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Letters
The Readers Speak ...

Not to Be Offended by Grace

How can people be truly awful, as in abusing children for years, but then tell God they are sorry and get into heaven? How can God let some decent families have better success with salary or children than others? Some take less offense by his justice and judgment and take more offense by grace.

God's saving grace is not fair. Christmas means Jesus came when we were still in darkness of sin and despair, deserving judgment. God sent his one and only Son to show his light, his understanding of life, purpose.

Jesus spoke to those who take offense by his grace. He told of some workers (Matt.20:8-15) hired at different hours and paid as though each had worked the whole day. Those paid by the owner for their day's work were offended that those who worked for the last hour were paid the same day's wage. As Matt Guerino suggested, in God's kingdom nobody is short-changed who receives the blessing of heaven through faith in Christ. Salvation is a free gift (Eph.2:8 - By grace you have been saved through faith. . .) God makes promises which apply to all of us: forgiveness without your having to earn it; his presence no matter how alone you are; deep peace and joy no matter what turmoil you endure.

But his promises do not mean the same blessing for each in material success, solution to problems. God's grace coming at the first Christmas is not fair and it is not for comparison. Suppose your preacher told you to dig on a beach for eight hours to find a million dollar treasure. Suppose he told someone else to dig farther down for an hour and that person found the same treasure. Does it cheapen your treasure? Does it devalue his guidance? God might be extra generous to some, but he's generous to all who love and trust him. Joy with Christ depends on contentment with what he's given us.

The main point is that God, like the landowner, chooses who and how to bless. He chooses to be gracious to many, and extremely gracious to some. God owes each person — nothing.

But salvation is about grace. He does what he promises, and Mary and Joseph's baby is the proof. Grace invites all who hear his call any time to enter God's eternal family. Our most healing response is what to be thankful for in this period between two special holidays.

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The Most Contentious Election in History

By Clayburn Peeples

It's pretty clear the bitterness and acrimony of this year's presidential election have spilled over into the transition period, and will, at least until Inauguration Day, go on. Ms. Clinton leads Mr. Trump by several hundred thousand votes in the popular vote totals, but Mr. Trump has won a majority of the votes in the Electoral College, the only ones that count. Nearly five million of her partisans think this is unfair and are demanding, sometimes violently, that the Electoral College "honor the popular will" and elect her instead.

Has there ever been such a tumultuous election as this one? Yes, as a matter fact, there has. One other presidential election was marred by violent protests such as the ones we are being treated to this year. That election, the Election of 1876, as has this year's, was marked by one candidate winning the popular vote and the other, after much wrangling and deal cutting, winning the Electoral College.

Democrat candidate Samuel Tilden won the popular vote after a nasty and brutal election in which more than 80%, the most in history, of the electorate voted.

As the early returns came in, it looked certain that the democrat, Tilden, had been elected. He won more than half the popular vote and was only one vote short of an Electoral College majority. (It took 185 at the time.) One of Hayes' managers, however, noticed that Tilden's margins in three southern states, Florida, Louisiana and South Carolina, were extremely close. Those three states were the only southern states still controlled by reconstruction republican governments, and the manager wired each of them to refuse to certify their state's results and demand and recounts.

They did, and in each state the republican "returning boards" threw out enough democrat votes to give the republican Hayes a winning margin in each, and thus 185 electoral votes, enough to win the presidency. Since the Democrats had carried out extensive voter intimidation of African-American and Republican voters in the states, they probably should have thrown out most of the disputed votes, but no matter, national democrats reacted with rage, and democrats in the three states sent their own "Tilden" electors. Thus, the dispute was handed to Congress.

Because the House of Representatives was controlled by democrats at the time, and the Senate by republicans, a stalemate developed over what to do about the situation. The democrats, seeing an election they had "stolen fair and square" taken away from them, marched in the streets, chanting "Tilden or Blood," and sometimes rioted as well, as the dispute dragged on past Christmas.

Newspaper baron Joseph Pulitzer, not yet handing out prizes, called for 400,000 marchers, "fully armed and ready for business," to demand Tilden's election.

President Grant took these threats so seriously he discreetly had General William T. Sherman deploy four artillery companies to the city to maintain order. Still the debate dragged on, and there were even fears the democratic south would start another Civil War.

A few republican electors actually offered to sell their votes, and the democrats tried to bribe or buy off other electors, but nothing loosened the gridlock.

Since neither side felt confident of victory if the matter wound up in Congress, the Senate and House agreed to set up a 15-member Electoral Commission to decide the issue. It would consist of five members from the house, three democrats and two republicans, five from the Senate, three republicans and two democrats, and five from the Supreme Court.

The Supreme Court members were supposedly neutral, chosen on the basis of geographic diversity, but those chosen consisted of two republicans, two democrats and one from Illinois whose loyalty could not be ascertained. The Commission's decision would be final, they agreed, unless overturned by both houses of Congress, and since each controlled one house, that would not happen.

The democrats, worried about the neutral justice, then made a fatal error. They talked the Illinois state legislature, under the control of democrats, to choose that justice for a vacant Senate seat, thinking that would push him toward voting for them. To their chagrin, however, he immediately resigned from the board to assume his Senate seat, and that meant one of the remaining members of the Supreme Court, all of them Republicans, would take his place.

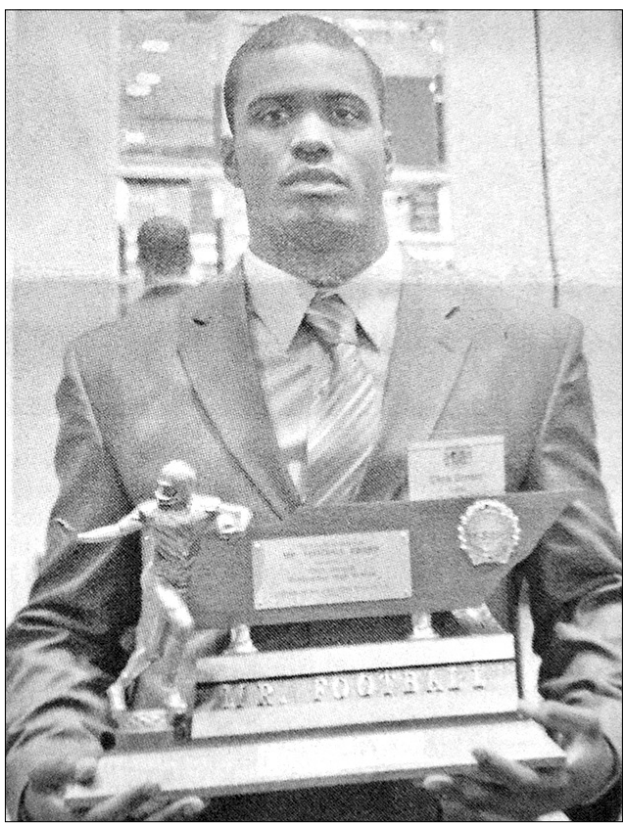
In each of the contested states, the Commission voted 8 to 7, along strict party lines, for Hayes, the republican, in the disputed contests, but Democrats in the house filibustered against accepting the results up until two days before the inauguration.

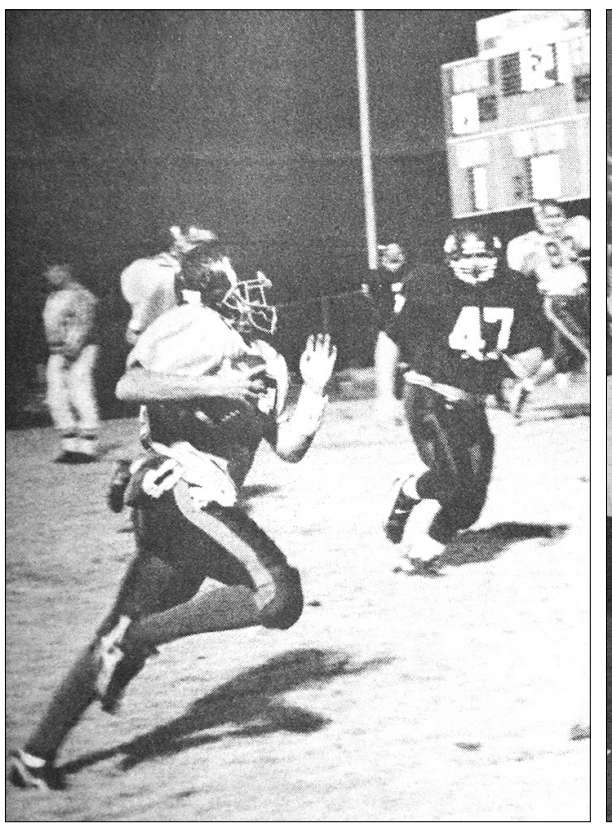
But finally, when promised that all federal troops would be removed from the South and that a southern democrat, Tennessee Senator David Key, would be appointed postmaster general, the cabinet position with the largest amount of patronage jobs to distribute, they gave up. With that agreement the election, and the presidency, went to Hayes, by a vote of 185 to 184, the closest in American history.

Although democrats were furious and bitter, and referred to the new president as "His Fraudulency," he was inaugurated two days later without incident.

So for those of you who are appalled by the current shenanigans and maneuvering going on in an attempt to change the Electoral College vote, take heart; it could be worse.

And once upon a time in America, it was.





Left, 10 YEARS AGO — Huntingdon's Chris Donald was named the Division I-2A Mr. Football Lineman of the Year. Center, 20 YEARS AGO — Mustang Kris Bennett runs for a two-point conversion in Huntingdon's historic 47-19 quarterfinal victory over Loretto. Right, 50 YEARS AGO — McKenzie Jaycette Prince and Princess Pageant winners (L to R): Maid Crystal Johnson, Princess Regina Foster, Prince Phil Edlin, and Page Woody Arnold II.

Looking Back
From Our Archives...

10 YEARS AGO — Huntingdon's Chris Donald was named the Division I-2A Mr. Football Lineman of the Year.

*Renovations began at Rebel Field with the demolition of the visitor's bleachers. The McKenzie Board of Education had yet to make a final decision on designs for the new additions to the facilities.

*The Bethel College Wildcats fought hard, but fell to the University of Saint Francis, 42-35, in the NAIA Quarterfinals. Bethel finished the season at 10-3, ranked eighth in the nation, the best in school history.

20 YEARS AGO — High School Football: The Huntingdon Mustangs made history with a quarterfinal win against Loretto, 47-19.

*Some Bruceton-area residents were evacuated from their homes and Highway 70 was impassable for a short time as a train car leaked a small amount of hydrochloric acid.

*High School Basketball: McKenzie was swept by Greenfield in its season opener. Lady Yellowjackets 49, Lady Rebels 41; Yellowjackets 44, Rebels 37.

50 YEARS AGO — Winners at the McKenzie Jaycette Prince and Princess Pageant included Princess Regina Foster, Prince Phil Edlin, Maid Crystal Johnson, and Page Woody Arnold II.

*High School Basketball: McKenzie Rebelettes over Trezevant, 50-48; Trezevant Devils over Rebels, 83-44.

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Gleason Rotary Club to Host Breakfast with Santa

GLEASON — Join Santa and his favorite Elf Rotarians as the Gleason Rotary Club hosts Breakfast with Santa on Saturday, December 3 from 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. at Simply Southern Café in Gleason, Tenn. Santa Claus will be in town to provide a knee and a listening ear for all the boys and girls to share their Christmas list.

Cristi Wallace Photography will be available for pictures of your child with Santa.

The breakfast consists of sausage, biscuits, gravy and eggs along with many other breakfast goodies and drinks. The plate breakfasts are $6 each, and tickets can be purchased from any Gleason Rotarian or at the Bank of Gleason, Gleason City Hall or The McKenzie Banner.

The Gleason Rotary Club welcomes any and every one to the breakfast. All proceeds go towards the Gleason Rotary Club's construction of an emergency medical helipad at Snider Park.

Six-Time Grammy Winner Takes The Dixie Stage December 3

HUNTINGDON — Ronnie Milsap, a legendary singer-keyboardist with 40 No. 1 hits and six Grammy awards to his credit, blended Charles' R&B, Elvis' rock 'n' roll, soul, pop, and Gospel to create a country sound all his own. On Saturday, Dec. 3 at 7:30 p.m., Milsap brings his unique talent to The Dixie Carter Performing Arts & Academic Enrichment Center for the third Dixie Live Concert Series show of the year.

Born in Robbinsville, N.C., at the edge of the Smoky Mountains, Milsap was enveloped in his early years by country music. He subsequently received classical training at the Governor Morehead School for the Blind in Raleigh, though he notoriously frustrated his teachers by banging out Jerry Lee Lewis and Little Richard on the keyboard when he was supposed to be practicing Mozart and Beethoven.

Milsap did some recording while attending college in the Atlanta area, but his high school and college instructors advised him against pursing a career in music. At a 1963 concert in Atlanta, Milsap received all the encouragement he needed to ignore his instructors. He was in Ray Charles' dressing room, playing songs on the piano when Charles told him to follow his heart and live and breathe music every day.

Milsap's career includes a string of unforgettable hits like "Any Day Now," "Pure Love," "Stranger In This House," "Smoky Mountain Rain," and "Don't You Ever Get Tired of Hurting Me." The energetic and versatile performer helped to establish the boundaries for what country could be – then pushed them further.

In addition to his six Grammy awards, Milsap owns eight Country Music Association awards including Entertainer of the Year and four Academy of Country Music trophies. He is a 40-year member of the Grand Ole Opry and was inducted into the Country Music Hall of Fame in 2014.

Tickets for Ronnie Milsap's Dixie show are $45 each and we are currently just about sold out. The few tickets we have or to get on the waiting list contact The Dixie box office in downtown Huntingdon, by calling (731) 986-2100, or online at dixiepac.net.

MAUDELL BEASLEY
1928 — 2016

GLEASON — Maudell Beasley, 88, of Gleason, Tenn. died Thursday, November 24, 2016, at McKenzie Healthcare Center in McKenzie, Tenn. She suffered a long illness.

Funeral services are 2:00 p.m. Sunday, November 27, 2016 at First United Methodist Church, Gleason. Visitation is Saturday, November 26, 4:00 to 8:00 p.m., and Sunday, 1:00 p.m. until service time. Visitation is at the church. Burial will be in the New Valley Cemetery, Gleason.

Mrs. Beasley and husband, Bill Beasley were the owners of the McKenzie Dairy Queen. She worked on the customer service window for many years while they owned the restaurant and after their son, Charlie purchased it.

She was born February 22, 1928 to the late L.R. (Jack) Byrd and Lou Beatrice Byrd.

Survivors include her husband, Bill Beasley; sons, Tommy (Peggy) Beasley of Paris, Dennis Beasley of McKenzie; John (Darla) Beasley of Gleason, Mike (Jennifer) Beasley of Gleason, daughter, Janice (Reggie) Wiggins of Gleason, and sister, Rosa (Bob) Brawner of McKenzie, and a daughter-in-law, Connie Beasley.

She was preceded in death by her parents, two sons, Billy Beasley and Charlie Beasley, a sister, Luella Buntin, and daughter-in-law, Ann Beasley.

She leaves 15 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Williams Funeral Home of Gleason had charge of arrangements.

DYLAN TATE HOPPER
1993 — 2016

MILAN — Funeral services for Dylan Tate Hopper, age 23 of Trenton, were Monday, November 28, 2016 at the Bodkin Funeral Home in Milan with burial in the Poplar Springs Cemetery near Milan.

He was a 2011 graduate of West Carroll High School. He worked for Sonic in Huntingdon.

Survivors include: mother - Jeanne Hopper of Trenton, father - Eric Michael Hickerson, sisters - Amber (Jon) McCain of Brighton, Tenn. and Mallory (Austin) White of Henderson, Tenn., frandparents - Paul and Jean Patterson of Milan

DEBORAH HAMPTON
1951 — 2016

McKENZIE — Funeral services for Deborah Susan Hampton, 65, are Tuesday, November 29, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home with Brother Jim Roberts officiating. Interment was in Everett's Chapel Cemetery.

Mrs. Hampton, a homemaker and part-time floral designer, died Saturday, November 26, 2016 at Jackson-Madison County General Hospital.

She was born on November 19, 1951 in Pontotoc, Mississippi to Mose Andy (M.A.) and Alda Faye Young Brown. She was a member of McKenzie Church of Christ.

She was preceded in death by her parents and by her mother-in-law, Ethel Hampton.

Survivors include her husband, Bobby Hampton of McKenzie, two sons, Christopher (Valeria) Hampton and Michael (Christy) Hampton, all 0f McKenzie, two sisters, Becky Norden of Jackson, Tenn., and Jane Shoen of Toone, Tenn., a brother, Mike (Renee) Brown of McKenzie, three grandchildren, Victoria (Andrew) Ashley, Joseph Hampton, and Ashlee Hampton, and two great-grandchildren, Miles Ashley and Aislee Thomas.

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

DAISY MAE JOHNSON
1931 — 2016

Mrs. Daisy Mae Johnson, 85, of Clarksburg, Tennessee passed Thursday, November 17, 2016 at the Jackson Madison County General Hospital.

Funeral services were Monday, November 21, 2016 in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home, Huntingdon. Interment was in Parkers Chapel Cemetery.

Mrs. Johnson was born to the late Emmitt and Ollie (Parker) Cozart on May 4, 1931. She was joined in marriage to the late Johnnie Lee Johnson on Dec. 23, 1946.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Johnny Lee Johnson and six children. She leaves a sister, Catherine Wilson; a brother, Leon (Gloria) Cozart; her children, Mary (Larry) Arnold, Oscar (Eula Mae) Johnson, Louise (William) Stewart, Diane (Sylvester) Pritchard, Vester Ann (Eddie) Staten, Kimmie K Johnson, Tony (Donna) Johnson, Ricky Johnson, Danny (Diane) Johnson, Cathy (Kerwin) Johnson, Dwayne (Cassandra) Johnson, and Norman Johnson. She also leaves a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, great-great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

LILLIE KELLY
1922 — 2016

McKENZIE — Mrs. Lillie Kelly, 93, of McKenzie died Saturday, November 26, 2016 at McKenzie Health Care in McKenzie.

Graveside services were Monday, November 28 at Carters Chapel Cemetery with burial in Carters Chapel Cemetery.

She was born December 29, 1922 to the late Johnnie Greener and Lillie Beal Greener.

She is survived by two sons, Paul Morris of McKenzie and Joe Morris of Linden; one daughter, Charlotte Burton of Cedar Grove, none grandchildren and six great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren. Dilday-Carter Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

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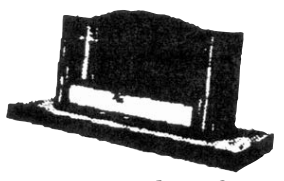
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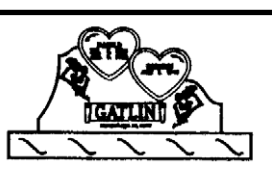

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Hannah is the granddaughter of Bettye Hodges Bell and the late Donald Cook of McKenzie and Sue Herrin and the late Brown Herrin of Camden. She is a 2011 graduate of McKenzie High School and a 2015 graduate of the University of Tennessee at Knoxville, where she earned a degree in Global Studies. She is pursuing a master's degree in Intercultural Studies from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Wake Forrest, North Carolina.

David is the grandson of James and Hazel Johnson of Athens, Tennessee, and the late Herbert and Marilyn Klumpe of California. He is a 2011 graduate of Riverdale High School in Murfreesboro and a 2016 graduate of the University of Tennessee at Knoxville, where he earned a degree in Mechanical Engineering. He is employed at Michelin USA in Greenville, South Carolina, as a product function engineer.

Hannah and David will exchange vows on Saturday evening, December 10th, in Knoxville, Tennessee, with a coffee, dessert, and dancing reception to follow downtown. The couple will honeymoon in January in the Riviera Maya, Mexico, and will make their home in Greenville, South Carolina.

Morning Glory Christmas Lighting Contest

The Morning Glory Garden Club will be judging the Christmas lighting contest on December 15 in the evening. The winners will each receive $100 for the best traditional decorations and the best novelty decorations.

This year, the businesses will be judged on the most beautiful and unique Christmas wreath, either for the door or in the window.

Our town looks so beautiful and festive with all of the lights. Thank you for taking pride in our special little town.

Hunter Lindsey Wins West Carroll Geography Bowl

WCJH seventh grader Hunter Lindsey, winner of the West Carroll Junior / Senior High Geography Bowl. *Photo courtesy Susan Davis*

McKenzie School Board To Meet December 6

McKenzie Special School District Board of Education meets Tuesday, December 6, 2016, 5:30 p.m. at the Board Office on Bell Avenue.

Here is the major items on the agenda.

NEW BUSINESS

McKenzie Elementary School technology presentation.

Consider a request from Homerun and On Deck clubs.

Consider for approval Procurement Plan for the Child Nutrition Program.

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

Consider for approval the local textbook selection committee for adoption of Information Technology.

Consider for approval, on first reading, the following amendments to the McKenzie Special School District Board of Education Manual:

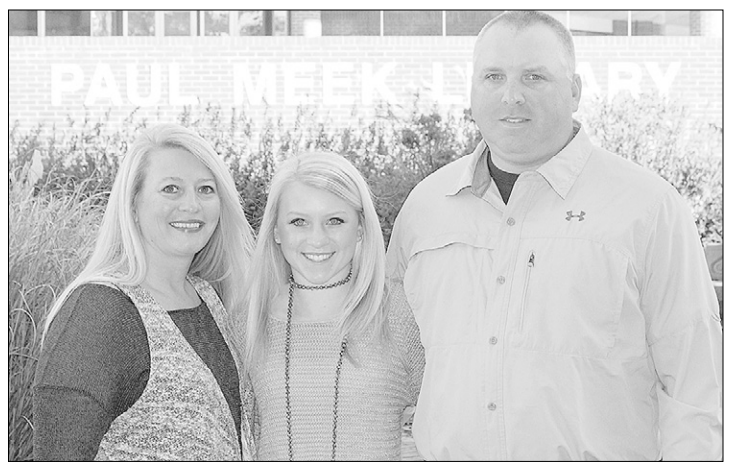
2.601 Student Solicitations / Fundraising Activities (remove 6.701)

4.207 English Learners

6.505 Students in Foster Care

Consider for approval 2017-2018 School Calendar

Director's Report.



MHS Senior Natalie McCaleb (center) with parents Stacey and Brian McCaleb.

MHS Senior Attends UTM Fall Preview Day

MARTIN (November 22) McKenzie High School senior Natalie McCaleb attended the University of Tennessee at Martin's Fall Preview Day on November 12.

The event is held to inform prospective students about academic programs, financial aid, scholarships, student housing, and student life at UT Martin.

For more information about UT Martin or to schedule a campus tour, visit utm.edu/advantage.

Child Identification Program at Gleason

The Masonic Lodge #330 of Gleason is hosting a Child Identification Program (CHIP) on Saturday, Dec10, 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Lodge in Gleason.

The free event provides digital fingerprints, digital video with voice, digital photograph, and a collection of containers of the child's DNA for the parents.

The Lodge is located at 202 Main Street, Gleason.

Chamber Offers Cash Incentive to Participate In Christmas Parades

The Carroll County Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a program to support the four Carroll County Christmas parades. Floats and vehicles participating in all four Christmas parades are eligible for a random cash drawing with three floats and two vehicles awarded cash prizes.

The parades are scheduled as follows:

December 3, 5:00 p.m. McKenzie

December 8, 7:00 p.m. Clarksburg

December 10, 6:30 p.m. Huntingdon

December 12, 7:00 p.m. Trezevant.

To qualify for the awards, entrants must contact the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce office by December 1 at 731-986-4664 and must participate in all four parades.

A float is defined as a trailer, wagon, etc. being pulled by an animal or gas-powered vehicle.

The names of qualifying entries will be selected randomly with the following cash awards.

Floats: 1st receives $150; 2nd receives $100; 3rd receives $50

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Kiwanis K-Kids Service Project

The Kiwanis K-Kids of McKenzie Elementary School started their service club year with a special project. One of the students (Kori Browning) requested to collect snack items for the West Cancer Center in Paris. The snacks aided the complimentary refreshments provided to patients to help alleviate side effects.

Several locations in West Tenn. provide a patient the best care available delivering more effective treatment strategies and therapies. A cancer diagnosis is often overwhelming and can affect their friends and families. Cancer care is more than just treatments. Ms. Browning observed the need for the snacks for the caregiver and patient during treatments.

The K-Kids have also donated personal hygiene products to the Department of Children's Services in Huntingdon and sponsored a school wide collection of food items for United Neighbors in McKenzie. Their next project will be the collection of the aluminum can tab tops for the Ronald McDonald House in Memphis. Please save them and give to a student at McKenzie Elementary School!

From left, MHS students Tyler Spivey, Lilly Daffron and Taylor Hathway.

MHS Students Attend UTM Young Writers Conference

MARTIN (Nov. 22) — A group of students from McKenzie High School attended the UT Martin's Young Writers' Conference on November 18 hosted by the UTM Department of English and Modern Foreign Languages.

Tiana Clark, winner of the 2016 Academy of American Poets Prize and author of the poetry chapbook "Equilibrium," served as conference keynote speaker.

For more information on the annual conference, contact Dr. John Glass, associate professor of English, at 731-881-7288 or jglass@utm.edu.

New Takes Command Of 4th MP Battalion

Information Courtesy of
First Sergeant Clarence Henry
Tennessee State Guard

JACKSON (November 19) — Tennessee State Guard Captain Herb New of McKenzie has taken command of the 4th Military Police battalion from Lieutenant Colonel Larry Smith who transferred to the position of 1st Regiment executive officer later that day.

New is a former Ohio Army National Guard troop commander and battalion staff officer with the 237th Armored Cavalry Regiment, home stationed in Cincinnati.

Having joined the Tennessee State Guard in January 2013, New spent three years as 4th MP's operations and training officer, and the past year as its executive officer.

The Tennessee State Guard, headquartered in Nashville, is an all-volunteer branch of the Tennessee Military Department. The mission of its more than 500 members is providing support – when called upon by the governor – to the TN Army and Air National Guard, and the TN Emergency Management Agency as they provide support to civil authority in times of natural and man-made crisis anywhere in the state.

Tennessee State Guard Captain Herb New of McKenzie accepts the guide of the 4th Military Police Battalion from 1st Regiment commander Lieutenant Colonel Colby Ritter during a change-of-command ceremony at the National Guard armory. *Photo by the Tennessee State Guard*

Morning Glory Garden Club November Meeting

The Morning Glory Garden Club met in November at the First United Methodist Church with Donna Hodge and Betty Brown serving as co-hostesses. Following the delicious brunch, President Gena Manner called the meeting to order and thanked the hostesses for a job well done. Members then recited the club Collect and pledge to the flag. Chaplain Donna Pruneau gave the thought for the day, which was based on Psalm 39:14. Recording Secretary Zia Locke called the roll and read the minutes of the last meeting. Also, it is time to decorate Veterans Park for Christmas. Changes were then corrected in the yearbook. Judy Davis will become the treasurer for the club and Gena thanked her for taking the responsibility. Other changes included switching the hostesses for January and February. Judy gave the treasurer's report and a check for $50 was written to District I for the silent auction held each year.

Corresponding Secretary Lucille Russell read a letter from Habitat for Humanity thanking us for the $100 gift, which was used to held landscape the house. Gena then gave members who ordered one their garden club calendars, and "Happy Birthday" was sung to Sally Sutton in absentia.

Committee reports were then given, beginning with the Civic Committee, who reported the park baskets had been trimmed and looked nice. Gena reminded members that a memorial tree for Adria, Olive Austen's daughter and one for Larry Riley would need to be planted. The best time to plant is in the fall and the committee will be responsible for obtaining the trees and notifying members of a date to plant them. There was no report from the finance committee or Yard of the Month committee. Membership chair Joan Gibson submitted the name of Leslie Lewis for membership. She was accepted by club vote. Motion Ann Dinkins, second Lois Brazie. Gena then thanked Lois for making the telephone calls and Zia for the publicity. Historian Diane Stafford will not be doing the scrapbook; Donna Hodge has graciously agreed to do so. Judy Winters will turn pictures taken over to Donna.

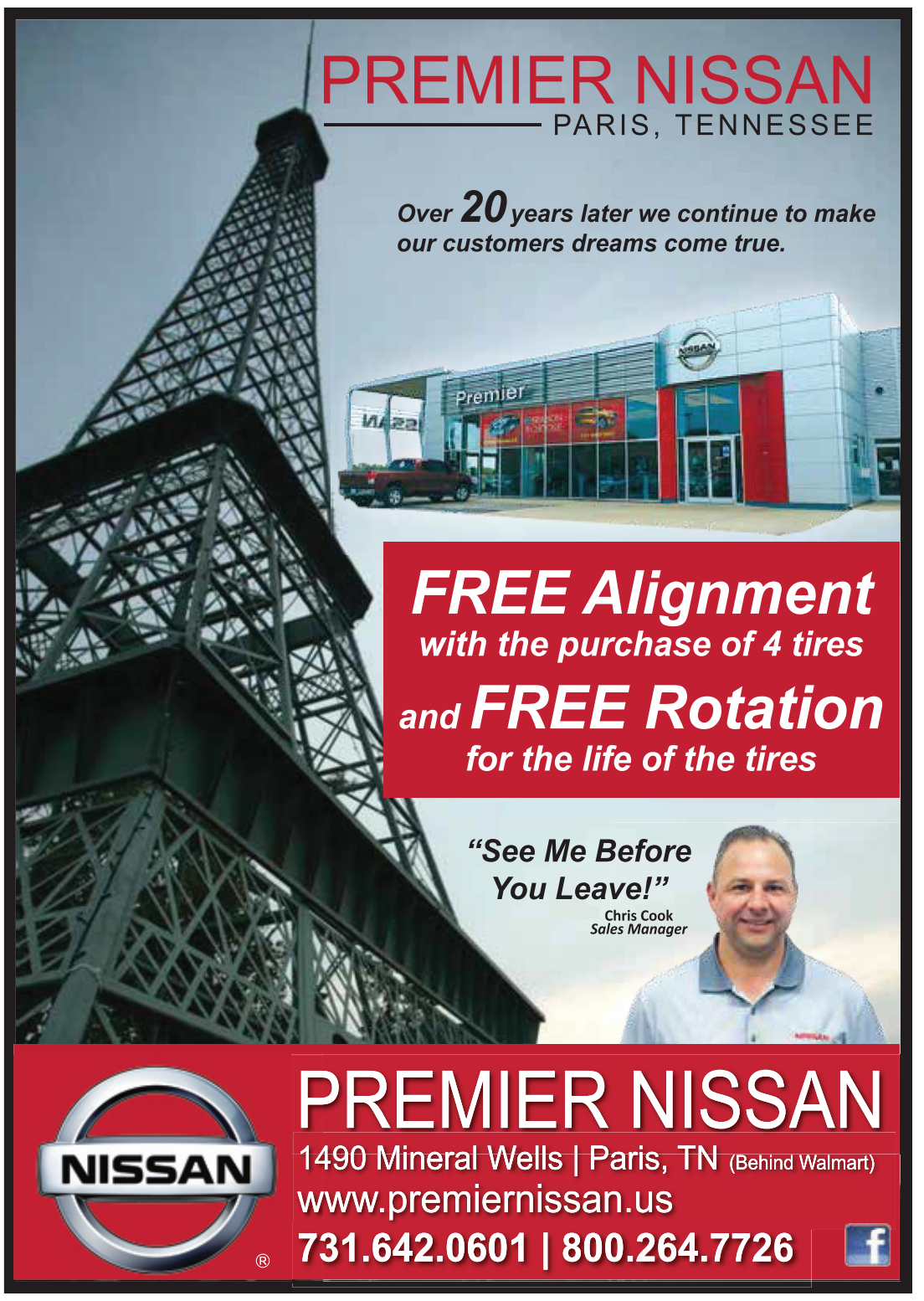
Under new business, two items discussed were the TG Club Convention and the Christmas luncheon members will have. Gena mentioned that in the past, we had reserved a one/half page in the convention booklet and that the cost would be $50. Members voted to do this again this year with the picture showing us decorating the park. Motion was made by Lois, second Zia Locke, motion carried. Gena will sent the picture in by March 1, 2017.

The next item of business regarded the luncheon at Angela's on December 6, 2016. the luncheon will take place at noon and everyone should look their Christmas best.

Horticulture: Gena- Chinese Snowball, Zinnia, Coleus, Penta, Rose of Summer, Red Periwinkle. Judy Davis- Knockout Rose, Drift Roses, vines.

Announcements: We will decorate Veterans Park the day after the election at 10 a.m. Donna will make new bows for the benches and baskets.

Following the club's benediction, the meeting was adjourned. Members present were Robbie Barker, Lois Brazie, Betty Brown, Judy Davis, Ann Dinkins, Joan Gibson, Diane Harvey, Donna Hodge, Zia Locke, Gena Manner, Sandi McMahen, Donna Pruneau, Sharon Ray, Lucille Russell, and Julia Winters.



It's That Time Again! We need your Santa letters! Deadline is December 7, 2016.

Butler Speaks to McKenzie Rotary

Bethel President Walter Butler was the featured speaker at the November 22 meeting of the McKenzie Rotary Club. Butler started at Bethel as an enrollment counselor in the 1970s, successfully ran for the position of Carroll County Trustee, and Carroll County Executive, and was appointed to serve as the commissioner of parks with the State of Tennessee during the Governor Sundquist administration.

Butler said Bethel is on track to graduate 1,200 students during the school year. The students and school have won numerous awards, including one of 19 schools in the NAIA to win Champions of Character for the athletes work in and out of the classroom.

Bethel is celebrating its 175th anniversary. The school was started by the Cumberland Presbyterian denomination in 1842 in McLemoresville. Few private higher education universities have achieved that longevity.

Bethel President Walter Butler and Amy Thompson, VP of McKenzie Rotary Club.

Left, Huntingdon Middle School DARE graduates “fist bump” Huntingdon Police Officers. Right, HMS DARE essay winner Kaida Walton with Huntingdon Police Sergeant Joey Hedge.

Huntingdon Middle School DARE Graduation

Courtesy Walter Smothers
Huntingdon Director
of Public Safety

HUNTINGDON (November 22) — The Huntingdon Middle School fifth grade celebrated its graduation from the DARE program presented to the school by the Huntingdon Police Department by instructor Sergeant Joey Hedge.

The ten-week course focused on the need for students to make good choices about different situations like drugs, peer pressure and bullying. Guest speaker for the event was the Honorable Judge Larry Logan, Juvenile Judge and General Sessions Judge for Carroll County.

Judge Logan spoke to the students about the need to make good decisions and the consequences of making bad choices. He read a letter from a person serving a life sentence in prison for murder in which the person spoke about the choices he made in his life that had led him to the act that cost his freedom for the rest of his life.

Judge Logan pointed out that the police officers present were friends of the students and for students to always think of them as such.

The winner of the annual DARE Essay, Kaida Walton, received a medallion and a check in the amount of $50. All students received and DARE tee shirt prior to the ceremony. Certificates and a gift bag were handed out as the students went through the graduation line and ended up giving a "Fist Bump" to each of the visiting officers.

Smothers said, “We are proud of the interest and dedication of the students shown throughout the ten-week course and the accomplishment that this represents. We are also proud of the patience and excellent job by Sergeant Hedge in providing the education to our fifth grade students as well as organizing the graduation ceremony.”

He concluded, “Also, we want to give a special thanks to Judge Logan for taking time from his busy schedule to speak the words of praise and encouragement to our youth and his support of police officers.”

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December 1-6

Area Sports Calendar

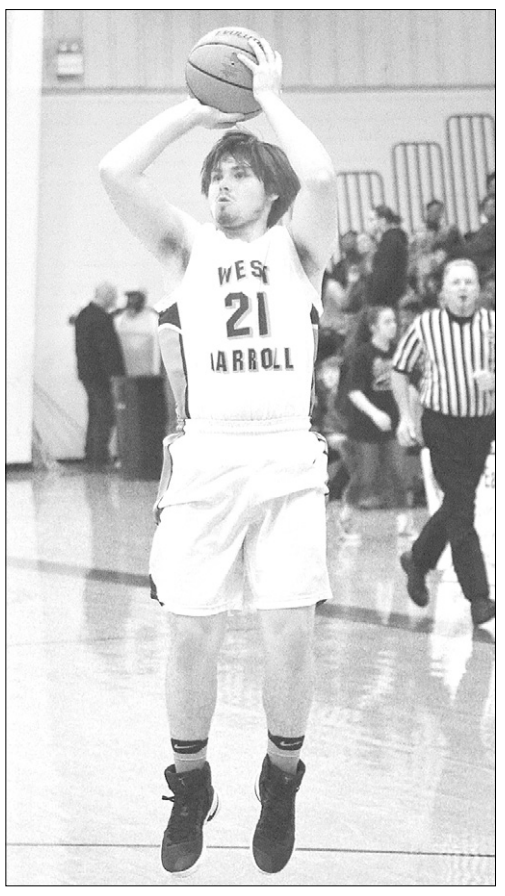
December 1 (Thursday): Carroll County Middle School Basketball Tournament-Clarksburg High School-4:00 p.m.-#2 McKenzie Middle School boys versus #3 Huntingdon Middle School; 5:30 p.m.-#1 McKenzie Middle School girls versus #4 West Carroll / #5 Hollow Rock-Bruceton winner / 6:45 p.m.-#2 Clarksburg Junior High girls versus #3 Huntingdon Middle School / 8:00 p.m.-#1-West Carroll Junior High boys versus #4 Hollow Rock-Bruceton / #5 Clarksburg Junior High.

December 2 (Friday): Henry County High School basketball at McKenzie High School / West Carroll High School basketball at Adamsville High School.

December 3 (Saturday): Carroll County Middle School Basketball Championships-10:00 a.m.-boys consolation / 11:30 p.m.-boys championship plus All-County Team; 12:30 p.m.-girls consolation / 1:30 p.m.-girls championship plus All-County Team.

December 5 (Monday): McKenzie High School Football Banquet.

December 6 (Tuesday): 6:00 p.m.-West Carroll High School basketball at McKenzie High School / Hollow Rock-Bruceton High School basketball at Huntingdon High School.



Left, Lady War Eagle Deidra Clark pulls up for a jumper. Clark led all scorers with 18 points. Right, War Eagle Chase Nash pulls up for a jumper. Nash led West Carroll with 27 points, including a trio of threes. *Photo courtesy of Steve Short/Mirror-Exchange*

Milan Sweeps West Carroll

Courtesy of Steve Short
Mirror-Exchange

ATWOOD (November 22) — West Carroll hosted Milan for a pair of high school basketball contests Tuesday night, swept by their neighbors to the south. The Lady Bulldogs won handily, but the War Eagles held a lead late in the third before succumbing to Milan's three-point shooting.

Milan Lady Bulldogs 61, West Carroll Lady War Eagles 30

Xzandrea Moore had a double-double 15 points plus 14 rebounds leading Milan to their third straight win over young West Carroll.

Chelseah Moore added 14 pts., 5 boards, 2 assists and 3 steals. Freshman center Madison Johnson came off the bench to get 7 rebounds and score 14 pts. on 7-of-10 shooting.

West Carroll, which started two freshmen, kept it close early, trailing 16-10 after a quarter. But the Lady Dogs outscored the Lady War Eagles 25-9 the second half.

Deidra Clark, West Carroll's talented guard-forward and senior leader, was a force at both ends of the court, ending with a game-high 18 points. Promising freshmen Gracie and Macey Cunningham pestered Milan, scoring 4 points apiece, Gracie adding 8 boards, 5 steals, and Macie with 2 boards, an assist and 3 steals.

Neither team shot well, Milan hitting 39% (25-of-65) and only 1-of-14 three-pointers, and West Carroll shooting 27% (12-of-44) and missing six 3-point attempts. The teams missed 23 free throws, Milan making 10-of-21, and West Carroll 6-of-18. West Carroll had 28 turnovers and Milan 22. The Lady Dogs won the rebounds decisively, 49-33.

Milan (61) – Jakia Rose 5, Jerrika Porter 1, Chelseah Moore 14, Xzandrea Moore 15, Mikayla Shook 6. Subs: Kendall Griffith 3, Madison Hughes 1, Madison Johnson 14, DeAja Simmons 2. 3pt-C. Moore. FT 10-21.

West Carroll (30) – Deidra Clark 18, Aubry Jones, Gracie Cunningham 4, Macey Cunningham 4, Katie Holt. Subs: Cloie Vestal 2, Haley Hughes 2. 3pt-none. FT 6-18.

Milan 16-20-15-10 = 61
WC 10-11-6-3 = 30

Bulldogs 91, War Eagles 83

For the Bulldogs, it was 80 seconds of three-ball fireworks.

Trailing neighbor rival West Carroll 60-57 with 1:20 left in the third quarter, Milan used a barrage of 3-pointers that stunned the War Eagles and their fans and gave Milan a 69-60 lead.

Trey Moore, Roland Adkisson and Landon Spain made the long-ball buckets, Spain and Adkisson exploding with back-to-back treys in the quarter's final 20 seconds.

West Carroll closed to 71-67 with 5:55 left, but Milan held on with a patient half-court offense, fast break baskets and clutch free throws, including six straight by Trey Moore.

Overall, Milan made 22-of-38 free throws compared to West Carroll's 10-of-30 from the line.

The War Eagles shot better from the field overall, 53% to 46%, and from 3-point range, 54% to 42%. But Milan made 11 three's to West Carroll's 7.

West Carroll built a 55-48 lead on a spin move basket by Jack Johnson midway through the third quarter. But the Dogs, pressing full court, pieced together a 21-5 run.

"At halftime I was not sure how we were going to do, but the biggest thing was how we came out in the second half," said Dog coach Kevin Bryowsky. "We made some big outside shots and knocked down some free throws. Our defense picked us up; we made offense out of defense. Credit goes to the kids; they don't give up and they do a good job of helping each other. We needed to win this one to get back on the winning side." Milan improved to 2-2.

"We played hard and gave it our all, but we missed 20 free throws, and they scored 18 points off our turnovers," said War Eagle coach Jason Fitch. "They made a run with three-pointers in the last twenty seconds of the third quarter."

Roland Adkisson made 6-of-12 three-point attempts, scoring 32 pts., plus 8 boards to lead Milan. Trey Moore had a double-double, 22 pts., 13 boards.

Chase Nash led the War Eagles with 27 points. Two War Eagles had double-doubles: Jack Johnson with 12 pts., 19 rebs., 3 assists and a steal; Zach Heckert with 17 pts., 10 boards, 2 assists and a block.

Milan (91) - LaMartez Brooks 13, Roland Adkisson 32, Fred Hardville 10, Trey Moore 22, DaVante Herron 2. Subs: Dallas Ingram 4, Landon Spain 8. 3pt-Adkisson 6, Hardville, Spain 2, Moore 2. FT 22-38.

West Carroll (83) – Jeremiah Bryant 10, Chase Nash 27, Jack Johnson 38, Aaron Heckert 1, Zack Heckert 17. Subs: Donovan Wallace 16. 3pt-Nash 3, Wallace 4. FT 7-30. Rebounds:

Milan 24-17-28-22 = 91
WC 19-27-14-23 = 83

#10 Lady Wildcats Upset #3 OLLU

Courtesy Dave McCulley
Bethel University Sports
Information Director

JACKSON (November 25) — The #10 Bethel Lady Wildcats jumped out to an early lead and upset #3 Our Lady of the Lake, 78-70 in the 2016 Jackson Rotary Classic.

Bethel led 20-4 with 2:46 left in the first quarter and maintained a double-digit margin throughout the first half. Shamon Pearson scored 15 of her game-high 18 points in the first two quarters and enabled Bethel to lead at the break 45-32. OLLU scored the first seven points of the third quarter and on two occasions cut the Lady Wildcat lead to six. Cayla Sheets, Madison Steppee and Abbey Dew picked up the scoring slack in the third and fourth quarters and led Bethel to the victory.

Along with Pearson in double figures, Dew finished with 12 points while Sheets finished with 11 points. Steppee had 10 points and seven rebounds. Mariah McKenty had eight points and a game high ten rebounds. Bethel's Morgan Martin had seven points and five boards. Bri Fields had five tallies while Ariel Johnson had seven valuable points in 14 minutes of action. Julia Rendon led OLLU with 14 points while Alyssa Ward had 13 for the Lady Saints.

Bethel shot 48 percent from the floor connecting on 29-of-60 shots from the field. OLLU hit eight three- pointers while Bethel had five. Free throws kept the Lady Saints in the game as they hit 18-of- 22 attempts. OLLU shot just 35 percent from the floor. Bethel won despite a season high 25 turnovers. OLLU had 18 turnovers in the contest.

Bethel moved to 3-3 on the season while OLLU fell to 3-4.

Bethel Coach Chris Nelson was pleased with the effort and result. "Our start was huge and gave us confidence which we really needed. We were able to get some easy baskets and our defense was really good at times. Although we turned it over too much we embraced the tempo and that proved to be a factor in the game. Dew, Sheets, Pearson and Steppee had productive offensive nights and Mariah (McKenty) was simply great tonight. This is a nice win over one of the top teams in the nation. We need to get some rest and prepare for a talented Great Falls squad."

Second Annual Middle School Holiday Hoopfest

December 17th, 19th and 20th

All games will be played at West Carroll Junior/Senior High School. Admission is $5.00.

Saturday December, 17th (First Round)

3:00 – JCS Girls vs. Rose Hill Girls, 4:15 – JCS Boys vs. Northeast Boys, 5:30 – West Carroll Girls vs. Humboldt Girls, 6:45 – USJ Boys vs. Humboldt Boys

Monday December, 19th (Semi-Finals)

5:00 – Huntingdon Girls vs. JCS/Rose Hill Girls Winner, 6:15 – Huntingdon Boys vs. JCS/Northeast Boys Winner, 7:30 – USJ Girls vs. West Carroll/Humboldt Girls Winner, 8:45 – West Carroll Boys vs. USJ/Humboldt Boys Winner

Tuesday December, 20th

2:30 - JCS/Rose Hill Girls Loser vs. West Carroll/Humboldt Girls Loser, 3:45 - JCS/Northeast Boys Loser vs. USJ/Humboldt Boys Loser, 5:00 Girls Consolation, 6:15 Girls Championship, 7:30 Boys Consolation, and 8:45 Boys Championship

Left, Rebel Brandon Baucum stops short of a Milan defender for a fadeaway jumper. Baucum led all scorers with 22 points in McKenzie's win. Right, Lady Rebel Anna Comer blows by a Milan defender. Comer led McKenzie with 15 points. *Photo courtesy of Michele Jarrett*

Rebels Coast by Bulldogs, 69-55

Lady Rebels Fall, 68-49

By Brad Sam
brad@mckenziebanner.com

MILAN (November 21) — McKenzie played its final hoops contests before Thanksgiving on the road. The Lady Bulldogs pulled away after an even first quarter, topping the Lady Rebels, 68-49. The Rebels didn't waste any time building a comfortable lead, and breezed by the Bulldogs, 69-55.

Milan Lady Bulldogs 68, McKenzie Lady Rebels 49

The ladies played to a tie after the first frame, 11-11. Lady Bulldog Chelseah Moore led with five points, including a three-pointer. Jakia Rose also hit a three, MiKayla Shook had a pair, and Xzandrea Moore hit a free throw. Anna Comer led McKenzie with four points, Bailey Nelson scored three, and Jacey Davis and Shelby Davis each had a pair.

Milan doubled up the Lady Rebels, 18-9, in the second quarter. C. Moore scored eight points, including a pair of threes. X. Moore had four, and Rose, Shook, and Madison Johnson each had a pair. S. Davis hit a three-pointer for McKenzie, while Comer, J. Davis, and Camille Travis each had a pair. At the half, Milan led, 29-20.

The Lady Bulldogs increased the lead with a 22-16 advantage in the third. S. Davis had nine points for the Lady Rebels, Comer hit three free throws, Carissa Britt had a pair, and Nelson and J. Davis each hit a freebie. Rose scored seven for Milan, including a pair of threes. X. Moore had five, all from the line, and C. Moore hit another three-pointer. Shook, Destiny Dunlap, and Jerrika Porter each had a pair, and Johnson hit a freebie. Heading into the final frame, the Lady Bulldogs led, 51-36.

Milan finished off the win with a 17-13 fourth quarter. Comer led with six points for McKenzie. Nelson hit four from the line, and Travis drained a three-pointer. C. Moore hit four freebies, Shook had four points, Dunlap hit a three, and X. Moore and Rose scored three each.

Lady Bulldog Chelseah Moore led all scorers with 20 points, including four three-pointers. Jakia Rose had 15, including a trio of threes, and Xzandrea Moore had 13 points.

Anna Comer led McKenzie with 15 points. Shelby Davis scored 14, including a three-pointer.

Rebels 69, Bulldogs 55

The Rebels played strong out of the gate, outscoring Milan, 20-11, in the first frame. Tyler King led with eight points, and Brandon Baucum had five. Preston Henderson hit a three-pointer, and Mason King and Paul Watkins each had a pair. Bulldog Roland Adkisson scored four points, DaVonte Herron hit a three, and LaMartez Brooks and Dallas Ingram each had a pair.

McKenzie extended the lead with a 17-10 advantage in the second quarter. Watkins hit a pair of threes, and M. King had five, including a three. Baucum, T. King and Lucas King each had a pair. Herron hit another three-pointer for Milan, and Fred Hardville scored three points. Terrick Glenn and Austin White each had a pair. At the half, the Rebels led, 37-21.

In an even, 16-16 third, Baucum scored seven, Watkins had four, Henderson hit another three, and T. King added a pair. Ingram scored seven for Milan, Brooks had four, Herron hit another three, and White added a pair. Entering the final frame, McKenzie led, 53-37.

The Bulldogs closed the gap slightly with an 18-16 edge in the fourth. Baucum scored eight, Watkins had five, including a three, T. King had a pair, and Bryce Wiggins hit a free throw. Isaac Sturdivant and Trey Moore each had five points for Milan, each with a three, Lamarcus Jones scored three points, Ingram hit another three, and Brooks added a pair.

Rebel Brandon Baucum led all scorers with 22 points. Paul Watkins had 17, including a trio of threes. Tyler King had 14 points.

Milan was led by Dallas Ingram with 12 points, including a three-pointer. DaVonte Herron had nine on a trio of threes.

Left, A Lady Jaguar player passes the ball against Gleason. Right, A Carroll Academy player defends the shot of Gleason's Lucio Solano. *Photos courtesy Cristi Wallace*

Carroll Academy Nips Bulldogs in OT, 72-71

The Bulldogs' hopes for their first win of the season imploded in the final four minutes as the Jaguars embarked upon a 12-2 run to pull even with their opposition as time expired.

With 45 seconds to play, the Jaguars went ahead for the first time since the opening period via a Dallas Willis basket and free throw combination.

After a Gleason turnover, Willis was fouled and made the first of two free throws to result in a two-point Carroll Academy advantage.

Solano made a pair of free throws with 6.5 seconds remaining to tie the game and send it into overtime.

The Jaguars struck first in the extra period when Grayson Knight offered a free throw with three minutes to play. Knight offered another freebie later in the period and Dontavious Collins tacked on a bucket to lift Carroll Academy to a 70-66 advantage with around two minutes remaining.

A Solano bucket pulled Gleason to within a pair of points and another score by the Bulldogs' leading scorer tied the game at 70 with 1:04 remaining.

Gleason (0-4) missed two more shots on its ensuing trip down the floor with CA grabbing the rebound and Miguel Reed eventually being sent to the charity stripe. Reed made the first of his two free throws before missing the second one. Knight was fouled on the rebound and made the first of his freebies to put Carroll Academy ahead by a bucket with 34.1 ticks remaining on the clock.

Peyton Stigall made the backend of a pair of free throws on the next Bulldog possession and a turnover gave the host squad the chance for a walk-off win.

However, Gleason missed two shots in the final 20 seconds and Carroll Academy fended off the Bulldogs' last gasp for a triumph.

Aside from Solano, Gleason had Dawson Arnold with 15 points, Peyton Stigall with seven tallies and Hart McKenzie with six.

Willis paced Dallas Willis with 27 points, Collins added 20, Knight contributed 15 and Reed ended the game with 10.

Lady Bulldogs 80, Lady Jaguars 10

Despite the lop-sided margin of victory by Gleason, Carroll Academy father/daughter coaching tandem of Randy Hatch and Haley Ezell praised the Lady Bulldogs players and coaching staff for exhibiting class and sportsmanship throughout the contest.

Ezell said, "Gleason treated our team with respect and kindness when there was no reason they needed to do that, and we appreciate it so much. Our girls would come back to the bench and tell us the Gleason players were encouraging ours saying stuff like 'good shot" and "you got this' and stuff like that. They were helping our players up even when they hit the floor while the play on the court was still going."

The Lady Bulldogs starting five sat in warm-up jerseys for the entire contest against the Lady Jaguars.

Gleason (5-0) accounted for the game's first 19 points before Carroll Academy's Michelle Payne put her team on the board with a three-pointer with 2:52 remaining in the first quarter.

When the first period concluded, Gleason held a 31-3 advantage.

Lady Bulldog Lillie Freeman offered three baskets and a free throw during the first frame. Gleason's Kenady Atkins and Alexis Anderson each offered a pair of buckets and a three-point in the opening period.

The Lady Bulldogs led 53-7 at the half.

Gleason's Anderson, Freeman, Veronica Rosa, Martha Nichols and Keicha Shafter all knocked down a three-pointer in the third quarter as the Lady Bulldogs outscored Carroll Academy, 20-4, and led at the start of the final period, 73-11.

Lady Bulldog Rosa led all scorers with 13 points, while Shafer and Anderson each had a dozen points apiece. Freeman had 10, Martha Nichols added nine, Burton contributed nine and Atkins totaled seven to round out the list of Lady Bulldog notables.

Carroll Academy's Payne made a pair of three-pointers for a team-high six points.

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Lady Wildcats Come up Short Against Great Falls, 55-51

Courtesy Dave McCulley
Bethel University Sports Information Director

JACKSON (November 26) —For those in attendance at the 2016 Rotary Classic at Oman Arena in Jackson, many would tell you the Great Falls Lady Argos should be ranked much higher than No. 18 in the nation. Among those may very well be Bethel Coach Chris Nelson, as the Argos beat his No. 10 ranked squad on the final night of the classic, 55-51.

Using their size was a factor for GFU, but the guard play of Darah Huertas-Vining and Stephanie McDonagh also played big roles in the victory. McDonagh scored 10 points and grabbed 10 rebounds, while Huertas-Vining scored double figures with 11 points.

Bethel's Shamon Pearson led all scorers with 19 points.

Great Falls used a 10-point unanswered run to erase a Bethel 30-27 lead in the third quarter and Bethel could never catch the squad from Montana after that. Great Falls had a 30-19 advantage in points in the paint. They also enjoyed a 20-9 margin in points off turnovers.

Bethel hit seven three-pointers to four by GFU but shot just 29-percent overall from the field.

Great Falls shot 38-percent, hitting 22-of- 57 attempts from the floor. The Lady Argos had a 35-32 advantage in rebounds.

Both teams had strong defensive efforts. Bethel committed 17 turnovers while GFU had 16 mistakes in the contest.

Coach Nelson commented, "Great Falls is a great basketball team. We were good in this classic, but when you play these teams you have to be better than just good. We made too many mistakes, and against teams like we saw in this classic, you cannot get away with that. We are not in rhythm offensively right now but it is a process and we feel that we are getting there."

He added, "We have two key and tough conference games coming up and we need to get back to work and get ready."

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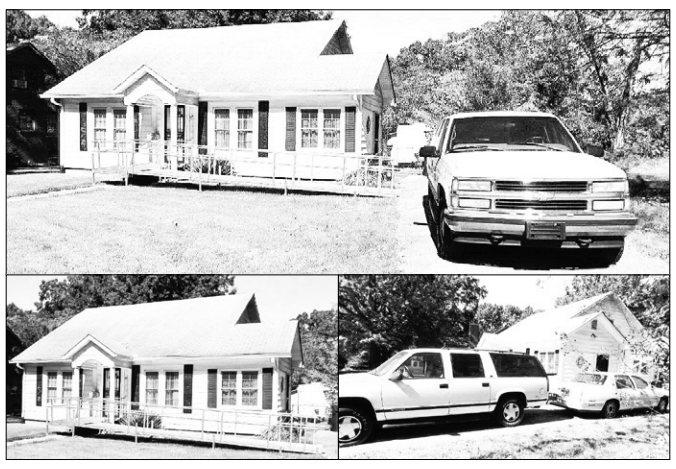

NOTICE OF AUCTION SALE
REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

BARBARA P. HALL – DECEASED:
THE ESTATE OF: **CIVIL ACTION NO: 2016-PE-51**

By the authority granted by an "Order of Estate Sale of Real Estate and Personalty" filed in the above styled Estate on September 20, 2016, and entered of record in Probate Minute Book: 41, Page: 49, I will on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2016, at 9:00 A.M., offer for sale to the highest and best bidder the real and personal property as set out in said "Order".

LOCATION: **THIS IS THE PROPERTY OF THE LATE MRS. BARBARA P. HALL. Both real and personal property will be sold on the premises of the real property located at 271 Forrest Avenue, McKenzie, Tennessee.** An auction sale sign will be placed in the yard prior to the sale. **The personal property will be sold beginning at 9:00 A. M. The real property and vehicles will be sold promptly at 11:00 A.M.**

REAL PROPERTY: WILL SELL AT 11:00 A.M. A legal description of the property may be had by calling the Office of the Clerk & Master during normal Office Hours at (731) 986-1920.

TERMS OF SALE: 10% DOWN THE DAY OF SALE WITH THE BALANCE DUE WITHIN 30 DAYS UPON DELIVERY OF THE DEED. A LETTER FROM A LENDING INSTITUTION FOR THE BALANCE OF THE BID WILL BE REQUIRED. THIS PROPERTY WILL BE SOLD SUBJECT TO THE 2017 PROPERTY TAXES. SOLD UNDER THE RULES OF CHANCERY.

This property is located in the 04th Civil District of Carroll County, Tennessee, and described in Deed Book: 220, Page: 987, in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee, and further described as Map No: 012L, Group: D, Parcel: 014.00, in the Office of the Property Assessor of Carroll County, Tennessee.

This property consists of a residential lot, located at 271 Forrest Avenue, McKenzie, Tennessee. There is located on this property a vinyl sided frame home with new energy efficient windows and doors, of approximately 1,400 S.F. of heated area, a Goodman 13 SEER Central Unit (Gas Heat), a wall mounted Gas Heat Unit inside the house in case the power goes out, paved driveway, Range-Air Vent Hood, Kenmore Dish Washer, a 15'X15' Screened In Back Porch, and a 15'X24' detached Garage/Outbuilding/Shop. The house has a living room, dining room, kitchen, utility room, den/bedroom with built in bookcases, hall foyer with built in bookcases, bath with handicapped shower unit, bedroom, on the second floor there are two bedrooms and a full bath. There is also a cellar underneath the house for storage, etc. The woodwork in this house is beautiful. The stairs and banister is solid oak. There are several ceiling fans throughout the house and most of the first floor has beautiful hardwood floors. Plenty of closet space also. Folks, this is an older home with lots of character and potential, located on a large shady lot, close to downtown and Bethel College. This property will make someone a nice home in a great neighborhood in McKenzie. **If you are looking to buy a home in this area, don't miss this sale!**

VEHICLES AND TRAVEL TRAILER: These items will be sold immediately after the house is sold at 11:00 A.M.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash or approved check for the full bid amount. You will take immediate possession, title and you will be responsible for removing the vehicles from the property:

1999 Chevrolet Suburban 4X4
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1999 Cadillac DeVille
1983 Aluminum Travel Trailer Self Contained Holiday Ramblers Alumi-Lite - 9'X24' - Pull Type, Not Fifth Wheel

PERSONAL PROPERTY: The personal property will be sold beginning at 9:00 A.M.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash or approved check for the full bid amount. You will take immediate possession and you will be responsible for removing all items of personal property. The following is a partial listing of the items to be sold:

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EMachine Computer & HP Printer	Lots of Antique Tables
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Corner Desk	Alaron 31 Day Pendulum Wall Clock
Antique Leather Luggage Sets	Old Chifferobe
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Wheelchair, Walkers, Etc.	Silverware Set
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Mr. Robert T. Keeton, Jr., Attorney for the Estate
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8-0 Net Cats Beat Williams Baptist, 97-72

Courtesy Dave McCulley
Bethel University Sports Information Director

McKENZIE (November 22) — The Bethel Wildcats ran their season opening record to 8-0 with a 97-72 win over visiting Williams Baptist College at Crisp Arena.

With the loss, WBC fell to 3-3 on the year.

After trailing 14-10, the Wildcats outscored the Eagles 11-2 to grab a 21-16 lead and never trailed again. The Wildcats led at the half 41-34. Bethel is 7-0 when leading at the break.

Four minutes into the second half, Bethel extended its lead to 53-37 en route to defeating the Eagles, 97-72.

Bethel shot 50-percent from the floor hitting 32-of-64 shots while knocking down 11 three-pointers in the contest. The Cats forced the visitors from Walnut Ridge into 26 turnovers.

Four Wildcats finished in double figures with Darren Davidson leading the offensive attack with 24 points. Isaac Edmondson had another big night with 17 points and ten rebounds. Tyrus Robinson came off the Bethel bench and had 12 points. Andrew Rogan pitched in 11 points. Bethel has had three or more players finish in double figures in every game this season. Demoine Brown led WBC with 13 points.

Coach Jeff Britt was pleased with the victory. "I thought we came out sleep walking a bit in the first half. Once we began to put things together we eventually pulled away. We did a good job running our offense in the second half and that allowed us to play some reserves later in the game and that will help them develop and gain more confidence."

Wildcats Win Streak at Nine

Net Cats Defeat Fisk, 101-84

Courtesy Dave McCulley
Bethel University Sports Information Director

McKENZIE (November 26) — The Bethel Wildcats remained unbeaten at 9-0 with a 101-84 win over the visiting Fisk University Bulldogs at Crisp Arena. Fisk dropped to 0-8. The Wildcats moved to 4-0 at home this season.

The Wildcats dominated on the glass with a commanding 64-29 advantage over the Bulldogs. Bethel has out-rebounded seven opponents in their nine-game winning streak.

The Wildcats shot 46-percent from the floor, hitting 34-of-74 attempts. They hit eight three's and knocked in 25-of-33 free throw attempts. Fisk shot 43-percent, going 29-of-67 from the field. The Dogs connected on 12 three pointers but were only 14-of -27 from the charity line.

Isaac Edmondson led the Cats with 25 points and 12 rebounds. Darren Davidson and Andrew Rogan each had 24 points. Rogan also grabbed 11 boards. Marcus Burnett grabbed 11 rebounds and added nine points. Joshua Madison led Fisk with 22 points.

Coach Jeff Britt said, "Fisk has a fine team and they compete at a high level. I'm glad our young men responded to the challenge. We still have a lot of work to do. William Carey and Blue Mountain are tough conference opponents and we must be ready for those challenges as well."

Gas Prices Fall Slightly

TENNESSEE (November 28) — Average retail gasoline prices in Tennessee have fallen 1 cent per gallon in the past week, averaging $1.94/g yesterday, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 3,821 gas outlets in Tennessee. This compares with the national average that has fallen 1.3 cents per gallon in the last week to $2.12/g, according to gasoline price website GasBuddy.com.

Including the change in gas prices in Tennessee during the past week, prices yesterday were 6.8 cents per gallon higher than the same day one year ago and are 10.1 cents per gallon lower than a month ago. The national average has decreased 9.5 cents per gallon during the last month and stands 7.7 cents per gallon higher than this day one year ago.

According to GasBuddy historical data, gasoline prices on November 28 in Tennessee have ranged widely over the last five years: $1.87/g in 2015, $2.57/g in 2014, $3.16/g in 2013, $3.17/g in 2012 and $3.10/g in 2011.

Areas nearby Tennessee and their current gas price climate: Tennessee- $1.94/g, down 1 cent per gallon from last week's $1.95/g.

"Early last week WTI crude had climbed above $48 (per barrel) but was unable to hold on and in late trading Friday had slipped below $46," said Gregg Laskoski, senior petroleum analyst for GasBuddy. "And that probably ties directly to doubts about Iraq, Iran and the likelihood that Russia, the largest non-OPEC oil exporter, will agree only to a freeze and not a production cut of its own, which OPEC says is essential for the cartel to implement its plan to cut back by 1 million barrels per day.

Consequently, this week's highly anticipated meeting among OPEC members Wednesday in Vienna could be anticlimactic and fortuitous for U.S. consumers if no agreement is reached.

"Prices at the pump generally fall in December. In the last four years we've seen the U.S. average price of gas increase just once in December. In December 2013 the national average ended the month 5 cents higher than when it started. And it's also fallen precipitously… In December 2014 the national average plummeted 51 cents per gallon, from $2.75 to $2.24. Over the past four years the average decline from Dec. 1 to Dec. 31 has been 15 cents per gallon and I'd have to think most of us would be pretty happy with that," Laskoski added.

Chamber Offers Cash Incentive to Participate in Christmas Parades

The Carroll County Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a program to support the four Carroll County Christmas parades. Floats and vehicles participating in all four Christmas parades are eligible for a random cash drawing with three floats and two vehicles awarded cash prizes.

The parades are scheduled as follows:

December 3, 5:00 p.m. McKenzie

December 8, 7:00 p.m. Clarksburg

December 10, 6:30 p.m. Huntingdon

December 12, 7:00 p.m. Trezevant.

To qualify for the awards, entrants must contact the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce office by December 1 at 731-986-4664 and must participate in all four parades.

A float is defined as a trailer, wagon, etc. being pulled by an animal or gas-powered vehicle.

The names of qualifying entries will be selected randomly with the following cash awards.

Floats receive: 1st receives $150; 2nd receives $100; 3rd receives $50

Vehicles receive: 1st $100, 2nd $50

"We are excited to support our local communities Christmas parades through this program," said Brad Hurley, President of the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce.

Call the Chamber of Commerce office at 731-986-4664, for details.

Nurse's Assistant 2 Position

Carroll County Health Department has a vacancy for a Nurse's Assistant 2. This is a state position. Education equivalent to graduation from a standard high school. The salary is $1469.00 per month. Job vacancies are listed on the TN.gov website every Wednesday. Applications are accepted online at http://agency.governmentjobs.com/tennessee/default.cfm. The State of Tennessee is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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CALENDAR

MCKENZIE BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

The annual Breakfast with Santa, a fundraiser for the Angel Tree sponsored by Beta Sigma Phi, is Saturday, December 3 from 8-11 a.m. at First Methodist Church, 16 McTyeire Street, McKenzie. Tickets are $4 each for sausage and pancakes. Santa's Shop is for kids only, where they can buy gifts for their family. Pictures with Santa are also available for an additional charge.

EVENTS AT WEST CARROLL SCHOOLS

War Eagle Holiday Mart — Saturday, December 3 from 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at WCHS in Atwood. This is a West Carroll High School Class of 2017 Project Graduation fundraiser.

WCES Old Fashioned Christmas Musical — Monday, December 5 at 7 p.m. at WCHS; Sunday, December 11 at 2 p.m. at WCPS.

WCPS Family Literacy Night — Tuesday, December 6 from 5-7 p.m.for all grades Pre-K to Second.

Breakfast with Santa at WCHS — Saturday, December 17 from 9-10 a.m. $5 per ticket; children 2 and under are free.

DECEMBER EVENTS FOR CCHS

BREAKFAST — Saturday, December 3 from 7 a.m. til 10 a.m. at the Carroll Bank & Trust Bank Community Room in Huntingdon. This is all-you-can-eat and it's the last breakfast of the year. Come out and get your bellies full and then you can go shopping for the animal residents of CCHS. Scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, biscuits, sausage gravy, pancakes, assorted drinks. Adults $7 and children under 10 $3.

CHRISTMAS BRUNCH — Sunday, December 25 from 10 a.m. until noon. We will be featuring food by the fabulous Hugueley family as well as goodies for the animals. As always, we will hang an Angel garland at the shelter, and community members are invited to come choose a cat or dog to provide for this holiday season. If you do not live locally or cannot attend...never fear! General donations are always accepted and we will post a list of these closer to December, or you can visit our Amazon wishlist. Angel gifts can be delivered through Dec. 24 and will be distributed appropriately. Thank you all for your past, present, and future support! If you haven't been to this event, it is very heartwarming to see all the animals enjoy the company of people and "open" their presents. It's a very fun event.

BENEFIT FOR TIM BOYD

An ongoing benefit for Tim Boyd, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident, offers chances to win a Remington 1100 .410 sporting shotgun. Chances are $10 each or 3 for $20. You must be at least 18 years of age and pass a background check to be eligible to win this gun. For more information, contact Tim Carlton at 731-415-1796.

GLEASON ROTARY CLUB'S BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

Join Santa and his favorite elf Rotarians for breakfast at Simply Southern Café on Saturday, December 3 from 7 a.m. until 10 a.m. Breakfast plate tickets are $6 and can be purchased from any Gleason Rotarian or at the Bank of Gleason, Gleason City Hall or The McKenzie Banner. Cristi Wallace Photography will be on hand for pictures of your child with Santa Claus. Simply Southern Café is located at 553 E Union St., Gleason, Tenn.

All proceeds go towards the Gleason Rotary Club's construction of the helipad at Snider Park.

HOOP SHOOT AT ELKS LODGE

Huntingdon Elks Lodge is conducting its annual "Hoop Shoot" on Saturday, December 3, at 34:00 p.m. at the Huntingdon Middle School gymnasium. The contest is open to all boys and girls ages 8 through 13. Three age divisions are 8 and 9, 10 and 11, and 12 and 13 for boys and girls. The age is determined by the age on April 1, 2017. Winners in each division advance to the district contest in Trenton. For more information, call 986-3015 or 986-1069.

WOMEN'S DAY AT FBC-HUNTINGDON

Christmas is coming! Women, are you ready? Come to First Baptist Church in Huntingdon for tips to get ready and celebrate Christmas. First Baptist Church's Women's Ministry is inviting all women to come celebrate the Greatest Gift of All on Monday, December 5, 2016 at 6:00 pm in the Family Life Center.

Diane Tucker will give tips on gift wrapping, planning ahead, making moments matter and she will help everyone make a special gift tag envelope.

Kelli Postlethwait will be the entertainment. She will sing some solos and lead the women in Christmas carols. Kelli is a 3rd grade teacher at Huntingdon Primary School who loves to sing. There will be time for fellowship and food. Bring your favorite Christmas snack to share. The mission project is school supplies, coats, hats and gloves for children in the school system.

This event is free to women from all areas surrounding Carroll County. Just bring an item for the current mission project and a favorite snack. Child care provided for birth through 6th grade. For answers to questions call the church at 731-986-5000.

MHS TEEN HEALTH COUNCIL COAT DRIVE

From November 1 to December 14, the MHS Teen Health Council will be collecting coats. Each homeroom at the school will have a collection box. The homeroom with the most donations will receive a pizza party donated by Cash Express. They also have the coats cleaned and distribute them to those in need in the community. There will also be a "Stuff the Turkey" food drive for non-perishable items. The turkey will be located in the front lobby.

PARK THEATRE BINGO FUNDRAISER

A bingo benefit for Park Theatre will be held at Connie's Place located at 17 Broadway Street in McKenzie on December 9 from 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. $1 per card with 5 card playing minimum. All proceeds benefit the Park Theatre. Everyone is invited!

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Eastwood Baptist Church, 420 Old McKenzie Road, McKenzie, invites everyone to "Jesus and Breakfast" each Sunday. Breakfast is at 10 a.m., and the words of Jesus begin at 11.

MONTHLY VETERAN SUPPORT GROUP MEETING

VFW Post 4939 hosts a veteran support group meeting the first Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. The meeting is open to all veterans and family members.

MCKENZIE INDUSTRIAL BOARD MEETS MONTHLY

McKenzie Industrial Board meets the second Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m. at the former railroad depot, Bruce Street, McKenzie.

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Bethel University Twinkle Ball is Wednesday

McKENZIE — Bethel University's 5th Annual Twinkle Ball is Wednesday, Nov. 30 from 6 to 8 p.m. in the Baker Fieldhouse Gymnasium on Bethel's McKenzie campus.

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There are typically between 8 and 10 different stations where participants can make things that they take home with them.

Tickets are $25 for a mother/daughter. Mothers with more than one daughter can purchase additional tickets for $7 each. Tickets can be purchased at the Bethel University Bookstore. But they must be purchased in advance by noon the day of Twinkle on Nov. 30. For more information about the Twinkle Ball, call the Bethel Bookstore at 731-352-4094 or Myra Carlock at 731-352-4090.

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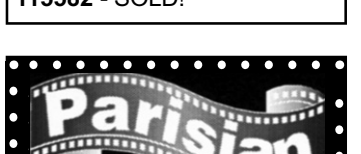
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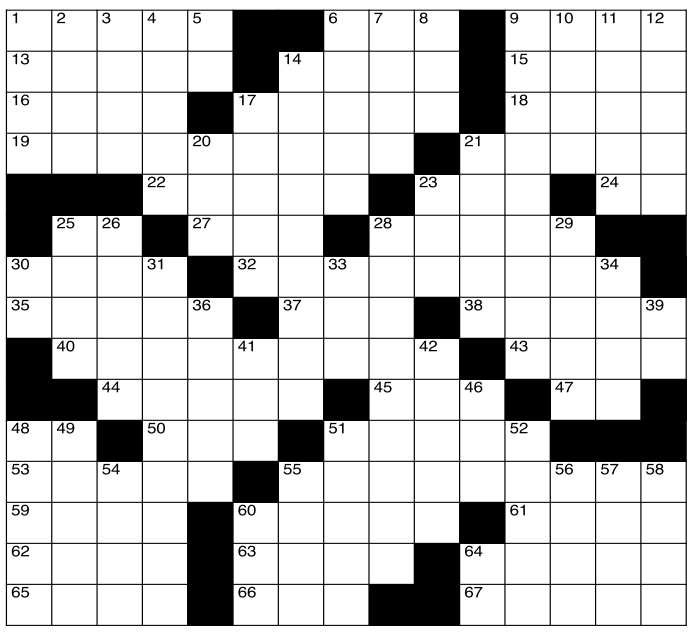

CLUES ACROSS
1. Poets
6. Insecticide
9. Insect feeler
13. Intestinal
14. "Drum Boogie" singer
15. Region
16. Chinese automotive co.
17. Served before entree
18. Dwells
19. Boosted
21. Tells players what to do
22. Infections
23. Hoover is one
24. Expresses surprise
25. Basketball position (abbr.)
27. Fresh Prince of __ Air
28. Hindu queens
30. Easter marshmallow treat
32. Where coaches stand
35. Women
37. Thai province
38. Drenches
40. Matters that settle
43. Not wide
44. Elaborate garments
45. Swiss river
47. South Dakota
48. Instinctive part of the mind
50. Some put this in their hair
51. French young women
53. Two legged support
55. Stimulates the heart
59. Waste matter
60. Nocturnal rodents
61. The Who anthem "__ O'Riley"
62. Old age personified
63. Remnant
64. Disband
65. Nanosecond
66. Referee declares
67. A citizen of Iran

CLUES DOWN
1. "ER" actress Leslie
2. Wings
3. Power to direct and control
4. Small freshwater fishes of Eurasia
5. Scandium
6. Earnhardt and Hunter are two
7. Two-parted
8. Foul-mouthed bear from the movies
9. Tan horses
10. Song
11. Draw blood
12. High-ranking Turkish officer
14. Determine time
17. Begets
20. Watch chain
21. Constellation representing a dog
23. Indian dish
25. Legumes
26. Romanian river
28. An auto you don't keep
29. Signs, __, delivers
30. Police Department
31. Relating to teaching
33. Sportscaster Patrick
34. A way to glide
36. Fathered
39. Statute mile (abbr.)
41. One-thousandth of an inch
42. Discounts
46. Rockers from Georgia
48. Norwegian playwright
49. Herbs
51. S. China seaport
52. Stout sword
54. Pasty
55. Fill a suitcase
56. Japanese weapon
57. Dark brown or black
58. Grain crop
60. Time used in far western states
64. Drill instructor

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Carroll County General Sessions

The following defendants were bound over to the Grand Jury last week in Carroll County General Sessions Court:

•Ronald C. Byers Jr. of 73 Fireball Lane, Hollow Rock, who is charged with failure to appear, a schedule II drug violation, simple possession/casual exchange, possession of drug paraphernalia, and possession of meth with intent (two counts).

•Dustin Scott St. Clair of 117 Garland Street, McKenzie, who is charged with possession of meth with intent (two counts).

•Marcus D. Glenn of 79 Tennessee Street, McKenzie, who is charged with vandalism up to $500, evading arrest, failure to yield right of way, a schedule VI drug violation (three counts), driving on a revoked license, and failure to appear.

•Wendy Revel Huddleston of 466 Forrest Avenue, McKenzie, who is charged with possession of meth with intent (two counts).

•William J. Koebel of 490 High Street, Hollow Rock, who is charged with possession of weapon by a convicted felon, a schedule VI drug violation, possession of drug paraphernalia, possession/casual exchange of meth, and simple possession/casual exchange.

•Krystle Lynn Lewis of 490 High Street, Hollow Rock, who is charged with possession of drug paraphernalia, simple possession/casual exchange, and possession of a legend drug.

•Rachel S. Scott of Camden, who is charged with possession of meth with intent.

•Mariques E. Taylor of 534 Reeds Levee Road, McKenzie, who is charged with simple possession/casual exchange and a schedule II drug violation (two counts).

•Sherrie Deena Wisdom of 20100 Main Street, Huntingdon, who is charged with possession of meth with intent (three counts).

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

•Mark Bartholomew Argo of 45 Bryant Street, Trezevant, who pled guilty to assault. He was ordered to serve three days and fined $100.

•Angela Crawford of 130 Bells Store Road, McKenzie, who pled guilty to writing worthless checks up to $500 (two counts). She was placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 19 days, ordered to serve 10 days, and ordered to undergo an alcohol and drug assessment. Six counts of forgery were dismissed.

•John A. Davis of Henry, who pled guilty to contempt of court. He was fined $50.

•Matthew Wayne Henry of 730 Cherry Creek Lane, Hollow Rock, who pled guilty to failure to appear. He was placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 25 days.

•Amber M. Hilliard of 360 Ellis Road, Hollow Rock, who pled guilty to probation violation. She was ordered to serve 30 days.

•Matthew D. Mathis of 29220 Broad Street, Bruceton, who pled guilty to failure to appear. He was ordered to serve seven days and fined $100.

•Deon M. Matthews of 11 Holmes Mill Road, who pled guilty to assault and driving on a revoked license. He was ordered to serve 40 days, placed on unsupervised probation for nine months and 29 days, and fined $250. Charges of resisting arrest, attempted assault, simple possession/casual exchange, and evading arrest were dismissed.

•Samantha R. Mitchell of 1668 Stonewall Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to theft up to $500. She was ordered to serve two days, placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 27 days, ordered to give 20 hours of community service, ordered to have no contact with Wal-Mart, and fined $250.

•Tina Padin of McKenzie, who pled guilty to probation violation. She was ordered to serve 90 days. A failure to appear charge was dismissed.

•Tina M. Padin of Alexandria, who pled guilty to theft up to $500. She was ordered to serve 90 days, placed on supervised probation for eight months and 29 days, ordered to undergo an alcohol and drug assessment, and given a no-contact order.

•Wanda Carol Rainey of 1668 Stonewall Street North, McKenzie, who pled guilty to theft up to $500. She was ordered to serve two days, placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 27 days, ordered to give 20 hours of community service, fined $250, and ordered to have no contact with Wal-Mart.

•Nicholas S. Simpson of Ripley, who pled guilty to simple possession/casual exchange. He was fined $250. A light law violation was dismissed.

•Nicholas Allen Taylor of 1455 Highway 220, Lavinia, who pled guilty to vandalism up to $500. He was ordered to serve six months and placed on supervised probation for five months and 29 days.

•Thomas L. Tittle of Camden, who pled guilty to theft up to $500 (three counts). He was given three terms of 10 months and 29 days of supervised probation, ordered to serve 90 days, fined $300, and ordered to pay full restitution.

•James Daniel Webb of 425 Hillcourt Circle, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to contempt of court. He was ordered to serve three days and fined $50.

•Jessie Freeman Butler of 28015 Broad Street, Hollow Rock, who pled guilty to criminal trespass, theft up to $500, evading arrest, and attempted forgery. He was sentenced to three jail terms of 11 months and 29 days (all suspended, except for 60 days), sentenced to 30 days in jail, placed on supervised probation for nine months and 29 days, and given a no-contact order.

•Toni L. Craig of 50 Main Street, Hollow Rock, who pled guilty to theft up $500 and probation violation. He was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended, except for 120 days), sentenced to 90 days in jail, placed on supervised probation for 10 months and 29 days, ordered to pay $126.03 in restitution, and ordered to have no contact with Wal-Mart.

•Netisha Gordon of 309 Walnut Circle, McKenzie, who pled guilty to driving on a suspended license, failure to appear (three counts), and writing worthless checks up to $500. She was sentenced to serve six months (suspended), sentenced to 11 months and 29 days (suspended, except for 10 days), sentenced to six months (suspended), sentenced to 30 days, sentenced to 11 months and 29 days (suspended, except for 10 days), placed on unsupervised probation for two terms of 11 months and 19 days, fined $50, and ordered to pay $146.60 in restitution. Charges of failure to appear and writing worthless checks up to $500 were dismissed.

•Dustin St. Clair, address not listed, who pled guilty to probation violation. He was sentenced to 30 days.

•Nicholas Allen Taylor of 1455 Highway 220, Lavinia, who pled guilty to driving on a suspended license and failure to appear. He was sentenced to 30 days (suspended, except for two days), placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 27 days, and fined $150. A domestic assault charge was dismissed.

•Sherrie Deena Wisdom of 20100 Main Street, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to probation violation. She was sentenced to serve 90 days.

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All charges were dismissed regarding the following defendants:

•Brandon Rex Blackwell of 202 Peggy Lane, Atwood, for driving on a suspended license and a seatbelt violation.

•Brandy Nicole Donnell of Alamo for failure to appear.

•Paul Michael Jones of 700 Mt. Zion Church Road, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to disorderly conduct.

•Jessica R. McGowan of Hardin, Kentucky, for driving on a suspended license.

•Daisie Michelle A. Seivers of 1122 Green Oaks Drive, Huntingdon, for driving on a suspended license, violation of financial responsibility, and a light law violation.

•Jeffery S. Thomas of Camden for driving on a suspended license, violation of financial responsibility, and a seatbelt violation.

•Bud Travelstead, Jr. of 173 Walnut Avenue East, McKenzie, for writing worthless checks.

•Emily E. Espey of 4880 Hilliard Road, McKenzie, for theft up to $500.

Carroll County Sheriff's Reports

Domestic Assault — A Mississippi man was arrested November 23 for allegedly attacking a Buena Vista woman in a moving vehicle. Sgt. Lee Bates charged Sean Wayne Armstrong, 28, of Corinth with domestic assault. According to Bates' report, he and other officers responded to domestic call at 2655 Hawkins Creek Road, where they spoke with Amber D. Parker. Parker told officers that she was driving along Buena Vista Road with Armstrong and his nine-year-old son in the car when an ongoing argument turned violent. According to Parker, Armstrong tried to grab the car keys out of the ignition while the car was moving, and, at one point, he hit her on the right side of the face. She said Armstrong then got out of the car with his son and they started walking down the road, after which she drove to her father's house and called 911. Officers found Armstrong in the front yard of Parker's residence at 600 Buena Vista School Road.

Burglary — The Sheriff's Department is investigating the recent burglary of a shop in Hollow Rock. Jerry Chandler of Camden told officers on November 20 that someone had broken into his father-in-law's shop at 361 Main Street by cutting the locks. Chandler said that a dual compressor and a battery charger on a cart were taken from the shop. The stolen items were valued at $100.

Disorderly Conduct — A Hollow Rock man was arrested November 20 after allegedly claiming to be a police officer and showing a handgun in public. Deputy Kristopher C. Byrd charged Luis Morales Garcia, 66, of 6 Kee Street with disorderly conduct. According to Byrd's report, he responded to Little General in Bruceton after receiving a call about a man flashing a gun and making irrational comments. A cashier told Byrd that Garcia had been in the store telling everyone that he was a police officer and showing everyone the gun in a holster at his side. According to Byrd, Garcia refused to stop this behavior when Byrd and other officers found him in Bruceton City Park. Garcia was found to be in possession of a black BB pistol in a shoulder holster along with a 9mm clip containing 10 rounds.

Domestic Situation — An Atwood man was arrested November 15 following a domestic situation on Clay Farm Road. Deputy Michael Krause charged Dustin Allen Ulrich, 20, of 1595 State Route 77 with simple assault. According to Krause's report, he went to Clay Farm Road in response to a call about a domestic situation in progress. Krause found Ulrich's truck blocking a vehicle belonging to Caitlynn J. Dycus of Atwood. Ulrich, who was stopped by Krause trying to leave the scene on foot, told Krause that Dycus had taken their child from his house, and he had chased her down the road to try to get the child back. Dycus told Krause that Ulrich had run her off the road, hit her car with his fist, and was attempting to pull the child out of the car when the officer arrived. She said Ulrich's actions put her in fear for her and her child's safety.

Check Fraud — Authorities are looking into a recent case of check fraud / forgery. Pamela Jean Cooley of Buena Vista told officers on November 19 that checks belonging to her mother had been taken and used to make $680.31 in unauthorized purchases. All four of the purchases had been made on October 28. Cooley said the checking account had been closed after her mother died.

Animal Violation — A Huntingdon man was cited November 16 after his dog allegedly attacked a neighbor's dog. Deputy Kenny Tucker cited James Cooper, 44, of 15195 Highway 70 with animals running at large. According to Tucker, Keisha Yarbro contacted the Sheriff's Department saying that two dogs — one a pit bull she recognized as belonging to Cooper — came into her yard and attacked her dog while it was on a chain. Upon arrival, officers found the pit bull running loose in Cooper's yard with fresh blood on its coat. Cooper told officers that the dog belonged to him.

Burglary — Deputies are investigating the recent burglary of a Lavinia residence. Amanda Ruth Newsome told officers on November 18 that she had returned home to find her front door standing open and her two dogs running loose outside. Inside, she found the TV in her living room turned over and DVD's scattered in the floor. The only item she reported as being stolen was a red kid's bicycle, which had been taken off the back porch.

Huntingdon Police Reports

DUI — A Nashville man was arrested November 18 after a traffic stop. Sergeant Chris Cole charged Michael Ray Dalton, 46, with DUI #3, violation of implied consent, and felony reckless endangerment. According to Cole's report, officers received reports of a silver-colored, 2005 Ford Sport Trac that had been running people off the road and had struck two different vehicles, one of which had four passengers, on the Court Square. When Cole found the vehicle, he observed it swerve several times before stopping in the middle of the road. Dalton was the driver and appeared intoxicated. After performing poorly on field sobriety tests and appearing to urinate on himself, Dalton refused a blood test.

Assault — A Huntingdon woman was arrested November 10 after allegedly assaulting a Tractor Supply employee. Sergeant Richard Crossno charged Megan Kirk, 28, of 1970 Green Valley Road with simple assault. According to Crossno's report, officers received a report that Kirk had assaulted a Tractor Supply employee after a verbal disagreement. Several witnesses reported to seeing Kirk shove Brandy Huertas and push her backwards. Huertas did have a visible bruise from the assault.

Drug Possession and Theft — A McKenzie woman was arrested November 17. Sergeant Brad Allen charged Wanda Carol Rainey, 48, of 1668 Stonewall Street with possession of schedule II (hydrocodone), possession of schedule II (Xanax), and theft under $500. Samantha Rose Mitchell, 23, also of 1668 Stonewall, was charged with theft under $500. According to Allen's report, officers were dispatched to Wal-Mart in regards to two female shoplifters. Store security had observed Rainey and Mitchell steal items. When officers searched Rainey's purse, they found 21 Xanax pills and two hydrocodone pills, both in pill bottles prescribed to Kenny J. Berry.

Contempt of Court — A Huntingdon man was arrested November 19. Patrolman Randy Kelley charged James D. Webb, 33, of 425 Hillcourt Circle with contempt of court — violation order granting bail. According to Kelley's report, Webb had been arrested for assaulting his girlfriend. After being released after his arrest for assault he sent messages to his girlfriend's friends asking them to let her know he was going to kill her.

Damage to Patrol Car — A Huntingdon patrol car sustained minor damage while officers were searching a field for a runaway teen.

Car Accident — Patrolman Paul Hugueley responded to a car accident November 12. According to the accident report, Glenn Davis of Buena Vista struck the driver's side mirror of a vehicle driven by Normand Duclos of Bruceton as they were traveling on Buena Vista Road.

Car Accident — Lieutenant Angie Barker responded to a car accident November 10. According to the accident report, Charles Boyd of Westport rear-ended Terry Thomas of Huntingdon as they were both traveling down Highway 22.

McKenzie Police Department Reports

DUI / implied consent — According to a report filed by MPD Sergeant Jeff Winberry, on November 26, the officer was contacted by dispatch in regard to someone at a local Restaurant appearing to be under the influence of alcohol. The owner of the restaurant stated that the person had left driving a white-colored, 1997 Ford Mustang and that she had written down a partial of the vehicle tag. After observing the vehicle sitting in front of a business, the officer turned around and observed the vehicle run off the side of the roadway before nearly hitting a vehicle coming towards it on Hamilton Street. After stopping the Mustang, the officer asked the driver, identified as Elizabeth A. Anderson, 43, Hamilton Street, McKenzie, is she had been drinking. She stated that she had consumed four shots of liquor and four or five beers. After performing poorly via field sobriety testing and refusing to submit to a blood alcohol test, Anderson was arrested for the listed offenses.

Driving on suspended / revoked driver license, speeding — According to a report filed by MPD Patrolman Kyle Beauchamp, on November 24 at approximately 10:50 p.m., the officer performed a traffic stop on a gray-colored Chevy pickup truck for following too closely and speeding at approximately 52 mph in a 40 mph speed zone while traveling north on Highland Drive. A computer check of the driver license of Taylor Andrew Tindall, 20, East Sherrod Avenue, Covington, revealed that the license was suspended out of Dickson County for failure to appear at trial on August 19, 2016.Tindall was cited into Carroll County General Sessions Court for the listed offenses.

Theft — According to a report filed by MPD Patrolman Lorrie Mulligan, on November 23, Merchant Outlet Mall employee Peggy Espey called MPD to report a theft in progress. According to the report, Espey said that Sandra L. McDaniel, 57, Highway 21, Hornbeak, had attempted to take a brown-colored, wooden key chain and several vehicle decals from the store without paying for them. When the store alarm went off, McDaniel then reportedly told Espey that she had placed the key chain in her pocket because her hands were full and had forgotten to take it out and that she was not trying to take any other items. Vehicle decals were found in her clothing and a tote on her possession. The keychain was priced at $3 and the vehicle decals totaled up to $41.25. McDaniel was cited into Carroll County General Sessions Court for the listed offense.

Criminal simulation — According to a report filed by MPD Patrolman Frank McGee, on November 22, the officer took a report from a victim who had lent money to Letitia Marie Jones, 29, Old State Highway 22, McKenzie, in October, 2016 and was repaid with two counterfeit $100 bills plainly marked for "motion picture use only".

Burglary — According to a report filed by MPD Sergeant Jeff Winberry, on November 22, the officer responded to a prowler call at a residence located on Randle Street. Upon arrival, the victim stated that she saw a man in her shed and vehicle before the suspect ran toward Park Circle. Later, Quincy D. Johnson, 20, Walnut Circle, McKenzie, was located at Park Circle and apprehended after fleeing to Mulberry Park. At that time, Johnson waived his Miranda rights and admitted to having burglarized six vehicles in the area.

DUI — According to a report filed by MPD Sergeant Jeff Winberry, on November 22, the officer responded to the car wash located on Cedar Street regarding a call that a man had passed out behind the steering wheel of a vehicle. As the officer approached the vehicle, the driver, identified as Joshua A. Mifflin, 35, Twin Creek Road, Trenton, attempted to start the car. Upon advising the driver to turn off the vehicle, the officer smelled the odor of intoxicating beverage emanating from Mifflin's person. The report noted that Mifflin was unsteady on his feet with slurred speech. Mifflin informed the officer that he had drank two shots of alcohol and ingested three hydrocodone pills. Upon performing poorly via field sobriety testing, Mifflin was arrested for DUI and transported to McKenzie Regional Hospital where he consented to blood alcohol testing.

Simple possession / casual exchange, lights — motor vehicle — According to a report filed by MPD Patrolman Cody Coleman, on November 21 at approximately 11:25 p.m., the officer was patrolling on Highland Avenue when he observed a Silver-colored, 2004 Lincoln Navigator with a broken headlight at a gas station fuel pump. As the vehicle entered onto the roadway and traveled north on Highland Avenue, the officer performed a traffic stop. Approaching the vehicle, the officer smelled the strong odor of marijuana coming from inside the vehicle and asked the driver, identified as Nicholas Steven Simpson, 20, Sherrin Drive, Ripley, for his driver license and proof of insurance. After receiving confirmation of the smell of marijuana by MPD Sergeant Adam Bailey, the officer advised the driver and passenger that he smelled marijuana and asked if any of the substance was inside the vehicle. At that time, Simpson stated that he had marijuana in his pocket and handed the substance to the officer. The substance weighed 3.5 grams. Simpson was then cited into Carroll County General Sessions Court for the listed offenses.

Driving on suspended / revoked driver license / speeding / financial responsibility — According to a report filed by MPD Patrolman Cody Coleman, on November 21 at approximately 10:15 p.m., the officer was patrolling west down Como Street when he detected a vehicle approaching in the opposite lane traveling 47 mph in a 35 mph zone. After turning around, the officer initiated a traffic stop on a blue-colored, 2005 Mazda M6 registered to Mollie Gordon, sanders Store Road, Humboldt that was being driven by Kevin Ronald Green, 19, McLemoresville Road, Huntingdon. Green was unable to provide proof of insurance and was instructed to call Gordon since she lived not far from the scene. An NCIC check revealed that Green's license was suspended due to failure to satisfy fined in Gibson County on September 16, 2016. When Gordon arrived at the scene, she stated that she did not have insurance on the vehicle. The officer advised Gordon to drive the vehicle due to Green's license being suspended and informed her that he would be seizing her driver license as well. Green was cited into Carroll County General Sessions Court for the listed offenses.

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(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the Notice to Creditors, if the creditor received a copy of the Notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting) as described in (1) (A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

All persons indebted to the above Estate must come forward and make proper settlement with the undersigned at once.

This 15TH day of NOVEMBER, 2016.
THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS.

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KENNETH TODD - CLERK & MASTER
99 Court Square, Suite 105
Huntingdon, TN 38344

Executor/Administrator
DEBORAH O'BANNON
Attorney
W. KENT JONES
Clerk & Master
KENNETH TODD

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

PROBATE CASE NO: 2016PA198

ESTATE OF: WANDA F. FOSTER, LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Notice is hereby given that on the **16TH** day of **NOVEMBER, 2016** Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of **WANDA F. FOSTER** deceased, who died **AUGUST 31ST, 2016,** were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk & Master of Carroll County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required by law to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will forever be barred:

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

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Property Transfers

•James A. Hall to Gerald Lynn Hall and others in District 22.

•Robert and Gail Reynolds to Kevin and Andrea Clark.

•Randall K. and Glenda G. Rich to Jose L. and Beatriz Reyes in District 19.

•William Chuck and Cindy F. Gaskins to Jonathan and Sarah Gaskins in District 4.

•Arokim Corp. to Fred and Martha Jean Morris.

•Rusell T. Clarkson to Clay and Levi Clarkson.

•FirstBank to Rami Abu Saada.

•Kimberly H. Woodard to Larry M. and Brenda Hudson in District 16.

•Larry M. and Brenda Hudson to Barry Keith and Karren S. Arnold in District 16.

•Daniel K. Connell to Daniel K. Connell in District 6.

•Daniel K. Connell to William S. Graham Jr. in District 6.

•Bobbie Jo Bruce to Barbie Merrell.

•George Nicholas and Angela Dawn Cassidy to Chester and Janie Jackson in District 22.

•B & L Farms to John T. Law in District 22.

•Lauren And Tyler Alexander Tate to Jesse Alan Chesser in District 4.

•Robert R. Jenks to Tracy Lynn Jenks in District 22.

•Cheri Birdwell to Edward Michael Birdwell in District 16.

•Prentice Jr. and Betty Sue McMinn to David J. Wyant in District 6.

•Pamela Wallace Stanfill and others to Pamela Wallace Stanfill and others in District 13.

•Pamela Wallace Stanfill and others to Pamela Wallace Stanfill and others in District 24.

•The Secretary of Veterans Affairs to Randall D. Hodges and others in District 11.

•Doris Lewis to Daniel R. and Donna L. Gilliam in District 16.

•Maxie Jones to Carlie Malcolm and Anna L. Allen.

•Frances Kendall to Janett Goodwin and others in District 15.

Marriage Licenses

Yoandy Lazaro Morales Palacio, 39, of Huntingdon to Grasiela Cisneros, 47, of Huntingdon.

Thomas Robert Swasey, 33, of Lavinia to Amanda Ruth McElrath, 42, of Lavinia.