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BCMC CNO Jamie Wolfe and ER Manager Cheryl Wells transport a mock patient inside the hospital.

BCMC staff conduct emergency preparedness drill with SEAHDC

Special to The Eagle

Bradley County Medical Center conducted a no-fault emergency preparedness drill in conjunction with the Southeast Arkansas Human Development Center Tuesday morning in an effort to test the hospital's plan in the event of a disaster that has mass casualties.

The drill began around 9 a.m. Tuesday morning as an active shooter drill at the Southeast Arkansas Human Development Center. In this mock scenario, SEAHDC informed BCMC that there could be mass casualties and that the hospital could see an influx of patients in the emergency room. Once this was completed, BCMC held its own mock exercise with the help of SouthArk nursing students and staff portraying the

casualties, distressed family members, and a member of the media trying to gain access to the building.

A number of Bradley County Medical Center staff responded to the mock incident with around 35 total employees participating. This training exercise was conducted to allow the hospital to test its emergency preparedness for a disaster. There were several observers of the drill and all came together for a debriefing to discuss what went right and what went wrong. This exercise was a learning experience to gather information on BCMC's disaster response.

BCMC would like to thank the SouthArk nursing students and staff for their wonderful portrayal of mock victims, family members, and a media member. Bradley

County Medical Center would also like to extend its thanks to the SEAHDC for allowing the hospital to participate in its mock drill and all of the other agencies involved that helped make this training a success.

BCMC would also like to acknowledge its fantastic emergency room staff that were able to take care of our real patients and not miss a beat during this drill.

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Gilbert found guilty of second-degree murder

By Zach Killian
Editor

After a long two-day trial, Antario Gilbert was found guilty of second-degree murder by the jury on Wednesday, August 31 in the case of the shooting at the car wash on Martin and Central Street in Warren that ended in the death of Shaun Ingram that occurred last year. Gilbert was on trial for a first-degree murder charge.

Gilbert was sentenced to 30 years at the Arkansas Department of Corrections with eligibility of parole in seven and a half years. In the state of Arkansas, 30 years is the maximum sentence for second degree murder. According to state law, Gilbert could have been sentenced an additional 15 years for employing a firearm as a means of committing murder. However, the jury did not add the additional 15 years to Gilbert's sentence.

On the first day of the trial, the court heard from the state prosecution, Frank Spain who is the chief deputy prosecuting attorney at the

10th judicial district, and the defense, represented by attorney Jimmy Morris.

The jury heard from several witnesses.

The state showed video footage from Warren Police Officer Brian Gorman's dash camera and body camera. Gorman was on duty and responded to the scene. Officer Gorman attempted to render aid to the victim. He said there were no weapons found on Ingram.

Another witness said they did not see a firearm on Ingram.

Warren Police Officer Michael Sharp, who also arrived at the scene with Officer Gorman, said he secured the weapon, which was a semi-automatic weapon.

The footage from the traffic camera was shown to the court. In the video, it showed Ingram walking to Gilbert at the car wash.

Warren Police Criminal Investigator Sergeant Tim Nichols took the stand. Sgt. Nichols stated he did not see a weapon in the victim's hand.

The State showed evidence photos from the crime scene. The firearm retrieved from the scene was sent to the Arkansas State Crime Lab.

The full video of Sgt. Nichols interviewing Gilbert was shown to the court.

In the video, Gilbert said Ingram went to his car and got a gun out and flashed it before Gilbert. Gilbert said he was scared for his life.

The state also showed a Facebook Live video from Gilbert's account from days before the incident.

Charles Kokes, from the Arkansas State Crime Lab, was brought on the stand. He said he performed the autopsy on Ingram. There was a gunshot exit wound on the right shoulder and a gunshot entrance wound to the upper back. The gunshot wounds showed Ingram was shot in the back.

Both the State and the defense presented their closing arguments before the jury.

After several hours, the jury made their verdicts for the charges and the sentencing.



Photo by Zach Killian

The Lumberjacks defeated the White Hall Bulldogs, 28-23. Read our game recap on page 2



Photos submitted

If you're looking to hear some great music, then this year's County Fair will have the entertainment for you. We are delighted to have two local bands performing at the fairgrounds and the cost is free to the public. At 7:30 p.m. Friday, September 16, Grace Cowboy Church Band will perform. At 7 p.m. on Saturday, September 17, will feature Fortunate Sons + One band. A variety of food trucks will also be available during both nights of entertainment. Come out to the Fair and support your local bands!

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Reminiscing from the past . . .



Oldtimer's Notebook

By
Robert L. Newton

The publishers of *The Eagle Democrat* have chosen to publish articles from the past *Oldtimer's Notebook* in memory of Robert L. Newton. This article was first published July 19, 2000.

Jake Wiltshire was one of the sons of Marie and Percy Wiltshire, who resided over half a century and more at Pine and Main, Miss Marie succeeding her mother in the operation of a boarding house at the site (the residence in which they made their home has been moved to Cleveland County, restored, and is now the home of Warren Businessman Heath Bryant and his attractive famil).

Jake Wiltshire is deceased now, but he was a businessman at Wynne in Cross County for years: his widow, Doryce Fisher Wiltshire, still resides there, and she was in receipt of one of the columns published here harking back to the days of Mrs. Wiltshire and her noontime groaning board.

Doryce Wiltshire reminds that Mrs. Wiltshire had food available 11-1 weekdays and that there were usually three seating and, if some of the Wiltshire kids were there (like Jake and John and their sisters, Janet, and Byrd plus their kids) there were sometimes four seatings.

Writes Doryce Wiltshire: "The thing I remember most, other than the grand, home-cooked food, was Mother Wiltshire's dislike for ANYONE to linger at the table after finishing the meal, for conservation and surely not for a smoke. Thus, in my 56 years of marriage to Jake Wiltshire, he would never, ever sit at the table after he finished his meal. This was so somebody else at the Scobey/Wiltshire boarding house

could have his place at the table. That was his raising: he has been gone nine years now but I still miss him."

Mrs. Wiltshire observes that her daughter in law, Attorney Laura Wiltshire, is a partner in the Horne, Hollingsworth, and Parker law firm, Little Rock. Apparently, a fellow partner in the firm told Attorney Wiltshire about our recollections of the Wiltshire about our recollections of the Wiltshire lunchtimes.

This, of course, would be Attorney Garland W. Binns, Jr. one of two lawyer sons of Mrs. Garland Binns of this hectare (the other, Mark Binns, practices at Star City).

Mrs. Doryce Wiltshire is one of those fervid Hog fans from Eastern Arkansas: she had season tickets both at Little Rock and Fayetteville last year and made eight games, plus the Cotton Bowl.

She plans to be at War Memorial Stadium, as usual, the first Saturday night in September when the Hogs' assault (or get assaulted by) Ralph Colby's football alma mater, Southwest Missouri State.

Tragedy and triumph department: you may have noticed a modest notice in an earlier issue of THE EAGLE DEMOCRAT quietly announcing the conclusion of a career as a cosmetologist by Ivonette Gatlin Sinks.

Oldtimers will recall Mrs. Sinks' husband, Douglas, was killed in the first tornado, almost 52 years ago now, in early January of 1949.

Ivonette was left with little girls eight, five, and two weeks.

Eldest of these is the lovely Gwen Ederington at Warren Bank and Trust; middle one is Sue Sinks Hal of St.



The Rotary Club of Warren met Tuesday, Aug. 30 inside the Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist church for its weekly meeting. Rotarian Marnette George presented her program of Leah St. John of Make Warren Shine. St. John spoke about Make Warren Shine and the group's efforts within the community. Pictured left to right: Rotarian Marnette George and Leah St. John of Make Warren Shine

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Augustine, Florida, while the third is married to a utilities executive, here in Arkansas (don't remember where).

Ivonette's daughter Sue is a member of the board of trustees of the much-praised Flagler College of St. Augustine. Her own daughter has been a student at Smith College in Massachusetts.

Miss Ivonette, in the winter of 1949, faced the choice of sink or swim.

She swam. Her friends and admirers know it.

Miss Ivonette was related to the late Russell Gatlin and to his son, Tomato Market Manager Paul Gatlin, also an educator here.

For over half a century, she made it, as did a contemporary, Norma Anderson Hargis Watkins, who became a widow, just about the same time, with three little boys under six.

She had that sink or swim choice, too. She swam.

Eldest of the sons is a Jonesboro businessman, Warren's last graduate of West Point; the middle son is a distinguished member of the Little Rock bar; youngest an educator at Camden.

And, in a second marriage, she had a tall, accomplished daughter who is married to an obstetrician at Arkadelphia.

People need to think of Miss Ivonette and Miss Norma when the way looks tough.

"What are you gonna do, quit?" somebody asked me once in a period of substantial stress.

I didn't. Neither did the ladies praised above.

They just had whole lot steeper hills to climb than mine.

Come to think of it, quitting didn't appeal to a lady special to me left with little girls one and three when her husband died of Leukemia before he was age 30 (he was 29, actually).

She was a widow when I met her 21 years ago this fall, with daughters 15 and 17.

Best thing, by far, that ever happened to me.

The lady above sure didn't quit: her older daughter is moving from Wichita, Kansas, may the Almighty be laved with praise, to Bowling Green, Kentucky, while the younger one continues to practice her legal arts in Little Rock.

She has suggested to me, wisely, that when life dispense lemons, you can make lemonade. She has done so... and taught me that important

culinary art.

We noted last week we'd been out of town for a while and had turned off the air conditioners as a measure of economy.

Never do THAT again!

It took from noon until far past bedtime to get the ancient manse cooled down.

In the future, we'll leave 'em set at 80 or 85 or something.

That start from top dead center heat is too difficult in an Arkansas July.

People may have known that Abe Frazier was hanged on the courtsquare in 1885 for his murder of Lewis Davis. First issue of THE EAGLE DEMOCRAT reported this, with a subsequent issue of the newspaper suggesting that a "large and appreciative audience" was present for the festivities, which were enjoyed by all, save Mr. Frazier.

Local Connection: Lewis Davis was the grandfather of the retired educator, Nelson Thompson, Warren.

Nelson Thompson is age 87: he retired 22 years ago as principal of Central Junior High, Lake Village.

Nelson Thompson says murder took place in the New Edinburg area, but in a section of Bradley County that later became Cleveland County.

This was 115 years ago.

And, of course, as long as we are compiling that informal list of those who grabbed life by the throat and forced it into better paths, let us now take a small look at the retired educator, Nelson Thompson.

Born poor and black in Warren ere World War I, he "just grewed" like Topsy and, on occasion, attached himself to my late great uncle, William Craig Hunter, who had the wood-hauling contract with Southern Lumber Company (Mrs. Pete Garrison had it with Bradley).

He "went to the sawmill" young, as did most of his contemporaries (Bradley Lumber Company had 1,500 employees in Warren at mid-centu-

ry). World War II came along and he went to the Service.

After the war, it was back to the sawmill, where we met him the first time as co-laborers in the "soup kitchen" at Bradley (here they pre-finished oak flooring).

He could have stayed there the rest of his life, but there was a special spark in Nelson Thompson, one that led him to get high school equivalency (there was no high school for black kids when Nelson was a teenager) and then to use his GI Bill benefits to attend what then was Arkansas AM&N College of Pine Bluff.

Remember, he was probably pushing age 40 when he got his college degree.

That rewarding career in education followed...some of it at least at Hermitage, where Nelson Thompson presided over what was West Side School under the superintendency of the late James M. Hughes (Warren's most under appreciated educator of the 20th century).

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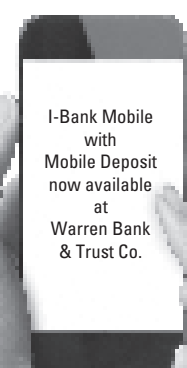


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“Tale of two halves”

Lumberjacks defeat White Hall, 28-23

After a rough first half, the Warren Lumberjacks defeated the White Hall Bulldogs Friday night 28-23. Former Lumberjack and NFL player Jarius Wright came to his old stomping grounds as coach for the White Hall Bulldogs.

“It was totally different than last week,” said Lumberjack Coach Bo Hembree. “It’s a tale of two halves, we got to put two halves together. Right now, we’re not doing that. Last week we played a good first half and this week we played a good second half. Until we can put a whole game together, we better hurry up because we got a tough one in two weeks.”

The Lumberjacks received the opening kickoff. The Lumberjacks started on the 20-yard line. Maddox Lassiter started as quarterback.

The Lumberjacks weren’t able to get far down the field being forced to punt at 10:38 in the first quarter.

The Lumberjacks had some incomplete passes in the first quarter.

The Bulldogs completed a two-point conversion at 5:28 in the quarter.

The Bulldogs moved down to the eight-yard line at about 3:30 left in the quarter. They were able to make it to the three-yard line, where the Bulldogs scored their first touchdown at 2:15 left in the first quarter. After a successful kick, the Bulldogs had nine points and the Lumberjacks had zero.

The Lumberjacks caught the next kickoff at the five-yard line and made it to the 30-yard line.

A flag was thrown against the Bulldogs for unsportsmanlike conduct and was punished with a 15-yard penalty.

The Bulldogs went into the second quarter in the lead 9-0.

The Bulldogs attempted to intercept the ball at a play but failed to do so.

The Bulldogs attempted a field goal with 6:47 left in the second quarter, but it was incomplete.

In the last few minutes of the second quarter, the



Photo by Robert Camp

Former Lumberjack and NFL player Jarius Wright and Coach Hembree got to meet before the game.

Lumberjacks offense played down the field.

The Lumberjacks pushed through to the eight-yard line and then the three-yard line, where the Lumberjacks were able to score a touchdown with two minutes left in the first half. Jacinto’s kick gave the Lumberjacks that extra point, making the score 9-7.

The Bulldogs caught the ball at kickoff and were able to rundown the ball to the end zone for a touchdown. The kick was complete keeping the Bulldogs in the lead in the first half, 16-7.

The Lumberjacks came in the third quarter ready to make up for the first half.

The Lumberjacks began to make a comeback recovering several fumbles.

Neeyo Harding recovered a fumble with eight minutes left of the third quarter.

Delfino Rivera recovered another fumble with 6:30 left of the third quarter at the 48-yard line.

Landon Wolfe ran 16 yards on the next play.

With the Lumberjacks on the six-yard line a few plays later, Wolfe ran through the Bulldogs defense for a Lumberjack touchdown with 4:38 in the quarter.

The Lumberjacks attempted a successful two-point conversion, closing the gap to the Bulldogs with a score of 16-15, with the Bulldogs still in the lead.

Harding recovered another fumble for the Lumberjacks.

The Bulldogs were penalized again for unsportsmanlike conduct. The Lumberjacks were able to move to seven-yard line.

Tayshawn Johnson ran around the defense and broke through to the end zone scoring a touchdown for the Lumberjacks. The Lumberjacks were then in the lead, 22-16.

The Lumberjacks came in the final quarter in the lead and were ready to keep it that way.

The Bulldogs soon scored another touchdown with 8:57 in the final quarter. Their kick was complete, putting the Bulldogs barely in the lead, 23-22.

The Lumberjacks continued playing hard the final quarter.

At 4:51 in the final quarter, Wolfe pushed through the Bulldogs defense from the two-yard line to the end zone.

The Lumberjacks attempted a two-point conversion, but it was no good. However, the Lumberjacks were back in the lead, 28-23.

With 45 seconds left in the final quarter, the Lumberjacks took a knee on their last two plays, keeping their lead and winning the game.

The Lumberjacks had 234 yards in total offense, with 181 on the ground, and 53 through the air.

The Lumberjacks have an off week this week. They will face Star City there in the next game on Thursday, September 15.



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Bieyze Fellows, #5, intercepts a pass to shut down Hamburg’s opening possession. Also in Coverage Tayshaw Edwards, #4. Junior Jacks traveled to Hamburg Thursday, and lost 21-14.



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The WHS Jacks golf team placed 2nd at Crossett on Monday, August 29. Rhett Clanton placed 2nd individual.

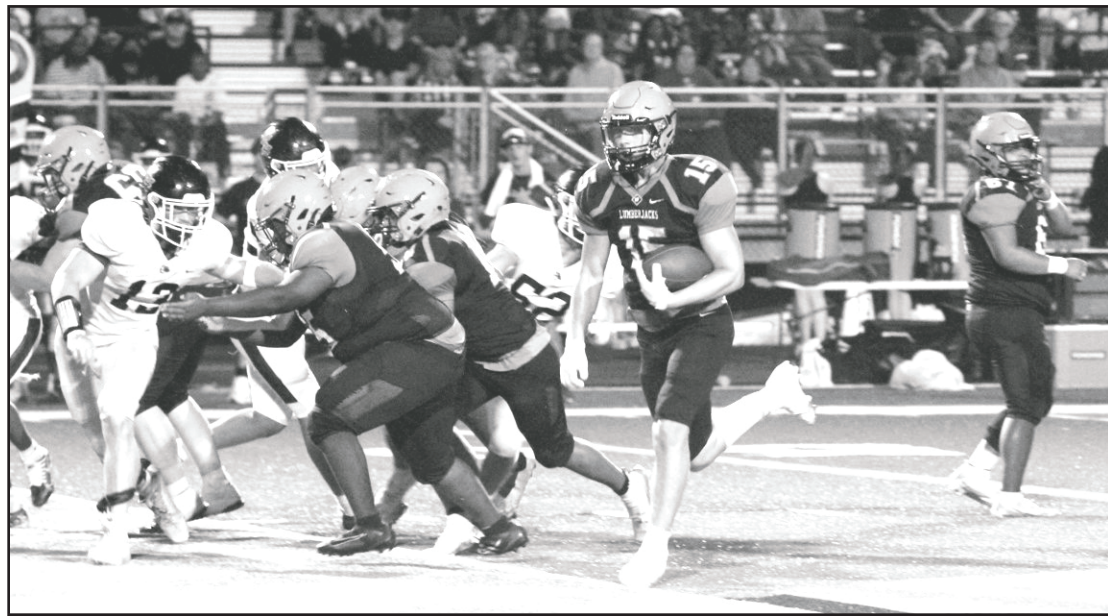


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Landon Wolfe, #15, running the ball through the Bulldogs’ defensive line.



Kailey Henry won her match against Camden on Thursday. Pictured: Back row left to right: Coach Richey, David Rawls, Abby Raines, Braylen Watson, Anna Grace Mitchell, Kailey Henry. Front row left to right: Mika McCray, Ryann Turner, Jaycee Courtney, Victoria O’Neill, Anna Arroyo, Angie Mondragon

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Arkansas History Minute

by Dr. Kenneth Bridges



"We shape our buildings, and thereafter they shape us," were the thoughts of Winston Churchill on the importance of architecture in a community. One architect's imagination can shape a community. Architect Eugene Stern enjoyed a career that created many familiar sites across the state. In the process, one immigrant's vision transformed the architectural landscape of Arkansas, creating some of the most iconic buildings standing in many communities across the state.

Eugene John Stern was born in October 1884 in Budapest in what was then Austria-Hungary. In late August 1888, the family undertook the long trek to America. His family was one of millions of Europeans leaving behind everything they knew for the promise of a better life in the United States.

Though coming from a modest Jewish background, the Sterns soon found success in their new country. Their father, Jacob, became an insurance agent and was able to provide private tutors for his six children.

Eugene Stern attended the Mechanics Institute in New York from 1900 to 1904 studying architecture. He formed a brief partnership with another architect in New York, which lasted from 1907 to 1908. Stern married in 1908, and his son, Howard, later became a noted physician and photographer in Little Rock.

His younger brother, Sydney Stern, became a noted commercial artist and advertising executive for Nabisco in New York City. In fact, he was responsible for the packaging design for Nabisco's Barnum's Animal Crackers in 1923 and the name and logo for Ritz Crackers in 1934.

In 1908, Stern moved to North Carolina where he became a partner in a noted firm with Oliver Wheeler. Wheeler, himself an immigrant, had developed a respected name for his work designing classical-style courthouses throughout the Carolinas. The two reportedly had a very amiable partnership, and Wheeler's experience helped Stern grow as an architect. The firm of Wheeler and Stern operated through 1913 until Stern left for Arkansas.

Stern formed a partnership with George Mann, the architect for the Arkansas State Capitol. The partnership produced many impressive structures across Arkansas as well as hotels in Texas and Louisiana. Two early structures the firm designed included the Arkansas Bank and Trust Building in Newport in 1913 and the Riceland Hotel in Stuttgart in 1919. The firm also designed the spacious Arlington Hotel in Hot Springs in 1924, which was rebuilt and expanded after a fire. The hotel became a favorite for celebrities who vacationed in the city for many years.

The South Arkansas Oil Boom generated a great deal of wealth for El Dorado, and civic leaders looked to Mann and Stern to design new buildings for the new image of the growing city. In 1926, the firm designed what became known as the Exchange Bank building. The nine-story limestone building is the tallest in the city with colorful, decorative designs lining the top and an exterior limestone staircase that acts as a fire escape. For years, the building was the headquarters of Lion Oil and now houses First Financial Bank. The firm also designed a new county courthouse, which was completed in 1927 in El Dorado's downtown square. A new city hall was completed at a cost of \$125,000 (or about \$2.1 million in 2022 dollars). All three limestone structures are within just a couple blocks of one another.

In 1927, Mann and Stern was awarded the ambitious project of designing the new Little Rock High School. It was to become the largest high school in the state. At \$1.5 million (or \$25.4 million in 2022 dollars), it was the most expensive school building ever built in Arkansas. The sprawling, Gothic Revival-style building was four stories high and immediately became a landmark. Community leaders envisioned the ornate high school as a symbol of the progress Arkansas had made and its vision for industrialization and technological development for the state in post-World War I America. When it was dedicated, some 20,000 people attended. It became known as Little Rock Central High School in 1953 and most notoriously gained national attention as the epicenter of the desegregation crisis in 1957 as nine African-American students attempted to attend. Today, the building still functions as a high school and guided tours are offered by the National Parks Service during school hours.

In spite of their many successes, by 1928, Stern's partnership with Mann had unraveled. Stern, however, continued to develop projects across the state, including the YMCA building in downtown Little Rock in 1928. In 1929, Stern designed the Albert Pike Hotel in Little Rock. His practice expanded to include an office in Kansas City, Missouri, by the 1930s.

By 1951, Stern had largely retired from his work as an architect. He remarried following the divorce from his first wife and spent several years living in Mexico, doing the occasional architectural work.

Stern died in Little Rock in August 1961 at age 76. In the decades that followed, more than a dozen buildings he and his partners designed across Arkansas were placed on the National Register of Historic Places, forever enshrining their statuses as landmarks.



Senate Week in Review from Ben Gilmore, Senator

At first glance, arts and technology would appear to be opposites in how they are taught and how they affect economic development.

However, a bipartisan group of legislators has been working since 2018 to build the case that there is a crucial intersection where the arts and technology meet.

They contend that people in every corner of Arkansas can improve their quality of life, and better secure economic prosperity, if they recognize and promote this "creative economy."

Act 577 of 2021 created the Legislative Arts and Technology Boot Camp, which recently issued a detailed report based on surveys and meetings across the state.

The report has an invento-

ry of artistic assets in all 75 counties, and offers a glimpse of how many occupations and businesses rely on artistic creativity. As the Senate co-chairman of the Boot Camp said, "art is not just singing and dancing and music."

For example, physicians in Jonesboro told legislators how they use painting, drawing, sculpting and other forms of creative expression to improve patient outcomes. Art is especially helpful with elderly patients and with children who have suffered trauma.

In Texarkana the legislators heard from educators about the role of the arts in the robotics program at local schools.

The advertising industry values graphic design, which is also used in creating job training videos and architectural designs. Graphic design is essential for aerospace companies that build airplanes with custom-made interiors, and for furniture makers and boat manufacturers that make customized products.

With new incentives, Ar-

kansas could attract more film companies to produce more movies here.

Colleges and universities could offer more credit hours in film production and music recording. Arkansas colleges offer classes in 3D printing technology, which has applications in manufacturing, the aerospace industry, health care, dentistry and product design.

The legislators recommended adding two members to the Arkansas Film Commission Office, and adding members to the Arkansas Economic Development Commission who recognize the importance of the arts in the overall economy.

Creativity has boosted sectors in the agricultural economy. People pay to spend a weekend on farms learning how to dye and weave cotton and wool. Tourists seek gourmet and specialty food where it is grown, but high speed Internet access is essential.

Tourism relies heavily on Internet marketing. The combination of creativity and

technology means there is potential for tourism in all areas of Arkansas, not just in the well-known tourist destinations and the cities known for art galleries, museums and theater.

For example, GIS tours allow visitors to take self-guided tours that in Arkansas could include an old churches trail, a quilting trail, a BBQ joint trail and a murals trail.

The Arts and Technology Boot Camp supports making broadband accessible in every part of Arkansas, and providing grants to support local efforts.

A regional approach may be necessary in order to "connect and amplify" art and technology programs in sparsely populated rural areas.

Members of the Arts and Technology Boot Camp recommended creation of a permanent subcommittee of the legislative Agriculture, Forestry and Economic Development Committee, which would focus on the creative economy.

Westerman Weekly Column

Rep. Bruce Westerman

I always look forward to August recess when I am able to spend time traveling across the Fourth District visiting with constituents and local officials to hear directly from them about the challenges their families, businesses, and communities are facing. When I hear the unvarnished truth from the people who are living with the choices made in Washington, D.C., I can do a better job of making government work with you and for you, not against you.

Over and over again, folks expressed concerns about how high input costs, particularly energy prices, are still seriously hurting their busi-

nesses. While gas prices have dipped some, the Administration has not changed the same harmful policies that drove up prices to begin with. Natural adjustments in the market from people choosing to avoid driving in order to save money, paired with President Joe Biden's order to release thousands of barrels of oil from our Strategic Petroleum Reserve, which is meant for natural disasters and national security emergencies, not self-inflicted economic crises, has brought mild relief. Prices, however, are still 60% higher than when President Biden took office. Diesel prices are still extremely high. While diesel is not used by most Americans every day, diesel prices greatly affect farmers, ranchers, producers, and loggers, which in turn affects everyone. No one understands better than Ar-

kansas that farm input costs directly affect the price to the consumer. At a time where inflation has hit Americans at the grocery store the hardest, high energy costs will only exacerbate the crisis in the U.S. and across the world.

It does not have to be this way. The United States is rich in natural resources that could easily meet our needs. Marcellus and Utica gas reserves in the Pennsylvania region make up the largest reserves in the world. When combined with gas reserves in Arkansas, Texas, and across the country, we could easily meet our needs and our allies needs for many years to come. There is no reason we should

rely on dictators who hate the U.S. and everything we value.

While the war in Russia certainly affected the supply of gas in the U.S. and Europe, we should never have given Vladimir Putin the power to affect our markets so drastically. President Biden's and Congressional Democrat's "not in my backyard" mentality when it comes to mining and energy development will never solve our energy crisis. We must start utilizing the natural resources we have here at home immediately. Not only will American energy production bring down prices for everyone, but it also will provide good paying jobs for countless families.



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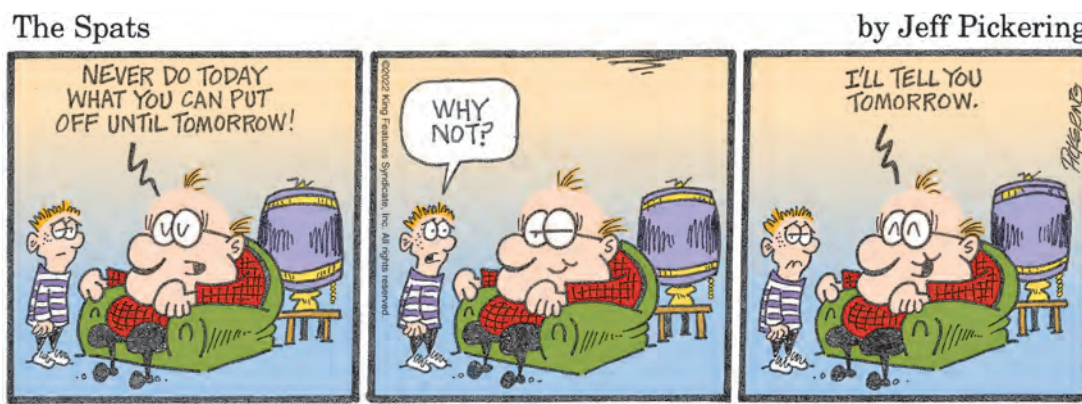
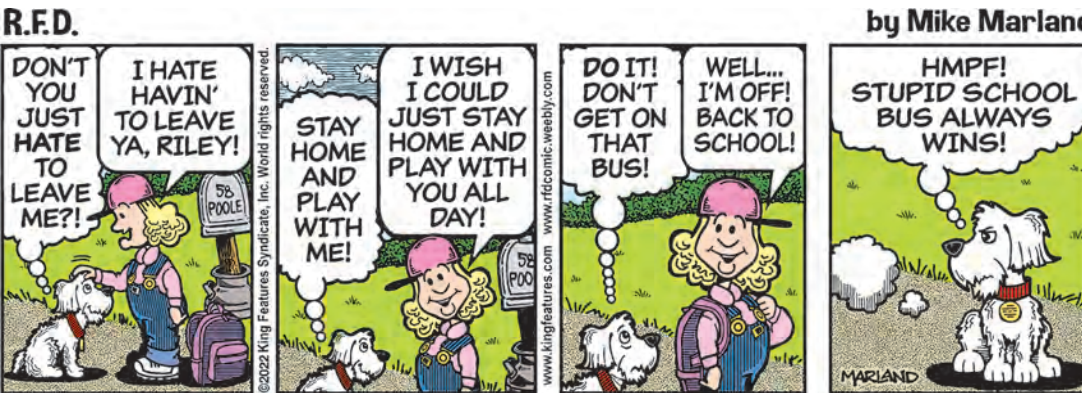
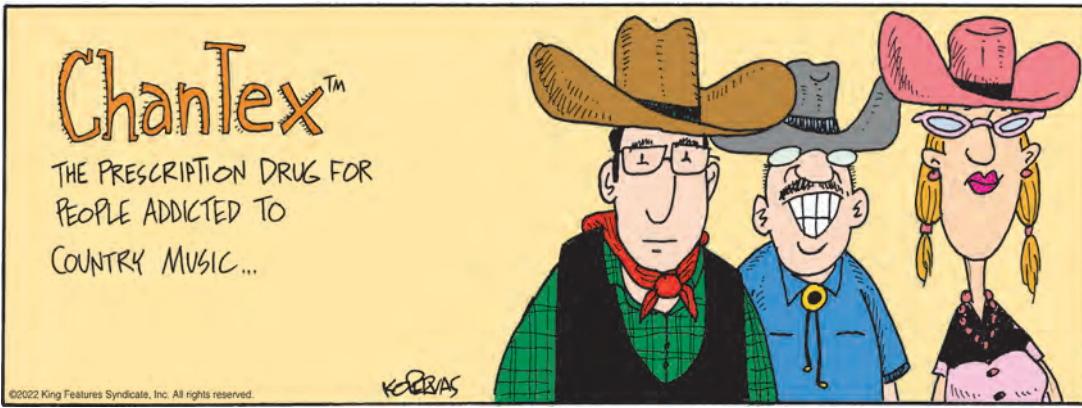
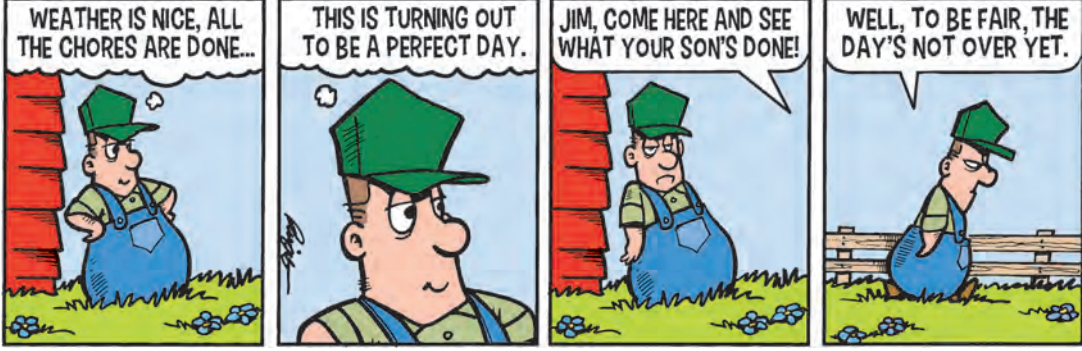
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NOTICE FOR AMENDMENTS REFERRED TO THE PEOPLE BY THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Issue No. 1
NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Pursuant to Article 19, Section 22, of the Arkansas Constitution, the 93rd General Assembly refers the following constitutional amendment to a vote of the people on November 8, 2022, and will appear on the ballot as Issue No. 1. Each elector upon voting his/her ballot shall vote for or against this amendment. Underlined language would be added to the present Constitution. Stricken language would be deleted from the present Constitution. This amendment was proposed in the Regular 2021 Session by Senator B. Davis and filed as SJR 10.

ISSUE NO. 1
Popular Name
A Constitutional Amendment to allow the General Assembly to Convene in Extraordinary Session Upon the Issuance of a Joint Written Proclamation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate or Upon the Submission of a Written Proclamation Containing the Signatures of At Least Two-Thirds (2/3) of the Members of the House of Representatives and At Least Two-Thirds (2/3) of the Members of the Senate to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate Requesting that the General Assembly Convene in Extraordinary Session

Ballot Title
AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO ALLOW THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONVENE IN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION UPON THE ISSUANCE OF A JOINT WRITTEN PROCLAMATION OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE OR UPON THE SUBMISSION OF A WRITTEN PROCLAMATION CONTAINING THE SIGNATURES OF AT LEAST TWO-THIRDS (2/3) OF THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND AT LEAST TWO-THIRDS (2/3) OF THE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE TO THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE REQUESTING THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY CONVENE IN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION; PROVIDING THAT NO BUSINESS OTHER THAN THE PURPOSE SET FORTH IN THE JOINT WRITTEN PROCLAMATION OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE OR THE WRITTEN PROCLAMATION CONTAINING THE SIGNATURES OF AT LEAST TWO-THIRDS (2/3) OF THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND AT LEAST TWO-THIRDS (2/3) OF THE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE SHALL BE CONSIDERED AT AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION CONVENED UNDER THIS AMEND-

MENT; REQUIRING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ESTABLISH BY JOINT RULE DURING EACH REGULAR SESSION PROCEDURES FOR AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION UNDER THIS AMENDMENT; AND PROVIDING THAT THIS AMENDMENT DOES NOT RESTRICT THE AUTHORITY OF THE GOVERNOR TO CONVENE AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNDER ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 6, § 19.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

THAT the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 5, is amended to read as follows:
§ 5. Regular and fiscal sessions — Extraordinary sessions.
(a) The General Assembly shall meet at the seat of government every year.
(b) The General Assembly shall meet in regular session on the second Monday in January of each odd-numbered year to consider any bill or resolution. The General Assembly may alter the time at which the regular session begins.
(c)(1) Beginning in 2010, the General Assembly shall meet in fiscal session on the second Monday in February of each even-numbered year to consider only appropriation bills. The General Assembly may alter the time at which the fiscal session begins.
(2) A bill other than an appropriation bill may be considered in a fiscal session if two-thirds (2/3) of the members of each house of the General Assembly approve consideration of the bill.
(d) The General Assembly, by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the members elected to each house of the General Assembly, may alter the dates of the regular session and fiscal session so that regular sessions occur in even numbered years and the fiscal sessions occur in odd-numbered years.
(e)(1) The General Assembly shall convene in extraordinary session upon the:
(A)(i) Issuance of a joint written proclamation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate,
(ii) The joint written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(A)(i) of this section shall include without limitation the purpose for which the General Assembly shall convene in extraordinary session and the date on which the General Assembly shall convene; or
(B)(i) Submission of a written proclamation containing the signatures of at

least two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the House of Representatives and at least two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the Senate to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate requesting that the General Assembly convene in extraordinary session.
(ii) The written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(B)(i) of this section shall include without limitation the purpose for which the General Assembly shall convene in extraordinary session.
(iii) Upon the submission of a written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(B)(i) of this section, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate shall specify a date on which the General Assembly shall convene in extraordinary session.
(2) No business other than the purpose set forth in the joint written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(A)(i) of this section or the written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(B)(i) of this section shall be considered at an extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1) of this section.
(3)(A) During each regular session, the General Assembly shall establish by joint rule procedures for an extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1) of this section.
(B) Joint rules established under subdivision (e)(3)(A) of this section may include without limitation:
(i) A limitation on the duration of an extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1) of this section;
(ii) The format and required content for a written proclamation requesting that the General Assembly convene in extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1)(B)(i) of this section; and
(iii) A provision permitting the General Assembly, after having disposed of the purpose for which the extraordinary session was convened under subdivision (e)(1) of this section, to remain in session for a period not exceeding fifteen (15) days if remaining in session is approved by a vote of at least two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the House of Representatives and at least two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the Senate and entered upon their journals.
(C) Rules established under subdivision (e)(3)(A) of this section may be amended by the General Assembly.
(4) This section does not restrict the authority of the Governor to convene an extraordinary session of the General Assembly under Arkansas Constitution, Article 6, § 19.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective on and after November 9, 2022.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF I HAVE HERETO SET MY HAND AND FIXED THE OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE ON THIS 8TH DAY OF MAY 2022.
JOHN THURSTON
SECRETARY OF STATE
STATE OF ARKANSAS

NOTICE FOR AMENDMENTS REFERRED TO THE PEOPLE BY THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY
Issue No. 2
NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Pursuant to Article 19, Section 22, of the Arkansas Constitution, the 93rd General Assembly refers the following constitutional amendment to a vote of the people on November 8, 2022, and will appear on the ballot as Issue No. 2. Each elector upon voting his/her ballot shall vote for or against this amendment. Underlined language would be added to the present Constitution. Stricken language would be deleted from the present Constitution. This amendment was proposed in the Regular 2021 Session by Representative Ray and filed as HJR 1005.

ISSUE NO. 2
Popular Name
A Constitutional Amendment to Reform Certain Measures Presented to Voters, to be Known as the "Constitutional Amendment and Ballot Initiative Reform Amendment"

Ballot Title
AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, TO BE KNOWN AS THE "CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AND BALLOT INITIATIVE REFORM AMENDMENT"; CONCERNING THE NUMBER OF VOTES REQUIRED FOR APPROVAL OF CERTAIN MEASURES PRESENTED TO VOTERS; REQUIRING THAT INITIATIVES PROPOSED UNDER ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 5, § 1, AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS PROPOSED UNDER ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 19, § 22, AND ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 70, § 2, SHALL BE APPROVED WHEN RECEIVING AT LEAST SIXTY PERCENT (60%) OF THE VOTES CAST ON THE PROPOSED INITIATIVE OR PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT; AND REQUIRING THAT A MEASURE SUBJECT TO A REFERENDUM SHALL BE REPEALED IF THE MEASURE IS REJECTED BY A MAJORITY OF THE ELECTORS VOTING UPON THE MATTER.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE SENATE, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

THAT the following is proposed as

an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:
SECTION 1. TITLE. This amendment shall be known and may be cited as the "Constitutional Amendment and Ballot Initiative Reform Amendment".

SECTION 2. The subsection of Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 1, titled "Majority", is amended to read as follows:
Majority Approval. Any measure submitted to the people as herein provided shall take effect and become a law when approved by a majority at least sixty percent (60%) of the votes cast upon such measure; and not otherwise, and shall not be required to receive a majority of the electors voting at such election. Such measures shall be operative on and after the thirtieth day after the election at which it is approved, unless otherwise specified in the Act measure. However, a measure subject to a referendum shall be repealed if it is rejected by a majority of the electors voting upon the matter.
This section shall not be construed to deprive any member of the General Assembly of the right to introduce any measure, but no measure shall be submitted to the people by the General Assembly, except a proposed constitutional amendment or amendments as provided for in this Constitution.

SECTION 3. The subsection of Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 1, titled "Conflicting Measures", is amended to read as follows:
Conflicting Measures. If conflicting measures initiated or referred to the people shall be approved by a majority at least sixty percent (60%) of the votes severally cast for and against the same at the same election, the one receiving the highest number of affirmative votes shall become law.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Constitution, Article 19, § 22, is amended to read as follows:

§ 22. Constitutional amendments.

Either branch of the General Assembly, at a regular session thereof, may propose amendments to this Constitution; and if the same be agreed to by a majority of all members elected to each house, such proposed amendments shall be entered on the journals with the yeas and nays, and published in at least one newspaper in each county, where a newspaper is

published, for six months immediately preceding the next general election for Senators and Representatives, at which time the same shall be submitted to the electors of the State, for approval or rejection; and if a majority at least sixty percent (60%) of the electors voting at such election adopt such amendments, the same shall become a part of this Constitution. But no more than three amendments shall be proposed or submitted at the same time. They shall be so submitted as to enable the electors to vote on each amendment separately.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 70, § 2, is amended to read as follows:

§ 2. Additional Constitutional amendments authorized.

In addition to the three amendments to the Constitution allowed pursuant to Article 19, § 22, either branch of the General Assembly at a regular session thereof may propose an amendment to the Constitution to change the salaries for the offices of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Commissioner of State Lands, and Auditor of State and for members of the General Assembly. If the same be agreed to by a majority of all members elected to each house, such proposed amendment shall be entered on the journals with the yeas and nays, and published in at least one newspaper in each county, where a newspaper is published, for six months immediately preceding the next general election for Senators and Representatives, at which time the same shall be submitted to the electors of the State for approval or rejection. If a majority at least sixty percent (60%) of the electors voting at such election adopt the amendment the same shall become a part of this Constitution. Only one amendment to the Constitution may be referred pursuant to this section.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 2023.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I HAVE HERETO SET MY HAND AND FIXED THE OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE ON THIS 8TH DAY OF MAY 2022.

JOHN THURSTON
SECRETARY OF STATE
STATE OF ARKANSAS

NOTICE FOR AMENDMENTS REFERRED TO THE PEOPLE BY THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Issue No. 3
NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Pursuant to Article 19, Section 22, of the Arkansas Constitution, the 93rd General Assembly refers the following constitutional amendment to a vote of the people on November 8, 2022, and will appear on the ballot as Issue No. 3. Each elector upon voting his/her ballot shall vote for or against this amendment. Underlined language would be added to the present Constitution. Stricken language would be deleted from the present Constitution. This amendment was proposed in the Regular 2021 Session by Senator Rapert and filed as SJR 14.

ISSUE NO. 3
Popular Name
A Constitutional Amendment to Create the "Arkansas Religious Freedom Amendment"

Ballot Title
AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO CREATE THE "ARKANSAS RELIGIOUS FREEDOM AMENDMENT"; AND TO PROVIDE THAT GOVERNMENT MAY NEVER BURDEN A PERSON'S FREEDOM OF RELIGION EXCEPT IN THE RARE CIRCUMSTANCE THAT THE GOVERNMENT DEMONSTRATES THAT APPLICATION OF THE BURDEN TO THE PERSON IS IN FURTHERANCE OF A COMPELLING GOVERNMENT INTEREST AND IS THE LEAST RESTRICTIVE MEANS OF FURTHERING THAT COMPELLING GOVERNMENT INTEREST.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:
SECTION 1. This amendment shall be known and may be cited as the "Arkansas Religious Freedom Amendment".
SECTION 2. (a) The General Assembly finds:
(1) The framers of the United States Constitution, recognizing free exercise of religion as an unalienable right, secured its protection in the First Amendment to the United States

Constitution;
(2) The framers of the Arkansas Constitution of 1874, also recognizing the free exercise of religion as an unalienable right, secured the protection of religious freedom in Arkansas Constitution, Article 2, § 24;
(3) Federal and state laws "neutral" toward religion may burden religious exercise as surely as laws intended to interfere with religious exercise;
(4) Governments should not burden religious exercise without compelling justification;
(5) In Employment Division v. Smith, 494 U.S. 872 (1990), the United States Supreme Court virtually eliminated the requirement that the government justify burdens on religious exercise imposed by laws neutral toward religion;
(6) The compelling interest test as set forth in prior court rulings is a workable test for striking sensible balances between religious liberty and competing government interests in areas ranging from public education (pedagogical interests and religious rights, including recognizing regulations necessary to alleviate interference with the educational process versus rights of religious freedom), national defense (conscription and conscientious objection, including the need to raise an army versus rights to object to individual participation), and other areas of important mutual concern; and
(7) The United States Congress passed the Religious Freedom Act, 42 U.S.C. § 2000bb, to establish the compelling interest test set forth in prior federal court rulings, but in City of Boerne v. Flores, 117 S.Ct. 2157 (1997), the United States Supreme Court held the act unconstitutional, stating that the right to regulate was retained by the states.
(b) The purpose of this amendment is to:
(1) Guarantee that the freedom of religion is not burdened by state and local law; and
(2) Provide a claim or defense to persons whose religious freedom is burdened by government.

SECTION 3. As used in this amendment:
(1) "Demonstrates" means meeting the burden of going forward with the evidence and of persuasion;
(2) "Freedom of religion" means the free exercise of religion under Arkansas Constitution, Article 2, § 24;
(3) "Government" means:
(A) A branch, department, agency, or instrumentality of the State of Arkansas;
(B) A political subdivision of the state, including without limitation a county, municipality, township, or other unit of local government;
(C) An official acting on behalf of government; and
(D) A person acting under the color of law of the State of Arkansas; and

(4) "Rule" means a statement of Arkansas law, including without limitation a:
(A) Statute;
(B) Rule;
(C) Regulation;
(D) Ordinance;
(E) Administrative provision;
(F) Administrative ruling;
(G) Guideline; or
(H) Requirement.

SECTION 4. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, government shall not burden a person's freedom of religion even if the burden results from a rule of general applicability.
(b) Government may burden a person's freedom of religion only if the government demonstrates that application of the burden to the person:
(1) Is in furtherance of a compelling government interest; and
(2) Is the least restrictive means of furthering that compelling government interest.
(c) A person whose religious freedom has been burdened in violation of this section may assert that violation as a claim or defense in a judicial, administrative, or other appropriate proceeding and obtain appropriate relief against a government.

SECTION 5. (a) This amendment applies to each rule of government and its implementation, regardless of whether the rule:
(1) Is statutory; or
(2) Was adopted prior to or after the effective date of this amendment.

(b) This amendment shall not be construed to:
(1) Authorize a government to burden a religious belief; or
(2) Affect, interpret, or in any way address:
(A) The portions of the United States Constitution, First Amendment, permitting the free exercise of religion or prohibiting laws respecting the establishment of religion; or
(B) Article 2, § 24 of this constitution regarding religious liberty.
SECTION 6. (a) This amendment shall be liberally construed to effectuate its remedial and deterrent purposes.
(b) If any provision of this amendment or its application to any particular person or circumstance is held invalid, that provision or its application is severable and does not affect the validity of other provisions or applications of this amendment.



SECTION 7. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective on and after November 9, 2022.

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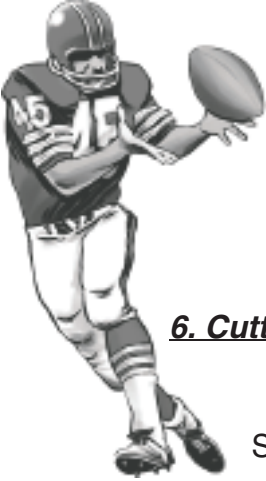


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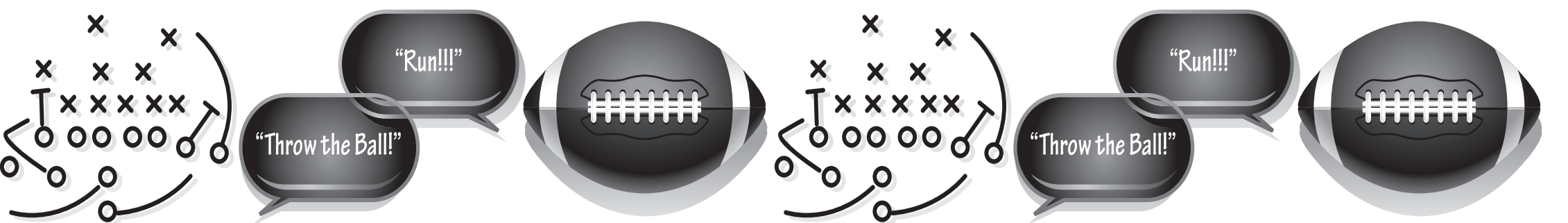
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BRADLEY COUNTY, ARKANSAS PROBATE DIVISION NO. 06PR-22-42-2

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES PAUL GRICE, DECEASED ALSO, the Southwest Quarter Last Known Address of Decedent: Banks, Arkansas Date of Death: April 30, 2021 On April 8, 2022, An Affidavit For Collection Of Small Estate By Distributee was filed with respect to the Estate of James Paul Grice, deceased, with the Clerk of the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Drew County, Arkansas, under Ark. Code Ann. §28-41-101.

The legal description of real property listed in the affidavit is as follows:

All the following lands lying in the County of Bradley and State of Arkansas, to-wit:

The South Half of the South Half of the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 15, Township 14 South, Range 11 West, containing ten (10) acres, more or less:

ALSO, the 6 1/2 acres consisting of the South Half of the South Half of the North Three-Quarters (3/4) of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 15, Township 14 South, Range 11 West; subject to widow's life estate.

LESS AND EXCEPT beginning at a point 601.3 feet North and 470.1 feet East of the Southwest Corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, Section 15, Township 14 South, Range 11 West, and run North 40 degrees 05 minutes East 429.0 feet, thence South 49 degrees 55 minutes East 101.5 feet, thence South 40 degrees 05 minutes West 429.0 feet, thence North 49 degrees 55 minutes West 101.5 feet to beginning point, containing 1.0 acre, more or less; ALSO LESS AND EXCEPT one-half (1/2) acre surrounding Grantors homeplace in the shape of the square;

ALSO, the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 14, Township 12 South, Range 11 West, containing ten (10) acres, more or less.

All persons having claims against the estate must exhibit them, properly verified, to the distributee or his or her attorney within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice or they shall be forever barred and precluded from any benefit of the estate. The name, mailing address, and telephone number of the distributee or distributee's attorney is:

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Attorneys at Law
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News Briefs

The Warren Branch Library will host "Floral Workshop with Kelly" at the Warren Branch Library at 10 a.m. Thursday, September 27. Space is limited so come in to the library at 115 West Cypress St. in Warren to sign up and pay your \$20 supply fee today! Last day to sign up will be September 15. For more information, call the library at 870-226-2536.

Moro Bay Baptist Church will have a potluck supper on Sat. Sept. 10th at 5 p.m. followed with singing by The Kinsmen quartet. Everyone is welcome. Bro. Williams Harton, Pastor.



1. **The Invitation**..... (PG-13) Nathalie Emmanuel, Thomas Doherty
2. **Bullet Train**..... (R) Brad Pitt, Joey King
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7. **Three Thousand Years of Longing**..... (R) Tilda Swinton, Idris Elba
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10. **Where the Crawdads Sing**..... (PG-13) Daisy Edgar-Jones, Taylor John Smith

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1. GEOGRAPHY: What is the only country in the world without an official capital city?
2. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: Which Chinese zodiac animal is celebrated in the year 2022?
3. BUSINESS: When did the auction site eBay launch?
4. HISTORY: How many years has Queen Elizabeth been on the throne?
5. MOVIES: Who played Wolverine in the X-Men movie series?
6. U.S. STATES: Which state's motto is "Mountaineers are always free"?
7. ASTRONOMY: What is the only planet in our solar system that isn't named after a Greek-Roman deity?
8. MYTHOLOGY: Which Egyptian god has the head of a jackal?
9. TELEVISION: How many times has the hospital's name changed in the drama "Grey's Anatomy"?
10. RELIGION: Where was the founder of Buddhism born?

Answers

1. Nauru, an island nation in the Pacific Ocean.
2. The Year of the Tiger.
3. 1995.
4. 70. She just celebrated her Platinum Jubilee.
5. Hugh Jackman.
6. West Virginia.
7. Earth.
8. Anubis, god of death.
9. Three.
10. Buddha was born in what is modern-day Nepal.

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 2. **Gone with the Wind**..... (R) Vivien Leigh, Clark Gable
 3. **Paws of Fury: The Legend of Hank**.....(PG) Michael Cera
 4. **Dog**..... (PG-13) Channing Tatum
 5. **Minions: The Rise of Gru**....(PG) Steve Carell
 6. **Last Seen Alive**..... (R) Gerard Butler
 7. **Paradise Highway**..... (R) Frank Grillo
 8. **Father Stu**..... (R) Mark Wahlberg
 9. **Sniper: Rogue Mission**..... (R) Chad Michael Collins
 10. **Doctor Strange in the Multiverse of Madness**..... (PG-13) Benedict Cumberbatch

- DVD, Blu-ray Sales**
1. **Jurassic World: Dominion**..... (PG-13) Paramount
 2. **Sonic the Hedgehog 2**.....(PG) Paramount
 3. **The Black Phone**..... (R) Universal
 4. **Doctor Strange in the Multiverse of Madness**..... (PG-13) Disney/Marvel
 5. **Jurassic World: Ultimate Collection**..... (PG-13) Universal
 6. **The Lost City**..... (PG-13) Paramount
 7. **Fantastic Beasts: The Secrets of Dumbledore**..... (PG-13) Warner
 8. **Last Seen Alive**..... (R) Vertical
 9. **NCIS: The Nineteenth Season**..... (TV Series) Paramount/CBS
 10. **Top Gun***..... (PG-13) Paramount
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7. Fire
8. Ashes
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10. Hear

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Obituaries

Odell Allen

Odell Allen, 62 of Jersey died August 26 at his home. Born July 29, 1960 in Altheimer, a son of the late Lawrence Odell and Juanita Flannery Allen.

Survivors include wife, Polly; sons, Brandon Allen (Michelle) and Mark Allen (Monica); sisters, Brenda Morgan and Vanda Greenwood; grandchildren, Lance Andrew Allen, Alex Lee Allen, and Lexi Ann Allen.

Graveside services were August 30 at Gravelridge Cemetery by Frazer's Funeral Home.

Skidaisha Hines

Skidaisha Hines, 21, of Little Rock, died August 17, 2022. Born February 8, 2001, a daughter of Shawnell York and LaVonsky Childs.

Survivors include mother, Shawnell York; father, LaVonsky Childs (Yamika Ware); siblings, LaVonsky Jr., Jaden, De'Heavenly, Me'Niyah, Monica, Jakynlee; grandmother, Linda Harris;

aunts, Sonja Eskridge (Keith), Tonya Trotter, Marquette York; uncles, Alex Harris (Tabitha), Lance Harris

Funeral services were held August 27, at the Hermitage Community Center. Burial in Childs Cemetery, Banks. Arrangements by Hammons Funeral Home.

Rickey Farmer

Rickey Renaldo Farmer, 63, of Warren, died August 16, 2022. Born April 3, 1959, a son of Gaines and Maeola Farmer.

Survivors include children, Bill Williams, Jamie Farmer, Nicholas Farmer, N'kosi Boyd, Cindy Williams, Pamela Farmer, Akasha Boyd; Siblings, Sharon Purdy, Frances Charles, Jerry Farmer (Bettye), Evelyn Farmer, Ann Danzie; and special friend, Carlton Strickland.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. August 27, St. James AME Church, Warren. Burial in Union Cemetery, Warren. Arrangements: Hammons Funeral Home.



Jerry Williams

Jerry Williams, 85, of Hermitage, died August 28. Born March 24, 1937 in Moro Bay to Arnold and Correnth Ivey Williams. He is preceded in death by his wife, Wanda Williams.

He is survived by children, Jeff Williams (Rhonda), Kenny Williams (Kerry), and Brenda Pennington (Jason); six grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were held August 31 at Marsden Cemetery by Frazer's Funeral Home.

Kimberly Harding

Kimberly Hampton-Harding born May 23, 1972 and passed away August 29, 2022. She is survived by

David (Susan Rodgers), Terry (Janan Rodgers), and Becky (Derek Hinton), and her grandchildren Jonathan Funnell, Michael Funnell, Kristina Rodgers, Clint Rodgers, Cooper Rodgers, Marin (Rodgers) and Evan Johnson, Hayley (Hinton) and Brent Ripperger, and Evan Hinton, her great-grandson Jack Johnson, and her sister Karen Teige. She joins her parents and other siblings in heaven.

Rhoda was born in Minneapolis, MN where she met her husband, Daniel Ladane Rodgers, who was a Captain in the Air Force, and they married in 1955. Daniel Ladane was born in Warren, AR, and attended grade school there and graduated from Hermitage High School and the University of Arkansas. Rhoda was a devoted wife, daughter, mother, and grandmother. Her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren were her pride and joy. She was happiest when surrounded by her family and was always a role model for them. She provided a safe, loving and welcoming home where they could always come for refuge and comfort. She was beloved by her family and they will all greatly miss her zest for life, inspiring bravery, and the love she showed each and every one of them.

Rhoda's life will be honored at a service at Outlaw Cemetery in Bradley County, Arkansas on Saturday, September 3rd, 2022 at 10:00am.

Frances Morgan

Frances Benette Morgan died August 28, 2022. Benette, as she was known to friends and family, was born April 13, 1933, in Tulip.

She is survived by her son, Roy David Morgan (Teresea); grandsons, Maxx and Mitch Michelfelder; grandpups, Bebé and PeeWee Morgan; nephew, Michael Bane (Connie); and nieces, Carol Kelly, Cathy Skiles and Celia Bridges.

Graveside service 1:30 p.m. August 3, at Tulip Cemetery by Frazer's Funeral Home.

spouse Antwain Harding, former husbands, Travis Richardson and Rodney Hampton.

She was the daughter of Randy and Patricia McDougald, and step-daughter to Bill Ethridge and Sharon McDougald.

She is also survived by daughters, Wendy Wells (Christopher) and Adrienne Richardson.

Funeral services were held September 2 at Frazer's while burial was in Moseley Cemetery by Frazer's.

Louine Leech

Louine Leech, 105 died, September 1. Born February 19, 1917, in Kingsland, to Benjamin Franklin Selman and Hattie Bell Moseley Selman.

Louine is survived by children, Robert William Leech, Jr (Pat), Mary Leech Johnson (Rich), David Selman Leech (Jimmie Jo); six grandchildren, seven great grandchildren.

Memorial services will be at 2p.m. September 11, at The First United Methodist Church in Monticello with visitation 1-1:45. Burial at Moseley Cemetery by Frazer's Funeral Home.

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Annual hamburger supper date announced Sept. 30

Special to The Eagle
The Bradley County Historical Museum announced the date for the organization's annual Hamburger Supper. The supper is set for Friday, September 30, prior to the Warren Lumberjacks-Crossett Eagles football game.

Take-out meals will consist of grilled hamburgers

(with all the trimmings), the popular baked beans, chips, and homemade brownines. The hamburger meals may be picked up at the Museum at 200 West Ash Street from 4:30 to 6 p.m. on Friday, September 30.

The Hamburger Supper will be pre-sold for \$10 each and may be purchased from

board members of the Bradley County Historical Museum. Board members include: Judy Wynne, Hilda Thornton, Deborah Gannaway, Kim Cathey, Andrew Tolbert, Mistry Wardlaw, LaDonna Marsh, Liz McKinstry, Marlin Raines, Mike Jolley, Susan Saunders, JeNelle Lipton, and Mark Deal.



A group from First Baptist Church or Fordyce visited Warren and toured the Bradley County Historical Museum on Thursday, September 1.

Poultry health testing needed for fair entry

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CORRECTION TO THE DATE: All poultry to be entered into the Bradley County Fair must comply with the poultry health regulations by being tested for Pullorum-Ty-

phoid. The Bradley County Agent, John Gavin, will test chickens at the Bradley County Fairgrounds on Monday, September 12th, from 5:00-7:00 p.m. No Pullorum-Typhoid testing

will be conducted during the Fair. Contact the Bradley County Cooperative Extension Service at 870-226-8410 to register your poultry to be tested.

Monarch migrations

Unlike other butterflies that can overwinter as larvae, pupae or even as adults in some species, monarchs cannot survive the cold northern winters. In autumn they migrate, using a combination of air currents and thermals to travel about 50 to 100 miles a day. Some have been recorded traveling over 200 miles in one day! It can take up to two months to complete their journey to their winter homes in Mexico and California.

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