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Tina's \$50,000 Assures Center



TINA TURNER'S GIFT of \$50,000 has helped the Ripley Exchange Club fund a Child Abuse Center in one wing of the former Lauderdale County Hospital. Seen

with Karen Crothers, standing, executive director of the Exchange Clubs Child Abuse Center of the Greater Memphis and Shelby County Area, from left,

Billy Harmon, treasurer, David Elkins, vice-president, Keith Mercer, president, and Mary Ann Jarrett, secretary.

Pete Lawrence Elected As Alderman In Ripley

Ripley aldermen Monday elected Pete Lawrence, of 150 Sinclair Circle, to complete the unexpired term of the late J. B. Ammons.

Lawrence, as an incumbent alderman, ran seventh in 1992 balloting for the six seats on the board.

Aldermen approved \$12,237.50 severance pay for police chief Bob White, who left the post Dec. 31st.

They continued his pay of \$646.40 per week for three more months in the post of safety director.

gested a County Drug Task Force, of officers from the sheriff's department and the Halls and Ripley police departments.

Dyer and Lake Counties joined in such a force, but it is not operating now, for lack of assignment of officers. Dist. Atty. Gen. Phil Bivens has suggested it may be discontinued, *The Dyersburg State Gazette* reports.

DARE Officer Tommy White, urged to expand the drug education program past sixth grade, said no funds have been provided for that.

Other ideas suggested were a curfew, purchase of weapons from the public, prosecution of parents as well as juveniles, neighborhood watch programs, and more public facilities for recreation.

"Actually, crime is not out of hand in Lauderdale County," says County Executive Gwinn Matthews, former sheriff.

"If we can just get the communities involved to help support local law enforcement, we can get a handle on it."

Anti-Crime Meet Called

All county residents are urged to attend a meeting at 7 p.m. Jan. 21st, in the Courthouse in Ripley, to discuss methods of reducing crime.

This is the second such meeting called by Ripley Mayor Richard Douglas.

The first, announced two days after shots wounded his brother, James G. Douglas (see another article in this issue), was held Saturday at First United Methodist Church in Ripley.

About 120 attended. Most were officials and church leaders.

Douglas said he felt drugs were the major menace. He sug-

4 Held For Firing At Douglas Home

James G. Douglas, assistant principal of Lauderdale Middle School in Ripley, received face injuries from gunshot pellets while grilling steaks outside his home at 183 South Jefferson in Ripley, about 8 p.m. Wednesday of last week.

He was treated at Baptist Hospital Lauderdale and dismissed.

Douglas said four or five young men emerged from woods behind his home and opened fire.

Police say at least two shotgun blasts and 21 9-mm. rounds were fired into the Douglas home and two homes across the street.

Next day, Police Chief Bob White, on his last day before retirement, reported arrest of Kelly Wright, 24, of 250 Scott Drive, Ripley, and a juvenile, on charges of aggravated assault and reckless endangerment.

Arrested later were Theodore "Ted" Maclin, 20, and James Whitlow, Jr., 19.

They are all charged with aggravated assault and reckless endangerment. A hearing is set Friday in General Sessions Court in Ripley.

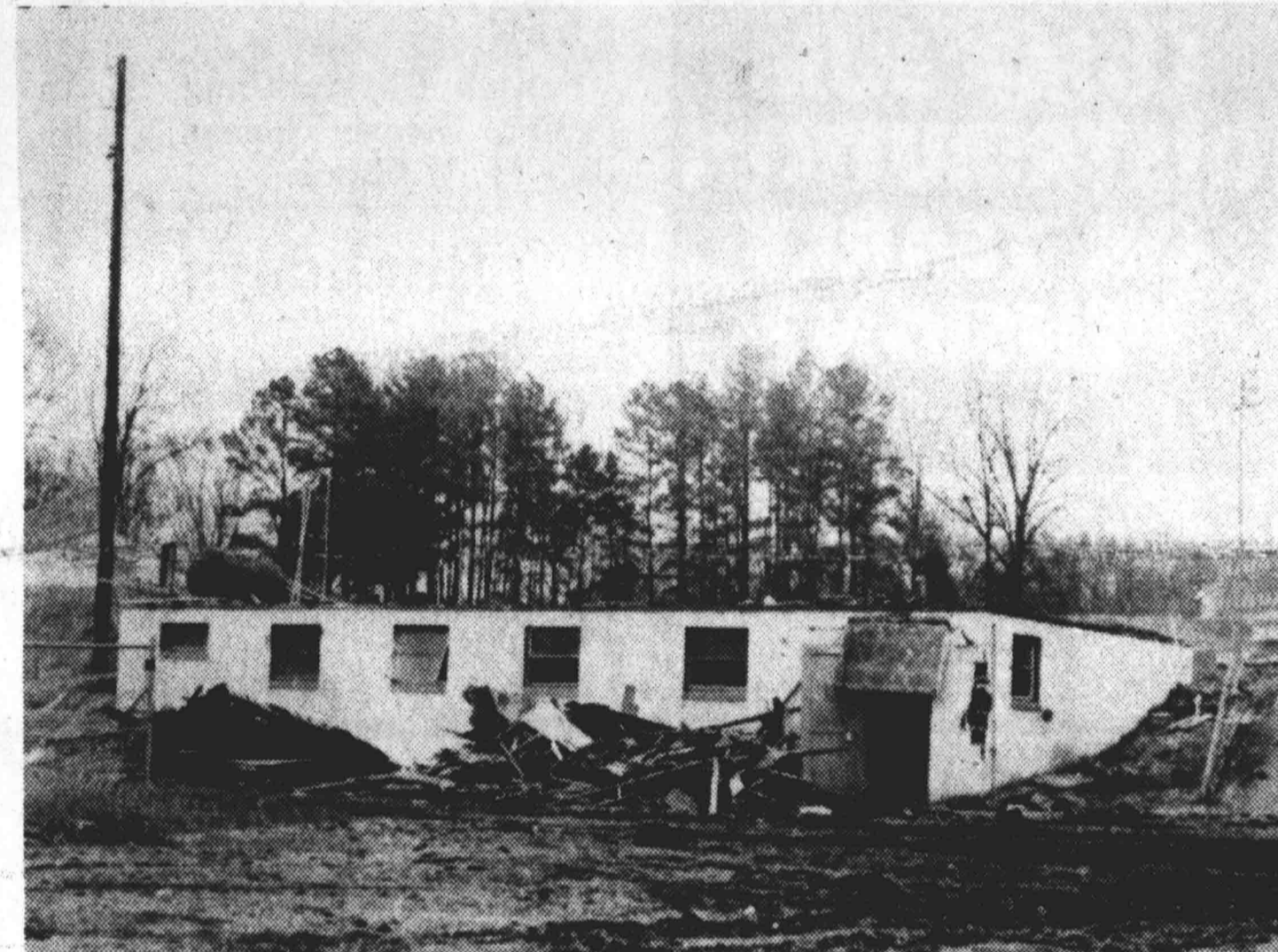
An IntraTec 9-mm. Luger semi-automatic gun was confiscated from defendants.

School Support Hailed



GOVERNOR'S A-PLUS AWARD, re-certifying Lauderdale County for outstanding support of public schools, has been presented by State Education Commissioner Charles E. Smith to Glardes (Mrs. Landon) Thomas, chairman of the county

Board of Education. Among those accompanying Mrs. Thomas to the ceremony were Dr. JoAnn Hartman, left, educational supervisor for county schools, and Bill Torrence, right, administrator of Baptist Hospital Lauderdale.



NEW FIELD HOUSE will go up at Knee Field, at Ripley High School, before football season. School Supt. Bobby Webb says

the \$125,000 cost will be met from monies not used since the Halls High School field house was built a few years ago.

Named Miss Nevada



Maid Of Cotton Is Anna Spiller

Anna Spiller, 20, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Spiller, of Eads, and granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Gus Spiller, of Ripley, is the 55th Maid of Cotton, chosen from 20 applicants from nine states.

Receiving an all-cotton wardrobe and \$10,000 in scholarship funds, she will make a 6-month tour of the U.S. and the Far East, promoting cotton products.

A sophomore in Memphis State University, she is majoring in interior design.

She is a member of Young Republicans and Campus Crusade for Christ.

DAAB Assn. Meeting Set

The Dyersburg Army Air Base Memorial Association will meet Jan. 12th in Room 403 of Halls High School.

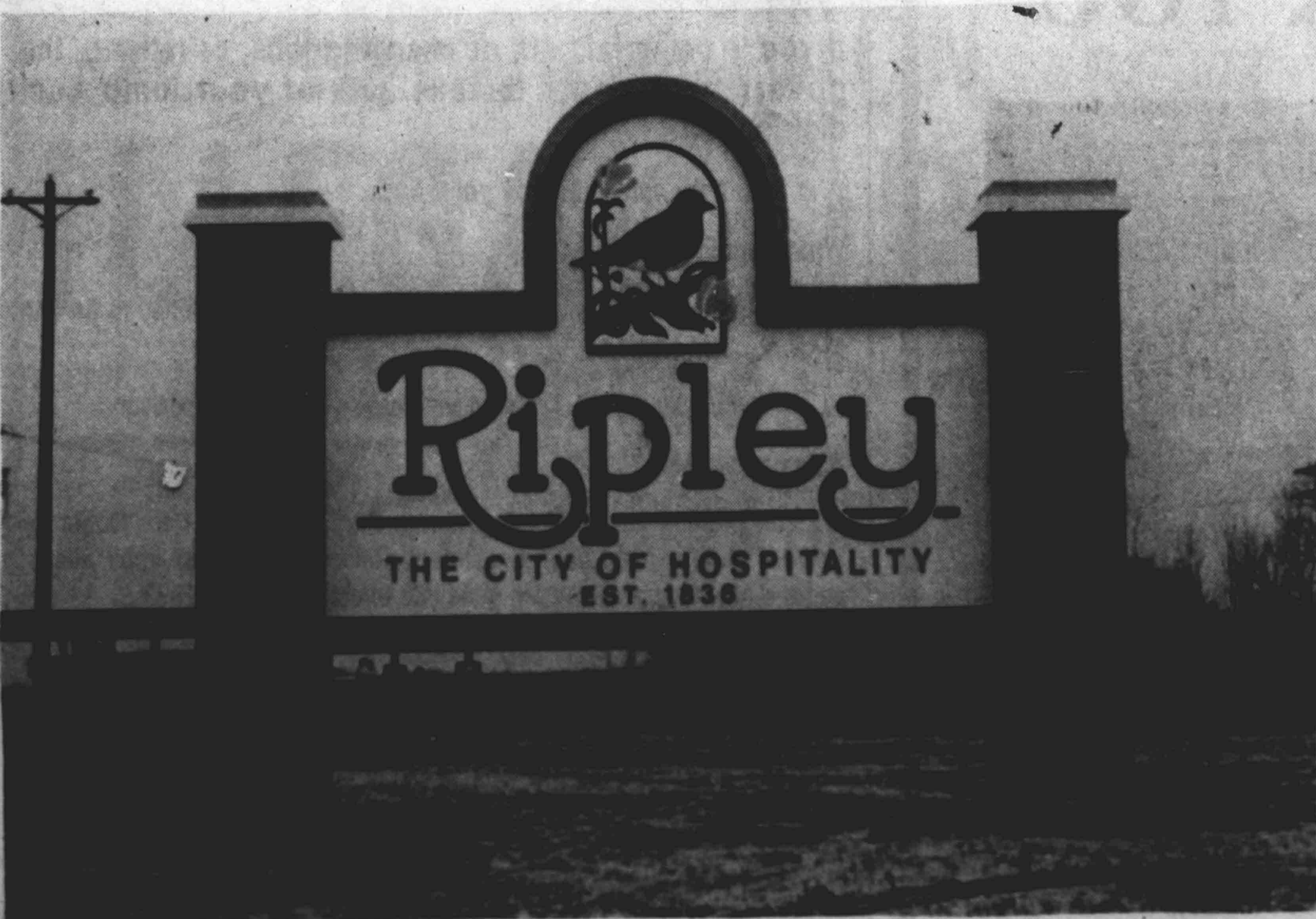
Agenda items to be discussed include activities for June, 1993, property acquisition, grant applications, and brochures.

Area residents and members are invited to attend.

In addition to business concerns, the meetings always include an update on materials and letters received as well as sharing ideas and experiences related to DAAB.

Peete, of Lincoln, Neb.; a step-daughter, Debra Temple, and a brother, Robert Peete, of Ripley; 16 grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

New Signs



NEW SIGNS welcoming visitors to Ripley went up Monday.

Shooting In Ripley Charged A Murder

Lonnie C. Temple, 65, has been charged with first degree murder

of his wife, Eva Mae, 59, a laundry employee, in a dispute in their home at 129 Watkins, Ripley, about 11 p.m. Wednesday of last week.

Shot once in the head with a .32 calibre pistol, she went by helicopter to the Regional Medical Center in Memphis, where she died about 3 a.m. Thursday.

Services were at 1:30 p.m. Sunday in St. Mark Baptist Church in Henning, with burial in Bethlehem Cemetery there. Thompson's Mortuary, of Ripley, in charge.

She also leaves two daughters, Patricia Temple, of Ripley, and Castella Walker, of Jackson, Mich.; three sons, Lonnie and Terry Temple and Willie Frank

Chris Ward Earns Doctor's Degree

Christopher Clyde Ward, pastor of Enon Baptist Church at Nankipoo, received a doctor of ministry degree Dec. 18th from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Ky.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ward, of Halls.

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Jan. 10th — Ann Marie Meacham, Michelle Simpson, Preston Taylor, Sara Pilcher, Carmen Reese Belton, Mike Winn, Sheryl Jones Belton, Christopher Broyles.
Jan. 11th — James Hutcherson, Jeff Ezekiel, Pat Adock, Rachel Clark.
Jan. 12th — Grace McLemore, Greg Summar, Jeff Maclin, Jo Ammons, Kimberly Ann Fenton, Lisa Michelle Meacham, Ruth Skipper, Wayne Alley.

Anniversaries
Jan. 7th — Dwain & Betty Klutts, Mr. and Mrs. William Harold Baker.
Jan. 8th — Mr. and Mrs. Bart Layne, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Elder.
Jan. 9th — Mr. and Mrs. Alan Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sanders.
Jan. 10th — Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dean.
Jan. 11th — Mr. and Mrs. Rob Burks, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Ward.

Land Transfers
Dec. 28th — Marty Lynn Burns, 32, to Tammy Lynn Burns, 27, by A. Sidney Waird.
Dec. 23rd — Tommy Sidney Moore, Jr., 41, to Glenda Gail Webb, 37, by Rev. Roy E. Stinson.
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Birthdays
Jan. 6th — David Green, Ruth Newman, Charlie Roberts, Jeff Swindell, Josh Wagoner, Linda Hilliard, Martha Ruth Britt, Terri Hasting.
Jan. 7th — Samantha Novie Price, Gladys Thomas, Calvin Elder, David Hurt, Kelly Carmack, Pat Phillips, Veronica Gooch.
Jan. 8th — Catherine Kirkpatrick, Jerri Langley, Linda Arender, Ricky McLemore, Amy Brewington, Lindsey Carrington, Tena Terry.
Jan. 9th — Annie Summar, Tammy Till-

Eugene Ray et al to Jesse Robbins, lot.
Thomas R. Rigaby et ux, to Ralph Watkins et ux, 0.08 acres.
Dec. 29th — John A. Ashmore et ux, to Terry Wayne England et ux, 2 Tr.
Rosa Lewis to Judy G. Moore, 0.86 acres.
Dec. 30th — L. W. Poston, Jr. et ux to City of Ripley Board of Mayor and Aldermen, 2 Tr.
Maurice Gaines et ux to Chad Jason Chipman, lot.
Dec. 31st — Hattie Lou Piphus to Jerry Hughes et ux, lot.
Robert L. Henry et al to Samuel Lee Wiggins et al, 3.56 acres.
First Citizens National Bank to James L. Jones et ux, lot.

School Lunches
Thursday, Jan 7th — Fried Chicken Whipped Potatoes Green Beans Rolls Apple Cobbler Milk
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Guidelines from the American Academy of Pediatrics recommend that all children over 2 follow the same sort of lower-fat diet recommended for their parents.

Ant-histamines seem to be effective to keep blood vessels at the back of the eye from leaking — a symptom of diabetic retinopathy that can lead to blindness. Doctors at Pennsylvania State University's Medical School plan to try the drugs against other problems of diabetics.

Tiny interdental toothbrushes were tested against dental floss by dentists at Loma Linda University in California. The verdict: the easier-to-use brushes work better between tooth surfaces, as long as there is enough space at the gum line to slip the brush in.

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The Board of Directors and Employees of Forked Deer Electric Cooperative, Inc. cordially invite you to a reception honoring Russell Jacobs, who will be retiring on January 15, 1993, after thirty-seven years of service. The reception will be held on Sunday, January 17, 1993, Halls Community Club, 201 N. College, Halls, Tennessee, from 1:00 pm til 4:00 pm

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Wednesday, Jan. 13th — Menu-School's Choice

Brevities
By Mrs. Charles Alsbrook
Mrs. Mary Simmons Davis, of Memphis, visited Tommy Simmons Friday.

Tommy Simmons' son, Jim, and Billy Hawkins, attended a Masonic Lodge meeting in Fulton, Ky. Tuesday night of this week.



Lightning strikes the earth about 100 times each second.

Services Lament Mrs. Riley At 101

Willie Inez Riley, 101, of Route 3, Halls, widow of Dave Riley, died Monday in Baptist Hospital Lauderdale in Ripley.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Halls Funeral Home, with burial in Archer's Chapel Cemetery near Halls.

She was born at Crockett Mills, Jan. 23, 1891, daughter of the late Billy and Dora Burnett Reese.

She was a member of Fowlkes United Methodist Church.

She leaves three sons, Jack, of Mury City, Hollis, of Memphis, and D. J. Riley, of Olive Branch, Miss.; four daughters, Mrs. Mary Gilliland and Mrs. Eva Bushart, of Halls, Mrs. Gracie Gray, of Ripley, and Mrs. Inez Jones, of Mury City; a sister, Zula Riley, of Halls; 16 grandchildren; and 30 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Altha Frey
Mrs. Altha Ruth Williams Frey, 65, of San Diego, Calif., died Tuesday last week in a San Diego hospital.

Services were at 11 a.m. Monday in St. Luke Baptist Baptist

Church in Gates, of which she was a member, with burial there, Thompson's Mortuary, of Ripley, in charge.

She leaves a son, George Frey, of St. Louis, Mo.; a daughter, Mrs. Adrianna Jones, of Cleveland, Ohio; three brothers, Joel and Otto Williams, of Gates, and Frank Williams, of Chicago, Ill.; four sisters, Hazel and Mabel Williams, of Gates, Gentry Lacy, of Halls, and Curtis Seals, of Parris, Calif.; and four grandchildren.

Mrs. Gene Espey
Mrs. Geneva Espey, 63, of Conroe, Tex., formerly of Halls, died Wednesday last week in Southeast Texas Regional Medical Center.

Services were at 10 a.m. Saturday in South Fork Cemetery, near Halls, Halls Funeral Home in charge.

She leaves her husband, Gene Espey, a son, Grover Eugene Espey, of Houston, Tex.; a brother, William Romine, of Chicago, Ill.; and two grandchildren.

Mrs. J. W. Bates
Opal Louise Bates, 70, wife of John Wesley Bates, of Ripley,

died Sunday in Baptist Hospital Tipton in Covington.

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Garner's Ripley Funeral Home, with burial in Edith Cemetery.

She also leaves two sons, Buddy, of Halls, and James, of Gates; four daughters, Mrs. Betty Blakeley, of Halls, and Mrs. Louise Hammock, Mrs. Jennell Kellum, and Mrs. Ann Neal, of Ripley; a brother, Rufus Goforon, and three sisters, Mrs. Ruby Allen, Mrs. Bertha McRee, and Mrs. Mary Spencer, of Ripley; 18 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Wayne Petty
Wayne Petty, 48, of Halls, formerly of Dyersburg, died Thursday last week in Baptist Hospital Lauderdale in Ripley.

Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday in McCullough's Chapel Cemetery near Dyersburg, Curry Funeral Home, of Dyersburg, in charge.

He leaves a daughter, Mrs. Angela Cravins, of Halls; a son, David Wayne Petty, of Fairview Heights, Ill.; a brother, J. L. Jones, of Halls; a sister, Mrs. Alma Woods, of Paris; and two grandchildren.

Mrs. Elvis L. Ray

Mrs. Mary Lou Ray, 75, of Parsons, sister of Mrs. Edna Street, of Gates, died Friday in Baptist Hospital in Memphis.

Services were at 11 a.m. Monday in Boyd-Parsons Funeral Home, with burial in Archer's Chapel Cemetery near Halls.

She was the widow of Elvis Lloyd Ray.

Besides Mrs. Street, she leaves a brother, James Floyd Littles, of Parsons, and another sister, Mrs. Margie B. Ecker, of Memphis.

Barr Locals
By Mrs. Ward Hardy
The Ward Hardys had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips in Ripley Saturday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Raz Wilson, of Curve, in Baptist Hospital Lauderdale Saturday.

Guests of the J. D. Smiths during the New Year holiday weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Brian Porter and children, Nicole and Preston, of Millington, Eddie Smith and Cindy, of Ripley, the Bitsy Smiths, of Curve, and Judy Turner and Mrs. Ronnie Sutton and children, Rhonda and Ronnie Jr., of Covington.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Phillips and daughter, Rhonda, of Curve, Floyd and an Freeman, of Dry Hill, Rob Harris, of Halls, Ival Dunham, of Blytheville, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Danny Dunham and daughter, Lindsey, of Ripley, and the Dana Freemans and children, Dana Jr., Dawn and Rachel, of Arp, visited the Rhea Freemans during the holidays.

The Ithmer Kisseles visited their daughter, Mrs. Danny Langley, and Mr. Langley in Ripley last week. Mrs. Luther Wilson and sons, Chris and Bradley, spent a few days last week with the Kisseles. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Woodard and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Jackson, of Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. Erle Kiseley and son, Shawn, of Dry Hill, and Mandy Brown, of Ripley, had lunch with the Kisseles Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harrison spent the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Howard Jacobs, and family in Dyersburg and with Darlene Walker and son in Halls.

Poplar Grove
By Cleo Knox
Visiting Mrs. Louella Knox last week were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sasser and granddaughter, of Pennsylvania, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smithson, of Newbern, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Hicks, of Fowlkes, and Mr. and Mrs. Odie Lenard and grandchildren, of Milan.

Howard Moore, of Memphis, visited Mr. and Mrs. Halford Swanner Saturday. Sunday luncheon guests were Bret Cook and Mrs. Linda Klutts.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Davis and grandsons, Brad and Brian Woelm, of Millington, and Mrs. Angie Rowe and daughter, Savannah, of Frayser, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Alston Wednesday last week.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Davis New Year's Day were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harris and family, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Harris and family and Tina McAlister, of Halls, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Harris and family, of Dyersburg, and Rhonda Phillips, of Curve. Mr. and Mrs. Joyce Rodgers and Dorris Rodgers, of Halls, visited Sunday in the Davis home.

Mrs. Malba Watkins, of Halls, visited Mrs. Gladys Brandon Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Florence McBride spent Saturday with her sister, Margie Foust, in Memphis.



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2. Well-fertilized legumes and grasses add organic matter to the soil that helps resist erosion during the May and June period. This is the time when one-half of the annual soil losses occur.
3. Cover crops add nitrogen to the soil, especially when legumes are a part or all of the mixture.
4. The yield of corn will be slightly increased in the year following the seeding of cover crops.

Research workers have developed a plan that links the problem of seeding the cover crops. Just before laying by the corn, they broadcast the seed with an endgate seeder. Weeders are attached to the cultivator to help cover the seed and better growth results.

Good field of corn secured from proper plant food.

When legumes get a full quota of needed nutrients they will produce top results. That was shown in tests with sweet clover at the Newton soil experiment field in Illinois.

The accompanying chart summarizes results. Sweet clover grown on soil that had been limed and fertilized with phosphate and potash produced 62 pounds more nitrogen and a ton more organic matter per acre than that grown on soil that had received only lime. Another advantage of well-fed legumes comes in improved soil tilth.

The sturdy tap roots of well-fed sweet clover and alfalfa drive through plow sole compactions and push mineralized organic matter deep into the soil. They open tight soil to air and moisture. The added organic matter and better tilth 18 to 25 inches deep enable crops following in the rotation to make more efficient use of the plant food available in the soil.

Clover and Alfalfa Need Limed, Fertilized Soil

Sweet clover and alfalfa will do a good job of increasing the soil's supply of nitrogen and vitaly needed organic matter if they are well fed. Legumes are heavy eaters of phosphate and potash. They thrive best in a soil that has been limed to correct acidity and to furnish calcium.

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Increased Production Of Butterfat Required

Dairy farmers whose average annual production per cow is only 8,000 pounds are operating on a bare subsistence figure, it is pointed out by Howard O. Sobly, general manager of the United Farmers of New England. It is not unreasonable to suggest that an annual production per cow of 7,500 pounds would be possible and that it would yield an economic level more nearly in line with other groups in the nation, he adds.

Cleanliness Emphasized In Treating of Wounds

Horses under treatment do much better at pasture than in stables. If the weather is suitable, if sick horses must be stabled, quarters should be clean and well-ventilated. Be gentle in dressing wounds, clip closely or shave the hair around the wound and make sure that no discharge from around the edges is carried into the wound. Proper drainage of the wound must be assured.

Healthful Living for TENNESSEANS

BACKACHE

"Oh, my aching back!" This common complaint may mean a herniated disk, arthritis, sprain, or even spondylolithesis. By whatever name the physician calls it, it's plain old backache to you.

Low back pain, the common type, has many causes, the most frequent one being poor posture. Poor posture means bad body mechanics when sitting, standing, walking or even when lying down. Between each vertebra of the backbone is a disk-like cushion of cartilage, or gristle. Each disk receives an equalized pressure when the spine is well aligned. Slumping or other habitual poor posture will result in unequal pressure on these spinal "shock absorbers".

Lumbar and sciatica are usually due to unequal disk pressure and poor posture is frequently associated with these conditions. Erect posture with good spinal alignment not only prevents many backaches, but is healthful in many other respects as well. Faulty posture undoubtedly causes one form of rheumatism. An estimated seven million Americans suffer rheumatic back pain, much of which is due to poor body carriage.

Heads up, folks; back straight; eyes forward; shoulders erect and back. Don't let poor posture get you down in the back!

You will receive an answer to any question about health (not disease) by writing: The Ten-110 Doctors Building, Nashville, Tennessee State Medical Association, Tennessee.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Mrs. Annie Dunavant, deceased

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of May 1948, letters of administration in respect to the estate of Mrs. Annie Dunavant, deceased, were issued to the undersigned by the County Court of Lauderdale County, Tennessee.

All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against her estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above named court within nine months from the date of the first publication otherwise their claims will be forever barred.

This May 14th, 1948

N. G. PARRISH
Administrator of the estate of
Mrs. Annie Dunavant, deceased
W. C. Patton, Atty

CLASSIFIED ADS

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SURPLUS BUILDINGS FOR SALE — Three frame buildings to be sold offsite. Sealed bids to be received by F. W. Hurt, sec. of Halls Development Co., up to June 1. Buildings will be shown to interested persons.

FOR SALE, WANTED — We will pay cash or trade for your sewing machine. We have new and used, pay the balance monthly. Call or write, Templeton's, 510, Dyersburg.

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- SINK ENSEMBLES, All steel base\$69.95
- WOOL RUGS, Reversible, 9x12\$49.95
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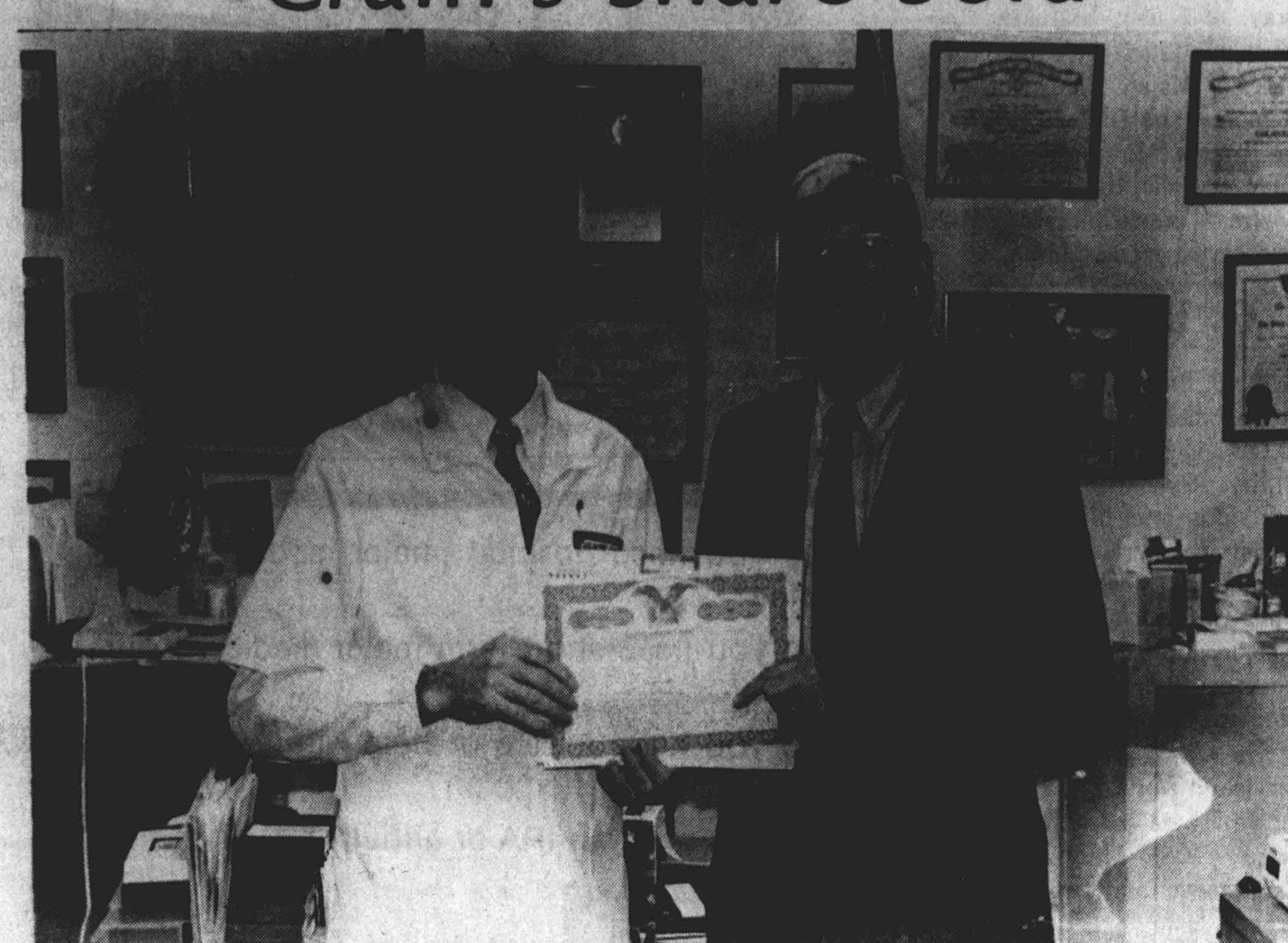
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Cherry, Jeweler

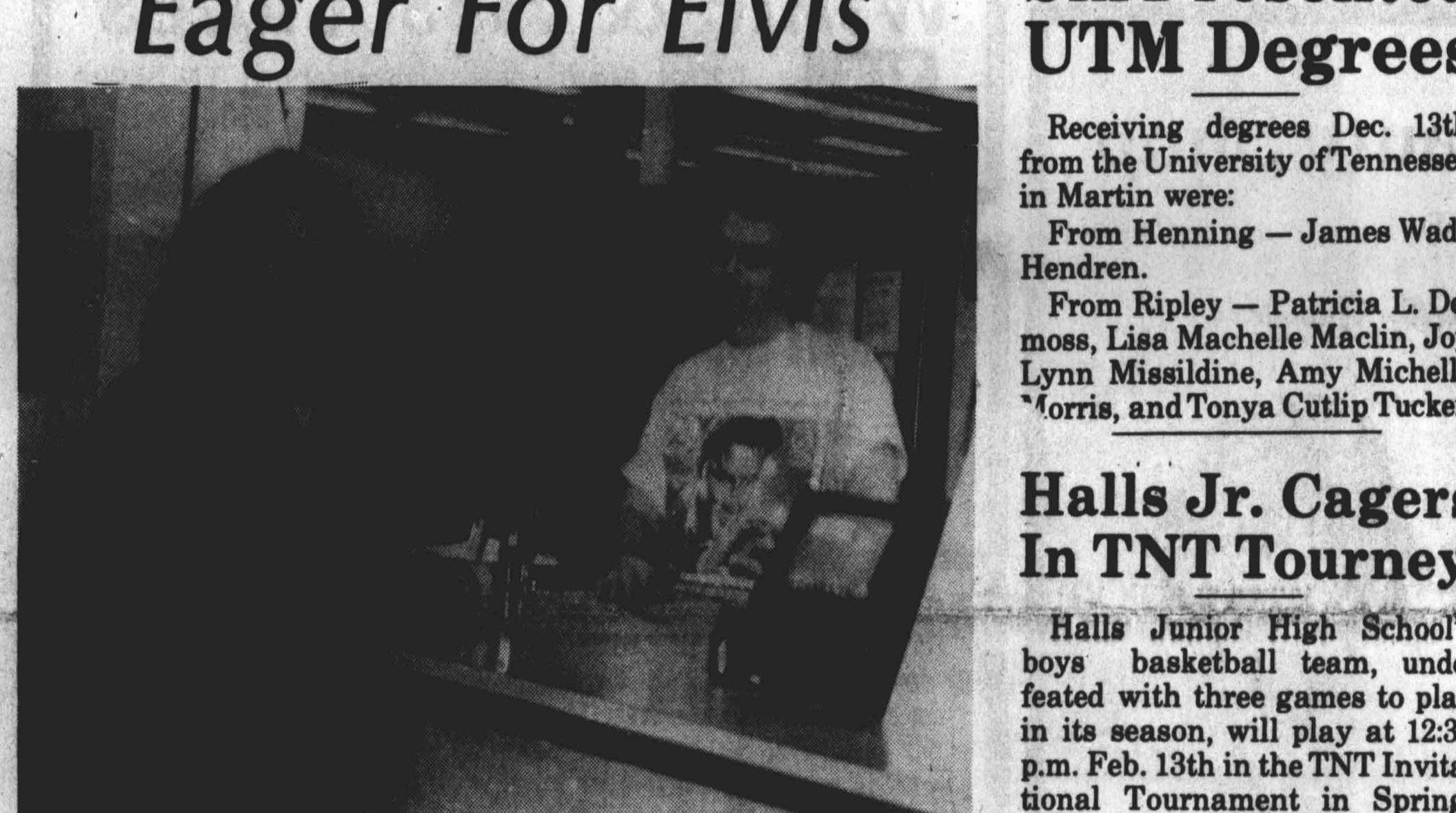
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Crain's Share Sold



DWIGHT WEAVER, left, has purchased the partnership interest of Floyd Crain, right, in Crain's Pharmacy at 205 Anthony in Ripley and is now sole owner. Crain, a pharmacist since 1951, practiced in Cleveland, Tenn., and in Jenkins & Hill in Ripley before he founded Crain's Pharmacy in 1960. He will continue to assist in the business.

Eager For Elvis



TINA CHALK, of Route 1, Gates, was first in line to buy Elvis stamps from Robert Riggs, when they went on sale in the Ripley post office Friday.

Tanner Denounces FmHA's End Here

U.S. Rep. John Tanner on Friday urged caution relative to the U.S. Department of Agriculture's plan to consolidate its operations clearing the way to close more than 1,200 field offices.

"I find it ironic that this is being done by an administration only 12 days before it expires," Tanner said. "I don't want to be too cynical about this, but if it is such a grand idea then why didn't they move forward with it before the election."

The Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service, and the Farmers Home Administration each have field offices currently operating in Lauderdale County. Under the USDA's plan, however, Lauderdale County would only lose its FmHA office. Lauderdale County's FmHA field office would be closed and moved into regional offices in Dyersburg.

In a letter sent to Agriculture Secretary Edward Madigan on Friday, Tanner called on the administration to delay implementation of the plan long enough for the incoming administration to review the plan.

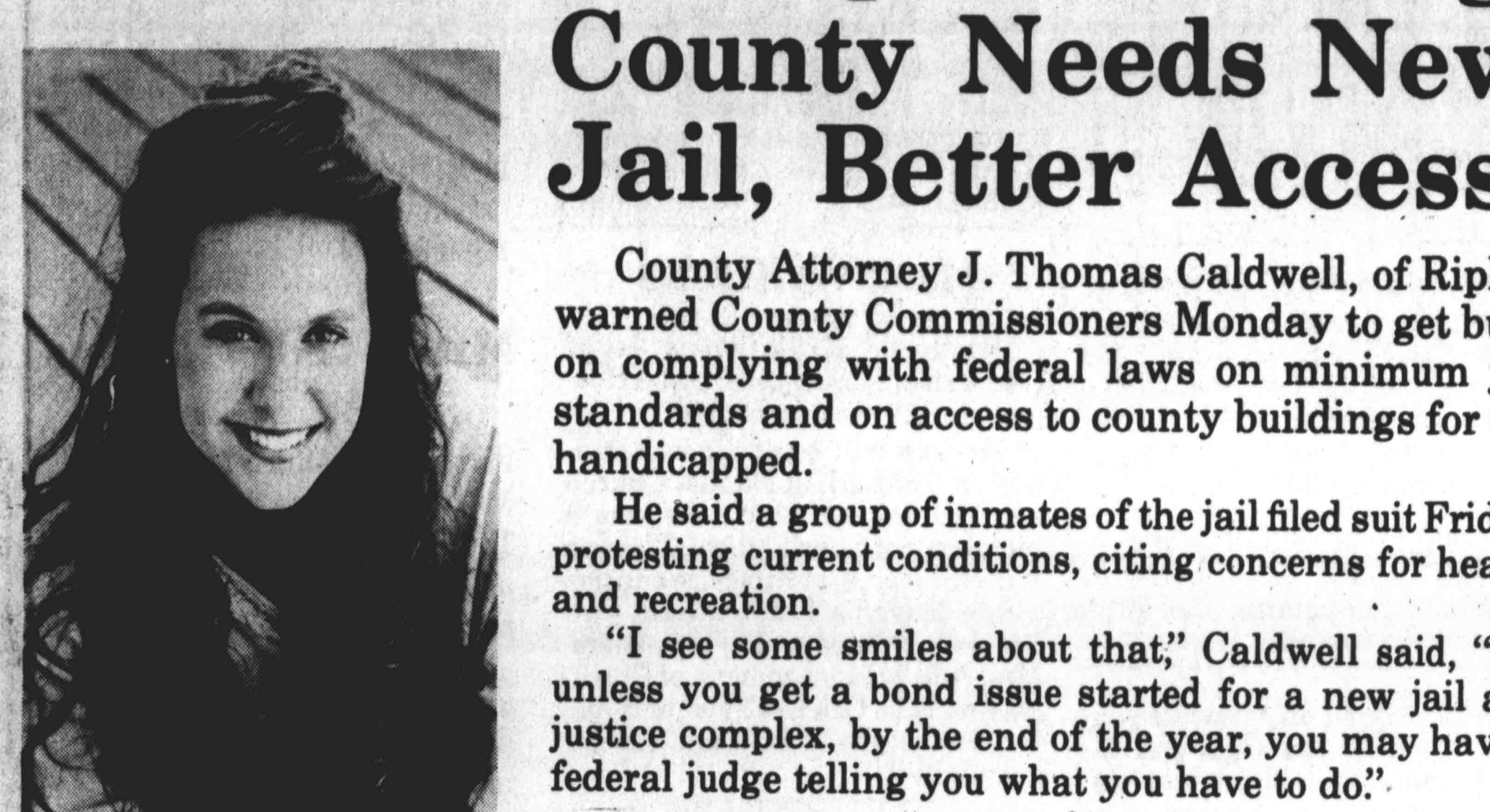
Tanner also suggested in the letter that it might be appropriate for the House Agriculture Committee to review the pro-

Fire Destroys Home



HALLS FIRE DEPARTMENT answered a call to a house owned by Mrs. Lucille Thurmond at the corner of Pearl and Sumrow Streets in Halls at 7 p.m. Monday. Occupied by Thomas Phipps, Mrs. Chantay Bostic and children, the house was gutted by fire. No one was at home at the time of the fire.

On ABC Suit Spurs Warning: County Needs New Jail, Better Access



County Attorney J. Thomas Caldwell, of Ripley, warned County Commissioners Monday to get busy on complying with federal laws on minimum jail standards and on access to county buildings for the handicapped.

He said a group of inmates of the jail filed suit Friday, protesting current conditions, citing concerns for health and recreation.

"I see some smiles about that," Caldwell said, "but unless you get a bond issue started for a new jail and justice complex, by the end of the year, you may have a federal judge telling you what you have to do."

Crain Denies Hunting Halt

State Rep. Floyd Crain, of Ripley, tells this newspaper a rumor circulating around Lauderdale County concerning the abolishment of water fowl hunting at Chickasaw National Wildlife Refuge is false.

"It was brought to my attention that many hunters had heard there could be a possibility of closing water fowl hunting in Lauderdale County," said Rep. Crain. "I quickly became concerned, realizing the impact of that termination and inquired about the situation with Refuge Manager, Mr. Randy Cook," continued Crain.

"He reassured me such an act was incorrect and that water fowl hunting season is scheduled in conjunction with the Tennessee season for water fowl hunting."

"I hope this puts an end to this false statement spreading around our community," said Crain. "If any one has a question concerning this matter, please feel free to contact me."

"I realize the large number of sportsmen within our area and the importance they play within our part of the state. I, being a sportsman myself, was proud to hear that such action was not going to take place."

Officials Approved

For the board of the proposed Lauderdale, Haywood, and Tipson County joint land-fill, for garbage disposal, County Executive Gwyn Matthews was approved last session, with two other appointments to be made from this county.

Commissioners Monday approved his term of six years, four years for Comm. Roy Reviere, and two years for Comm. Robert Flagg.

Flagg and Reviere are among nine members of the county's current land-fill committee.

Relected by acclamation were Billy Spiller, for four years on the Highway Commission; Charles Brown, for another year as Veterans Service Officer; Frank Duvall, as Building Inspector; and three members of the Agricultural Extension Service Committee, Gaylon Carter, of Halls, as a farmer; Ray Ammer, Ed Louis Crowder, Jr., Carol Renee Dunaway, Cynthia S. Jones, Vicki Lynn Jones, Kathy Ann Quail, Kathy D. Simpson, Angela Ramey Webster.

Reported on the honor roll (grade average 3.0 to 3.49) are: From Halls — Stephen Lyle Carmack, Jeffrey A. Hewes, Rufus L. Patton.

From Ripley — Kevin Lynn Biggs, Lon Borders, Joseph Neal Caldwell, John Vernon Coughlan, Jr., Laura Michelle Crain, Dana Jo Ferguson, Tony Lee Fulkerson, Armand Holmes, John E. Jenkins, Debra Kaye Lenke, Melissa Kissell Meadows, Rodney Dale Robbins, Becky Spray, Cynthia Michelle Sutton, Robert Lee Walker.

Muddy Road Woes

Comm. Charles Cutlip, county land-fill manager, received approval for purchases of gravel via the county Highway Commission but offered little hope that trucks leaving the land-fill at Dry Hill would not continue to muddy the road.

Part of the problem is that trucks must now dump closer to the road than before, so that mud from their tires is not shaken off before they exit the land-fill.

Asked if tires couldn't be hosed down before trucks left, he said products of the hosing would have to be collected and treated as additional disposable waste.

14 From County Are UTM Stars

The University of Tennessee in Martin reports on its fall semester dean's list:

From Gates, with high honors, Teresa Ann Lewis, with honors, Kelly Michelle Carmack.

From Halls, with high honors, Daphne Danielle Carter and Allison Gail Moore; with honors, Marshall Harris Crawley and Robert Thomas Olds.

From Ripley, with highest honors, Christopher Morgan Rood; with high honors, Robert Douglas Butner, Angela Jane Connell, Amy Michelle Morris, Mary Jane Pipkin, and James Allen Vasilko; with honors, Christopher Dale Pollock and Tonya Cutlip Tucker.

Five Are Stars At Tenn. Tech

Tennessee Technological University in Cookeville reports on its semester dean's list:

From Gates — Bobby O. Thurmond, Jr.

From Halls — Kenneth Bentley and Jimmy A. Vaden.

From Ripley — Jennifer A. Carmack and Deanna M. Glenn.

ANTI-CRIME MEETING

All county residents are urged to attend a meeting at 7 p.m. Jan. 21st, in Ripley High School Little Theatre, to discuss methods of reducing crime.

LMS P-TO MEETING SET

There will be a P.T.O. meeting at 7 p.m. Jan. 19th in Lauderdale Middle School.

CRAIN FACES SUIT

Former Sheriff Jerry Crain, who will be sentenced in U.S. District Court Friday on his plea of guilty to abuse of Cynthia Nichols, 28, of Union City, also faces her claim for \$2,000,000 in damages, in a suit filed Friday.

INTO ARLINGTON CARE

A mentally retarded boy, 16, reported by officials as found Dec. 10th, naked, filthy, and weighing less than 55 pounds, in the home of his parents at Nankipoo, was moved Friday from LeBonheur Medical Center in Memphis to the state's Developmental Center in Arlington.

The parents, Hugh Herring, 61, and his wife, Barbara, 43, are scheduled to appear in General Sessions Court in Ripley Friday to answer charges of aggravated child abuse.

They are represented by Bob Millar, of Dyersburg, former Rip-ian.

THE HALLS GRAPHIC

ELLEN JACKSON
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NOTICE - Have you considered selling your home or other property? Wright Realty, in Halls, due to increased sales, needs new Real Estate listings. Call today! 836-7466, 224f.

FOR RENT - 2-bedroom brick house on Meyer St. in Halls. 836-7037, 7-2p.

FOR RENT - 1 or 2 bedroom apartments, HUD approved. Call Joyce, 836-9209 or 836-7862, 194f.

NOTICE - Will do painting, sheet rock, re-modeling, general carpentry, reasonable price. Robert O'Brian, 836-9599, 224f.

WANTED - Houses to clean, part-time, 836-5899 after 2 p.m. 142f.

Clydie L. Cates

Clydie L. Cates, 82, of Halls, retired postal worker, died Tuesday of last week in Methodist Hospital of Dyersburg, after long illness.

Services were at 1 p.m. Thursday of last week in Halls Funeral Home, with burial in Halls Cemetery.

He taught Sunday School in Enon Baptist Church. He leaves his wife, Virginia Doris Hilliard Cates; a son, Danny E. Cates, and three daughters, Mrs. Nina Bowie, Mrs. Lannette Hilliard, and Mrs. Judy Newman, of Halls; a sister, Mrs. Rebecca Morris, of Memphis; eight grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

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Mrs. Williams

Mrs. Susie Mae Williams, 84, of Gates, died Monday in Baptist Hospital, Lauderdale in Ripley.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Spring Hill Baptist Church near Ripley, of which she was a member, with burial there, Thomas Funeral Home, of Ripley, in charge. She leaves a brother, Sam Parker, Jr., of Chicago, Ill.; two sisters, Mrs. Ada L. Montgomery, of Chicago, and Mrs. Ora Lee Tyus, of Houston, Tex.; a grandchild; and a great-grandchild.

Mrs. C. H. Berry

Mrs. Ethel Pulliam Berry, 84, of Tupelo, Miss., sister of Mrs. Harriet Williams, of Forked Deer, died Dec. 30th in North Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo, after long illness.

Services were at 2 p.m. Jan. 1st in Brownsville Funeral Home, with burial in Oakwood Cemetery.

She was the widow of Charles H. Berry. Besides Mrs. Williams, she leaves three sons, Don, of Nashville, Carlos, of Corpus Christi, Tex., and Jim, of Winterhaven, Fla.; two daughters, Mrs. Jan Kennedy, of Atlanta, Ga.; another sister, Mrs. Bess Matis, of Brownsville; nine grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Brevities

By Mrs. Charles Alsbrook Marvin L. Tucker, of Memphis, visited Tommy Simmons and J. A. Dunaway Sunday.

Mrs. Riley, 101

Willie Inez Riley, 101, of Halls, died Monday of last week in Baptist Hospital, Lauderdale in Ripley.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday of last week in Halls Funeral Home, with burial in Archer's Chapel Cemetery. She was a member of Powkies United Methodist Church.

She was the widow of Dave Riley. She leaves four daughters, Mrs. Eva Bushart and Mrs. Mary Gilliland, of Halls; Mrs. Grace Gray, of Ripley; and Mrs. Inez Jones, of Maury City; three sons, Jack, of Maury City, Hollis, of Memphis, and D. J. Riley, of Olive Branch, Miss.; a sister, Zula Riley, of Halls; 16 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; and 20 great-great-grandchildren.

O. D. Sherill

O. D. Sherill, 80, of Henning, retired mortician, died Jan. 2nd in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Billie Reynolds, in Houston, Tex., after brief illness.

Services were at 2 p.m. Thursday of last week in St. James CME Church, of which he was a member, with burial there, Thomas Funeral Home, of Ripley, in charge.

He was a veteran of Army service in World War II. He leaves his wife, Clyde; a sister, Mrs. Mary Miller, of Jamestown; and two grandchildren.

Mrs. Herman Hicks

Mrs. Myrtle Taylor Hicks, 82, of Brownsville, mother of Ivan Hicks, of Ripley, died Monday of last week in Baptist Hospital in Memphis, after long illness.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday of last week in Brownsville Funeral Home, with burial in Trinity Cemetery at Nut Bush.

She was a member of Antioch Baptist Church.

Widow of Herman Hicks, she leaves another son, Cleveland, of Brownsville; two daughters, Mrs. Ouida Baggett, of Brownsville, and Mrs. Barbara Loader, of Memphis; a brother, Elmer Taylor, of Memphis; three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Jackson and Mrs. Carolyn Hughes, of Brownsville, and Mrs. Mamie Smith, of Jackson; seven grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.



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Pharmacy Topics

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Phenylbutyrate, a drug used for rare metabolic disease in children, may be effective as a nontoxic treatment for sickle cell anemia. The drug produces a high level of fetal hemoglobin.

Doctors of Santa Barbara report that upper body exercise works as well as insulin to curb gestational diabetes, a complication of pregnancy. The women worked out 20 to 30 minutes, three times a week.

Good-for-you bran isn't so good for sufferers from Parkinson's disease. It seems that the pyridoxine in bran interferes with the drugs used to control the disease.

New babies do better if allowed to stay with their mothers for an hour or so, and attempt breast feeding, than if they were whisked away for weighing and bathing, the British medical journal *Lancet* reports.

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Poplar Grove

By Cleo Knox
Christopher, Laura Kate and Jay Stallings, of Maury City, spent the weekend with their grandmother, Mrs. Jerre Stallings.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chipman visited in Memphis Thursday of last week.

Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holford Swanner were Bret Cook and children, Roth and Eden, of Halls, and Linda Klutts and son, John, of Ripley. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore, of Memphis.

Mrs. Hazel Alston visited her father, Ed Sumnerlin, at Frog Jump Thursday of last week and

CHRIS NUNN



CHRIS NUNN, son of the Warren Nunn, of Halls, was saluted by Lynda (Mrs. Winford) Buffalo, of Ripley Exchange Club, as its Student of the Month. Freshman class president in Halls High School, his four years in HHS have seen him active each year in Student Council, baseball, football (all-district), and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Second in his class since his freshman year, with a perfect grade point average, he has participated in the Beta, Art, Drama, and French Clubs, won a regional art competition in 1991, and last year placed third in world history competition at Union University in Jackson and among the top 10 in regional competition in English and math. Last year, he was one of 500 students chosen, nation-wide, to attend the Summer Scientific Seminar at the Air Force Academy, and won the Tennessee Secondary Schools Athletic Association Athlete Award of Merit.



THE HALLS HIGH SCHOOL BAND hosted the Junior High All-West Tennessee Band auditions Saturday. The auditions are sponsored every year by the West Tennessee Band and Orchestra Association. This year the event drew 1200 students, grades 7-9, from 75 West Tennessee schools. They auditioned for 150 positions in 3 different concert bands. The bands will meet at Woodale High School in Memphis in February and rehearse for 2 days under guest conductors before giving a concert for parents and friends. The Halls Band had a record 10 students make the bands this year. They had 3 in the first band, 1 in the second band and 6 in the third band. Out of these 10 there were 2 seventh graders, 6 eighth graders, and 2 ninth graders. The band directors would like to thank all the band boosters for their support of this event.

Halls High School Jazz Band auditions held at the elementary school were also hosted by the band.

Ten chosen for All West Band were, from left, front row, Kathlene Stallings, 8th grade, third band; Sondra Glynn, 8th grade, third band; Kim Bernard, 9th grade, first band; Stephen Burns, 8th grade, first band; rear, Adam Akin, 7th grade, third band; Austin Smith, 7th grade, second band; Nick Wooster, 9th grade, first band; Quincy Jelks, 8th grade, third band; Andy Crowson, 8th grade, third band; and Lamar Cates, 8th grade, third band.

Divorces

Jan. 5th - David Wayne Farris vs. Phyllis Elaine Farris.
Jan. 7th - Warda Nelson vs. Jerry Wayne Nelson.
Mary Elaine Carmack Coley vs. Troy Michael Coley, Jr.
Dorothy Jean Clark vs. James Harold Clark.
David H. Mitchell vs. Martha Lee Mitchell.

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1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese
1/2 cup milk
1/2 teaspoon garlic powder
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In small bowl, with electric mixer at medium speed, beat cream cheese, Cheddar cheese, Parmesan cheese, milk and garlic powder until well blended. Cover; chill 1 hour. Garnish with parsley sprig if desired. Serve as dip with wafers.

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Second team choices, standing, are, from left, Jason Searce and Daniel Willis, line-men on offense and defense, respectively, and from right, for defense, line-man Wayne Moody and back Richie Belton. James Jordan, standing center, won honorable mention as defensive line-man.

RETIREMENT DISTRIBUTIONS

By Mrs. Red Williams
Harry C. Stanley is in a Memphis hospital. Mrs. Stanley is with him.

Mrs. Joe White, Jr. is in Baptist Hospital, Lauderdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Puckett, of Jackson, Miss., spent weekend before last with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jordan, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby White, of Memphis, and Mrs. Brenda Stokley, of Brownsville, have visited Mrs. Edna White.

Mrs. H. E. Jordan visited her mother, Mrs. Otho Tritt, in Maury City Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Vaden, Sr. made a trip to Memphis Friday.

This correspondent would like to thank everyone for the flowers, cards and calls at the time of the death of her sister, Mrs. Ethel Pulliam Berry.

The board of directors and employees of Forked Deer Electric Co-operative will honor Russell Jacobs Jan. 17th with a reception from 1-4 p.m. in Halls Community Center. Mr. Jacobs is retiring after 37 years of service.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Kennedy and children, Katie and Ken, of Tupelo, Miss., Carol Jean Berry, of Atlanta, Ga., Jim Berry, of Winterhaven Fla., Mrs. Bill Sweat, of Brownsville, and Mrs. Red Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bird and son, will have visited Mrs. Clyde Mathis and Polly Ann Overton in Brownsville.

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ANTI-CRIME MEETING

All county residents are urged to attend a meeting at 7 p.m. Jan. 21st, in Ripley High School Little Theatre, to discuss methods of reducing crime.

DEGREE FOR WARD

Christopher Clyde Ward, pastor of First Baptist Church in Gleason, received a doctor of ministry degree Dec. 18th from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Ky. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ward, of Halls.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The January meeting of the Lauderdale County Historical Society has been re-scheduled for Sunday, Jan. 24th. The program, which is to feature a speaker on historic preservation, is set for 2:30 p.m. at the Halls Community Center.

FINANCIAL AID TIPS

Halls High School will host a Financial Aid Workshop Tuesday, Jan. 19th at 7 p.m. in the school library. This year the Financial Aid format has been changed and all students will be eligible for some type of aid. Parents and students are invited to attend. For more information contact Mary Jo Crisfield at 836-9642.

Chance is perhaps the pseudonym of God when He did not want to sign.

Vows Scheduled



PAMELA HOPE GOODWIN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Goodwin, of Gates, will marry Steven Craig Worley, of Ripley, son of Sherry Worley, of Ripley, and the late Gilbert Austin Worley, at 7 p.m. Jan. 29th in Abundant Life Church near Ripley, without formal invitations, all friends invited.

Woodville Locals

Joyce Lankford visited her daughter, Sheila Mitchell, in Memphis Monday of last week.

Lisa and Jason Scott, have a new baby daughter, Summer Diann, born Saturday.

Bro. and Mrs. A. L. Slaughter were Sunday luncheon guests of Mary McBroom.

Cleo McBroom had tests in Baptist Hospital Central in Memphis last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jacobs were in Memphis Sunday to visit Harry (Sonny) Stanley, who is having tests in Methodist Hospital.

Visitors of Peggy Scott week-end before last were Sue Morgan and children, of Selmer, and her daughter, Sgt. Janice Scott, of Little Rock, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhea visited their family in Hammond, Ind. Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Ellis and Bessie Ellis attended a family dinner in the home of Mrs. Cleo Awalt week before last.

Dinner guests of Evelyn Rose Sunday before last were Lyndsay and Melinda Dotson and Janessa Rose, of Ripley, and Debra and Collins Voss and Shawn Rose, of Bald Knob Road.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fitzhugh over the Christmas holidays were their grandsons, Chad and James David Fitzhugh, of Germantown, and Mrs. David Fitzhugh, of Memphis. Joyce and Melissa Fitzhugh, of Memphis, visited them one day week before last.

Birthdays

Jan. 14th — Billy Lambert, Bobbie Hunter, Chase Reeves, David Miller, Tony Cannon, Mark Brown, Mary Jean Anderson, R. C. Ward, Tim Howell.

Jan. 15th — Lynn Shepherd, Michel Pitts, Greg Johns, Angela Smith.

Jan. 16th — Ellie Pittman, Melinda Northcott, Rachel Taylor, Alma Ward Stangel, Danny Bailey, Neal Carmack.

Jan. 17th — James (Jamie) Jarrett, Jr., Misty Collins, Alice Meeks, Connie Hutcherson, Leasha Nelson, Phyllis Barlow, Ronnie Ward, William Lynch.

Jan. 18th — Sandy Kirby Coss, Derrick Smith, Jessie Craig, Rose Marie Hostner, Asha Burnett, Beth Hart, Kimberly Wright, Mary Jo Stanley, Pam Jones.

Jan. 19th — Chris Jones, Darlene Chamberlain, Gerald Skipper, Ann Lazure, Carolyn Horner, Gloria Burrough, Jimmy Taylor, Josh Gerow, L. B. Hudson, Regina Gooch.

Anniversaries

Jan. 14th — Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Crowder, Charles & Carolyn Gabbard.

Jan. 16th — Mr. and Mrs. Albert March.

Jan. 18th — Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Brown.

Jan. 19th — Mr. and Mrs. Jim Best.

Jan. 19th — Mr. and Mrs. Albert Crowder, Mr. and Mrs. Earl West, Mr. and Mrs. Josh Nunn.

Jan. 20th — Mr. and Mrs. Billy Berry.

Land Transfers

Jan. 2nd — J. T. Pilcher, Jr. et ux to Edna Meadows, lot.

Jan. 4th — Frances Buttarworth et ux to Michael Scallions.

Jan. 5th — Jimmy Murray et ux to Dorothy Jones, 1.46 acres.

Jan. 6th — Roland Henderson to Wayne Cornelius et ux, lot.

Jan. 6th — James A. Cannon et ux to Kenny Emerson et ux, 14.969 acres.

Jan. 6th — James T. Scallions et ux to Michael Scallions, 0.077 acres.

Jan. 6th — Michael Scallions to James T. Scallions et ux.

Jan. 8th — Sandra Hopper Pettit to T & C Cattle Co., 3 Par.

Jan. 8th — Claude Holt et ux to James Vanness et ux, 1.84 acres.

Jan. 8th — Thomas Eugene Robeson et ux to G.B.T. Investments Inc., 26.279 acres.

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Nankipoo Locals

By Mrs. Evelyn Cates Miss Margaret Larkey, of Bloomington, Ind., and Mrs. Betty Larkey and another daughter, Jennifer, of Memphis, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bray Thursday before last.

Mrs. Frances Harris, of Dyersburg, spent Tuesday night of last week with Elizabeth Collins.

Weekend visitors of Mrs. Gladys Tillman were Mrs. Alecia Van Gray and Tabby, of Brighton, Miss. Tonya McIlly, of Burlington, and the Phillip Tillman family, of Memphis.

Bence Cates and daughter, Mrs. Dudley Belton, of Arab, Ala., spent Thursday night of last week with Evelyn Cates.

Mrs. Bonnie Sue Hutcherson saw a doctor in Memphis Friday.

Darrell Cates was in Memphis Tuesday for a check-up. Mrs. Cates was with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Clement and daughter, of Halls, were Saturday night dinner guests of Jeff's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Clement. Elizabeth has been ill for several days.

Marriages

Dec. 28th — Jerome Braden, Jr., 23, to Alissha Marlene Taylor, 20, by Rev. Charlie James Pest.

Jan. 1st — Curtis Gladden, 40, to Donna Jean Taylor, 31, by Rev. Dennis Elder.

Jan. 1st — Jerry Lee Crowder, Jr., 22, to Tabatha Gail Newman, 27, by Dan Holland.

Jan. 2nd — Charles Nathaniel Griggs III, 18, to Rhonda Gail Mashburn,

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Robert Frank West, 27, to Sherronda Lee Durham, 27, by Robert Flag, Jr.

Terry Clay Wright, 26, to Debra Loraine Harris, 28, by Marshall S. Lake.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

County schools will close Monday, Jan. 18th, observing Martin Luther King, Jr., Day, and Feb. 15th, observing Presidents' Day.

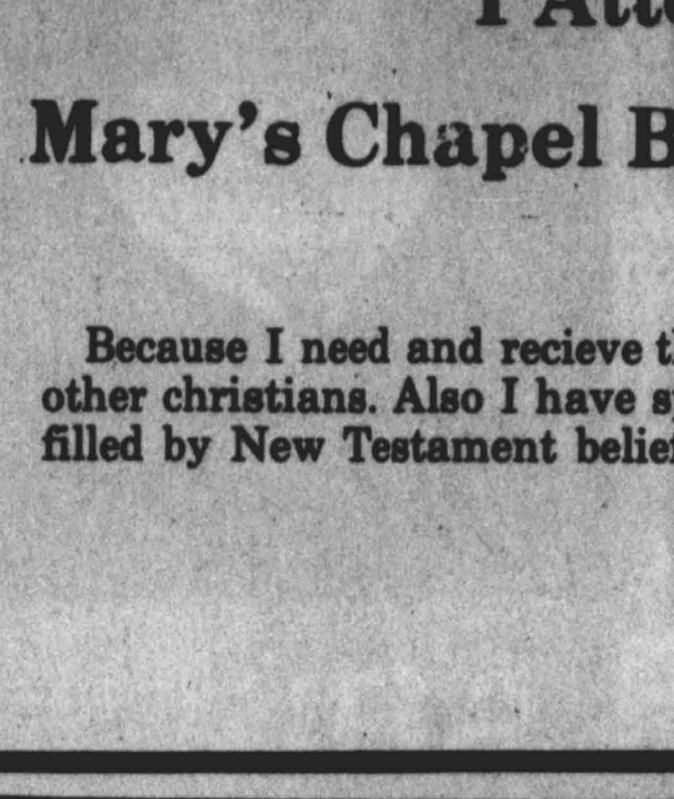
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Concord Locals

By Mrs. Louise Fennell Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Voss, of Belleville, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Donald W. Voss, of Smyrna, spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Mabel Voss.

Mrs. Robbie Ann Lee, of Memphis, spent the weekend with her parents, the Pharis Escues. Mrs. Escue and Mrs. Lee visited Mrs. Alice Williams Saturday and attended a tea for Mrs. Lee Williams in First Baptist Church in Water Valley, Miss. Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Gilliland, of Memphis, and Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Baker, of Millington, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Williams Wednesday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Heath, of Alamo, visited Saturday night.

Mrs. Randy Tims and Mrs. Gladys Moore, of Curve, visited Mrs. Louie Langley Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson visited the Johnny Hale family in Halls Funeral Home Sunday night.

Dismissed From Baptist Hospital Lauderdale

Jan. 4th — Claudius Johnson, James Johnson, Lyda Lumley.

Jan. 5th — Betty Thomason.

Jan. 6th — Oliver Ross, Shirley Smith.

Jan. 7th — J. W. Younger.

Jan. 8th — Raz Wilson.

Jan. 9th — Martha White.

Jan. 10th — Virginia Pike.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Jones, of Henning, a son, Jan. 5th in Methodist Hospital North in Memphis.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETS

The county Board of Education will meet at 6:30 p.m. Jan. 14th in the Education Building in Ripley.

LIVING MEMORIALS

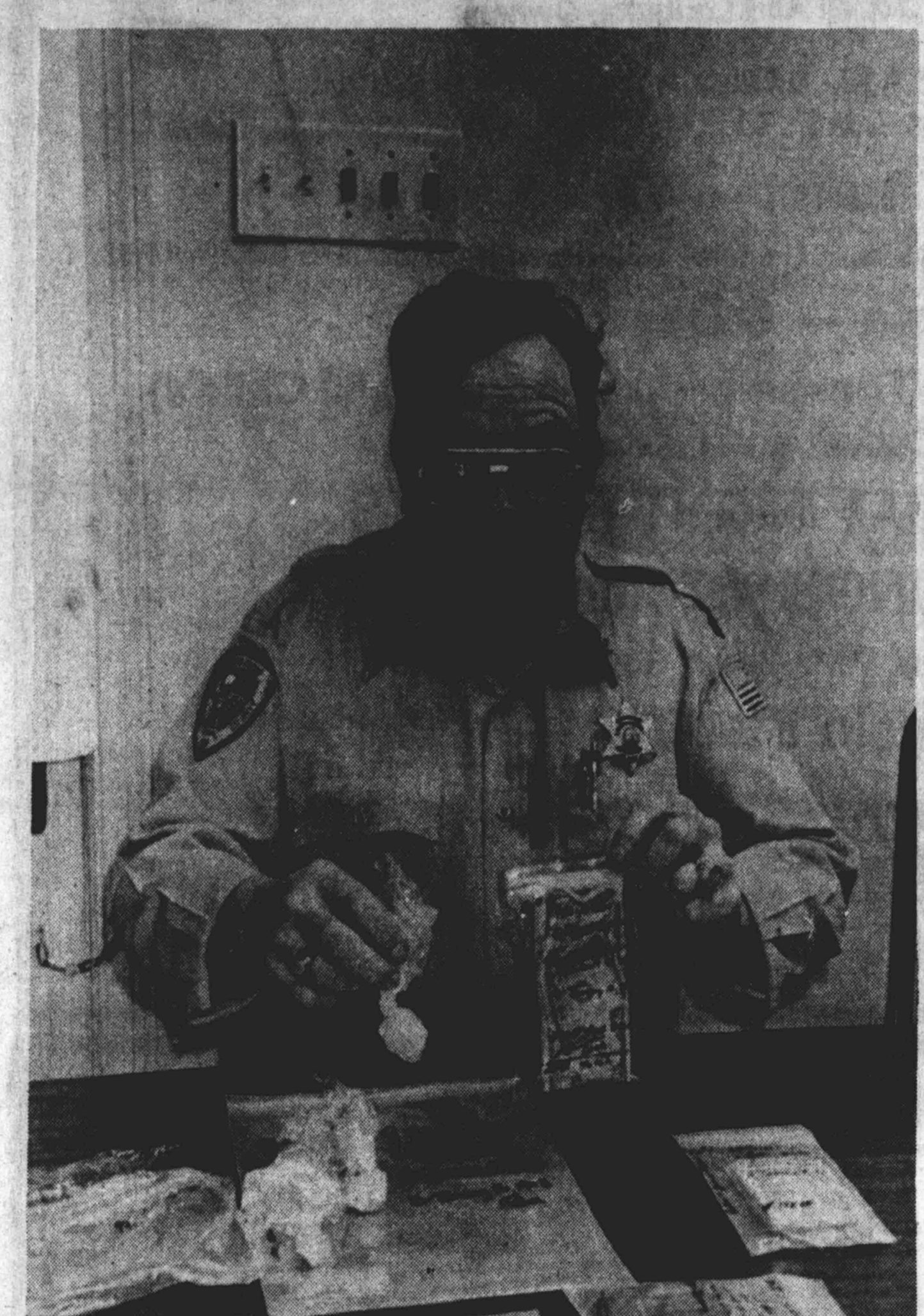
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Task Force's Take



Accident Claims Bill Hatcher, Jr.

William Harrison Hatcher, Jr., 29, of 6001 Old Hickory Blvd., Nashville, whose father, William Harrison Hatcher, and stepmother, Ruby Minner Hatcher, are Ripplians, died Jan. 7th in injuries in an automobile accident near Nashville.

Services were at 11 a.m. Jan. 12th in Mount Joliet Cemetery, Weaver Funeral Home in charge.

He resided in Bristol before he moved to the Nashville area five years ago. He was a dialysis technician for the Ren Corp.

He also leaves his wife, Joey; two daughters, Paula Hatcher, of the home, and Amber Hatcher, of Orlando, Fla.; a son, Ryan Paul Austin, of Washington; his mother, Joyce, and step-father, James F. Akers, of Bluff City; three sisters, Mrs. Clara Leonard, of Blountville, Mrs. Elizabeth Lawson, of Bristol, and Mrs. Bonnie Wagner, of Bristol, Va.; and several step-brothers and step-sisters.

New Vegetable Varieties Cited

By Jerry Parker, County Extension Leader

Lauderdale County vegetable growers have been briefed on new varieties to consider.

Dr. Alvin Rutledge, Extension vegetable specialist, said that processing bush snap-bean varieties being added to the recommended list for 1993-94 are Hialeah, a new release that has performed very well in trials at Crossville; Strike, a consistently high producer with an attractive processor pack; and Peak, a good-yielding variety with an attractive pod.

Opus is a new release that has moderate resistance to rust, a major disease problem during the hot, humid days of late summer.

Pole-bean varieties now being added to the recommended list for commercial growers include Dada, a flat-podded, white-seeded variety that has good consumer appeal; Kentucky Blue, the most recent pole-bean release, a stringless variety that's a cross between Kentucky Wonder and Blue Lake Pole; and Blue Lake Pole, noted for its freezing qualities, but, has a tendency to drop flowers during hot, humid weather.

ReBell bell pepper is a new release that's shown good tolerance to bacterial spot. It's a slightly elongated, medium thick-walled pepper that has produced equal to or better than Yolo Wonder.

Arcadia broccoli is being recommended for trial in the processor market. It has a good bacterial resistance, uniform florets, tight heads and may be slightly earlier than Shogun.

Before trying on the fresh market, plant a large enough quantity to see if the stem size will be acceptable in the market.

Green Cup cabbage is a recent release that has a firm, medium-to-large, blue green head. It's considered a mid-season variety that doesn't have a high level of resistance to black rot.

Canada Gem, Cordele and Legend cantaloupes have been added. Canada Gem is considered best for local retail sales, while Cordele and Legend are acceptable for the shipper market.

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Union Reports Star Students

Union University in Jackson reports on its fall semester dean's list (grade average 3.5 or above):

From Ripley — Kris W. Chaney, Shelby Renee Elder, Anna Rachel Williams.

Participants will represent Halls Elementary, Halls Jr. High, Ripley Elementary, and Lauderdale Middle Schools.

County Livestock Growers Meeting

The Lauderdale County Livestock Assn. will have its annual winter meeting at 6 p.m. Jan. 26th in the Farm Bureau Bldg. in Ripley.

The association membership includes cattle producers, swine producers, and others interested in livestock production. Dues for 1993 are \$25 and are payable at the door. Local and state membership in either the Tennessee Pork Producers Association or the Tennessee Cattleman's Association is included in the dues.

The program and meal will be provided by Hunter Marks, sales representative for Pittman-Moore, makers of Ralgr, and by Bob Carroll, district manager for Purina Mills.

All interested persons are welcome to join the association. Those planning to attend should call the Extension Service office at 635-9551 to make meal reservations. Call on or before Friday, Jan. 22nd.

COMPUTER CLASSES

Lauderdale County Schools offer free computer classes for adults in Halls High School on Monday nights, in Ripley High School on Tuesday nights, with a lab being Thursday nights in R.H.S., from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Six weekly classes will teach word processing, data bases, and spread-sheets, the third six weeks.

Registration will be held during the first class session. Classes will begin at H.H.S. Jan. 25th, R.H.S. Jan. 26th.

Information from Syvelia Winbush, at the Lauderdale County Board of Education, 635-2941.

Saving History Group's Focus

Mrs. Eileen Hinders of Arlington, is scheduled to talk about historic preservation at the meeting of the Lauderdale County Historical Society Sunday, Jan. 24th. Mrs. Hinders, a professor of English at Memphis State University and Lambuth College, is area vice-president of the Association for the Preservation of Tennessee Antiquities and editor of the *East Shelby Review*.

The Historical Society welcomes non-members to the meeting, set for 2:30 p.m. at the Halls Community Center on College Street in Halls.

Athens Evangelist Headlines Revival

The Rev. Steve Smith, of Athens, will speak in revival services at 7 p.m. Jan. 22nd-24th in First United Pentecostal Church on Asbury Road, public invited.

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Poplar Grove

By Cleo Knox Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chipman visited in Memphis Thursday of last week and Friday. Mr. and Mrs. James Knox and Mrs. Jerry Dye and son, Stephen, of Millington, were Saturday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Alton. They visited Mrs. Grace Knox in the afternoon.

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CARD OF THANKS. The family of the late Harold Hart would like to thank everyone for the calls, flowers, visits, cards, food, memorials, gifts and prayers that you bestowed on us during his long illness and death.

School Board Sets Rules Of Morality

The county Board of Education, meeting Thursday of last week, adopted this statement on "teaching morality":

It appears that most of the problems in our society today are the direct result of a decline in moral education. In recent years, we have done an extremely poor job of teaching our children to live respectfully. We must all get back to the task of teaching morality and expecting each individual to accept responsibility for their own actions. Individual responsibility for moral behavior is the cornerstone of a good and safe society.

Data related to violence, suicide, drug use, and illegal behavior clearly indicate basic ethical principles are not being learned by our young people. For many, there appears to be no coherent set of values which are deeply and firmly implanted into their character. Nor are there sufficient models for them from which to learn appropriate moral behavior.

The Lauderdale County School System believes that the school has an obligation to impart common moral values into the lives of its students and has established a criteria for moral behavior in the following statements:

1. Each individual has dignity and worth.
 2. A free society requires appropriate respect for persons, property, and principles.
 3. Each individual has a right to learn and the freedom to achieve.
 4. Each individual, regardless of race, creed, color, sex, ethnic background, or economic status, has equal opportunity.
 5. Each individual is responsible for his/her own actions.
 6. Each individual has a responsibility to the group, as well as to the total society.
 7. Democratic societies are based on law.
 8. Problems are solved through reason and orderly process.
 9. An individual should be tolerant of other religious beliefs and should have freedom to exercise his/her own.
 10. Each individual has the right to work, to pursue an occupation, and to gain satisfactions from personal efforts.
- Good citizenship is understanding and appreciating these ethical principles. Character development is not an easy task,

and it cannot be done by the schools alone. It is a job for all of us—schools, parents, institutions of society, leaders, churches, media, and everyone else who comes in contact with our children and youth.

We can continue to ignore citizenship and ethics education or we can attack the problem with new enthusiasm. It is a continual and difficult work to be done by kindness, by watching, by warning, by praise, but above all by example.

In moral development, the home is the primary source of influence. A great deal of one's character is formed prior to the school experience. This does not, however, relieve the school's obligation to support and if necessary, correct moral training. Our schools must take a greater interest in citizenship education. By building individual character, we can create schools of character. It is time for all of us to carry the shield for moral education.

Virginia Satir once stated: *In a society where there is so much to be done, nothing is really of any consequence, unless first we learn the behaviors that raise men and women above the arena reserved for animals. That can be achieved if we but feel the obligation to do so.*

Birthdays

- Jan. 21st — Barbara G. Ward, Ken Webb, Kevin Hardy, Marie Sumrow, Velma Baker.
- Jan. 22nd — Adam Queen, Terry Ford, Lindsey Harris, Stacy Dawn Sylvester, Tracy Davis.
- Jan. 23rd — Teresa Adkerson, Bill Lynch, Pam Martin.
- Jan. 24th — Larry Jackson, Marjorie Minner, Marvin Frick, Frances Neal, Maxine Hardy, James Baker.
- Jan. 25th — Carolyn Vickery, J. T. Nipp, Karen West, Kathryn Steelman, Lela Garrett, Lyndsey Thebeau, Mary Dumps, Scotty Cantrell Watkins, Lois Sylvester.
- Jan. 26th — Mike Kimmons, Caranda Adams, Jamie Wilson, Kali Vaughn, Pete Burks, Waurine Jordan.
- Jan. 27th — Leann King, Lewis Paige, Veronica Layne, Amanda Phillips, Berlie McGarrity, Curt Barnes, Donna Ewell, Sandy Ward, Stan Anderson.

Anniversaries

- Jan. 22nd — Mr. and Mrs. William Lynch.
- Jan. 23rd — Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Carmack, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gooch, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Keen.
- Jan. 24th — Mr. and Mrs. Billy W. Williams.
- Jan. 25th — Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Sadler.
- Jan. 26th — Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCallister.
- Jan. 27th — Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Barnett.

Marriages

- Jan. 14th — Bobby Hughlett, 30, to Bonnie Joyce Henning, 23, by Douglas T. Gambin.
- Jan. 15th — Thomas Earl Hart, Jr., 36, to Clarice Tenie, 38, by Rev. Larry L. Dixon.

Land Transfers

- Jan. 11th — William Maurice Grimes et ux to Joe Haynes, 50 acres.
- Jan. 12th — Roger Dale Ballard et al to Wanda Diane Patton, lot.
- Jan. 13th — William H. Land et ux to Louis Hunt et ux, 33 1/2 acres.
- Jan. 14th — Aeolian Chapman et al to Ed & Demetra Grimes, lot.
- Jan. 14th — Wright Realty Co. Inc. to James Thornton et ux, 7,096 acres.
- Jan. 14th — Loester Currie et al to Abraham Currie, 16.33 acres.
- Jan. 14th — Rose Hopkins to Glenda Prater, 7 acres.
- Jan. 14th — Patsy Bowie et al to Kevin Lynch, 2 tr.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Andy Vaughan, of Ripley, a 7 1/2 lb. son, Cory Dylan, Dec. 8th in Methodist Hospital of Dyersburg. He has a brother, Andrew, and a sister, Amy. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Braden, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Waterson and Mrs. Mary Vaughan, and a great-grandmother, Mrs. Jistine Lawson, all of Ripley.

Dismissed From Baptist Hospital Lauderdale

- Jan. 11th — Edna Land, Louise Wilson, Sam Ethel Worlds.
- Jan. 12th — Margaret Brasfield, Annie Sanders, James White.
- Jan. 13th — Paul Avery, Estelle Broyles, Carol Dedman.
- Jan. 14th — Genevieve Craig, Carolyn Styers, Leonard Wood.
- Jan. 15th — Mary Gaines, Raymond Hammock, Knox Rogers.
- Jan. 16th — Ivory Jones.
- Jan. 17th — Virginia Sonderman.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Terry Privett, of Memphis, an 8 lb., 4 oz. daughter, Caitlyn Nicole, Dec. 29th in Baptist Hospital East in Memphis. Grandparents are Lue Dean Simpson and Woodrow Privett, both of Alamo, Leon Latham, of Friendship, and Mildred McCaslin, of Halls. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Mary McGarrity, of Alamo, Mr. and Mrs. James Burr, of Maury City, and Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Latham, of Friendship. Great-grandfather is Owen Neville, of Martin.

You & Your Cholesterol

Are You At Double Jeopardy For A Heart Attack?

About one in nine adult Americans is at double jeopardy for heart attack, but millions may not recognize their risk.

"More than 22 million Americans have both high cholesterol and high blood pressure, a double whammy that dramatically increases their risk of heart attack," according to Dr. William Castell, director of the ongoing landmark Framingham Heart Study.

Even so, 66 percent of Americans don't know their cholesterol numbers, and 59 percent don't know their blood pressure numbers, according to a Gallup survey of 1,000 adults.

To find out — and reduce — your chances for heart attack:

1. Know your cholesterol and blood pressure numbers. "You can't confront your risk of heart attack until you know your cholesterol and blood pressure numbers," Castell said.
2. Discuss your numbers with your doctor to size up your heart attack risk. You may be at increased risk when your blood pressure is consistently above 140/90, and your cholesterol is consistently 200 or more.
3. Set specific goals with your doctor to lower your numbers. Diet and exercise are the first steps. See your doctor regularly to measure your progress.

Clogging of the arteries is more severe in people with both high cholesterol and high blood pressure, increasing their risk for heart attack.

For more information on finding out and managing your cholesterol, you can get a free guide from Health Information Services, Merck & Co., Inc., P.O. Box 1486-C, North Wales, PA 19454-9958.

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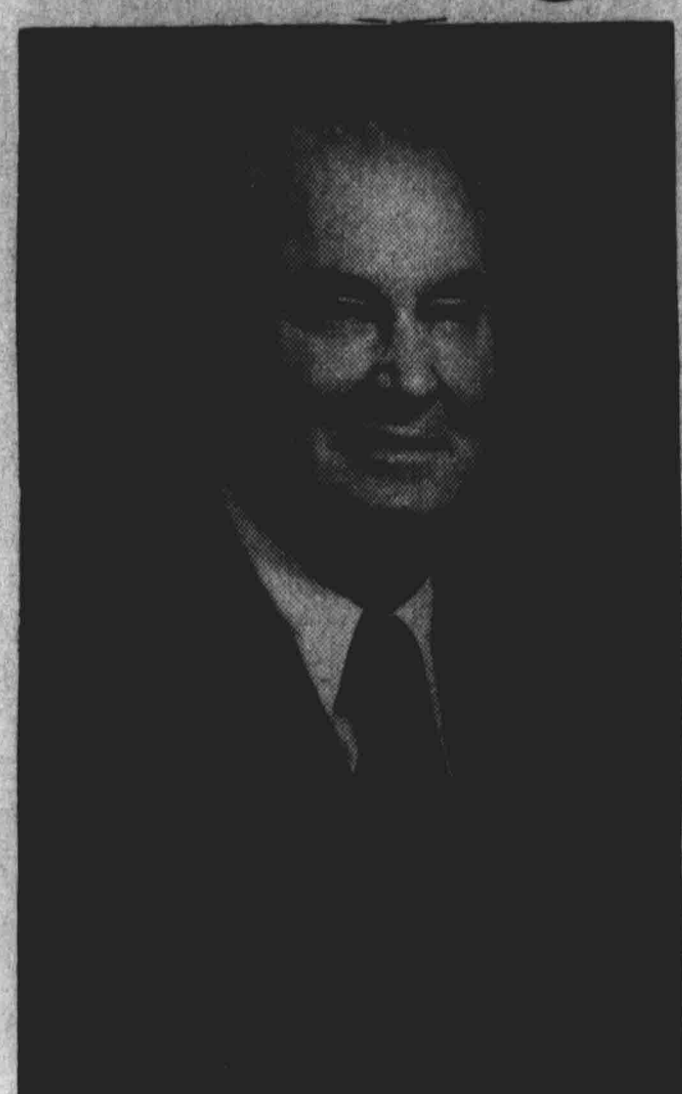
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Retiring



RUSSELL JACOCS was honored by the Board of Directors and employees of Forked Deer Electric Cooperative with a retirement reception Jan. 17th in Halls Community Center.

"I began my employment with Forked Deer Electric on Oct. 6, 1955, which was a very hot autumn day, cutting right-of-way," Mr. Jacocks says.

"This was short-lived, as by the end of the winter, the line crew needed a man to work as a groundman."

"From there I was assigned to the apprentice lineman program and topped out as a journeyman lineman after about six years."

"I continued in that position, working on the lines during the day, and began a course in engineering at night, which developed into planning and system study improvements until I was elected as general manager on Nov. 15, 1971."

"I have served in that capacity until the present time, with a total of 37 years and three months of service to the Cooperative."

"It has been a privilege and a pleasure to work with the people in our service area, which consists of parts of five counties—Haywood, Lauderdale, Dyer, Obion and Crockett."

"It has been my daily desire to provide efficient and dependable electric service."

Financial Aid Tips Available At HHS

Halls High School will host a Financial Aid Workshop at 7 p.m. Feb. 1st, in its library, all students and parents invited.

New Post



RONALD L. TURNER, son of Mrs. John L. Turner, of Ripley, has been named president of Computing Devices International.

He comes to Ceridian from GEC-Marconi Electronic Systems Corp., where he was president and chief executive officer.

Prior to joining GEC, he held several positions at Martin Marietta Corp., including vice-president of the electronic systems division, vice-president for the Pershing missile program, and head of strategic planning activities.

Turner holds a master of science degree in management from Massachusetts Institute of Technology, an M.S. in engineering from the University of Florida, and a bachelor of science degree in aerospace engineering from the University of Tennessee.

Beta Club Exhibit



Computer Class Spaces Are In Great Demand

Computer classes offered by the County Board of Education have been mobbed in Ripley and almost sold out in Halls. Syvelia (Mrs. Harold) Winbush, supervisor, says more than 80 registered Tuesday for instruction by Linda (Mrs. Bill) Maxwell in Ripley, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, with a waiting list of about 40 for a possible Wednesday class.

Robert Weeks, who will teach Halls classes Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays, has only a few openings left on Thursdays.

Information from Mrs. Winbush, 635-2941.

Essays Are Winners



BEST ESSAYS on James Robertson, from seventh graders in West Tennessee, were by (in order of ranking) Laura Jennings, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jennings, Kris Moore, right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Moore, and Laura Thompson, center, daughter of the Frank Thompsons. Both Lauras attend Lauderdale Middle School in Ripley; Kris attends Halls Junior High. Students will get cash at a Tenn. Historical Commission meeting in Murfreesboro Feb. 19th.

HHS Coach Says Tigers Growing

Halls High School Coach Winston Jarrett told Halls-Gates Rotary Club members Monday that though his Tigers, lacking experience, got off to a slow start this season, they have gained strength through the season, and he expects them to show well in tournament play.

He was the program guest of Donald Hogue.

Science Stars Earn Trip To Huntsville

Going to the U.S. Space Center in Huntsville, Ala., Feb. 16th, are 78 Halls Junior High School students who scored 90 or above in science tests.

They will leave Halls by bus at 6 a.m. and return late that day.

4 From County Lambuth Stars

Lambuth University in Jackson reports on its fall term dean's list (grade averages 3.5 up): From Gates — Angela Michelle Hughes. From Halls — Jennifer Kay Baker. From Ripley — Kenneth James Davenport and Nancy S. Strantz.

Masonic Lodge At Centennial

The Halls Masonic Lodge, Haller Lodge 564, had its 100th birthday Tuesday.

Some of its first members were W. J. Black, W. B. Campbell, D. H. Cherry, R. J. Moore, S. A. Pugh, W. B. Savage, J. S. Sharp, W. J. Sheridan, C. A. Rooks, J. F. Young, and B. C. Simmons.

Tommy Simmons and son, Jim, are the only third and fourth generation members of the lodge.

Russell Jacocks is the only 50th year member.

The lodge plans an open house in April.

YOUTH BASEBALL

There will be an organizational meeting of the Ripley Youth Baseball at 7 p.m. Tuesday Feb. 2nd in the Nelson Street Community Center.

The agenda will include election of officers, registration dates, and coaches certification clinic information (a must for coaches and assistants).

GRAND JURY MEETS

The grand jury meets Feb. 1st in the Courthouse in Ripley. A victim or witness in a case it will consider may consult prosecutors at 1-901-465-8644.

State Buying Rights-Of-Way To 3-Lane Old U.S. 51 North

State Rep. Floyd Crain, of Ripley, reports that the state is buying rights-of-way to widen to three lanes, 2.1 miles of Old U.S. Hwy. 51 north of Ripley (SR-209) from Oak St. (Northcross) to SR of Tennessee.

He expects the state to bid the project this spring.

He says development of a new 24-lane bypass from State Hwy. 19, between Ripley and Brownsville, to U.S. Hwy. 51 north of Ripley is "on hold."

Crain says engineering is scheduled to begin soon on replacing two bridges: —Glimp Rd. bridge over Hyde Creek west of Ripley.

—Roy Crain Road bridge and approaches over I.C. Railroad northeast of Ripley.

SAC Accreditation Is Sought By LMS

Lauderdale Middle School in Ripley is seeking accreditation from the Southern Assn. of Colleges and Schools.

Mrs. Judy Martin, administrator, met Thursday of last week with community leaders, who pledged support.

Faculty co-chairs of the effort, Kate (Mrs. Warren Lee) Grammer and Mrs. Sarah Wiles, say "We know that our school, and our school system, are equal to, or better than, those in surrounding counties, which are presently accredited."

"We feel that our staff and our community are entitled to the same recognition that these schools have received."

Memphis Concerts Star HHS Players

Halls Junior High School and Halls High School All-West Band members will travel to Memphis Feb. 20th for concerts at Wooddale and Overton High Schools.

For more information, call the Halls High School Band room, 836-7691.

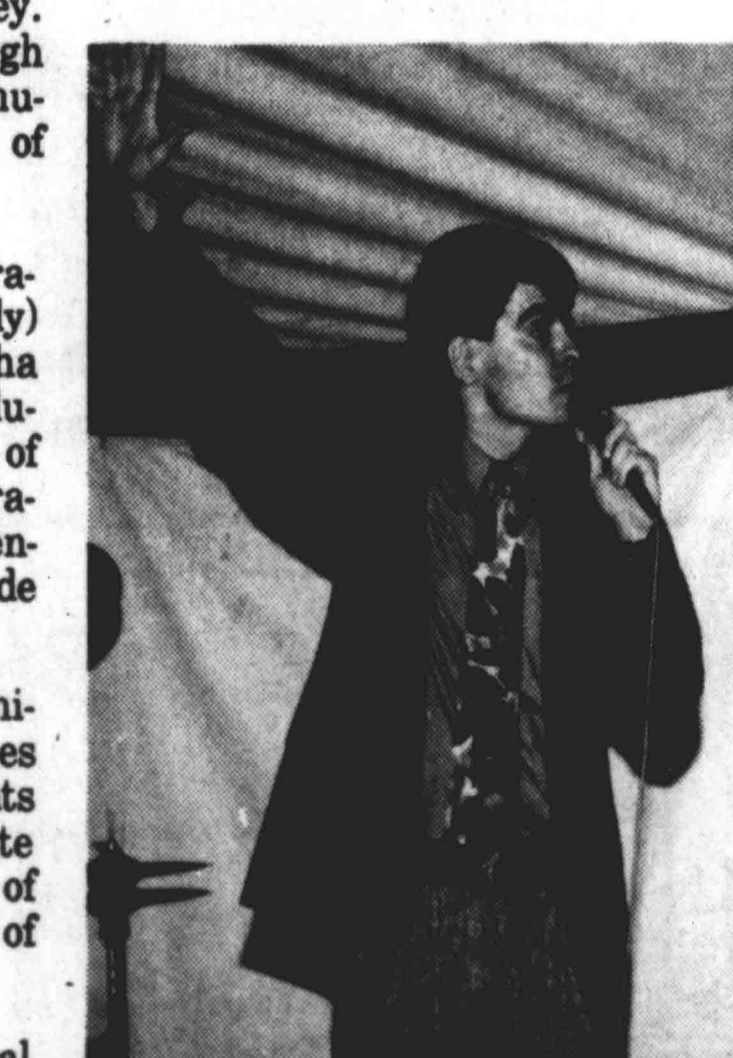
CLUSTER SPEAKER

Brownsville District Superintendent, The Rev. Willis Gilliland, will be guest speaker for the Lauderdale County Methodist Cluster at 7 p.m. Sunday in Lightfoot United Methodist Church, public invited.

AUSTIN PEAY STAR

David W. Carmack, of this county, made the fall semester dean's list at Austin Peay State University in Clarksville, cum laude, with a grade average between 3.50 and 3.69.

Crusader



THE REV. LARRY HOWARD, of Ripley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Howard, of Ripley, has returned from five weeks of preaching and singing in South Africa, with an average attendance of up to 1500 in Johannesburg, Alexandria, Berea, Pretoria, and Soweto.

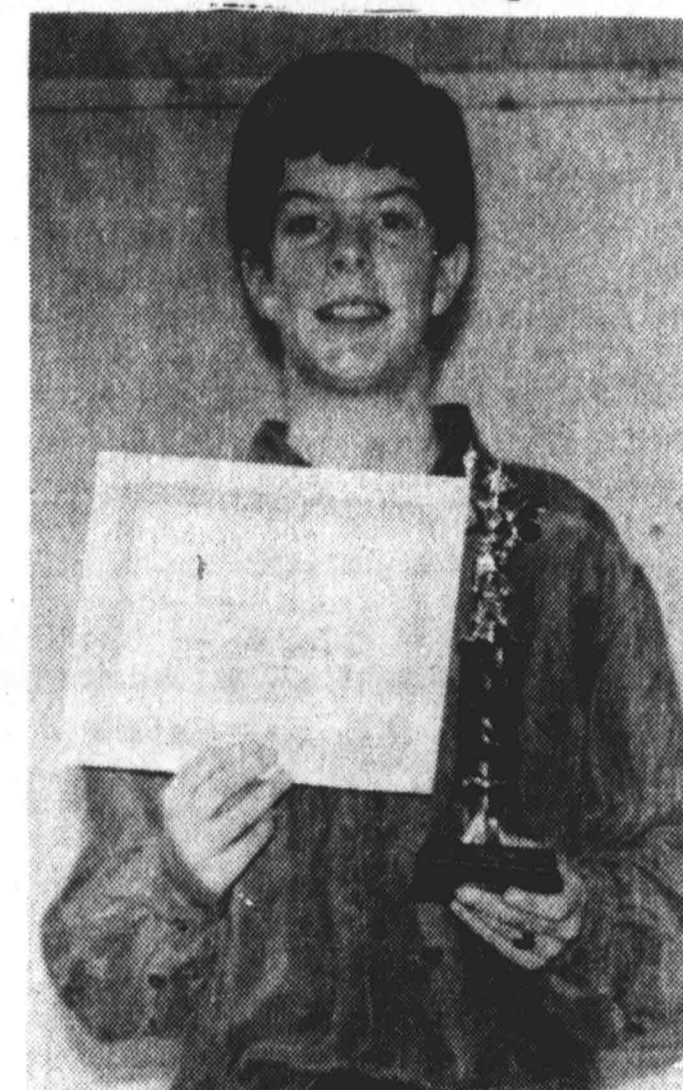
He reports more than 1500 souls saved, including "at least 12 known witch-doctors."

He serves as assistant pastor of Ripley's First Assembly of God, under pastor John Barnes.

He welcomes an opportunity to report on his experiences in South Africa to any group; call 635-0232.

He plans to return to South Africa in September for three months of further Crusades.

Champ



CORUM WEBB

Webb Wins County-Wide Spelling Bee

The Lauderdale County School System held its annual Spelling Bee at 7 p.m. Thursday in Halls Elementary School. According to Syvelia Winbush, co-ordinator of the Bee, students representing all of the public elementary schools in the county were in competition. Eight students, grades four through eight, participated in the regular Spelling Bee, and four students, grades two and three, participated in the Primary Spelling Bee.

Julie Pickard was the winner of the Primary Spelling Bee. Julie won after spelling remember and container. She is a 3rd grader at Halls Elementary and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Pickard. Second place went to Andrea Bonds, a 3rd grader at Ripley Elementary, daughter of Mrs. Faye Bonds. Third place winner was Bo Grear, 3rd grader at Halls Elementary and son of Mrs. Sheila Jurdak and O. B. Grear. Winning fourth was Justin Garrett, a 2nd grader at Ripley Elementary and son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Garrett. Each contestant in the Primary Spelling Bee received a spelling pin, a certificate and a trophy.

Corum Webb won the regular Spelling Bee after spelling luau and macrame, and received a \$50 savings bond, and \$20. Corum is an 8th grader at Lauderdale Middle and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Webb. Winning second was Bradley Harrell, 8th grader, Halls Elementary, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Barry Harrell. Bradley received a \$25 savings account. Third place winner was Shira Parish, 7th grader, Halls Jr. High, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Parish; fourth place winner was Allison White, 5th grader, Lauderdale Middle, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randy White. Winning fifth was Emily Davis, 7th grade, Lauderdale Middle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis; sixth place winner was Alan Meadows, 6th grade, Halls Elementary, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Meadows; seventh place went to Barry Britt, 8th grade, Halls Jr. High, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barry Britt; and winning eighth place was Jeremy Mooney, 6th grade, Lauderdale Middle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mooney. All participants in the regular bee received a trophy, certificate and a spelling pin.

Awards received by the participants were donated by Bank of Halls, Bank of Ripley, Farmers Union Bank (Ripley), Gates Banking & Trust Company, Lauderdale County Bank (Halls/Ripley), Merchants State Bank (Ripley), and Peoples Bank (Halls).

The pronouncer was Mrs. Shirley Robison, teacher at Halls High School. The Judges were Mrs. Earlene Halliburton, Mrs. Marion Morris and Mrs. Margaret Gilliland, all retired educators from the Lauderdale County School System. Also assisting with the Bee were Mrs. Anna Campbell, Librarian at Ripley Elementary; Mrs. Barbara Handerson, 5th grade teacher and Mrs. Abby Danehower, guidance counselor, both at Halls Elementary School.

Corum Webb will represent Lauderdale County in March at the Mid-South Spelling Bee at Memphis State University.

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Poplar Grove

By Cleo Knox
Mrs. Betty Davis, of near Halls, visited Mrs. Gladys Brandon Wednesday of last week.
Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels, of near Gates, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chipman Monday.

Christopher, Laura Kate, and Jay Stallings, of Maury City, spent the weekend with their grandmother, Mrs. Jerre Stallings.
Mrs. Linda Klutts and son, John, and Bret Cook and children, Roth and Eden, of near Halls, were Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holford Swanner.

Mrs. Bubba Stallings is improving after being very ill in Methodist Hospital of Dyersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Perkins, of Dyersburg, visited Mrs. Florence McBride Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Hazel Alston visited her father, Ed Sumerlin, at Frog Jump Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chipman visited in Memphis Wednesday of last week.

Sick & Ailing

Noah Ray is in Baptist Hospital Lauderdale in Ripley. His wife, Edna, is with him.

Dick Lazure had major surgery in St. Francis Hospital in Memphis Thursday. His wife, Ann, is with him.

Mrs. Travis Davis (Katie) is at home after surgery in Methodist Hospital of Dyersburg.

David Parrish returned home during the weekend after treatment in Baptist Hospital Lauderdale.

Mrs. David Parrish fell at her home, fracturing her arm, last week. She was treated in Methodist Hospital of Dyersburg.

Brevities

By Mrs. Charles Alsbrook
Josh Nunn, of Johnson City, spent the weekend here. He accompanied his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Nunn, to Germantown Sunday to visit his sister, Mrs. W. S. Hamilton, Mr. Hamilton, and children, Anne, Brian, and Jeanne.

Marietta Griffin and Peggie James, of Memphis, visited Mrs. Billy Griffin at Forked Deer and friends in Halls Sunday.
Mrs. Bill Brown and children, Buch and Hathaway, of Colum-

Mrs. McGarrity's 40th Birthday Hailed

Mrs. Bill McGarrity, of Halls, was surprised with a birthday party Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Taylor Stamps and son, Stephen, of Collierville, spending the day with Mrs. McGarrity, took her to Dyersburg, after church, for lunch. When they returned home, a number of relatives and friends were there for the party.

Ice cream and cake were served.

Mrs. McGarrity returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Belmont, of Memphis, to spend several days.

teachers, three (3) elementary music teachers, a Spanish teacher at Halls High, a vocational trade instructor at Halls High, a Curriculum Coordinator at Ripley Elementary, a system-wide business manager, an assistant principal at Ripley High, a health occupations teacher at Ripley High, and two additional special ed teachers for our children with disabilities.

These new BEP (Basic Education Program) funds were also used to purchase two fully networked computer labs at Ripley High and Halls High. We also employed instructors for those labs to teach our students to use software tools which are essential to function in today's world.

The Education Improvement Act of 1992 requires school systems to lower the pupil/teacher ratio in all grades. In order to accomplish this, we are using a portion of this year's new funds to purchase additional land for school expansion.

It is clearly the intent of this new state education law and the 1/2 cent tax to improve the quality of education in Tennessee. In Lauderdale County, we intend to use every dollar wisely and in a manner that will directly benefit our students. As a reference, we are still spending approximately five times more per inmate in our correctional facilities in Lauderdale County than we are to educate a child in our school system.

The 1/2 cent sales tax enacted last year did two things: (1) it replaced the funding which was cut in 1991, and (2) it allowed us to begin to put in place changes needed to obtain better results in preparing our students for the future.

Continuation of the 1/2 cent sales tax will enable us to continue these worthwhile programs and allow us to make additional improvements in the coming school year.

For more information, call BEP-WEBC at School Supt.

Births

To Sr. Master Sgt. and Mrs. Dennis Kasch of Scott Air Force Base Ill., a 7 lb., 8 oz. son, Michael Ryan, Dec. 16th, in Scott Medical Center. He has a sister, Laura, 4. Grandparents are Mrs. Eluina Kasch, of Madison, South Dakota and Mr. and Mrs. Bernell Bowie, of Halls.

Readers Speak

Editor:
When students returned to school this past fall in Lauderdale County, they began reaping the benefits of the 1/2 cent sales tax for education, which was implemented last year, by the state legislature.

Lauderdale County's share of these new funds is \$1,239,688.

These new funds are distributed to the school systems based upon the number of students in the system, regardless of the wealth or tax base in the given county or school district. Therefore, Lauderdale County receives approximately five times more from this state-wide tax than would be generated from a local 1/2 cent sales tax. These funds can be used for classroom and non-classroom use but none can be used to increase salaries.

In Lauderdale County, the Board of Education decided to use most of the funds to employ additional teachers in order to offer more courses for our students. To be specific, the school board used these funds to employ six (6) elementary physical education

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Carl Turley Fowler, Jr., 28, of Sharon Jo Heguy, 31, by Roy W. Harkness.
Jan. 19th —
Michael James Morgan, 31, of Betina Alley, 23, by Rev. J. J. Nance.
Jan. 22nd —
Brian Tucker Stovall, 24, of Rachel Dawn Clem, 19, by Carmon Garrison.

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HES Honor Roll
4th Grade — Principal's List: Leah Simpson, Jennifer Geines, Denise McAlister, Kara Steelman.
4th Grade — Honor Roll: Justin Allen, Brian Bentley, Vance Brewster, Leah Hestor, Stuart McAmore, Jason Sanders, Ronnie Ables, Adam Pruitt, Amanda Taylor, Candice Jarrett, Jami Nolen, Candi Layne, Will Bird, Stephanie Belton, Jonathan Woodard, Corey Dupree, Will Morris, Kim Shanda, Eric Nixon, Ashley Hutcherson, Kali Vaughn, Matt Ward, Mary Younger, Samuel Stenson, Paul Rodenhouser, Leslie Rogers, Megan Jordan, Daniel Hogeland, Joanna Scott.
5th Grade — Principal's List: Justin Meeks, Alicia Hardy, Jackie Hutcherson.
5th Grade — Honor Roll: Hannah Mosier, Derek Claybrooke, Amber Sadler, Brandon Paige, Diana Paschal, John Allen Noblin, Renee Resco, Jessica Bruggin, Crystal McCallin, Jerry Fitzhugh, Kristen Vaughn, Robert Rodgers, Van Piphus, Emily Olds, Allison Fisher, Kelly Brimm, Melissa Hart, Leslie Kennedy, Amber Sauber, Daisie Severs, Skyler Smith, Lorry Taylor, Rickey Taylor, Shawna White, Pam Martin, Katie Cook, Rachel Warren, Kyle Terry, Angela Laws, Cheriah Bradford, Jacob Newman.
6th Grade — Principal's List: Angela Pugh, Addison Hanford.
6th Grade — Honor Roll: Heather Wyrick, Jordan Crichfield, Sarah Buck, Cateesa Moses, Brandon Lee, Candace Frazier, Robert McDearman, Lana Hammock, Tiffany Pittman, Eric Wright, Mark Cunningham, Bradley Harrell, Richard Harrell, Michael Dupree, Larry Mosier, April Permenter, Eugene Pugh, Jonathan Rogers, Nicole Ward, Kenny Pridmore, Alan Meadows, Tabitha Kirby, Jonathan Hilliard.

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Blest Be The Ties That Bind? Best They're Not Switched!

By Mrs. Evelyn Cates
NANKIPOO, Jan. 26 — Men's Day was observed in Enon Baptist Church here Sunday.

Earlier, the Sunday School superintendent, Gary Steelman, and the interim pastor, The Rev. J. B. Haynes, had discussed the possible attendance in Sunday School on this date. The Rev. Haynes told Gary if the attendance was more than 61 he could cut his tie. As it turned out, the preacher borrowed one of Gary's ties from Mrs. Steelman to wear so Gary, not knowing, cut his own tie in half. Later, the preacher gave Gary a new tie.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Webb, of Memphis, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Jerry's aunt, Mrs. Irene Cates.

Elizabeth Collins visited Mrs. Margie Davenport in Dyersburg Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Olds and Mrs. Virginia Olds visited Mr. and Mrs. Clint Grear in Jackson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Belton, Jr., of Memphis, spent Saturday with Raymond's parents.

Mrs. Bonnie Sue Hutcherson is home after surgery last week in Baptist Hospital in Memphis.

Richard Lazure had surgery in a Memphis hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Belton, of Arab, Ala., spent Wednesday before last with Dudley's mother, Mrs. Lula Belton.

Concord Locals

By Mrs. Louise Fennell
Mrs. Randy Shemin and baby, of Nashville, spent from Wednesday of last week until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Burks.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Beard, of RoEllen, were Sunday dinner guests of the J. D. McNeills.

Mrs. Lynn Bushhart, Mrs. Jerry Hensley, and Ray Chipman, of Memphis, visited Mrs. Louie Langley Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Williams, of Halls, and Mrs. Charley Cherry and grandson, Charley, of Ripley, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Williams Tuesday of last week.

Hollis Johnson and Gus Hughes, of Gates, visited Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McNeill visited J. B. McNeill in Methodist Hospital of Dyersburg Friday night and visited Harry Stanley in Methodist Hospital in Memphis Saturday.

Mrs. Jimmy Burks accompanied her daughter, Jessica, to Nashville Monday of last week for a check-up with her doctor. They had lunch with the Randy Shemins and Georgia Davis.

Mrs. Lewis Mills, of Lightfoot, was a Sunday dinner guest of the Ronnie Carmacks.

Mr. and Mrs. Pharis Escue visited Harry Stanley in Methodist Hospital in Memphis Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Jordan, of Memphis, were Saturday before last dinner guests of the Floyd Emersons.

Mrs. Jerry Parker, of Brownsville, spent Thursday night before last with her mother, Mrs. Lodie Langley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Chalk and daughter, Tina, of Curve, visited Mrs. Lodie Langley Saturday afternoon before last.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McNeill visited Harry (Sonny) Stanley in Methodist Hospital in Memphis Saturday before last. J. D. McNeill and son, Mike, visited him Tuesday before last and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson visited him Tuesday night before last.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Haskins, of Jackson, were Friday before last dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Baker, of Memphis, visited in the Williams home Saturday night before last. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Williams, of Halls, were Sunday afternoon before last visitors and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Climer, of Memphis, visited Monday afternoon before last.

Divorces

Jan. 21st — Randy Gail Bryan vs. Brenda Kay Stark Bryan.

Oliver Joshua Nunn, Jr. vs. Linda Baker Nunn.

Frances Virginia Holloway Conley vs. Joe Alvin Conley, Jr.

Donald M. Clemmer vs. Catherine Denise Clemmer.

Sydney Kirsten Daniel Allison vs. Loren Douglas Allison.

Anniversaries

Jan. 29th — Mr. and Mrs. Patirck Melvin.

Feb. 1st — Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Douglas.

Feb. 2nd — Mr. and Mrs. J. Thomas Caldwell.

Barr Pair Welcome Return From Gulf

By Mrs. Ward Hardy
BARR, Jan. 26 — Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith spent Sunday with the Ronnie Suttons in Covington, to welcome Ronnie's return from duty on the aircraft carrier Kitty Hawk in the Persian Gulf.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Smith spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith.

Mrs. Ray Newman and sons, Michael and Justin, of Memphis, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Gerda Hardy. Mr. Newman joined them Sunday. Donna Hardy and Ronnie Dyles, of Southaven, Miss., spent Saturday with Mrs. Hardy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Regan and Jake Kitchens, of Halls, visited the Ward Hardys Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harrison and daughter, Kelly, attended a birthday celebration for Mrs. Harrison's brother, Jimmy Taylor, in Halls Sunday.

The Rhea Freemans and Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Phillips and daughter, Rhonda, of Curve, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wilson, of Ripley, the Glen Arthurs, of Edith, and Rob Harris, of Halls, enjoyed a coon supper in the home of the Dana Freemans at Arp Friday evening before last.

Randy Hardy and daughters, Alicia and Anna, of Edith, visited the Ward Hardys Sunday before last.

The Erle Kissells and son, Shawn, of Dry Hill, the Mike Woodards, Amanda Brown, the Ray Langleys and the Myron Kissells, of Ripley, and Mr. and Mrs. Darin Kissell and daughter, Amanda, of Woodville, visited the Ithmer Kissells Sunday. The Ithmer Kissells visited Mrs. Oman Kissell on Chisholm Lake Road Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Arthur, of Edith, visited Leamond Arthur Sunday.

Birthdays

Jan. 28th — Nancy Lovelace, Pam Tillman, Tony Lynn Sanders, Ray Clark.

Jan. 29th — Bimbo Pennington, Jeanie Cribfield, Don Meadows, Doty Sadler, Gentry Lacy, Hilton Vaughn, Jimmy Seeley, John Anthony, Robert Ammons, Jr., Vernon McBride III, Charles Stephens, Ed Emerson, Glenda Ward, James Tyus, Jeff Puckett, M. Elizabeth Vaden, Marcia Kelley, Shareese Jones.

Jan. 30th — Erin King, Janie Little, Larry Barfield, Lewanna Walker, Mary Meeks, Melinda Davis, Patsy Hoggard, Sherry Vaden Brown, Derisha Pettigrew.

Jan. 31st — Christopher Brown, Orena Holt, Jetti Heath, Linda Carlew, Randy McKay.

Feb. 1st — Roy Sanders.

Feb. 2nd — Denise Smith, Jamesotis Lacy, Matt Savage Berkley, John Meeks, Kathy McAlpine, Larnell Morgan.

Feb. 3rd — Carlton Drumwright, Jesse Hoyt, Josh Tims, Sonja Tucker, Adron Wiggins, Jr., Barbara Carmack, Betty Pease, Jason Cox, Robert (Bubba) Lewis, Tommy Roberts.

Land Transfers

Jan. 19th — Bret A. Cook to Holford Swanner et ux, 2 tr.

Bobbie Ann Douglas to Billie Jay Douglas et al, lot.

Sherrin Kay Reviere to Tubby J. Willis et ux, 0.3441 acres.

Robert Lewis Crawford et ux to Betty Walker, lot.

William Tucker et ux to Martha M. Hunt, lot.

Jan. 21st — Robert Simon, Jr. et ux to Lindell Blackwood et ux, lot.

Loudean Belton Cross et al to Jerry Olds et ux, 82.566 acres.

James M. Campbell to Steve Long et ux, 30 acres.

J. C. Wakefield, Jr. to Delene W. Spray, 1 acre.

Jan. 22nd — Francis Thompson et ux to Frank V. Thompson et ux, 2 tr.

Francis Thompson et ux to James W. Thompson et ux, 3 tr. Lauderdale County Farm Bureau to L. A. Pennington et ux, .029 acres.

well, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McCaslin, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hendren.

Digestion is the great secret of life. —Sydney Smith

Forked Deer

By Mrs. Red Williams
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kirby, Mrs. Edna M. Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby White and Mrs. Myrtle Lee Kirkpatrick, of Memphis, have visited Mrs. Edna White.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bird and son, Will, visited relatives in Jackson Sunday.

Mrs. Ann Smith, of Fairfield, Calif., and Mrs. Ella Martin, of Overland Park, Kans., returned to their homes Saturday after being called here due to the death of their brother, Johnny Hale.

Harry C. Stanley is in Methodist Hospital in Memphis. Mrs. Stanley is with him. Visiting him have been Mr. and Mrs. Steve Stanley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hartman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Brent Stanley and family and Mr. and Mrs. David Murray and family, of Dyersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Vaden, Sr. shopped in Millington Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Red Williams visited Mrs. Clyde Mathis and Polly Ann Overton in Brownsville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jacobs and Mrs. Jessie King visited Harry C. Stanley in Methodist Hospital in Memphis one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard English visited Mr. and Mrs. David Paris in Ripley Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. W. Turner visited her mother, Mrs. Lelia Spiller, in Brownsville, one day last week.

Mrs. Crowder

Annie Laura Crowder, 85,

widow of Larkin Crowder, died at 6 a.m. Tuesday in Hillhaven Convalescent Center in Ripley.

Services were set for 2 p.m. Thursday in Garner's Ripley Funeral Home, with burial in Mary's Chapel Cemetery.

Born in this county, July 6, 1907, she was the daughter of the late Robert M. and Lillie Escue Murley.

She leaves three daughters, Mrs. Marjorie Holloway, of Ripley, Mrs. Virginia Brasfield, of Madison, Ill., and Mrs. Eloise Grimes, of Reed Springs, Mo.; a step-son, Miller Crowder, of Clarksville, Ind.; three brothers, Edward and Robert L. Murley, of Ripley, and Wilson Murley, of Sac City, Iowa; a sister, Mrs. Florence Mincey, of Dyersburg; 11 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Doyle E. Flowers

Doyle E. Flowers, 72, of Dyersburg, brother of Mrs. Nettie Jean Garrison, of Halls, died Friday in Veterans Medical Center in Memphis.

Services were at 1 p.m. Monday in Curry Funeral Home in Dyersburg, with burial in Fairview Cemetery.

He was a retired pipe-fitter for the Tenn. Valley Authority. A World War II veteran, he was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

He also leaves five brothers, Bennie, Donald, James, and J. L. Flowers, of Dyersburg, and Edward Flowers, of Port Riley, Fla., and three other sisters, Mrs. Inez Smith, of Dyersburg, Mrs. Joyce Boyd, of Memphis, and Mrs. Betty Ann Wittstruck, of Denver, Colo.

"Vester" Voss

Edward S. "Vester" Voss, 81, of Ripley, retired farmer and Ford tractor dealer, died Friday in Baptist Hospital Lauderdale.

Services were at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in Yarbrough Funeral Home, with burial in the cemetery of Woodville Baptist Church, of which he was a member.

He leaves two daughters, Mrs. Mary Ella Thurmond, of Ripley, and Mrs. Joan Brasher, of Germantown; a half-sister, Mrs. Linnie Lee Reeves, of Ripley; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

School Lunches

Thursday, Jan. 28th
Oven Baked Chicken
Whole Kernal Corn
Fresh Vegetables w/Dip
Rolls

Friday, Jan. 29th
Vegetable Beef
or Chicken Rice Soup
Hot Dog
Choice of Fresh Fruit
Crackers
Cookie
Milk

Monday, Feb. 1st
Hamburger w/Trimings
French Fries
Peach Salad
Peanut Butter Cookie
Milk

Tuesday, Feb. 2nd
Tacos w/Trimings
Whole Kernal Corn
Pineapple Salad
Cake Squares
Milk

Wednesday, Feb. 3rd

Band Star



CRYSTAL VINCENT, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vincent, of Halls, made the Senior High School All-West Band, and the First Alternate All-State Band, in try-outs in Selmer Saturday. She scored 102.8 of 115 possible points. She is in Halls' Honor Band and Honor Choir.

Barbecue on Bun
Baked Beans
Cabbage Slaw
or Lettuce Salad
Apple Cobbler
Milk

Do not stand in a place of danger trusting in miracles. —Arabic Proverb

PUBLICATION COPY - COMMERCIAL BANK
CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION (Including Domestic and Foreign Subsidiaries)

LEGAL TITLE OF BANK: The Lauderdale County Bank
CITY: Halls, COUNTY: Lauderdale, STATE: Tennessee, ZIP CODE: 38040
STATE BANK NO: 47-1115
FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT: 8
CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE: 12-31-92

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ASSETS					
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:					
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin					
			1	099	1.a.
b. Interest-bearing balances					
				39	1.b.
2. Securities					
			3	077	2.
3. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs:					
a. Federal funds sold					
			3	030	3.a.
b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell					
				None	3.b.
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:					
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income					
	13	19			4.a.
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses					
		23			4.b.
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve					
				None	4.c.
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)					
			12	956	4.d.
5. Assets held in trading accounts					
				None	5.
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)					
				577	6.
7. Other real estate owned					
				None	7.
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies					
				None	8.
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding					
				None	9.
10. Intangible assets					
				None	10.
11. Other assets					
				423	11.
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)					
			21	196	12.a.
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)					
				None	12.b.
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12.a and 12.b.)					
			21	196	12.c.
LIABILITIES					
13. Deposits:					
a. In domestic offices					
			18	939	13.a.
(1) Noninterest-bearing					
	2	561			13.a.(1)
(2) Interest-bearing					
	1	6378			13.a.(2)
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs					
				None	13.b.
(1) Noninterest-bearing					
				None	13.b.(1)
(2) Interest-bearing					
				None	13.b.(2)
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreement to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs:					
a. Federal funds purchased					
				None	14.a.
b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase					
				None	14.b.
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury					
				None	15.
16. Other borrowed money					
				494	16.
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases					
				None	17.
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding					
				None	18.
19. Subordinated notes and debentures					
				None	19.
20. Other liabilities					
				125	20.
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)					
			19	558	21.
22. Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus					
				None	22.
EQUITY CAPITAL					
23. Perpetual preferred stock (No. of shares outstanding)					
				None	23.
24. Common stock (No. of shares a. Authorized)					
				50,000	24.
b. Outstanding					
				35,468	24.
25. Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock)					
a. Undivided profits and capital reserves					
				437	25.
b. LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities					
				846	26.a.
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments					
				None	26.b.
28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)					
			1	638	28.a.
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)					
				None	28.b.
c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 28.a and 28.b.)					
			1	638	28.c.
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28.c.)					
			21	196	29.
MEMORANDA Amounts outstanding as of Report Date					
1.a. Standby letters of credit, Total					
				154	1.a.
1.b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1.a. conveyed to others through participations					
				None	1.b.
NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report.					
I/We, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief.					
SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT					
Lynda S. Buffaloe, Vice President				DATE SIGNED: 1-21-93	
NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT					
Lynda S. Buffaloe, Vice President					
AREA CODE/PHONE NO. (901) 635-0301					
We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct.					
SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: Rebecca M. Williams, Lynda S. Buffaloe, Charles J. ...					
State of Tennessee, County of Lauderdale					
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21st day of January, 1993.					
I and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.					
My commission expires 1-22-96					
Signature Notary Public					