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Local fall festivals draw big crowds



The cities of Warren (left) and Hermitage (right) hosted their annual fall festivals. Warren had their festival on Saturday, October 29. Hermitage held theirs on Thursday, October 20. Families from all around came dressed up and collected candy from each vendor. Kids also enjoyed different activities from face painting to bean bag toss at both festivals. The line for Saturday's fall festival went through the parking lot at the tomato shed. Both festivals showed big crowds.



Superintendents Dr. Tracy Tucker (Hermitage) and Bryan Cornish (Warren) were the guest speakers at the BCEDC monthly meeting.

Superintendents provide updates on school districts

Superintendents Dr. Tracy Tucker, from Hermitage, and Bryan Cornish, from Warren, were the guest speakers at the Bradley County Economic Development monthly meeting on Monday, October 24.

Dr. Tucker shared some of her background to the board. This is her ninth year as superintendent for the Hermitage School District. Her husband is principal at Hamburg High School. She worked at the Department of Education before working at Hermitage.

She said the annual school budget is \$6 million. There are 442 students enrolled in the district. The student-teacher ratio is one teacher for every six students. The district employs 320 employees.

The district partners with SEACBEC for forestry, animal systems, business, medical professions and welding.

The Hermitage School District's biggest challenge is teacher retention and dealing with academic challenges during COVID.

Superintendent Cornish shared some of his background. This is his sixth

year as Warren School Superintendent. Before becoming superintendent, he was a teacher and then a principal.

The student-teacher ratio at the Warren School District is 11 students for one teacher.

The school district had a few challenges with the Warren High School building being on fire earlier in the year. He commented the current Warren High School seniors have not completed a normal school year since they came to the high school.

Superintendent Cornish provided updates on the elementary school and arena projects. The elementary school is a month behind schedule. He said he hoped to start the 2023-2024 school year at the new elementary school. The new arena should be completed by the end of the year and open in January. He hoped to host events at the new arena next year.

He also shared updates on the Warren High School repairs. He said they were doing it in three phases. The plan is to have the cafeteria open after Christmas break.

The next phase would be to get the classrooms repaired by the next school year. The final phase is to repair the auxiliary gym.

Superintendent Cornish reported attendance in ROTC had increased. They also have a growing computer science program.

In their regular business, BCEDC Director Dr. Bob Smalling reported their property at the industrial park was repaired.

It was reported there was no action taken from the city to provide funding for the BCEDC, along with the Chamber of Commerce.

The BCEDC announced future events happening in the county: Election Day, November 8; Buck Fever Festival, November 12; Warren City Council meeting, November 14; Intermodal Board meeting, November 16; and the Chamber of Commerce Christmas event, December 10.

The annual BCEDC meeting will be January 20.

The next BCEDC meeting will be on Monday, November 28.

BCMC report challenges and loss during fiscal year

By Zach Killian

The Bradley County Medical Center Board discussed some of the challenges the hospital face at their monthly meeting.

Hospital visits were down eight percent in September. CEO Leslie Huitt said acute patient days were down for the fiscal year, but 16 patients were recently admitted.

It was reported that overall expenses increased over \$5 million. There was a \$411,000 net loss for September. There was a \$1.6 million loss for the fiscal year.

It was also mentioned the hospital was dealing with staff positions still being open.

With a grant from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, the BCMC received new hospital beds. They received 17 beds arrived for the hospital and six more for the OB.

The BCMC was asked by Kids First in Warren to renovate the kitchen used by the Kids First staff to provide the meals for kids. With the reno-



vation taking time, the BCMC UAMS as one of the rural dietary staff will provide breakfast, lunch, and snacks for the children in the program with the maintenance staff making a meal run each day.

The BCMC was chosen by

hospitals to support through providing personnel to film marketing videos.

The next board meeting will be Tuesday, November 29. The meeting will be at the BCMC conference room.

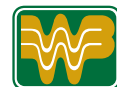


Maddox Lassiter (#14) and Ervin Rivera (#18) on the defense. Read the recap on page 12.

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After ministering in a good friends' funeral service this past week, his son sent me this and told me his God hand wrote this for him and left it in his Bible.

"To my son that I love."
 "Gods ten most wanted men."

- 1. The man** who puts Gods business above any other business.
- 2. The man** who brings his children to church rather than send them.
- 3. The man** who is willing to be the right example to every person he meets.
- 4. The man** who thinks more of Sunday worship than Sunday sleep.
- 5. The man** who gives what he should to the church and lives on what is left.
- 6. The man** who goes to church for Christ sake rather than for himself and others.
- 7. The man** who has a willing mind rather than a brilliant one.
- 8. The man** who has a passion to help others rather than to be helped himself.
- 9. The man** who can see his own faults before he sees the faults of others.
- 10. The man** who is more concerned about winning souls to Christ rather than winning worldly honors.

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 September 13, 2000.

We are back from a 450-mile, quick jaunt to Bowling Green, Kentucky, where the eldest of four daughters and her family now make their home.

Actually, they reside in a little town just outside Bowling Green.

We enjoyed the trip, being Natural Travelers, by nature.

Worst part of the venture was the interstate from Little Rock to Memphis: wish we had really counted all the big trucks on the route, rather than silently-stewing over them.

Surely this road must be America's busiest as far as trucks are concerned.

Trip was made in our old German car, bought ten years ago this fall from an Oldsmobile dealer in Lubbock, Texas.

Car eventually moved into the elegant hands of the Rev. Dr. L.W. Latham, who sold it to us four years ago when he repaired to Tulsa and a new Southern Baptist Church assignment.

Venerable vehicle has almost 200,000 miles on the speedometer, but experts tell us the diesel engine that powers it will give us 500,000 miles if we take care of it.

Old car faithfully buzzes along at 70 or so, giving 32 or 33 miles to the gallon on diesel fuel.

Paige Ford Crane, Texarkana, is one of two sur-

viving children of Vol Calhoun Ford, who came to Warren almost a century ago to operate a concern first-called "Ford's Steam Laundry" across from the dual offices of Doctors Marsh and George on North Main.

Mrs. Crane's brother is George Younse (Bill) Ford, nursing home resident here.

Mrs. Crane was in the WHS Class of '44 as the youngest of the Ford kids: at Henderson State, she met the late Joe Paul Crane, whom she still terms "my sweetheart".

Their sons now operate the family Lincoln-Mercury dealership in Texarkana.

Mrs. Crane remains a faithful reader of THE EAGLE DEMOCRAT; she generously recalls columns penned by the late Author of Reflections.

Paige sends along this portion of one of those columns, penned long ago on the breakfast table of the little house at 305 West Pine Street, across from Warren Junior High:

"In my good garden I would first plant five rows of peas; preparedness, promptness, perseverance, politeness, and prayer. "Next to them I plant three rows of squash: squash gossip, squash criticism, squash indifference.

"Then I put in five rows of lettuce: Let us be faithful, Let us be unselfish, Let us be loyal, Let us be truthful, Let us love one another.

"No garden is complete without turnip, and mine would have: Turn up at church, Turn up with a smile, Turn up with a new idea, Turn up with real determination."

Speaking of the junior high,



Rotarian Dr. Bob Smalling with Susan Crihfield, who was the guest speaker at the Warren Rotary Club.

Rotary Club learns about bees

Special to The Eagle
 The Rotary Club of Warren met for its weekly meeting Tuesday, Oct. 25 at First United Methodist Church. Those in attendance heard from Hermitage Junior Rotarian Sayra Martinez and Warren Junior Rotarian Cristal Castillo to begin things.

Then Rotarian Dr. Bob Smalling introduced his program of Susan Crihfield, who runs Apiary Beekeeping Supplies out of Crossett with her husband.

Crihfield explained that her store is one of only a few beekeeping supply stores in the State of Arkansas and is the

only one in Southeast Arkansas. Crihfield touched on how her and her husband got into beekeeping and said they had been participating in it for the last 15 years.

She continued her program with numerous facts about bees, dove into the misinformation about "killer bees",

and also explained the different types of bees in a hive that include the workers, drones, nurse bees, and the queen. The program from Mrs. Crihfield was very informative and entertaining to the club.

She closed her program by answering a few questions from the crowd.

here's your weekly history lesson.

Warren had no high school in the first decade of the 20th century.

Businessmen and church leaders here established what they called the Presbyterian Training School, an arm of the Pine Bluff Presbytery of the denomination, erecting a building on the site of Warren Junior High to house it.

The Training School lasted, perhaps, ten years until a public high school was erected on the site of the new post office.

It was in use only three or four years but then burned (school district didn't have enough insurance to rebuild).

(S.B. Meek, grandfather of John Frazer and Larry Derby, was one of the movers and shakers who established the training school).

Warren Schools, aided by Arkansas, Bradley, and Southern Lumber companies, then built a temporary high school that later became the elementary school long presided over by the late Allie Mae Colvin Temple on Seminary Street.

People like Lovett M. Reaves and Elbert A. Frazer went to high school there.

Presbyterian Training School building was purchased by the Warren schools and a junior high was established there with a young man being hired from Quitman and Cleburne County to come and be principal.

His name was R.L. Newton. Old training school was used for years: Retha West Snider, who died last month at 92, told me once she had attended the school under the principalship of R.L. Newton.

A vestage of the old training school remains: the Warren School colors of orange and black.

One of the training school teacher, a young divine, got to choose the colors and he chose the ones of his alma mater, Princeton University.

Good to see that some of the local physicians are now going to an appointment system for patients. Back in the days when Merl Crow and three others took care of Warren folk, it was "go there and sit and wait".

My mother, the Author of Reflections, loved to go to the doctor, not because she was a hypochondriac, but because she enjoyed sittin' there and

visiting with all the fellow sufferers in the waitin' room.

Times have changed: for the better.

Small world department: ran into a handsome minority gentleman in a store at Hot Springs the other day. He learned we were from Warren and observed his sister, the late Thelma Booker, taught there for years.

Mrs. Booker and her broth-

er were from a small community near Arkadelphia named Curtis.

Mrs. Booker's husband was, at one time, pastor of the Power House Church of God in Christ on West Central.

First State Bank's M&P Branch Bank is now on the site, but we remember when the late Rufus Moseley and his wife, who was a Wolfe from out around Goodhope,

had a grocery store there.

The Moseleys had two successful sons, Carroll and James Waylan, who reside elsewhere.

Small grocery stores proliferated in Warren 50 years ago.

Another, at Elm and Martin, was operated by Ray Wheeler.

Wasn't its phone number 2468?



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Thanks again!
The Kenny Trussell Family

We the Simmons family would like to extend our deepest and sincere appreciation for the kindness, support and love you've shown during this difficult time. For every flower arrangement, every phone call and all of the prayers. It will always be remembered. We would like to extend a special thank you to the staff at Jefferson Regional Memorial Hospital.

The Family of Minnie Lee Simmons



Christmas Gala date announced

Special to The Eagle

The board members of the Bradley County Historical Museum announced they will be hosting the 2022 Christmas Gala fundraiser on Monday, November 14 in the Activity Center of Warren First Baptist Church. The event is scheduled to begin at 6 p.m.

A special attraction will be the 24 tables, decorated by some of Bradley County's most talented individuals. Each of the tablescapes will feature a different Christmas theme. After strolling through the tables, guest will have the opportunity to choose their favorite.

There will be silent and live auction items, wonderful entertainment, door prizes,

a special visit by Santa, delicious refreshments and an evening of fun and fellowship. Make plans to celebrate the magic of Christmas on this special night.

Tickets to the event are \$10.00 and are being sold by Museum board members. Board members include: Kim Cathey, Mark Deal, Deborah Gannaway, Mike Jolley, JeNelle Lipton, LaDonna Marsh, Liz McKinstry, Marlin Raines, Susan Saunders, Hil-da Thornton, Andrew Tolbert, Missy Wardlaw, and Judy Wynne. All proceeds will benefit the Museum.

For additional information, contact JeNelle Lipton at 501-416-7882 or Susan Saunders at 870-820-6203.

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Photo submitted

Ava Russell, daughter of Kristi Gatling Russell formerly of Warren, and her husband, Kevin Russell, recently won Junior Division Vocal Solo competition at the Arkansas State Fair in Little Rock. She is a ninth grader at Southside High School in Fort Smith and the granddaughter of Paul and Sandra Gatling of Warren. She advanced to state after winning the NW Arkansas Regional competition where she received a trophy and monetary award.

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3. **Smile** (R) Sosie Bacon, Jessie T. Usher
4. **Halloween Ends** (R) Jamie Lee Curtis, Andi Matichak
5. **Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile** (PG) Constance Wu, Scoot McNairy
6. **The Woman King** (PG-13) Viola Davis, Thuso Mbedu
7. **Terrifier 2** (NR) David Howard Thornton, Jenna Kanell
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Editorial

Arkansas History Minute

by
Dr. Kenneth Bridges



Charles Brough, a Mississippi native and former professor at the University of Arkansas, became the twenty-fifth governor of Arkansas in 1917 in a time of change. The early twentieth century was a time promising tremendous changes in the way that Americans worked and lived, and Americans were excited about what the future held. And Americans were calling for a modern system of government to keep up with the changing times. And Brough was ready to deliver.

He quickly enacted school reform measures in the state, creating compulsory attendance laws and expanding vocational education. Brough enacted numerous other reforms. He created the Arkansas Corporation Commission in 1917 to oversee utilities in the state and pushed for a modern highway system in the state. Though the highway plan was bogged down by financial problems and mismanagement at the county level, it did result in 2,500 miles of new highway being constructed. He also pushed through a law in 1917 allowing women to vote in state party primaries, where most elections in the state took place at the time.

When the United States entered World War I in 1917, Brough shifted the focus of his administration to the war effort. He went across the state to raise money for the troops and for the Red Cross. He also created the State Council of Defense to help coordinate production to ensure the troops had all the supplies they needed.

Brough's popularity was so high that the Republican Party did not even bother fielding a candidate against him in 1918, endorsing Brough's re-election against Socialist candidate Clay Fulks. Brough swept into a second term with 93% of the vote.

While he hoped that his second term would allow him to build on his earlier successes, the end of the war saw new challenges. He attempted to push through a new state constitution, but the effort failed. In 1919, the nation was hit with a major recession. And in late September, Phillips County erupted into bloodshed as a race riot erupted in Elaine. An estimated 200 African-Americans were slaughtered by white mobs, but the death toll was possibly much higher. Brough sent in the National Guard to restore order and appointed a special committee to study the slaughter, but the committee's weak recommendations to prevent further riots were never acted upon, and the matter still haunts Phillips County to this day even as residents strive to rise above the massacre.

After his second term ended in 1921, Brough toured the country on the speaking circuit, promoting the state. And it is Brough who is responsible for what is probably the worst Arkansas joke in history, one he repeated often in these speeches: "Did you know Arkansas is the only state mentioned in the Bible?"

The Bible says, 'Noah looked out the Ark-and-saw!'"

In 1928, Brough spoke at the graduation at Central Baptist College in Conway. So impressed with his performance, college trustees decided that he would be the perfect choice for the new president of the college. Brough accepted, but he quickly ran into controversy. The country had taken a sharp reactionary turn since World War I, and Brough's attempts to defend progress and reform were faltering. He fought back against attacks by fellow Baptists against the 1928 Democratic nominee for president, Al Smith, for his beliefs as a Roman Catholic. In addition, he supported the teaching of evolution in accordance with scientific standards, but fundamentalist Baptists howled their objections to the idea. Within a year, Brough was forced to step down, but he soon found work as a promoter for the University of Arkansas.

He unsuccessfully attempted to run for U. S. Senate twice, the last time being in a 1931 loss to Hattie Caraway. In spite of his lack of political success in his years after his governorship, he remained an enthusiastic personality and stayed active in civic causes. In 1934, President Franklin D. Roosevelt appointed him to a special commission to help solve a dispute over the West Virginia border. However, just weeks after his work was completed in 1935, Brough suffered a massive heart attack and died. After his death, he was widely praised for the accomplishments in transportation and education he achieved for the state.



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Senate Week in Review from Ben Gilmore Senator

A panel of three federal judges dismissed portions of a lawsuit filed against state officials, in which plaintiffs argue that the legislature violated the federal Voting Rights Act last year when it drew new maps for the state's four Congressional districts.

The lawsuit contends that the new map dilutes the strength of African-American voters by splitting Pulaski County among three separate Congressional Districts.

Traditionally, Pulaski County has been entirely within the Second Congressional District, along with several other counties in central Arkansas.

Every 10 years the state legislature draws a new map of Congressional district boundaries. They reflect population

shifts as indicated by fresh data from the U.S. Census, which occurs every 10 years.

Arkansas continues to have four Congressional districts. New York and California lost one of their Congressional districts. North Carolina added a Congressional seat and Texas added two because of population gains.

Using the most recent census data, the legislature drew new Congressional district maps during last year's regular session. The map was debated vigorously, and soon after it was approved it was challenged in federal court. Plaintiffs are residents of Pulaski County and include an African-American senator and an African-American representative.

The legislature put areas of southeastern Pulaski County in the Fourth Congressional District, which includes most of southern and western Arkansas.

Legislators drew parts of eastern Pulaski County into the First Congressional Dis-

trict, which covers most of eastern Arkansas and much of northern Arkansas.

"What we can say at this stage is that the plaintiffs are a few specific factual allegations short of pleading a plausible vote-dilution claim," the judges' ruling said.

The panel of federal judges said that the plaintiffs' case lacked enough evidence of racial motivation by legislators who drew the new map. They granted the plaintiffs 30 days in which to gather more evidence and file an amended complaint.

The judges dismissed the governor and the state of Arkansas as defendants in the legal challenge. The only defendant now is the Secretary of State, the top election official in Arkansas.

Lawyers for the state attorney general defended the new map before the three-judge panel. After the ruling, the attorney general told the media that she "is pleased the court recognized the lack of evidence and dismissed the suit

in part."

Medicaid Fraud During the federal fiscal year that just ended, the attorney general's Medicaid Fraud Control Unit made 51 arrests and secured 33 convictions of people who had attempted to defraud the Medicaid system.

The offenders had to pay back \$42.5 million in civil settlements, fines and court-ordered restitution. Those figures are a record for Arkansas.

Medicaid is a government health care program that provides coverage for senior citizens in nursing homes, poor families and children in low-income families, and people with disabilities.

Fraud occurs when providers file false claims for reimbursement, in which they report to Medicaid that they have provided medical services that they did not actually provide.

The attorney general's office also obtained \$159,000 in civil penalties from facilities that committed abuse or neglect of senior citizens.

Gov. Hutchinson's Weekly Address



Today, I would like to talk about the essence of our democracy which is our right as citizens to vote.

Voting is a responsibility that we all share whether we are Republican, Democrat, Libertarian, or Independent.

There is no other way more direct and meaningful than voicing your opinion through voting, and the people we put in place with our votes are representing both us and our ideas.

An important principal to improve voting is the expansion of voting opportunities. Increasing participation at the polls is the only way we can have a true representation of our opinions.

On July 1, 1971, the 26th Amendment to the U.S. Con-

stitution lowered the voting age to 18. Prior to this change, I could not vote until I turned 21. My first time getting to vote was for the 1972 race for Arkansas Governor between Len Blaylock and former Governor Dale Bumpers. Just 14 years later in 1986, my first time running for a statewide public office matched me up against the same Dale Bumpers who was running for the U.S. Senate.

In the 2018 midterm elections, there was a voter turnout of just 41%. In the 2020 general election, Arkansas had a voter turnout of 56%. This means that Arkansas has a lot of room to increase the percent of Arkansans who vote.

Right now, nearly half of our eligible voters either believe their vote doesn't matter or they believe they are just too busy to vote. It is critical that we increase trust in our electoral process.

Trust in the vote starts with the integrity of the ballot, which is a critical element to keeping our democracy strong and fair. We want people to have increased access to vote, but we also must assure the identity of the voter and be

assured that each voter only votes once. That is the essence of democracy.

This week, the polls opened up for early voting in a pivotal election for Arkansas. At this point, the early voting numbers are encouraging. We get to vote on U.S. Senate seats, legislative seats, local races, and even for the next Governor of Arkansas.

It is also a time to vote on issues that the legislature has referred to the people and others that are on the ballot

because of the initiative process. These issues will determine Arkansas's future, so please learn about them, and decide for yourself the direction we should go.

Voting is the best way we can assure that the government is a true reflection of the public's voice. Please take the time to go out and voice your opinion by voting now.

Early voting has started, and you can learn from your county clerk the easiest way for you to vote.

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Re-New-ing Edinburg awards local volunteer

Special to The Eagle

Prior to the meeting the group enjoyed a soup/salad meal and a brief fellowship. President Kemp presented Jessica Barrett an award for being selected the Re-New-ing Edinburg Volunteer of 2020-2021. Thanks were expressed to FB&T for sponsoring the volunteer awards and the Kickstart Cleveland County group for recognizing all the 2020-2021 Volunteers of the Year throughout the county. She also expressed thanks to all the volunteers present at the meeting for their support of our community over the past years.

The meeting was called to order by President Kemp and minutes were passed out to those present. Motion was made by Jessica Barrett, seconded by Linda Hornaday to accept the minutes as presented. The financial statement was passed out and after a brief discussion with no questions or corrections, it will be filed for audit. Roger McClellan made a motion to move \$790.15 from the junk hunt account to the children's fund. Motion seconded by Larry Waldrop. Motion passed.

The October junk hunt was deemed a success and President Kemp expressed her thanks to the community

for donating items and also to those purchasing items. Considering the successfulness of the junk hunt, Patricia McClellan made a motion to donate \$500 to the New Edinburg Community Center to purchase Santa Claus gifts which will be given out December 16-17 when Santa visits New Edinburg. Motion seconded by Linda Hornaday. Motion passed.

There was a general discussion about removing the flags after Veterans Day and putting up the Christmas lights. Randy and Susanne Wagon expressed their thanks to the group for purchasing Christmas bulbs and advised the lights would go up around the second week in November. On October 17th the group had meet and looked over all the previous Christmas decorations used in the town with various individuals volunteering to repurpose certain items. Kathy and Trena have also completed four new "pallet" Christmas trees which will be placed throughout the town.

The Fall Festival Candy event will be held October 29 with Monday, October 24 and October 28 designated as work days for the event. The group voted to have a chili supper after the event for

those who work the event.

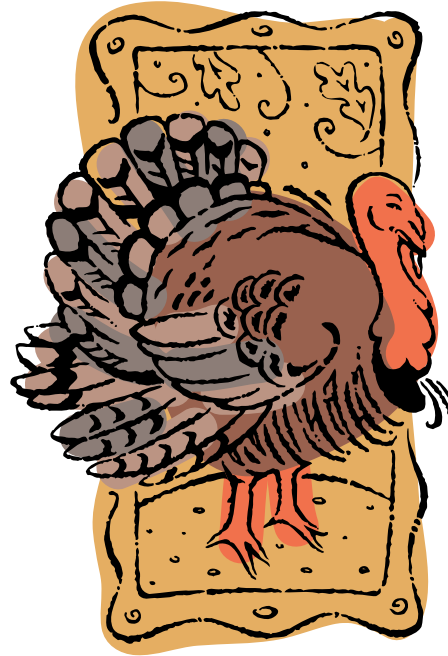
Patricia McClellan reminded the group that the Great Arkansas Cleanup Event ends on October 31. There are approximately 25 individuals signed up and picking up trash around the community. Everyone is encouraged to finish up and report roads cleaned up plus the number of bags collected.

Roger McClellan reminded the group the Cleveland County Veterans Appreciation luncheon is on October 22 at the fairgrounds in Rison with food served to veterans plus a guest free. The event is catered by Dorey's and meals can also be purchased for \$15 each.

President Kemp advised the group that a 2022 Volunteer banquet will be held in either February or March and she will provide details to the group once plans are finalized. Members should also come to the November 15 meeting prepared to select the group's 2022 Re-New-ing Edinburg officers.

The group voted to meet November 14 at 9:00 a.m. to put up Christmas decorations throughout the town.

Motion was made by Larry Waldrop to adjourn, seconded by Kathy Waldrop. Motion passed.



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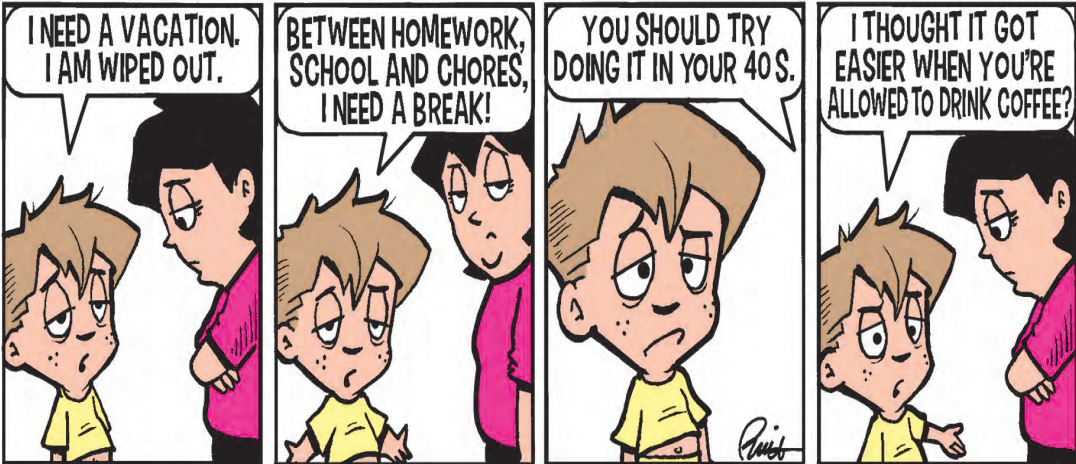
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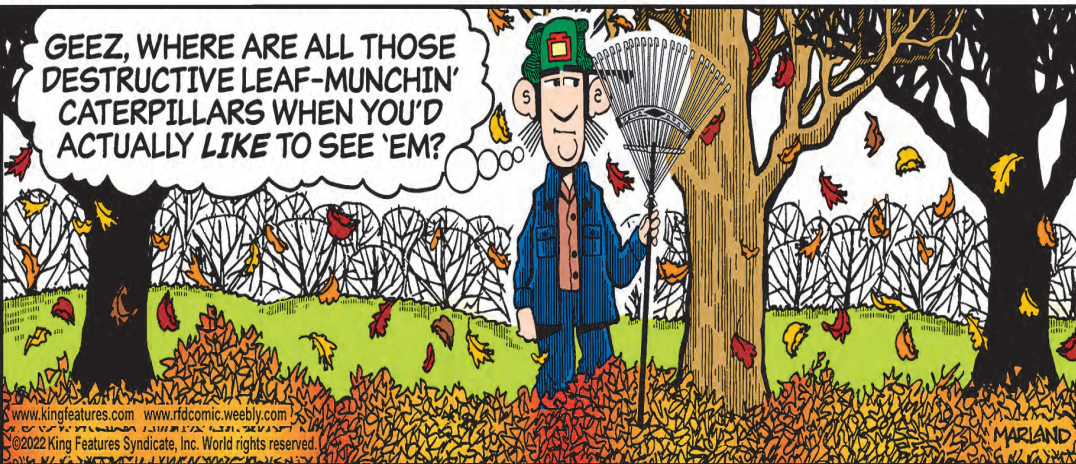
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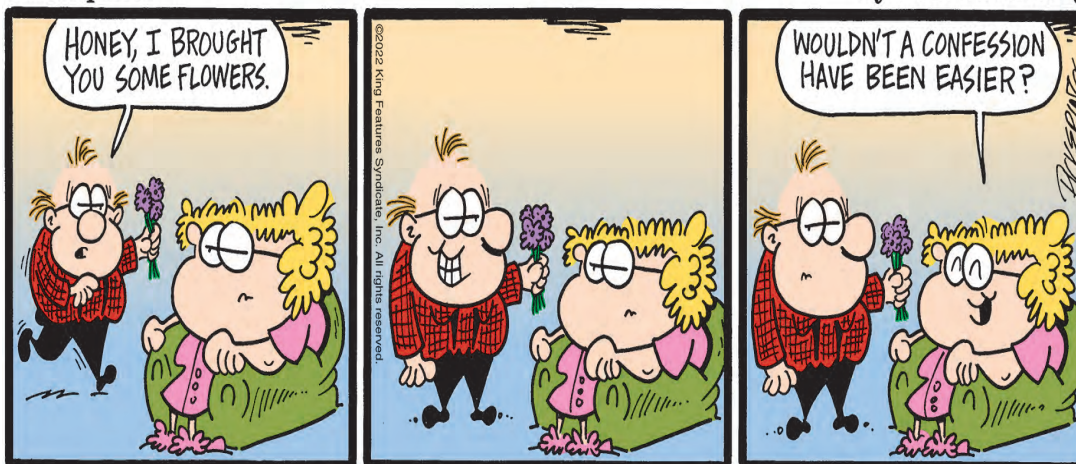
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NOTICE OF ELECTION
NOVEMBER 8, 2022

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Opening, Processing, and Canvassing of Absentee Ballots will begin at 5 P.M. November 8, 2022 at the Bradley County Courthouse.

FOLLOWING ARE THE OFFICES AND CANDIDATES THAT WILL APPEAR ON THE BALLOT

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 - City Attorney-H. Murray Claycomb
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 - Warren Alderman Ward 2, Pos. 1-Memory Burks Frazer
 - Warren Alderman Ward 2, Pos. 2-Emily L. Moseley
 - Warren Alderman Ward 3, Pos. 1-Dorothy Henderson
 - Warren Alderman Ward 3, Pos. 2-Latanza G. Atkins
 - Hermitage Alderman Ward 2, Pos. 2-Dorothy Jane Durden
 - Warren School Board:
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 - Zone 3 Jerry Daniels
 - Zone 4 Jeffrey Shannon Gorman
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 - Zone 7 Greg Morman

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Issue No. 1 (Popular Name)
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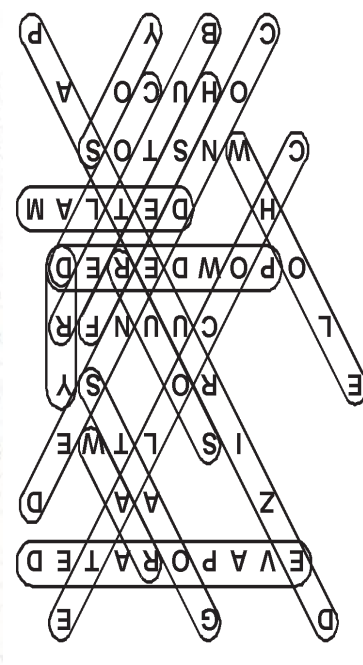
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 A Constitutional Amendment to Create the "Arkansas Religious Freedom Amendment."

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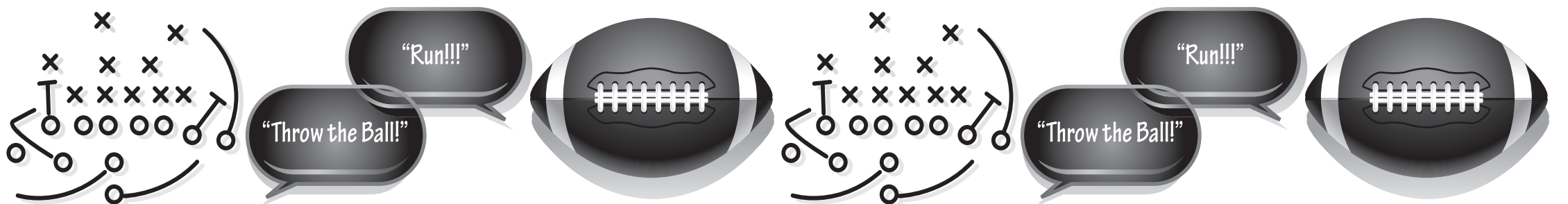
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WARNING ORDER IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BRADLEY COUNTY, ARKANSAS CIVILDIVISION No. 06-CV-22-35

PLAINTIFF YVONNE ALLISON AND GWEN ROBINSON VS.

DEFENDANTS KENNETH SHELTON individually and d/b/a SEICORP CORPORATION AND AIX SPECIATY INSURANCE COMPANY AND GOLDEN STATE CLAIMS ADJUSTERS

STATE OF ARKANSAS)
)
COUNTY OF BRADLEY)

The Court herein has granted Plaintiffs leave to serve Defendant Seicorp Corporation by publication. Defendant Seicorp Corporation (Registered Agent Kenneth Shelton) is hereby warned to appear in this Court within 30 days from the date of first publication of this Order and Answer the Complaint filed against it by the Plaintiffs.

Failure to file a written answer within 30 days may result in an entry of judgment by default against you or otherwise bar you from answering or asserting any defense you have.

WITNESS my hand and seal as Clerk of the Circuit Court of Bradley County, Arkansas, this 17th day of October, 2022.

Cindy Wagon
Circuit Clerk
11-2-2tp

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WITNESS hand and seal as Clerk of the Circuit of Bradley County, Arkansas, this 17th day of October, 2022.

Cindy Wagon
Circuit Clerk
11-2-2tp

Arrest Report

Willie McDiarmid, 31, of Warren, was arrested October 25, on a warrant.

Robert Payne, 37, of Warren, was arrested October 28, for possession of drug paraphernalia and a bench warrant.

Madison McGinn, 23, of Beebe, was arrested October 8, for obstruction of government operations.

Jonathan Scoles, 45, of Rison, was arrested October 29, for domestic battery.

Shawn Fowelt, 28, of Warren, was arrested October 30, on a warrant.



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The fifth and sixth grade Lumberjacks defeated Drew Central in the district playoffs. The Jacks finished third in the district.



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The third and fourth grade Lumberjacks defeated Drew Central to win district Championship. The Jacks were undefeated during the 2022 season.

Lumberjacks defeat Cougars, 42-8

By Zach Killian

The Warren Lumberjacks claimed another victory on Friday night against the Helena-West Helena Cougars with a final score of 42-8.

"I thought we didn't start out very well, we struggled, especially offensively. We had to punt twice out of the first three drives," said Warren Lumberjack Coach Bo Hembree. "After that we settled down and started moving the ball. Defensively, we bent but didn't break. We just have to keep getting better. We're right around the corner from the playoffs."

The Lumberjacks received the opening kickoff.

The Lumberjacks' offense dropped the first couple passes and a false start penalty forced them to punt at the 37-yard line.

The Lumberjacks' defense forced the Cougars to punt also.

Lumberjack Quarterback Maddox Lassiter threw a pass to Ervin Rivera who ran to the Cougars' 25-yard line. A flag was thrown for a facemask penalty on the play against the Cougars penalizing them for 15 yards. The Cougars had several facemask penalties flagged against them during the game.

At 2:24 left in the first quarter, Lassiter ran the ball to the 46-yard line for a 13-yard play.

Antonio Jordan caught Lassiter's pass at the 40-yard line and sprinted to the end zone for the first touchdown of the night. The extra point kick by Jose Jacinto was good, giving the Lumberjacks the lead, 7-0.

In the second quarter, Lassiter made an impressive 17-yard run from the 22-yard line to the 39-yard line.

At 8:55 in the second quarter, Neon'dre Thomas caught an amazing 49-yard pass from Lassiter at the end zone for another touchdown.



Photo by Robert Camp

Antonio Jordan catching an end zone pass.

With Jacinto's good kick, the Lumberjacks extended the lead to 14-0.

At 5:41 in the quarter, the Cougars quarterback threw to their wide receiver at their end zone, before being intercepted by Thomas.

With the Lumberjacks moving down the field to the seven-yard line, Jordan caught the pass at the end zone for a touchdown. After Jacinto's successful kick, the Lumberjacks led 21-0.

At 2:27 in the second quarter, Lassiter passed to Jordan who ran the ball 69 yards down to the end zone for another touchdown. With another good kick, the Lumberjacks led 28-0.

With less than a minute left in the first half, the Lumberjacks offense made it down to the 18-yard line.

Lassiter threw an 18-yard pass to Jordan who made a great jump and caught the ball at the end zone for another score. The extra point was good, giving the Lumberjacks a 35-0 lead.

Coming into the second half, the sportsmanship rule was put into effect, keeping the clock running.

At 1:51 in the third quarter, the Cougars were able to score a touchdown. Their two-point conversion was proven successful, giving them eight points.

The running clock made the third quarter pass by quickly.

At eight minutes in the final quarter, the Lumberjacks' offense made it down to the four-yard line. Cody Weatherspoon burst through the Cougars' defense for the final touchdown of the night. The extra point kick by kicker Miguel Mendoza proved successful, giving the Lumberjacks their final score of 42-8.

Lassiter went 15 of 24 for 315 yards and five touchdowns in the air.

Jordan had four touchdown catches and 168 receiving yards.

Thomas had one touchdown and 69 yards receiving.

Ervin Rivera and Jalin Lee both had receptions.

The Lumberjacks had a total of 422 yards on offense.

Lassiter had nine tackles on the defensive side.

Delfino Rivera had seven tackles.

Ervin Rivera had six tackles in the game.

Thomas had one interception.

The Lumberjacks will host the Hamburg Lions at 7 p.m. on Thursday.

Obituaries

Martha Weaver

Martha Bess Williams Weaver 84 passed away Friday, August 26, 2022 in Warren. She was born May 5, 1938 in Warren to John Henry Williams and Annice Lee Howsen Williams. She worked at Jack Winter before retiring to raise grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She loved to cook and be around her family whom she loved dearly.

Other than her parents she is also preceded in death by her husband, Arthur "Buddy" Weaver whom she married on November 12, 1960 and he passed away on July 15, 2012; three brothers, Henry D. Williams, Bobby Ray Williams and Billy Ray Williams; son-in-law, Harold Robinson; infant grandchildren, Matthew and William Robinson and step-son, LaDane Weaver.

She is survived by children, Kerry Weaver (Sara), Kay Robinson, Patsy Watson (Don), Martha Taylor (Michael) all of Warren; step-son, Dale Weaver of Fordyce; seven grandchildren, Kerry Wayne Weaver (Sonja), Adam Weaver (Michelle), Drew Robinson (Britni), Daniel Robinson (Ashley), Larry Watson, Kristin Briant (Jeremy) and Haley Harton (Drake); 14 great-grandchildren, Kade, Gauge, Tristin, Jake, Myken, Meelah, Kinsley, Mattie, Landon, Knox, Brock, Tynlee, Brantlee and Haysten.

Funeral services were held August 29, 2022 at Pleasant Valley Church with Bro. Russell Rhoden officiating. Burial was in Pleasant Valley Cemetery. Pallbearers were Kerry Wayne Weaver, Adam Weaver, Larry Watson, Drew Robison, Daniel Robison, Kade Weaver, Brock Briant, Landon Watson and Myken Robinson.

2022 at Circle of Life Hospice in Bentonville, Arkansas. He was born July 10, 1948 to Mayo and Betty Kennedy Meeks in Bastrop, La. He is preceded in death by his parents, and siblings; Johnny Meeks, Vivian Mitchell, and Jimbo Meeks.

He owned and operated Mac's Body and Glass from 1977 to 2013. He was a member of Macedonia Baptist Church. He loved to hunt, fish, and camp but loved his family most of all. Anyone who knew him loved him, anyone who didn't know him would in a matter of minutes because his favorite pastime was talking. He always had a story to tell and no matter how short it was, he could make it long.

He is survived by his wife, Sue Ellen Halligan Meeks; his children, Stephen (Ashley) Barnett of Bauxite, Kenna (Jerry) Reynolds of Rogers, Michael (Barbie) Meeks of Harrison and Chris Barnett of Warren; siblings, Jackie (Jeff) Decker of Gilmer, Texas and Sue (Buck) Evans of Clifty; grandchildren, Richard (Marci) Reynolds of Prairie Grove, Haley (Brandon) Long of Haskell, Russell (Rebecca) Reynolds of Bentonville, John (Lexi) Meeks of Harrison, Carlee Meeks of Harrison, Taylor (Tyler) Boyd of Warren, Eli Barnett of Bauxite, Rollie Barnett of Warren, and Rachel Barnett of Bauxite; great-grandchildren, Dakota and Bryn Reynolds, and Jace and Sadie Long; a host of nieces and nephews; and a very special little dog, Daisy Mae.

The family would like to express a huge thank you to Circle of Life Hospice in Bentonville, Arkansas for their exceptional care of their daddy and the respect and accommodations they extended to the family.

Visitation was held 6-8pm, Sunday, October 30, 2022 at Frazer's Funeral Home in Warren. Graveside services were held at 2pm, Monday, at Union Cemetery in Rye.

Center in Monticello. He was born Sunday, June 16th, 1946 in Warren, a son of the late Henry "Nig" Bryant and Ruth George Bryant. Ronnie Mac was retired from Deltic Timber Company, a member of Chapel Hill Church and a retired Arkansas Army National Guard member. Ronnie Mac loved hunting and Quarter horses, rodeos and dirt tract races, in later years he totally enjoyed watching softball, being with family and friends and having a nice time watching his grandchildren grow up. He was also preceded in death by wife, Shyrell Huff Bryant, whom he married June 12th, 1969 and she died September 6th, 2021. A grandchild Kaylin Bryant and a sister Dott Doss.

Surviving is his son, Rusty Bryant (Ashley) of New Edinburg, sister Dianne Ferrell (Danny) of Warren and grandchildren, McKenley Bryant and Addilyn Bryant.

Graveside services will be held at 2p.m. Wednesday, November 2nd at Moseley Cemetery with Rev. Dwayne Ashcraft officiating. Burial in Moseley Cemetery by Frazer's Funeral Home. Visitation was held from 6-8pm Tuesday, November 1st at Frazer's Funeral Home.

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Mackie Meeks

Mackie Bryant Meeks, 74, went to be with his Lord and Savior Thursday, October 27,



Ronnie M. Bryant

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