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True Bills Returned By October's Grand Jury

James Phillip Webb was charged with setting fire to personal property/land; burglary of auto, 7 counts; theft \$10,000-60,000; theft \$1,000-10,000; theft \$500-1,000, 2 counts; theft less than \$500, 2 counts; vandalism \$1,000-10,000; and attempted burglary of auto in the October Grand Jury indictments returned Tuesday. The incident occurred Sept. 22nd at the Ed Jones Boat Ramp on the Mississippi River. Webb and a juvenile were arrested the following Tuesday by Lauderdale County Sheriff's Deputies.

Other indictments returned include Michael Alan Ammons, violation HMVO; felony DUI; prior DUI; violation implied consent.

Reginald Derrell Baldon, aka Red, burglary; vandalism \$10,000-60,000; theft less than \$500, 2 counts.

Casey Lynn Booker, violation HMVO.

Michelle Clark, felony failure to appear.

Jeffrey Darnell Robinson, burglary of vehicle; theft less than \$500.

Aquarian Ross, burglary of vehicle; theft less than \$500.

Odean Cooper, possession Schedule II (cocaine) with intent to deliver 0.5 grams or more.

Jerry Steven Cothran, attempt to manufacture Schedule II (Meth); simple possession Schedule II (Meth); simple possession Schedule VI (Marijuana); possession of drug paraphernalia; possession of weapon, three counts.

Alfred Lanier Smith, III, attempt to manufacture Schedule II (Meth); simple possession Schedule II (Meth); simple possession Schedule VI (Marijuana); possession of drug paraphernalia; possession of weapon, three counts.

Alonzo Wendell Cox, felony DUI; prior DUI; DRL; prior DRL; violation of implied consent.

Mark Kelley Cruce, felony DUI; prior DUI; DRL; prior DRL; violation of implied consent.

Tyrone Currie, aggravated

assault; evading arrest.

Jerri Ann Farris, aka Jerri Ann Rogers, DUI; prior DUI; violation of implied consent.

James R. Forbish, violation HMVO; felony DUI; prior DUI; violation implied consent.

Derrick Dewayne Gilliam, aggravated burglary; theft \$1,000-10,000.

Misty N. Vaughn, aggravated burglary; theft \$1,000-10,000.

William Dale Vaughn, aggravated burglary; theft \$1,000-10,000.

John W. Goodman, aka Billy William Goodman, possession of anhydrous ammonia; theft less than \$500.

Jeffrey Brian Gwaltney, violation HMVO; felony DUI; felony DUI per se; prior DUI; simple possession Schedule VI (Marijuana); possession of weapon.

Randy T. Harris, DUI; DUI per se; prior DUI.

Phillip Gregory Houston, possession Schedule VI (marijuana) with intent to deliver 1/2 oz. or more.

Ellis Randy Singleton, theft \$1,000-10,000.

Vincent L. Kissell, violation HMVO; evading arrest.

Kelly Y. Liles, DUI; violation of implied consent.

Tony Craig Long, aka Anthony Craig Long, aka Anthony Welch, escape.

Kenneth Oneal Lumley, violation HMVO.

Marilyn R. McMillan, aggravated assault.

Tracy Dianne Moss, simple possession Schedule II (co-

caine); simple possession Schedule VI (marijuana); possession drug paraphernalia.

Bobby G. Paris, violation HMVO.

Theresa Gay Parker, aka Teresa Gay Parker, possession Schedule II (cocaine) with intent to deliver less than 0.5 grams; identity theft; forgery; theft less than \$500.

Antonio Dewayne Patrick, aggravated assault; felony evading arrest endangering others; possession schedule VI (marijuana) with intent to deliver less than 1/2 oz.; DUI; DUI per se.

Acie Lynn Pike, possession schedule II (cocaine) with intent to deliver less than 0.5 grams; possession weapon by felon; possession drug paraphernalia.

Kithen Riley, forgery; theft more than \$500.

Amos Taylor, forgery; theft more than \$500.

Richard C. Rogers, burglary of vehicle; theft \$1,000-10,000.

Tommy Joyce Sherard, aka Tommy Joyce Foster, aka Tommy Joyce Pilkington, forgery, 5 counts; theft less than \$500.

Matthew Widner, Tampering with evidence; forgery, 2 counts; theft less than \$500.

John Wayne Short, DRL.

Calvin Renard Steel, possession Schedule II (cocaine) with intent to deliver less than 0.5 grams; simple possession Schedule VI.

Claudie Taran Taylor, aggravated robbery.

Tracy Lahoma Taylor, fraudulent use of credit card \$500-\$1,000.

Danny Oneal Thompson, possession Schedule II (cocaine) with intent to deliver 0.5 grams or more; felony evading arrest.

Joseph Vaughn, felony evading arrest endangering others; DRL.

Barry Wallace, forgery; theft less than \$500.

Brandy Wallace, forgery, 3 counts; theft less than \$500.

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HALLS ELEMENTARY School Cafeteria employees and Mina Jenkins, thought it would be a good idea to have students bring in pennies to aid the attack victims. During two weeks, students turned in \$3,443.34, which will be turned in to the American Red Cross, and the winning home-room was Beth James' second grade class with \$276.05.

SEEKS CANDIDATES

The Lauderdale County Farm Service Agency Office is looking for candidates for the farmer-elected County

Committee election to be held this fall.

Guilford Williams, III is presently holding the position over Local Administrative Area (LAA) No. 1., up for election.

Almost anyone eligible to take part in a local FSA program can be a candidate for the committee.

Nomination petitions can be picked up at the county office, 301 Lake Drive, Suite B, and must be returned by Mon., Oct. 29th.

For further information, call 635-7686.

HHS Holds Mock Election



HALLS HIGH SCHOOL government class students held mock elections for the Town of Halls officials. Elected officials include, from left, Kristen Throgmorton and Courtney Smith, aldermen; Julie Pickard, mayor; and Heather Newlin, Tyler Layne, Keri Ivory, and Sara Herder, aldermen. Teacher, Pat Higdon, and students toured the town making notes on campaign strategies. Students chose campaign managers, made

signs, and taped campaign speeches that were played for the entire student body. Julie Pickard was elected mayor on her stand to bring industry back to Halls, establishing a park maintenance department using funds from park usage, and updating city facilities. Students cast their votes, monitored by poll watchers, during the two lunch periods. Board meetings will be held each Monday with committees making reports concerning their particular area.

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Land Transfers

Sept. 24 - Jerry B. Hughes and Cathy Hughes to Bill Woodley and Carol S. Woodley, Dist. 12, 0.280 acres.

Larry W. Fitts to Franklin Paris III, Dist. 2, lot.

Jack F. Crutcher and Peggy Crutcher to Sally Crutcher Shurling, Margaret Crutcher Stoots, Nancy Crutcher, and Virginia Minna Clair Crutcher, Dist. 3, 27.000 acres.

Frances Dailey, Trustee and Frances Dailey Revocable Living Trust to Stevie Bonds and Heather Bonds, Dist. 2, lot.

Divorces

Joan Anita Yarborough Vivian vs. Edward L. Vivian.
Linda Hilliard Bishop vs. Bruce Marty Bishop, Sr.

Concord Locals

By Mrs. Louise Fennel

Mr. and Mrs. Pharis Escue were Sunday dinner guests of their daughter, Mrs. Robbie Ann Lee, in Memphis.

Mrs. Mike McNeill visited her mother, Mrs. Nell Caldwell, and her sister, Mrs. Butch Criner, in Ripley Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Michelle Burke, of

Ripley, Edison Carmack, of Alabama, and Steve Carmack, of Edith, visited one day last week. Mrs. Frances Harrell, of Gates, and Mrs. Ann Sherrod, of Halls, visited Mrs. Carmack Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Dorothy Bridges, of Gates, and Lauren Collins, of Edith, visited Friday.

Kings Creek, S.C., and Mrs. Debbie Eggleston, of West Virginia, spent the weekend with their grandparents, the Winston Carmacks. Mrs. Penny Gaines and Mr. and Mrs. Bret Carmack, of Nankipoo, visited them Thursday of last week and Joe Carmack, of

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Allmon and Mrs. Addie Allmon, of Central, visited the J. D. McNeills Saturday night.

Mrs. Willie Burks was a Sunday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Davis in Dyersburg.

Marriages

Sept. 15 - Nathaniel Carver Payne, 41, to Aniko Vedette Campbell, 24, by William H.

Jarrett.
Sept. 24 - Myron Bernard Braden, 28, to Corando Yolando Malone, 27, by Thomas E. Sanders.

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Saturday Vows Near



KATIE LEIGH DEMPS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Demps, of Lebanon, formerly of Gates, will marry Adam James Hull, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hull, of Westerly, R. I., at 1:30 p.m. Oct. 6th in Immanuel Baptist Church in Lebanon with formal invitations.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Demps, of Florida, and the late Mr. and Mrs. John Strong, of Merrillville, Ind.

A 1999 graduate of Lebanon High School, the bride-elect graduated with honors, was named to Who's Who Among High School Students for two consecutive years, and a member of FCA. She graduated from basic training at Fort Leonard, Mo. and is an MP in the Tennessee National Guard. Katie is employed by Kids World Day Care.

The groom-elect is the grandson of Frederick A. and Irene Hull, of Oxford, Mass., and the late Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bell, of Massachusetts.

A 1997 graduate of Westerly High School in Rhode Island, the groom-elect graduated top in his Army basic training class from Fort Benning, Ga. as an qualifying expert in all weapons systems. He is stationed at Fort Campbell, Ky. in the 101st Airborne-AirAssault Screaming Eagles.

The couple will reside in Pembroke, Ky., where Adam will continue his military career and Katie will further her education.

Birthdays

Oct. 4 - Catherine Glover, Alan Burks, Dorothy Baker, Jackie B. Ward.
Oct. 5 - Jan Bringle, Mary Jones, Hailey Jocelyn Crain, Pat son Meyer, Shanna Cooper Mountjoy, Roger Ogden,

November Vows Slated Top Bowler



MICHELLE SIMPSON, daughter of James and Brenda Simpson, of Ripley, will marry Anthony Vaughan, son of Barbara Vaughan, of Toone, and Jimmy Vaughan, of Bolivar, at 11 a.m. Nov. 3rd in Ripley First Assembly of God Church.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Robert and Evelyn Escue, of Gates, Elton and Margaret Simpson, of Ripley, and the late Virginia Simpson.

The groom-elect is the grandson of Dorothy Hopkins, of Bolivar, the late Kenneth Hopkins, and the late Clara and H.A. Vaughan, Jr.

Shawna White, Charles Clayton Dew, David Hughes.

Oct. 6 - Eugene R. Anthony, John F. Kennedy, Bailey Grace York, Morgan Edwards, Leon Holt, Aretha Pitts, Teresa Marie Wright, David Hamlet, Adam Hamlet, Jessica Ward, Ann Marie Tolene, Coy Crichfield, Jennye Crichfield, Takia Liggeons.

Oct. 7 - Brad Williams, Ted Smith, Roger Conrad, Libby Henderson, Richard Braden, Tammy Ammons, Chris Nunn, Brian Jetton, Chelle Graham, Virginia Vaden, Brenda Burnham, Bill Blakley, Wendy Klutts, Danette Coughlan.

Oct. 8 - Ed Grammer, Will Burlison, Bobby Sanders, Sr., Linda Biggs, Anna Claire Hartman, Sarah Ewell, Hank Walker, Lucy DeSpain, Dawn Sneed, Frank Currie, Logan Luck.

Oct. 9 - Margaret Massey, Jimmy Johnston, Rachel Fitz-



BETHANY PRESCOTT, daughter of Bobby Wayne and Barbara Prescott, of Ripley, was named the top bowler of the week with a 117 high game score Sept. 15th at J.C. Lanes in Dyersburg. She is a member of the Youth Association Bowling Alley at J.C. Lanes.

Kenneth Pridmore, Ted Ward, Melissa Kennedy, Stephen Snell, Catherine Holcomb.

Oct. 10 - Dorothy Jackson, Betty Pegg, Patricia J. Sloan, Debbie Cooper, Nell Stowers, Katie Clark, Diane McCaslin, Kelly Ward, Matthew Stanley.

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Bruceton Visits Halls For Reg. 8-A Contest

Halls High School's Tigers, off a 45-8 loss last week to the Southern Baptist Educational Center, in Olive Branch, Miss., this week host Bruceton, now leading their Region 8-A play.

Last week's game was in Olive Branch, though listed by the Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association to be played in Halls.

The Commercial Appeal, The Covington Leader, and The Jackson Sun went with the TSSAA listing.

Locally, confusion: We had it correct in our

season schedule for Halls but wrong in our weekly article.

The Voice had it right in its weekly article but wrong in listing "Upcoming Games."

SBEC's Win Decisive

The dis-located game was never in doubt as SBEC improved its record to 4-2.

It ran 140 yards to Halls' 79 and got 192 yards passing, to

69. It led in first downs, 18-7. SBEC led 7-0 after one period, 24-8 at the half, and 38-8 after three quarters.

Sophs Made Key Plays

Halls scored in the second period, when quarterback Kyle Blackwood hit a fellow sophomore, Lajoel Nance, for a 33-yard touchdown.

But it was Blackwood's only completion, in six tries.

Senior Maurice Vasser ran for two points after.

Nance also took one of two completions from sophomore Dane Strayhorn for 36 yards.

Vasser rushed 56 yards for Halls, in 13 carries.

Bruceton Stars Jamison

Bruceton's Tigers are led by senior Adrian Jamison (5-11,

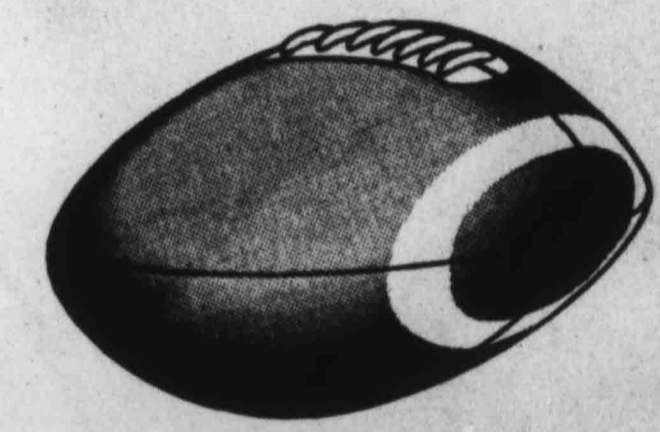
170-185), twice All-State and three times a Mr. Football finalist.

Soph season: 2,047 yards and 21 touchdowns.

Last fall: 1,930 yards, 34 TDs.

This season, he Jamison has led Bruceton to stand 5-1.

Bruceton has lost only to the University School of Jackson, 51-6. It has won from Huntington, 42-14; South Fulton, 42-26; Lake County, 46-0, Camden, 24-7, and West Carroll, 47-0.



Region 8-A Standings

(Ties By Last Pt. Spread, Then Alphabetically) All Reg.

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|--------------|-----|-----|
| Bruceton | 5-1 | 3-0 |
| Greenfield | 6-0 | 2-0 |
| Lake County | 2-4 | 2-1 |
| Halls | 1-5 | 1-1 |
| South Fulton | 3-3 | 1-2 |
| West Carroll | 2-4 | 0-2 |
| Gleason | 0-6 | 0-3 |

Last Week's Scores

Bruceton 47, West Carroll 0
Lake County 27, Gleason 0
Greenfield 26, So. Fulton 19
SBEC 45, Halls 0

This Friday's Games

Bruceton at Halls
Gleason at Greenfield
Lake County at Fulton County
South Fulton at West Carroll
(Italics = Non-Region)



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Technology Center Holds Ceremony



TENNESSEE TECHNOLOGY Center held graduation ceremonies Sept. 21st and recognized 80 students for completion of diploma programs. Thirty-two certificate level alumni were also recognized during the program for their accomplishments during the year.

Gary Douglas began the ceremony by singing *The Lord's Prayer* and Jessica Henson, patient care associate student, led the audience in *God Bless America*.

Kristen Deaton, keynote speaker and graduating practical nursing student, shared her belief in the value of the Technology Center in Lauderdale County.

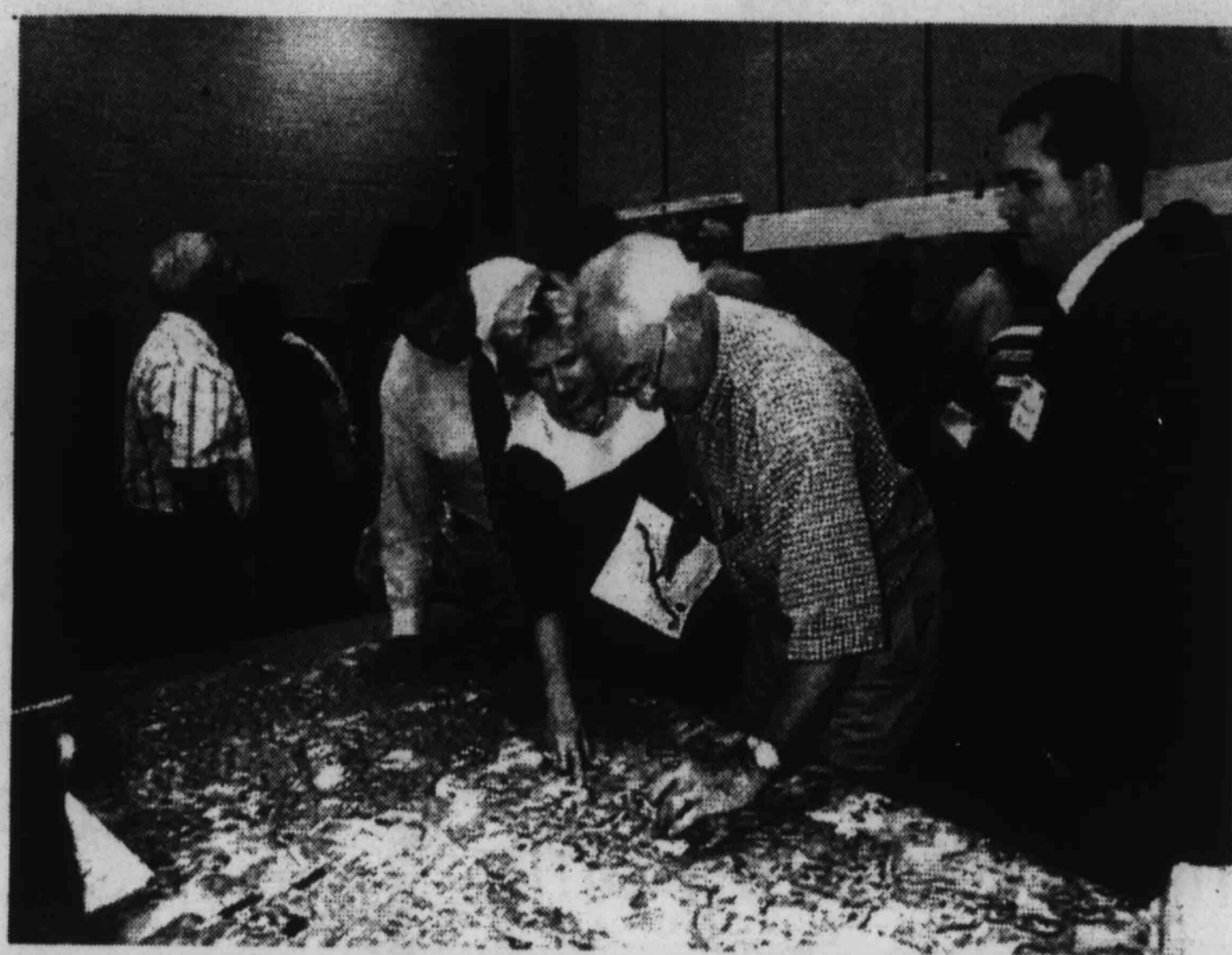
The center offers courses in business systems technology, computer aided drafting, computer operations technology, industrial electricity, patient care associate, practical nursing, and commercial truck driving.

National Lunch Week Observed

Lauderdale County Schools will observe National School Lunch Week Oct. 8th through the 12th with special theme lunches. The theme this year is "School Lunch By The Book" and encourages students to let their mind wander to far-off lands and a world of fantasy, fun, and food.

Each day will feature a different adventure with Monday's, *Classic Creations*; Tuesday's, *Appetizing Adventure*; Wednesday's, *Fantasy Fare*; Thursday's, *Detective Dinner*; and Friday's, *Creature Feature*.

Public Views I-69



LAUDERDALE COUNTIANS met Tuesday at the Tennessee Technology Center in Ripley to view the proposed routes for I-69. Two separate proposals were available for spectators. In upper photo, from right, Brian Lee, civil engineer, consultant from the Palmer Group, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cook, who live on Dunaway Road, and Charles Graves, transportation manager with Tennessee Department of Transportation view a portion of the map showing affected properties. One proposed route will affect the Cook's property. A single proposal is scheduled for completion by late summer of 2002.

Anniversaries

Oct. 4 - Mr. and Mrs. Wally Childress.

Oct. 5 - Mr. and Mrs. Carmon Belton, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Broadstreet.

Oct. 6 - Mr. and Mrs. Joe

White.

Oct. 7 - Mr. and Mrs. John Sammons, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gibbons, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Poe.

Oct. 8 - Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pasley, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Teetzen, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Tinker.

Oct. 9 - Mr. and Mrs. Dallos Burrough.

Oct. 10 - Mr. and Mrs. Mike Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Campbell.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Rood, of Friendship, a 5 lb. 7 oz. son, Brennan Tyler, and a 4 lb. 14 oz. daughter, Sarah Breanna, at 8:30 p.m. and 8:52 p.m. respectively, Sept. 7th in Jackson-Madison County General Hospital. Grandparents are Ken and Linda Long, of Halls, Kenneth and Doris Rood, of Ripley, and Ernest and Joy O'Neal, of Maury City.

BEEF CATTLE

Beef cattle are at risk after a light frost.

Prussic acid or cyanide poisoning usually occurs as a result of animals consuming frost damaged sorghum, sorghum hybrids and sometimes johnsongrass.

The cattle should not be allowed back in the field until ten to fourteen days following the last frost.

Sorghum can be cut as hay after a light frost, but should not be fed to animals for at least ten days following harvest according to University of Tennessee Extension Specialist, Dr. Clyde Lane.

ANIMAL CARE

The Tennessee Dept. of Agriculture (TDA) has received a \$50,000 federal grant to assist in the planning and development of an animal-care emergency program.

"As we have seen in recent months with the foot-and-mouth disease outbreak in the United Kingdom, and acts of terrorism within our own borders, animal-care emergency planning could potentially save lives and help protect Tennessee's billion-dollar livestock industry," said Agriculture Commissioner Dan Wheeler.

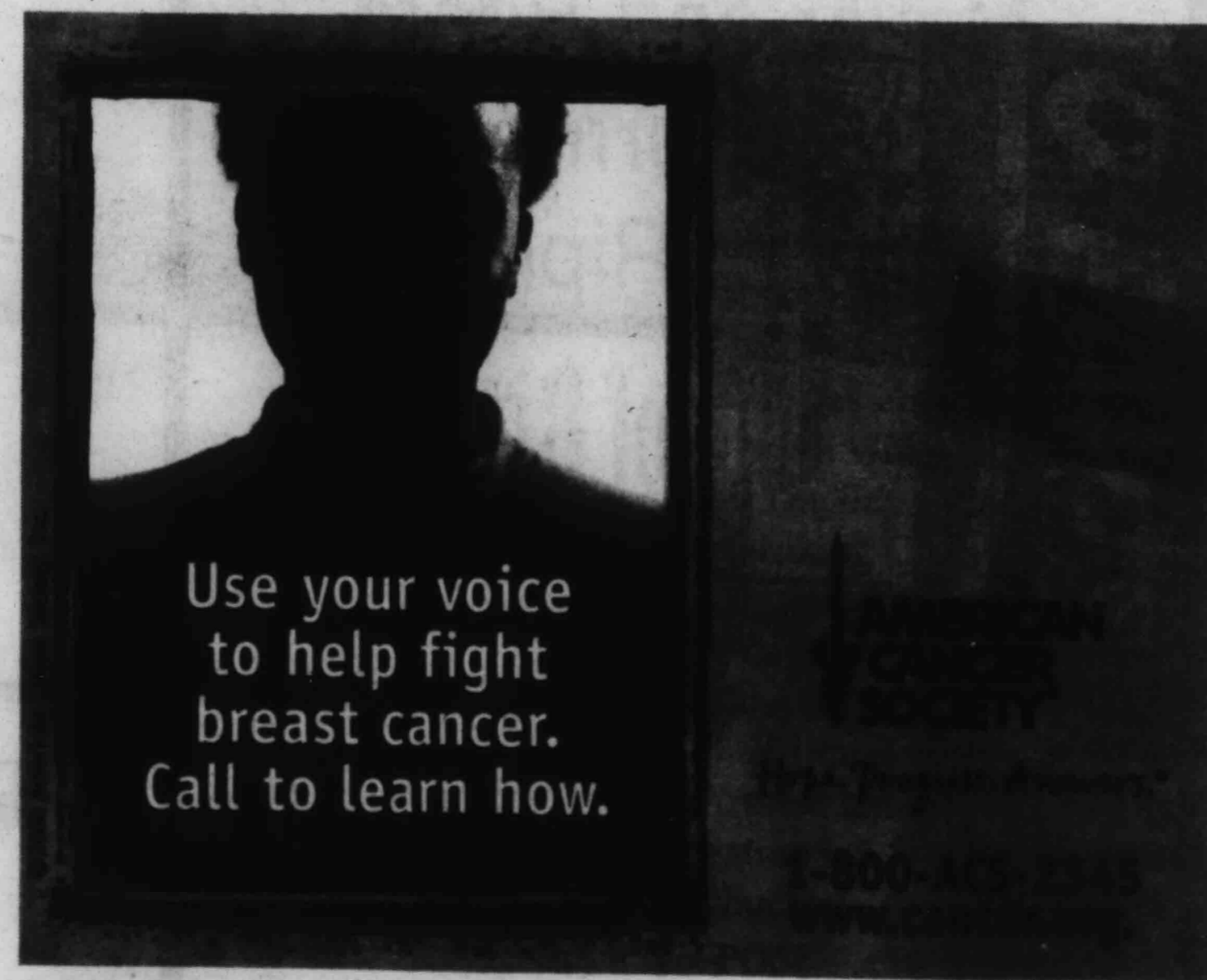
The interagency initiative is laying plans for animal-care or disposal activities in the event of natural, manmade or animal disease disasters.

State veterinarian Ron Wilson cites that the New Madrid

fault underlying much of the western part of the state and nuclear facilities in East Tennessee are potential concerns for animal health emergencies. Quarantine measures are more challenging since Tennessee is a large transportation corridor with six major interstate highways, eight bordering states and the world's busiest air cargo distribution center in Memphis.

Dr. Bob Linnabary, a retired professor from the University of Tennessee, College of Veterinary Medicine, will serve as the state's animal emergency coordinator.

He has more than 20 years of experience in emergency management, including teaching classes on weapons of mass destruction and bioterrorism.



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Fund-Raiser To Be Matched



ALLEN-STONE BOX employees raised \$2,500, which will be sent to the American Red Cross to aid the relief efforts. The home office has informed employees that the amount will be matched bringing the donated total to \$5,000.

Ara Sue Wilson

Ara Sue Webb Wilson, 91, of Ripley, died Sunday, of heart failure, at Baptist Hospital Tipton.

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Grace Baptist Church where she was a member, with burial in Grace Cemetery, Garner Funeral Home in charge.

She was a retired secretary to the chief engineer at the Peabody Hotel.

Mrs. Wilson, the widow of Leamon Wilson, leaves one brother, Parnell Webb, and two sisters, Lady Webb Durham and Ona Webb Voss, all of Ripley.

Austin Conway

Austin B. Conway, 61, of Caruthersville, Mo., father of Roy D. Conway, of Ripley, died Thursday of last week, of heart failure, in Dyersburg.

Rites were at 10 a.m. Friday in Maple Cemetery, Smith Funeral Home in charge.

He was a carpenter.

Survivors include two other sons, Austin Earl Conway, of Finley, and Brian Scott Conway, of Fordland, Mo.; two brothers, James, of Caruthersville, and Donald, of Gramercy, La.; and five sisters, Dorothy Conway, of Fordland, Beverly Waldrop, of Caruthersville, and Demetra Dye, Jo Williams, and Venith Newman, all of Hayti, Mo.

Egbert Grady

Egbert Elvis Grady, 81, of Blue Mountain, Miss., formerly of Halls, died Sunday, at Methodist Hospital Central in Memphis.

Services were at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Halls Funeral Home, with burial in Halls Cemetery.

He was born August 22, 1920 in Halls to Floyd Grady and Dovie Dugan.

He was a member of Hamilton Baptist Church and affiliated with Teachers Union 275, 279 and 391.

The widower of Louise Taylor Grady, he leaves two sons, Taylor Grady, of Red Bank, Miss., and Danny Grady, of Hot Springs Village, Ark.; two daughters, Linda Baker, of Blue Mountain, and Susan Clark, of Southaven, Miss.; three sisters, Virginia O'Neil, of Bartlett, Colett Satterfield, of Birmingham, Ala., and Gatra Bradshaw, of Greenway, Ark.; nine grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

BLOODMOBILE

The American Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at the Tennessee Technology Center Mon., Oct. 15th, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Free T-shirts will be given.

Eligible volunteer blood donors must feel well that day; be 17 years of age; weigh at least 110 pounds; have not donated whole blood in the past

56 days; and have not received notification from Red Cross Blood Services requesting that you not give.

For further information about giving blood, call 1-800-GIVE-LIFE, America's Blood Line.

If there is an overwhelming response in giving blood, another day will be scheduled in November.

COACHES CLINIC

The 2001 Tennessee Men's Basketball Coaches Clinic is scheduled for Oct. 19th and 20th, at the University of Tennessee at Knoxville.

Featured speakers include Hubie Smith, head coach of the Tennessee AAA State Champions in 2001; Buzz Peterson, new coach at Tennessee, who was also a four-year letterman under Coach Smith and member of the 1982 National Championship team; and Pat Head Summitt, who is entering her 27th season as head coach of the Lady Vols.

Fees are \$80 for both Fri. and Sat. sessions, and \$60 for Sat. session only. Walk-in registration fees will be an additional \$10.

The application should include name of school, school address, position, home and office phone, home address and number of days you are attending.

Application and check, made payable to the University of Tennessee, should be mailed to Buzz Peterson Coaches Clinic, University of Tennessee Basketball, 206 Thompson-Boling Arena, Knoxville, TN 37996.

FPCS HONOR ROLL

Lauderdale County students named to the honor roll for the first six weeks at First Presbyterian Christian School of Dyersburg include Caroline Baynes, Jacy Blankenship, Brantley English, Alison Griggs, Hannah Langley, Lauren Martin, Taylor Martin, Stephanie Morris, Brooklyn Simpson, John-Curry Burks, Damon Durham, Hunter

Talley, Shelby Tatum, Hollie Wilson, Kody Breedlove, Peyton English, Cameron Griggs, Mallory Martin, Suzanna Stanley, Brittany Tillman, Gracie Ferrell, and Nicole Griggs for the Administrator's List.

Honor Roll students include Austin Kissell, Michael Ray, Luke Stanley, Caleb Langley, Aaron Morris, Holly Arwood, Amber Smith, Holly Crook, Devin Blankenship, Hayley Jankovsky, Samantha Roach, and Catelyn Meadows.

Those students with perfect attendance include Zach Drumwright, Zachary Harris, Curtis Pennington, Luke Wilson, Caroline Baynes, Jacy Blankenship, Brantley English, Alison Griggs, Austin Kissell, Hannah Langley, Lauren Martin, Taylor Martin, Brooklyn Simpson, Damon Durham, Michael Ray, Hollie Wilson, Peyton English, Cameron Griggs, Caleb Langley, Mallory Martin, Aaron Morris, Brittany Tillman, Holly Arwood, Holly Crook, Nicole Griggs, Shelby Hilliard, Hayley Jankovsky, Melissa Escue, Catelyn Meadows, and Anthony Jones.

Readers Speak

Editor,

In the light of recent events, I remembered a poem that I had written a few years back. I thought its contents would be appropriate for this time in history.

I MUST GO ON

Weary and won
I must go on.

Through the tears
I must go on.

The course that I tread,
I have not chosen, but
I must go on.

I do not know what
tomorrow holds.
I must go on.

One thing I do know,
The Master calls and
I must go on.

Wendell Wiley
Halls

The first chocolate chip cookie is credited to Ruth Wakefield of Massachusetts who called it the chocolate crispie.

Nursing Program Graduates Students



FOUR RIVERS REGIONAL Practical Nursing Program and the Tennessee Technology Center at Ripley held its 2001 capping and pinning ceremony at the Calvary Hill Baptist Church for graduates, in front, from left, Kristen Deaton, Shelia Campbell, Jeannie Harrison, Kristi Wymer, Jo-Ann England, Brett Ballinger, and Belinda Douglas, nursing coordinator; in middle, from left, Shannon Miller, clinical instructor, Connie Hutcherson, Kasie Koonce, Tammy Ledbetter, Sherri Shaw, Candy Smith, Beth Street, teacher, and Dawn Chalk, clinical instructor; and in rear, from left, Eric Gardner, Cynthia Fields, Heidi Griggs, Jimmy Moore, and Anita Michaels.

Fire Prevention History

The history of National Fire Prevention Week has its roots in the Great Chicago Fire, which occurred on October 9, 1871.

This tragic conflagration killed 300 people, left 100,000 homeless and destroyed more than 17,000 structures. The origin of the fire has generated speculation since its occurrence, with the fact and fiction becoming blurred over the years.

One popular legend has it that Mrs. O'Leary was milking her cow when the animal kicked over a lamp, setting the O'Leary barn on fire and starting the spectacular blaze. However, the massive fire began, it swiftly took its toll, burning more than 2,000 acres in 27 hours.

The City of Chicago quickly rebuilt, and within a couple of years, residents began celebrating their successful restoration to memorialize the anniversary of the fire with festivities.

Intending to observe the

fire's anniversary with a more serious commemoration, the Fire Marshals Association of North America (FMANA), the oldest membership section of the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), decided that the 40th anniversary of the Great Chicago Fire should be observed not with festivities, but in a way that would keep the public informed about the importance of fire prevention.

When President Calvin Coolidge proclaimed the first National Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 4-10, 1925, he noted that in the previous year 15,000 lives were lost to fire in the United States.

Calling the loss "startling," President Coolidge's proclamation stated, "This waste results from the conditions which justify a sense of shame and horror; for the greater part of it could and ought to be prevented. It is highly desirable that every effort be made to reform the conditions which have made possible so vast a

destruction of the national wealth."

NFPA continues today to make National Fire Prevention Week a priority and counts on the participation and efforts of tens of thousands of fire and safety professionals, emergency volunteers and other individuals working to reduce the risk of fire and the toll it takes on our society.

School Lunches Lauderdale County Schools

National School Lunch Week School Lunch By The Book

Monday, Oct. 8th Classic Creations

- Peter Pan Pizza
- Eyore Fries
- Farmer McGregor Fresh Vegetables w/Dip
- Tigger Apple Slices
- Little Miss Muffett Muffin
- Mother Goose Milk

Tuesday, October 9th Appetizing Adventure

- 2000 Leagues Lasagna
- Tarzan Tossed Salad
- Jack In The Beanstalk's Green Beans
- Billy The Kid Breadstick
- Black Beard Brownie
- Treasure Map Milk

Wednesday, Oct. 10th Fantasy Fare

- Harry Potter Deli Sandwich
- Dirty Dragon Potatoes
- Cavern Mixed Vegetables

- Quidditch Fruit Cup
- Castle Cookie
- Magic Milk

Thursday, Oct. 11th Detective Dinner

- Nancy Drew Fried Chicken
- P.I. Mashed Potatoes
- Corn & Carrot Clues
- Spy Class Brown Biscuit
- On The Case Cookie
- Magnifying Glass Milk

Friday, Oct. 12th Creature Feature

- Students Choose Meal

WIC SERVICES

The Tennessee Dept. of Health received high marks from large food chains and smaller independent grocery stores across the state that participated in WIC, a program that provides nutritious foods to eligible women and children.

The grocers said they were very satisfied with the way food vouchers are handled and how well the WIC representatives keep them informed about the program.

The study provided an opportunity for feedback about ways to improve services, both to stores and WIC participants.

WIC is a program funded by the United States Dept. of Agriculture, serving pregnant women, new mothers, nursing mothers, infants and children under age five who have

Speaker



JERRY ABBOTT displayed a portion of artifacts he has collected, over the years, during the regular Monday luncheon meeting of the Halls-Gates Rotary Club. Some of the articles in his collection date back as far as the 1700's.

Tiger Band Holds Free Fall Concert

Halls High School Golden Tiger Band will hold its annual fall concert at 7 p.m. Saturday in the Halls High School Gym with free admission. The public is invited.

The band competed at Murray State University in Kentucky Sat., Sept. 29th and finished third in their class.

medical or nutritional needs and meet income guidelines.

The program provides nutrition education and counseling, a specific package of nutritious foods and health care referrals to eligible persons.

WIC clinics are located in all 95 counties and serve approximately 150,000 Tennessee women, infants and children.

One of the major goals of WIC is to prevent health problems and poor birth outcomes. Special accommodations are available to students, homeless, migrant and working persons.

For further information, call the Lauderdale Health Dept. at 635-9711, or 1-800-DIAL-WIC.

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Receives Trophy



JEFF MCWILLIAMS, son of Linda and Barry McWilliams, of Halls, competed in the Super Speedway Nationals in Little Rock, Ark., week before last. He received a

Technology Center Holds Blood Drive

The Tennessee Technology Center will hold a community blood drive from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 15th to replenish supplies, first donated after the Sept. 11th tragedy.



WYLENE TYSON, 67, of Gates, was chosen Senior of the Month at the Halls Senior Center. The Center serves all of Lauderdale County. For more information, call Wendi Henry at 836-5444.

House Fire



A HALLS HOME, owned by Racheal Henry, was the site of a fire at approximately 8:10 a.m., Monday. Halls Fire Department extinguished the fire, which started in the northeast bedroom.

FLU SHOT

Halls Senior Center urges Lauderdale County residents

with a heart condition, lung disease, kidney disease or diabetes, are particularly vulnerable to the flu.

The flu is not just a bad cold, but a major illness that can lead to serious complications. The flu and pneumonia are the fifth highest cause of death of people over 65.

The Halls Senior Center, through Baptist Hospital Lauderdale and Baptist Homecare and Hospice, will offer the flu shot and blood pressure checks.

For further information, call Wendi Henry at the Halls Senior Center, 731-836-5444. Appointments are limited.

U.S. House OKs Big Boost In Farm Aid

By a veto-proof vote of 291-120, the U.S. House of Representatives last Friday sent to the Senate a leap in farm subsidies to 170 billion dollars, over 10 years.

U.S. funds provided more than half of the nation's total farm income last year, The Associated Press reports, but only about 10% of farm income in Tennessee.

Tennessee subsidies of \$47,000,000 a year rose, after the 1996 farm aid bill, to more than \$312,000,000 last year.

Of 21 counties in West Tennessee, Lauderdale was fourth in U.S. funding: \$18,518,402.

Haywood got \$24,705,249; Gibson, \$23,994,798; Crockett \$19,713,187.

The House bill increases basic price supports for cotton, grain, and soy-bean growers by

about 63%, continues subsidies for milk and sugar, restores subsidies for honey, mohair, and wool, and creates a new subsidy program for peanuts.

Critics note that, last year, 63% of funds went to the top 10% of recipients, including many rich individuals (Ted Turner, of CNN, \$190,000.)

"One thing to help a guy farming 2,000 acres in central Illinois, trying to make a full-time job of it and support his family," says Tom Butts, vice-president of the National Farmers Union, "versus helping someone with 10,000 or 20,000 acres to get bigger."

Commissioners Hear Highway Grievances

County Executive Rozelle Criner and Commissioners heard a list of ten grievances from Dr. Isaac Richmond on behalf of local highway department employees.

Richmond, National Director of the Commission on Religion and Racism, conducted an investigation, after receiving complaints several months ago of problems and working conditions on the job from which no relief could be found.

He read a resolution condemning terrorism on behalf of Lauderdale County, which the commissioners passed.

A motion was passed to suspend County Fire Coordinator, John Laton, with pay.

Other motions passed included approval to sign litter grant for \$33,810.00; budget amendment of \$12,265.75 insurance money to be used for small tool replacement from highway dept. theft; and to purchase equipment, in the amount of \$140,000, recommended by the fire committee.

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NOTICE - Chitosan 500 mg. Fat burner is now available at Arnold's Drug Co., 112 E. Main St., Halls. 836-7211. 7-tf

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FOR RENT - Duplex apartment in Halls, call 635-5152 or 635-9766. 30-tf

FOLKLORE JAMBOREE

The University of Tennessee West Tennessee Agricultural Museum will host the Third Annual Fall Folklore Jamboree Sat., Oct. 20th, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., on the north tract of UT Milan Experiment Station, Hwy. 70A/79 N, in Milan.

Over ninety artisans and traditional craftsmen, demonstrating more than 45 different traditional skills, will take the public back in time to family farm jobs and skills.

Admission is free and the public is urged to attend.

For further information, call 731-686-8067 or 731-686-7362, or email utmilan@usit.net.

Land Transfers

Sept. 28 - Lewis Weslowski and Sue Ann Weslowski to John H. Nelms and Edna Jean Nelms, Dist. 3, 2 lots.

John P. Hendren and Jessica A. Hendren to John M. Manley and Stacy S. Manley, Dist. 6, lot.

Oct. 1 - William H. Land and Louise Land to Mark A. Lemons and Dilek O. Lemons, Dist. 2, 48.400 acres.

David A. Williams, Kamlin Williams, Guilford J. Williams III, Linda Williams, Kenneth Parham, and Cynthia Parham to Michael T. Ross and Tammy L. Ross, Dist. 6, 4.296 acres.

Ronald W. Jones and Ruth

M. Jones to Gregg L. Brown and Devora K. Brown, Dist., 6, 3.124 acres.

Warren Nunn and Eleanor Nunn to M & F Properties, Inc., Dist. 12, lot.

Geraldine C. Stenson to Frank Currie, Dist. 2, lot.

Oct. 2 - Roger Tillman and Elizabeth Tillman to James D. Biggs and Linda L. Biggs, Dist. 10, 8.580 acres.

Oct. 4 - Dorris K. Rodgers to Amy G. Ward, Dist. 12, lot.

John M. Thomas and Tommie A. Thomas to Marvin Moore, Dist. 6, 1.400 acres and Dist. 14, 23.150 acres.

M.L. Hudson to Lewis Buford Hudson, Jr., Dist. 12, lot.

Sick & Ailing

Noel Sherrod is in Baptist Hospital East in Memphis for tests.

SECOND WIND DREAMS

Lauderdale Community Living Center will join forces with Second Wind Dreams, a national, non-profit organization that fulfills dreams in eldercare communities.

Second Wind Dreams is also dedicated to providing educational programs to eldercare staff, thereby enhancing residents' lives and changing the perception of aging.

More than 1,000 dreams

have been fulfilled since Second Wind Dreams was founded in 1997, from the simple request for a new dress to wear to church, to the life-long dream of being united with a loved one separated for many years.

"We are looking forward to making dreams come true for our residents," said Amy McBroom, activity director for Lauderdale Community Living Center. "By fulfilling dreams, we improve the quality of the residents' lives, while giving them the special attention they deserve. When we make a dream come true, we are truly able to give our residents a second wind."

The center provides skilled nursing, long-term care, and occupational, physical and speech rehabilitation services.

They are managed by Community Eldercare Services, a Tupelo, Miss. based company, which operates skilled nursing and long-term care centers, sub-acute rehabilitation facilities and assisted living centers in six states.

more than two days in advance and are valid only for the date specified. The Tennessee Forestry Division can refuse to issue permits or can revoke permits based on fire danger or fire activity.

ADOPTION

Lauderdale County school teacher, Angela Sanders, and her students are involved in Adopt-A-Grandparent, a Jun-

ior Auxiliary program, chaired by Demetra Carmack.

Students visit nursing homes and do crafts with residents, and auxiliary members provide refreshments.

They visited Lauderdale Community Living Center in September and Ripley Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center in October.

**"Small cheer and great welcome makes a merry feast."
-Wm. Shakespeare**

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF STATE HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION BIDS TO BE RECEIVED October 26, 2001
COMPUTER-ASSISTED BIDDING (CAB) MANDATORY ON ALL CONTRACTS
Sealed bids will be received by the State of Tennessee, Department of Transportation, at their offices in the James K. Polk Building, Suite 700, Nashville, Tennessee and at the Sheraton Nashville Downtown, Nashville, Tennessee until 10:00 A.M., Friday, October 26, 2001, and opened publicly at the Sheraton Nashville Downtown at that hour. BENTON, CARROLL, CHESTER, CROCKETT, DECATUR, DYER, FAYETTE, GIBSON, HARDEMAN, HARDIN, HAYWOOD, HENDERSON, HENRY, LAKE, LAUDERDALE, MADISON, McHARRY, OBION, SHELBY, TIPTON, AND WEAKLEY COUNTIES (Contract No. 1902) Project No. S.P. 98044-1193-04 The random on-call guardrail repair on various Interstate and State Routes. Project Length - 0.000 mile Working Days - On or before December 31, 2002 (See Special Provision 1065) NO PLANS CONTRACT COMPUTER-ASSISTED BIDDING (CAB) MANDATORY ON ALL CONTRACTS PROPOSAL CONTRACTS WILL BE ISSUED UNTIL THE TIME SET FOR OPENING BIDS. Prime Contractor must prequalify with the Department of Transportation in accordance with Section 54-6-117 of the "Tennessee Code Annotated" before bidable proposals will be furnished. PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS MUST HAVE FILED THEIR QUESTIONNAIRES FOR QUALIFICATION PRIOR TO 12:00 NOON OF THE DAY PRECEDING THE DATE OF THE LETTING. The Tennessee Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of age, race, color, religion, national origin, sex or disability in consideration for an award. The Tennessee Department of Transportation is an equal opportunity affirmative action employer, and will not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, religion, color, national or ethnic origin, age, disability or military service. Telephone (615) 741-5999. THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS IS RESERVED. Bidding documents and information, other than plans, may be obtained by contacting the Department of Transportation, Construction Division, Suite 700, James K. Polk Building, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0200; telephone number 741-2414. Plans may be obtained by contacting the Tennessee Department of Transportation, City Center, Level A, James K. Polk Building, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0200; telephone number 741-2406. Sales tax will be added to the cost of all documents, where applicable.
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ACCEPTING BIDS

The Town of Halls is accepting bids for a 90 hp tractor and a 20 ft. boom mower. Specifications may be obtained at the Halls Public Works Dept., 940 Industrial Rd. Bids will be opened at 10 a.m., Oct. 25th, at Halls City Hall. 11-21

HALLS TO FLUSH FIRE PLUGS

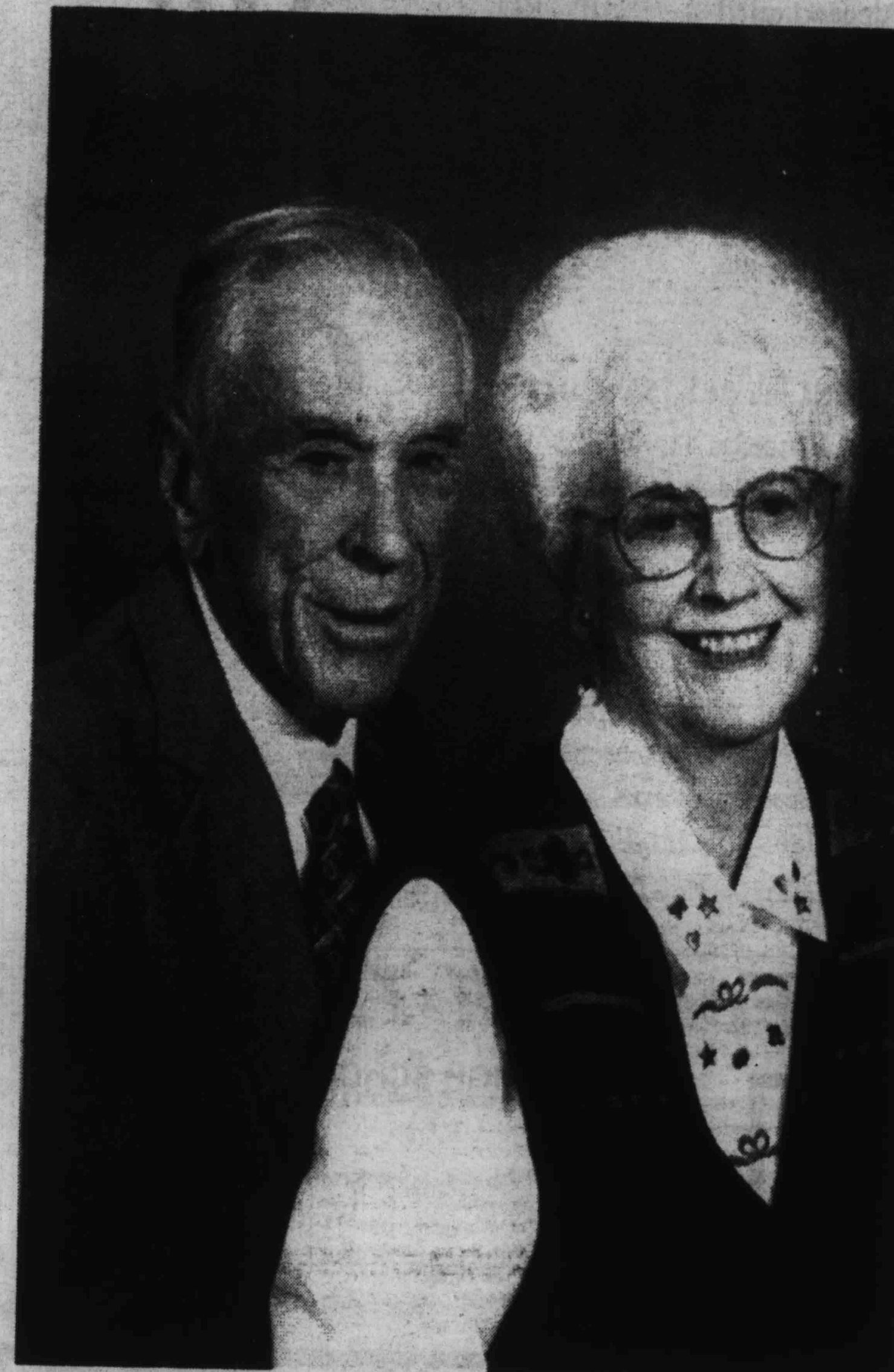
Halls Mayor, Eugene Pugh, says Halls fire plugs will be flushed at 4 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 15th. The Operations could cause some discoloring of water for up to 24 hours. The operation will help prepare the town in the event of an emergency requiring use of fire plugs and determine if any plugs require maintenance.

Anyone with questions may call Halls City Hall 836-9653

PUBLIC NOTICE TOWN OF HALLS

There will be a public Hearing at Halls City Hall Monday, Nov. 5th, at 6:45 p.m., preceding the regular meeting of the board of Mayor and Aldermen, to receive comments on an Ordinance controlling yard, garage, rummage, porch, etc., sales and permit fees for such sales.

Celebrate Anniversary Graduate



MR. AND MRS. A. C. CARTER, of Ripley, celebrated their 71st wedding anniversary Oct. 7th. They were married in Melville United Methodist Church in 1930. The couple has a daughter, Ciscily Dirmeyer, of Memphis, five grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren. Mrs. Carter taught school for 44 years before her retirement. Mr. Carter credits his wife with being a beautiful wife and beautiful person for staying with him for 71 years.

Anniversaries

Oct. 11 - Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ennis.

Oct. 12 - Mr. and Mrs. Paul Meadows, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morris.

Oct. 14 - Mr. and Mrs. Barry Gruggett.

Oct. 15 - Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smalley.

Oct. 17 - Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tidwell, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Taylor.

Carol Newman, 26, by Virgil Presley.

Sept. 28 - Donald Wayne Clark, 44, to Belinda Joyce Clark, 31, by Thomas Eugene Sanders.

Sept. 29 - Edward Michael Thurner, 27, to Terri Rae Sonderman, 21, by Jim Yates.

Ashley Joe Childress, 30, to Kimberly Dawn Rhodes, 21, by Ronnie Elder.

School Lunches Lauderdale County Schools

Monday - Oct. 15th

Pepperoni Pizza
Cheeseburger
Waffle fries
Fresh Vegetable Sticks

Marriages

Sept. 22 - Henry Mark Drumwright, 33, to Stacey



KRISTEN DEATON, daughter of Don and Judy Blackwood, of Ripley, graduated from Four Rivers Regional Practical Nursing Program at the Tennessee Technology Center at Ripley with a 97.6 average. She was valedictorian of her class and received the Florence Nightingale Award. Kristen and her husband, Dicky Deaton, have two children, Seth and Brenna, and live in the Nankipoo community.

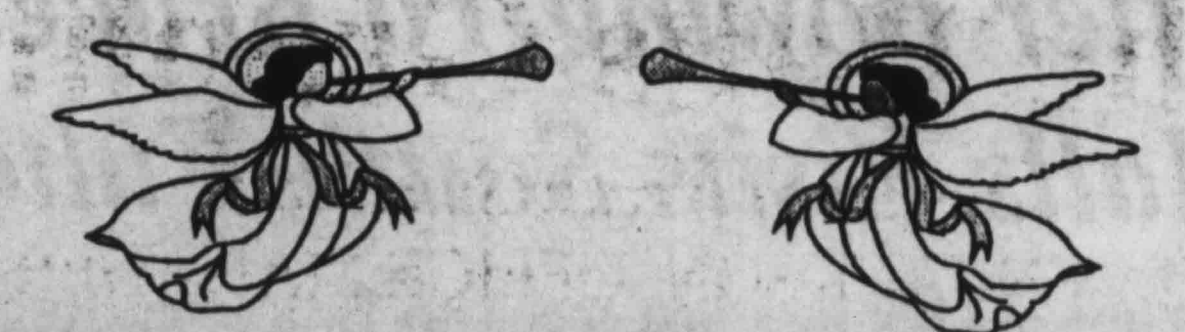
Choice Fresh Fruit
Sugar Cookie
Milk

Tuesday, Oct. 16th
Beef Fingers
Fish Fillets
Whipped Potatoes
Mixed Green Vegetables
Pineapple Chunks
Pear Half
Rolls
Milk

Wednesday, Oct. 17th
Chili Pie
Corn Dog
Corn on Cob
Tossed Green Salad
Fruit Cocktail
Orange Slices
Rolls
Milk

Thursday, Oct. 18th
Fried Chicken
Deli Sandwich
Macaroni & Cheese
Green Beans
Congealed Fruit Salad
Apricots
Rolls
Milk

Friday, Oct. 19th
No School - Parent Teacher Conference



Church Happenings

The Church of Jesus Christ, 9489 Highway 51 N., Halls, will hold dedication services for the building at 7 p.m. Fri., Oct. 12th with Curtis Moseley as guest speaker. Singing will be provided by choir and visiting singers. Refreshments will be served after the service. Dedication services will continue at 7 p.m. Sat., Oct. 13th with Joe Stone, of Ponchatoula, La., and at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Sun., Oct. 14th. J. W. Carroll, pastor, invites the public.

Gates Baptist Church will hold revival and homecoming services Sun., Oct. 14th -17th with The Rev. John Coleman, former youth director of the church, as guest speaker. Lunch will be served at noon with The New Believers, The New Testimonies, and other guest singers featured at 1:15 p.m. Sunday services are at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. with Bible study at 10 a.m. Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday services are at 7 p.m. nightly. Jerrell Dawson, pastor, invites the public.

Calvary Hill Baptist Church Youth Group will have a Judgement House from 5 until 9 p.m., nightly, Oct. 29th through Nov. 2nd, and from 5 until 10 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 3rd. For more information, call the church office at 635-7117.

Williams Chapel Baptist Church and Poplar Grove Cumberland Presbyterian Church will hold a family cook-out from 4 to 6 p.m. Oct. 14th. Bro. Jimmy Clay and Sister Frann Vickers, pastors, invite the public.

Send your church happenings to our office or call, 635-1771, to be included.

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After Bowing To Bruceton, Halls Visits South Fulton

After a 41-6 loss last week to Bruceton, Region 8-A pace-setter, Halls High School's Tigers face another severe test Friday, visiting South Fulton's Red Devils.

Bruceton's stellar back, Adrian Jamison (5-11, 170-185), twice All-State, rushed 288 yards in 16 carries, including three touchdowns.

Junior Patrick Willis (6-1, 195) took two TD passes.

Senior Jonte Willis (6-0, 190) gained 50 yards in eight carries, including a touchdown.

Halls' only score came in the final period, when senior Maurice Vassar (5-8, 170) ran 44 yards into pay dirt.

Not Deep, Devils Hefty

"Not much depth, but we

are very big and strong on both the defensive and offense line," says Coach Gwin Wood, in his 18th season (118-100), his 13th with SF (66-71).

SF was 6-6 last fall, winning from Jackson Christian, 32-7, in the first round of playoffs, before losing to University School of Jackson, in the second round, 56-19.

All six starters up front are back on offense, including senior quarterback Michael Crockett (6-1, 165), who last fall completed 88 of 158 passes for

1,084 yards and nine tallies, despite eight interceptions.

Back-field assets include one senior, several juniors, and two sophs, including full-back Rick Larson (5-10, 190).

In The Line: Lotsa Beef

Ends are seniors Tim Gordon (6-3, 260, strong, quick, and hard to block) and Jason Kelly (6-0, 200), a starter since his sophomore year, who can also play tackle.

At tackle, seniors Jeramie Cross (6-0, 280) and Seth Howell (6-0, 300). Cross has started since his freshman year.

SF is 4-3 this fall: Wins vs. Fulton, Ky., City, 21-14, Gleason, 40-8, Dresden, 26-20, and, last Friday, West Carroll, 20-14; losses to Ballard County, Ky., 36-12, to Bruceton, 42-26, and to Greenfield, 26-12.

Reg. 8-A Standings

(Ties By Last Pt. Spread, Then Alphabetically)

| All | Reg. |
|--------------|---------|
| Bruceton | 6-1 4-0 |
| Greenfield | 7-0 3-0 |
| South Fulton | 4-3 2-2 |
| Lake County | 3-4 2-1 |
| Halls | 1-6 1-2 |
| West Carroll | 2-5 0-3 |
| Gleason | 0-7 0-4 |

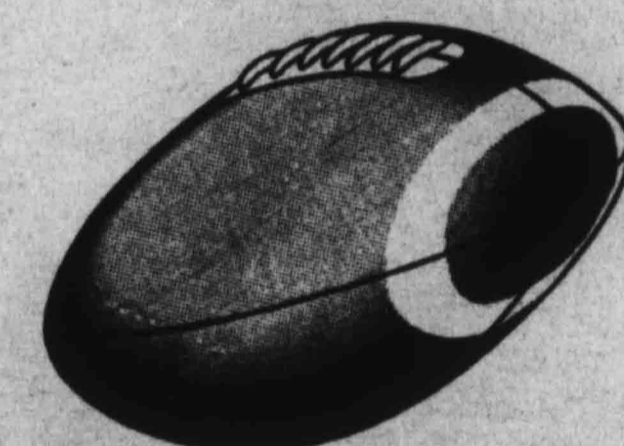
Last Week's Scores

Bruceton 41, Halls 6
Greenfield 45, Gleason 0
Lake Co. 48, Fulton Co. 15
S. Fulton 20, W. Carroll 14

This Friday's Games

Kennett, Mo., at Bruceton
Lake County at Greenfield
Gleason at West Carroll
Halls at South Fulton
(Italics = Non-Region)

Go Tigers, Go!!



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Obituaries

Joe Springfield, Constable, Dies

Joe Springfield, 73, of Ripley, retired policeman and Fourth District constable, died Monday of last week, of heart failure, in Baptist Hospital Lauderdale.

Rites were at noon Saturday in Miles Chapel Christian Methodist Episcopal Church, with burial in Canfield Cemetery, Thompson's Mortuary, of Ripley, in charge.

He leaves his wife, Betty; a son, Joe, Jr., of Memphis; four daughters, Jackie Springfield, of Ripley, Tracy Halliburton, of Henning, Stephanie Hearn, of Memphis, and Carolyn Springfield, of Hazel Crest, Ill.; three brothers, James Springfield, of Ripley, Johnny Roy Springfield, of New York; three sisters, Charlotte Dugan, of Peoria, Ill., Geraldine Moody, of Elyria, Ohio, and Joy Chavers, of Dayton, Ohio; 19 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Carmack

Pauline Springer Carmack, 79, of 2655 Concord Road, near Gates, died Sunday, of cancer, in her home.

Rites were at 10 a.m. Tuesday in Halls Funeral Home, with burial in Carmack Cemetery.

She had been an assembly line worker and an aide in Halls Elementary School.

She leaves her husband, Winston F. Carmack; five sons, Mike, Pat, Ronnie, and Tim, of Gates, and Jerry, of Jackson; two daughters, Eileen Byrd and Patricia Howard, of Memphis; five sisters, Shirley Wright, of Covington, Virginia Dickinson, of Jackson, Becky Pittman and Peggy Billings, of Bartlett, and Maxine Moore, of Texarkana, Tex.; 19 grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Keltner

Edna O'Neil Keltner, 87, of 1654 West Dry Hill Rd., widow of Brady Keltner, died Saturday, of lung fail-

ure, in St. Francis Hospital in Memphis.

Rites were at 1 p.m. Wednesday in Macedonia Baptist Church, with burial in Memphis Memory Gardens, Halls Funeral Home in charge.

She leaves a daughter, Almeda Bailey, of Ripley; a brother, Charles Harrison, of Hendersonville; two sisters, Naomi Low, of Conroe, Tex., and Reba Clagg, of Scurry, Tex.; three grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

B. F. Ammons

Benjamin Franklin Ammons, 69, of Pinellas Park, Fla., who was born in Halls, died Sept. 27th.

He took an associate degree in business from the University of Illinois.

He retired from the Air Force, as a senior master sergeant, in 1979, after 29 years of service.

He then became housing director for the University of Memphis.

He moved to Florida in 1995. He leaves his wife, Judith; two sons, Klaus, of Fort Smith, Ark., and Daniel, of West Palm Beach, Fla.; a daughter, Vicky Ward, of Memphis; a brother, Billy, of Andover, Ohio; and five grandchildren.

Blount Curry & Roel Funeral Home, of St. Petersburg, Fla. (727-527-1196) furnished information.

Annie Walker

Annie Louise Walker, 89, of Friendship, died Sept. 26th in Ripley Healthcare.

Rites were Sept. 29th in the Friendship Funeral Home, burial in Bellevernon Cemetery.

She was a member of Sorrell's Chapel United Methodist Church. She leaves nephews, Tommy Walker, of Lancaster, S.C., and Larry Walker, of Shawnee, Kans.

Mrs. Meader

Billie Dawn Meader, 74, of Gates, retired from the San Rafael, Calif., police department, died Friday, of a stroke, in her home.

Rites were at 2 p.m. Saturday in Halls Funeral Home, with burial in Halls Cemetery.

She leaves a daughter, Carol

A. C. Carter, Jr.

Anderson Carter, Jr., 80, of 327 Beech Bluff Cemetery Road, Halls, a farmer, died Wednesday of last week, of heart failure.

Rites were at 1 p.m. Saturday in the Halls High School gymnasium, with burial in Old Chapel Cemetery, Hudson Funeral Home in charge.

He leaves his wife, Edna; three sons, A. C. III, Galion, and William Carter, of Halls; three daughters, Amatha Carter and Mary Piphus, of Halls, and Mary Woods, of Detroit, Mich.; a foster son, Charlie Dyson, of 177 Highland, Ripley; a brother, The Rev. William Carter, of 349 Beech Bluff Cemetery Road; a sister, Ovalie Thurmond, of Gary, Ind.; 15 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

Marshall Broglin, Sr.

Marshall R. Broglin, Sr., 57, of Gore Springs, Miss., formerly of Lauderdale County, died Saturday, in Memphis.

Graveside services were at 11 a.m. at Gore Springs Methodist Church, Ray Funeral Home in Cleveland, Miss., in charge.

Mr. Broglin was born October 19, 1943 in Lauderdale County. He married Betty Skinner December 31, 1977 in Maywood, Ill.

He was employed at Duo-Fast for thirty-seven years until his retirement January 1, 2001.

Survivors include his wife, Betty Broglin, of Gore Springs; two sons, Marshall Broglin, Jr., of Chicago, Ill., and John B. Broglin, of Byhalia, Miss.; two daughters, Terri McMinn, of Cleveland, and Melody Weaver, of Lake-in-the-Hills, Ill.; a brother, Thomas Gray, of Alabama; two sisters, Bonnie Pussler, of Tennessee, and Nancy Knowles, of Pennsylvania; and 13 grandchildren.

Warren, of Ripley; four sisters, Eby Lee Jones, of Halls, Bonnie Ruth Carmon, of Memphis, Marlene Costa, of Cordova, and Peggy Lee Lee, of Hattiesburg, Miss.; two grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Mrs. Jenkins

Sharon Goodman Jenkins, 38, of Henning, wife of Bobby R. Jenkins, Jr., died Friday, of cancer, in West Tenn. Skilled Nursing Center in Jackson.

Rites were at 2 p.m. Sunday in Halls Funeral Home, with burial in South Fork Cemetery.

Survivors include a daughter, Jess Elizabeth Jenkins, of Henning; a son, Joseph James Corona, of Homer, Ill.; her parents, James and Rozell Goodman, of Ripley; five brothers, Samuel Goodman, of Ripley, Joel Goodman, of Halls, Carey and James Goodman, of Jackson, and William Goodman, of Taylor, S.C.; and three sisters, Clarissa Goodman, of Henning, Marian Scott, of Gates, and Marilyn Startz, of Romeoville, Ill.

J. M. Sherrod

John Mark Sherrod, 37, of Lawrence Rd., Halls, died Friday, of heart failure, in Baptist Hospital Lauderdale.

Rites were at 2 p.m. Sunday in South Fork Cemetery, Halls Funeral Home in charge.

He leaves his wife, Rene Phillips Sherrod; a son, Eddie; three brothers, Gary, of Ripley, Malcolm, of Sheridan, Ill., and Royce Lynn Sherrod, of Russellville, Ky.; and five sisters, Carolyn Buckner, of 497 Patton Lane, Ripley, Judy Midkiff, of 942 Hwy. 88 east of Gates, Peggy Thomason, of Gates, Pam Hudson, of Halls, and Mary Combs, of Jacksonville, Fla.

Mrs. Young

Virginia Lee Young, 75, of 104 Mill St., Halls, widow of Levoid Young, died Saturday, of heart failure, in Jackson-Madison County Hospital.

Rites were at 3 p.m. Tuesday in Halls Funeral Home, with burial in Archer's Chapel Cemetery at Frog Jump.

She leaves two daughters, Barbara Garrett, of 255 Twin Rivers Road, Halls, and Nancy Cook, of Maury City; five grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Student Loans At DSCC Postponed

Dyersburg State President, Dr. Karen Bowyer, announced today that the College has worked with the Tennessee Board of Regents and the U.S. Department of Education to offer special consideration to those students who have been called to active duty in response to the recent terrorist attacks.

"We see this as a way of helping our students and our nation in the aftermath of these recent tragic events," Dr. Bowyer said. "We will do all we can to make sure that our students, who are being called into active duty service, will not suffer a loss of funds or educational opportunity because they have been called to serve."

Dyersburg State students, who are called to active duty, will have their student loan payments postponed during the period of their active duty service. In addition to this, Dyersburg State will provide a full refund of tuition and other institutional charges to affected students, and they will not have to return financial aid funds they received for books and living expenses. When these students are again able to return to Dyersburg State, the College will re-enroll them as quickly as possible. Students who are called up on active duty need to submit copies of their deployment orders to DSCC's Office of Financial Aid.

Dyersburg State students, who have been called up for active duty service, can contact Sandra Rockett, Director of Financial Aid at (731) 286-3238 for more information.

LUNCH BOX SERENADE

The public is invited to bring a sack lunch and attend the Lunch Box Serenade Friday, noon until 1 p.m., at Ripley City Park.

The Dyersburg State Jazz Choir, "Syncopation," led by Sharon Morris, Jane Wiley and Joe Norris, will perform.

If any one is interested in singing at one of the Friday serenades, call the park office at 635-4645.

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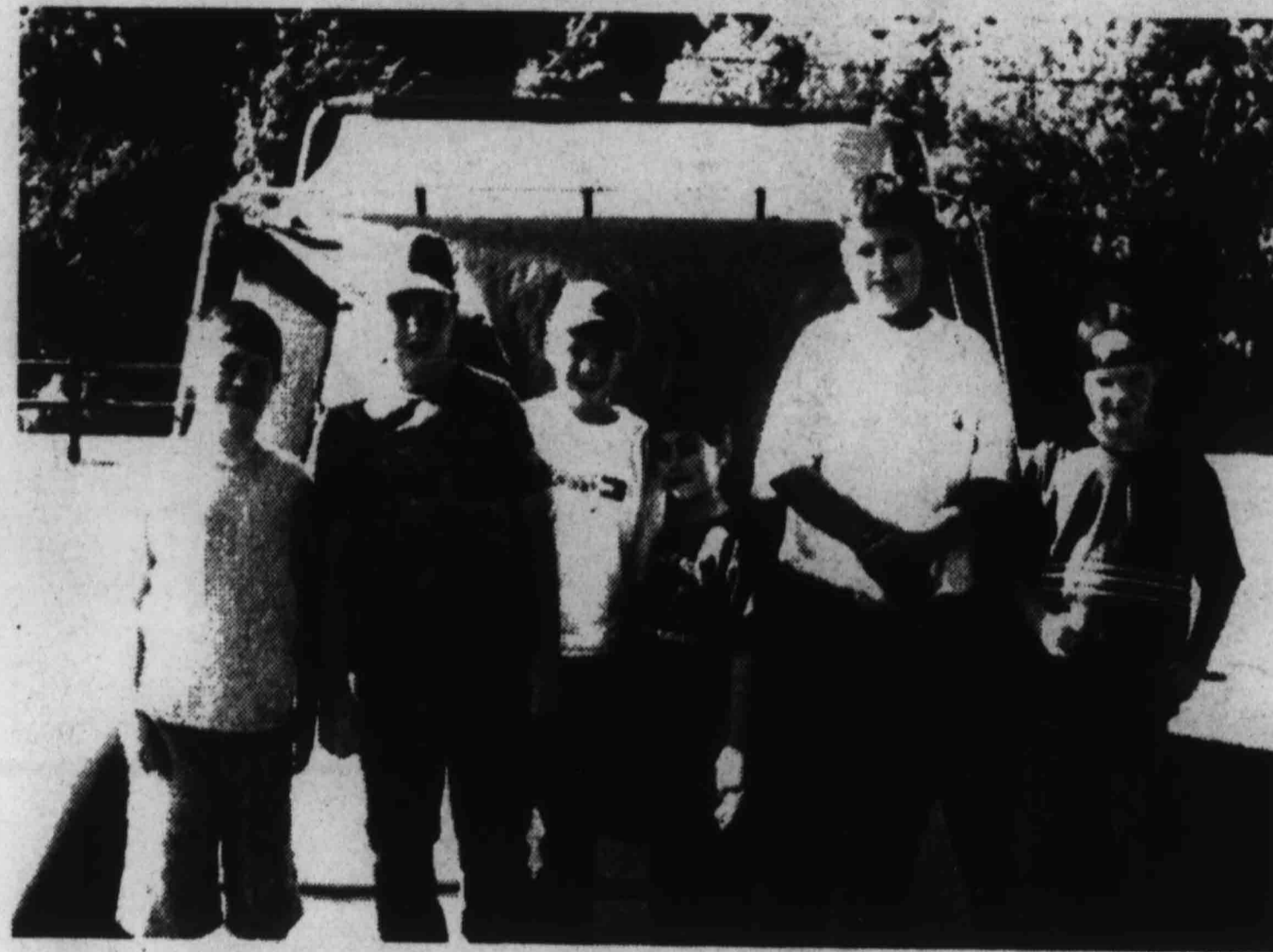
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He's Eleven



TYLER FITZHUGH, left, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Fitzhugh, of Hall, celebrated his 11th birthday Sept. 14th and 15th at his home. Tyler and friends enjoyed camping, hay rides, and roasting hot dogs and marshmallows. Attending were, from left, Tyler, Tyler Rose, Robert Crutchfield, Blake Fitzhugh, Ed Hunt, and Caleb Wright, plus, not pictured, Emilee Hartman.

Festival of Quilts And Needlework

The Bank of Ripley will host the 12th Annual Festival of Quilts and Fine Needlework, Oct. 15th through Nov. 5th, at its Court Square location on Jefferson St.

The public is invited to come during business hours, and view the many heirloom pieces, as well as new ones, on exhibit.

For further information, call 731-635-1230.

held both Sat. and Sun., Oct. 20th & 21st. The battle will begin at 3 p.m. Saturday and at 2 p.m. Sunday. You will be able to visit the camps both days prior to the battle. There will be a church service at 10 a.m. Sunday at the camp. There is no admission charge, so plan to be at Chickasaw State Park, State Route 100, eight miles West of Henderson, on Oct. 20th & 21st.

Divorces

Jerry Lynn Ennis vs. Karen Alica Weaver Ennis.

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RE-ENACTMENT

Friends of Chickasaw State Park and Tennessee Confederate Company "B" Civil War re-enactors announce the tenth annual craft festival and "Battle of Jacks Creek" re-enactment Oct. 20th & 21st, at Chickasaw State Park. The craft festival will be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. All types of art and crafts will be featured. All crafts must be hand made or hand decorated, no flea market stuff. This will be the place to get your Halloween, Thanksgiving, and Christmas things. A special feature this year at the craft festival will be a special performance of "The Rose Creek Village Dancers" at 1:30 p.m. on Sat., Oct. 20th. These dancers will be performing original choreographed Scottish and Celtic dances as seen in "Riverdance". You won't want to miss this.

The Deanburg Volunteer Fire Dept. will have the concession stand, with plenty of good food. "The Grandkids Express Railroad" will be there with rides for the kids and the "adult kids" also.

The Battle of Jack's Creek Civil War re-enactment will be

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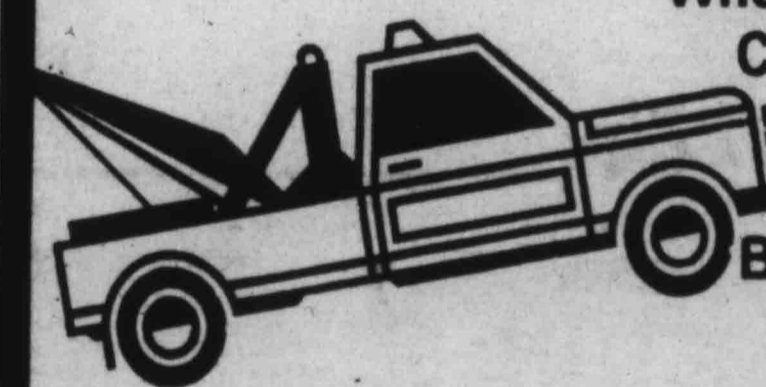
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Receives Award



THE BOARD OF EDUCATION of Lauderdale County received the Board of Distinction Award from the Tennessee School Boards Association. This award is given to school boards that have demonstrated excellence in planning, policy implementation, and board training and development. Board members attending were, from left, in front, Mrs. Eva Drain, Dr. Dave Strong, Mrs. Glarles Thomas, and Mrs. Sarah Harrell; in back, Trey Hurt, Mrs. Maxine Gay, Mrs. Debbie Mays, and Don Ray, plus, not pictured, Garry Sellers.

Dyersburg Army Air Base Meeting

The Dyersburg Army Air Base Memorial Association will hold its quarterly meeting at 7 p.m., Thurs., Oct. 18th, at the Veterans' Museum.

3 Face Kidnapping & Robbery Charges

Three Lauderdale Countians face charges of kidnapping and robbery in Dyer County.

Arrested early Saturday morning were Roosevelt "President" Taylor, 24, of Ripley; Sammy Henson, 18, of Halls; and a 17-year-old Halls boy.

They were each charged with one count of aggravated kidnapping and two counts of aggravated robbery. Taylor and the juvenile were also charged with unlawful possession of a weapon.

Police told the Dyersburg State Gazette that:

The trio robbed a 16-year-old Dyersburg boy, as he left work in Green Village Shopping Center, of \$8, all the money he had.

At gunpoint, they forced a 17-year-old Lenox boy, who was waiting for a

friend in a McDonald's parking lot, to drive to the Dyer County Fairgrounds, where they took from his wallet \$3 and a pay check.

The four went to Kroger, where the victim was ordered to cash the check.

One kidnapper went into the store with him, but the victim ran to safety in the produce section.

The trio fled, but police caught them later, on Lake Road, confiscating a .357 caliber Smith and Wesson revolver and a .380-caliber Jennings semi-automatic handgun with six rounds.

FREE SCREENINGS

Free Screenings are offered for innovative treatment of varicose veins without surgery during the month of October at

Methodist LeBonheur Healthcare/Jackson Hospital.

For further information, call Advanced Vascular at 731-661-2150 to schedule a free screening.

Trophies Brought Home By Halls Band



HALLS GOLDEN TIGER 10 trophies. In Class A2, they were awarded 1st place Band, Field Commander, and Color Guard, and 2nd place Percussion.

They placed 1st in their division for Band, Field Commander, and Color Guard, and 2nd Percussion. They

also received Grand Champion Color Guard and overall Most Entertaining Show. Superior ratings were given to

the Band, Field Commander, Color Guard, and Percussion. The next competition is in Trenton Saturday.

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School Lunches

Lauderdale County Schools

Monday, Oct. 22nd

FALL BREAK
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Tuesday, Oct. 23rd

Chicken Fillet Sandwich
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Fresh Vegetables w/Dip
Peach Slices
Applesauce
Double Chocolate Cookie Milk

Wednesday, Oct. 24th

Beef Cutlet w/Gravy
Ham & Cheese Sandwich
Whipped Potatoes
Steamed Broccoli
Pineapple Chunks
Fruit Cocktail
Rolls
Milk

Thursday, Oct. 25th

Tacos w/Trimmings
Fish Fillets
Corn on Cob
Tossed Salad
W/Choice of Dressing
Congealed Fruit Salad
Pear Half
Rolls
Milk

Friday, Oct. 26th

Vegetable Beef Soup
Crackers
Corn Dog
Fresh Fruit
Ice Cream
Milk

from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., at Fort Pillow State Park.

Activities include hiking, crafting and playing games. Food will be provided.

All girls and their families from Lauderdale County are invited to attend. An information and sign-up table will be available.

For further information, call Joycelyn Robinson, 767-1440, or Lynn Harmon, 738-9175.

GIRL SCOUT FEST

A Community Girl Scout Fest is Saturday, Oct. 20th, 7-tf

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Town of Halls regular monthly meeting of Mayor and Board of Aldermen will be held Monday, Nov. 5, 2001 at 7 P.M. in City Hall.

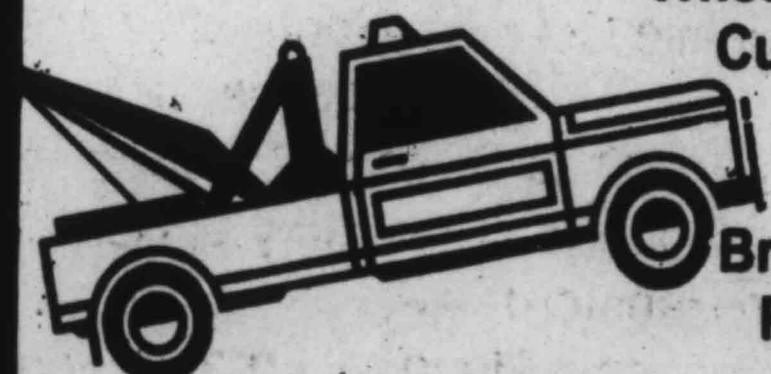
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60th Anniversary



MR. AND MRS. JUDSON L. VADEN, of Halls, will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary Oct. 26th. They were married Oct. 26, 1941 in Caruthersville, Mo.

Mr. Vaden is a retired business owner and World War II veteran, and Mrs. Vaden is a retired daycare owner.

They have four children, James Vaden and Barbara V. Hendren, of Halls, Louis Vaden, of Ripley, and John Vaden, of Germantown; nine grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

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The Lauderdale County Library will have a preschool storytime at 10:30 a.m. Thurs., Oct. 25th, in the Pumpkin Patch.

The storytime will include fall-themed snacks, crafts and activities.

All preschool children are invited to attend.

The deadline for registration is Friday, Oct. 19th. For further information, or to register, call Lynn Harmon at 738-9175.

Oct. 20 - Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Cihfield, Mr. and Mrs. David Kesler, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lyell, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Talbot, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Buckner.

Oct. 22 - Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Young, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Clark.

Oct. 23 - Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Mark L. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Kirkpatrick.

Oct. 24 - Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pipkin, Mr. and Mrs. Duro Ward.

VETERANS INVITED

The Lauderdale Community Living Center invites all veterans in Lauderdale County to a Veteran's Day Celebration at 10 a.m., Wed., Nov. 7th, in the Center, located at 215 Lackey Lane, Ripley.

Special guests include Rozelle Criner, speaker, The Rev. Lyle Larson, of Ripley First Baptist Church, Harley Patter-

son, Ripley High School Jr. ROTC rifle team and color guard, and members of Ripley's National Guard Unit.

Each veteran will be recognized and given a remembrance of the celebration.

Veterans of Lauderdale County are invited to be a part of the celebration. Call and register your name with Amy McBroom or Nancy Ward at 635-5100 or 635-8153.

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Off Devils' Victory, 49-6, HHS Visits West Carroll

After a lone, final period score, Halls High School's Tigers bowed last week to South Fulton's Red Devils, 49-6.

Halls' TD was a 52-yd. run by sophomore Chris Dennis.

The Reg. 8-A tilt tied Halls with West Carroll for next-to-last place in the 7-team region.

The tie ends Friday, when Halls visits the War Eagles.

WC was 8-4 last fall, atop 8-A. It led Perry County, 68-8, in the play-offs, losing in the second round to Bruceton, 32-0.

Coach Chris Rich (21-41) has four 3-year starters: quarterback Jimmy Cherry (5-10,

160), who threw for more than 200 yards and five TDs last fall; All-Region center Brian Forrest (5-8, 242) and All-Region guard Drew Cunningham (5-10, 220); and end/linebacker Don Bukovi (5-9-160).

But WC has sputtered this fall, 2-6, leading only Gibson, 32-14, and last week, Gleason, 39-12. It has lost to Jackson Christian, 48-20, Lake County, 6-0, Caldwell County, Ky., 41-22, McKenzie, 53-7, Bruce-

ton, 47-0, and S. Fulton, 20-14.

Reg. 8-A Standings

(Ties By Last Pt. Spread, Then Alphabetically) All Reg.

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| Bruceton | 7-1 | 4-0 |
| Greenfield | 8-0 | 4-0 |
| South Fulton | 5-3 | 3-2 |
| Lake County | 3-5 | 2-2 |
| West Carroll | 2-6 | 1-3 |
| Halls | 1-7 | 1-3 |
| Gleason | 0-8 | 0-5 |

Last Week's Scores

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| Bruceton 52, Kennett, Mo. 28 |
| West Carroll 39, Gleason 12 |
| Greenfield 40, Lake Cnty. 8 |
| South Fulton 49, Halls 6 |

This Friday's Games

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|-----------------------------|
| Greenfield at Bruceton |
| Memphis Elliston at Gleason |
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Group Performs



GLEN ROAD, an Irish musical group, performed for Halls Junior High School and the Lauderdale Middle School Oct. 16th. The Lauderdale County Council of Arts presented this performance. Members of the group include Mike Dugger, guitarist, Turloch Boylan, flute, and Shelia Macguire, fiddle.

HES HONOR ROLL

Halls Elementary School students on the honor roll for the 1st six-weeks include, Principal's List, 3rd grade, Chase Bowers, Kirby Cherry, Corey Crieffield, Brenna Deaton, Katie Farley, Blake Fitzhugh, Hunter Harrison, Emilee Hartman, Cody Kiestler, Kelsey Layne, Austin McCulley, Kyle Ward, Logan Campbell, Krista Hardy, Taylor Jacobs, Hannah Kelley, Brock Smith, Brittany Ward, Hayden Watts, Joe Staggs, Mary Elizabeth Moore, Robert Conrad, Corey Clevenger, and Jeremy Goforth; 4th grade, Sammy Williams, Clarissa Starks, Penny Archibald, Meagan McBroom, Melinda Meeks, and Marla Haynes; 5th grade, Carley Cherry and Madison Stanley; 6th grade, Britney Bane, Haley Burks, Phylicia Richmond, Emily Sailsbery, Aaron Dannelley, Morgan Latham, Mikayla Thrash, Bobbie Walker, Cody Dew, Jessica Jackson, Britaney Moore, and Heather Spangler; Honor Roll, 3rd grade, Ben Smith, Anthony Person, Zach Griggs, Shenequa Patrick, Steven Bates, Bradley Hall, Andria Cooper, Dalton Gean, Robert Hewes, Christopher Hutcherson, Rachel Mowbray, Clint Riddick, Allison Smith, Brittany Underwood, Amber Worley, Tommy Wright, Timmy Bates, Katye Cherry, Amber Comeaux, Jess Jenkins, Barbara Joyner, Slade Monday, Paige Murray, Shawn Rivera, Chasity Street, Katrina Yarbrough, Josh Thorpe, Tiffany Seiber, Shawn Holland, Mariah Bonds, Shawnee

Burris, Sean Taube, Cindel Welch, Lateia Humphrey, Shelby Jackson, Ryan Midkiff, and Candace Stenson; 4th grade, Matt Newman, Jeff Lent, Shelly Gean, Cody Burks, Ira Bradley, Emily Winters, Dustin Belton, Kristle Bowen, Shameka Eison, Shaquinia Porter, Hollis Belton, C. W. Brown, Cody Perry, Grant Dew, Josh Lents, Briana Patrick, Sasha Rowe, Ben Ray, Nathan Bates, Logan Buckner, Mickey Cherry, Jacob Clark, Casey Crockett, Jessie Ellison, Matt Taylor, Graham Moore, David Davidson, and Brad Cain; 5th grade, Natalie Grantland, Kristen McCallister, Avonlea Brewster, Josh Winn, Todd Aitken, Josh Bates, Rebecca Morris, Sarah Sorrell, Nathan Smith, Craig Davis, Joey Hixson, Tommy Isak, Larry Larrick, John Miller, Ashley Thompson, Anne Tolene, Bradley Belton, Jerry Patrick, Ashton Smith, Stacy Olds, Andy Gaines, Heather Hill, Casey Hogue, C. J. Barham, Michael Coley, Stephanie Conder, Seth Deaton, Amanda Grivet, David Hamilton, Madison Hamlet, Josh Hixson, Janice Jordan, Joseph Staben, and Kayla White; 6th grade, Ashley Arthur, L. J. Cates, Jeremy Fitzhugh, Crandon Glynn, Cody Hutcheson, Kristy Lee, Christi Meeks, Cody Prestridge, Nathan Sadler, Sandy Benjamin, Derek Chipman, Jessica Milam, Teresa Wright, Autumn Hutchison, Jessica Laws, Tyler Rose, Dorothy White, Amber Walton, Koty Douglas, Cassie King, Chris Hardy, and Randi Crockett.

Marriages

Oct. 5 - James Hunter Waggener, 69, to Jewel Yvonne Moffatt, 56, by Thomas E. Sanders.
 Oct. 6 - Mark Thomas Matasich, 45, to Kimberly Ann Claus, 36, by Ollie J. Allen.
 Oct. 8 - Bobby Ray Bridgewater, 45, to Brenda Gale Burns, 43, by William R. Elder.

Grant Recipients



TEACHERS, in the Lauderdale County school system, received mini-grants from the Lauderdale County Education Foundation totaling \$5,023.95. The Foundation offers teacher grants each fall to any certified personnel, who apply with a winning grant idea. Recipients include, from left, Rose Lummus, Judy Cummings, Donna Thompson, Donna Reaves, Marilyn Craig, Ernestine Henderson, Linda Jetton, June Bates, Teresa White, Louanne Little, Bryan Finley, and Amy Cates, plus, not pictured, Melanie Sargent, Robin Finley, and Sandy McLemore.

Birthdays

Oct. 18 - Bobbie White, Mary Ann Williams, Mona King, Dona Smith, Mark Drumwright, Carolyn Pilcher, Steven Bridges, Allyson Jennings, Betty Lovelace, Clara Cannon, Ashley Hansford, Valeria Ogden, Steve Pennington, Krissy Lee.
 Oct. 19 - Clara Young, Dr. Terry Conner, Katy Patterson, Melissa Anderson, Gerry Abbott, Deana Graham, Jennifer Baker, Juanita Hardy, Delmus Connell, Shelia Littles, Mary Ann Lazure, Jerry Abbott, Beverly Eison.
 Oct. 20 - Ellen Booker, Mary Elizabeth Carnell, Franklin Clark, Shirley White.
 Oct. 21 - Chris Wong, Nancy Allen, Justin Hughes, Carter Criner, James Wiseman, Bruce Harrison, Elizabeth

Bentley, Jason Jacques, Lynn Ezekiel, Nate Callender, Ricky Patrick, Jr., Dave Johnson, Barbara Hughes, Brandi Rickard, Mickey Moore.

Oct. 22 - Rosemary Carter, Lucille Tillman, Babylon Neal, J. Thomas Caldwell, Linda Gaines, Hailee Bridges, Marty Walker, Jennifer Broglin, John Noblin, Dylan Rose.

Oct. 23 - Joey Ing, III, Tyler Pattat, Cynthia Goforth, Alice Brown, Jean Holt, Norris Wheeler, Steven Tate, Kevin Henderson, Bryan Hartman, Guenda Vincent, Beverly Hastings, Janna Searce, Pauline Barcroft, Steven (Pete) McAlister, Kelley Sirtoy Ward, Beth Patterson, Jimmy Blakley, Lillian McPherson.

Oct. 24 - David Mueller, Deborah Roach, Pam Drumwright, Cliff Stowers, Ronnie Carmack, Anna Wagoner, Terry Harden, Richard Kerley, Amanda Kennedy, Marva Temple.

Land Transfers

Oct. 9 - Janie Watkins and

Frank Watkins to Raymond Gilliland, Dist. 12, lot.

Frank Watkins and Janie Watkins to Donald Williams and Anita Williams, Dist. 12, 0.460 acres.

Joe Patty Ellis to Vicky K. Lovelady, Dist. 15, 0.628 acres.

Mike Douglas and Leigh Douglas to Antoinette Dewalt, Dist. 1, lot.

Oct. 11 - North American Mortgage Company to Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp., Dist. 2, 2 lots.

Melvin Hill and Helen Hill to Steve Holmes and Susan Holmes, Dist. 6, 1.872 acres.

Sam Forsythe and Maxine K. Forsythe to Roscoe Woods and Shirley Woods, Dist. 2, lot.

Sick and Ailing

Frewl Buffaloe is recovering at home following a stay in Methodist Hospital of Dyersburg.

Church Happenings

Archer's Chapel United Methodist Women and ABC's will sponsor their annual country bazaar, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Oct. 20th. The church is located just off Hwy. 88 between Gates and Maury City in the community of Frog Jump. Arts and crafts for all seasons and everyday use will be available. Hot plate lunches of chicken and dressing, white beans, slaw, cranberry sauce, and a roll will be served starting at 11 a.m., take-outs available. Free admission and all proceeds will benefit the UMW and ABC's. The public is invited.

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Guest Speaker



RICHARD DAWSON, left, President of Halls High School Interact Club, was guest speaker during the regular Monday luncheon meeting of the Halls-Gates Rotary Club. He spoke on the structure of the Interact Club and introduced Lauren Bivens, right, vice-president of the Interact Club, who spoke on activity plans for the community and on the international level. Pictured with them are, from left, Leslie Hughes, Interact reporter, and Lesley McGuarity, secretary, in rear, from left, Roger Char-est, Rotary president, Ron Goforth, in charge of the program, and Katie Privett, Interact treasurer.

Don Brasfield

Don Brasfield, 55, of Dyersburg, brother of Jimmy Brasfield, of Halls, died Oct. 7th, of heart failure, in Methodist Healthcare Dyersburg.

Rites were Wednesday of last week in RoEllen Church of Jesus Christ, where he was a member, with burial in Rehobeth Cemetery, Curry & Son Funeral Home in charge.

He had retired from Colonial Rubber Works in Dyersburg.

His survivors include his wife, Evelyn; five daughters, Sandy Kay Brasfield and Tammy Jean Ches-sor, of Dyersburg, Donnie Jean Hays, of Lenox, Evie Jean Gant, of Hornsby, and Teresa Ann Redden, of Lewisburg; two other brothers, David and Wyman, and three sisters, Joan Flippens, Linda Garrett, and Sharon Walker, of Dyersburg; and 16 grandchildren.

Roy E. Vaughn

Roy Edward Vaughn, 57, of Walls, Miss., grandson of Ailean House, of Gates,

Thursday, at Curve Baptist Church, with burial in Concord Cemetery in Gates, Garner Funeral Home in charge.

She was employed by Wal-Mart, in Memphis, as a greeter.

She leaves her husband, Carl Geddings; six sons; Jerry Brasfield, of Ripley, Lanny Stanley, of Germantown, Ronnie Geddings, of Memphis, Bobby Brasfield, of Murfreesboro, Clifford Brasfield, of Los Angeles, Calif., and Paul Shea, of Corinth, Miss.; two brothers, Willie Jester, of Gates, and Milford Jester, of Memphis; a sister, Betty Newman, of Ripley; nineteen grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

died Oct. 5th, of heart failure, in Baptist Hospital DeSoto in Southaven, Miss.

Rites were Monday of last week in Forest Hill Funeral Home Midtown in Memphis, with burial in its cemetery.

He was a retired painter.

Survivors include two sons, David and Rodney, of Memphis; two daughters, Penny Gonzalez, of Walls, and Teresa Lewis, of Texas; a companion, Debbie McGregor; two brothers, William, of Memphis, and Ernie, of Tunica, Miss.; nine grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Mrs. Williams

Bernice White Williams, 82, of Memphis, a former Riplian, died Saturday, of heart failure, in Methodist Healthcare Central in Memphis.

Rites were at 2 p.m. Monday in Garner Funeral Home in Ripley, with burial in Ripley Memorial Gardens.

She had retired as an interior decorator.

She was a member of Ripley's First United Methodist Church.

Widow of J. R. Williams, she leaves a son, Geary Williams, of Ripley; two brothers, Horace and Billy Gene White, of Cleveland; three grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Mildred Geddings

Mildred Jester Geddings, 71, of Memphis, formerly of Curve, died Sunday, of heart failure, at St. Francis Hospital in Memphis.

Services are set for 2 p.m.

Willie Ruth Kelly

Willie Ruth Kelly, 87, of Ripley, died Monday, of heart failure, at Methodist Hospital Dyersburg.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Conner Assembly of God, where she was a member, with burial in Mary's Chapel Cemetery, Garner Funeral Home in charge.

The widow of Franklin Carlyle Kelly, she leaves one son, Larry Kelly, and a sister, Doris Parchman, both of Ripley; and one grandchild.

Lucille A. Flagg

Lucille A. Flagg, 73, of Henning, died Sunday, of cancer, in Fairfax, Va.

Services are set for noon Saturday, at St. Mark Baptist Church, in Henning, with burial in Garden of Everlasting Life in Covington, Currie's Funeral Home, of Henning, in charge.

The widow of The Rev. Robert Flagg, Jr., she leaves three daughters, Gwendolyn Morrow, of Henning, Mary E. Bradford, of Detroit, Mich., and Jean L. Newton, of Fairfax; her mother, Mary Daniel, of Burford, S.C.; seven grandchildren, plus a grandson, Robert F. Weir, of Fairfax, whom she reared; and eleven great-grandchildren.

Callie Lewis

Callie Ann Lewis, 22, domestic worker, formerly of

Brownsville, died October 8th, of heart failure, at Harper Medical Center in Detroit, Mich.

Services were at noon October 13th at Snipes Grove Baptist Church, in Brownsville, with burial in Mercer Cemetery, Brownsville, Currie's Funeral Home, of Henning in charge.

Survivors include her mother, Linda Bradford Lewis, of Brownsville; three brothers, Luster Lewis, of Brownsville, and Johnny Lewis and Isiaha Lewis, Jr. both of Kalamazoo, Mich.; three sisters, Aubella Lynn Miller, of Brownsville, Dorothy Jean Lewis, of Kalamazoo, and Louise Jean Lewis, of Detroit, Mich.; and a special friend, Marvin Sandford, who cared for her.

Mary Chism

Mary Lucille Chism, 92, of Ripley, died Monday, of cancer, at Ripley Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center.

Services were at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Garner Funeral Home, with burial in Trinity Cemetery.

She was a homemaker and member of Mary's Chapel Baptist Church.

The widow of Ray Chism, she leaves one brother, J. W. Adkerson, of Memphis; and one sister, Sue Marshall, of Ripley.

Ella Chambers

Ella Frances Chambers, 74, of Dyersburg, died October 10th, in Methodist LeBonheur in Dyersburg.

Graveside services were at 1 p.m. Friday at Antioch Cemetery, Halls Funeral Home in charge.

She was a member of Antioch Church of Christ. She was born September 4, 1927 in Halls, to William Jasper Chambers and Donie Cousins.

She leaves two nephews and one niece.

Veatrice Cherry

Veatrice Cherry, 67, of Henning, died October 11th, of cancer, at Baptist Memorial

Hospital Lauderdale.

Services were at 11 a.m. Wednesday at St. Mark Baptist Church in Henning, with burial in El Canaan Cemetery near Henning, Currie's Funeral Home, of Henning, in charge.

She leaves two sons, Edward Burton, of Ripley, and Alvin Flegler, of Virginia Beach, Va.; her mother, Clemmie Cherry, of Henning; two brothers, Richard Cherry and Clarence Cherry, both of Henning; two sisters, Kathy Stanton, of Chicago, Ill., and Yvonne Leatherwood, of Memphis; and four grandchildren.

Mrs. Vaden Was Retired Teacher

Gladys Smith Vaden, 90, of Curve, retired teacher, died Thursday of last week, of heart failure, in Baptist Hospital Lauderdale.

Rites were at 2 p.m. Saturday in Garner Funeral Home in Ripley, with burial in Cross Roads Cemetery.

She was a member of Curve United Methodist Church.

Widow of Joseph Wheeler Vaden, she leaves a sister, Mildred Smith, of Curve.

Joe Marvin Sims

Joe Marvin Sims, 61, laborer, formerly of Henning, died October 7th, of heart failure, in Rockford, Ill.

Services were at 11 a.m., October 13th, at Liberty Baptist Church, with burial in Cedar Bluff Cemetery in Rockford, Currie's Funeral Home, of Henning, in charge locally.

He was born December 2, 1940, in Ripley to Robert and Carrie Louise Sims.

He married the former Clara Jones in Covington March 14, 1964.

He leaves four daughters, Jacqueline Davis, of Minneapolis, Minn., and Lucretia Sendoba, Sonya Davenport, and Cassandra House, all of Rockford; four brothers, William Sims, of Ripley, Robert Sims, of Henning, and Raymond Sims and Fred Sims, both of Rockford; and four sisters, Earnestine Chaney, of Ripley, and Dorothy Mosby, Ann Hall and Betty Cunningham, all of Rockford.

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Convicts Two Robbers Of Amoco New Here

Circuit Court jury in Ripley last week found two more men guilty of aggravated robbery, Sept. 22, 2000, of the gas station on New Hwy. 51 south of Ripley.

Taking about \$8,700 at gun-point were Irvin Lee Franklin, of Ripley, and Jerry Lorenze Sandridge and Daniel Scott, of Memphis, whom he had met in prison. Scott pleaded guilty and testified against the others. After Friday night drinking and losing in gambling in Tunica, Miss., Franklin suggested the robbery. Afraid of recognition, he waited in a car while Sandridge and Scott locked two clerks in a rest-room. Christy Bonds, of 2964 Arp-Central Road, found no clerks in the store and left, noting the plate of a car leaving the area, going south. When she learned of the robbery, she called the police, which led to three arrests. Scott is serving 12 years at 100%, as a violent offender. To be sentenced in November by Judge Joe H. Walker. Franklin, previously convicted of first degree murder in Shelby County. Sandridge, previously convicted in eight robberies with a deadly weapon, in Shelby.

Try Halls Boy, 17, As Adult?

Dyer County's Juvenile Court will rule Oct. 31st whether a 17-yr. old Halls boy may be tried as as adult on kidnapping and robbery charges.



A RIBBON CUTTING was held Monday afternoon at the office of Dr. P Srivastava, West Tn. Med PLLC, 104 East Main, Halls. The Lauderdale County Chamber of Commerce held the ribbon cutting with residents and business owners in Halls, Lauderdale County Executive Rozelle Criner and Halls Mayor Eugene Pugh present. The clinic offers services in internal medicine, cardiology, and preventive medicine.

Juries Nail Three In Prison Crimes

Circuit Court juries have found William Webb, former guard at the West Tenn. High Security Prison at Fort Pillow, guilty of official misconduct; inmate Michael Lewis guilty of aggravated assault; and prisoner Tyrone Cunningham, guilty of second degree murder.

Webb and another guard, Kevin McWilliams, allowed Lewis to fight another prisoner, Donald Phillips, in an empty cell, in an event they called "Thunderdome." They did not detect the knife with which Lewis repeatedly stabbed Phillips. The guards stopped the fight and took Phillips to medical facilities, reporting he had fallen down steps. The medics knew better, noting many stab wounds. McWilliams had previously pleaded guilty. He testified in Webb's trial. In an un-related incident, the jury found that prisoner Tyrone Cunningham, after a lunch-time argument, hit inmate Joe Williams repeatedly in the head, with a steel roller, shouting "Die!"

Serving a life sentence for murder, he will be sentenced by Judge Joe H. Walker to an additional 60 years.



FOURTEEN seniors from the Halls Senior Center spent the day in Memphis at the Mid-South Fair last month. The center serves all of Lauderdale County. For more information on the center, call Wendi at 836-5444.

REPUBLICAN WOMEN

The Lauderdale County Chapter of Republican Women will meet at 7 p.m. Nov. 5th in the home of Mrs. Maxine Gay, 5460 Conner Whitefield Rd. The Star Spangled Banner will be the program for the evening. Amy Bragg, of Covington, will present the music. Those interested in this chapter and its work are invited to attend.

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Land Transfers

Oct. 12 - Dennis Humphrey and Hazel Humphrey to Jerry Bryant Hughes and Cathy L. Hughes, Dist. 17, lot. John B. Anthony, Rachel Anthony, and S. N. Anthony, III to Bennie R. Barcroft, Sr., Dist. 2, 8.888 acres.

Paul N. Akin, Sr., Dot Akin, Stewart M. Akin, Jeannine Akin, Brenda Akin Glenn, Steve Glenn, and Patsy Jane Akin to John Paige Hendren and Jessica Hendren, Dist. 6, 5,000 acres.

Oct. 15 - Randy Lankford and Vicky Lankford to James Evans and Janice Evans, Dist. 2, lot.

David E. Vandegriff and Marlene Smith Vandegriff to James M. Robison, Dist. 10, lot.

Charlene Harrison, Sandy Patrice Morris, William R. Morris, Jr., William Benjie Harrison, and Geraldine Harrison to Billye Jean Garrison and Leland Robbins, Dist. 2, lot.

Cletus Thomas Adkins and Christy B. Adkins to Michael E. Leggett and Michelle Leggett, Dist. 6, 5,000 acres.

Oct. 16 - Charles Neal and Joyce Neal to S. N. Anthony, Jr., Dist. 1, lot.

John B. Anthony, S. N. Anthony, III, and Rachel Anthony to Bennie R. Barcroft, Sr., Dist. 2, lot.

Oct. 17 - Carole Barham to Frederick S. Clark and Lwandana J. Clark, Dist. 6, 0.503 acres.

Oct. 18 - Monnie. Lou

Room 155 of Baptist Hospital Lauderdale.

Mrs. H. C. Weaver is in Baptist Hospital East in Memphis for surgery.

Mrs. Thomas Burns has returned home from Methodist Hospital Central in Memphis.

James White had eye surgery Tuesday at Baptist Hospital East in Memphis.

Concord Locals

By Mrs. Louise Fennel

Mrs. Demeta Williams, of Forked Deer, spent the weekend with Winston Carmack.

Jimmy L. Smith returned home Friday from LeBonheur Methodist Hospital in Jackson.

Mrs. Lewis Mills, of Ripley, was a dinner guest of the Ronnie Carmacks Wednesday of last week.

Sick and Ailing

Dwayne Klutts is in Room 913 at Methodist Central Hospital in Memphis.

Carmack Brooks is in

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Student of the Month



ALLYSON JENNINGS, second from left, daughter of Barbara and David Jennings, left and second from right, was presented the Exchange Club Student of the Month award during the October 18th meeting. Julie Pillow, Exchange Club member, is pictured with them. Allyson, ranked first in her senior class at Halls High School, is a member of the Exchange Club/Tina Turner Center's Youth Advisory Board. Vice-president of the student council and treasurer of the National Honor Society, she plays basketball and softball and made All-District in volleyball.

He's Four



DYLAN WADE ROSE, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brian "Pat" Rose, of Halls, celebrated his fourth birthday Oct. 21st in his home with family and friends.

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Guest Speaker



JOE PURSELL, right, Halls Chief of Police, was the guest speaker during the regular luncheon meeting Monday of the Halls-Gates Rotary Club. Martha Crites Abbott, center, Charest, Halls-Gates Rotary president, is pictured with them.

Marriages

Oct. 19 - Novie Gene Fisher, 40, to Carol Felita Manns, 34, by Thomas E. Sanders.



The Jerusalem artichoke is not a native of Jerusalem or the Near East. Jerusalem is a corruption of the Italian word girasole, which means "turning to the sun." Nor is it an artichoke, but a tuber, well known to American Indians and then brought by explorers to France.

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The Rev. and Mrs. Ken Holland

Saturday, November 3rd

The Senior Spectrum (For All Senior Adults) 9 - 10:30 A.M. - In Family Life Center Continental Breakfast Served
From Delivery to Departure (For All Mothers) 9:30 - 11 A.M. - In Family Life Center
The Dynamics of Divorce 10:45 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. - In Family Life Center
Associational Youth Rally (All Youth in Grades 6-12) 6 - 8:30 P.M. - In Family Life Center Pizza served at 6 P.M.

Sunday, November 4th

Careers, Challenges & Choices (For Never-Married Single Adults) 9:45 - 10:40 A.M. - In Library

Overcoming Obstacles (For All Women)

9:45 - 10:40 A.M. - In Sanctuary
Mastering the Media (For All Youth) 9:45 - 10:40 A.M. - In Youth Department
Morning Worship 11 A.M. - In Sanctuary

Ken & Lois Holland will lead us in Worship
Jerry Drace will speak on "Unless the Lord Builds the House"
Pressures of Parenting (For all Parents of Pre-Teens & Teens) 4 - 5:45 P.M. - In Family Life Center
Evening Worship 6 P.M. - In Sanctuary

For more information, call the church office, 836-7116.

Led By W. Carroll, 37-6, HHS Hosts Lake County

Halls High School's Tigers close their season this Friday, hosting Lake County.

Halls lost last week at West Carroll, in Atwood, 37-6. Senior Maurice Vassar (5-8, 170) scored for Halls. He was 113 for 23 for the night (4.9).

Lake Seeks Play-Off

Lake's play-off hopes ride on a Reg. 8-A win in Halls.

The Falcons were 4-7 last fall, losing to Bruceton, 46-6, in the play-offs.

Coach Don Smith (226-154) has been imported from Palo Verde, Calif., High School, where he was 14-6, with two play-off spots. He has turned around programs at Hazard, Ky., and at Adair and Butler Counties in Kentucky.

He runs the wing-T, a nose guard keying a 50 defense.

Lake is 3-6, with wins from

West Carroll 37, Halls 6
South Fulton 48, Lake 8

This Friday's Games

Lake County at Halls
Bruceton at Gleason
West Carroll at Greenfield
Trigg Cnty., Ky. at So. Fulton
(Italics = Non-Region)

NATIONAL DEAN'S LIST

Halls students, featured in the 24th Annual Edition of The National Dean's List, 2000-2001, include Hillary Hamilton, Lee A. Harrison and Shey Manning, University of Tennessee at Martin; Demetra C. Reed, University of Memphis; and Natalie B. Smith, Union University.

Approximately 140,000 students are selected annually for this honor by their college deans, registrars or honor society advisors, and must be in the upper 10% of their class, on their school's Dean's List,

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More than 2,500 colleges and universities nationwide use the publication to recognize their academically qualified students.

For further information about The National Dean's List, visit www.honoring.com.

RECEIVES DEGREE

Erick Baker, son of Gary and Kay Baker, 584 Circle Dr., Halls, received a bachelors of communication degree from the University of Tennessee-Knoxville, at the summer commencement.

Young men think old men are fools but old men know young men are fools.

Leah Beth Simpson Given Scholarships

Judy Rayburn, Dir. of Admissions at UT Martin, announced that Leah Beth Simpson, daughter of Danny and Susan Simpson, of Gates, has been awarded three scholarships to attend UT Martin for the 2001-2002 academic year.

She received the University of Tennessee Board of Trustees Scholarship, the Academic Achievement Scholarship and the UT Martin Miscellaneous Merit Award.



In ancient times, people believed it unlucky to set the left foot on the ground first on getting out of bed.

Halls Band Wins First Place & Outstanding Soloist



HALLS GOLDEN TIGER Marching Band, left, won first place in their class, in band and in colorguard, at Trenton Saturday when they competed in the West Tennessee Small Division Band Championship. Mark Simpson, right, won overall outstanding soloist. Second place wins in their class, included Halls' field commander, Richard Dawson, and colorguard in overall awards. The band will compete in the State Competition in Murfreesboro.

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Holds Silent Auction



TILLY PERRY, President of the West Tennessee Association of Artists, is showing one of the many paintings to be in a silent auction at the Christmas Open House from 2 to 5 p.m. Sun., Nov. 4th at the Art Mall, on the square.

School Lunches

Lauderdale County Schools

Monday, Oct. 29th

- Pepperoni Pizza
- Cheeseburger
- Waffle Fries
- Tossed Salad
- Choice Fresh Fruit
- Oatmeal Raisin Cookie Milk

Tuesday, Oct. 30th

- Beef Fingers
- Entrée - School's Choice
- Whipped Potatoes
- Mixed Green Vegetables
- Grapes
- Apricots
- Rolls
- Milk

Wednesday, Oct. 31st

- Chili Pie
- Deli Sandwich
- Whole Kernel Corn
- Green Vegetable (School's Choice)
- Orange Slices
- Fruit Cocktail
- Milk

Thursday, Nov. 1st

- Fried Chicken
- Hot Dog
- Macaroni & Cheese

- Green Beans
- Congeaed Fruit Salad
- Pear Half
- Rolls
- Milk

Friday, Nov. 2nd

- MENU
SCHOOL'S CHOICE

Birthdays

Oct 25 - Steve L. Barham, Tommy Dew, Richard Broadstreet, Charles Edens, Johnny Stangel, Curtis Greer.

Oct 26 - Carl Pruitt, Pamela J. Smith, Joe Gause, Mary Myers, Hannah Harrald.

Oct 27 - Bill Maxwell, Curt Langley, Rozelle Criner, Sally Warren, Barbara Pugh, Bree Jordan, Charissa Anne Hughes, Kim Drumwright, Rita Criner, William Henson.

Oct 28 - Jerry Parker, Jane Ann Olds, David Alexander, Kristina Deaton, Pagie Bodnar, David Murray, John Horvath, Charlotte Marrow, Kimberly Currie, Justin Hensley.

Oct 29 - Glenn Steelman, Justin Hughes, Clayton Pattat, Beverly Herron, Dustin Lee, Stephanie Butner, Ira Jane Binkley, Jerome Williams, Sarah Pike.

Oct 30 - Linda Willis, Debra Pruitt, Eric Edwards, Diane Ferguson, Dave Strong, Sandra J. Pipkin, Mallori Burks, Carol Harris, Chris Gibbons, Linda Spencer, Cameron Kidd.

Oct 31 - Dianne Peebles,

Amy Goforth, Sam Elkins, Ollie Jones, Mike Rhyne, Harry Wright, Sr., Franklin Jay Bales, Amy Gilbreath, Jannie Moore, Katie Nelson.

Anniversaries

Oct. 25 - Mr. and Mrs. James (Bill) Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Barry Wakefield, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Young.

Oct. 26 - Mr. and Mrs. David Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Judson Vaden, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Swims.

Oct. 27 - Mr. and Mrs. Don Burnham.

Oct. 28 - Mr. and Mrs. Jim Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Hathcock.

Oct. 29 - Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Dunaway.

Oct. 31 - Mr. and Mrs. Bobby D. Ward.

'Blow' Williams

Wilbert "Blow" Williams, 31, of Covington, father of Treveon Moses, of Halls, died Monday of last week, of heart failure, in Baptist Hospital Tipton in Covington.

Rites were at 3:30 p.m. Saturday in St. Stephen's Baptist Church, with burial in Plummer Grove Cemetery, Barlow Funeral Home in charge.

Employed by Co-Op Car Care, he was an usher in Willow Grove Baptist Church.

Survivors include another son, Dajuan Murray, of Mason; three daughters, Cametria and Whitley Williams, of Brighton, and Shamiya Williams, of Brownsville; his father, John L. Williams, of Mason; and his mother, Deloris Williams, two brothers, John, Jr., and William L. Williams, and two sisters, Felicia Williams and Angela Pearson, of Covington.

Mrs. R. E. Land

Wilma Lee Land, 83, of 5081 Easley, Millington, former Riplian, died Wednesday of last week, of heart failure, in Baptist Hospital, Memphis.

Rites were Friday in Ripley Memorial Gardens, with Garner Funeral Home in charge.

She had been a dealer in antiques.

Widow of Robert E. Land,

she leaves a son, Jerry, of 301 Williams Switch Road, Ripley; a daughter, Sheila Dodson, of Bartlett; a brother, Earl Tibbs, of Hwy. 51 north of Halls; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Curtis Hendrix

Curtis Roosevelt Hendrix, 68, of Halls, died Tuesday of Cardio Pulmonary Arrest at Methodist Hospital of Dyersburg.

Services are set for 1 p.m. Thursday at Halls Funeral Home, with burial in Friendship Cemetery in Friendship.

He was a retired construction worker with Forcum Lannon, and a member of Beech Grove Baptist Church.

Janis Hamil

Janis Hamil, 46, of Hickman, Ky., mother of Jamie Bing, of Gates, died Oct. 14th, at home.

Services were at 2 p.m. Oct. 16th at Strong Funeral Chapel in Hickman, with burial in Hickman City Cemetery.

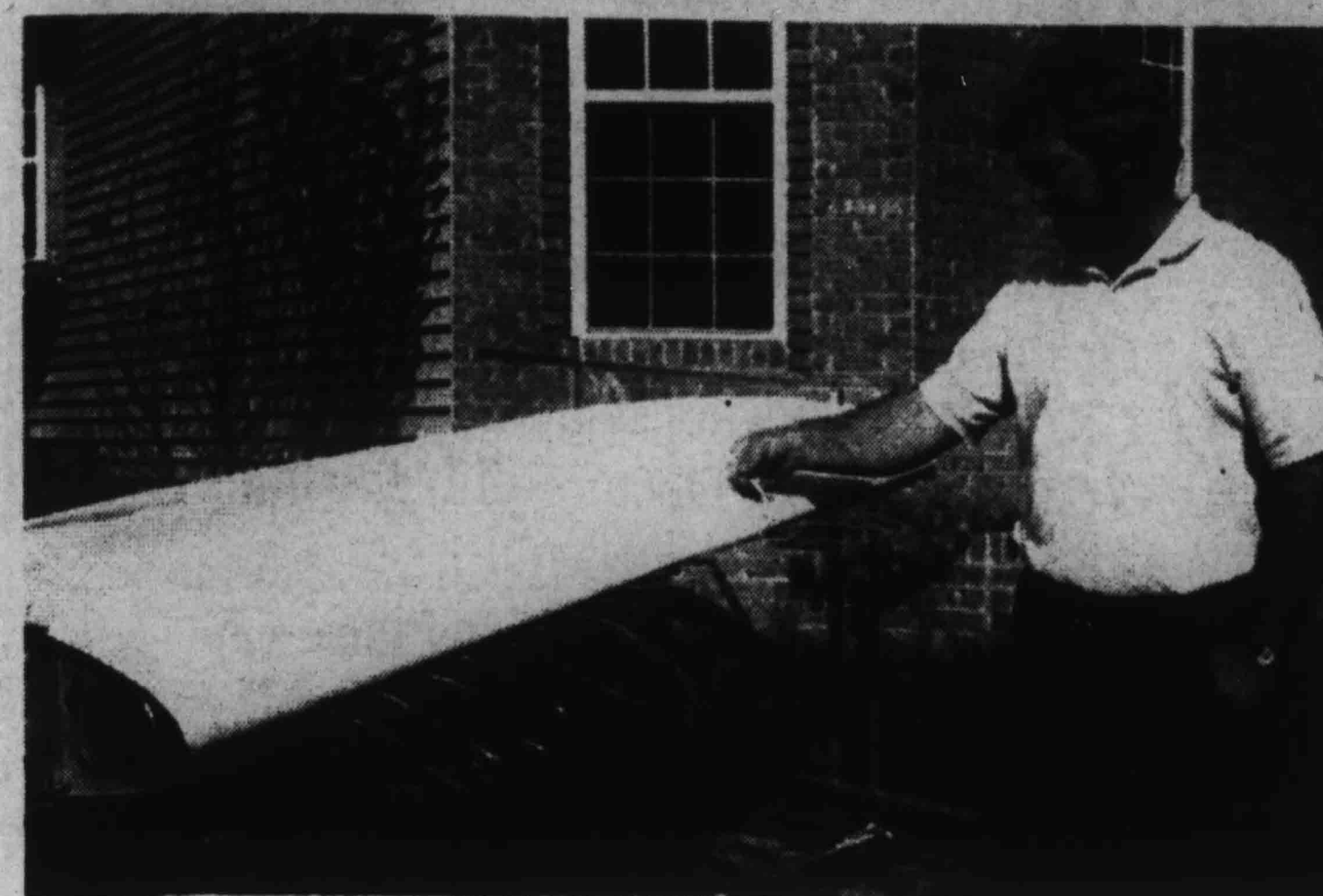
Other survivors include her husband, Ethelbert Hamil, Jr., of Hickman; two daughters, Brandi Okeeffe, of Union City, and Jessica Hamil, of Hickman; her mother, Marie Bing, of Union City; five brothers, Matthew Bing, of Hickman, Bryan Bing and Raymond Goodlin, of Union City, and Rollan J. Prentice, Jr. and Mark Goodlin, of Des Moines, Iowa; three sisters, Debbie Vaughn and Valerie Carter, of Union City, and LeAnna Bing, of Dayton, Ohio; and five grandchildren.

Survivors include his wife, Gloria Christine Dunn Hendrix; one son, Timothy (Bubba) Hendrix, of Unionville; six daughters, Connie Moore, Lisa Myrick, Beth Cunningham and Lesa Shughes, all of Halls, Patricia Beernett, of Kingston, and Tammy Jo Justice, of Lenoir City; two step-sons, Harold Junior Dunn, of Farrgut, and Leon Gaylon, of Seymour; two brothers, Thomas Hendrix and Cleveland Clendenin, and one sister, Jimmie Sue Teteleton, all of Unionville; 15 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF STATE HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION BIDS TO BE RECEIVED NOVEMBER 16, 2001 (MOVING LITTER)

Sealed bids will be received by the State of Tennessee, Department of Transportation, at their offices in the James K. Polk Building, Suite 700, Nashville, Tennessee and at the Sheraton Nashville Downtown, Nashville, Tennessee until 10:00 A.M., Friday, November 2, 2001, and opened publicly in the Conference Room on the 7th Floor of the James K. Polk Building at that hour. BENTON AND DECATUR COUNTIES (Contract No. 1930) Project No. S.P. 98044-4295-04 The mowing on various State Routes. Project Length - 184.170 miles Working Days - On or before November 15, 2002 (See Special Provision 1088) CARROLL, DECATUR, BENTON, FAYETTE, HAYWOOD, MADISON, AND HENDERSON COUNTIES (Contract No. 1933) Project No. S.P. 98044-4196-04 The mowing and litter removal on I-40. Project Length - 105.510 miles Working Days - On or before March 31, 2004 (See Special Provision 1088) CROCKETT, HAYWOOD, MADISON, CHESTER, AND HENDERSON COUNTIES (Contract No. 1937) Project No. S.P. 98044-4297-04 The mowing and litter removal on various State Routes. Project Length - 476.590 miles Working Days - On or before March 31, 2003 (See Special Provision 1088) DYER, GIBSON, LAKE, AND OBION COUNTIES (Contract No. 1941) Project No. S.P. 98044-4198-04 The mowing and litter removal on I-155 and various State Routes. Project Length - 599.930 miles Working Days - On or before March 31, 2003 (See Special Provision 1088) HAYWOOD AND MADISON COUNTIES (Contract No. 1943) Project No. S.P. 98044-4199-04 The litter removal on I-40 and various State Routes. Project Length - 57.400 miles Working Days - On or before December 31, 2002 (See Special Provision 1088) HOUSTON, HUMPHREYS, AND PERRY COUNTIES (Contract No. 1944) Project No. S.P. 98036-4252-04 The mowing on various State Routes. SHELBY, TIPTON, AND LAUDERDALE COUNTIES (Contract No. 1952) Project No. S.P. 98045-4201-04 The mowing and litter removal on various State Routes. Project Length - 236.320 miles Working Days - On or before March 31, 2003 (See Special Provision 1088) LEWIS, WAYNE, AND PERRY COUNTIES (Contract No. 1949) Project No. S.P. 98036-4255-04 The mowing on various State Routes. Project Length - 206.820 miles Working Days - On or before November 15, 2002 (See Special Provision 1088) **ALL CONTRACTS IN THIS LETTING ARE NO PLANS CONTRACTS. PROPOSAL CONTRACTS WILL BE ISSUED UNTIL THE TIME SET FOR OPENING BIDS.** Prime Contractor must prequalify with the Department of Transportation in accordance with Section 54-5-117 of the Tennessee Code Annotated before biddable Proposals will be furnished. PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS MUST HAVE FILED THEIR QUESTIONNAIRES FOR QUALIFICATION PRIOR TO 12:00 NOON OF THE DAY PRECEDING THE DATE OF THE LETTING. The Tennessee Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of age, race, color, religion, national origin, sex or disability in consideration for an award. The Tennessee Department of Transportation is an equal opportunity affirmative action employer, drug-free, with policies of non-discrimination on the basis of race, sex, religion, color, national or ethnic origin, age, disability or military service. Telephone (615) 741-5996. **THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS IS RESERVED.** Bidding documents and information, other than plans, may be obtained by contacting the Department of Transportation, Construction Division, Suite 700, James K. Polk Building, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0326; Telephone number 741-2414. All questions related to the Contract Proposal, Specifications or Special Provisions should be directed to the Headquarters Maintenance Office (615) 741-2027. Sales tax will be added to the cost of all documents, where applicable. **J. BRUCE SALTSMAN, SR.**

Seeking To Save Lives



By Beverly Hutcherson

LOWELL TILLMAN, II, of Nankipoo, is attempting something only a few courageous souls ever try. Within the next few weeks, he will test an invention that could possibly save thousands of lives, an anti-icing device for airplanes. After applying for a patent several months ago and receiving word that the design is now legally his, he is ready for part one of the test, proving that the device will move.

The anti-icing device consists of fiber optic cables attached to a strip that can be retrofitted to any airplane flying today or in the future without a great expense. The theory is that the airflow will cause the fibers to oscillate, disrupting the formation of ice and or even preventing it from forming, and then returning to their original position.

The cables are attached to portion of a wing mounted on a trailer and will be tested at the Dyersburg Municipal Airport to confirm they will indeed move. The test will utilize the airflow from a twin-engine plane. The wing will be placed in front of the flow imitating in flight conditions. Executives with Kodak have committed to be present to film the experiment with high speed film and cameras, engineers from the University of Tennessee at Martin will compile the data, including drag, air flow, lift, and other variables, and executives with Dupont have expressed interest in attending.

Tillman, while watching new reports of the January 29, 2001 fatal plane crash involving 10 members of the Oklahoma State University basketball team and staff, felt that something should be and could be done. He is dedicating this research and crediting the inspiration for the idea to Denver Mills and Bjorn Fahlstrom, the pilot and co-pilot of the OKSU plane. Mills was an experienced pilot with several years experience. Icing on the wings was never officially determined but since the conditions were favorable, it was considered a possible cause.

Tillman's invention would prevent the ice from forming on the wing while in flight and start to work during take-off, because it is an active approach, it could also decrease the time spent on the ground being de-iced.

Working on the project since July of last year, he has a lot of time, over an estimated \$1,000 in materials, and a lot of hope invested personally. The majority of the expense though was in applying for the patent. He has investors that have helped with that part. Hiring a patent attorney, applying for the patent, and waiting for the pending patent notice has taken most of the summer. The next several weeks will be busy as Tillman arranges for the product to be tested and retested.

After the test is completed in Dyersburg, they will travel to the NASA Glenn Research Center in Cleveland, Ohio, for a test in 0° F to confirm that the cables will work in freezing temperatures. He has a plan B and C if that does not work as he expects.

Tillman has spoken with over 15 engineers in the aviation field, who all feel that this idea is "plausible, it could work". They have expressed to him that his idea is a new and different, even simple, approach to a complicated problem.

He spoke with Burt Rutan, owner of Scale Composite in Mojave, Calif. Rutan put him in touch with NASA officials, who are awaiting the results of the test. Rutan is one of the designers working on plans for an escape capsule from the

Space Station. A prototype was tested over the summer in Houston, Tex. Rutan told Tillman that many engineers have designed different types of de-icers, but none had the simplicity of his idea nor the cost savings.

Tillman arrived at his idea after a family vacation to Disneyworld. His daughter bought a flashlight with fiber optic cables on it and when she moved, the cables moved. This could work, he thought. Then when he watched President George W. Bush wait as Air Force One was de-iced, he thought that an advanced and intelligent nation should have a better system.

With over 18 small airplane crashes in the last year, carrying at least 26 passengers each, this device could have saved 468 lives, maybe many more.

Current de-icers include "boots" placed on the front edge of the wing, but sometimes ice thaws only to flow over and refreeze on the back of the wing or on the top just past the boot; weeping wings, where liquid seeps out on the wing to keep ice from freezing; the famous hose-down before take-off, but a plane must leave the ground before the ice forms again; and electrical heated surfaces on the propellers and inlet probes, but putting electrical wires on the wings could lead to another problem, fire. The wing stores most of the plane's fuel an electrical spark next to the fuel and the result is a fireball. The boots and weeping wings have been known to fail due to values that malfunction and even after they are replaced, they still don't work properly.

A plane can crash to the ground killing all on board in less than 30 seconds because most ice related crashes occur at low altitude just before landing. Pilots that cannot regain the loss of control are doomed. The worst thing, in

these types of plane crashes, is that after the crash, after the possible and probable fire, the ice that probably had formed on the wings has now melted. No one can definitely say it was ice that caused the crash, but everyone agrees that the weather "probably could have caused it".

To fit older planes with a new device could cost millions of dollars. To retrofit Tillman's device could be much less expensive. "The best part of this product,"

Tillman said, "is that it is cheap to produce and not so expensive that if and when the product wears out, the customer will return to our product." He feels that it will work no matter what and if it doesn't then he has other ideas that he will try before traveling to Dayton.

A teacher at First Presbyterian Christian School in Dyersburg, Tillman's class, F.A.C.E., Future American Christian Entrepreneurs, have been involved with him with the development of the prototype. Tillman said, "I am ready either way, if this doesn't work, something will, it is out there. I tell my class to 'Be like a bumble bee, they don't know they can't fly.' So I'm ready with another plan if this one doesn't go as I think."

CANCER MEMORIALS

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In memory of Howard

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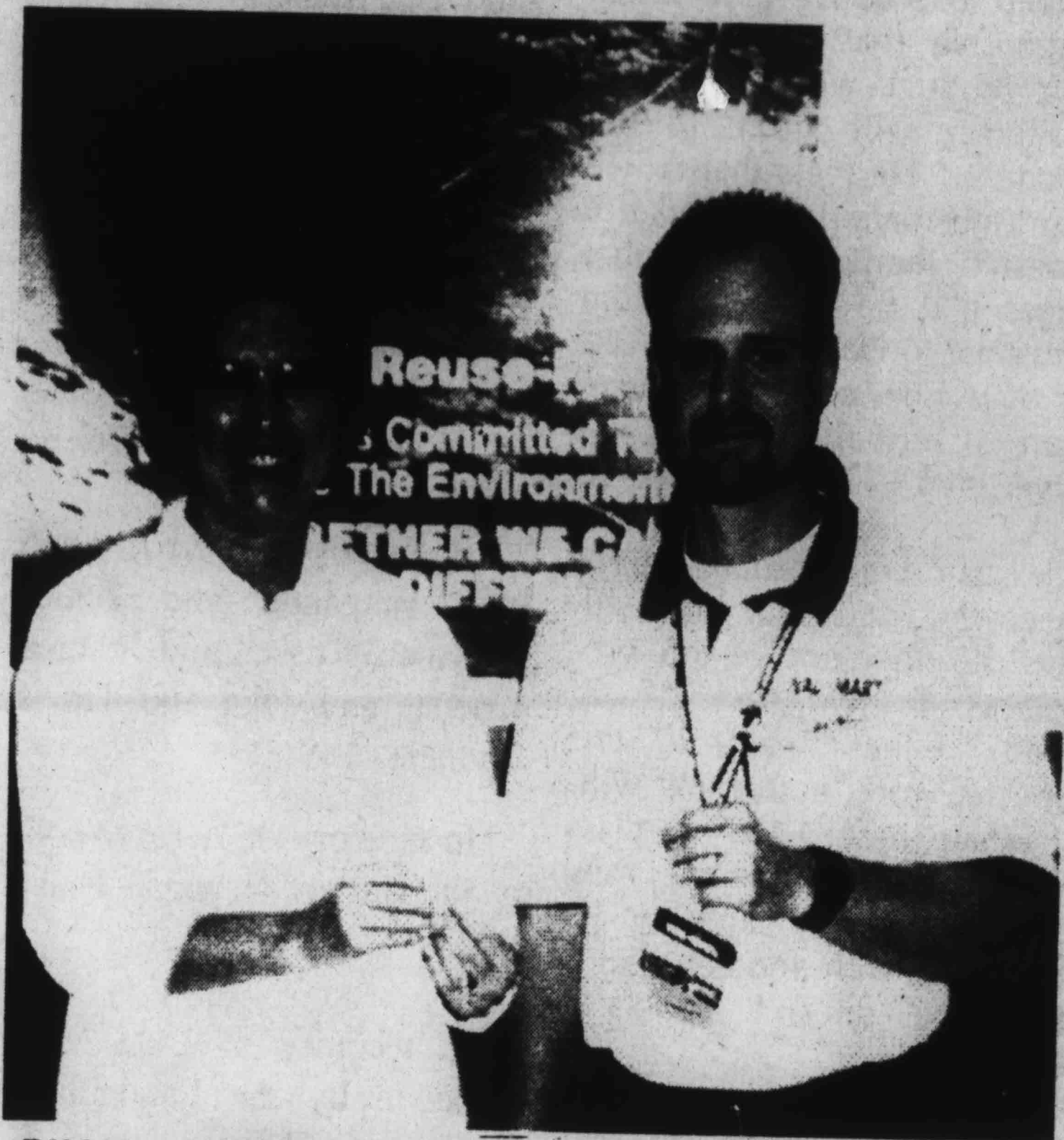
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BILLIE MORRIS, left, president of Friends of the Library, accepts a \$1,000 check from **Todd Ross**, right, Ripley Wal-mart store manager.

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Lauderdale County Library, to be used in the area of children's books.

Brevities

By Mrs. Charles Alsobrook
Tommy Simmons and Jer-

ald Daws, of Germantown, visited the family of Mr. Daws' uncle, Jewell Sumerlin, at Friendship Funeral Home Thursday evening of last week.

Bobby Wells, 72, of Birmingham, Ala., formerly of Halls, died Oct. 16th at Brookwood Hospital in Birmingham. He leaves his wife, **Martha Yarbrow Wells**.

Divorces

John Ray Missildine, II vs. Janell Lynn Murphy Missildine. Samantha Joyce Prestridge vs. Ricky Joe Prestridge.

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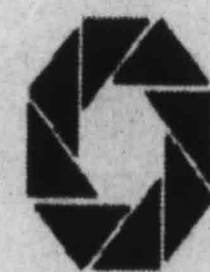
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