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Warren native Marcus Miller fighting off a Kansas offensive lineman in the fourth quarter of the Auto Zone Liberty Bowl. Marcus finished with one tackle on the quarterback. Arkansas defeated Kansas in 3 overtimes 55-53.

Photo by Gary Grider

BCMC Board reviews finances

The Bradley County Medical Center held their final meeting of the year on Thursday. The board received updates on finances for the year and other business.

Controller Matt Pace reported \$3.8 million in patient revenue for the month of December. A lot of the volumes were down during the month of November except for surgeries and obstetrics. He also reported there was a loss of \$375,000.

There were comments made on the board about needing to cut expenses.

CEO Leslie Huit said they had been working on the financial statement audits since their last meeting.

CNO Jamie Wolfe reported COVID had dipped down a little bit. He also stated the flu hit hard, but it was starting to decrease.

Board director Fred Mobley said he heard positive things about the ER department from patients.

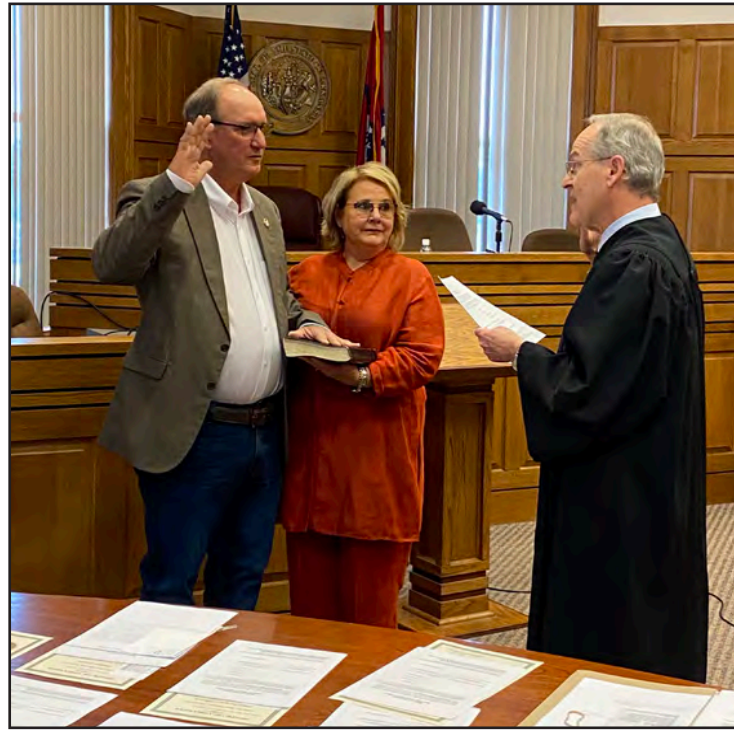


CAO Marilyn Johnson reported the USDA grant for the roof was submitted. building. Crews were working on drying out the building.

It was reported a pipe froze and busted at the Kids First Building during Christmas. It caused two feet of water in the

The BCMC marketing team began work on new campaigns. The next board meeting will be Thursday, January 26.

Local officials sworn in for new terms



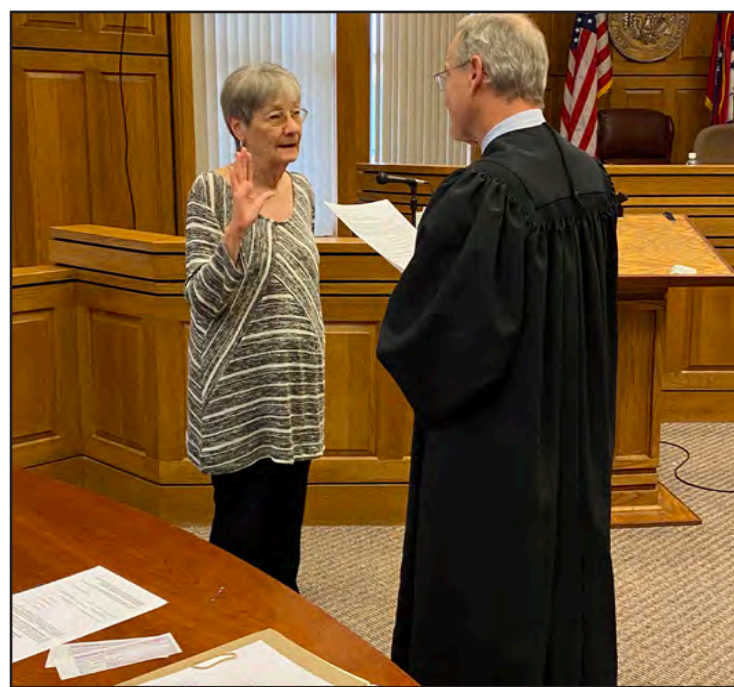
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Warren Mayor-Elect Gregg Reep was sworn in by District Judge Bruce Anderson.



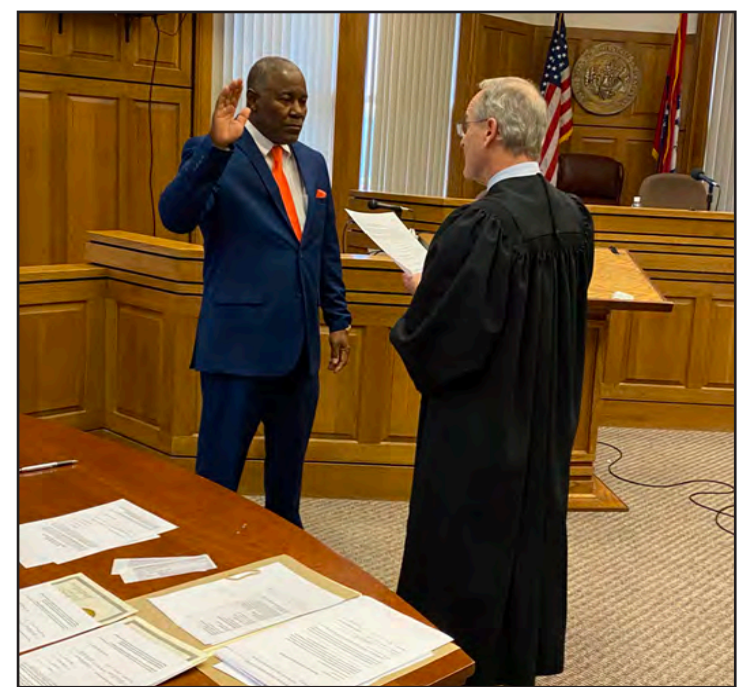
Hermitage Mayor-Elect Matt Cathey was sworn in by District Judge Bruce Anderson.



Alderwoman Emily Moseley, for Ward 2 Position 2, was sworn in by District Judge Bruce Anderson.



Alderwoman Latanza Atkins, for Ward 3 Position 2, was sworn in by District Judge Bruce Anderson.



Alderman Joel Tolefree, for Ward 1 Position 2, was sworn in by District Judge Bruce Anderson.

Local Officials were sworn in on Sunday, January 1 to begin the new terms. The following officials were sworn in:

- Bradley County Judge Klay McKinney
- County Coroner Thomas Frazer
- Deputy Coroners Natalie Greenwood and Elizabeth

Britton

- Warren Mayor Gregg Reep
- Bradley County Sheriff Herschel Tillman
- Bradley County Assessor Stephanie Bigham
- Chief Deputy Sheriff Wayne Wesson
- Deputy Sheriff Jason Wallace

- Deputy Sheriff Jose Ramirez
- Part-time Deputy Sheriff Andy Green
- Part-time Deputy Sheriff Marty Wardlaw
- Auxillary Deputies Michael Taylor, Kevin Stedman, Monty Hearnberger, Jonathan McDougald, and Sim McCoy,
- Pennington Township Constable Sim McCoy, Jr.
- Deputy Coroner Albert Hammons
- Bradley County Circuit Clerk Cindy Wagon
- Bradley County Clerk Karen Belin
- Bradley County Treasurer

- Warren City Clerk Janice Nelson
- Warren Ward 2 Position 2 Alderwoman Emily Moseley
- Warren Ward 3 Position 2 Alderwoman Latanza Atkins
- Warren Ward 1 Position 2 Alderman Joel Tolefree
- Hermitage Mayor Matt Cathey
- Justices of the Peace Tony Cathey, Dana Harvey, Gwen Bullard, Jimmy Sledge, Pat Morman, and Jim Anders

The ceremony was held at the Bradley County Courthouse. District Judge Bruce Anderson swore in the officials.


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Passin' the Faith Along

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THE FIERY SERMON

We live in a world today, which tries to say too much too little. Consequently, few listen. Sometimes the best sermons are the ones left unspoken.

A member of a certain church, who previously had been attending services regularly, stopped going. After a few weeks, the pastor decided to visit him.


It was a chilly evening. The pastor found the man at home alone, sitting before a blazing fire. Guessing the reason for his pastor's visit, the man welcomed him, led him to a comfortable chair near the fireplace and waited.

The pastor made himself at home but said nothing. In the grave silence, he contemplated the dance of the flames around the burning logs. After some minutes, the pastor took the fire tongs, carefully picked up a brightly burning ember and placed it to one side of the hearth all alone. Then he sat back in his chair, still silent. The host watched all this in quiet contemplation. As the one lone ember's flame flickered and diminished, there was a momentary glow and then its fire was no more. Soon it was cold and dead.

Not a word had been spoken since the initial greeting. The pastor glanced at his watch and realized it was time to leave. He slowly stood up, picked up the cold, dead ember and placed it back in the middle of the fire. Immediately it began to glow, once more with the light and warmth of the burning coals around it.

As the pastor reached the door to leave, his host said with a tear running down his cheek, "Thank you so much for your visit and especially for the fiery sermon. I shall be back in church next Sunday".

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 November 22, 2000.

Our valued friend, Jerry Howerton, longtime manager of the lamented West's, hunted with this club, as did Robert E. McKinney, who, even then, divided his time between Florida and Bradley County.

We'd have a fine lunch that featured the best groceries the ladies could prepare: didn't the mother of the lovely Shirley Beard at First State Bank provide food service at that camp then?

We remember going out there once and taking along with us Ernest Huff, then the Warren School superintendent.

Dr. Huff is now superintendent at Perryville.

His successor, Carl Barger, serves now as head of the school for the deaf in Little Rock.

A candidate for the Warren position when Dr. Huff left was Frank Anthony, who had come to Warren from Wilmot in Ashley County.

He now serves as superintendent at Pine Bluff.

Football season's gone by awfully-fast this year, hasn't it? We remember when football season never ended until Thanksgiving Day when the Lumberjacks played either Fordyce or Monticello at about 2:00 in the afternoon.

Well-remembered is one during The War when Frances Irene Horne Burditt of Abilene, Texas, and Billie Clower Richardson of Little Rock showed up in their nurses training uniforms.

We country boys not on the

football team marveled.

One of the last of those Thanksgiving Day games was in 1946 when Monticello showed up at Axley Field with men like Hubert Heflin, Jimmy Alsbrook, Lee Everette Calhoun, Stanley Dicken, Stanley Haisty, and the like and smote the locals.

Byron Howlett was also on that team.

Memories that bless and burn...

Much-impressed with the sagacity of the Bradley County voter department: our people went along with County Judge LaVern Rice's plan to do some substantial remodeling/improvement on the venerable Bradley County Courthouse.

Very little's been done to this second-oldest area (behind the Desha County one at Arkansas City) courthouse save the installation of central air conditioning.

Attorney Clint Huey led a praiseworthy campaign to remodel and improve the courtroom area after the venue was well-publicized in a murder trial presided over by the late Judge G.B. Colvin of Dermott 30 to 35 years ago.

There was no air-conditioning then: people sat there and sweltered as the late Prosecuting Attorney Frank Wynne (Dr. Wynne's twin) handled the State's case against a young man from south of Banks: he was defended by State Senator John F. (Mutt) Gibson of Dermott.

The young man was convicted of murder two as they say on TV: the late Lee Martin, once sheriff of Bradley County, once the starting fullback for the Arkansas Razorbacks (1912) was foreman of the jury.



A retirement party for Warren City Clerk Helen Boswell last Wednesday. She served as city clerk for 17 years since 2007. Former Warren Mayors Denisa Pennington and Bryan Martin both spoke about her service to the city and were thankful for her.

As for Attorney Huey, who has practiced his legal arts here 45 years: he has been in the forefront of many a forward-looking project.

...including this latest one revolving around the courthouse.

He's still at it.

New State Representative from Batesville is Chaney Taylor, Jr.

He would be the son of the WHS basketball coach of six decades ago, Chaney Taylor of Evening Shad and Arkansas College (now Lyon College).

Chaney Taylor's brother was Tommy Taylor, later the cage mentor at Pine Bluff High.

Retired Warren Businessman Bill Hargis was featured in a nice special on one of the Little Rock TV shows with the subject being Mr. Hargis' friendship with the young Englishman prior to the invasion of France.

Mr. Hargis was wounded in the invasion but made it back home and was in business on West Church for half a century.

We have eschewed lawn mowing at our house: we assume this process is concluded for the season.

Bob Cain, 85, is still busy mowing, trimming, etc. What a workin' man! What a man period!

"We are compassed about by so great a cloud of blessings," said the late Rev. Dr. William Louis McColgan, long a favorite minister.

And we are. Surely at our house, where we have eight grandchildren including four girls, four boys; only major disaster among them this year has been a broken arm for one of the Kentucky twins, manfully-gained on the gridiron.

Our granddaughter in Kentucky is 15, youngest of our brood at Crossett is barely age one but is talking a blue streak (her mother's child).

As old Tammy Faye Backer used to sing: "we're blessed, we're blessed, we are blessed!"

We are...

Beverly Morgan Richardson, Warren, married Steve Loomis, Banks native, several months ago: couple resides at Springdale where she continued a wonderful career as a kindergarten teacher (she taught our youngest, who is now age 31,

here in Warren).

Steve is in the food brokerage business and says his major customer is WalMart at nearby Bentonville.

Steve got an early start in the food business, working as a teenager at the Kroger Store here in town for many years... right on through college at Monticello.

We were bold enough to ask him who his favorite Kroger manager was during the period. He had several, but he answered immediately, "H.P. Reeves".

Mr. Reeves came to Warren from a post in the Little Rock area and provided Kroger with strong management for many years.

The Reeves' reside in retirement west of town.

You'd assume Mr. Reeves continues to hit the golf course on occasion.

"You always knew exactly where you stood with Mr. Reeves," says Steve Loomis. "You didn't have to guess about anything."

Sort of reminds you what a Potlatch official told me about

Dick Bullard, former manager of the concern here.


"Ask him a question and you got an answer, right then," says the official, in praise of Dick Bullard, now engaged in lumber management in Washington State.

Deer season always reminds of the days several years ago when Howell Roy Parrish and his wife, plus others, would invite us to the Oak Dale Deer Club, several miles west of Warren on the Old Camden Road.



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The Bradley County Justices of the Peace were sworn in at the ceremony. The new Justices were Tony Cathey and Dana Harvey.

1000 Books before Kindergarten winners




Congratulations to Audrey (left) and Lillian Culwell (right) on completing 1000 Books Before Kindergarten. Each girl received a book and a 1000 Books Before Kindergarten t-shirt. Amazing job Culwell Family! Want more information about how your child can benefit from participating in this program? Call the library at 870-226-2536.

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The Garden Bug

Know your zone

The USDA maintains a clickable public website that provides the expected lowest temperatures of all the geographic areas of the U.S. at:
<https://planthardiness.ars.usda.gov/pages/view-maps>

It is used by gardeners and growers to determine which plants can be grown in each of the "zones" and be likely to survive the winter there. - Brenda Weaver

Source: United States Department of Agriculture



The bad news is time flies. The good news is you're the pilot.

-Michael Attshuler



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Editorial

Arkansas History Minute

by
Dr. Kenneth Bridges



Once Christmas has passed, the world looks to a new year. Many wonder what the new year will bring while planning their own ways of ringing in 2023. It will be a year marked with war in some nations and peace in others. There will be triumph, and there will be heartbreak. But in the meantime, the world will pause to celebrate the end of one year and the hopes for the next.

In New York City, the famous dropping of the Times Square Ball will mark the new year. It is a tradition dating back to New Year's Eve 1904 when Adolph Ochs, then owner of The New York Times, devised it as a way of celebrating the new year by having the glass ball lowered on the roof of his newspaper building. The modern ball, its fifth incarnation, is glass, six feet in diameter, and weighs more than 1,200 pounds. It was manufactured by Waterford Crystal and has more than 9,500 LED lights illuminating it. It is the most popular new year's observance in the United States.

Observances of the new year date back thousands of years as ancient peoples recognized the regular shifting patterns of stars at night and the sun in the day and their connection to particular seasons. The earliest observances of January 1 for the beginning of the year began with the Romans around 713 BC. The Romans named the first month of their lunar calendar year January after the Roman god Janus, who supposedly was the god of time and also the god of beginnings and transitions. According to legend, Janus had two faces, one looking into the past and the other looking into the future. It was a day marked with great celebrations.

The tradition of Rosh Hashanah marks the tradition of the Jewish new year, which means "head of the year" in Hebrew, a tradition dating back to the Old Testament. This holiday is not observed in January but sometime in September or October, depending on the lunar calendar. The two-day celebration includes many symbolic foods, including apples dipped in honey to mark a sweet new year. It is a national holiday only in Israel and Ukraine. In 2023, it will begin at sunset on September 15 and run through September 17.

In most countries throughout the world, January 1 is an official holiday to mark the beginning of the new year. Even many non-western countries will observe January 1 as New Year's Day because of the overwhelming influence of European and American business and culture for the past few centuries as they ultimately adopted the modern Gregorian calendar used throughout the West, even in officially atheist nations like China.

The Chinese New Year will not start until January 22. Under the Chinese Zodiac system dating back many centuries, 2023 will mark the Year of the Rabbit. In China, the rabbit is associated with luck, so the Year of the Rabbit is usually considered a lucky year. In China, fireworks are set off to mark the new year and to also scare off demons and forces of darkness.

Similarly, January 22 will mark the traditional Vietnamese New Year, known as Tet. The Vietnamese lunar calendar is very similar to the Chinese calendar. The Vietnamese Zodiac, however, makes the cat a symbol of 2023 instead of the rabbit but similarly considered to be lucky. By tradition, a great feast is prepared, family reunions are held, and many celebrations are held in cities across the country. Many in Vietnam see Tet as the beginning of spring as well. Cleaning the home is also part of the traditional observances to symbolically clean out the bad spirits from the previous year.

Different types of food are also associated with the New Year's celebrations. In India, rice is eaten for prosperity in the new year. Buttered bread is supposed to be good luck in Ireland. In Spain, people traditionally eat 12 grapes at midnight, one at each chime, to bring luck for the year. In the American South, black-eyed peas are eaten for good luck for the new year. Leafy green vegetables like collard greens are supposed to symbolize prosperity.

In some cultures, it is also customary to exchange gifts on New Year's Day. In Ancient Persia, eggs were given as symbols of fertility in the new year. When observances of Christmas and religion were outlawed in the Soviet Union, Russians responded by shifting gift-giving from Christmas to New Year's Day. In Scotland, gifts of silverware or pastries are traditionally given for luck. In the Philippines, Christmas and New Year's Day celebrations are often combined.

Letter to the Editor

Pele was no doubt an international celebrity because he had a lifetime of soccer success.

His one thousand field goals that he had scored for Brazil was a great legacy for that sport.

He even lifted Brazil to three different world cup championships in 1958, 1962 and 1970.

He even played with Brazil on five different world cup teams from 1958-1974.

That was his legacy that showed how incredible the guy is as a legend in his post soccer career, just as he was when he played it.

John Huerta

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Senate Week in Review from Ben Gilmore Senator

When the 2023 regular session convenes on January 9, there will be 13 new members in the Arkansas Senate.

The legislature is a citizen legislature, and the senators' occupations reflect the Arkansas economy. The Senate has cattle ranchers, chicken growers and row crop farmers. It has bankers, accountants, attorneys, educators and people who own their own businesses. One senator is a pastor and chaplain for people in hospice care.

There are senators who work in the timber industry, health care, long-term care, employment services, graphic design, real estate development and construction.

Their experience is varied and extensive, including service on city councils, county quorum courts, school

boards, development districts and state government.

Each senator represents about 86,000 people.

The political breakdown is 29 Republicans and six Democrats. Five senators are women and four senators are African-American.

The 13 new senators will be the largest freshmen class in the 35-member Senate since 2011, when 14 senators began their first regular session. One of those 14 newcomers had limited experience because he had been elected in a special election and served in the Senate during the 2010 fiscal session. The 2011 session was his first regular session.

Fiscal sessions are not nearly as hectic as regular sessions. In a typical fiscal session fewer than 300 budget bills are considered and work is completed within several weeks.

In a typical regular session, the legislature works for several months and considers about 2,000 bills affecting state government, law enforcement, education, health care, insurance, transporta-

tion and economic development.

During the regular session, senators will meet in committees to review in detail proposed bills. The nine standing committees are State Agencies and Governmental Affairs; Judiciary; Insurance and Commerce; Education; Revenue and Taxation; City, County and Local Affairs; Agriculture, Forestry and Economic Development; Transportation, Technology and Legislative Affairs and Public Health, Welfare and Labor.

The Joint Budget Committee has members from the Senate and House. It will review in detail all state agency spending requests and meets more often than any other committee during regular sessions.

Also during the 2023 regular session the Joint Committee on Public Retirement and Social Security Programs will review numerous bills affecting public pension systems.

The Senate experienced historic turnover in 2001, when 17 senators were newcomers, and in 2003, when there were

16 newcomers. Those years reflected the impact of the first version of a term limits amendment to the state Constitution, which was first approved by Arkansas voters in 1992.

The amendment took effect for about half of the senators in 2001, when they would have come up for re-election except they were prohibited due to term limits. The amendment took effect for the remaining senators in 2003, when it prohibited them from seeking re-election.

The 100 members of the House of Representative serve two-year terms and all 100 seats are contested every election year.

Senators serve four-year terms, and half of the 35 seats are contested in every election year. That means if 17 seats are contested during one election, then 18 seats are contested at the following election. Another difference between the Senate and the House is that gubernatorial appointments are confirmed by the Senate.

Gov. Hutchinson's Weekly Address



As 2022 comes to an end, I have been reflecting on my time as Governor and looking forward to what is ahead.

In January, I announced my W.I.N.S. initiative for my final year as Governor. Each letter in W.I.N.S. stands for a pillar that I have focused on to boost Arkansas to success. Workforce Training, Infrastructure, New Economy Jobs, and Strengthening Arkansas Families all aim to push Arkansas to being the best place the state can be – and help Arkansas WIN.

Arkansas has continually grown economically over the past eight years. Thanks to the people of Arkansas, we have made this state one of the premier locations for business owners to put their roots down and conduct busi-

ness that gives well-paying jobs to hard-working Arkansans and puts more money into our state.

As this year and my term is coming to an end, Arkansas has never been in better financial shape than we are right now. We have lowered taxes, funded services, and we have over \$2 billion in reserve accounts.

Even in the face of a pandemic, the state's economy, like Arkansans themselves, remained resilient. In 2021, Arkansas was ranked number two in the nation for states with the most pandemic-proof small businesses. That speaks not only to the hard work of business owners who have chosen to live in Arkansas, but to the small business environment, workforce support, and resource access our state's infrastructure had in place, ready to help small businesses.

Arkansas small businesses were rightfully ranked as having the greatest potential to bounce back because they had the least to bounce back from. Arkansans never shut down throughout the pandemic.

Our state kept working, and our consistently low unemployment rate over the past few years reflects that. In fact, there are over 120,000 more people employed now than when I took office in January 2015.

The future success of our state demands that we improve the training of our workforce. Now with initiatives like the 'Ready for Life' program, it is easier for employees and employers to find each other, and it will offer business leaders a quick snapshot of the employee pool in Arkansas as they recruit talent.

Our infrastructure is the backbone of everyday operations in this state, and it is worth investing in to create a better quality of living. That is why we have invested almost \$500 million in rural broadband expansion in our state.

In terms of new economy jobs, we expanded our high-tech jobs from the steel industry to software development, and this growth will continue with the recommendations from the Council on Future Mobility Report.

Lastly, but certainly not least of the pillars of my W.I.N.S. initiative – strengthening Arkansas families. Over the past year, my focus has been to give families the best chance of success and to protect Arkansas children from child abuse and crime.

In November, I announced a monumental expansion in rural health services with the ARHOME Medicaid program. Thanks to the great work of the teams at the Arkansas Department of Human Services, Life360 HOMEs will address the complex challenges facing many of Arkansas's most vulnerable residents, including individuals in rural areas with serious mental illness and those in need of addiction services. I look forward to watching the full potential of this transformative program as it unfolds in the months and years to come.

As we conclude 2022, I am grateful for the W.I.N.S. we have had this year in improving our workforce, investing in our infrastructure, creating new economy jobs, and strengthening Arkansas families.



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Noah in the Ark



God's instructions to Noah were to take into the ark that he had built two of each animal on the earth and 7 of each animal that was clean and to be eaten for food.

With all safe in the ark, the rains came, for forty days, and the water covered the earth.

Noah and his family were secure in the ark, as it moved about on the water.

All things that were on the earth that breathe, died: birds, and cattle and beast and every creeping thing that creeps on the earth, and every man. Only Noah and his 3 sons and the 4 wives remained alive. And the waters remained upon the earth 150 days.

Genesis 7 Next week: Deliverance

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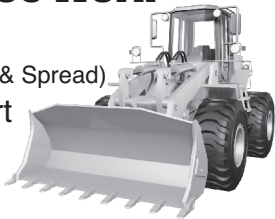
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ANNOUNCEMENT: Southeast Bradley County Water District Public Water Authority of the State of Arkansas will be having their Annual Public Meeting on Thursday, January 12, 2023 @ 7:00 pm ; SEBCWD Water Office at 320 South Martin, Hermitage, AR. 12-28-3tc

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On February 2, 2018, Shannon Stevens and Max Stevens executed a Mortgage in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS MORTGAGEE, AS NOMINEE FOR LOANDEPOT.COM, LLC, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, which was recorded on February 15, 2018, in Book DT 315, Page 315-327as Instrument No. L201800277 in the real property records of Bradley County, Arkansas. The party initiating foreclosure can be contacted at or in care of its servicer initiating foreclosure at: PHH Mortgage Corporation, 1 Mortgage Way, Mt. Laurel, NJ 08054, at Telephone No. 1.800.330.0423; and at: PHH Mortgage Corporation, 1 Mortgage Way, Mt. Laurel, NJ 08054, at Telephone No. 1.800.330.0423; and

The default for which foreclosure is made is the mortgagor(s) failure to pay the full amount of each monthly payment on the date it is due as required by the terms of the Note and Security Instrument. Because of the failure to cure the default the indebtedness was accelerated, is now therefore wholly due and the Mortgagee has requested the property be sold to satisfy said indebtedness.

On Thursday, January 19, 2023 on or about 10:00 AM, the following described real property will be sold at the front door entrance of the Bradley County Courthouse, 101 East Cedar, Warren, AR 71671, to the highest bidder for cash:

A parcel of land described as: Beginning at the Southeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 12, Township 13 South, Range 10 West, and run North along the East line of said forty a distance of 0.53 chains to the center of Prospect Road. Thence North 53 degrees 10 minutes East along the center of said road a distance of 2.05 chains, thence South 7.86 chains, thence South 53 degrees 10 minutes West 6.36 chains. Thence North 7.86 chains to the center of the Prospect Road, thence North 53 degrees 10 minutes East along the center of Prospect Road, a distance of 3.40 chains to the South line of the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 12, Township 13 South, Range 10 West, and

Beginning at a point 2.00 chains West of the Southeast corner of the West half of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 12, Township 13 South, Range 10 West, and

Beginning at a point 2.00 chains West of the Southeast corner of the West half of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 12, Township 13 South, Range 10 West, and run North 5.00 chains, thence East 2.00 chains, thence North 18.59 chains, thence South 52 degrees West 1.64 chains, then North 4.06 chains to the center of the Farmville Road, thence South 52 degrees, West 1.64 chains along said road, then South 4.06 chains, then South 52 degrees, West 1.64 chains, then North 4.06 chains to center of said road, then South 52 degrees West 5.58 chains along said road, then South 7.86 chains then South 53 degrees 10 minutes West 6.36 chains, then North 7.86 chains, thence South 52 degrees 59 minutes West 10.37 chains, then South 54 degrees 17 minutes West 3.73 chains, then South 10.32 chains, then East 22.40 chains to beginning point, containing 39.6 acres more or less;

Less and except: beginning at a point 361.7 feet East of the Southwest corner of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 12, Township 13 South, Range 10 West, and run North 681.1 feet to the center of Farmville Road, then North 54 degrees 17 minutes East along said road 356.6 feet, then South 882.9 feet, then South 88 degrees 45 minutes West 289.6 feet to beginning point, containing 5.2 acres, more or less;

Also, less and except beginning at a point 289.6 feet North 88 degrees 45 minutes East of a point 361.7 feet East of the Southwest corner of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 12, Township 13 South, Range 10 West, thence North 882.9 feet, thence North 54 degrees 17 minutes East along center of road 277.7 feet, thence South 1,038.5 feet, thence South 88 degrees 45 minutes West to Point of Beginning, containing 5 acres, more or less;

Also, less and except: start at the Southwest corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 12, Township 13 South, Range 10 West thence East 106.3 feet, thence North 120 feet to the center of the Farmville Road, thence North 52 degrees East 483.1 feet to the Point of Beginning, thence South 300 feet, thence North 52 degrees East 108.1 feet, thence North 300 feet, thence South 52 degrees West 108.1 feet to the Point of Beginning. Situated in the County of Bradley, State of Arkansas.

There may be occupants that claim an interest in the real property herein based upon said occupancy. The undersigned is the attorney-in-fact for the mortgagee and is acting on behalf of and with the consent of the mortgagee who is exercising its power of sale under Ark. Code Ann. Section 18-50-115 which implies a power of sale in every mortgage of real property situated in this State that is duly acknowledged and recorded.

The sale is subject to all matters shown on any applicable recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements, or setback lines that may be applicable; any statutory rights of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose. Unless discharged by bankruptcy, if your property is sold, then you will remain liable for any deficiency and an action for collection may be brought against you. The sale held pursuant to this Notice may be rescinded at the Attorney-in-Fact's option at any time. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. The property is being sold "as is" with no representation as to its condition THE TERMS OF SALE ARE CASH THE DAY OF SALE AND ALL TRANSFER TAXES WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PURCHASER. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney.

Witness my hand this 21st day of October, 2022.
Marco Iacobacci, Attorney at Law,
Bar Number 2022038
Attorney-in-Fact for PHH MORTGAGE CORPORATION
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NOTICE IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BRADLEY COUNTY, ARKANSAS SECOND DIVISION IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES SHELBY BREWSTER, DECEASED NO. 06PR-22-99
Last known address of decedent: 147 Bradley 23 Warren, Arkansas
Date of Death: August 14, 2022

The undersigned was appointed Administrator of the Estate of the above named decedent on December 14, 2022.

All persons having claims against the estate must exhibit them, duly verified, to the undersigned within six (6) months from the date of the first publication of this notice or they shall be forever barred and precluded from any benefit in the estate.

This notice first published the 4th day of January, 2023.
Shelly Ashley, Administrator
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ARREST REPORT

- Hunter Wayne West, 20, Battery II/Recklessly Cause Injury, 12-30-22
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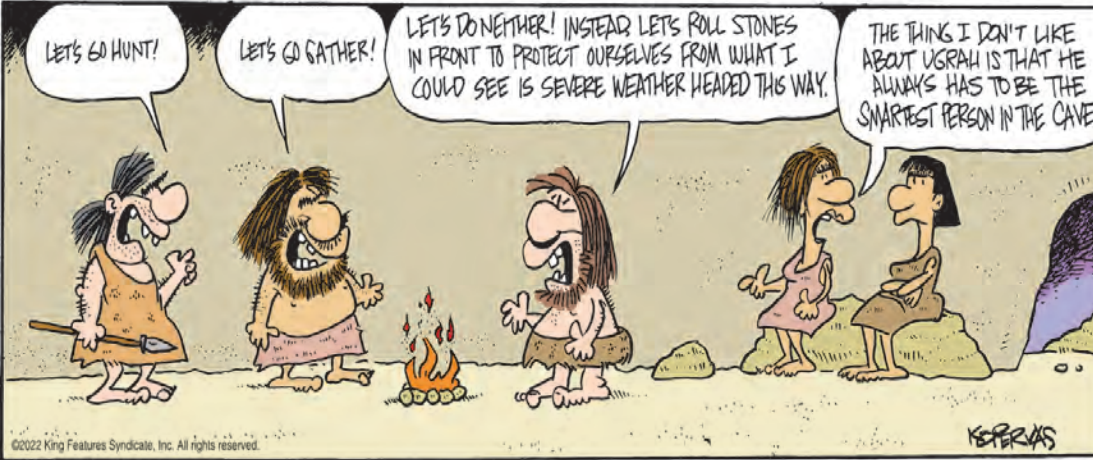
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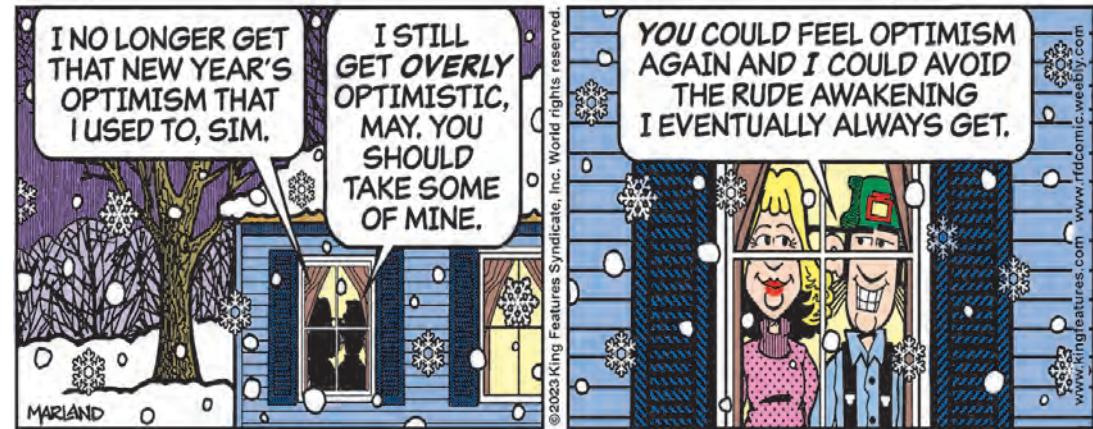
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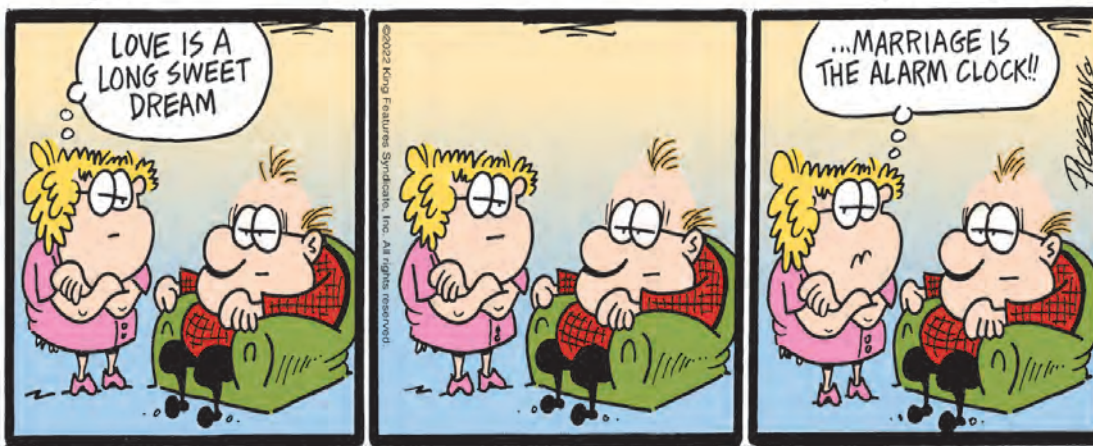
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Obituaries



Alice Turney

Alice Faye Temple Turney 83 went to her Heavenly home on Thursday, December 22, 2022 while at her home in Russellville. She was born on September 2, 1939, Shreveport, LA to the late TJ Temple and Delores McKinney Temple. She was a member of Trinity Unity Methodist Church.

Other than her parents, she is preceded in death by her husband, Donald Lindsey Turney, Sr., whom she married on August 13, 1961 and he passed away on April 12, 2013. The two of them also lost an infant child, Donald Bowman Turney.

She is survived by her two sons, Lindsey Turney and spouse Missy of Sheridan and TJ Turney (Ellen) of Russellville; her baby sister, Pam Freeman (Danny) of Sheridan; grandchildren, Lawrence Turney of Texas, Keegan Turney of Horatio, Monty Turney of Russellville, Eric French (Dallas) of Dover, Brittany Duvall (Lucas) of Russellville, Casey King (David) of Sheridan, and Daniel Johnson (Erica) of Grady, and 11 great grandchildren.

She was a schoolteacher, retired from Cabot School District, after which she and her husband Donald travelled with the Road hogs for the next 10 years, her biggest love was her family and spending all the time together they could, making memories. She also, loved reading her Bible, scrapbooking, crocheting, knitting, birdwatching, playing games, and sometimes just sitting quietly watching her family. Alice Faye remained a loyal hog fan and she called the hogs until God called for her to come home.

Memorial services were held at 10 a.m. Thursday, December 29, 2022 at Frazer's Funeral Home in Warren, AR. Burial was in Oakland Cemetery by

daughter-in-law, Shanna; grandchildren, Johnny Austin and Susie Prescott; and great-grandchildren Patrick Bradley and Serenity Hager.

She is survived by her son, Jim Prescott of Temple, TX; daughter, Betty Jolley (and husband, Quin) of South Jordan, UT; 14 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 10a.m. Wednesday, December 28, 2022 at Frazer's Funeral Home in Warren. Burial was in McFarland Cemetery

Jody Milton

Jody Diane Milton, 77 of Warren died December 26. Born March 31, 1945 in Houston, TX to the late Leo and Antoinette Marie Mitchell Dettle.

Survivors include: husband, Robert "Bob" Milton, sons, Robert Milton (Kim), and Michael Milton (Tina), grandchildren, Brandy Ferrell (Chase), Landon Milton and Tori Milton and great-grandchildren, Dawson and River.

Church service was 3 p.m. December 29 at First Presbyterian Church. Burial was in Oakland Cemetery by Frazer's.



Bobby Bradford

Bobby J. Bradford, 91, died December 26 in Warren, after a brief illness.

He was born May 11, 1931 in Bradley County to Monette and Lucille Bradford. After high school, Bradford studied Radio Electronics at Tyler Commercial College in Tyler, Texas. He then spent two years in the US Army, including 17 months in Korea. He was the company carpenter, constructing pre-fab buildings and overseeing a crew of six Korean laborers.

After his discharge from the Army, Bradford spent 11 years as a partner in Warren TV Service. He then sold his interest and established Bradford TV Service at 513 S. Main Street

Throughout his life, Bradford pursued his hobby of building and flying radio-control model airplanes. He won numerous flying contests in Memphis, Shreveport, Cleveland, Clarksdale, Miss., Alexandria, La. and other competitions across the South.

With his late wife Cherie, Bradford took extensive motorcycle trips through the Colorado Rockies and other scenic Western routes, as well as journeys along the East coast. He also had a keen interest in maintaining a vegetable garden and cultivated many types of flowers and a fish pond.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Cherie Erwin Bradford of Warren and a sister, Sue Bussey of Shreveport, La. He is survived by four children: Tara Bradford Holmes of Dorset, England; David Bradford of Banks, Ark.; Michael Bradford (Kathy) of Warren and Renee Bradford Lipton (Michael) of Hot Springs; eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren and one niece and three nephews.

Graveside services with Military Honors were held Monday, Jan. 2 at Crossroads Cemetery in Warren under the direction of Frazer's Funeral Home.

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by Ryan A. Berenz

1. He played cornerback for the New York Giants (1992-99) and Dallas Cowboys (2000). His daughter, Jordin, won Season 6 of "American Idol." Who is he?
2. What British boxer, a former welterweight and light-welterweight champion, had a pro record of 43-0 before suffering his first defeat against Floyd Mayweather Jr. in 2007?
3. Running back Deuce McAllister played eight NFL seasons (2001-08) as a member of what team?
4. What Brazilian soccer star was transferred from FC Barcelona to Paris Saint-Germain for a record \$263 million in 2017?
5. What charity, established by college golfer Amy Bockerstette and her family in 2019, provides golf instruction and opportunities for people with Down syndrome and other developmental disabilities?
6. Name the Baseball Hall of Fame catcher who was selected by the Los Angeles Dodgers in the 62nd round (1,390th overall) of the 1988 Major League Baseball draft.
7. Former Oklahoma Sooners quarterback Josh Heupel was named the head coach of what college football team in January 2021?

Answers

1. Phillippi Sparks.
2. Ricky Hatton.
3. The New Orleans Saints.
4. Neymar.
5. The I Got This Foundation.
6. Mike Piazza.
7. The Tennessee Volunteers.