News Source for The Heart of Oklahoma Thursday, July 18, 2019

n the **LCCT** of summer time

Since 1887

Needless deaths

Children, animals succumb in hot cars <u>leanneGrimes</u> The Purcell Register

Statistics tell a grim story, one that doesn't have to be. According to the website HeatKills.org, from 1998 through July 8,814 children died of pediatric vehicular heatstroke after being left unattended in parked cars. The shocking thing is every one of those deaths was

100 percent preventable. Twenty-three of those

needless deaths occurred right here in Oklahoma. And it gets worse.

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Vehicle check

Purcell Police Cpl. Joshua Van Oort looks into a parked vehicle as summer temperatures ramp up in the city. On July 9 Sgt. Jerome Hayes rescued two young children from a locked car in the Walmart parking lot.

Under the sun

legister

Mom charged; left two kids in hot car

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It is July in Oklahoma and that means it is hot.

On July 9, Purcell Police Sgt. Jerome Hayes was in the Walmart parking lot when he heard a car alarm sound nearby.

The alarm stopped, but a few seconds later started up again.

Hayes investigated and found a 2011 Honda parked in a space close to the store's north entrance.

The Honda's doors were locked, the engine turned off and the windows rolled up. Inside were two children – a 21-month-old girl and a boy,4. It was 4:39 p.m. and the temperature was typical July – 93 degrees with a heat index of 104 degrees, according to a probable cause affidavit.

Hayes called for backup, but was able to get the boy to unlock the doors before other officers arrived.

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As Officer Dakota Norman arrived, he saw a woman running toward the car where Hayes was standing.

When asked why she left the children alone in the hot car, Hotona Smith, 25, of Wanette, replied the 4-year-old was "being a pain."

Det. Sgt. Scott Stephens, the department's public information officer, said Smith told Hayes she'd gone into the store to check on an order.

She said she was gone for just a short time, although store video revealed she was inside the air-conditioned store for at least 10 minutes.

Smith called her husband who had his father pick up the

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Surviving summer

Beat the heat with common sense, hydration & shade

JeanneGrimes The Purcell Register

July and August are the dog days of summer for a reason-heat and humidity. While central Oklahoma And if you don't watch what you're doing outside on those days, you could find yourself paying the price and suffering from one of the heat-related trifecta – cramps, exhaustion or stroke. Jackie Wadley of Wadley EMS said Friday the ambulance hasn't run on any heat-related calls – yet. "We've been lucky," Wadley said, adding Oklahoma City emergency responders have run on 50 to 75.

McClain County typically has a few cases each year. McClain-Grady EMS ran on a possible heatstroke

is spared the humidity coastal states must contend with, the area makes up for it with unbearable, fryan-egg-on-the-sidewalk, moisture-sucking heat.

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• Photo provided Tournament champion

Purcell's Jude Leggett (left) recently received the CO2 Dragster Tournament Champion trophy from Alan Kirby of PITSCO at the 2019 National TSA conference in Washington D.C. Also pictured is Purcell TSA Advisor Paul Wollenberg.



The home stands at Conger Field have begun to take shape this past week as construction

continues in preparation of the September 6 home opener with the Lindsay Leopards.

Taking a stand

Photo provided



Deadlines

- News: 12 noon, Tuesday
- Display Ads: 12 noon, Tuesday
- Classifieds: 11 a.m., Tuesday
- Legal Notices: 2 p.m., Tuesday



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MATC wins award Mid-America Technology Center is the winner of a 2019 Gene Bottoms Pacesetter School Award.

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Inside

Supply list Purcell Schools' supply list is out for the 2019-2020 school year.



Find it...





Christmas in July

McClain County Operation Christmas kicked off its Christmas in July campaign by accepting a monetary donation from Purcell Municipal Hospital. Peggy Christian, center left, receives a check from Kem Scully, PMH chief executive officer. From left are hospital employees Matt Housley, Misty Zebert, Kimberly Yeary, Mary Morris, Beth Herron, Brittany Scully, Renee' Barber and Taylor Martin.

Purcell Elementary, Intermediate Schools enrollment confirmation

grade planning to attend Purcell munization record in addition a waiting list. Schools this fall should confirm to a current proof of residence enrollment for the 2019-2020 in the Purcell School District. school year.

Enrollment will be held at parent or guardians name and Purcell Elementary and Pur- physical address is the most cell Intermediate on Monday, efficient way to establish August 5, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. residence. Lease agreements and Tuesday, August 6, from 8 or housing contracts are also a.m. to 6 p.m.

Returning students and those not be accepted as proof of pre-enrolled last spring need residence. only provide a current proof of residence and up-to-date years of age prior to Sept. 1, student information.

Students new to the school in the pre-k program. Pre-K regarding enrollment.

All students in grades pre- district must bring a birth is currently filled and new kindergarten through fifth certificate and a current im- enrollees are being placed on (pointed)

before September 1 are eli-A current utility bill with gible for enrollment in kindergarten.

> Open house at Purcell Elementary School will be held on Monday, August 12, from 5:30-7 p.m.

Intermediate School open Wipes house will be from 6-7:30 p.m. Classes will begin Wednes- hand sanitizer

Children who will be four day, August 14, at 8 a.m. Please call the school office

2019 are eligible for enrollment at 527-2146 with any questions

7 day forecast from memory @PurcellRegister @OUNewsCrowd Thu Fri Sat Sun Mon Tue Wed **96°** 74° **95° 73° 93°** 70° 96° 77 **97°** 76° **96°76**° 92°71 Sunny Sunny Mstly Sunny HOT HOT Prtly Cloudy Sunny The Heat Is On

Hot Oklahoma summer is upon us

so far this year. High tempera- southerly wind to ease some of through next week as well.

tures in the 90's all week with the heat but don't forget those

This upcoming week is going heat indexes over 100 degrees. hats and water bottles. This to be the hottest we have seen There will be a consistent light pattern is going to continue - Conner Bruce

Purcell Intermediate supply list

1 box Crayola Crayons (24

24 No. 2 yellow pencils

2 plastic sturdy pocket folder

(Dixon, USA Gold or Ticond-

2 pink Bevel Erasers

Fourth Grade

eroga preferred)

count)

Third Grade

2 boxes Crayola crayons, 24 count

1 small plastic school box

18 #2 yellow pencils (Ticonderoga preferred) 3 plastic sturdy folders (Red,

green, blue, no brads

1 pair 5" Fiskar scissors with brads (1 red and 1 green)

4 black Expo markers

1 yellow highlighter

1 large pkg. Clorox or Lysol

Optional - Large bottle of

Going down across Oklahoma

July's distribution of sales tax timated sales from June 1-15. uted in 2018. The use tax dis- in use taxes.

Cole

collections by the Oklahoma \$158,864,212 in sales tax col- was \$20,149,421. Tax Commission represent lections, adecrease of \$768,194

Municipalities received bursement to cities and towns

Counties shared \$28,521,962 sales from May 16-31 and es- from the \$159,632,406 distrib- in sales taxes and \$3,961,072

-\$2,072.89



\$5642.86

.04

Purcell Elementary supply list 2 boxes 8 washable markers

acceptable. General mail will

Kindergarten

1 school box, small size only, approx. 8"x5"x2-1/2" 3 boxes crayons, 24 count 1 box 8 washable markers (classic colors, broadline) 2 sets of watercolors (8 count,

classic colors) (Prang brand (yellow, wood only) preferred)





(classic colors, broadline) 1 set of watercolors (8 count,

classic colors, Prang brand preferred)

2 large Elmer's glue sticks 1 large pink school eraser (Gum preferred)

1 large pkg. Clorox or Lysol disinfectant wipes

- 1 box tissues
- **Second Grade**

1 school box, small size only (approx 8"x5"x2-1/2")

2 boxes crayons (24 count) 1 box thin washable markers (classic colors)

1 box 8 washable markers (classic colors, broadline)

1 pencil box 2 wide ruled black marble 2 composition books (basic Students who will be five black, no design please) composition book, 100 count 1 Expo black chisel tip dry

wipes

erase markers 24 No. 2 pencils 1 box 7" pre-sharpened col-1 pair Sharp 5" scissors ored pencils, 12 count 4 glue sticks 2 wide ruled 8x10.5 filler

\$7,715.75

paper, 100 count 1 Elmer's liquid glue

2 boxes of tissues

Optional-Antibacterial

1 box 7" presharpened colored pencils, 12 count 1 box Crayola Crayons, 48 count

Fifth Grade

3 vinyl pocket folders, no brads (Red, green, blue)

2 wide ruled notebook filler paper, 100 count

Assorted color highlighters (Pink, blue, orange, yellow)

2 Expo black chisel tip dry

erase markers

1 bottle Elmer's school glue

2 black composition books

1 spiral notebook (wide

ruled)

Optional - Tissues

1 box (8 or 10 count) Crayola markers (classic colors only)

4 glue sticks 1 large box tissues

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1 large Elmer's glue stick
1 large pkg. Clorox or Lysol
lisinfectant wipes

1 set watercolors (8 count. Prang brand preferred)

- 1 box tissues
- 2 pkgs. 12 colored pencils (tall, not short)
- 1 large pink school eraser (Gum preferred)

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Maysville	.04	\$22,295.61	\$28,247.05	-\$5,951.44
Newcastle	.04	\$658,408.82	\$539,562.26	+\$118,846.56
Noble	.04	\$154,470.23	\$134,372.17	+\$20,098.06
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Paoli	.03	\$3,733.49	\$2,821.47	+\$912.02
Pauls Valley	.045	\$605,454.85	\$566,549.84	+\$38,905.01
Purcell	.05	\$531,204.85	\$538,090.40	-\$6,885.55
Slaughterville	.02	\$17,457.10	\$17,174.43	+\$282.67
Wanette	.035	\$2,694.76	\$3,594.13	-\$899.37
Washington	.04	\$16,416.23	\$14,791.52	+\$1,624.71
Wayne	.035	\$20,897.63	\$25,759.73	-\$4,862.10
McClain County	.005	\$292,379.55	\$282,140.52	+\$10,239.03



NEWS Brief

Purcell Band

Boosters Meeting The Purcell High School Band Boosters will hold a meeting at 7 p.m. Thursday, July 18, in the PHS band room.

Meeting organizers will be reviewing fund-raisers.

Our Lady of Victory VBS

Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church in Purcell will hold Vacation Bible School Tuesday and Wednesday, July 23 and 24, from 6-7:30 p.m. each evening.

All kids ages four to 10 are invited to attend.

The theme for VBS will be The Ten Commandments.

To register pick up a form in the church or call the church office at 527-3077.

Back 2

School Bash

The Heart of Oklahoma Back 2 School Bash will be held Saturday, August 3, from 5-8 p.m.

The event will be located at Main Street and 2nd Ave., across from the caboose between McClain Bank and the McClain County Courthouse in downtown Purcell.

There will be free school supplies, free food, games, outdoor laser tag, climbing

Everyone is welcome and Volunteers everything is free.

Farmers Market

more.

at Purcell Lake Harvest from the Heart Farmers Market will be held from 4-8 p.m. each Friday at Chandler Park at the Purcell City Lake. Vendors are welcome.

For more information call Dale Bunn, City Manager, at 527-6561.

Required Immunization

All incoming seventh grade students at Purcell Junior High are required to get a TDAP shot before they will be allowed to enroll. This is a state requirement and must be received before the start of the 2019-2020 school year.

The McClain County Health Department will be open for those students needing to get their TDAP shot by calling 527-6541.

For more information, call Purcell Junior High at 527-6591 extension 3304.

Grief Support Group

A grief support group, run by a licensed therapist, will be held the second Tuesday of every month from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Call (405) 519-4398 to regis-

ter or with any questions. Space is limited.

wall, music, prizes and lots Hospice

Loving Care Hospice is looking for volunteers. Interested individuals can call Connie McDivitt, volunteer coordinator, at 527-3756.

Museum News

The McClain County Museum and Historical Society will be open on Tuesdays and $Thursdays\,from\,1-4\,p.m.\,and$ by special appointment.

Patrons and visitors can reach Pam Ellis-Hobbs at 527-8698 to request a tour or genealogy research information.

Breaking Free

Door of Hope is presenting a new series "Breaking Free" each Thursday.

Food and fellowship begins at 6 p.m. with the meeting beginning at 6:45 p.m.

The series will focus on breaking free of issues that you are battling.

The program meets at 920 S. Green Ave. in Purcell.

Purcell

NA Group

Purcell New Beginnings Group of Narcotics Anonymous meets Wednesday and Saturday at 8 p.m.

The group meets at the First Baptist Church in Purcell.

For more information call Sarah W. at (405) 816-9233.



Responsibility of Home Owner to Maintain Property It is the responsibility of the home owner and or tenant to maintain their property or be subject to a \$260 fine. Violations are as follows:

1. Tall grass or weeds, junk, trash, debris, inoperable vehicles, and discharging grass clippings into the street.

2. You are responsible for maintaining your property from the edge of the road or curb to the center of the alley. The City will trim the large trees in the alley.

3. Bulk waste pick up is the last Monday of every month. Please do not set bulk waste out until that weekend before the individual members and groups last Monday. (No loose items, no items to exceed 75 pounds, for their hard work and communo antifreeze, paint, or batteries, no hazardous materials. No nity service over the past year. refrigerant compressors. Limbs must be in three-foot bundles). 4. Brush set out to the curb will be picked up with a charge Cleveland County include determined by the size. Brush pick up is free in May and October. Phyllis Tunender, OHCE You may also call and arrange for brush pick up.

Cleveland Co. OHCE celebrates

success

Brenda Hill Extension Educator

Seventeen Cleveland County members attended the 84th Oklahoma Home and Community Education annual meeting during which special awards were presented to recognize



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Replacement

Purcell Electric crews replace a power pole on 7th Street Thursday. Power was out for nearly two hours while the switch was made to replace the leaning pole.





5. It takes all of us working together to keep Purcell a home Membership Report, 2nd to be proud of.

If you have any questions please call Code Enforcement at 527-4656.

The winning awards from Member of the Year, 1st in

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Voter registration

First deadline set for special election announced

August 16 will be the last day to apply for voter regiselection for Blanchard.

McClain County Election Board Secretary Karen Haley said persons who are United States citizens, residents of Oklahoma and at least 18 years old may apply to become registered voters.

Those who aren't registered or need to change their registration may apply by filling out and mailing an Oklahoma Voter Registration Application form in time for it to be postmarked no later than midnight August 16.

Haley said applications postmarked after that time will be accepted and processed after September 10.

The county election board responds in writing to every person who submits an application for voter registration. The response is either a voter identification card listing the new voter's precinct number and polling place location or a letter that explains the reason or reasons the application for voter registration was not approved.

Haley said any person who county election board office. submits a voter registratration in order to be eligible tion application and doesn't to vote in a special school receive a response within 30 days should contact the

Oklahoma voter registration

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Reaching Your Lawmakers

50th anniversary of pride

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Upinion

Anyone born by around 1960 or before is going to remember where they were July 20, 1969. My sister and I were at our grandparents' house in Hobart on Dogwood Street when "That's one small step for man and one giant leap for mankind" came simultaneously with a human footprint on the lunar surface.

The grainy picture of Neil Armstrong climbing down the ladder from the Lunar Module was about as exciting as watching your favorite college football team score a touchdown. It seemed like it was in slow motion but was probably Armstrong just being careful.

I'm glad he wasn't as clumsy as I am. I would have probably

fallen down to the lunar surface. later that Armstrong had to fly the Eagle more than planned when it was off the designated course.

He later admitted he was approaching a crater the size of a football field and had to maneuver around it.



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He was down to 20 seconds of fuel remaining in the LM when they made contact with the lunar surface.

They were scheduled to land with two minutes of fuel remaining.

Once they started bouncing We didn't know until years around on the lunar surface and planted that wonderful American Flag was a very prideful moment for so many Americans.

But not for all.

Abaffling six to 20 percent of Americans thought NASA had 1969 and remember with pride flimflammed every one around right where we were watching.

My heatstroke

One early September day in 1983, I persuaded a friend to take me dove hunting.

I was living in Ardmore and after three summers there in100-degree-plus temperatures and high humidity, I thought I was pretty well acclimated to hot weather. I was wrong.

We were out at mid-afternoon, walking in timber next to open fields.

The calendar might have said September, but it was still August hot and sticky. Not a bit of wind was stirring and for whatever reason, my friend longer we were out there or if carried a shotgun and shells, but

their facilities. The conspiracy mongers are

even higher in Great Britain with up to 25 percent saying it was a hoax. Russian polls show up to

the world staging the event in

50 percent of that country's population don't believe men actually walked on the moon.

Much to the chagrin of the conspiracy theorists, since the late 2000s, high-definition photos taken by the Lunar Reconnaissance Orbiter (LRO) of the Apollo landing sites have captured the lander modules and the tracks left by the astronauts.

It's been 50 years and it's still one of the proudest accomplishments by the United States.

Our top engineers and scientists, including my uncle Bob Montgomery, pulled off one of the Eight Wonders of the World and did it with slide rules.

This Saturday night those of us who witnessed the event will think back to that July day in

Still feeling the effects 36 years later

ever experienced.

I drank glass after glass of water and was still thirsty though I swear I sloshed when I walked. I cranked up the AC and

collapsed on the sofa in front of a fan.

There I stayed for the next two days, getting up only for bathroom breaks or to drink more water.

I was young and stupid then. Because I know now that I had heatstroke and should have seen my doctor or gone to the ER.

I did recover – but with one

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Yield: It's the law

What is it with motorists who enter Interstate 35 at the 104 mil marker going north?

There is a yield sign for those vehicles wanting to venture onto I-35 but apparently no on that gets on the interstate there can read.

Locals that travel north form south of the 104 know not to stay in the outside lane when approaching the on ramp.

That's because they know motorists getting on the interstate there have no intention of slowing down or yielding (heaven forbid) to traffic already legally on the interstate.

If you happen to get caught in the outside lane with a vehicle to your left in the inside lane you know the drill.

Slow down for oncoming traffic because they are not going to slow down for you.

Motorists in the northern part of McClain County that are wanting to travel north on to Norman and Oklahoma City, shame on you for not yielding.

It's the law. Abide by it.

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Round of applause

Dear Editor,

I would like to give a round of applause to Father Jim Chamberlain's article on Freedom and the Law of Love from last week.

His example of how freedom works—if I claim freedom for myself, I also have to allow others the same freedom-is something that we don't always remember. Similarly, he reminds us that we are called to practice the Law of Love.

As a Methodist sister, I would like to quote John Wesley's wording of the Law of Love: "Though we cannot think alike, may we not love alike? May we not be of one heart, though we are not of one opinion? Without all doubt, we may. Herein all the children of God may unite, notwithstanding these smaller differences."



Jeanne Grimes

he shot any birds. Frankly, I lingering effect. I was never

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nothing to drink.

The first hour was uncomfortable. I don't like to sweat, and stood in a cool shower. It but I was drenching wet. Sometime in hour two, I stopped sweating.

The rest of the hunting trip is a blur. I don't know how much

didn't care. When I got home, I stripped

felt so good, but when I got out and dried off, the heat again had me glowing bright red from somewhere deep inside me. I had the worst headache I've again.

able to tolerate the heat again.

These days, I work around it. If there are outside chores, I do them early in the morning or late of an evening. And I never bypass a shady spot.

I never want heatstroke

I am honored to be a part of the same community as Father Jim and to pursue the Law of Love!

> Ms. Edie Morris Lexington

By David $\mathbf{MOVIES}_{\mathbf{WITH}} \mathbf{DAVE}$ Stull

Directly in between the release dates of movie behemoths "Spider-Man: Far From Home" and the 2019 remake of "The Lion King," we have this past weekend filled with a few smaller films trying to eek out an existence in the shadow of all the summer blockbusters. There's a new horror movie

from the director of "Piranha 3D" featuring a throng of deadly alligators, a buddy comedy starring Dave Bautista of "Guardians of the Galaxy" fame, and a documentary about a teenage girl who survived a life threatening shark attack. Let's get to the reviews. ***

> First up is 'Crawl." When a massive hurher Florida hometown, Scodelario)

ignores evacuation orders to search for her missing father (Barry Pepper).

in the crawl space of their and styles, and up until now, heighten the tension. family home, the two become trapped by quickly encroaching floodwaters. As time runs out to escape the strengthening storm, Haley and her father discover that the rising water level is the least of their fears.

Oddly enough, this is the fourth week in a row where there's been some kind of new horror flick making the rounds in theaters.

First was the Chucky reboot of "Child's Play," then the next film in the Conjuring universe "Annabelle Comes Home," followed by A24's latest slowburn thriller "Midsommar," and finally this film.

I don't know about you, but I don't usually think of late-June/early-July, as prime scary ricane hits movie season. Obviously four seperate movie studios thought otherwise though, because Haley (Kaya here we are.

> But despite an overabundance of movies in the same genre, I don't really feel burned out on horror flicks. flooding the basement, giv-

all of them have at least been halfway decent.

And fortunately for me, this trend of good horror movies continued this week. In fact, surprisingly I think I may have enjoyed this creature feature the most out of the four.

First of all, the setting here end. is absolutely perfect.

Most of the movie is pretty much set in a single location, the crawl space underneath the old family house, but what a great location it is to make these gators as terrifying as possible.

Alligators aren't exactly known for breaking land speed records, so to make them truly threatening you have to throw your main characters in a confined area where they can't easily run, and under a house is perfect for that.

Not only that, but the addition of the constant ticking clock with an approaching category 5 hurricane slowly

Even though the characters were stuck in the same house for the large majority of the movie, the filmmakers found ways to evolve the circumstances of their mortal danger, keeping the setting interesting all the way up until the very

I also really liked the characters here.

This isn't horror movie filled with random buffoons waiting to be brutally murdered. They don't survive as long as they do simply because they're lucky. Both father and daughter are highly capable, not to mention tough as nails.

Granted, the relationship between Haley and her dad might not be the most original. It's another movie about a parent and child who've grown distant for one reason or another and reconnect through a series of gripping, life-threatening events.

You've probably seen that a dozen times, but I guess there's Partially because all of them ing the gators an even bigger a reason filmmakers keep us-

Finding him gravely injured have had very distinct concepts advantage, really helps further ing the same trope. It's simple, effective, and relatable. And it works quite well here.

By the end of the movie, I was surprisingly invested in these poor characters.

Sure, the film's not perfect. If you're looking to nit-pick, the alligators were far from the most realistic creatures I've ever seen in a movie.

They looked good enough as far as I was concerned though. Even scenes where I could obviously tell the gator was fake still had me jumping out of my seat at times.

The filmmakers here did a great job building tension, regardless of how the gators looked.

Overall, I thought this was a really fun, well paced, smaller scale horror movie.

It might not be as highly produced as something like "Annabelle Comes Home," nor does it have the backing of an auteur filmmaker like "Midsommar," but despite that

Please see **Dave**, page 5A



<u>Our Views</u>

Epic disparity

It's sad that public education in Oklahoma is not on a level playing field.

The unfortunate trend of charter schools' growth has only added to the crisis facing our next generation of publicly educated Oklahomans.

A glaring example of the imbalance to public education generated from charters is Epic One School.

Some may have seen or heard the media campaign initiated by Epic.

A burning question we have is how do they have the money for such a recruitment campaign?

None of the public schools in the area have funds for such an undertaking.

How many thousands of taxpayer dollars have been used to beef up their enrollment figures, which again takes away from other students in the traditional school setting?

There are reports from State Sen. Ron Sharp he has been stonewalled from receiving public records concerning Epic's finances.

And now, the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation is investigating the charter school.

There are also four pending legal notices from former Epic teachers who intend to sue the charter over enrollment practices. Something about all of it doesn't pass the smell test and it's

not helping public or private education in the state.

The Purcell Register

Purcell Senior Citizens By Fredda Perry

I heard one of the weathermen say the dog days of summer have arrived. Once again I remind everyone the very high temperatures the weathermen are predicting will bring chances of overheating in the very hot afternoons. This means everyone needs to be careful about staying out in the heat too long. It does not take much to get a heat stroke. Be sure to stay hydrated.

Our number has fallen off a little, probably because of heat. However, we are still averaging between 45 and 55 meals a day. We have had a full house the last few Thursdays, which we love. Lots of Skipbo and dominos were being enjoyed. Some of the guys are getting out their pool sticks and challenging each other.

We want the people to feel free to stay and play after lunch is served. The center is open until 3 p.m. every day except Friday at which time we set up for the Friday night dance.

We love having guests for lunch. If you are planning to eat with the seniors, it is imperative to call and make a reservation by 8 a.m. that day or the afternoon before.

If you do not have a reservation you will have to wait until all the people who have a reservation are fed. Call Evelyn or John at 527-9462 to make a reservation. If there is no answer call 527-5070. This is an alternate number so please use the 527-9462 number first.

The senior garage sale for this week will be Thursday, July 25, and Friday, July 26. It will start at 8 a.m. and last until 3 p.m. There are always new items which have been brought in for the sale. We have lots of double knit material, a nice baby bed, large and small coffee tables, two bicycles, lots of shorts and nice swimsuits.

Lately there have been some items left on the carport at the senior building. We ask if you need to leave something over the weekend, you call 990-1840 and let someone meet you before you just dump it.

From page 4A

Dave:

filled summer.

And surprisingly, out of all Stu's character. the scary movies released over one I recommend checking out the most. "Crawl" is rated R.

Next up is N BAUTETA UMANS MUMALAS Stuber." When mildmannered Uber driver named Stu (Kumail Nanjiani) picks up a

passenger (Dave Bautista) who turns out to be a cop hot on the trail of a brutal killer, he's thrust into a harrowing ordeal where he desperately tries to hold onto his wits, his life, and his five-star rating. It seems the time for Dave Bautista, comedic actor, has come.

Following in the footsteps of Dwane Johnson and John Cena, Bautista is the latest in a series of WWE performers who have turned their attention towards acting in feature films.

And through his role of Drax in the "Guardians of the Galaxy" films, Dave's made quite a name for himself.

To his credit, he makes a great straight man, an essential part of any comedy group, so it makes sense that he'd get hired for other comedic roles.

In fact if it wasn't for STX rescheduling their film slate he would have starred in two comedies in back to back months, with this film releasing in July and STX's Bautista lead featured dubbed "My Spy" originally set to come to theaters in August.

Sadly, "My Spy" was delayed until early 2020 to avoid confusion from two Bautista comedies releasing on top of each other.

Regardless, it's clear Bautista's chance to shine outside the Marvel Cinematic Universe has come. But the question remains, does he actually have the chops to lead a movie, or is he more suited to just playing supporting roles?

Well, I hate to say it, but if this film is any indication, I'd rather see him stay more on the sidelines.

"Crawl" managed to carve out attribute to a weak, pathetic mentary starring world re- a completely empty theater on its own niche in this horror man, and you've more or less nowned shark attack survicontrived every element of

Stu is friends with a menthe past few weeks, it's the tally abusive woman (Betty Gilpin) who constantly uses him for emotional support. To her, he's barely one step above a pillow to cry on. Of course Stu is madly in love with this person, but keeping with our theme of "pathetic man," he's too scared to tell her how he feels.

She's also been known to use Stu for sex while she's on the rebound, further playing with his feelings.

The whole thing makes for an incredibly frustrating sub-plot, and I hated every painful second of screen time it absorbed.

The worst part of all though, despite this being dubbed a buddy comedy, Bautista and Nanjiani didn't have the least bit of chemistry together.

Sure, Nanjiani bounced off some of the other actors fine. There's even a few rare genuinely funny moments spread around here and there thanks to Nanjiani's timing and delivery, but it was never due to Bautista's character.

It's sad. I like both actors. and Bautista is certainly one of the highlights in the "Guardians of the Galaxy" movies, but the two of them just make for a terrible comedic duo.

And if the lackluster comedy wasn't enough of a reason to stay from this film, the final nail in the coffin for this unremarkable action/comedy is the action itself.

This movie is shot in the same style as many shoddy action flicks. If anything remotely exciting starts happening on the screen, the cameraman just shakes the camera around like they're having a seizure, and calls it a day.

I swear I almost felt seasick after watching the action in this movie. Shaking the camera around is a lazy way a scene seem more intense, without actually putting any effort into the choreography. Plus it hides any mistakes that hapthe audience can't see what's happening anyway.

vor and professional surfer Bethany Hamilton was being released last week? Because I know I certainly didn't. At least not until last Tuesday night when I looked up the new movies at the Moore Warren theater.

Frankly I didn't even know who she was until I started reading up on her. I vaguely remembered hearing about a 2011 movie called "Soul Surfer" about Bethany's experience, but beyond that I knew very little about her as a person.

For those who don't know, growing up Bethany was an aspiring surfer, born and raised in Hawaii.

But her life was forever changed in 2003 when a 14-foot-long tiger shark attacked her, severing her left arm just below the shoulder.

Of course this tragedy made the news, but what really shot Bethany into stardom was her unshakable determination to go out onto the waters and surf again, despite the loss of a limb.

And surf again she did. She even went on to compete in the finals of a national competition less than a year after the shark attack, and she still actively surfs to this day.

It really is an inspiring story. One that made the rounds on just about every talk show imaginable back in the mid 2000s, and of course the previously mentioned feature film.

Which kind of led me to wonder why, over 15 years since her attack, are we just now getting a documentary about Bethany Hamilton?

Well it all started in 2014, thanks in large part to the power of crowdfunding. That's right, we've got ourselves another Kickstarter movie on our hands.

Like many Kickstarters, this film's release date was fall 2015 all the way until just last week.

So in the context of that timeframe, this documentary pened while filming because makes a bit more sense. Back in 2015 Bethany was just coming off of staring in a feature All in all, there might be film, playing herself in "Dol- documentary though. Not una couple moments of good phinTale 2," and competing in less you're one of the few fans comedy here, but they're all CBS's "The Amazing Race." But now, in 2019, I simply annoying writing, terrible ac- don't think this film has an tion scenes, not to mention a audience anymore. The fact comedy duo with zero chem- that I saw this movie alone, in

a Saturday night, really hammered that point home to me.

Bethany's tale has been well told over the past 15 years, and nothing in this film really adds anything compelling to that story.

Unless you're a dedicated Bethany Hamilton fan, there's nothing new of note here. At least not enough to fill a 98 minute runtime.

Though to the movie's credit, I thought the first 30 or so minutes were fine. I didn't know much about Bethany going into this, so seeing her story for the first time on the big screen was interesting.

But after Bethany's recovery and return to surfing, the movie just kind of meanders around for an hour.

Instead of becoming a professional surfer, she really goes on to become a minor celebrity. The screen time dedicated to that portion of her life felt more self-indulgent than anything. Like a former child actor reminiscing about how loved they were back before they grew into an old self-loathing curmudgeon.

And the rest of the movie after that isn't much better. The whole thing feels like a big ego trip, created just to show how great Bethany still is, even though her life just isn't nearly that interesting these days.

Sure, she's gotten married, had a kid, and even still competes professionally here and there. But information like that should fill up an epilogue, not two thirds of a movie's runtime.

Don't get me wrong. I think it's wonderful that she's led such happy fulfilling life after surviving such a tragedy, but at the end of the day they're making a movie here.

Like all films, documentaries need a compelling narrative with solid story structure, and after the first 30 minutes, ridiculously delayed. From this movie just doesn't have that.

> If you are interested in learning more about Bethany Hamilton, I do highly recommend looking her up. She is a very inspiring person.

I can't recommend this obsessed with every boring aspect of Bethany Hamilton's life.

If you need a place for a special celebration, birthday party, family reunion or any type of class, check out the senior center. Call the center at 527-5070 and ask for Fredda or Hester.

Menu for the week of July 22-26:

Monday-Cheeseburger, potato chips, macaroni salad, frosted brownie.

Tuesday-Chicken and dumplings, green peas, carrots, cherry gelatin with topping.

Wednesday-Goulash, green beans, peaches, sugar cookies. Thursday—Ham and white beans with sliced onions, hash browns, spinach, cornbread, margarine, reversing cobbler.

Friday—Meatloaf with topping, mashed potatoes with gravy, broccoli, sliced bread or hot rolls, margarine, pudding swirl.

Thought for the Week: Your future self will thank you for every positive choice you make today!

From page 3A

Voter:

in Purcell, as well as most elections.ok.gov.

application forms are post offices, tag agencies available at the McClain and public libraries in the County Election Board office county. Applications also located at 121 N 2nd Ave., are available online at www.

I really didn't like Bautista's character here.

In the movie he plays this inconsiderate cop who essentially kidnaps his Uber driver, forcing him to drive across the greater Los Angeles area. Basically he's a brute who only thinks of himself.

It's a role some actors may be able to pull off, but Bautista just doesn't have the charisma for it. He isn't a likeable jerk with a heart of gold, he's just a jerk.

But regardless of how much I disliked Bautista in this movie, I think I may have liked the writing for Kumail Nanjiani's character even less. Nanjiani plays a man without a backbone. That pretty much sums it up. Just think of all the stereotypes you'd

buried under a mountain of istry whatsoever.

"Stuber" is rated R. ***



ing a fearless athlete. This is the untold story of the heart of a champion and her resilience against all odds to become one of the leading professional surfers of our time.

Did you know that a docu-

"Bethany Hamilton: Unstoppable" is rated PG.



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Pauls Valley Opry

David Paul Nowlin will be one of the guests at the next Pauls Valley Opry on Saturday, August 3. The show begins at 6:30 p.m. at the Pauls Valley High School auditorium.

Benefit picnic

Lindsay man has lymphoma

A benefit picnic for a Lindsay man recently diagnosed with lymphoma will be July 27 at Shady Grove Park in Lindsay.

Kyle Scruggs, 32, is receiving chemotherapy. He has two children and a third is on the will be open until 9 p.m. way.

The picnic will run from 6 to 9 p.m.

Providing live music from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. will be the minimum donation of \$8 for band Whiskey Tom.

Tickets are selling for a rifle which will be given away at 7:30 p.m.

There will also be a silent auction that will open at 6 p.m. and close at 8:30 p.m.

The splash pad in the park

There will be sno-cones, as well as hamburger and hot dog baskets.

Organizers are requesting a the food baskets

Wrap up summer at the library with a celebration

Purcell Register

Society

The Purcell Public Library claim their Summer Learning wraps up a summer of learning prize. and reading with its "Mission Report: Summer Learning 11 and under and their families. Challenge" at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, July 23.

Participants will engage in activities, crafts and a visit the library, call 527-5546 or from the PLS Maker Mobile, go online to www.pioneerlias well as have a chance to brarysystem.org/purcell.

End of mission

Library plans fun-filled event for kids

wrap up a summer of learning and fun Tuesday morning.

Mission Report: Summer Learning Challenge is scheduled for 10:30 a.m., with activities geared toward youngsters age 11 and younger.

ties, there will be crafts, a visit org/purcell.

Purcell Public Library will from the Pioneer Library System Maker Mobile and, most important, chances to claim Summer Learning prizes.

Activities are geared to ages

No advance registration is

For more information, visit

required to attend.

The event is free and advance registration isn't required.

For more information, call 527-5546 or go online to In addition to those activi- www.pioneerlibrarysystem.

Pikes Peak School Museum ice cream social

Delicious homemade ice others and encourage them to cream will be served at the An- bring their children and grandnual Pikes Peak School Social. children to enjoy this special This is a special event you will evening. not want to miss.

resentatives will be planning speak with the author about and overseeing fun activities on the large play area behind the rural school museum in Erin Springs across from the Murray Lindsay Mansion.

Plan now to bring your whole family at 5 p.m. Saturday, July 27, for fun and fellowship. You

Pikes Peak History books Kent Turner with PASS rep- will be on sale and you can the many interesting stories in the book.

This is the Annual Fundraiser to assist with maintenance of the yard and the building.

Your donations are always appreciated and you can mail a donation to PASS if you are



Gracie Montgomery

A special happy birthday online to www.pioneerlibraryto my older son, John Denny Montgomery III.

John Denny celebrates his birthday Monday, July 22. ***

Another happy birthday goes out to my older brother, Richard T. Evans of Venice, Fla.

Richard celebrates his birthday Tuesday, July 23.

Happy birthdays also go out to Suzanne Woodrow-Snell, Marisol Franco, Marcela Auz, Mazy Murray-Konrade, Alejandro Compean, Dawn Howard, Samantha Ardery, Grant DiRienzo, J.E. Shea, Courtney Troyano, Amanda Ewing, Chuck Montgomery, Hannah Bayless, Traci Mc-Crory, Kaitlyn Kim, Joe Ellis, Josh Pollard, Bodie Perigo, James Cox, Tim Wilson, Zane Isley, Alyssa Pritchett, Joe Dale Tompkins, Louis Bollenbach and Deanna Wilder.

Hope you read the story in The Purcell Register last week about McClain County Operation Christmas accepting donations for "Christmas in July."

Any items for McClain County Operation Christmas may be dropped off at The Purcell Register, 225 W. Main. Monetary donations may be

sent to Darrell Ford at P.O. Box 756, Purcell, Okla., 73080.

For more information on Christmas in July, contact Peggy Christian at 990-4001. ***

The TSET Healthy Living Program is sponsoring the 1st Annual Play Streets on Wednesday, July 24, from 9-11 a.m. at 919 N. 9th Ave., on the south side of the Purcell Public Library.

Events will include jump rope, hula-hoops, bubbles, soccer, basketball, kickball, music

system.org/purcell.

The Purcell Public Library will offer its resources and the knowledge of an experienced genealogy researcher Wednesday, July 24, from 2-4 p.m. in the Meeting Room.

Participants can bring their specific questions or just learn more about starting their family research and about all the resources the library has to offer.

Ages 18 and up may participate, and no advance registration is required.

For more information call the library at 527-5546.

The Purcell Public Library is taking tweens ages eight to 11 on a journey in its weekly Space Camp series scheduled at 2 p.m. on Thursday, July 18.

The theme will feature Cooking Out of This World.

Space and supplies for each week's event are limited, so registration in advance is required.

For more information call the library at 527-5546 or go online to www.pioneerlibrarysystem. org/purcell.

Murder in Outer Space, a murder mystery dinner theatre, will be presented at the Purcell Public Library.

The play will be held Saturday, July 20, from 6-8 p.m.

Registration is required by call calling 527-5546.

Harvest from the Heart Farmers Market will be held from 4-8 p.m. each Friday at the Purcell Multi-Purpose Center.

For more information call Dale Bunn, City Manager, at 527-6561.

Here's a slow cooker recipe

that is easy and sooo good. **Slow Cooker Chicken and**

Mushroom Stroganoff 4 boneless skinless chicken



· Photos provided



The Purcell Public Library invites its youngest guests to blast off into a summer of learning at the library's weekly Preschool and Toddler Story Times.

Story Times are scheduled for 10:30 a.m. each Thursday. Each of the story times feature rhymes, stories, songs and more to help young children in developing their pre-reading

Advance registration is requested, but is not required.

For more information, visit the library, call 527-5546 or go breasts, cubed

8 ounce sliced mushrooms 8 ounce cream cheese, softened 10-1/2 ounce can cream of chicken soup

1 envelope ($1\frac{1}{4}$ ounce) dry onion soup mix

Salt and pepper to taste

1 pound large egg noodles for serving

Place the chicken in the bottom of a lightly greased slow cooker. Add the mushrooms.

In a medium sized bowl add cream cheese, cream of chicken soup, and dry onion soup mix. Mix until incorporated and spread on top of chicken and mushrooms.

Cook on low for 4-6 hours or high for 3-4. Serve over noodles and top salt and pepper.

Note: I served mine over rice and it was equally as good.



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Moon landing anniversary has special ties to OMRF

a half-century since Neil Arm- reach space. And as a mission them with radiation to study strong became the first human specialist aboard three differto walk on the moon. In the ent space shuttles, she put her 50 years since, space missions have had an unlikely touchpoint righthere in Oklahoma-at the the growth of ice crystals and Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation.

In 1978, Shannon Lucid, Ph.D., then working as a postdoctoral researcher at OMRF, project with lab rats. was selected as part of the first class of female astronauts in 48 rats to tend, and I worked NASA's space shuttle program. Hertime at OMRF, where she'd not prepared her for the media sort of thing, so I was a natural onslaught that followed the for that task." announcement.

Time, Life and People maga-Walter Cronkite.

to earth," said Don Gibson, who worked in the lab with Lucid during the six-plus years taking cells from cancer pashe was at OMRF. She spent tients in their natural, liquid several months wrapping up her scientific projects at the into solid crystals. foundation, determined not to colleagues.

Saturday, July 20, will mark the sixth American woman to mundson planned to bombard scientific training to use.

She conducted a project on studied the effects of space space, the Columbia disinon wild wheat. She observed quail embryos and, in a nod to her days at OMRF, even did a

"On the Columbia, we had with them every day," Lucid told OMRF's Findings magastudied how chemicals cause zine in 2016. "No one else on age, was a small, aluminum cancerous changes in cells, had the mission had ever done that container that had held his

Local and international news focused on what transpires outlets, including crews from far above the earth's surface, many of the projects on space zines, came to OMRF to inter- flights also aim to change view Lucid. She even appeared things right here on our planet. on the CBS Evening News with That was the case with a pair of experiments that OMRF's Despite Lucid's newfound Allen Edmundson, Ph.D., sent dent Mike Pence announced fame, she remained "very down into space in 2003 aboard the shuttle Columbia.

form and transforming them learn from space," said OMRF

leave any loose ends for her crystallized, which happens feel confident that Oklahoma more readily in the gravity-free scientists will continue to It took seven years of train- atmosphere of space than under contribute to this process of ing, but in 1985, Lucid became earthbound conditions, Ed- exploration and discovery."

their structure. He hoped that unmasking the cells' structure might lead to new cancer treatments

However, after 16 days in tegrated upon re-entry to the earth's atmosphere. All seven astronauts on the shuttle died.

When Edmundson later viewed photos of shuttle debris found near Nacogdoches, Texas, he was stunned.

There, amidst the wreckexperiments.

"I couldn't believe that our While NASA's research has little box could have survived a fall from 200,000 feet," he said. Still, his experiments did not.

The Columbia tragedy put a temporary halt to human space flight, but those missions eventually resumed.

This past March, Vice Presithat NASA was aiming for a new generation of Americans The experiments involved to reprise Armstrong's lunar landing by 2024.

"We still have so much to President Stephen Prescott, Once the cells had been M.D. "Judging from history, I

Senator seeks clarification of questionable Epic Blended **Charter School funding**

a member of the Senate Apon Education, requested financial information from the Oklahoma State Department of Education (OSDE) regarding funding to one of the state's largest public schools.

tor they were working on his sponsored by Rose State Open Records request but College. The school opened after nearly three months in Oklahoma and Tulsa of receiving no answers, Counties in the Fall of 2017 the senator's request was with two sites (an Oklahoplaced on hold. In June, manCitychurchandaTulsa OSDE's legal counsel re- office building). In 2018, an sponded that there would additional site was opened be an \$850 fee for the labor at another Oklahoma City required to provide the fi- church. nancial information.

tion as to why the OSDE School's website shows provided allocations to Epic that during the 2017-18 Blended Charter School for grade levels the charter modated Pre-K through 5th Blended Charter School school has acknowledged publicly it did not provide accommodation or instruction for during the 2017-18 and 2018-19 school years. of Communications Shelly

"The legislature should have access to any and all financial information from 24, 2019, that the school the state agencies we're en- only provided those grades vided an A-F site grade trusted to fund and oversee. The public expects us to be good stewards of their relates it will open a new money and we must hold our state agencies, including the State Department of Education, accountable for their spending," said Sharp, R-Shawnee. "I'm ment numbers for the 2017especially disturbed by the agency's unwillingness for grades Pre-K through to provide information given that I've pointed out OSDE provided a state althat Epic Blended Charter location to the school for all School received state aid for of the grade levels. grades they didn't provide. of this."

Under the Oklahoma's Open Records Act, public

more concerned with why the agency will not address the suspicious discrepancy in Epic Blended Charter School's state funding.

Epic Blended Charter brick and mortar charter School was created in May 2017 under the Oklahoma The agency told the sena- Charter School Act and is

Sharp is seeking informa- Epic Blended Charter school year it only accomgrade and Pre-K through 6th grade during the 2018-19 school year. Epic's Assistant Superintendent Hickman verified in an email to Senate staff on June during those years.

> facility in Midwest City for grades 7th-12th during the Oklahoma City and Tulsa. 2019-20 school year.

cause Epic turned in enroll-18 and 2018-19 school years 12th and both years, the The school reported it ac-

I want to get to the bottom commodated 7,000 students during the 2018-19 school year at its three sites.

Epic Blended Charter entities may charge limited Middle School received \$23 fees for the cost of searching million in State Aid during attendance

In March, Sen. Ron Sharp, and copying public records. its first year in operation While he believes the fee (2017-18) and \$40 million propriations Subcommittee is unreasonable, Sharp is the following school year (2018-19). As the sponsor, Rose State College received 2.75 percent of the charter school's State Aid allocation the first year and three percent thereafter according to their 2017-2022 contract.

"The school's charter with the college allows it to provide pre-K through 12th grades. I'm just confused why they turned in enrollment numbers for grades that their website and an administrator said they didn't provide," Sharp said. "Perhaps this is a clerical error or an oversight but as legislators we must be good Sharp pointed out that stewards of the people's tax dollars, especially when it comes to our education system."

> In FY 2017-18, Epic reported 3,078 enrolled students for 6th-12th grades and 3,995 enrolled students in 7th-12th grades in FY 2018-19 according to OSDE grade level enrollment numbers.

In 2018, the OSDE procomplete with enrollment The school's website numbers to Epic Blended Charter Middle Schools (Grades 5th-8th) in both The final OSDE A-F grade Sharp is concerned be- for the two Epic Blended Charter High School sites was a "No Grade" but there were a total of 91 public school sites that received the same in 2018. A "No Grade" is commonly given because a school does not meet the required percentage of students taking end of instruction exams.

Both the Epic Blended Charter Middle School and High School sites were listed as having a 98 percent

Families urged to practice water safety to avoid injury, drowning

As the summer continues, Oklahoma families are spending their time in the water to keep cool. In an effort to help prevent injury and drowning, the Oklahoma State Department of Health (OSDH) encourages the public to use caution and practice water safety.

2015-2018. Among adults, rivers, etc.

One in four drowning deaths to answer the telephone. were children aged 0-19. Of those, more than half were children one to four years of age. Drowning is the leading cause of death for children 1-4 years of age. Unlike adults, the can improve outcomes in a most common place for young children to drown was in a swimming pool. Lorry Gail Malcom is the OSDH childhood injury prevention project coordinator. She said drownings are preventable, but there must be a self-closing and self-latching multiple safe guards in place. "People shouldn't rely on one method or product to keep themselves or their children safe," said Malcom. "Multiple and other containers of water strategies and devices must be immediately after use. Install used simultaneously to ensure everyone's safety in and around water."

The OSDH recommends the following safety tips while being in or near the water:

• If a young child is missing, check the water first. Most children who drowned in swimming pools were not expected to be in or near the pool.

• Stay within arm's reach In Oklahoma, there were 296 when a child is in or near wadrowning deaths reported from ter – even if they know how to swim. Never leave a child the most common places for unsupervised in or near the drowning were natural bodies water, not even for a minute. of water such as lakes, ponds, Drownings are silent and can occur in less time than it takes

 Wear life jackets approved by the U.S. Coast Guard when boating. Swim noodles and water wings are not safety devises and should not be used in place of life jackets.

• Avoid alcohol and drug use when in the water or supervising children in the water. These substances impair judgment and slow reaction times - two

Please see **Drowning**, page 8A

• Invest in swimming lessons and learning child and infant CPR. Swim lessons for children reduce drowning risk and early CPR intervention drowning incident. Local CPR certification classes can be found through the American Red Cross website (redcross. org/take-a-class/cpr).

• Home pools should be surrounded by pool fencing with gate. The fencing should be at least four feet high with no gaps more than four inches wide.

• Empty bathtubs, buckets toilet seat locks. It takes less than two inches of water for a drowning to occur.



Administrator of the Year Anna Diaz "Proclamation of 2004"

1501 N. 8th Street, Noble



Trash hikes on the horizon

Wayne announces new rates

New trash rates go into effect month. September 15 in the Town of Wayne.

Town clerk Jamie Cody said residents will pay \$13 per 4-yard dumpsters to both month for a polycart. Each residential and commercial charges are \$51, 2-yard; \$57, additional polycart is \$10 per customers.

mercial polycart will be \$14. The town offers 2-, 3- and

Residential fees will be \$48 The monthly rate for a com- for a 2-yard dumpster, \$50 for a 3-yard dumpster and \$60 for a 4-yard dumpster.

> New commercial dumpster 3-yard, and \$62, 4-yard.

OSDH warns about high temperatures for children's safety

(OSDH) reminds parents the windows cracked. that children's bodies overchildren under age four are child in the back seat. New among those at greatest risk parents can be especially vulfor heat-related illnesses.

leading causes of non-crash, infant; lack of sleep can imvehicle-related death for pact memory and judgment. children. In the United States,

for children.

OSDH offers the following safety tips to keep Oklahoma Always check the back seat children safe in cars during before walking away from extreme heat:

Never leave a child unattended in a vehicle, not even ling a child into their safety for a minute, even if the windows are open.

• The temperature inside a shoes, in the back seat. vehicle can rise to more than temperature is 101 degrees. A faster than an adult's body temperature.

• Even in cool temperatures, good reminder items.

a child dies from heat stroke contribute to unintentionally in a vehicle every nine days. leaving a child in a car. More Parents and caregivers of than 50 percent of cases of young children should es- children dying in hot cars pecially keep in mind that occurred when a distracted vehicles heat up quickly and caregiver forgot a child was in can be extremely dangerous the back seat. To prevent this,

As temperatures climb, so cars can heat up to dangerous does the risk for heat-related temperatures very quickly. care provider. Make sure illness due to hyperthermia Interior temperatures can rise your child care provider has (overheating). The Oklahoma almost 20 degrees within the a system in place to prevent State Department of Health first 10 minutes, even with leaving children alone in their

It's not about being a good nerable to sleep deprivation Heat stroke is one of the as they adjust to life with an

Changes in routine can also

use these safety strategies: the vehicle.

• One shoe off. When buckleft in the car, like one of your

• Stepping out of the vehicle 140 degrees when the outside with a bare foot onto hot pavement is a good reminder to go child's body temperature can to the back seat to retrieve increase three to five times the shoe, and the child. Other personal items such as a purse, wallet, or cell phone are also

• Check with your child van or bus.

• Kids before cargo. Take heat easily, and infants and parent. Anyone can forget a children out of the vehicle before unloading other items such as groceries.

• Set up supports. Use a cell phone's alert system to set a reminder to take the child out of the vehicle. Enlist the help of a partner or friend to give you a reminder call to make sure the child isn't left in the car. Ask the child care provider to call you if your child isn't dropped off at the usual time.

Keep vehicle doors and trunks closed and locked. Up • Look before you lock. to one-third of heat-related deaths among children occurred when a child was playing in an unlocked vehicle and became trapped inside.

• Keep vehicle keys out of seat, put an item that can't be reach and out of sight. Teach children not to play in or around vehicles.

> • Teach children that vehicle trunks are not safe places to hide. Show children how to use the emergency trunk release if they become trapped inside.

> If a child is seen alone in a locked, parked car, it is permitted by law to forcibly enter the vehicle to rescue the child. Call 911 immediately for emergency assistance.

> Once the child is out of the vehicle, stay with the child in a safe place near the vehicle until emergency responders arrive

> To receive more information on summer car safety, contact the OSDH Injury Prevention Service at (405) 271-3430.



Paving the way

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Detours and orange barrels are only a temporary inconvenience as work nears completion on the new bridge linking Purcell and Lexington.

Undocumented Oklahomans without a criminal record increasingly face deportation

TrevorBrown

Oklahoma Watch

Nebert Adala had a tough decision to make in 2014 when he found out his work visa would not be renewed.

Adala, a Kenyan immigrant, had arrived in the country about five years earlier and just begun to settle down in Tulsa. He studied radiological technology at Tulsa Tech and Hillcrest Medical Center, getting married and finding a job in assisted-living care.

Adala, now 41, knew he could voluntarily return to his home country, where he hadn't lived in years. Or he could stay in the United States and hope his clean criminal record would allow him to avoid government attention while he tried to pursue citizenship.

That hope withered when Immigration and Customs Enforcement agents greeted him as he arrived at work one morning in late 2016. After a short jail stay and a fruitless, expensive legal challenge, Adala was detained again last year and put on a ing more frequent. A recent plane bound for Kenya, where he remains today.

only crime was just wanting to stay and work here."

Adala's story is becoming increasingly common.

Of the 9,201 ICE arrests in Oklahoma between October 2014 and May 2018 - a period reviewed by Syracuse University's Transactional Records Access Clearinghouse - 20 percent of those arrested had no criminal record and 36 percent had only a misdemeanor conviction.

Under President Donald Trump, these arrests are becom-



law. "He wasn't a criminal. His Allegro, executive director of the New Sanctuary Network, a pro-immigrant group based in Tulsa. "But what we are seeing is that just a lot of everyday people are getting swept up in this."

Enforcement Within

The crisis at the border, where a surge of migrants has overwhelmed Border Patrol agents and the administration's treatment of unaccompanied minors and others has ignited protests, has dominated the immigration debate in recent months.

Less conspicuous is ICE's continued large presence in the interior of the country.

The agency's latest enforcement report shows it arrested 105,140 immigration violators in fiscal year 2018, which ended Sept. 30, 2018. That's up 10 percent over the previous year and 44 percent over fiscal 2016.





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From page 7A **Drowning:**

critical tools in emergencies. For more information on preventing drownings and other childhood injuries, parents and caregivers can visit our website, http://ips.health. ok.gov, the Safe Kids Worldwide website, www.safekids. org, and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) Child Safety and Injury Prevention site, www.cdc.gov/ safechild.

"He wasn't doing drugs. He wasn't hurting anyone," said Adala's sister, 39, a Tulsa resident and fellow Kenyan immigrant who spoke to Oklahoma Watch on the condition of anonymity because she is afraid what could happen if she falls out of compliance with the

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analysis from NBC News found ICE arrests of undocumented

workers without criminal records jumped from 19,128 to 58,010, or by 203 percent, during the first 14 months of Trump's presidency over the previous 14 months of the Obama administration.

As ICE began carrying out raids across the country Sunday with a goal of rounding up thousands of undocumented families, local activists say the shift away from mainly targeting those with serious criminal records is increasing fear and concern throughout the immigrant community.

"I think there is this narrative that they are only going after these hardened criminals

- gang members, child molesters and murders," said Linda

also more frequently targeting those without a criminal conviction. In 2018, only 34 percent of those arrested had no criminal record, up from 14 percent in 2016. The data is more striking for

The report indicates ICE is

at-large arrests, which occur in the community, including the home and workplace. Custodial arrests, by contrast, occur when local or state authorities turn over undocumented immigrants to ICE.

Of the 40,536 at-large community arrests in fiscal 2018,43 percent didn't have a criminal record, up from 18 percent in 2016.

The trend is also evident in Oklahoma, according to an analysis of records obtained by Syracuse University's clearinghouse.

From October 2014 to the end of Obama's term in January

Please see **Deport**, page 10A





OHCA changes member outreach related to undeliverable mail

A rule being implemented to provide them with an opera- to update their address with by the Oklahoma Health Care tional process detailing steps Authority (OHCA) reminds the agency will take to contact SoonerCare (Oklahoma Medicaid) members to keep their home addresses up-to-date with the agency.

Members who fail to do so risk losing their SoonerCare outreach efforts through social eligibility after outreach efforts are made by the agency to locate a current address.

The agency's board approved the rule at their May 21 board meeting and it was signed by Governor Kevin Stitt on June 28. The rule will bring the agency into compliance with guidance from its (CMS).

At their May meeting, board

members who need to update their addresses. That process was presented at the June 25 board meeting.

Aside from the agency's media and provider education, notice will also be posted to the member's online Sooner-Care account. Beginning this month the agency will begin an out-bound calling campaign after hours and on weekends to speak to members and update their address.

The agency is also educating federal partner, the Centers for providers, advocates, other Medicare & Medicaid Services state agencies and partners about the importance of an updated address and asking members directed OHCA staff them to encourage members mysoonercare.org.

SoonerCare.

Residing in Oklahoma is one of the eligibility criteria to qualify for SoonerCare. Returned mail indicates a potential change in circumstance with respect to residency.

Therefore, if a member's whereabouts are unknown and OHCA has made reasonable attempts to verify the member's current address, OHCA will send a 30 day notice of discontinued eligibility to impacted members by mail and by email, if the agency has an email address on file.

If you are a SoonerCare member and have questions about these changes, please contact the SoonerCare Helpline at 800-987-7767 or visit www.



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Heating up

By 1 p.m. Tuesday the temperature in Purcell was in full July mode.

For first time, 'Read or Fail' law is fully funded. Will it reduce retention?

JenniferPalmer Oklahoma Watch

One of the state's most are some answers. contentious education initia-

What does the funding mean

How much funding will sistants; before-, after- and

Districts can spend the for Oklahoma students? Here funding on items like salaries for teachers and teaching astives, the Reading Sufficiency schools receive this year summer school programs;



· Photo provided Scholarship

recipient

Quincy McGee, right, of Purcell was the recipient of the DCT CLASS Graduate Endowment Scholarship during East Central University's 2019 Professional Programs in Human Services Awards and Recognition Event this past spring. Pictured with McGee is Dr. Paige Williams, professor in the Department of Professional Programs in Human Services.

Health officials urge caution to prevent heat-related illnesses

• Rapid and strong pulse

A heat stroke is a medical

observed, call 911 immedi-

ately and move the person to

The OSDH offers the follow-

Stay indoors. Stay in an air-

conditioned place. If a home is

not air-conditioned, visit a mall

glasses (16-32 ounces) of cool

fluids every hour. Anyone tak-

fluids should consult a physi-

alcohol or large amounts of

Avoid liquids which contain

with cool cloths or a bath.

heat-related illness:

in the area.

cian first.

as well.

• Feeling confused

• Unconsciousness

• Feeling dizzy

• Headache

Nausea

Summer is here and temperatures are rising. Each year, more than 600 people die from heat-related illness in the United States.

In Oklahoma, there were 145 deaths associated with exposure to excessive heat from 2010 to 2017. Approximately emergency. If any signs are 70 percent of those deaths occurred in males.

The Oklahoma State Department of Health (OSDH) the person's body temperature reminds residents that heatrelated illness can range from heat rash, heat cramps, and ing safety tips for preventing a heat exhaustion to hyperthermia (overheating) and heat stroke.

Heat stroke occurs when the body is unable to cool itself sufficiently, and it often results in local health department for the lightheaded, confused, weak severe organ damage or even location of a heat-relief shelter or faint. death.

Heat-related deaths and illnesses are preventable. It is fluid intake to two to four important to recognize the signs of heat exhaustion and heat stroke and act quickly.

- Heat Exhaustion
- Heavy sweating
- Weakness
- Cold, pale, clammy skin
- Fast, weak pulse
- Nausea or vomiting • Fainting
- Muscle cramps
- Headache
- Feeling dizzy
- **Heat Stroke**

• Hot, red, dry or moist skin higher and broad spectrum or UVA/UVB protection.

> Schedule outdoor activities carefully. Try to limit outdoor activity to morning and evening hours. When outside, rest often in shady areas to allow the body a chance to recover.

Pace yourself. Cut down on exercise during the heat. Someone who is not accusa cooler environment. Reduce tomed to working or exercising in a hot environment should start slowly and increase pace gradually.

If exertion in the heat makes your heart pound and leaves you gasping for breath, stop all activity. Get into a cool area or into the shade, and or public library, or contact a rest, especially when becoming

Closely monitor those who Stay hydrated. Increase are more vulnerable. Infants, children, people older than 65 years of age, those with mental illness, outdoor workers, athing water pills or is on restricted letes, and those with physical illnesses such as heart disease or high blood pressure should be closely observed.

Never leave pets or people in sugar; they contribute to the a vehicle. Never leave anyone, loss of more body fluid. Very especially children, the elderly cold drinks can cause stomach or pets in a parked vehicle, even cramps and should be avoided if the windows are cracked.

For more information on Dress appropriately. Wear summer heat safety, contact lightweight, light-colored, the OSDH Injury Prevention

Act, is fully funded for the and how are the funds disfirst time, with \$12 million dedicated to fund supports for struggling readers in the 2019-20 school year.

The reading law has for six years contained a high-stakes component for third graders: They face being held back if they can't demonstrate reading proficiency.

Oklahoma Watch in December revealed that it's not just third graders being retained, but students as young as kindergarten are repeating a grade more frequently in Oklahoma than in every other state except Mississippi.

One of the major reasons is give students more time to learn to read before the reading act's high-stakes test in third grade, school administrators and parents say.

The increase of \$5.5 million allocated to the Reading Sufficiency Act in the fiscal 2020 education budget is being heralded as a win by both state Superintendent of Public Instruction Joy Hofmeister and Gov. Kevin Stitt.

tributed?

Funds through the Reading Sufficiency Act are allocated per student who is in kinder-



garten through third grade and is reading below grade level. When the reading act was approved, the Legislature's intent was to give schools about \$150 per struggling reader. But each year the actual amount has been about \$75 per student. This year, schools will receive about \$153 per student.

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instructional materials for reading instruction; screening assessments; and professional development for teachers, paraprofessionals and reading interventionists. Individual districts can choose which approaches to take. A survey of teachers found the five most effective supports are reduced student-teacher ratio, a daily reading block, intervention reading program, additional in-school instructional time and intensive language and vocabulary instruction.

Bound, paper books remain a key tool in teaching a love of reading in early grades, as this row of books at Ketchum Elementary School in north-

Please see **Retention**, page 10A cation group have gathered



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Success:

Growth (14 percent), 1st place network with one another and Hopewell OHCE member- generally just have a good ship growth (61.54 percent), time. In that aspect, things Cultural Enrichment: 1st place have not changed much. Clothier #15 OHCE, Resource However, OHCE members Cleveland County.

Rose Anne Jackson, Moore, received her 50 year membership pin.

For more than 81 years, members of the Oklahoma Home and Community Edu-

serving their areas for 100 years information.

in Membership Percentage yearly to exchange ideas, or more, even before there was an official state organization.

> Cleveland County OHCE welcomes new members to join in their next 100 years.

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Purcell Register Obituaries

Danny "Doc" Lang

Danny "Doc" Lang, of Rosedale, passed away July 8, 2019 in Byars, Oklahoma at the age of 65 years.

Doc, as he was better known, was born April 9, 1954 in Pauls Valley, Oklahoma to Doris E. (Eddlemon) Lang and Odis Odell Lang. The Rosedale area has been his home most of his life.

He was married to Sherrie Hamilton in Rosdale in 1993. He worked in Maintenance at the Pauls Valley Parks and Recreation Department for the City of Pauls Valley for a number of years. Doc loved the outdoors including fishing, camping and doing yard work, as well as spending time with his children and grandchildren and the rest of his family.

He was preceded in death by his father, Odis Odell Lang; an infant brother. Odis Odell Lang, Jr.; brother, Randy Lang; and sister, Andrea Boydston.

His surviving family includes his wife, Sherrie Lang of Rosedale; children, Danny Paul Lang and wife, Tracy, of Washington, Tana Lang and friend, Brandon Northrup, of Purcell and Tommie Brooke of Pauls Valley; his mother, Doris Lang of Rosedale; three sisters, Donna Stufflebean of Rosedale, Kathy Chance of Konawa and Susie Stringer of Stratford; two brothers, Brent Lang of Wayne and Barry Lang of Rosedale; eight grandchildren, Mikala, Blake, Alexis, Dustin, Brad, Anthony, Marlee and Maddilyn; as well as a host of nieces, nephews and many friends.

Funeral services were held Friday, July 12, 2019 at 11 a.m. at Stufflebean-Coffey Funeral Home Chapel officiated by Jim Odell Richardson. Interment was at Rosedale Cemetery under the direction of Stufflebean-Coffey Funeral Home.

We invite you to send a message of condolence and view the family's guestbook at www.stufflebeanfuneralhome.com.

Corky Joel Mullins

Funeral services for Corky Joel Mullins, 87, of Covington were held Tuesday, July 16, 2019 at the Wilson-Little Funeral Home Chapel. Services were under the direction of the Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Purcell.



Mr. Mullins passed away on the morning of Thursday, July 11, 2019 at home with his family.

Mr. Mullins, the widower of Mrs. Marian "Bobbye" Mullins, was the owner of Covington Motor Company, a member of the Union Hill Baptist Church, and a member of the Covington Lions Club and Rotary Club.

Mr. Mullins is survived by his children, Randy Mullins, Harold Mullins and wife, Debbie, Kayla Bowden and husband, Don, Merl Mullins and wife, Ann, and Karla Montgomery; his brother, Jerry Mullins; six grandchildren, Trey Bowden, Lauren Matteson, Courtney Mark, Morgan Montgomery, Tammy Blanchard and Mike Owens; six great-grandchildren, Dale Danielson, Kaylee and Karlee Blanchard, Sage Lamier, Charlotte and Abigail Mark; and his close friend and neighbor Mrs. Mary Gene Matheny.

Online condolences may be made at wilsonlittle.com.

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Rev. E C Hartness

Funeral services for the Rev. E C Hartness, 84, of Noble were held July 15, 2019 at the First Baptist Church in Noble. Interment was at the Noble IOOF Cemetery under the direction of Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Purcell.

Mr. Hartness died July 9, 2019.

He was born July 28, 1934 in Hulbert, Okla., the middle of three sons of Clarence and Almire "Margie" Hartness.

Survivors include his daughter, Debbie Ford and husband, Russ, of Slaughterville, Okla.; one grandson, Scott Ford and wife, Chanda, of Noble; and five great-grandchildren.

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Barbara "Honey" Peery

Graveside Funeral Services for Barbara "Honey" Peery, 78, of Purcell were held Tuesday, July 16, 2019 at Hillside Cemetery in Purcell. Services were under the direction of the Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Purcell.

Mrs. Peery passed away Friday, July 12, 2019.



Barbara June Coffman was born February 16, 1941 in Cushing, Oklahoma, the third of four children born to Bob and Edith Coffman. The Coffman family moved to Kansas for a time, and then back to Purcell, eventually settling in Lexington. Barbara

attended Lexington Schools, graduating with the Class of 1960.

In November of 1961, Barbara's life changed forever. By chance, she met a young man from Lexington named Scottie Peery. It was love at first sight, and they both knew it, and a short 36 days later, on December 29th, they were married.

Purcell has always been home for Scottie and Barbara, where together they raised four children, Jerry, Angela, Scottie A. and Cindy. Barbara worked a variety of jobs throughout the years. She worked at LARC for a time and as a cook for several area restaurants. She fondly recalled her time working as Activity Director in a Nursing Home.

Honey's greatest joy however was her family, and she especially cherished her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She was a member of the CB Club and a gifted artist who enjoyed cameo paintings. Honey was an excellent cook and will forever be remembered for her cinnamon rolls. She was a wonderful wife and mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, neighbor and friend. She will be dearly missed!

She was preceded in death by her great-granddaughter, Makena June Harris; parents, Bob and Edith Coffman; infant sister, Bobbie Jean Coffman and son-in-law, Charlie Shore.

Honey is survived by her best friend and life partner, husband Scottie Peery of the home; children, Jerry Peery of Norman, Angela Shore of Purcell, Scottie A. Peery and wife, Tammy, of Wayne and Cindy Ward and husband, Justin, of Pauls Valley; sister, Virginia Thompson of Tulsa; two brothers, Jim Coffman and wife, Annelle, of Washington State and Robert A. Coffman of Purcell; six grandchildren, David, Stephanie and husband Redd, Erin, Brandi and husband, Jonathon, Lori and husband, Jordan and Cody; seven great-grandchildren, Brendon, Bradley, Alexia, Mason, JW, Emmett and Major and a host of other family and friends.

Online condolences may be made at wilsonlittle.

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Deport:

2017, ICE arrested in Okla- expelling hard-working memhoma an average of nearly 22 people per month who did not have a previous criminal con- caregiver, is focused mainly viction, the data shows.

through May 2018, the latest month with available data.

The increase came after Trump signed an executive order early in his presidency that expanded the "enforcement priority" list for the Department of Homeland Security. That list grew to cover those who committed any criminal offense or who falsely represented their ability to work legally. Trump called for hiring an extra 10,000 ICE agents.

The president has repeatedly said he wants ICE to prioritize removing dangerous criminals from the U.S. But he has also made it no secret that others without a criminal record or with minor convictions are not immune from deportation.

"When people come into our Country illegally, they will be DEPORTED!," the president tweeted on June 22. "These are the people that are supposed to go back to their home country."

Local and state police also play a key role in determining who might be deported.

Three Oklahoma law enforcement agencies - the Canadian County Sheriff's Office, the Okmulgee County Criminal Justice Authority and the Tulsa County Sheriff's Office-have Section 287(g) partnerships that allow ICE to deputize local officers to identify and process undocumented residents the border and didn't care that picked up on criminal offenses. he didn't have a dime in his

Other law enforcement pocket." groups participate in the Criminal Alien Program, which gives ICE access to suspects' names, fingerprints and other information when they're booked into jails or prisons. They also can potentially be transferred to ICE custody.

Oklahoma City Police Department spokesman Cpt. Bo Mathews said outside of providing backup or logistical actively search for undocumented residents.

"You're not going to see us kicking in doors," he said. "We don't arrest someone for just

being undocumented."

But if officers arrest some one on an unrelated criminal indicate only a relatively small charge, Mathews said, jail staff will contact ICE, and it can order the person to be detained for up to 48 hours. On July 13, the day before immigration raids were to be launched in various cities across the country, Dream Action Oklahoma held a "garra sale," or garage or yard sale, in Warr Acres in the Oklahoma City area. The purpose was to raise money to increase the group's activism on behalf of immigrants and their rights. Attendance was light, but the sale did attract local Hispanic community members.

bers of the community.

Adala's sister, a 39-year-old on the tenuous foothold she Under Trump, the number still has on a better life here jumped to 53 arrests per month and the one her brother has painfully lost.

> Her brother has battled depression and other hardships since moving back to Kenya, she said. While she waits to see if her legal status will be extended, the ordeal has made her rethink her future here.

> "I'm in my late 30s, but I don't know if I want to fall in love and get married, because who would want me with all this baggage?" she said. "I don't regret coming here at all, but I do regret not being able to get married, start a family and finally give my mom some grandkids."

> Pryor resident Tracy Garcia is also dealing with the aftershocks of a family member's deportation.

> Garcia said her 25-year-old stepson, Jose Garcia, was deported to his native country of Mexico earlier this year after he was transferred to ICE custody. He had been stopped for a minor traffic violation and was arrested for driving without a license.

> Tracy Garcia said her stepson was making about \$1,200 a week in construction work before the arrest. Now he's making \$98 a week in Mexico.

> "The bottom line is you can't survive on that money," she said. "They just herded him on to a bus, dropped him off over

The Fear of Raids

The last month has been a busy time for Cynthia Garcia, the deportation defense director for Dream Action Oklahoma, a nonprofit group that works with the Oklahoma City immigrant community.

When Trump announced last month that ICE would begin immigration raids in major cities, she and other volunteers assistance to ICE, officers don't began fielding calls, arranging for access to lawyers for at-risk families and helping advise people of their rights.

It wasn't clear how many people would be targeted in the raids or whether Oklahoma would be a focus. Media reports number of arrests occurred Sunday throughout the country, but the threat looms that ICE could accelerate these raids in the day or weeks to come. This has put many immigrants on "high alert," whether they have a criminal record or not, Cynthia Garcia said. "This administration sees immigration as a crime," she said, "and criminalizing immigration has turned into the weapon ... (for) targeting our people." Allegro, executive director of Tulsa's New Sanctuary Network, fear the raids could cause people not to seek medical care, report crimes, go to work or be around their children. "Everything will be clouded for them," she said. "It's going to be like they are not free and they don't have the same rights as everyone else." Oklahoma Watch is a nonprofit, nonpartisan media organization that produces in-depth and investigative content on a range of public-policy issues facing the state. For more become inhumane, leading to Oklahoma Watch content, go

Wesley Bryan Henry

Wesley Bryan Henry, age 55 of Lindsay, Oklahoma, passed away Tuesday evening July 9, 2019 surrounded by family. Born November 22, 1963 in Guymon, Oklahoma, he was the son of Lloyd and Darlene Henry of Lindsay, Oklahoma.



Bryan was a life-long Lindsay Leopard student, athlete, and dedicated fan. After graduating from East Central University in Ada, Oklahoma, with a degree in Business Finance, he worked alongside his dad for the last 32 years on the Henry Farm and Ranch.

Anyone who knew Bryan knows he loved his sports, his family, and his church. His

competitiveness and statistical knowledge made even a family board game or card game ever so more enjoyable. Not only was he always involved in Ally's Buddy Walks or Abby's softball games, he had the memory to relive them (along with many other events and occasions) where he would share a play by play analysis years later with anyone who would listen.

Bryan's love for his church, his church family, and "His kids" as he referred to his Sunday School Class, was a testament to his true character. He often mentioned the mission trips he attended and spoke of them as some of the greatest times of his life. Thinking of others before himself, that defines his legacy.

"Mr. Bryan" touched many, many lives and will forever be missed but never ever forgotten.

Left to cherish his memory is his loving wife of 19 years Traci Henry of Lindsay, Oklahoma; his daughters, Ally and Abby Henry; his parents, Lloyd and Darlene Henry of Lindsay; his sister, Becky Johnson and husband, Larry, of Huffman, Texas; his brother, Brent Henry and wife, Stacy, of Madill, Oklahoma, and many loving nieces, nephews, and relatives.

He is preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Charley and Jessie Henry and his maternal grandfather, W.C. Roath.

A funeral service to honor the life of Bryan was held on Friday, July 12, 2019 at the First Baptist Church in Lindsay, Oklahoma. He will be laid to rest following the service at the Greenhill Cemetery in Lindsay, Oklahoma.

Services were under the direction of Scott and Angel Wilbourn of Boydston-Wilbourn Funeral Home in Lindsay, Oklahoma.

Condolences may be made to the family online at www. boydstonwilbournfuneralhome.com

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From page 9A **Retention**:

eastern Oklahoma suggests. How many students and schools are affected?

Nearly every district receives at least some reading act funds. a national assessment given In 2018, there were 77,677 students across the state who of students nationwide. That qualified for funding for lack of reading proficiency at the beginning of the school year; that was nearly 40% of students in kindergarten through third grade. The percentage has remained about the same since 2014, when retention in third grade was implemented as part of the reading act.

What will the influx of funding mean for students?

fewer students retained. The *nization that produces in-depth* number of third graders retained and investigative content on a in 2018 increased slightly over range of public-policy issues 2017 – from 1,460 to 1,591, facing the state. For more according to the state Education Oklahoma Watch content, go Department. That's about 3% to www.oklahomawatch.org.

of all third graders. Oklahoma students' reading scores have declined, according to the 2017 Nation's Report Card, every other year to a sampling year, Oklahoma ranked 39th among states in fourth-grade reading, and 40th in eighthgrade reading.

"We have so many students that need help," said Nancy Williams, a reading interventionist in Idabel, a district that received about \$9,500 under the act in 2018. "If we get twice that, we can do twice the good."

Oklahoma Watch is a non-Ideally, better readers and profit, nonpartisan media orga-

Personal Impact

The debate over whom should be targeted for deportation has divided Republicans and Democrats. Many Republicans say illicit entry into the country, or staying here beyond the permitted time, is a defiance of the law and lenient enforcement is bad policy and makes a mockery of sovereign borders.

Many Democrats say overzealous deportation can easily deaths, disrupting families and to www.oklahomawatch.org.

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From page 1A near Dibble last week.

It's just a matter of time before someone in Wadley EMS' service area is affected.

Wadley checked the water temperature in the aboveground pool at his home the other day. It was 92 degrees. No cooling off in that water.

"If you are working outside, stay hydrated and stay in the shade as much as possible," he said. "Don't mow the lawn in the hottest part of the day."

Heat cramps are the mildest ailment from overheating. Even so, they are still darned uncomfortable.

The Mayo Clinic defines heat cramps as "painful, involuntary muscle spasms that usually occur during heavy exercise in hot environments."

Most affected are calves, arms, abdominal wall and back. The loss of fluids and electrolytes in the body often contribute to heat cramps.

you on the road to recovery.

If you experience heat cramps, the Mayo Clinic advises you rest briefly and cool down. Drink clear juice or a sports drink containing electrolytes.

Gentle range-of-motion stretches and massage of the affected muscle group is advised.

And once the heat cramps subside, wait several hours before resuming strenuous activity.

Heat exhaustion symptoms include:

• Cool, moist skin with goose

bumps

- Heavy sweating
- Faintness/dizziness
- Fatigue
- · Weak, rapid pulse • Low blood pressure upon
- standing
- Muscle cramps
- Nausea/headache

According to the Mayo Clinic, heat exhaustion occurs when the body is unable to cool itself through sweating.

As sweat evaporates, it regulates the body's temperature. High temperatures or a high heat index which factors temperature and humidity can put is hot and dry to the touch or, one at risk.

A heat index of 91 degrees or higher – often exceeded in Oklahoma-is when you should take steps to keep cool.

Heat exhaustion is acerbated by dehydration, alcohol use and over dressing. Other factors include age (children younger than 4 years and adults older Replenishing those will put than 65 are at higher risk of heat exhaustion), certain medications, obesity and sudden temperature changes.

> You can protect yourself by wearing lightweight, loose fitting clothing, wide-brimmed hats and sunglasses, as well as using sunscreen with an SPF of at least 15.

stay hydrated, the Mayo Clinic advises, and take time to get acclimated to the heat.

Take things easy during the hottest part of the day. Heatstroke is the most serious

form of heat injury and requires emergency treatment.

Untreated, the condition can quickly damage the brain, heart, kidneys and muscles. And the longer treatment is delayed, the greater is the risk of serious complications or death.

Symptoms are:

• High body temperature (104 degrees or higher with a rectal thermometer)

• Altered mental state or behavior (confusion, agitation, slurred speech, irritability, delirium, seizure, coma)

•Alteration in sweating (skin if caused by strenuous exercise, slightly moist)

- Nausea/vomiting
- Flushed skin
- Rapid breathing
- Racing heart rate
- Headache

"If you think a person may be experiencing heatstroke, seek immediate medical help. Call 911 or your local emergency services number," the Mayo Clinic advises.

While waiting for medical help to arrive, get the person in some shade or indoors. Remove their excess clothing and cool them with "whatever means available."

Those include placing them Drink plenty of fluids to in a cool tub of water or a cool shower, spraying them with a garden hose, sponging with cool water or placing ice packs or cold wet towels on the person's head, neck, armpits and groin.



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Garden gift

Joe Johnson, left, grantee coordinator for the McClain County TSET Healthy Living Program, takes a close look at the flowers growing in one of the plots at the Purcell Community Garden. The program recently donated \$500 for the community garden project. On hand to accept the donation were John Blue, center, and Purcell Parks and Recreation Director Cody Penner.

A gift to grow on

TSET donation funds community garden

The Purcell Community Garden just keeps getting better as an outdoor classroom.

The McClain County TSET Healthy Living Program presented a \$500 check to the city's Parks and Recreation Department.

"With this donation, the City of Purcell Parks and Recreation Department will be able to educate Purcell citizens on proper growing, watering, and maintenance techniques for these garden beds," said Joe Johnson, HLP grantee coordinator.

During the growing season citizens are encouraged to weed, feed, and water their specific beds and the items planted in them with assistance from the Purcell Parks Department.

and maintained leading into the next planting season.

Johnson said the HLP works on sustainable changes to make our communities healthier through efforts to prevent and reduce tobacco use, increase physical activity and improve nutrition.

For example, the program may assist cities and businesses with creating a workplace that is tobacco-free and which encourages healthy food and physical activity options.

In all endeavors from helping local grocery stores improve the nutritional value of foods offered to creating greater public access to farmer's markets and promoting physical activity, the goal of the HLP is to create and support an environment where in the 50 states. Just how high? In turn, the department will the healthy choice is the easy The state ranks 2nd highest for ensure in the off-season that choice and healthy options are stroke, 4th highest for diabetes the beds are properly groomed easily available and accessible. and 4th highest for obesity.

"The HLP helps improve the health of families, friends, and neighbors and gets Oklahoma closer to TSET's goal: Better Lives Through Better Health," Johnson said. "Oklahoma has consistently had poor health outcomes due to very high rates of diseases related to tobacco use, physical inactivity, poor nutrition, and obesity.'

Johnson cited the statistics - half of all adult Oklahomans do not eat fruit daily, only 28 percent of Oklahomans reported they exercised in the past 30 days, and more than 1 in 5 Oklahoma adults smoke cigarettes.

Compared to other states, Oklahoma's rates of heart disease, stroke, diabetes, and obesity are among the highest



Wayne Senior Citizens By John Webb

If you are a senior at least 60 years of age, I would like to suggest that one of these opportunities would be sharing lunch with some of our friends and neighbors at the Wayne Senior Citizens Center. We serve lunch at 11:30 a.m. every Monday through Friday, excluding holidays.

Our attendance has dropped a little in the last couple of months, and we would love to see some new faces joining our current group of personalities for lunch. We need to increase participation in order to continue providing meals for our seniors as well as our recipients of home delivered meals.

If you would like to reserve a meal, please call the kitchen in Purcell at 527-9462 and ask for Evelyn or John. It is best to call before 8:30 a.m. to ensure a meal will be available for you.

Also if you know a person at least 60 years old who would like a meal delivered to them, please call either the Wayne or Purcell center.

Our weekly menus are listed in the Purcell Senior Citizens Center article in this week's paper.

So come and enjoy lunch with your fellow seniors and make some new friends at your senior citizens center. We look forward to seeing you at your Wayne Senior Citizens Center.



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Aerial photo • Paul Wollenberg

Stands are going up and players and coaches are utilizing the new fieldhouse as construction continues on Conger Field as the calendar hits the middle of July. The photo was taken high above Red Hill looking down as generations have seen the field before.



County Detention Center.

On Friday, prosecutors a misdemeanor. Police arrested Smith and she charged her in McClain County was booked into the McClain District Court with leaving un- Her next court appearance will attended children in a vehicle, be at 9 a.m. July 25.

Smith posted \$10,000 bond.



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is 28.63 per 1 million population.

per capita rate in the country. tion, when a car is parked in Only Louisiana, Mississippi direct sunlight on an 80-degree and Arkansas have a higher per capita death toll at 30.22, up, the interior temperature 30.21 and 29.09, respectively. will quickly climb to 130 On average, 38 children died degrees. in overheated vehicles each

The state's death rate due to 2018 was 52. There were 19 rolled up for at least 10 minpediatric vehicular heatstroke deaths recorded this year between January 1 and July 8. That is the fourth highest Disease Control and Preven-

day with the windows rolled

In a local case, two children year from 1998 through 2018. were left alone last week in a The national death toll in locked car with the windows

Donate A Boat

utes.

It was 93 degrees that day According to the Centers for and according to researchers at San Francisco State University's Department of Earth & Climate Sciences, the temperature inside a vehicle increases 19 degrees in 10 minutes.

Those children were sweltering in 112 degrees when police rescued them.

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Bryan Benefiel named AGM at Atlanta Airport

Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport has named Bryan Benefiel assistant general manager of Finance and Accounting.

Benefiel, a Purcell native, is an expert in financial reporting



new role, the certified public accountant will manage and monitor the nearly \$1

billion annual budget at the world's busiest and most efficient airport. Benefiel began working for

Hartsfield-Jackson in October 2012 as director of financial planning and analysis after serving as the director of general accounting for the City of Atlanta from 2009 to 2012.

The new AGM has worked in accounting and finance for over 20 years. Before joining the City of Atlanta, he was the director of accounting for the American Cancer Society. He moved to Atlanta from Oklahoma City in 2007. There, Benefiel served as controller for Accord Human Resources. Before Accord, he was senior auditor for Grant Thornton, a audit, tax and advisory firm. With several designations

under Benefiel's belt, including AAAE certified member

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Bonner recipient of two scholarships

Elizabeth Bonner of Lexington was the recipient of both the James Droddy Freshman Scholarship and the Bertha and Myrtle Sturdevant Scholarship during East Central University's Harland C. Stonecipher School of Business Scholarship and Awards Banquet this past spring.

The Droddy Scholarship, awarded to an incoming freshman, is named after James 'Jimbo' Droddy, who was a member of the ECU

Band and an accounting major who enrolled as a Freshman Business Scholar in 2015. He was tragically killed in an automobile accident in 2017.

Bertha and Myrtle Sturdevant were professors in business education and the scholarship was funded by Lynda K. Simpson, who has a long history with ECU and is thankful for the education she received from the School of Business.



Washington Elementary PTO playground project

AngieSteele

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Washington Elementary PTO is hosting a Playground Clean Up Day on Saturday, August 3, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Bring your family, rakes and shovels to pitch in and make the playground school time ready. We appreciate your support!

Washington Athlete Physicals

Washington Athlete Physicals for the new school year will be on Thursday, August 1, at the Indoor Facility.

Females physicals will be at 6 p.m. and males at 7 p.m. There is no charge for the physicals.

All student athletes sixth through 12th grade must have a physical every year.

Washington Masonic Lodge

Washington Masonic Lodge will host a breakfast Saturday, July 20, from 7-10:30 a.m. This breakfast will help fund the lodge's yearly insurance and other maintenance projects.

The usual breakfast items and maybe a surprise or two will be available. All you can eat for \$5 including take away.

The Washington Masonic Lodge is located one block North of Washington Baptist Church then left on Sharp Street. Come hungry and leave full!

Washington Little League **Football Sign Ups**

Little League Football will host a sign up/parent/player meeting on Sunday, July 21, at 2 p.m. in the indoor facility, behind the high school football field.

If you have a child that is going into the first through sixth grades that is interested in playing football, please plan to attend this meeting. Washington Senior Cen-

Washington Correspondent The church website is www. fbcole.com. The church is located in

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Washington and Blanchard. an email to the website or call

(405) 485-3377. Washington United Methodist Church

We are a friendly, Bible based church where everyone is welcome. Our Sunday worship service begins at 11 a.m.

You can call us at 288-1775, find us online at washingtonumc.net or on Facebook under Washington United Methodist Church, Oklahoma.

Union Hill Baptist Church Sundays-Age Group Bible studies, 9:45 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.; Children's Church, 11 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Wednesdays-Evening meal, 5:30 p.m.; Age Group Bible Studies, 6:30 p.m.

Monthly Schedule-Retired/SeniorLunch,4thTuesday at Noon; Men's Breakfast, 1st Saturday of each

month, 7 a.m. First Baptist Church Washington

Weekly Worship Service Times: Sunday-10:45 a.m. and

6 p.m. Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

Weekly Small Group Opportunities:

Sunday School, Sundays, 9:45 a.m. Youth Bible Study, Sun-

days, 5 p.m. and Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.

GAs (girls 1-5 grade), RAs (boys 1-5 grade), Sundays at 5 p.m.

Mission Friends (Pre-K and Kindergarten), Sundays, other veteran organizations who help veterans and their families with claim assistance are not using our evidencebased claims system.

We have found that by supplying the evidence needed to support a veteran's application for service-connection of disability the VA will most likely approve them. One of the ways we have found that does help a veteran to serviceconnect a new disability or to show one has increased in severity is by using the VA **Disability Benefits Question**naire. These forms are filled out by the veteran's medical provider.

The Department of Veterans Affairs uses the DBQ forms to evaluate a veteran's disabilities. We believe if the VA uses them, the veteran should be able to submit their DBQ as evidence in support of their application for service-connection or an increased rating. I am very concerned about the men and women who are turned away each Tuesday and Thursday morning when we reach the maximum we can accommodate. We are open for suggestions on ways to improve our services to the men and women who served our country's military.

As a VAAccredited Claims Agent, we receive a copy of all rating decisions and other communications the VA sends the veteran. Each decision the VA makes is reviewed, and we send a letter explaining what steps to take next. One of the benefits of receiving these decisions is that we can know what we are doing and can keep track of what is working for veterans and surviving spouses. One of the ways people learn about the success of those we assist is the number of rating decisions we receive each week. Fourteen veterans were rated at 100 percent and will receive a combined annual total of \$511,426. This group of veterans will be eligible for the state benefits Oklahoma provides to veterans found to be totally disabled service-connected to their time in the military. We had 47 rated between 10-90 percent and those veterans will receive a combined annual income of \$674,582. Those rated 60 percent and higher

are also eligible for some of the Oklahoma State benefits. One surviving spouse was approved for benefits and will receive \$15,829 a year.

One of the best changes the VA has made is allowing veterans and surviving spouses to have their video hearings in a secure setting at the OKC VET Center with a veteran law judge in Washington, D.C. Previously, we were required to hold all hearings in the Muskogee Regional VA Office which required veterans and Dale K. Graham Veterans Foundation representatives to spend five hours traveling for a 15-minute hearing.

In the last six months, we have attended over 100 hearings before a veteran law judge. Last Friday, we were able to represent seven veterans using the new video hearing system. One of the hearings was a three-way video hearing with a veteran in San Antonio, the judge in Washington, and us in Oklahoma City. The VA is working very hard to process hundreds of thousands of veteran claims in the appeals process. This is another way which will help alleviate the backlog in these appeals.

For those of you who would like to join our team of volunteers, please stop by any Tuesday or Thursday for an application. An OSBI background check is required on each volunteer.

Please remember everything we do is at no charge. We spend over \$25,000 a month in direct support of veterans and their families. All donations go to provide transportation, help pay for DBQ Exams, food items, rent, and other unforeseen needs of our veterans and their families. Our organization is a 501(C)(3) non-profit that relies on donations to be able to provide services to the thousands of veterans and their families who need assistance. We accept the donations of cars, trucks, motorcycles, or other types of items that can be given to veterans or sold to raise funds to provide for veteran's needs. Please remember that your donations

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Double scholarship winner

Elizabeth Bonner of Lexington, right, was the recipient of both the James Droddy Freshman Scholarship and the Bertha and Myrtle Sturdevant Scholarship. She is shown with Wendell Godwin, dean of the Stonecipher School of Business.

Mid-America **Technology** Center wins Pacesetter Award

Mid-America Technology Center in Wayne is the winner of a 2019 Gene Bottoms Pacesetter School Award from the Southern Regional Educational Board.

MATC was honored at SREB's Making Schools Work Conference on July 10 in Baltimore, Md.

Pacesetter School Awards recognize schools that are implementing one of SREB's Making Schools Work school improvement frameworks and are achieving success in meeting bold goals related to increases in student graduation rates, readiness for college or careers, and credential attainment

Using strategies learned

at previous summer conferences and SREB's Technology Centers That Work school improvement framework, MATC faculty pinpointed areas for improvement.

Low attendance was identified as an opportunity for growth.

MATC found that teachers who taught new content every day had higher attendance. Classes were held with uninterrupted teaching time that was free of competing activities. Faculty built stronger relationships with parents, leading to a decrease in absenteeism.

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ter Lunch

Lunch is served at the Washington Senior Center at 11:30 a.m. Monday through Friday for senior citizens in the community.

Come on down and enjoy a free lunch and time with friends.

Live music begins on Fridays at 10 a.m.

Menu for July 22-26:

Monday, July 22-Swiss chicken, sweet potatoes, corn, salad, brownies.

Tuesday, July 23-Hot sliders, pork and beans salad bar, fruit salad.

Wednesday, July 24-Beef enchilada casserole, Mexican corn, salad bar, chocolate no bake cookies.

Thursday, July 26-Beef stew, cornbread, salad bar, fruit.

Friday, July 12-Hamburgers, cheese, chips, baked beans, salad bar, chocolate chip cookies.

Washington School Calendar of Events

August 5-7-Professional Days.

August 6—Open House. August 8-First Day of School.

September 2—Labor Day, No School.

First Baptist Church of Cole

Church schedule: Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. and worship at 10:45 a.m. Sunday evening Bible Study at 6 p.m.

Wednesday evening activities for all ages at 7 p.m. 5 p.m. Ladies' Bible Study, Tues-

days, 9 a.m.

Kid's Choir and Bible Study, Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m. Bible Study, Sunday, 5 p.m.

Connect with us at office@fbcwashington.com, 288-6060, Facebook: FBC Washington, Twitter @FB-CWashingtonOK.

Dale K. Graham Veteran's Foundation

Today we recognize Leslie Guttery as our Veteran of the Week. Mr. Guttery served honorably in the United States Military and got to ring the bell last week for his 100 percent.

We are reaching the maximum number of veterans and surviving spouses every Tuesday and Thursday. We will only be able to accommodate the first 150 in line. We open the doors as soon as we have enough volunteers onsite to begin processing claims.

We are looking at ways to increase the number of veterans and their family members we can accommodate each week. Some of us are volunteering over 12 hours each day to ensure each visitor is taken care of. If we were getting paid to do this job, we would most definitely be racking up the overtime.

I receive calls, messages, and emails from veterans who live from the East Coast to the West Coast and many states in between wanting to know if we have an office in their state. Many of them plan a trip to our location in Norman for a meeting about their VA claims. I do not know why

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Veteran of the Week

Dale K. Graham Veteran's Foundation Veteran of the Week Leslie Guttery rings the bell to signify his VA Benefits Approval! We appreciate Mr. Guttery for his service.

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Green Avenue Church of Christ

chapter of Second Corinthians weaker brother to stumble. where the apostle Paul explains why Christians should not form assembly Keith Shackleford partnerships with unbelievers.

The Sunday morning adult reached by the gospel beginning Bible class studied the 12th with the reading of Romans through 14th chapters of Romans where Paul compares the many churches do to attract church to the human body where different members perform different functions, set forth the 3:2 which discourage earthly obligation all have to respect thinking.

The Wednesday evening audi- civil authority and the obligation torium class studied in the sixth of Christians to avoid causing a

During the Sunday morning preached on why all are not 1:16. The lesson looked at what people then contrasted that with scriptures such as Colossians

The Sunday evening sermon examined the concept of sympathy beginning by reading Romans 12:15. The lesson looked at sharing both sorrow and joy with others.

Bible classes begin at 9:45 a.m. Sunday morning and 7 p.m. Wednesday evening, with worship at 10:45 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Sunday. Bible study correspondence courses are available. You can call the office at 527-4052.

Lexington Westside Church of Christ

Stopped me in my tracks!

Good week to all. Welcome to the "front porch."

Recently, I rehearsed the story you are about to read in a conversation with a friend from Little Rock. My friend Doug and I were in a deep conversation when this story happened to come to mind; and, as always, I had to take a deep breath and pause a time or two to finish it. You'll see why when you hear it.

I've told you of my mama's setting sail gloriously On October 3, 1973. Through the years, when I've dared to tell it, I left out a detail that, for some reason, stayed just out of my mind's reach. I won't leave it out today.

On the afternoon of Wednesday, October 3, 1973 I rushed home to Grandma's house as soon as school let out. Grandma took care of Mama in the front bedroom of their brick home on Truitt the last several months of mom's fight with the brain tumor.

I had to rush home that day because I was to start a job across town over at the mill on Hillside. My mama Louise had worked at the Callaway Cotton lashing that would make you Mill for a quarter of a century, melt right there by the sand pile but I don't know if I ever went and make you want to crawl Please see Westside, page 3B

inside it. I waited outside the underneath a 70-pound bag of gate a hundred times for her to get off of work, but inside a mill was no place for a boy.

After just completing a summer of working on the bricklaying job with Red Williams, Brian Light and Doocy, and the rest of that chain gang, I had to lay aside my shovel, wheelbarrow and calloused, bleeding hands so I could take up my English and math books and begin my senior year at LaGrange High.

After a month, I figured I needed some money, so a good gentlemen at Hillside offered me a job. He knew Mama and Grandma and was more than happy to put me to work.

I rushed to Grandma's house that day, gobbled down the lunch she had waiting for me, changed clothes, and rushed to the door to head to work. Being the first day on the job, I was in a bit more of a hurry than usual and wanted to be prompt.

that summer that I'd better be on time if I knew what was good for me. To Red what was "good for me" was a tongue-

mortar mix. I learned pretty fast that it was best to be on time. I told Grandma bye that Wednesday afternoon, October 3, and rushed to the front door, reached for the door knob... and stopped.

Something stopped me right in my tracks. I'll always believe that the Lord put a stop sign there for me at Grandma's front door. Maybe an angel stood there with a flaming sword the way one stood in front of Balaam's donkey back in the Old Testament, I don't know.

I paused that day, just as I had to pause the other day as I told this story to my friend Doug. I stopped at the front door, turned, and walked in to see Mama before going to work. I even remember that I walked over to the far side of the bed. I suppose she was lying on her side facing the wall.

I leaned over and kissed her, Besides, Red had taught me and I told her I loved her – two things I did not do nearly enough in my life.

Then, I was then off to the cotton mill to do a similar work

Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church

By Fr. Jim Chamberlain

Freedom to follow a higher law

How many times do we cut off God's grace? How many times do we cut someone off from our lives, and by doing so, cut off the potential for God's grace?

Many years ago, I had an old pickup truck. It was often breaking down. I was building a log cabin with my good friend. Todd, in the mountains of North Carolina. Each day we would stop at this old gas station to buy groceries before going up the mountain to work. There were three or four men who would always be in that gas station, sitting around, smoking and talking. They had beards, were rugged and rough - mountain men. They were not my type of people!

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But one time I was at that same gas station with my truck, and it was running very badly.

I was by myself, and felt much distress, because I would not be able to drive home. One of those men saw me working

on the truck. He ran out to help me. He gave me help for more than one hour, and together we got the truck to run again.

This taught me a valuable lesson.God's grace comes from unexpected places. Even from people who are the least likely ones to be his messengers.

In Jesus' parable, why was the Samaritan a good man? (Luke 10:25-37) In one of his sermons, Martin Luther King Jr. pointed out that the priest and Levite were asking themselves the question: "What will happen to me if I stop and help this man?"

The Samaritan asked himself a very different question, one of human concern. He asked himself: "What will happen to him if I do not stop and help this man?" The Samaritan was thinking not of himself, but of the other person, the man in the ditch.

In Catholic theology, we call this the "natural law". It is the law written on the hearts of all men, to assist someone in need. Natural law means that all people-Jewish or non-Jewish, Christian or non-Christian -

can arrive at a true moral vision that is implanted by God in our hearts, all of us.

Jesus is saying that to be a good neighbor is someone who acts upon this true human response. He may look or think very different from us. He may not look like my friend.

He may even seem to be my enemy. But it might be through him that God's grace will come to me.

When I was growing up, there was a TV show called "Mister Rogers' Neighborhood".

Fred Rogers was a Presbyterian minister who also liked to sing. Each day he would welcome children into his imaginary neighborhood and teach them small valuable lessons about how to be a good neighbor. He taught children about how to take care of their pet, how to eat healthy fruits, and why you should not be

scared to go the barbershop. He respected the real feelings of children. He assured them of their self-worth. And he taught them how to be good neighbors, even to people who are strangers to you.

Mister Rogers once said this: When I was a boy and I would see scary things in the news, my mother would say to me,"Look

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LPXLP Lexington United Methodist Church

be embarrassed if you and your the head of all who hold onto family need help with having enough to eat. It is first-come, first-served, and there is plenty in Genesis. Cain was angry If it is, we can talk it out and for all!

from Matthew 5:22-24: "[But] I say to you that everyone who is angry with their brother or sister will be in danger of judgment. If they say to their brother or sister, 'You idiot,' they will be in danger of being condemned by the governing council. And if they say, 'You fool,' they will be in danger of fiery hell. Therefore, if you bring your gift to the altar that lives in the heart. To call Sunday at 9 a.m. Come as you and there remember that your brother or sister has something against you, leave your gift at ible and demeans the speaker. at 9:30 a.m., with Sunday the altar and go. First make This can trigger an angry re- school following at 10:45 a.m. things right with your brother sponse in the receiver We are Our address is 631 East Ash, or sister and then come back told that God looks at the heart near Lexington High School. and offer your gift."

Anger is discouraged among Christians because it can God's kingdom. prompt people to consider the

Our next Food Bank Give- lead to this extreme, anger can negates the forgiveness that Away will be this Saturday, still kill relationships and tears is being requested All parties July 20, between 12 and 4 p.m. at the bonds that hold Jesus' need to make things right before If you or someone else needs followers together in God's they can be reconciled, making food, come to the church. Don't kingdom. Judgment hangs over worship the sacred moment this enmity.

We see an example of this with Abel and resentful of actonit appropriately. If it isn't Our lesson this week is taken God's acceptance of Abel's justified, are there other ways to sacrifice. Cain murdered Abel. handle it without damaging re-James 1:19-20 told the Jewish lationships or piling contempt Christians in the Mediterranean on each other? We can ask in world, "Know this, my dear prayer how to let go of the anbrothers and sisters; everyone ger we may hold in our hearts. should be quick to listen, slow to speak, and slow to grow angry. This is because an angry person doesn't produce God's righteousness.'

someone an "idiot" ("empty are. It's free, so come join the one" in Aramaic) is contempt- fellowship. We begin worship that he or she has no place in call the church at 527-3506

act of murder. Even if it doesn't approaching the altar with gifts (405) 406-6174.

when we are in the presence of God.

Sometimes anger is justified. God can lead us in overcoming the name-calling and negative thinking that endanger our citizenship of God's kingdom.

Make Sunday a special day, Name-calling reveals anger by joining us for breakfast this of the angry person and judges For more information, please to leave a message or contact Holding on to anger while Pastor David Cook directly at

Johnson Road Baptist Church

Our members at Johnson Abygail Mayo and Ginger Westicktogether and we'll see Road Baptist Church appreciate the writers, printers and supporters of the special section "Honoring Our Nation's Heroes" that appeared in the July 4 edition of **The Purcell Register**. Your public salute his commands "Friends." A to the men and women who friend is always near whether as the years go by boys, our have served our country in the close by or in a distant land. military was marvelous.

Our heroic veterans are growing old. Some of our veterans have serious and incurable health issues. Before they pass from this world to their eternal reward, Americans need to know more about their life and service to their country. These men and women deserve all the praise we as a nation can muster.

July has arrived and before long our thoughts will be all about record temperatures and the need for rain. August and September will turn our attenand Labor Day.

Every Sunday is the best day of the week for God's family.

the Sunday morning sermon am, bigger and stronger, too, was taken from John 15:12-15. Jesus called all who followed A friend knows our strengths and failures.

Sometime during the week I was blessed to call Eastern Oklahoma to talk with my disabled friend. Our personal visits are few, but our service together as pastor and deacon will never pass. We are friends for life.

door at the Baptist Village in Oklahoma City and was greeted by my neighbor from the past, a retired Southern Baptist Missionary in Portugal. Years have passed, but our childhood tion to school days, game days friendship will never pass. We are friends for life.

From the animated "Toy Story" came beautiful words

Clifton, our music director Gy- it through. You've got a friend nean Gentry and Mark Brown. in me. Some other folks might The scripture passage for be a little bit smarter than I maybe, but none of them will ever love you the way I do.

> "Just me and you boy and friendship will never die. You're going to see, it's our destiny. You've got a friend in me.'

> We have earthly friends that make life worth living. As Christians our best friend is our heavenly friend, Jesus. Jesus said he was our friend. Jesus claimed us as a friend.

Jesus proved himself as our Last week I knocked on a friend by dying for us on a cruel cross. What a friend we have in Jesus. When sickness lays us low, when death draws near, through it all Jesus is our friend.

The rich and poor are always welcome to attend Sunday morning services at Johnson Road Baptist Church. We need some more families to fill our

From page 1B Washington:

income taxes.

You can also donate anytime online at dalekgrahamveteransfoundation.org or by mail at PO Box 592, Washington, OK 73093.

Counselors from the Vet Centers are here each session and a Legal Aid representative is here on Thursdays. We have food baskets available for those who qualify. We look forward to your visit and thank you for trusting us to help you with your VA matters.

We are available every Tuesday and Thursday morning at 1268 North Interstate Drive Norman, OK 73072. We open the doors by 5:30 a.m., and we begin working as soon as volunteers have their computers ready.

Visit our website at dalekgrahamveteransfoundation.org for

From page 1B **Benefiel:**

(CM), International Airport Science in accounting. Professional (IAP), and certified management accountant ecutive Leadership Program at (CMA), he is a graduate of the University of Central active leader in his community Oklahoma with a Bachelor of of Peachtree City, Ga.

From page 1B Award:

To successfully combat low school improvement proretention between first- and second-year enrollment, Mid-America enrolled students in classes based on their career interests instead of on a firstcome, first-served basis.

The center added new processes for academic probation, special education and soft skills development, and adopted new career pathways.

The Making School Work Conference brings together educators from schools that areimplementing the instructional strategies of SREB's sreb.org.

No. 792-July 18-1 Time IN THE DISTRICT COURT

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the heirs, devisees and legatees of said Decedent.

should be tax deductible on your more information. There you will find a section on Frequently Asked Questions. You may also contact us at (405) 550-8806 for information or to schedule transportation.

Semper Fi!

Dale K. Graham **Veterans Foundation, VA Accredited Claims Agent** Washington Correspondent Contact Information

I would love to share your personal or community news with our readers.

My contact information is angiesteele73@gmail.com or 413-2471 if you have any news to share, story ideas, or if you have someone you would like to see a feature article about. Send me birthday, anniversary, or personal news that you would like to share with our community.

He completed the Airport Ex-

Concordia University and is an

These schools have in-

creased their focus on quality

career and technical education

by redesigning assignments

around projects that inte-

grate academic and technical

The Southern Regional Edu-

cation Board works with states

and educators to improve pub-

lic education at every level,

from early childhood through

Learn more about SREB at

Testamentary issue to Linda Lou Wyatt, Personal Representative,

and for a judicial determination of

postsecondary education.

knowledge and skills.

Angie Steele

State request for comments on WIC Program

State health officials are soliciting comments from individuals regarding the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC).

Input is needed for the State Plan of Program Operations for the 2019 Federal Fiscal Year. These comments must be received before July 31, 2019.

WIC is a federally funded nutrition education and supplemental food program for low income pregnant, breastfeeding and postpartum women, infants, and children up to five years of age.

Eligibility is determined by nutritional risk and incomes that fall below 185 percent of the poverty level. There are approximately 67,100 Oklahomans participating in the WIC Program each month.

A priority for the program is to make sure pregnant women understand the importance of adequate nutrition throughout their pregnancy.

Numerous studies have shown that pregnant women who participate in WIC have longer pregnancies leading to fewer premature births; have fewer low and very low birthweight babies; experience fewer fetal and infant deaths; seek prenatal care earlier in pregnancy and consume more of such key nutrients as iron, protein, calcium, and vitamins A and C.

The WIC Program encourages and supports breastfeeding by providing a wide range of breastfeeding services and support activities to expectant and new mothers.

Another priority for the WIC program is to ensure that mothers and eligible families with young children have the basic nutritional knowledge necessary to assure their children's proper nutrition intake.

WIC provides a monthly prescription of nutritious foods tailored to supplement the dietary needs of participants to ensure good health, growth and development. The foods are specifically chosen to provide consistency with the Dietary

grams.

Last Sunday Mike Cagle re- about the friendship between empty pews. turned from a trip to Texas with a little boy and his doll. "You for the Sunday dinner at John-Sunday table feasting on Ann Brown's banana pudding and said, Boy you've got a friend Katie Cagle's cakes is always in me. God's weekly blessings.

From page 2B

find people who are helping."

The people who are helping They may not be religious at all. Ten Commandments. But they are the ones who are

From page 2B Westside:

Mama had done for a lifetime me on this Georgia red clay. as she supported four children. Among all the blessings, I have But I only spent four hours of to include my utmost appreciamy life in a cotton mill, all that tion to the Lord for not letting night.Around 7:30 p.m., Mama me walk out the door that day took her journey. Shortly thereafter, my cousin Bruce Bailey came to the mill to tell me. He happened to see me through the window, and he hollered out the sad news. It had to be done, but that moment, too, seems frozen in time.

Since that day I've thanked the good Lord many times for Mama and Grandma and all blessings handed down to

a special dish of fried chicken got a friend in me. When the is "Last Laugh for a Sinner." road looks rough ahead and son Road. Sitting around the you're miles and miles from your nice warm bed, you just Gilman's cobblers, Donna remember what your old pal

"You've got troubles and the Book of Revelation. Sun-Special music was provided I've got em too. There isn't day morning worship begins by our two young singers, anything I wouldn't do for you. at 11 a.m.

for the helpers. You will always ones through whom we receive Sunday at 11 a.m. (English) and 1 p.m. (Spanish). All are welthe grace of God.

Vacation Bible School is come to join our parish family! may not be the ones you expect. coming soon - July 23 and They may be someone who is 24, from 6-7:30 p.m. in the strange, or different from you. Church Hall. The theme is the

Our weekly Mass schedule torypurcell.org or like us on good neighbors. They are the is Saturday at 5 p.m. (English), Facebook.

ness or claim against the Town of Goldsby are hereby notified that all invoices and documentation pertaining to said purchase order

without saying bye to Mama.

I don't know if Mama knew I came in to her room that afternoon. In her coma she was gathering her things for her great journey. But, if the Lord be willing, I will tell her about it one day near a golden street. I am sure, even there, I will have to pause to gather myself along the way.

steven.bowen@redoakisd.org

Sermon title for this Sunday

The weekly prayer meeting is a one hour session of prayer and Bible study that begins at 6 p.m.

Mark Brown is leading the Wednesday evening study of

For more information and

assistance, please call the

church office at 527-3077, visit

our website at ourladyofvic-

PUBLÍC NOTICE

or contract must be recorded in

the office of Sandra Jenkins Clerk

on or before September 30, 2019,

covering all debts now unpaid and

incurred during the period begin-

ning on July 1, 2018, and ending

on June 30, 2019, or said account

shall be void and forever barred.

purcellregister.com

Visit us at:

/s/ Sandra Jenkins

Sandra Jenkins, Clerk

All persons having an indebted-

OF ALTON MANTOOTH, aka AL-TON MANTOOTH, SR., Deceased,

Case No. PB-2019-137 NOTICE OF HEARING PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL, APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND DETERMINATION OF HEIRS

DEVISEES AND LEGATEES NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested in the Estate of ALTON MANTOOTH, aka ALTON MANTOOTH, SR., Deceased, that on the 15th day of July, 2019, Linda Lou Wyatt produced in the District Court of McClain County, Oklahoma, an instrument in writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of ALTON MANTOOTH. aka ALTON MANTOOTH, SR., deceased, and also filed in said Court their Petition, together with said Will praying for the probate of the Will and asking that Letters

No. 748-July 4-3 Times

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA MARILYN WHITE, JERRY EFFIN-GER AND JOE EFFINGER,

THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, EX-ECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, DEVISEES, TRUSTEES, SUCCES-SORS AND ASSIGNS OF BILLIE JEAN EFFINGER, deceased;

Case No. CV-2019-84 NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO: The Unknown Heirs, Executors, ees, Successors and Assigns of

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that the Plaintiffs in the above cause have filed a Petition in the District Court of McClain County, Oklahoma, against you alleging that they are the owners in fee simple and in possession of the following described property in McClain County, Oklahoma, to-wit:

Pursuant to an Order of this Court made on the 15th day of July, 2019, notice is hereby given that on 29th day of August, 2019, at 9:30 o'clock a.m., the Petition will be heard before the Honorable Judge Gray, in his Chambers in the McClain County Courthouse, Purcell, Oklahoma, when and where all persons interested may appear and contest the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 15th day of July, 2019.

CHARLES GRAY ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE Judge of the District Court /s/ Bill C. Lester BILL C. LESTER (OBA #5389) Attorney for Petitioner 212 West Main - P.O. Box 1407 Purcell, OK 73080 (405) 527-5623

tion Twenty (20), Township Nine (9) North, Range Four (4) West of the Indian Meridian, McClain County, Oklahoma.

Plaintiff further states that the Defendants, and each of them named herein, claim same right, title or interest in and to said real property adverse to the rights of the Plaintiffs which constitutes a cloud upon the title of the Plaintiffs and that any such right, title or interest is inferior and subordinate to the rights of the Plaintiffs as alleged in the Petition.

The Defendants must answer the Petition filed herein on or before the 20th day of August, 2019, or said Petition will be taken as true and correct and judgment entered accordingly, quieting title in the Plaintiffs in accordance with the allegations of the Petition.

Dated this 28 day of June, 2019. McClain County Court Clerk By: /s/ Kathy Peterson

Deputy

(SEAL)

LENORA & UPTON Gregory A. Upton, OBA #17156 116 West 8th, P.O. Box 337 Chandler, OK 74834 (405) 258-1334 Attorney for Plaintiffs

Please see WIC, page 7B

No. 791-July 18-1 Time IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-TATE OF KARL L. SINCLAIR, DECEASED.

Case No. PB-19-39 NOTICE OF HEARING FINAL ACCOUNT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION AND DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that Carmen Goodspeed, Personal Representative of the Estate of Karl L. Sinclair, Deceased, having filed in this Court her Final Account of the administration of said Estate and her Petition for Distribution of said Estate and for Final Discharge of said Personal Representative, the hearing of the same has been fixed by the Judge of said Court for the 8 day of August, 2019 at 9:30 o'clock A.M. in the courtroom of the below signed Judge of the District Court at the McClain County Courthouse, Purcell, Oklahoma and all persons interested in said Estate are notified in and there to appear and show cause, If any they have, why the said account should not be settled and allowed, the heirs of Karl L. Sinclair, Deceased, determined, said Estate distributed and the Personal Representative discharged.

Dated this 15 day of July, 2019. CHARLES GRAY ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT /s/ Gerald E. Kelley GERALD E. KELLEY, OBA #4923 GERALD E. KELLEY LLC One Leadership Square 211 N. Robinson Suite 800 Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102 (405) 235-4671 (405) 234-5511 (fax)

gekelley@swbell.net

Plaintiffs, No. 768-July 11-2 Times

Defendants.

Administrators, Devisees, Trust-Billie Jean Effinger, deceased.

An undivided interest in the Oil, Gas and other Minerals in the Northwest Quarter (NW/4) of Sec-

Sports

Andrews committs to OU

Washington senior Nick and for him," said Washington Andrews has verbally committed to play baseball at the University of Oklahoma. The Warrior pitcher committed Tuesday, July 9.

"It's exciting for our program

Head Coach Jeff Kulbeth. "He's grown physically and mentally and he's seeing the benefits of those two. He's been lights-out this summer."



Andrews



Janet Moore • The Purcell Register Fielding on the run

Purcell junior Kyleigh Smedley fields a ball for an out Monday during a preseason scrimmage



unloads a pitch during Washington's 6-3 win overChandlerintheState tournament last season. They were defeated 15-3 by Marlow to end their season. Andrews threw five strikeouts against the Lions.



Softball seniors

Janet Moore • The Purcell Register

Purcell senior softball players Sunny Sanders, Addie Stanton, Katelynn Carwile, Chelsea Spain and Sandra DelToro look forward to the Dragons' 2019 campaign.







Dragon's den

Chamber of Commerce members took in a tour of the new field house at Conger Field Thursday morning at the chamber's Community Coffee.

Smiles for miles

Janet Moore • The Purcell Register

Brook Fleming heads to third base for a triple Monday evening during Purcell's intrasguad scrimmage. Purcell will scrimmage at home against Blanchard Aug. 6 and Lindsay on Aug. 8.



Photo provided

Golf campers

Over 30 junior golfers hit the links at Brent Bruehl Memorial Golf Course last week for their annual golf clinic. Attending were, Max Richardson, Ethan Harding, Westin Cunnius, Lilly Gwin, Samantha Hankins, Owen Milner, Tyler Best, Chase Anderson, Hayes Anderson, Jack Montgomery, Chance Midkiff, JJ Hines, Isaiah Hines, Erin Gray, Elin Gray, Gage Arvidson, Ella Tolman, Kole Tolman, Mason Moreno, Colt Giltner, Cash Cook, Blane Nicklas, Layton Bone, Brecken Burson, Whitney Bruehl, Aubrey Swain, Alexis Swain, Liam Cummings, Olivia Howell, Harper Trent, Cooper Trent, Brylan Williams, Kooper Price and McKenzie McKay.



Baseball camper

Purcell second grader Caden Fatheree recently attended the Oklahoma ChristianCollegeBaseball Campin Edmond. Caden won a medal for Most Improved Hitting and a medal for Arm Strength and accuracy. He is the son of Joe Don Fatheree and Tina Palmer.

John Denny Montgomery • The Purcell Register

No. 759-July 11-2 Times NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE Notice is given that on August

13, 2019, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. at in room 121 of the County Courthouse, in Purcell, McClain County, Oklahoma, the Sheriff of said County will offer for sale and sell, for cash, at public auction. to the highest and best bidder, all that certain real estate in McClain County, Oklahoma, to-wit:

LOT NINE (9), BLOCK FOUR (4), ROYAL GARDENS, A SUBDI-**VISION OF A PART OF THE NE/4** NE/4 OF SECTION 2. TOWNSHIP 6 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, MC-CLAIN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, ACCORDING TO THE RECORD-ED PLAT THEREOF;

subject, to unpaid taxes, assessments, advancements by Plaintiff for taxes, insurance premiums, expenses necessary for the preservation of the subject property, if any, and prior security interests in fixtures, if any, said property having been appraised at \$70,000.00. Sale will be made pursuant to order of sale issued in accordance with judgment entered in the District Court of McClain County, Oklahoma.

Pursuant to judgment, Plaintiff reserves the right to recall the Special Execution and Order of Sale and to cancel this scheduled

No. 781-July 18-1 Time IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM ALVIN SHOTWELL, Deceased

Case No. PB-2019-136 NOTICE OF HEARING PETITION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION, APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE.

DETERMINATION OF HEIRS Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the Estate of William Alvin Shotwell, Deceased, that on the 12th day of January, 2017, there was filed with this Court the Petition of William A. Shotwell, Jr. praying that Letters of Administration be issued to him as Personal Representative of the Estate, to serve without bond, for a judicial determination of the heirs of the Decedent.

Pursuant to an Order of this Court made on the 9th day of

No. 753-July 11-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARION ALFRED WILSON, a/k/a M. A. WILSON, Deceased, Case No. PB-2019-131 NOTICE FOR HEARING AMENDED PETITION TO ADMIT ESTATE FOR PROBATE, FOR **ISSUING LETTERS OF** ADMINISTRATION AND FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the Estate of Marion Alfred Wilson a/k/a M. A. Wilson, Deceased, that on the

1st day of July, 2019, there was filed in the District Court of the County of McClain and State of Oklahoma, an Amended Petition praying for an Order Admitting 5951 the Estate for Probate, issuing Letters of Administration, and for Appointment of Personal Repre-1365 sentative, of the Estate of Marion Alfred Wilson a/k/a M. A. Wilson, Deceased. And pursuant to an order of said Court, the 1st day of August,

sale orally or in writing at any time prior to sale without notice or leave of Court

PERSONS OR OTHER ENTI-TIES HAVING AN INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY WHOSE INTER-EST IS SOUGHT TO BE EXTIN-GUISHED, INCLUDING THOSE WHOSE ACTUAL ADDRESS IS UNKNOWN AND PERSONS OR OTHER ENTITIES WHOSE UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED ARE: Edward A. Lee, whether living or dead, and if dead. his/her unknown successors, if any, Brenda A. Lee, whether living or dead, and if dead, his/ her unknown successors, if any, United States of America ex rel. Internal Revenue Service, Midland

Funding LLC. DON HEWETT, Sheriff of McClain County, Oklahoma By: /s/ Don Hewett KELLY M. PARKER #22673 LAMUN MOCK CUNNYN-GHAM & DAVIS, P.C. Attorneys for Plaintiff 5613 N. Classen Blvd. Oklahoma City, OK 73118 (405) 840-5900 (405) 842-6132 (Fax) LSF10 MASTER PARTICIPATION TRUST vs. EDWARD A. LEE. et al.

Case No. CJ-2018-22

July, 2019, notice is given that the 8th day of August, 2019, at 9:30 o'clock a.m. is the day and time that the Petition will be heard in the Courtroom of Judge Charles Grav in the County Courthouse at Purcell, McClain County, Oklahoma, and all persons interested may appear and contest the same. Witness, the undersigned, Judge of the District Court of Mc-Clain County, State of Oklahoma, this 9th day of July, 2019.

CHARLES GRAY ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT James B. Blevins, Jr., OBA #881 Carrie Kopp, OBA #21731 George William Velotta II, OBA *‡*9223 138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565 Purcell, OK 73080

Phone: 405-527-7575 Fax: 405-527-7574 Attorney for Petitioner

2019, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock am of said day has been appointed as the time for hearing said application, before Judge Charles Gray, Judge of the District Court, McClain County Courthouse, 2nd and Washington Streets, Purcell, Oklahoma, when and where any person interested in said estate may appear and contest said petition by filing written opposition thereto on the around that additional heirs of Decedent are omitted from the Petition, or may assert his/her own right to the administration and pray for Letters to be issued to them.

Dated this 1st day of July, 2019. CHARLES GRAY ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE Charles Gray, District Judge Melvin L. McDaniel, OBA No

No. 756-July 11-3 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA

ARVEST BANK, a Arkansas Chartered Bank Plaintiff.

DUANE LESTER, a/k/a RAY DUANE LESTER, et al., Defendants

Case No. CJ-2019-22 FIRST ALIAS NOTICE BY PUBLICATION THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE

THESTATE OF OKLAHOMA TO: THE DEFENDANTS, WINIFRED G. RAY, DONNA RAY RANGE,

JANET RENTERIA, ALBERT MANTOOTH, AND THELMA MANTOOTH

GREETINGS

TAKE NOTICE that you have been sued by Plaintiff in the above cause in District Court of Mc-Clain County, State of Oklahoma, entitled Arvest Bank, Plaintiff v. Duane Lester, a/k/a Ray Duane Lester, Kim A. Lester, spouse of Duane Lester, a/k/a Ray Duane Lester, Winifred C. Ray and Donna Ray Range, Vierson Oil and Gas Co., Janet Renteria, Stephanie St. Clair, Kristy Kennedy, Big Time Billboards, Drew Nichols and Andrew Dale Nichols, P.C., Kerr-McGee Corporation, Albert Mantooth, Thelma Mantooth McClain County Treasurer, Board of County Commissioners, and Occupants of Premises, and that Defendants, Winifred G. Ray, Donna Ray Range, Janet Renteria, Albert Mantooth, and Thelma Mantooth must answer the Petition of said Plaintiff on file in said cause on or before the 21st day of August, 2019 or the allegations of said petition will be taken as true and judgment will be entered for the sums due under the Note and

No. 775-July 11-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CLEVELAND COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GOLDIE ANN STEINMAN, aka GOLDYE ANN STEINMAN, Deceased.

Case No. PB-2016-324 NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an Order of the District Court of the County of Cleveland, State of Oklahoma, made on November 27, 2017, in the Matter of the Estate of Goldie Ann Steinman, aka Goldye Ann Steinman, Deceased, Mary C. Henwood, the undersigned, as Personal Representative of the estate, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder, subject to confirmation by said District Court on or after the 23rd day of July, 2019, at 8:00 o'clock a.m., at the law office of Bill C. Lester at the City of Purcell, County of McClain, State of Oklahoma, all the right, title and interest that the said estate has, by operation of law, or otherwise, acquired in and to all that certain real property, situated, lying and

Mortgage which are the subject of said suit in the amount of the amount of \$152,189,11, with accruing interest, attorney fees and all costs and a Decree ordering foreclosure of said Mortgage, barring your interest in the following described real property:

A TRACT OF LAND IN NORTH HALF (N 1/2) OF SOUTHEAST QUARTER (SE 1/4) OF SEC-TION SIXTEEN (16) TOWNSHIP SEVEN (7) NORTH, RANGE TWO (2) WEST, MCCLAIN COUNTY, **OKLAHOMA, MORE PARTICU-**LARLY DESCRIBED AS FOL-LOWS: COMMENCING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER (SE 1/4) OF SAID SECTION 16; THENCE WEST ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER (SE 1/4) A DISTANCE of 1238.20 FEET TO THE POINT OF BE-GINNING; THENCE SOUTH 38 DEGREES 19' EAST A DISTANCE OF 715.00 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 51 DEGREES 41' WEST A DIS-TANCE OF 300.00 FEET: THENCE NORTH 38 DEGREES 19' WEST A DISTANCE OF 955.00 FEET; THENCE EAST A DISTANCE OF 382.60 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING

Commonly known as 2537 Johnson Road, Purcell, Oklahoma 73080. (the "Property")

WITNESS MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL, this 28 day of June, 2019.

Kristel Grav COURT CLERK OF MCCLAIN COUNTY By: /s/ Kathy Peterson Deputy

(SEAL) THE COLLIER & HUBER LAW FIRM, P.C. James R. Huber OBA # 15173

616 S. Boston Ave, Suite 308 TULSA, OK 74119

918-742-4062 Attorney for Plaintiff

being in the County of McClain, State of Oklahoma, described as follows

Beginning at the NE Corner of Lot One (1), Block Three (3), in the Town of SILVER CITY. McClain County, Oklahoma, thence West 95 feet; thence South 52 feet; thence East 95 feet to the East line of Lot 1; thence North 52 feet to the point of Beginning, being a part of Lots 1 and 2, Block 3, SILVER CITY. McClain County, Oklahoma, according to the recorded map and plat thereof. LESS AND EXCEPT all oil, gas and other minerals lying under or which may be produced therefrom, SURFACE ONLY,

Bids must be in writing and must be unconditional. Bids may be left at the law office of Bill C. Lester, 212 West Main Street, Purcell, OK 73080, or they may be filed in the office of the District Judge at the Courthouse in Norman, Oklahoma.

Dated this 8th day of July, 2019. /s/ Mary C. Henwood

Mary C. Henwood, Personal Representative of the Estate of Goldie Ann Steinman, aka Goldye Ann Steinman, Deceased

THE PURCELL REGISTER, Thursday, July 18, 2019-5B

No. 779-July 18-1 Time IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF McCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA

In the Matter of the Estate of MARY ALMEDNIA TOWNSEND a/k/a MARY LOUISE DUNLAP a/k/a MARY LOUISE MONDAY a/k/a MARY LOUISE GARRETT a/k/a MARY LOUISE TOWNSEND, DECEASED.

> CASE NO. PB-19-132 COMBINED NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND NOTICE OF HEARING

To: All Persons Interested in The Estate of Mary Almendia Townsend, deceased:

You are hereby notified that on the 1st day of July, 2019, the Petitioner, Matthew Whitaker, filed in the District Court of McClain County, Oklahoma, a Petition For Ancillary Probate. Petitioner has alleged that Mary Almendia Townsend died November 29, 1994. an adult, domiciled and residing in Mt. Vernon, Franklin County, Texas, at the time of her death, and that the total probable value of her property in Oklahoma is less than \$150,000.00.

The names, ages, and lastknown addresses of the administrators, executors, non-petitioning co-nominees, heirs, legatees, and devisees of Mary Almendia Townsend, so far as known to Petitioner, are as follows:

Claire Dennis Elliott 903 Fairmont Drive

Georgetown, Texas 78628 All creditors having claims against the Decedents must pres-

ent same, with a description of all No. 778-July 11-2 Times

IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIA-

TION: Plaintiff.

VS DANA GERACE; et al.

Defendants. Case No. CJ-2019-10

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND UNDER EXECUTION

THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13 day of August, 2019, at 10 o'clock, A.M., Room #121, of the McClain County Courthouse in Purcell, Oklahoma, the undersigned Sheriff will offer for sale and sell for cash to the highest and best bidder, subject to real estate ad valorem taxes, superior special assessments and all interests of record, if any, except the Mortgage and interests foreclosed herein on the following described real property, to-wit:

Lots Six (6), Seven (7), and Eight (8). Block One Hundred Five (105). in the TOWN OF BLANCHARD, McClain County, Oklahoma, according to the recorded plat thereof, commonly known as 306 S. Main, Blanchard, OK 73010 (the Property")

Sale will be made pursuant to Special Execution and Order of Sale issued out of the office of the Court Clerk in and for McClain County, Oklahoma, and pursuant to said judgment reserving ne right of Plaintiff to recall said

security interests and other collateral, if any, held by each creditor with respect to such claim to the Petitioner, Matthew Whitaker, c/o Mark B. Houts, 3847 South Boulevard, Suite 100, Edmond, Oklahoma 73013, on or before the hearing in this matter, which has been set for August 8, 2019 at 9:30 a.m., in the courtroom of the Honorable Judge Charles Gray in the McClain County Courthouse, 121 N. 2nd Street, Purcell, OK 73080. At the hearing, the Court will decide whether to enter an order distributing the Oklahoma property in accordance with the instruments admitted to probate as the Last Will and Testament of Mary Almendia Townsend in the Hopkins County, Texas, Probate Court.

You are hereby advised that you must file objections to the Petition for Probate by Nonresident before the hearing and send a copy to the Petitioner's Attorney, Mark B. Houts, 3847 S. Boulevard, Suite 100, Edmond, Oklahoma 73013, or you will be deemed to have waived any objections. If you have no objections, you need not appear at the hearing or make any filings with the Court.

If an objection is filed before the hearing, the Court will determine at the hearing whether ancillary proceedings are appropriate and, if so, whether the estate will be distributed and to whom the estate will be distributed.

> /s/ Charles Gray Charles Gray Judge of the District Court

County, State of Oklahoma, in Case No. CJ-2019-10, entitled U.S. Bank National Association, Plaintiff, vs. Dana Gerace, et al., Defendants, to satisfy:

FIRST: The costs of said action accrued and accruing;

SECOND: The judgment and first lien of the Plaintiff, U.S. Bank National Association, in the sum of \$26,995.38 with interest thereon at the rate of 7% per annum from June 1, 2018, as adjusted, if applicable, until paid; advances for taxes, insurance and preservation expenses, accrued and accruing; abstracting expenses, accrued and accruing; bankruptcy fees and costs, if any; and an attorney's fee, plus costs, with interest thereon at the same rate, until paid.

Persons or other entities having interest in the property, including those whose actual addresses are unknown and persons or other entities who have or may have unknown successors and such unknown successors are hereby notified are: Dana Gerace; Occupants of the premises: Atlantic Mortgage

& Investment Corporation. The property has been duly appraised in the sum of \$70,100.00. WITNESS MY HAND this 8 day of July, 2019.

Landy Offolter, Undersheriff By: /s/ Landy Offolter Deputy

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A Professional Corporation K. Renee' Davis, OBA #15161 Triad Center I. Suite 550 7666 Fast 61st Street Tulsa, Oklahoma 74133 elephone (918) 254

No. 785-July 18-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA N THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF NAOMI JOYCE COBB, Deceased

Case No. PB-2019-20 NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON SUMMARY PROBATE, FINAL ACCOUNTING, DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP. DISTRIBUTION AND DISCHARGE

ALL PERSONS having claims against Joseph Oscar Dodson, deceased, are required to present the same, with the necessary supporting documents to Danny Ware, P.R. at Hodges Law, 701 N. Main Street, Newcastle, Oklahoma 73065 on or before the 26th day of August, 2019 or the same will be forever barred.

ALL PERSONS interested in the Estate of Joseph Oscar Dodson, deceased, are herein directed to appear in the Courtroom of the District County of McClain County,

No. 758-July 11-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA In the Matter of the Estate of Jimmy R. Mullins, Deceased.

Case No. PB-2019-133 NOTICE TO CREDITORS All creditors having claims against Jimmy R. Mullins, Deceased, are required to present the same, with a description of all security interests and other collateral (if any) held by each creditor with respect to such claim, to the named Administrator. Beverly Mullins, c/o Greg Dixon at 104 Main Street, Norman, Oklahoma,

Attorney for Petitioner 211 N. Robinson Ave., Suite Oklahoma City, OK 73102 Tel. 405-235-6450 Fax. 405-235-6454 melokclaw@sbcglobal.net

Oklahoma, Judge Charles Gray, on the 29th day of August, 2019, at 9:30 o'clock A.M. to show cause if any they have why a final accounting should not be made and approved and final orders made determining heirship, decreeing distribution, discharge of the Personal Representative and closing said estate. The Final Accounting and Petition for Distribution is being filed contemporaneously with this Notice.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court this 11th day of July, 2019

/s/ Charles N. Gray JUDGE OF THÉ DISTRICT COURT /s/ Shawn D. Hodges SHAWN D. HODGES OBA #19122 Hodges Law Firm PLLC 701 N. Main Street Newcastle, OK 73065

(405) 387-3711 Attorney for Personal Representative

73069, on or before the following presentment date: September 23, 2019, or the same will be forever barred

> DATED this 3rd day of July 2019. Respectfully Submitted, /s/Greg Dixon Greg Dixon, OBA #16492 Christopher C. Lind, OBA #31402 NICHOLS DIXON, PLLC 104 East Main Street Norman, Oklahoma 73069 Telephone (405) 579-3739 Fax (405) 701-5275 greg@nicholsdixon.com Attorneys for Administrator

No. 769-July 11-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Gene Cavnar, Deceased. Case No. PB-2019-54

NOTICE FOR HEARING FINAL ACCOUNT AND PETITION FOR ORDER ALLOWING FINAL ACCOUNT, DETERMINATION OF HEIRS, DEVISEES AND LEGATEES AND

DISTRIBUTION OF ESTATE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Kenneth Gene Cavnar Administrator of the Estate of Thomas Gene Cavnar, Deceased, has filed in this Court his Final Account and Petition for Order Allowing Final Account, Determination of Identify of Heirs, Devisees and Legatees, and Distribution of Estate; the hearing of the same has been fixed by the Judge of said Court for the 8th day of August, 2019, at 9:30 o'clock a.m., in the District Courtroom of Judge Charles Gray

No. 780-July 18-1 Time IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLES OSCAR PORTER, JR.,

Deceased. Case No. PB-2019-135 ALIAS NOTICE OF HEARING PETITION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION, APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL RFPRESENTATIVE

DETERMINATION OF HEIRS Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the Estate of Charles Oscar Porter, Jr., Deceased, that on the 9th day of July 2019, there was filed with this Court the Petition of Deonna Loving praying that Letters of Administration be issued to her as Personal Representative of the Estate, to serve without bond, for a judicial determination of the heirs of the Decedent.

Pursuant to an Order of this

in the County Courthouse in Purcell, McClain County, Oklahoma, and all persons interested in said estate are notified then and there to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said final account should not be approved and the estate distributed.

DATED this 8th day of July, 2019. CHARLES GRAY ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT Approved by:

/s/ Christopher C. Lind Greg Dixon, OBA #16492 Christopher C. Lind, OBA #31402

NICHOLS DIXON, PLLC 104 East Main Street Norman, Oklahoma 73069 Telephone (405) 579-3739 Fax (405) 701-5275 greg@nicholsdixon.com christopher@nicholsdixon.com ATTORNEYS FOR ADMINIS-TRATOR

Court made on the 9th day of July 2019, notice is given that the 8th day of August, 2019, at 9:30 o'clock a.m. is the day and time that the Petition will be heard in the Courtroom of Judge Charles Gray in the County Courthouse at Purcell, McClain County, Oklahoma, and all persons interested may appear and contest the same. Witness, the undersigned,

Judge of the District Court of Mc-Clain County, State of Oklahoma, this 9th day of July 2019.

CHARLES GRAY ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT James B. Blevins, Jr., OBA #881 Carrie Kopp, OBA #21731 George W. Velotta, II, OBA 9223

138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565 Purcell, OK 73080 Phone: 405-527-7575 Fax: 405-527-7574 Attorney for Petitioner

execution by oral announcement and/or order of the Court, prior to the sale, said judgment entered in the District Court in and for said

No. 767-July 11-3 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA CHARLES EDWARD BURRUSS.

JOHN DAVID BURRUSS AND JOHN W. FOLEY, Plaintiffs.

THE UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS. HEIRS, ADMINISTRATORS, EX-ECUTORS, DEVISEES, TRUST-EES AND ASSIGNS OF BEELER FOLEY, DECEASED,

Defendants. CASE NO. CV-2019-87 NOTICE BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO: THE UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS, HEIRS, ADMINISTRATORS, EX-ECUTORS, DEVISEES, TRUST-EES AND ASSIGNS OF BEELER FOLEY, DECEASED,

Take notice that you have been sued by CHARLES EDWARD BURRUSS, JOHN DAVID BUR-RUSS AND JOHN W. FOLEY in the District Court of MCCLAIN County, State of Oklahoma, and that you must answer the Petition on or before August 30, 2019, or the allegations contained in said Petition will be taken as true and correct, quieting title to the following real property, situated in MC-CLAIN County, Oklahoma, to-wit: AN UNDIVIDED INTEREST IN

MINERALS BEING IN SECTION , TOWNSHIP 6 NORTH, RANGE **4 WEST LOCATED IN MCCLAIN** COUNTY, OKLAHOMA AND DE-SCRIBED ON THE ATTACHED EXHIBIT "A'

forever barring you and all persons claiming by, through or under you from ever setting up or asserting any right, title, equity or interest in and to said real property, adverse to the right and title of the Plaintiff(s), and such other relief to which they may be entitled.

Witness my hand and seal, this 5 day of July, 2019.

Kristel Gray MCCLAIN COUNTY COURT CLERK Facsimile (918) 254-7915 E-mail: rdavis@kivell.com ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF KRF File #32723/KD

/s/ Kathy Peterson

DEPUTY (Seal) WILLIAM H. HALLEY, P.C. P.O. BOX 5452 EDMOND, OKLAHOMA 73083 (405) 361-5300 FAX (405) 359-3982 OBA`NO. 3742 halley.bill65@gmail.com EXHIBIT "A" MCCLAIN COUNTY, OKLA-HOMA:

TRACT #1:

The Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NE/4 SE/4) and Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SE/4 SW/4 NE/4) and Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SW/4 SE/4 NE/4) and Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE/4 SE/4) of Section 1, Township 6-North, Range 4-West I.M., containing 100.00 acres, more or less.

TRACT #2:

The Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SW/4 SE/4) of Section 1, Township 6-North, Range 4-West I.M., containing 40.00 acres, more or less.

TRACT #3:

The South Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (S/2 NW/4 SE/4) of Section 1, Township 6-North, Range 4-West I.M., containing 20.00 acres, more or less

END OF EXHIBIT "A"

No. 782-July 18-1 Time

Sealed bids are due August 5, 2019 in the Superintendent's Office, 212 South Seifried Street, Wayne, OK 73095, 405-449-3646, for the followina:

2007 Ford Expedition - Minimum \$3000 bid

2004 Chevy Impala - No Minimum

Kawasaki Mule 550 KAF300C

- No Minimum All sold AS IS. No. 789-July 18-1 Time ORDINANCE 2019-011

ANORDINANCEOFTHETOWN OF GOLDSBY. OKLAHOMA, **PFRTAINING TO PLANNING AND** ZONING AMENDING THE ZON-ING ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF GOLDSBY BY AMENDING SECTION 6 OF ARTICLE I OF THE ZONING REGULATIONS TO ADD DEFINITIONS PERTAINING TO MEDICAL MARIJUANA; AND BY AMENDING THE SPECIFIC ZON-ING DISTRICT REGULATIONS OF ARTICLE II OF THE ZONING **REGULATIONS FOR THE A-1** AGRICULTURAL-RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT, FOR THE C-1 GEN-ERAL COMMERCIAL DISTRICT, FOR THE C-2 HIGHWAY COM-MERCIAL DISTRICT. AND FOR THE I-1 GENERAL INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT, TO ESTABLISH ZON-ING REGULATIONS FOR MEDI-CAL MARIJUANA GROWING, PROCESSING. RESEARCH. AND DISPENSARY FACILITIES: PROVIDING FOR RENUMBER-ING: PROVIDING FOR SEVER-ABILITY; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, to ensure the health and safety of persons within the corporate limits of the Town of Goldsby and to provide reasonable zoning regulations for medical marijuana growing, processing, research, and dispensary facilities as the same have been authorized by the passage of State Question 788 and related Oklahoma State Department of Health Regulations, the Board of Trustees of the Town of Goldsby finds that it is the best interests of the citizens and residents of the Town of Goldsby and all other persons within the corporate limits of the Town of Goldsby that the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby be amended:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF

GOLDSBY, OKLAHOMA, THAT: Section 1. Renumbering. The provisions of numerical subsections 68-115 inclusive of Section 6 Definitions of Article I of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma shall be renumbered consecutively as numerical sub-sections 69-116 inclusive to allow for the insertion of a new numerical sub-section 68 as provided by this Ordinance.

Section 2. Section 6 Definitions of Article I of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma, Amended. Section 6 Definitions of Article I of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma is hereby amended by adding a new numerical sub-section 68 to read as follows:

68. Medical Marijuana. As used in the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby, unless otherwise specified, the following terms shall have the meanings respectively ascribed to them in this numerical sub-section 68:

"Medical marijuana" means marijuana that is grown, processed, dispensed, tested, possessed, or used for a medical purpose.

"Medical marijuana grower" or "Medical marijuana commercial grower" means a business licensed by the State of Oklahoma to arow. harvest, and package medical marijuana for the purpose of selling medical marijuana to a dispensary, processor, or researcher; "Medical marijuana dispensary" means an entity licensed by the State of Oklahoma to purchase medical marijuana from a licensed processor or licensed grower and sell medical marijuana only to qualified patients or the qualified patient's parent(s) or legal guardian(s) and licensed caregivers; "Medical marijuana processor" means an entity licensed by the State of Oklahoma to purchase medical marijuana from a licensed commercial grower or processor to subsequently prepare, manufacture, package, sell and deliver medical marijuana products to a licensed dispensary or other licensed processor; and who may also process marijuana received from a qualified patient into a medical marijuana concentrate, for a fee; Section 3. Section A-1, Agricultural-Residential Zoning District, of Article II Specific Zoning District Regulations of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma, Amended. Section A-1, Agricultural-Residential Zoning District, of Article II Specific Zoning District Regulations of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma is hereby amended by adding new subsections 13 and 14 to Permitted Principal Uses and Structures to read as follows: 13. Medical marijuana growing facility (outdoor or indoor) operated by a Medical marijuana grower or Medical marijuana commercial grower when all parts of the facility are located a minimum of 1,000 feet from the entrance to any school and 300 feet from zoning district other than the A-1, Agricultural-Residential Zoning District. 14. Within an enclosed building, Medical marijuana growing facility or Medical marijuana processing facility associated with a Medical marijuana growing facility when all parts of the Medical marijuana processing facility and all parts of the associated Medical marijuana growing facility are located

a minimum of 1,000 feet from the entrance to any school and 300 t feet from zoning district other than the A-1, Agricultural-Residential Zoning District.

Section 4. Section C-1, General Commercial Zoning District, of Article II Specific Zoning District Regulations of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma, Amended. Section C-1, General Commercial Zoning District, of Article II Specific Zoning District Regulations of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma is hereby amended by adding a new subsection 2 to Uses and Structures Permitted on Review to read as follows:

2. Medical marijuana dispensary when all parts of the facility are located a minimum of 1,000 feet from the entrance to any school and 300 feet from any church, playground or residential zoning district other than the A-1, Agricultural-Residential Zoning District, and provided that the minimum requirements for off-street parking, setbacks, lot area and width, and maximum height restrictions for C-1 Medical and dental clinics and offices are complied with.

Section 5. Section C-2, Highway Commercial Zoning District, of Article II Specific Zoning District Regulations of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby. Oklahoma, Amended. Section C-2, Highway Commercial Zoning District, of Article II Specific Zoning District Regulations of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma is hereby amended by renumbering numerical sub-section 13 of Permitted Principal Uses and Structures thereof as numerical sub-section 15 thereof; and by adding new sub-sections 13 and 14 to Permitted Principal Uses and Structures thereof to read as follows:

13. Medical marijuana dispensary when all parts of the facility are located a minimum of 1,000 feet from the entrance to any school and 300 feet from any church, playground or residential zoning district other than the A-1, Agricultural-Residential Zoning District and provided that the minimum requirements for setbacks. lot area and width, and maximum height restrictions shall be compatible to similar uses permitted in this Zoning District and further provided that the Planning Commission shall make a determination of the parking demand to be created by this use and the amount of parking thus determined shall be the off street parking requirement for the permitted use.

14. Medical marijuana research facility when all parts of the facility are located a minimum of 1,000 feet from the entrance to any school and 300 feet from any church, playground or residential zoning district other than the A-1. Agricultural-Residential Zoning District and provided that the minimum requirements for setbacks, lot area and width, and maximum height restrictions shall be compatible to similar uses permitted in this Zoning District and further provided that the Planning Commission shall make a determination of the parking demand to be created by this use and the amount of parking thus determined shall be the off street parking requirement for the permitted use. Section 6. Section C-2, Highway Commercial Zoning District, of Article II Specific Zoning District Regulations of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma, Amended. Section C-2, Highway Commercial Zoning District, of Article II Specific Zoning District Regulations of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma is hereby amended by adding a new subsection 5 to Uses and Structures Permitted on Review to read as follows: 5. Medical marijuana growing and/or processing facility associated with a medical marijuana dispensary when located within the same enclosed building and when all parts of the facility are located a minimum of 1,000 feet from the entrance to any school and 300 feet from any church, playground or residential zoning district other than the A-1, Agricultural-Residential Zoning District; and provided that the minimum requirements for setbacks, lot area and width, and maximum height restrictions shall be compatible to similar uses permitted in this Zoning District and further provided that the Planning Commission shall make a determination of the additional parking demand to be created by this use and the amount of parking thus determined shall be the additional off street parking requirement for the additional use. Section 7. Section I-1, General Industrial Zoning District, of Article II Specific Zoning District Regulations of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma, Amended. Section I-1, General Industrial, of Article II Specific Zoning District Regulations of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma is hereby amended by adding a new subsections 20, 21 and 22 to Permitted Principal Uses and Structures thereof read as follows:

use and the amount of parking thus determined shall be the off street parking requirement for the additional use.

21. Medical marijuana processing facility within an enclosed building, provided that the Planning Commission shall make a determination of the parking demand to be created by this use and the amount of parking thus determined shall be the off street parking requirement for the additional use.

22. Medical marijuana research facility; provided that the Planning Commission shall make a determination of the parking demand to be created by this use and the amount of parking thus determined shall be the off street parking requirement for the additional use.

Section 8. Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, said portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this ordinance.

Section 9. Emergency. It being necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, peace and welfare of the citizens and residents of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma, that the Regulations as amended by this Ordinance shall become effective and placed into use as soon as possible, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this Ordinance shall take full force and effect immediately upon its adoption and publication as provided by law.

PASSED, APPROVED AND AD-OPTED this 11 day of July, 2019. TOWN OF GOLDSBY /s/ Glenn D. Berglan

MAYOR

ATTEST: /s/ Sandra J. Jenkins TOWN CLERK (SEAL)

No. 784-July 18-1 Time IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY

STATE OF OKLAHOMA In the Matter of the Estate of Jerry H. Goldsby, deceased.

PB-2018-138

NOTICE FOR HEARING FINAL ACCOUNT AND PETITION FOR ORDER ALLOWING FINAL

ACCOUNT, FOR WAIVER OF FORMAL ACCOUNTING, FOR DISTRIBUTION OF ESTATE AND FINAL DISCHARGE OF

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE Notice is hereby given that Linn

A. Goldsby, personal representative of the Estate of Jerry H. Goldsby, deceased, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of said estate, and her petition to allow the final account, waiver of a formal accounting, distribution of said estate and final discharge of said personal representative, the hearing of the same has been fixed by Charles N. Gray, Judge of said Court for the 5 day of August, 2019, at 9:30 a.m., in Courtroom 2 of the McClain County Courthouse, 121 North No. 790-July 18-1 Time ORDINANCE 2019-012 AN ORDINANCE OF T

THF TOWN OF GOLDSBY. OKLA-HOMA. PERTAINING TO SALES TAX AMENDING SECTION 1-82 OF ARTICLE 5 OF CHAPTER 1 THE GOLDSBY CODE OF ORDINANCES TO ALLOW THE COLLECTION OF SALES TAX UPON THE GROSS PROCEEDS OR GROSS RECEIPTS DERIVED FROM ALL SALES TAXABLE UNDER THE SALES TAX LAW OF OKLAHOMA, THE OKLAHOMA SALES TAX CODE, OR ANY OTH-**ER PROVISIONS OF OKLAHOMA** LAW SPECIFICALLY AUTHORIZ-**INGTHE COLLECTION OF SALES** TAX; AMENDING SECTION 1-82 OF ARTICLE 5 OF CHAPTER 1 OF THE GOLDSBY CODE OF ORDINANCES BY ADDING A SUB-SECTION THERETO TO ALLOW FOR THE COLLECTION OF SALES TAX UPON THE RETAIL SALE OF MEDICAL MARIJUANA AND MEDICAL MARIJUANA PRODUCTS; AMENDING SUB-SECTION A OF SECTION 1-83 OF ARTICLE 5 OF CHAPTER 1 OF THE GOLDSBY CODE OF OR-DINANCES TO EXCLUDE FROM THE EXEMPTION THE RETAIL SALE OF MEDICAL MARIJUANA AND MEDICAL MARIJUANA PRODUCTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND DECLARING

AN EMERGENCY. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF GOLDSBY, OKLA-HOMA, THAT:

Section 1. Section 1-82 of Article 5 of Chapter 1 of The Goldsby Code of Ordinances Amended. That portion of Section 1-82 of Article 5 of Chapter 1 of The Goldsby Code of Ordinances which reads as follows:

"There is hereby levied an excise tax of three and one-half percent (3.5%) upon the gross proceeds or gross receipts derived from all sales taxable under the Sales Tax Law of Oklahoma, including but not exclusive of the following:"

is hereby amended to read as follows:

"There is hereby levied an excise tax of three and one-half percent (3.5%) upon the gross proceeds or gross receipts derived from all sales taxable under the Sales Tax Law of Oklahoma, the Oklahoma Sales Tax Code, or any other provisions of Oklahoma law specifically authorizing the collection of sales tax, including but not limited to the following:"

Section 2. New sub-section M of Section 1-82 Article 5 of Chapter 1 of the Goldsby Code of Ordinances Adopted. Section 1-82 Article 5 of Chapter 1 of the Goldsby Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new sub-section

lettered "M" to read as follows: M. Medical marijuana and medical marijuana products sold pursuant to a license recommended

No. 787-July 18-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY

STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN RE: Application of Kevin Williams. by an Oklahoma board certified physician or otherwise sold in a retail sale by a medical marijuana dispensary.

Section 3. Sub-section A of Section 1-83 of Article 5 of Chapter 1 of The Goldsby Code of Ordinances Amended. Sub-section A of Section 1-83 of Article 5 of Chapter 1 of The Goldsby Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

A. Sale of raw products from the farm, orchard or garden where such sale is made by the producer of such raw products directly to the consumer or user; gross receipts or gross proceeds derived from the sale of livestock, poultry products and dairy products by the producers; exemptions granted by this Subsection shall not apply when such articles are sold, even though by the producer thereof, at or from an "established business place" not on a farm; neither shall this exemption apply unless said articles are produced or grown within the State of Oklahoma; the provisions of this Subsection are ntended to exempt the sale by livestock producers of livestock sold at special livestock sales: the provisions of this Subsection are intended to exempt the sale of dairy products when sold by a dairyman or farmer who owns all of the cows from which the dairy products he sells are produced: the provisions of this Subsection shall not be construed to exempt sales by florists, medical marijuana dispensaries, nurserymen and chicken hatcheries or any sale of Medical marijuana or medical marijuana products pursuant to a license recommended by an Okla-

homa board certified physician; Section 4. Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any

invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, said portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this ordinance.

Section 5. Emergency. It being necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, peace and welfare of the citizens and residents of the Town of Goldsby, Oklahoma, that this Ordinance shall become effective and placed into use as soon as possible, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this Ordinance shall take full force and effect immediately upon its adoption and publication as provided by law.

PASSED, APPROVED AND AD-OPTED this 11 day of July, 2019. TOWN OF GOLDSBY /s/ Glenn D. Berglan

Mayor

ATTEST: /s/ Sandra J. Jenkins Town Clerk [SEAL]

of August, 2019. Anyone wishing to object must appear and make argument against such disposition by providing identification of their person and ownership of any of the listed items of personal property. Failure to appear and ol forfeit all ownership rights in the property listed in the application. /s/ Kevin Williams Kevin Williams, Chief of Police EXHIBIT "A" A single-axle box trailer, black in color with silver fender guards; approx. six inches of silver diamond plate wrapped around the front bottom edge of the trailer. The front tongue/jack plate area has a number '030185' stamped on the starboard top side of the jack area. Trailer is locked with a silver padlock and is presently impounded @ the Bacon's Wrecker Lot located @ Green & Apache Street, City of Purcell, McClain County, Oklahoma. A dual axle trailer, black in color, approx. 18' in length with a wood floor, containing a blue Miller "Bobcat 250" welder/10,000W generator. Ted W. Haxel (OBA#3997) Attorney at Law 108 North Second St. P.O. Box 367 Purcell, OK 73080 405-527-5888 phone 405-527-6666 fax

No. 788-July 18-3 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA

STATE OF OKLAHOMA SHERIE BRUBAKER, Plaintiffs,

vs. THE UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS, HEIRS, ADMINISTRATORS, EX-ECUTORS, DEVISEES, TRUST-EES AND ASSIGNS OF MAE MARIE BRUBAKER, DECEASED,

m Defendants.

Case No. CV-19-90

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF OKLAHOMATO: THE UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS, HEIRS, ADMINISTRATORS, EX-ECUTORS, DEVISEES, TRUST-EES AND ASSIGNS OF MAE MARIE BRUBAKER, DECEASED,

Take notice that you have been sued by SHERIE BRUBAKER in the District Court of MCCLAIN County, State of Oklahoma , and that you must answer the Petition on or before September 5, 2019, or the allegations contained in said Petition will be taken as true and correct, quieting title to the following real property, situated in MCCLAIN County, Oklahoma, to-wit:

AN UNDIVIDED INTEREST IN MINERALS BEING LOCATED IN MCCLAIN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA AND DESCRIBED ON THE AT-TACHED EXHIBIT "A,"

forever barring you and all persons claiming by, through or under you from ever setting up or asserting any right, title, equity or interest in and to said real property, adverse to the right and title of the Plaintiff(s), and such other relief to which they may be entitled.

Witness my hand and seal, this 15 day of July, 2019.

Kristel Gray MCCLAIN COUNTY COURT CLERK /s/ Scheryl Flores DEPUTY (Seal) WILLIAM H. HALLEY, P.C.

P.O. BOX 5452 EDMOND, OKLAHOMA 73083 (405) 361-5300 FAX (405) 359-3982 OBA NO. 3742 halley.bill65@gmail.com Exhibit "A"

McClain County, Oklahoma West Half of the Southwest

Quarter (W/2 SW/4) and South Half of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (S/2 SE/4 SW/4) and Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter and Southwest Quarter (NE/4 SE/4 SW/4) of Section 17, Township 7 North, Range 4 West, I.M.

East Half of the Northeast Quarter (E/2 NE/4) of Section 19, Township 7 North, Range 4 West, I.M

South Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (S/2 NW/4 NE/4) and Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE/4 NW/4 NE/4) and Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SW/4 NE/4) and Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SE/4 NE/4 NW/4) and Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SE/4 NW/4) and North Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (N/2 NW/4 SE/4) and North Half of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (N/2 NE/4 SW/4) and Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE/4 NE/4 SW/4) of Section 20, Township 7 North, Range 4 West, I.M. End of Exhibit "A"

20. Medical marijuana commercial growing facility within an enclosed building, provided that the Planning Commission shall make a determination of the parking demand to be created by this

2nd Avenue, Purcell, Oklahoma, and all persons interested in said estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why the said account should not be settled and allowed, a formal accounting waived, said estate distributed to the persons entitled thereto and the personal representative discharged.

Dated this 10 day of July, 2019. CHARLES GRAY ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE Judge

/s/ Charles E. Wadsack Charles E. Wadsack, OBA #9261

Charles E. Wadsack, Attorney at Law, Inc.

Attorney for Personal Representative

415 W. Gray	
Norman, OK 73069	
(405) 329-0035	
Fax: (405) 364-5379	

No. 786-July 18-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ROBERT DON LEE, Deceased. Case No. PB-19-123

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having claims against Robert Don Lee, deceased, are required to present the same, with the necessary supporting documents, and with a description of all security interests or other collateral, if any, held by each creditor with respect to such claim, to Bobby Don Lee at the following address: Hodges Law Firm, 701 N Main St., Newcastle, OK 73065, on or before the following presentment date: September 16, 2019; or the same will be forever barred.

DATED this 11th day of July, 2019.

Hodges Law Firm

/s/ Shawn D. Hodges, OBA #19122

131 N.W. 32nd Street Newcastle, Oklahoma 73065 (405) 387-3711 shodgeslaw@gmail.com Purcell, for Disposition of Personal Property

plice for the City

Case No. CV-2019-89 NOTICE OF HEARING FOR AN ORDER TO AUTHORIZE THE CHIEF OF POLICE OF THE CITY OF PURCELL TO DISPOSE OF UNCLAIMED PERSONAL PROPERTY

Notice is hereby given that the Chief of Police of the City of Purcell, Oklahoma is in lawful possession of unclaimed items of personal property and that said property has been in the possession of the Purcell Chief of Police for more than one (1) year, last preceding the date hereof.

THEREFORE, pursuant to 11 O.S. § 34-104 and the City of Purcell Municipal Code of Ordinances, the Chief of Police made Application to the District Court of McClain County for a hearing to authorize the disposition of said personal property, more specifically described on Exhibit "A." Said hearing will be in Judge Charles Gray's Courtroom in the McClain County Courthouse, Purcell, Oklahoma at 11:00 o'clock a.m. on the 26th day

No. 783-July 18-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LINNEA MARIAN MEENAN, A/K/A LINNEA MEENAN, A/K/A LINEA MEENAN, DECEASED, AND ROBERT S. LOVE, A/K/A ROBERT L. LOVE, AND ROBERT A. LOVE, DECEASED.

Case No. PB-2019-111 NOTICE TO CREDITORS STATE OF OKLAHOMA SS:

COUNTY OF OKLAHOMA All persons having claims against Linnea Marian Meenan, a/k/a Linnea Meenan, a/k/a Linea Meenan, deceased, and/or Robert S. Love, a/k/a Robert L. Love, and Robert A. Love are required to present the same with a description of all security interests and other collateral (if any) held by each creditor with respect to such claim, to the named Personal Representative at:

Amy Meenan c/o Donald B. Nevard DERRYBERRY & NAIFEH, LLP 4800 North Lincoln Boulevard Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105; on or before the following presentment date: this 9th day of

September, 2019, or same will be forever barred. SIGNED this 11th day of July,

2019.

/s/ Donald B. Nevard Donald B. Nevard, OBA #6640 Darren Derryberry, OBA #14542 DERRYBERRY & NAIFEH, LLP 4800 North Lincoln Blvd. Oklahoma City, OK 73105 (405) 528-6569 Telephone (405) 528-6462 Facsimile dnevard@derryberrylaw.com dderryberry@derryberrylaw.

Attorneys for Personal Representative No. 752-July 11-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-TATE OF REX MARRS HEFNER, DECEASED

Case No. PB-2019-68 NOTICE OF HEARING PETITION FOR ORDER DISTRIBUTING THE ESTATE AND DISCHARGING THE PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the Estate of Rex Marrs Hefner, Deceased, that on the 28th day of June, 2019, there was filed in the District Court of the County of McClain and State of Oklahoma, a Petition praying for an Order Distributing the Estate and Discharging the Personal Representative of the Estate of Rex Marrs Hefner, deceased.

And pursuant to an order of said Court, the 1st day of August, 2019, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock am of said day has been appointed as the time for hearing said application, before Judge Charles Gray, Judge of the District Court Probate Division, District CourtProbate Division, District CourtProbate at 2nd and Washington, Purcell, Oklahoma, when and where any person interested in said estate may appear and contest said petition by filing written opposition thereto.

Dated this 1st day of July, 2019. CHARLES GRAY ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE Judge of the District Court Melvin L. McDaniel, OBA No. 5951

Attorney for Petitioner 211 N. Robinson Ave., Suite 1365

Oklahoma City, OK 73102 Tel. 405-235-6450 Fax. 405-235-6454 melokclaw@sbcglobal.net

Courthouse News

The following persons have been over \$5000. charged by the State of Oklahoma with traffic or other violations or have filed other court actions in McClain under \$5000. County District Court between July 4-10, 2019.

Traffic

Brenna C. Shackleford, operate vehicle with defective lamps (other than headlamps).

Brenna C. Shackleford, improper tag display. Brittany D. Gross, improper pass-

ing Yonquetta M. Wiles, overweight -

3001 to 4000.

Yonquetta M. Wiles, overweight on interstate (bridge formula).

Yonquetta M. Wiles, overweight on interstate (bridge formula).

Misdemeanors

Ashlie N. Emmons, knowingly concealing stolen property.

Brett J. Haynes, possession of CDS. DaeshaE.Pope, possession of CDS,

methamphetamine. Karrie E. Tate, obstructing an

officer Bryce A. Gray, assault and battery. James K. Durham, domestic abuse

 assault and battery. Jeffrey A. Morris, domestic abuse

- assault and battery. Danielle L. Sawyer, protective

order violation. Donald L. Chapman, possession of

CDS - morphine. Dennis J. Waggoner, driving with

license cancelled/suspended/revoked. Felonies

Bryan T. Watkins, DUI

Suzanne N. Tankersley, bringing contraband into jail/penal institution. Christopher W. Tucker, posses-

sion of firearm after former felony conviction

Robert Cervantes, falsely personate another to create liability

Vann M. Brock, burglary, second degree Phillip R. Williams, bail jumping.

Jonathan M. Stapleton, unauthorized use of a vehicle.

Joshua T. Black, burglary, second degree.

Lance A. Compton, grand larceny. Chadwick R. Barrow, burglary, second degree.

Thomas E. Acton III, burglary - 3rd degree.

Bart R. Daniel, child neglect. Daydrion Dennis, assault and battery with dangerous weapon.

Nanci J. Eggelston, child neglect. Delaney A. Haworth, burglary, second degree.

Carly M. Hawkins, falsely personate another to create liability. **Small Claims**

Shelter Mutual Ins. Co vs. Stacey N. Ashley, small claims under \$5000. B&H Realty LLC vs. Ryan Furry, forcible entry and detainer under \$5000

Empire Finance vs. Jane Polk, small claims under \$5000.

Empire Finance vs. Stephen C. Yeary, small claims under \$5000.

Empire Finance vs. Lori A. Powell, small claims under \$5000.

Norman Regional Health System vs. Lacie B. Scoggins, small claims Russell.

Norman Regional Health System vs. Gregory D. Mainus, small claims

Norman Regional Health System vs. Laura J. Mathews, small claims under \$5000

Norman Regional Health System vs. Jessica L. Porter, small claims under \$5000.

Integris Ambulatory Care Corp vs. John L. Wright, small claims under \$5000

Hospital for Special Surgery vs. Justin T. Wigley, small claims under \$5000

Norman Regional Health System vs. Amy Underhill, small claims under \$5000. Norman Regional Health System

vs. Gloria J. Parker, small claims under \$5000.

Purcell Municipal Hospital vs. Christina J. Hudson, small claims under \$5000.

Norman Regional Health System vs. Tyler A. Townsend, small claims under \$5000.

Tower Loans vs. Carolyn S. Alls, small claims under \$5000.

Tower Loans vs. William C. Davis, small claims under \$5000. Tower Loans vs. Karen Kharugub,

small claims under \$5000.

Tower Loans vs. Steven Collins, small claims under \$5000. Civil

Midland Funding LLC vs. Richard Steury, civil action \$10,000 or less. Cavalry SPV I LLC vs. Aaron Philpot, civil action \$10,000 or less. Cavalry SPV I LLC vs. Steven Plant, civil action \$10,000 or less.

Barclays Bank Delaware vs. Alyssa C. Robertson, civil action \$10,000 or less.

LVNV Funding LLC vs. Jackie Boutwell.civil action \$10,000 or less. LVNV Funding LLC vs. Ben Wade, civil action \$10,000 or less.

Cavalry SPV ILLC vs. Timothy N. Skillern, civil action \$10,000 or less. LVNV Funding LLC vs. Ericka Benman, civil action \$10,000 or less. LVNV Funding LLC vs. Tiffany Zenisek, civil action \$10,000 or less. Midland Funding LLC vs. Julie McCaul, civil action \$10,000 or less. Midland Funding LLC vs. Lynsey

Zamora, civil action \$10,000 or less. GaryA.Gallantvs.ToddA.Deaton, civil action \$10,000 or less.

Gary A. Gallant vs. Todd A. Deaton, civil action \$10,000 or less. Prestige Financial Services vs.

Dave L. Soderlund, civil action \$10,000 or more. Bruce Jones vs. Cobalt Water

Solutions, LLC, civil action \$10,000 or more.

Davis Supply Co. vs. Trophy Pools & Designs, LLC, civil action \$10,000 or more

Marriages Filed

Timothy L. Stodola, 24, and Jessica P. Dobbins, 20, both of Paoli. **Divorces Granted**

Amanda B. Brooks vs. Cody J. Brooks.

Dalton J. Porter vs. Sarah L. Porter. Amy M. Russell vs. Hugh H.

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Individuals with comments

regarding the WIC program

should contact Terry Bryce,

WIC Director, Assistant Dep-

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Health Services, Oklahoma

State Department of Health,

70, Oklahoma City, OK 73107-

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GARAGE SALE: 928 Luglena Lane, Friday and Saturday, 8-?. 07/18/1tp





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GARAGE SALES

GARAGE SALE: All day Sat., July 20, 602 N. Canadian. Tools, bicycle, piano, clothes. 07/18/1tp

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