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Eye to the sky

Employees at Frontline Family Solutions took time out of their workday to take in a few moments of the solar Eclipse Monday afternoon.

3.6" Tuesday night

4.7" for week, cooler temps on tap

An amazing 3.8" of rain fell in a drenching rain here Tuesday night bringing the total for the year to 33.43".

For the month of August, 9.33" has fallen, by far the most in the last 10 years.

Cooler temperatures,

Please see **Rain**, back page

Purcell council

Charter dictates how seat will be filled

month's agenda.

denly from his seat on the Purcell City Council and Purcell Public Works Authority on August 8 following a 3-2 vote to rezone a tract of land on Chandler Road from agricultural to light industrial.

McCurdy strongly opposed the rezoning.

council at the October meeting appointed McCurdy to serve the months remaining in Lee's term.

McCurdy was the lone filer for the District 3 seat

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A baker's dozen at Lex

Thirteen newcomers among Bulldog faculty for 2017-18

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Lexington Public Schools began the 2017-18 school year with 13 new faces among the faculty.

They are J.D. Beck, Dale Berglan, Keith Bolles, Derek Clark, Nikki Ennis, Ashley Hosek, Van Kinchen, Susan Lind, Tanner Nauta, Jennipher Perry, Leanne Robinson, Danny Somers and Kyle Wells.

Beck, who teaches history, said he came to Lexington from Purcell Middle School to "work with Keith Bolles."

He graduated from high school in Wellington, Kans., and has a degree from Southwestern Oklahoma State University.

Beck and his wife, Anne, have three children – Jaxon, 11; Addyson, 7, and Hudson, 6.

Berglan is middle school principal and head football

He came from Newcastle Public Schools where he was athletic director.

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Faculty additions

Wayne picks up three new teachers

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Three new teachers – two in the elementary school and the third in the middle school – joined Wayne Public Schools faculty for the 2017-18 school year.

They are Laura Harryman, Erica Keizor and Sammy

Harryman teaches fifth

She is a graduate of Eufaula High School and Southeastern

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AREA SCHOOL **JeanneGrimes** His resignation was effec-**The Purcell Register** tive immediately. Purcell City Clerk Dorothy According to the Purcell Kennedy said Tuesday she city charter, any vacancy on expects an item to appoint the city council will be filled someone to Tom McCurdy by the council for the time **PURCELL** III's unexpired term on remaining in the unexpired 201 city council will be on next 82 pre-K pre-K 39 77 70 129 When David Lee left the 100 117 McCurdy resigned sudcouncil on Sept. 1, 2014, the

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Magazine



Softball champs

Wayne's softball team wins Stratford Tournament

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Disaster averted

Spontaneous combustion was blamed for hay bales catching fire in a barn last Friday. Bartley Keeler noticed smoke coming from the barn as he and his father, Wayne, were driving to Lindsay. Keeler jumped on a tractor and began pulling the hay from the barn until firefighters could get to the scene. Departments from Wayne, Payne and Purcell responded.

Passerby helps save hay barn

Spontaneous combustion blamed for fire in Payne

John D. Montgomery **The Purcell Register**

As luck would have it, Wayne and Bartley Keeler were on their way to Lindsay last Friday morning when Bartley noticed something wrong at a hay barn.

to his father.

So the pair stopped. Bartley jumped out of the pickup and





the scene but the bales of hay outside the barn were allowed to burn themselves out.

The green hay coupled with had been cut. "That's smoke," Bartley said high humidity caused the combustion. Keeler's quick and Good Samaritan efforts likely saved the barn and the Street from Grant to Pierce as remainder of the contents.

> There were no reported gas levels. injuries.

Purcell Firefighters also injuries.

onto a tractor, pulling smolder- responded to a broken gas ing bales of hay out of the barn. main on Friday at the corner of Firefighters from Payne, Oxford and Coachman Court Wayne and Purcell rushed to in the Royal Gardens housing addition.

The fire call came in around 9 a.m. when a two inch gas line

Oklahoma Natural Gas was called and arrived about 9:50. Fire crews shut down 9th

precautionary measures due to There were no reported

U.S. Rep. Tom Cole answers questions Monday during a leadership round table sponsored by

the Heart of Oklahoma Chamber of Commerce at Purcell City Hall.



7 day forecast from @PurcellRegister @OUNewsCrowd

Cooler week ahead for you

A cooler week is ahead of us to upper 60s. There are some tures in the mid 80s as well as weekend but they are looking very nice week. pleasant evenings in the mid to be pretty scattered.

with below-average tempera- very slight rain chances over the well, but overall it will be a

- Leah Hill

Social host goes on trial

Jury to begin hearing testimony next week in Norman

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A jury trial in Cleveland County District Court is expected to start Monday for the second adult charged in connection with the drinking death of a 15-year-old Lexington youth in 2015.

Justin Moore, 37, of Wanette is charged with permitting invitees under age 21 to consume alcohol or controlled dangerous substances, child neglelct/ endangering and transporting a loaded firearm.

Another adult, Tonya Moss, 35, also of Wanette, pleaded guilty to the same charges in May 2016 and was sentenced to 20 years with one year concurrent.

Nicholas Faught was a Lexington High School freshman when he attended a party hosted by Moss' 16-year-old son at the couple's Wanette residence on March 28, 2015.

Faught was found nonresponsive in a bathroom on the morning of March 29.

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Lexington

Nursing Home
AUGUST EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

According to an affidavit, the guests. Moore and Moss had gone to a casino at Shawnee and returned home after Moss's son told her Faught was dead.

Faught with CPR and left the his room. house with Moore before authorities arrived.

Investigators with the Cleveland County Sheriff's Department found marijuana and pills in the house, as well as numerous beer cans and empty liquor bottles.

Moss' son said he acquired the liquor from a Hispanic in Lexington and that the beer as well as newly purchased was brought to the party by toiletries and firearms.

He said that Faught and another teen were drinking straight vodka and became very intoxicated. He said he She attempted to revive helped put the pair to bed in

> Moss said at the time she knew her son drank alcohol and would rather he drink at home.

Moore, Moss and Moss' son were later detained on a traffic stop in Lexington after Moss failed to keep an appointment for a follow-up interview with detectives.

In the pickup with them were man outside the liquor store several changes of clothing,

Peggy Cook event

Honored with goodby reception

Longtime Purcell Public branch to move into a new role Peggy Cook will be honored the library.

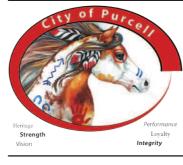
The come-and-go event

Cook is leaving the Purcell on Tuesday.

Library Branch Manager with Pioneer Library System.

She will be the new regional at a reception next week at coordinator and will be working in Shawnee.

Replacing Cook as branch is scheduled for 2 to 4 p.m. manager in Purcell is Rebekah Lynam, who began work here



from the City of Purcell

Community Service

In this type of alternative sentence, a judge orders a criminal offender to perform work on behalf of the community in exchange for a complete or partial reduction of fines and/ or incarceration.

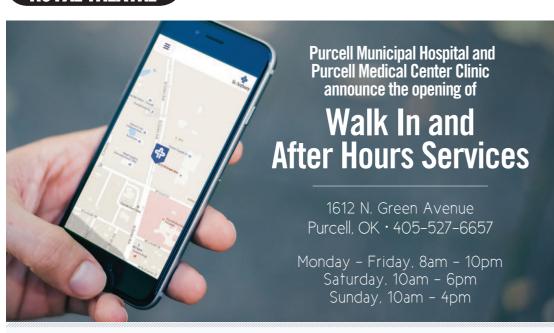
Court ordered community service often accompanies some other form of alternative sentence such as suspended sentences, probation, fines, deferred adjudication or pretrial diversion. The theory behind court

ordered community service is that mandating minor offenders

to perform community service offers more benefits to society than incarceration of those of-

The community benefits from the work that the offender performs and avoids the cost of incarceration while the offender benefits from a lesser sentence and, it is hoped, is rehabilitated, educated and enriched through the work they perform.

If you are in need of community service, contact the City of Purcell's Code Enforcement office, 230 W. Main, in Purcell. Contact Teddy Boles, Monty Skaggs or James New at 527-4656. Our office is located at the west side of City Hall. Follow the ramp up to the door, our office is in that entrance.



Congressional visit

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employed at Lexington Nursing Home Inc., since June 2012. She started out as a dietary aide

and now is the head cook. She enjoys cooking for the residents and making sure their meals are palatable and delicious.

Melissa makes slamming breakfast gravy, from scratch at that! This gravy has been in her family since the start of this business 60 years ago. She enjoys working with her coworkers in the kitchen and interacting with the residents.

Family is very important to Melissa and she enjoys her time

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NEWS In Brief

Chamber

Luncheon

The August Heart of Oklahoma Chamber of Commerce luncheon will be held Friday, August 25, at 12 p.m. at Rodney's Pizza Place in Purcell.

Join us at the luncheon to discover all the amazing ways being a Chamber Heart Beat Ambassador can help your business and our community.

Cost for the luncheon is \$10.

RSVP to the chamber if you plan to attend at 527-

Pie and

Cake Auction

The McClain County 4-H Pie & Cake Auction will be held Thursday, August 24, at 6p.m. at the McClain County Farm Home Building, 1721 Hardcastle Blvd., in Purcell.

All proceeds support Mc-Clain County 4-H programs such as 4-H Summer Camp, State 4-H Roundup and many national 4-H trips.

All goods will be homemade and represent the best McClain County has to offer. Come pick up a blue ribbon baked good and support your local 4-H program!

Family Fun Day

The JFA Academy in Purcell will be holding a Family Fun Day Saturday, August 26, from 1-4 p.m. at 414 S. Green Ave.

The day will include food, a bounce house, drawings, an anti bully clinic and demonstrations by the Academy's leadership team.

For more information call 921-0223.

Reception for

Peggy Cook

The Purcell Public Library invites the community to a reception for longtime Branch Manager Peggy Cook, who is leaving that position to move into a new role with the Pioneer Library System.

The reception will be from 2 to 4 p.m. Thursday, August 31. It's a come-and-go event and will feature coffee, tea and snacks, and most of all the chance to wish Peggy well in her upcoming role as Regional Coordinator for the library system.

For more information, contact the library at 527-5546.

Loose Caboose

The Loose Caboose Antique and Craft Festival is Saturday, September 2, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in downtown Purcell.

Come downtown and see beautiful antiques and handmade items.

Also on tap will be Made in Oklahoma items, food booths, live music and local artists

Museum News

The McClain County Museum and Historical Society will be open Friday, August 25, from 9:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Contact the museum at mcmuseum@mail.com,call (405) 701-3171 or Facebook to schedule an alternate time to visit or to purchase an historic Purcell poster.

Lex Senior

Citizens Lunch

The Lexington senior citizens serve lunch from 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. on Wednesdays and Thursdays for a \$6 donation. To-go orders are \$7.

The lunch is open to the public and home cooked and served by the Lexington Senior Citizens.

The Lexington Community Center is located at 131 S. Main.

Purcell

NA Group

Purcell New Beginnings Group of Narcotics Anonymous meets Wednesdays at 7 p.m. for Living Clean and Fridays at 7 p.m. for Basic

The group meets at the 7th and Monroe Church of Christ in Purcell.

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



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Capturing the moment

Aaron Spencer, fifth grade math teacher at Purcell Intermediate School, borrowed a unique eclipse viewing box from Jonathan Minor to get a glimpse of Monday's eclipse.

OSU Extension News



Crape myrtle bark scale confirmed in McClain County

Wes Lee

Extension Ag Educator

Crape myrtle bark scale (CMBS), Acanthococcus lagerstroemiae, an exotic insect pest from Asia, continues to wreak havoc on crape myrtles planted in ornamental landscapes across Oklahoma.

First detected in northern Texas in 2004, CMBS is spreading throughout much of the southern U.S. This scale pest has been documented in ten Oklahoma Counties including Bryan, Canadian, Carter, Cleveland, Comanche, Marshall, Oklahoma, Payne, Pushmataha, and Tulsa.

As of last week, that count has now increased to 11 as a confirmed sample was collected in McClain County.

Crape myrtle is one of the ost popular landscape plants throughout the southern U.S. Crape myrtle bark scale diminishes the appearance of infested trees and shrubs by depositing honeydew on the branches and foliage, which encourages the presence of scale bodies, black growth of black sooty mold.

Although CMBS is not fatal to affected crape myrtles, infested plants exhibit inferior aesthetic quality due to the

sooty mold, and a reduction in flower size and quantity. While

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Skywatchers

a single vehicle wreck on May

Danny K. Rounsavall, 27, of

internal, leg and arm injuries.

ported Rounsavall was driving

fast for the road type.

Avenue in Dibble.

Two fifth graders at Purcell Intermediate School took advantage of the opportunity to see at least part of Monday's eclipse with their own eyes.

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Rollover wreck Driver ejected, critically injured A Texas man was criti-Rounsavall failed to negoti-**METAL ROOFS FOR THE** cally injured early Tuesday in ate a left curve and the pickup

overturning twice.

ran off the right side of the road,

Rounsavall was ejected ap-Larue, Texas, sustained head, proximately 31 feet.

The wreck occurred a half-Oklahoma Highway Patrol mile north of 150th Street at Trooper John Anderson reapproximately 5:37 a.m.

The injured man was trans-

a 2004 Dodge pickup northbound and was traveling too Please see **Wreck**, page 13A

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Eclipse good for country

It's odd what can pull America together right on the heels of one of the worst race situations in recent history.

After the country was so divided last week over the near riots on both sides of the fence in Charlottesville, VA, along came a eclipse.

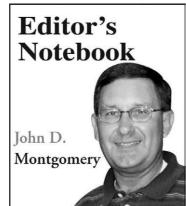
That simple moon, sun and earth lining up to cause a partial eclipse in our area and total in some areas was shared on all sides Monday.

My brother-in-law Richard Evans is visiting in Massachusetts and was unable to acquire it like the folks in Kansas City the special glasses to view the eclipse.

No problem.

The guy or girl next to him America in 2024. readily gave up their pair for him to take a glance at the cosmic situation.

People in the Heart of Oklahoma were doing the same as they were from the west coast and from the tip of Texas up ing. to the Canadian border.



For those of you who missed due to thunderstorms, fear not for there is another one that will come across the skies in

Someone said they were not that excited about the event until they actually peered through the protective lenses and saw the eclipse underway.

She like most everyone else to Gracie's brother in Boston found it exciting and interest-

One of the funniest reac- moon very long.

tions to the eclipse was the meteorologist in Chicago, Tom Skilling, who was brought to tears and couldn't complete his news cast.

The eclipse was neither red or blue, black or white. It didn't have a side to take other than everyone who viewed it in awe.

It hasn't been mentioned by newscasters but there was a total or very near total eclipse in Hobart back in the 1960s.

I know because I was running around in the front yard of my parents house in Hobart in the dark in the middle of the afternoon.

We had no special glasses, maybe a piece of cardboard with a hole punched in it but nothing special.

We seemed to make it just fine...just like folks in our country did Monday.

I only personally saw one individual try to look at the eclipse without any eye wear. He didn't look at the sun and

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Your Views

Slow mail costs money

Most people get mail every day, Monday through Saturday. But what happens when the mail comes later than we expect?

We found out a few years ago, when the Postmaster General had to take away overnight First-Class and Periodicals mail from most of the nation. That caused a problem for a lot of consumers and businesses. Now, we may be facing a new slowdown, if something isn't done by Congress very soon.

Who needs the mail, some people ask? We have the Internet now. But a lot happens in the mail, and a lot goes wrong when it is late. To begin with, mail is the backbone for about \$1.3 trillion in jobs, products and services. And then there is the personal impact.

People send in their credit card payments at the last minute

when cash is tight. The payment reaches the credit card company late, and credit scores take a beating. That causes loans for cars and houses to get more expensive.

Many people count on the mail for medicines. A missed dosage can mean a trip to the hospital.

Small businesses count on the day's mail to bring in cash from customers. A few days' delay can mean a trip to the bank for a loan. Loans cost money, and put pressure on the business to raise prices.

Some things just can't be emailed. It is hard to send your grandkid's birthday cake overnight by the Internet. Some farm supply houses use the mail to deliver small animals quickly. They certainly can't zap them across broadband, or allow them to die in a post office waiting for a mail truck. And then there are legal documents that have to arrive by certified mail.

Also, I have to mention late newspapers, where sales coupons are missed and public event announcements arrive after the event. Newspapers like this one that rely on the mail for delivery to readers took it on the chin the past few years, with disappointed readers canceling their subscriptions.

We are at another crunch point. The US Postal Service has a \$57 billion deficiency on its balance sheet, most of it caused by Congress. Fixing it may require the Postmaster General to close more post offices and mail sorting plants, eliminate mailhauling truck routes and ground the airmail. The mail would be slowed down even further.

USPS last received a major overhaul by Congress in 2006. The next year, Steve Jobs appeared on a stage with a new gadget called an iPhone. Since then, Congress and the Postmaster General have been grappling with the tough problem of collecting enough postage for a system that must reach ever more mailing addresses in America, but with less mail—though still important mail—to pay for the service. So far, Congress has done nothing but tinker.

This is nothing new. Since the birth of the nation, Congress bogged down many times in finding resources for this essential economic backbone—one of the few government services actually in the Constitution! Usually a slow Congress results in slower mail.

The choices are tough, and Congress is never good at tough choices. Businesses that buy postage cannot afford big increases and will simply find alternatives if the rates are jacked up too much. Consumers cannot afford to pay more for slower mail. USPS wants to protect jobs for its workers.

Of course, USPS is not supported by tax dollars, but by postage. And no tax-payer money should be needed unless Congress lets the system deteriorate further. There is a better choice.

A bill was sent to House Ways and Means Committee last March by the House committee responsible for overseeing the US Postal Service. The bill, HR 756, is now sponsored by Republican Rep. Mark Meadows of North Carolina, and three Democrats: Reps. Elijah Cummings of Maryland; Gerald Connolly of Virginia; and Stephen Lynch of Massachusetts. All are experts on postal matters. That this group, who agree on little else, could come up with a solution says a lot about this bill.

The legislation would require about 77,000 retired postal workers who draw benefits from a federal benefits health fund to use Medicare instead. Medicare taxes were already paid for these workers. The Medicare fund owes these retirees their benefits anyway. It is just that this group has chosen a different benefit for themselves, which they were allowed to do. Now it is time for them to follow the practice of most private sector workers and draw their earned benefits from Medicare instead.

Commercial mailers would have to accept a small postage increase to pay most of the new cost to Medicare. But the benefits to the federal budget and to USPS would be substantial. Overall, the federal deficit would be \$6 billion less if the bill passed.

And the US Postal Service would save about \$30 billion over 10 years. The rest of its red ink would have to erased through new efficiencies, and many steps have already been taken to

News from Capitol Hill

Cole statement on President Trump's strategy in Afghanistan

Congressman Tom Cole

Congressman Tom Cole (OK-04) released the following statement on President Trump's speech regarding the strategy in Afghanistan.

'Monday night's speech by President Trump on Afghanistan was thoughtful, forceful, measured and convincing," said Cole. "The President made it clear that the United States will not allow terrorist groups to prevail in Afghanistan, giving them the ability to plan and launch another 9/11 style attack on the United States.

"The president is following decision arrived at after a thor-

matic advice available. And he is placing his confidence in our armed forces to defeat our enemies and in the American people to persevere until the United States has achieved its objectives. Neither will disap-

to step up its efforts against full support. terrorists within its borders that target American troops. I also appreciate his outreach to India, an important player in the region.

the best military and diplo- ough review of the costs, the stakes and the consequences of staying in Afghanistan. I am impressed by the process in which the president engaged and by the input of those who worked with him to arrive at this consequential decision.

"It is my hope that Congress "I was especially pleased that will set aside its partisan divithe president called on Pakistan sions and give the president its

"The President has acted in the best interests of the American people. Republicans and Democrats should give him and our troops in the field the "This was a presidential support they need to succeed," concluded Cole.

Healthcare reform

Health care reform has Washington lately, but that's far from the only health care debate taking place in our country. In state capitols across the country, legislators are crafting laws that affect the lives and health care of Americans.

One such issue is allowing advanced practice registered nurses (APRNs) to do the job they are trained to do without struggling under outdated red tape and needless financial burdens. A measure that would have done that, House Bill 1013 by Rep. Josh Cockroft and Sen. AJ Griffin, passed the Oklahoma House of Representatives this year with an overwhelming, bipartisan majority before the bill was stifled in a Senate committee. This summer, I attended

the annual conference of the

American Association of

Nurse Practitioners in Phila-

delphia. There I spoke with

colleagues from across the

nation who work in a variety

of regulatory environments.

dominated the news from District of Columbia grant full practice authority to nurse practitioners and other APRNs. One consistent message I heard from my fellow APRNs, whether they worked in restricted practice states like Oklahoma or full-practice states like New Mexico and Colorado: grassroots involvement is everything.

Oklahoma's current law is redundant. The Oklahoma Board of Nursing regulates our profession. Some APRNs must pay a physician thousands of dollars a year for a "collaborative agreement," even though little or no collaboration or supervision occurs. This limits the number

of APRNs who can work in Oklahoma and creates a financial barrier to opening new clinics or hiring staff, just when Oklahoma is in desperate need of more primary health care providers. This is not a radical idea.

In fact, 18 of the 25 healthi-

est states, as ranked by the

United Health Foundation,

Twenty-two states and the grant APRNs full practice authority.

We can have the same access to quality health care in Oklahoma, but it requires patients telling their stories to legislators and Oklahomans calling elected officials to demand more consumer choice.

APRNs have been working to educate lawmakers and the public on this issue. The House vote this past legislative session shows that those efforts are succeeding, but we cannot do it alone. This is an issue that affects all Oklahomans - rural, urban and suburban — and improved access to health care will benefit us all. Better health care policy

doesn't begin in Washington, D.C. It starts when people from across the state call their state legislators and ask them to support common sense measures that will improve the health and the lives of all Oklahomans. Margaret Rosales,

APRN-CNP, AGACNP president-elect of the **Association of Oklahoma**

Please see Mail, page 5A

MOVIES WITH DAVE

Lots of movies this week, follows them everywhere. including a prerelease showing of "Leap!" which opens in theaters this weekend.

public service announcement.

Please, I urge you, put away your cell phone while watching a movie at the theater.

This week alone I had two showings where at least one person was constantly checking their phone and texting.

I don't care how low you turn your brightness down, I don't care how bored you are or how important these messages are to you. Your phone is a radiant, distracting beacon in an otherwise dark theater and your actions are hurting the theater going experience more than overpriced popcorn or sticky floors could ever dream of.

Leaving your phone on vibrate is fine, especially if you have a job that requires you to be on call. Getting up and leavphone call or emergency is perfectly reasonable. Checking Facebook isn't though.

whatever reason incapable of going without a cellphone in hand for two hours straight, and simple.

Alright, now that I've got I saw this week.



First up is "Logan Lucky.' After losing his con-

struction job, Jimmy Logan (Channing Tatum) de-

vises a complicated heist to rob the Charlotte Motor Speedway during one of their busiest weekends.

Joining Jimmy in his intricate scheme is his one-armed brother Clyde (Adam Driver), his flirtatious sister Mellie (Riley Keough) and convicted explosives expert Joe Bang (Daniel Craig).

Well if nothing else I got to give this movie credit for a creative premise. Usually heist movies stick to robbing banks or casinos. Stealing from NAS-CAR is definitely a creative twist on the genre.

And while the movie didn't quite have me sold at first, I time with it overall.

Besides its country setting, the major difference between this movie and other heist films is the movie doesn't go out of it's way to explain every single miniscule detail of the heist plot.

Don't let the country accents fool you, there is a lot going on in this movie and if you don't pay attention you're liable to end up very confused, very quickly.

I thought I was being pretty observant, but even I felt a little lost in the first half of the movie. It didn't help that almost all the characters spoke in a thick southern drawl I couldn't make Reynolds and Samuel L. Jackout half the time.

Luckily things start making more sense towards the end and the film makes for a very rewarding experience overall. Plus, I imagine the complexity adds to the movie's rewatchability.

I know I'd like to check out this film again when it releases to home video, if nothing else to watch with subtitles on and read what I couldn't understand the first time.

The one part of the story that didn't feel as fleshed out to me ing one or two scenes in the was actually with the Logan family itself. Throughout the movie different characters occasionally bring up how unlucky the Logan family is clients? Anything to set up their and how bad luck seemingly rivalry?

Only problem is they don't really show them being unlucky in the movie, they just talk But first I have a bit of a about it. It feels like everyone's in on a joke the whole film and no one ever clues us in on it.

Maybe one of the lines I couldn't understand explained everything, but to me the Logans seemed just about as lucky or unlucky as anyone else.

Whatever, it's not a huge

I have to say, for all this film's complicated story elements, it also had some pretty charming

Channing Tatum makes for a fairly convincing country boy turned thief. I especially love the moments with him and his daughter Sadie (Farrah Mackenzie). The two have great chemistry and their relationship was one of the most endearing parts of the entire film.

The more roles I see Adam ing the theater for an important Driver in, the more I like him. I didn't even know he existed before "Star Wars: The Force Awakens," but after this movie It's simple, if you are for and last year's "Silence" he's becoming one of my favorite actors. Plus, it turns out he's pretty dang good at humor you should not be watching too. The guy has some of the movies in the theaters. Plain funniest comedic moments in the whole film.

And I can't help but menthat off my chest, here's what tion Daniel Craig. Hearing a southern twang coming from a man best known for playing a British secret agent is a novelty in itself.

> Idon't know what else to say. For better or worse, "Logan Lucky" isn't your typical heist

> It's smart, it doesn't spoon feed you the story, and it doesn't insult your intelligence by over explaining everything. At the same time if you aren't giving this film your full attention, it can be very easy to get lost.

> Basically, as long as you don't go into this movie expecting a brainless popcorn flick, I think you'll have a good time.

"Logan Lucky" is rated PG-13.



Bryce (Ryan Reynolds), the world's top protection agent,

ended up having a pretty fun is tasked with delivering a client to testify in court and help bring down a ruthless European dictator (Gary Oldman).

That client though just so happens to be Darius Kincaid (Samuel L. Jackson), the fulfilling her dream of beworld's greatest hitman and Bryce's greatest rival.

To survive, the two must put aside their differences and work together if they have any hope of making their scheduled court date.

Wasted potential. That's what the title of this movie should be.

It's a shame too, because on the surface this film seems to have everything going for it.

A buddy comedy with Ryan son? What's not to love?

But despite some great casting, this movie suffers from terrible writing and subpar storytelling in general.

You know how Reynolds and Jackson are supposed to be big time rivals? So much so that the two feel the need to murder each other on first sight? Yeah, this film doesn't show any of that. Or at least by the time it does, we're already halfway through the movie.

They couldn't bother showbeginning with the pair going about their day jobs? Maybe a quick montage of Jackson attempting to take out Reynolds's

Nope, all we get the first time they're together on screen is a quick fight and some dialog explaining how much they hate each.

What a huge missed opportunity.

But beyond the overall storytelling, the writing, the actual dialog for anything involving interpersonal relationships is complete garbage. It's all high school level rubbish. Lines like 'you should just tell her how you feel." They couldn't have been more generic if they tried.

The action is fine. It's nothing to write home about, but it serves the film well enough. There is a lot of blood, but it's mostly all computer generated and not terribly realistic looking. Fine by me considering this is an action/comedy.

The movie does have one saving grace though. It has fantastic casting.

Reynolds and Jackson are as entertaining as you'd expect them to be. Both are completely in their element and the two of them have plenty of genuine hilarious moments.

Gary Oldman somehow feels natural in just about every role he's cast as, and this movie's no exception. At this point I'm convinced the man can personify just about any character he sets his mind to.

Another highlight was Salma Hayek who plays Jackson's wife. Despite little screen time, she stole the show just about every time she showed up. Plus her dialog felt like a complete crash course in Spanish curses, so it's like I learned something at the same time.

These performances alone take what would have been a boring, generic action film and turns it into an overall entertaining movie.

It could have been so much more though.

I can't help but wonder what this movie could have been like with competent writing and storytelling. Oh well.

I suppose if you're willing to completely turn off your brain, you'll probably enjoy yourself Next I saw with this movie. But for me The Hit- though, I can't help but only man's Body- see wasted potential.

Michael is rated R.



Third this week, I had the opportunity to catch an early previewofanew animated movie called 'Leap!" Hoping to

coming a ballerina, Félicie (Elle Fanning), an 11-year-old orphan girl from rural France, escapes her orphanage with the help of her young inventor friend Victor (Nat Wolff) and runs away to Paris in pursuit of her passion.

I have to say, this movie is quite the experience.

It's produced by an animation studio located in Québec, Canada so it's pretty unique in that regard. Can't say I've seen many French Canadian cartoons.

Not to worry though, you won't have to learn French if you decide to watch this film, as all the dialog is in English.

And that leads me to my first, and biggest complaint with this movie. The voice acting in this film is atrocious.

I'm not joking, I swear this movie has some of poorest voice acting I've ever heard in an animated film.

Nothing about it is done well. For one the lip sync is completely off. While watching this movie, I was convinced it was originally voiced in a different

Please see **Dave**, page 11A

Stirring Things Up Lennox Valley,

Welcome to

my hometown!

my hometown. Near the top of almost

my own, would be "religious."

The Good Folks

of Lennox Valley

There are countless adjectives to describe

anyone's list of Valley descriptions, including

Talk to any old-timer about memorable

memories rise to the top. In the 1930s, a female

Pentecostal minister came through town as part

of a "Holy Ghost Revival." The evangelist, it was

told, dressed in a police uniform, sat in the saddle of a police motorcycle and blew the siren over

engine made a deafening roar as she drove across

More recently, most remember Todd Cecil's

and over. According to the story, the motorcycle

the access ramp to the pulpit, slammed on the

brakes, then raised a white gloved hand as she

shouted, "Stop! You're speeding to Hell!"

visit to Lennox Valley in 1998. It was rare

a celebrity made it to my hometown, but it

happened twice in 1998 when both Cecil, a

famous TV evangelist from Missouri, and

Smith arrived, perhaps topping the all-time

list of momentous events in the life of Valley

know how to stir things up.

abolition, and women's rights

so prevalent in Lennox Valley.

churches. Let's face it, those Methodists - with

their reputation for peace and composure – sure

Theologians and historians refer to three

main periods of "Great Awakening" in American

religious history. The first was ushered in by the

great British evangelist George Whitefield, when

he arrived in the early 1700s to spread the gospel

The second "Great Awakening" occurred in the first half of the 19th century, resulting in

several reform movements such as temperance,

The third "Great Awakening," which took

marked with the creation of several denomina-

As Clarence Southerland once wrote in a

letter to the editor of Hometown News when

rumor spread a non-denominational church

might be coming to town, "We've got enough

religion in the Valley. If you can't find what

you're looking for in the Baptist, Methodist,

place in the second half of the same century, was

tions still prevalent today, although they are not

singing sensation Tangi Blevins made appear-

In June of that same year, Rev. Sarah Hyden-

events at area churches, and a few notable

Woman shakes up Sunday service at First Baptist

Lutheran, or Catholic church, then let me urge you to go to some other town to find it. I would suggest America's fourth "Great Awakening" took place in Lennox Valley in 1998. Between Todd Cecil. Sarah Hyden-Smith and the events on Reformation Sunday at First Baptist Church, a lot of what we had become accustomed

to would be changed forever. True enough, Baptists don't usually celebrate Reformation Sunday. That's normally reserved for the Lutherans among us. But as Juliette Stoughton rose from her seat upon hearing Brother Billy Joe Prather offer the invitation to come to the altar as the congregation began singing "Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior," some things would never be the same again.

It was often said Billy Joe's smile was so bright, the reflection lit up the entrance to heaven. His smile was never more radiant than that morning, when he saw Juliette walking toward him down the center aisle. As the congregation sang the final verse of the

hymn, Billy Joe leaned into Juliette so she could "Sister," he said, clasping her hand in the

right hand of Christian fellowship, "are you coming to be baptized? She could barely speak, "Umm. No." Not deterred, Billy Joe continued. "Are you

coming to transfer your membership from

another congregation? "No," she muttered, "I'm not."

"Then you're coming to reaffirm your faith?" asked Brother Billy Joe, beginning to run out of "No, not that, either," Juliette stuttered.

"Tell me, Sister," Billy Joe asked as his smile dimmed just a little, "What can I do for you?" Some say it was divine providence. Others call it a coincidence. But at the very moment

Juliette raised her voice so Billy Joe could hear

her speak, the hymn concluded and silence came over the church. "I want to sign up for the men's breakfast and turkey shoot," she shouted, not realizing

everyone could hear her. Iris Long had made the mistake of attending the Lutheran church that fateful morning, thinking Raymond Cooper was up to something newsworthy. Who knew the events at Lennox Valley Lutheran Church would soon be overshadowed by Juliette's assault on one of the most hallowed annual events in our community?

For once, Brother Billy Joe was momentarily speechless

Watch for "Lennox Valley: The Book," available at most booksellers June 1

OSU Extension News

Empty nest can be full of promise

Leilana McKindra **Communications Specialist**

What's next?

That is the looming question many Oklahoma families will face this fall when they usher the youngest child out of the house and, in a moment of hand-wringing fear and giddy excitement, officially empty the proverbial nest

After the birth of children, the second major adjustment for many marriages comes when those children are grown up enough to leave the home, said Ron Cox, associate professor and Oklahoma State University Cooperative Extension marriage and family specialist.

"After a couple spends 20 years raising their kids, they often find that they don't really know each other anymore once it's just the two of them again," Cox said. "It can be very difficult for parents when the last child leaves home."

Ensuring their children's well-being is a full-time job for parents, which is why research shows that on average marital quality takes a bit of a hit when kids come along.

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find those, without creating slower mail. All that needs to happen is for House Speaker Paul Ryan to put the bill up for a successful vote before it is too late.

If you are concerned about losing more mail service, particularly in rural America, the way to protect it is to contact your Representative and ask for a big push for HR 756 in September. www.house.gov will take you to a message page for your Member of Congress.

Matthew Paxton IV, publisher of The News-Gazette, Lexington, Va., and **President of the National Newspaper Association**

"The decline in marital dren are ready to strike out on quality is normal, actually, as couples figure out the routine that comes with raising children and maintaining the household," Cox said. "Meanwhile, couples may not spend as much time on their own relationship

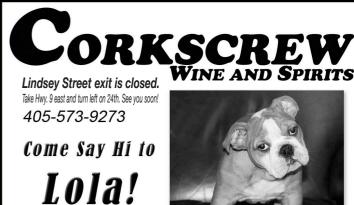
so it frequently gets neglected.' However, once those chil-

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their own, it forces husbands and wives to rethink the mar-

This can be a great opportunity for rediscovery or it could be problematic if a couple feels

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University of Oklahoma School of Dance auditions set for Sunday, August 27

ma School of Dance will hold program. auditions Sunday, August 27, for the Saturday Youth Pro- vanced students have been gram. Classes are offered in chosen to perform in several classical ballet and modern Oklahoma Festival Ballet dance to students ages 10-18, taught by School of Dance

The intensive master class series begins September 9 and fall semester tuition is \$180.

Registration and placement auditions will take place at OU's Fine Arts Center located at 563 Elm Avenue in Norat 1:15 p.m. with audition to follow at 3:30 p.m. for classical ballet students ages 14-18.

An audition fee of \$20 per class will apply; please make checks payable to the University of Oklahoma.

Ladies auditioning in ballet are asked to wear a black leotard and pink tights and bring pink ballet slippers (pointe shoes will be needed for 14-18 year olds only).

Gentlemen should wear a snug fitting white t-shirt, black tights/bike-shorts, and black ballet shoes.

Modern dance students should wear the same uniform as ballet students, with bare feet instead of ballet shoes. All dancers must have their hair neatly secured away from

Several qualifications and specifications apply for those interested in auditioning. Students who are 10-13 years old must have a minimum of two years of training and currently be enrolled in at least two of Dance welcomed Michael

years old must have four year history. Undergraduate years of training and currently and graduate dance majors, be enrolled in at least three along with general education weekly dance classes.

Upon acceptance and enrollment, students are expect- classes per semester. ed to make a commitment to allow individuals to receive completed in 2005.

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In past years select adproductions presented by

the School of Dance. Many students from the Saturday Youth Program have also been accepted to summer concludes November 18. The intensive programs at prestigious dance companies across the country.

The Saturday Youth Program was created over 20 years ago as a community man. Registration will begin outreach effort by Mary Margaret Holt, Dean of the Weitfollow at 2 p.m. for classical zenhoffer Family College of ballet students ages 10-13 and Fine Arts. Current coordinamodern dance students ages tor of the program and OU 14-18. Registration will begin faculty member Rebecca at 2:45 p.m. with audition to Herrin believes the program is a wonderful supplement for local students who are serious about dance training.

> "We find that students enrolled in the Saturday Youth Class demonstrate notable progress due to the opportunity to supplement their local classes by working with other dedicated young dancers in an atmosphere that is disciplined, challenging and exciting," stated Herrin.

> For more information regarding the Saturday Youth Program please contact the School of Dance at 325-4051 or dance@ou.edu.

The University of Oklahoma's program in dance was founded in 1963 by Yvonne Choteau and Miguel Terekhov, former principal dancers with Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo. What had been a department became the School of Dance in 1998, with Mary Margaret Holt as Director.

In July 2017, the School Bearden as the school's third Students who are 14-18 director in the program's 54 students, total approximately 1000 enrollees in dance

The School of Dance's attend Saturday Youth classes state-of-the-art facility in regularly, since this will fur- the Donald W. Reynolds ther develop technique and Performing Arts Center was



Pauls Valley Opry

Tanner Young will be performing at the Pauls Valley Opry on Saturday, September 2. Other guests include Becca Herrod, John David Smith, Emily Shannon, Terry Wilson and Mary McDonald. The show begins at 6:30 p.m. at the Pauls Valley High School auditorium.

Open auditions for The Oklahoma Nutcracker to be held August 27

The Norman Ballet Company Ballet Company members and area dancers and performers for the 2017 production of on Sunday, August 27, at the Kovich School of Ballet, 1312 South Berry Road, in Norman.

The audition is open to all area dancers ages seven and older. The audition for NBC company dancers and apprentices, ages 12 and up, will also be held that day. Dancers from all studios are welcome.

Auditioning dancers must reserve a space in the audition by contacting Norman Ballet Kovich at admin@normanballetcompany.com.

The dancer's birth date and other pertinent information will be sent via e-mail once submitted.

Requests for audition reservations must be received no later than 5 p.m. on Friday, August 25. All dancers must reserve an audition time.

There is a \$10 audition fee per dancer payable by check, money order debit or credit card. Cash cannot be accepted.

Children ages seven years (birth date no later than 12-1-10) and older are eligible to audition for roles as Party Scene Children, Battle Scene Mice & Soldiers, Rose Rock Princesses, and Baby Armadillos, as well as other auxiliary dancing roles in Act II.

Dancers 12 and older may audition for positions as Norman 620-7756.

will be holding auditions for apprentices, as well as for additional roles in the production. Roles for older dancers include The Oklahoma Nutcracker, Party Scene, Angels, Act II variations, solo and corps de ballet roles in the Snow Scene and Waltz of the Flowers.

Dancers are selected according to size, musicality, expression, ability to follow directions and ballet skills and technique. Dancers must be available for all rehearsals for their role.

Actors/ stage performers with dance skills are also needed for roles as the Nutcracker Prince, Mouse King, Parents in Artistic Director, Marjorie the Party Scene and other Act I acting roles.

Girls attire: black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet shoes. height must be included in the Bring pointe shoes if applirequest. The dancer's audition cable. Boys attire: white t-shirt, time, application form, and shorts or black tights, ballet shoes or heavy socks.

The Oklahoma Nutcracker the audition request has been has performed to sold-out audiences since its premiere in 2002 and become a holiday tradition for families statewide. Professional guest artists will perform the roles of the Sand Plum Fairy & her Prince.

The Oklahoma Nutcracker will be performed on Sunday, November 26, at 3 p.m. at the Nancy O'Brian Center for the Performing Arts in Norman.

The 2017 Oklahoma Nutcracker is made possible, in part, by a grant from the Norman Arts Council Hotel Tax Grant Program.

For additional information contact the Norman Ballet Company at admin@normanballetcompany.com or call

It's a Small World

A special happy birthday to The Register's own Rebecca

Rebecca celebrates her birthday Saturday, August 26.

Happy birthday to Brian Ashbridge, Dusty Ricks, Christy Powell, Kay Bunn, Haydin Buterbaugh, Brittany Mayes, Steven Perry, Shandy Nemecek, Patrick Kozik, Garrett Galyean, Betty Little, Stanzi Gibson, Bernita Wilson, Amanda Powell, Allison Schlotthauer, Fran Ray, Nichole Ray, Terry Ellis, Hoss Frasier, Bobby Pendley, Cesar Suarez, Debbie Davis, Ralph Crampton, Allison Anderson, Bob Powell, Phyllis Bennett and Don Ratliff.

It's football season!

All four of our Heart of Oklahoma area teams, Purcell, Wayne, Washington and Lexington, begin their seasons Friday, August 25.

Our annual football preview magazine is in this week's Register.

Be sure and check it out!

The McClain County 4-H Pie & Cake Auction will be held Thursday, August 24, at 6 p.m. at the McClain County Farm Home Building, 1721 Hardcastle Blvd., in Purcell.

All proceeds support Mc-Clain County 4-H programs such as 4-H Summer Camp, 1 cup cooked and crumbled State 4-H Roundup and many national 4-H trips.

All goods will be homemade and represent the best McClain County has to offer. Come pick up a blue ribbon baked good and support your local 4-H

Children's Education Day at the McClain County Fair will be held Friday, August 25, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

The Maker Mobile will be set up and showing children from For more information call the

library at 527-5646.

The Loose Caboose Antique and Craft Festival is Saturday, September 2, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in downtown Purcell.

Come downtown and see beautiful antiques and handmade items.

Also on tap will be Made in Oklahoma items, food booths, live music and local artists

The Purcell Kiwanis are hosting a shoe drive. Donate a new pair of shoes for local students in need from pre-kindergarten through 12th grade.

Drop-offs are accepted at the Heart of Oklahoma Chamber of Commerce office, Rodney's Pizza and at McClain Bank.

Shoes will be made available to students enrolled in Purcell, Washington and Wayne Schools.

For more information contact Kiwanis by message on Facebook: HeartOfOKKiwanis.

The Purcell Register will be closed on Monday, September 4, in observance of Labor Day.

The office will be open at 8 a.m. Tuesday and regular deadlines of 11 a.m. will apply.

I was reading the book "Hissy Fit" by Mary Kay Andrews and it featured a recipe that looked so good. Lo and behold, when I finished the book there was the recipe at the end! **Grits n' Greens Casserole**

2 cups whipping cream or half and half 8 cups chicken broth, divided

2 cups grits, not instant or quick cooking 1 lg. bag frozen collard greens

2 sticks butter 2-1/2 cups parmesan cheese

1/2 tsp. fresh ground pepper

Grease 13x9 casserole.

Combine cream and 6 cups chicken broth and bring to a boil. Stir in grits and cook over medium heat until grits return to a boil, cover, reduce heat to simmer, and stir frequently to keep from burning, 25-30 minures. Add milk if needed to thicken to proper consistency.

If you're Southern, you know what that is, if not, think of slightly runny oatmeal.

While grits are simmering all over the county new and cook frozen collards with reinteresting maker technologies. maining 2 cups of chicken broth until tender, about 10 minutes. Drain well in colander, squeezing out remaining liquid. Add butter, parmesan, and pepper to cooked grits, and stir till butter is melted.

> Stir in cooked greens, and spoon into greased casserole. Top with additional parmesan, and crumbled bacon. Dish can be served at room temperature, or heated in 350° oven until browned on top.

Physician Assistant students can receive financial aid

If you are a physician assistant student, accepted into an accredited Physician Assistant Training Program, the Oklahoma Physician Assistant Scholarship Program can provide financial assistance.

The amount of the scholarship is \$1,000 for each month of training.

This is a service obligation scholarship where a physician assistant agrees to practice in a qualified rural community; scholarship was received.

The focus is on Primary Care: family practice, general internal medicine, pediatrics, obstetrics/gynecology, emergency medicine.

Eligibility requirements:

 Must be a resident of Oklahoma:

 Have no other assistance which has a conflicting service obligation.

An application and further information is available on the web page of the Physician one month for each month the Manpower Training Commission; www.pmtc.ok.gov.

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PURCELL SCHOOL **MENU**

Week of August 28 **MONDAY BREAKFAST**

Toast, breakfast scramble, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

green beans, breadstick, fruit, fruit, juice, milk. salad bar, milk.

TUESDAY BREAKFAST

Waffle with toppings, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Orange chicken, fried rice, steamed broccoli, fruit, salad bar, milk.

WEDNESDAY **BREAKFAST**

Pancake on a stick, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

salad bar, milk.

beans, chips and salsa, fruit, milk.

THURSDAY BREAKFAST

Biscuit and gravy, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Barbecue pork loin, mashed potatoes and gravy, roasted carrots, dinner roll, fruit, salad bar, milk.

FRIDAY BREAKFAST

milk

LUNCH

Cheeseburger, tater tots, fruit, salad bar, milk.

WAYNE SCHOOL MENU Week of August 28 **MONDAY**

BREAKFAST Cereal, fruit, juice, milk. **LUNCH**

chips, mixed vegetables, ro-Spaghetti with meat sauce, maine lettuce, tomato, mixed

TUESDAY

Cereal, fruit, juice, milk. **LUNCH**

Spaghetti, green beans, garlic cheese biscuit, cinnamon sauce, fruit juice, milk. apples, juice, milk.

BREAKFAST

WEDNESDAY **BREAKFAST**

Pancake on a stick, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Barbecue pulled pork sandwich, roasted potatoes, cole-Nacho bar, beef, queso, chili slaw, sliced peaches, juice, juice, milk.

THURSDAY BREAKFAST

Cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Frito chili pie, corn, chopped spinach, Oreos, rosy applesauce, juice, milk.

FRIDAY

BREAKFAST

Cereal, fruit, juice, milk. **LUNCH**

Hot ham and cheese sand-Doughnut, cereal, fruit, juice, wich, whole grain chips, barbecue beans, fresh fruit, juice,

Join Fitness with Friends exercise class

The public is invited to join or improve mobility, muscle the "Fitness with Friends" weekly exercise class, hosted tional ability. by McClain County OSU Extension.

McClain County Farm/Home by the Arthritis Foundation. Building, 1721 Hardcastle Blvd., in Purcell.

The class is a low-impact all of the classes. exercise program of minimal to moderate intensity. It OSU Extension office at 527is designed specifically for 2174 or email mickey.simppeople who need to maintain son@okstate.edu.

strength, balance and func-

Each class will include a variety of exercises, many of The class meets each which are performed while sit-Wednesday morning from ting and some while standing. 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the The curriculum used is certified

There is no fee and participants are not required to attend

To register, please call the

American Legion Membership Drive

American Legion Post 301 community. is renewing memberships for 2018 and accepting new members.

are eligible for American Leare currently \$45.

The American Legion protheir family, works to ensure provides services to Lexington, current and past veterans are honored and remembered, and promotes patriotism within the Please see **Legion**, page 10A

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Examples include placement of flags at local cemeteries, scholarships to Boys and Girls Veterans that served on active State, Leadership Awards for duty during a wartime period a Senior Boy and Girl, and an Oratorical contest focusing gion membership. Annual dues on public speaking and the constitution.

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BREAKFAST Whole grain cereal, breakfast Steak sandwich, whole grain crackers, orange, fruit juice,

LEXINGTON **SCHOOL MENU**

Week of August 28

MONDAY

LUNCH

Steak fingers, cheezy potatoes, green beans, apple wedges, hot roll, milk.

TUESDAY

BREAKFAST Breakfast stick, syrup, apple-

LUNCH

Chicken sandwich, french fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, mixed fruit, milk.

WEDNESDAY **BREAKFAST**

Whole grain cereal, cinnamon toast, mixed fruit, fruit

LUNCH

Beef and cheese burrito, pinto beans, Mexican corn, lettuce and tomato, orange smiles, milk.

THURSDAY BREAKFAST

Whole grain biscuit, gravy, fruit juice, grapes, milk. **LUNCH**

Pizza, cucumber salad, fresh broccoli, English peas, pineapple tidbits, milk.

BREAKFAST Whole grain cereal, whole

FRIDAY

grain pop tart, apple, fruit juice, milk. **LUNCH**

Corndog, tater tots, pork and beans, coleslaw, peaches, milk.

AUGUST SALES TAX REPORT



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Dibble	.05	\$20,292.24	\$31,061.14	-\$10,788.90
Goldsby	.035	\$122,048.43	\$111,454.22	+\$10,594.21
Lexington	.04	\$35,326.26	\$39,962.94	-\$4,636.68
Lindsay	.04	\$402,588.81	\$191,771.28	+\$213,817.53
Maysville	.04	\$28,599.54	\$27,062.19	+\$1,537.35
Newcastle	.04	\$461,424.85	\$478,048.30	-\$16,623.45
Noble	.04	\$128,185.58	\$117,219.28	+\$10,966.30
Norman	.04	\$5,890,755.95	\$6,050,999.05	-\$160,243.10
Paoli	.03	\$4,881.15	\$3,103.15	+\$1,778.00
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Roller coaster ride continues

This month the Oklahoma to cities and towns came to 30 and extimated sales from Tax Commission returned \$150,161,816 in sales taxes to municipalities and an additional \$27,198,200 to counties.

\$13,686,524.

Use tax revenues returned to counties was \$2,666,566. The disbursements were

The use tax disbursement based on sales from June 16-

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Rut city

After Mike Savage had the grass at Conger Field in pristine shape, a new digital score board was installed causing headaches for the ground crewman. Savage reported the deep ruts caused by the heavy duty trucks took 12 tons of sand to fill. He is hopeful the sand will grass over soon. The good news? The scoreboard is all digital and has no light bulbs that will have to be replaced.



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Only at Conger Field

Ground crew chief Mike Savage said he doubts there is any other football field in the state that requires mowing the stands. "I've been doing this for 10 years and have just about gotten rid of all the stickers," Savage joked.



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Strange shadows

With the solar eclipse in full bloom last Monday, the Magnolia tree at the McClain County Courthouse gave off interesting shadows showing the shape of the sun as the moon partially covered it in central Oklahoma.



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At one with moon and sun

The beginning of the eclipse enthralled this Purcell Intermediate School student.



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They came, they saw

Fifth graders at Purcell Intermediate School filled the south lawn as they turned their attention

to the sun and moon during Monday's eclipse.



Sculpture presentation

On hand for the sculpture presentation of "Inspiration of the Storyteller" were (from left) Chuck Thompson, Gov. Bill Anoatubby, Mary Margaret Holt and Paul Moore.

OU College of Fine Arts recognizes Chickasaw Nation support

presented to the Chickasaw Nation for their support of the OU Weitzenhoffer Family College Thompson "Te Ata" Fisher of Fine Arts.

served as the Arts! Arts! Arts! presenting sponsor four out of the past five years and has made saw Nation whose one-woman generous donations to support interpretations of American OU student artists.

In a recent visit with Chickasaw Nation Gov. Bill Anoatubby; Mary Margaret Holt, college dean; Moore; and Chuck Thompson, Republic Bank, president, CEO, and Arts! Arts! Arts! fundraising co-chair, presented the sculp- ryteller is a beautiful piece of this special partnership!" she

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the surrounding areas.

The Post was revitalized

Chickasaw Nation.

The sculpture depicts Mary The Chickasaw Nation has means "bearer of the dawn," an award-winning storyteller and trained actress of the Chicka-Indian folklore earned her national and international acclaim throughout her 70-year career.

Anoatubby immediately recognized the subject of the sculpture and warmly accepted the gift on behalf of the tribe.

"The Inspiration of the Stoture, titled, "Inspiration of the art and a wonderful depiction of concluded.

Commander in 2017.

A bronze sculpture by Paul Storyteller" a one-of-a-kind Te Ata, Oklahoma's first State Moore, University of Okla- gift of appreciation for the Treasure," Anoatubby said in Luke and Abbi Castle, Castle homa Artist-in-Residence, was continued support from the a statement. "This art will be remembered and treasured for years to come," he added.

"We deeply appreciate the (1895-1995), whose name friendship and support of the arts at OU extended by the Chickasaw Nation," said Holt. "Their commitment and confidence in our college allows us to continue to pursue excellence in arts education, performance, design, history, and technology.

"We are most grateful for this significant, continued support through the sponsorship of our signature annual fundraising event, Arts! Arts! Arts! We look forward to the future of

Purcell, Wanette, Wayne and mendation from the National (405) 823-9051, email okpost301@gmail.com or mail For more information, con- to PO Box 484, Lexington, in 2014 and received a com- tact Adjutant Dale Haynes at OK 73051.

The Horseman's Corner





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First place trophy winner

Coralee Castle, Castle Ranch, Wayne, and her horse, Doin What She Likes, topped 111 13-and-under competitors to win the first place trophy in Level 3 Reserve World Champion and Level 3 13-and-Under World Champion in 3-Year-Old Mares. She is shown with (right) her brother, Cash, and parents, Abbi and Luke Castle.

2017 AQHYA World Championship Show Results

The AQHYA Youth World Championship show was held August 4-12 at the Oklahoma City Fairgrounds Arena.

Coralee Castle, daughter of Ranch, Wayne, topped 111 thirteen and under competitors to come home with the first place trophy. Coralee was Level 3 Reserve World Champion and Level 3 13 and Under World Champion in 3-Year-Old Mares. The mare, Doin What She Likes, as well as the 2-Year-Old mare she showed, belonged to her brother, Cash.

Because Cash is in a cast with a badly broken leg, he could not show this year. This was a new award for the show. Coralee (and Cash) received a specially designed trophy, and the achievement appears on the official records of the horse and exhibitor. This year, in addition to the Level 3 and Level 2 placings, the top 3 thirteen and under competitors were recognized within each class in both levels.

Not only was this area very well represented by the youth who placed in their disciplines, Purcell and our surrounding

area were very well represented by the stallions siring some of the horses entered as well as by the breeders of those horses.

The AQHYA Youth World Show is the world's largest single-breed world championship horse show open exclusively to youth exhibitors age 18 and under. This is the pinnacle event for youth competitors around the world who must qualify for the event by earning a predetermined number of points to secure a spot in each of the classes representing English, western and halter disciplines, or earn an invitation through their state or provincial affiliate.

More than 770 AQHYA members and 1,084 horses with a total of 3,347 entries from across the globe competed in this year's show. Exhibitors from the 42 states, two Canadian provinces, Costa Rica and Luxembourg competed for 35 Level 3 world championship titles and 33 Level 2 championships. Economic impact for the show was more than \$10million pumped into the OKC area economy.

In addition to the arena action, there were speech, art and photo contests, as well as a teams competed for a team Castle Ranch, Wayne. spirit award. Oklahoma placed Working Cow Horse - Boxing second in the jeans decorating contest and fashion show.

This is the first year that the show held a Reining Team competition during the Level 3 prelims. This was designed to give youth competitors a taste of a Federation Equestre International-style competition. Because the 2017 FEI Junior and Young Rider Reining World Championships were being held at the same time, August 9-12 in Switzerland, this was an introduction to International FEI competition.

FEI, founded in 1921, is the governing body for all international equestrian events in dressage, para-equestrian dressage, jumping, eventing, driving and para-equestrian driving, endurance, vaulting and reining. Reining has been recognized by AQHA since 1949, but it wasn't until 200 that Reining became an FEI discipline. Purcell's Doug Milholland was on the first team to show as a demonstration to get reining on the FEI program.

Very highly regarded and attended are the Professional Horsemen's Ride The Pattern Clinics. Professional Horseman and Team Wrangler member, Todd Crawford, Crawford Performance Horses and Stallion Services, Blanchard, multiple world champion in Reining and Working Cow Horse, presented the clinic on Boxing and Working Cow Horse. Crawford showed the audience how he would ride a specific pattern from that show.

A new event held during the AQHYA World Championship show was a \$3000 added 5D Barrel Race. More on that later.

Following are the results for area exhibitors and owners:

2-Year-Old Mares Level 3 (11 entries)—10th, El Antes Secret, shown by Coralee Castle, Wayne, owned by Luke and Abbi Castle, Castle Ranch, Wayne.

3-Year-Old Mares Level 3 (16 entries)-Reserve World Champion and 13 and Under World Champion, Doin What She Likes, shown by Coralee Castle, Wayne, horse judging contest. All youth owned by Luke and Abbi Castle,

> (77 entries, 23 finalists)—8th, Mr Chic Master, owned and shown by Jessee R L Clark, Purcell; 14th, Mister Kat, owned and shown by Jayden Jones, Blanchard.

> Breakaway Roping Level 2 (33 finalists)—28th, Cashflo Of Diamonds, owned and shown by Coralee Castle, Wayne.

Cutting Level 3 (49 entries, 15 finalists)—10th, Sugar Free Smoothie, shown by Carlee Faith Farrell, Newcastle, owned by Thomas Joel Farrell, Newcastle

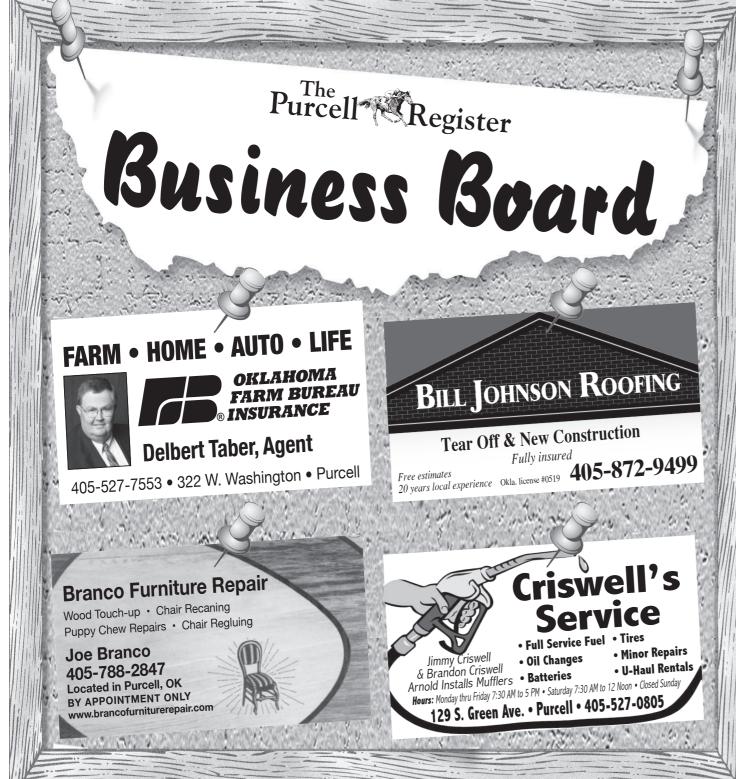
Cutting Level 2 (49 finalists)— 11th, Sugar Free Smoothie, shown by Carlee Faith Farrell, Newcastle, owned by Thomas Joel Farrell, Newcastle; 27th, Really A Reyner, shown by Larae Luis, Wynnewood, owned by ML Training Stables LLC, Wynnewood.

Ranch Riding Level 3 (108 en-

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English, but nope, I watched just bad all around. the French trailer for this film and the voices were somehow even more off.

a fundamental thing?

The other odd thing is this virtually everywhere. Every character's lips, they start rambling about their backstory or telling some stupid joke.

I understand why they did explain things more because a test audience was confused, or maybe an executive thought the movie wasn't funny enough or The two of them almost have something.

mating a bunch of expensive the surface. scenes and costing the small random dialog anytime a character's back is turned.

I'm not exaggerating. The characters in this movie just couldn't get any voice acting never shut up. It's obnoxious. to match.

It doesn't stop there though,

this movie sounded the least bit natural.

actors in this, heck Elle Fanning was my favorite part of last year's "Live by Night,"

language and later dubbed in but the performances here are "Confident." A scene I never Cory Lambert (Jeremy Renner)

This is apparently the first feature film for both of the movie's directors (Éric Sum-I don't understand. What mer and Éric Warin) and boy happened in the production of does it show. They couldn't get this that they failed to do such a single authentic line of dialog out of anyone.

Even involuntary noises film likes to shoehorn dialog like grunts, gasps, screams and laughs sounded incredibly time you aren't able to see a forced. How do you not get grunts right? How?

It's a shame too.

Despite shockingly bad voice acting, the animation in mend people actually go see it. Maybe they felt the need to this movie is actually pretty decent.

I really like the character designs for Félicie and Victor. a sort of Disney feel to them Either way, instead of reani- and look very charming on

I also thought the dancing studio hundreds of man hours, was very well done. I'm no like this film does. they just decide to throw in ballet expert, but the moves looked pretty authentic to me and the dancers all had a certain grace about them. Shame they

While watching I was just the acting itself is also dreadful. about ready to completely None of the performances in give up on this movie, but then something amazing happened.

Near the finale of this disas-I have nothing against the ter, our main character Félicie and her ballerina rival decided to up and have a ballet danceoff, all set to Demi Lovato's

knew I always wanted.

It was amazing. I got chills. Not for the scene itself. The dancing there wasn't particularly impressive. Just the idea, the very concept of ballerinas from the 19th century performing to 2015's "Confident." It was moment so incredible, yet so awful, it blew me away.

That one scene alone made this whole trainwreck worth watching. Or at least it did for me.

That's not to say I recomthis. Far from it. I imagine most children would find this film either very boring or very confusing.

Take your kids to see "The Nut Job 2," heck even "The Emoji Movie" is better. Neither are particularly good, but at least they don't flub the basics

"Leap!" opens in theaters Friday, August 25 and is rated



Finally, l a s t movie I saw this week was "Wind River."

After discovering the dead body of a local

woman, veteran gametracker

teams up with an inexperienced FBI agent (Elizabeth Olsen) in hopes of discovering the cause of the woman's mysterious death, while at the same time battling the elements of this remote and isolated Wyoming indian reservation.

This movie is heartbreaking. It's hard to describe the feelings of isolation and loss this film so wonderfully expresses.

The pain this entire community suffers is palpable through everything. The air is thick with despair and the remoteness is almost like a blight that destroys everyone who lives there.

Doesn't really paint a pleasant picture about living in Wyoming, that's for sure.

Between this movie and

indie film I saw earlier this year, I'm getting a very bleak image of what life is like on indian reservations.

That's just the setting though. The way this film slowly

reveals everything had me hooked from beginning to end, whether it be about the mystery with the woman or learning more about the hurtful past of these broken characters.

In a lot of ways it reminded me of my favorite film last year "Hell or High Water," and sure enough not only do both movies share a writer in Taylor Sheridan, but this time Sheridan's also in the director's chair. I gotta say, after both these two movies I'm becoming a huge fan of his work.

There isn't too much action

"Neither Wolf Nor Dog," an in this film, but that only makes what few scenes there are all the more powerful. Moments of violence come suddenly and without warning, causing more tension than many action films

could ever dream of. And at this movie's heart is Jeremy Renner whose brilliant yet reserved performance perfectly encapsulates the senti-

ment of the entire film. My only complaint is I wish it was longer. This film's 111 minute runtime flew by like it was nothing.

I don't know what else to say. Of all the movies I saw this weekend, this one was by far the most worth my time.

I can't recommended it enough. If you have the time, go check it out.

"Wind River" is rated R.

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they do not know each other anymore.

In fact, there is a small spike in the divorce rate around the 22-year marriage anniversary mark, proving just how difficult it can be to go back to the days before diapers, soccer practices and homework.

However, for many couples the empty nest is a chance to start anew.

One of the ways couples successfully negotiate the transition from full house to empty nest is by finding positive experiences they can share together.

'Maybe you take up a shared hobby, seek out other couples to socialize with or begin planning your retirement home," Cox said. "With the kids gone, you've a lot of time to fill, and it's important to spend most of it doing things you enjoy. As

less demanding, you and your spouse have a chance to start pursuing old dreams or chasing new ones."

Actually, couples do not have to wait for the kids to completely clear out to begin identifying activities they can

your role as a parent becomes night or scheduling lunch together once a week," said Cox. "Or, consider getting involved in a cause, perhaps through a social service agency or a church. Giving back in a way that is meaningful to each of you not only helps renew the bonds of your relationship, but also benefits a cause in which "Start by setting aside a date you both believe."

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Horseman:

tries, 21 finalists) - 21st, Greedy Ghost, shown by Rosellla "JoJo" Roberson, Byars, owned by J D by Jamie Cook, Fort Collins, Roberson, Diamond R Ranch, Byars.

Ranch Riding Level 2 (113 finalists)—48th, Mr Chic Master, owned and shown by Jessee R L Clark, Purcell; 69th, Steady Rings The Bel, shown by Chelsea Fessler, Grafton, NE, owned by Patricia Ward, Macomb.

Reining Level 2 (101 finalists)—32nd, Traditional Byars, owned by J D Roberson, Diamond R Ranch, Byars; 74th, Greedy Ghost, shown by JoJo Roberson, Byars, owned by J D Roberson, Diamond R Ranch, Jewels, show by Lydia Bell Maysville.

June Roberson, was on the third placed team.

Showmanship Level 2 (127 owned by JDRoberson, Diamond R Ranch, Byars.

Trail Level 2 (102 finalists)— 64th, Cool To Be Invited, shown of Royal Vista Ranches, Wayne. Colo., owned by Vaughn and Jill Cook, Fort Collins, Colo., co-owners (with Laura Erickson) of Royal Vista Ranches, Wayne.

Western Horsemanship Level 3 Pattern (114 entries, 15 finalists)—9th, Cool To Be Invited, shown by Jamie Cook, Fort Collins, Colo., owned by Vaughn and Jill Cook, Fort Collins, Colo., co-owners (with Laura Erickson) Fudge, show by June Roberson, of Royal Vista Ranches, Wayne: 15th, Greedy Ghost, shown by JoJo Roberson, Byars, owned by J D Roberson, Diamond R Ranch, Byars.

Western Horsemanship Level 3 Byars; 86th, Custom Made Rail-12th, Cool To Be Invited, shown by Jamie Cook, Fort Col-Maysville, owned by Kristin Bell, lins, Colo., owned by Vaughn and Reining Team Competition co-owners (with Laura Erickson) To Be Invited, shown by Jamie (31 teams of 4)—JoJo Roberson, of Royal Vista Ranches, Wayne; Cook, Fort Collins, Colo., owned Byars, was a member of the sec- 15th, Greedy Ghost, shown by by Vaughn and Jill Cook, Fort ond placed team, and her sister, JoJo Roberson, Byars, owned Collins, Colo., co-owners (with by J D Roberson, Diamond R Ranch, Byars.

Western Horsemanship Level 2 finalists)—22nd, Greedy Ghost, (62 finalists)—9th, Cool To Be Inshown by JoJo Roberson, Byars, vited, shown by Jamie Cook, Fort Collins, Colo., owned by Vaughn and Jill Cook, Fort Collins, Colo., Nicola, Chickasha.

co-owners (with Laura Erickson)

Western Pleasure Level 3 (60 entries, 15 finalists)—13th, Dressed To Party, show by Brody Galyean, Purcell, owned by Gil and Becky Galyean, Galyean Quarter Horses, Purcell.

Western Pleasure Level 2 (72 entries, 21 finalists)—15th, Dressed To Party, shown by Brody Galyean, Purcell, owned by Gil and Becky Galyean, Galyean Quarter Horses, Purcell.

Western Riding Level 3 (52 entries, 17 finalists)—11th, Cool To Be Invited, shown by Jamie Cook, Fort Collins, Colo., owned by Vaughn and Jill Cook, Fort Collins, Colo., co-owners (with Laura Erickson) of Royal Vista Ranches, Wayne.

Western Riding Level 2 (25 Jill Cook, Fort Collins, Colo., entries, 17 finalists)—11th, Cool Laura Erickson) of Royal Vista Ranches, Wayne.

> Youth Leadline 6 and Under (11 entries)—10th, Chocolate Time, shown by Brandon Haws, owned by Katherine Corbett and Clarice



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Not a drill

Students at Purcell Elementary School usually don't practice fire drills until Fire Prevention Week in October. This year the drill was the real thing early last Thursday morning when the school's fire alarm went off. Purcell Fire units responded. There was no fire found and no one was injured. Students and faculty returned to the building for the remainder of the school day.

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Walker named Minority Enterprise Development

Advocate of the Year

By Loné Beasley

Bailey Walker, coordinator of the Chickasaw Nation's Preferred Vendor Program, has been chosen as the 2017 Minority Enterprise Development

Advocate of the Year.



nority Business Development Agency.

Walker's expertise is in seeking out and building relationships with qualified minority-owned businesses as a way of providing them the opportunity to perform work for the Chickasaw Nation.

He said his department's outreach is not limited to Chickasaw citizens.

"We provide a multitude of services to all minorities," he said. "That includes Chickasaws, non-Chickasaw Native Americans, African-Americans, Asian-Americans, Hispanic-Americans, women, and disabled veterans."

of Oklahoma's economy is powered by the efforts of men and women operating small

"I firmly believe what I've heard Chickasaw Nation Gov. Bill Anoatubby state many times, 'The rising tide raises all ships.' We're able to showcase opportunities for the Chickasaw Nation to find products or services for mutual advantage."

He said the rising tide can take many forms.

"In this case it's in the form of knowledge and resources. We're able to showcase what we do and bring back those great opportunities for the Chickasaw Nation to find products or services for mutual benefit."

When Walker joined the preferred vendor program in 2015 it boasted 247 participating vendors. Today that number has mushroomed to 600, with 591 of those having been qualified based on their minority status.

Walker credits Gov. Anoatubby's leadership for the program's success.

He also credits his grandfather, the late Adam Walker, for providing him with the example of service to others. Adam Walker is a member of the Chickasaw Nation Hall of Fame and was the first artisan to be honored with a Silver Feather Award.

"My grandfather and Gov. Anoatubby had a long, good relationship," Walker said. Walker said 85 percent "Having fallen into that line of service has allowed me to do what I do now.

"I'm very thankful, very privileged to be enabled to do what I do, to be out in the community locally and at-large to provide what we do and to bring what we do to the masses. It's a great job and feeling to serve what we do and bring back great our citizens and communities."

Purcell Senior Citizens By Fredda Perry

The event of the week was he eclipse on Monday. Hope everyone who wanted to see it got to get out and get a good look. We are all caught up on birthdays until the beginning of September, which will be here before we know it.

We have had several new people visit the center recently. We enjoy every visitor we get and hope they will turn into regulars. We have enjoyed having Nadine Thurston, Jenny Wheeler, Doyle Williams and Dub Bebout come eat lunch and visit with the members.

The senior's next garage sale will be Friday, August 25, starting at 8 a.m. and lasting until 3 p.m. There have been lots of donations in the last couple of weeks. Come by and check it all out. The seniors who take care of the donations are asking that you call before you leave your donation. Please do not leave donations on the patio over the weekend without calling 990-1840.

For those of you who have gotten a little lazy about walking, we are still walking on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays inside so come on down and join us. Our plan is to begin a "Sit and Be Fit" exercise class on Wednesdays and Fridays. Watch the paper and the date will be published.

Thursday is bingo day every week. Bingo starts promptly at 10 a.m. Everyone needs to be in their chair at 10 a.m. so the games can begin on time. Everyone is a winner before we are finished. We have been having a full house each week. Thursday morning is an exciting time at the center as we usually have new people.

Both telephone lines are working. If you are calling to make a reservation to eat lunch, please use the kitchen number at 527-9462. Otherwise, if you have questions about any activity

at the center use 527-5070. If you know someone who needs help with their noon meal at their home, call the Delta Nutrition Center at 527-9462 and ask for Rebecca.

Need a place to have a special event? The center is available for \$70 a day. If you're interested call 527-5070. Call early so you can get the date you want. Check us out if you need a large room for a party or reunion.

The seniors invite anyone 60 or above to visit the center where there is always something cooking and plenty of activities. Lunch is \$2 for all seniors. Be aware if you plan to eat lunch at the center, you will need to call the kitchen at 527-9462 the day before or by 8 a.m. the day you want to join the seniors for lunch.

Menu for the week of August 28-September 1:

Monday — Vegetable beef stew, salad, vegetables, cornbread, sweet potato crumble. Tuesday — Barbecue chicken chunks, potato salad, coleslaw,

peach dessert. Wednesday—Chopped ham, diced eggs, shredded cheese,

salad, pickle beets, crackers, whipped fruit salad. Thursday—Navy beans, spinach, tomato relish, cornbread,

Friday—Oven fried chicken chunks, mashed potatoes with

gravy, oven fried okra, wheat bread, pineapple and oranges. Thought for the Week: "Forget the day's troubles, remember

the day's blessings."

Purcell Register Obituaries

Curtis Ray Myrick

Memorial services for Curtis Ray Myrick, 52, were held Aug. 19, 2017 at the First United Bank Community Room in Purcell. Services were entrusted to the care of Wadley's Funeral Service. Online condolences may be made at www.wadleysfuneralservice.com.

Mr. Myrick died Aug. 14, 2017 in Norman.

He was born Oct. 6, 1965 in Oklahoma City, the son of Vernon and Dora Mae (Mackey) Myrick.

Survivors include his parents, Vernon Myrick and Dora Mackey House; wife, Sheila Marie Myrick; sons, Guy Keith Beebe and Gary Even Beebe; four grandchildren and one on the way and siblings, Ester Davis, Natasha Davis, Gilbert Mackey and Vernon Myrick, Jr.

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James Donnie "Don" Parks

James Donnie "Don" Parks of Maysville was born on September 9, 1935 in Purcell, Oklahoma, to Coy Odell and Morene (Andrews) Parks. He passed away on Wednesday, August 16, 2017 in Norman, Oklahoma at the age of

Don was a lifetime resident of this area, growing up in Purdy. He graduated from Lindsay High School in 1953 and attended Oklahoma State University. He served his country in the United States Army.

Don worked in the oilfield where he drove a truck for Kerr McGee and Gainesville Fuel. He enjoyed his cattle, bottle feeding

his calves, breaking horses and riding them in parades, and tinkering on stuff in his barn, and spending time outside. He loved his dogs, Toby and Sadie. Don was a member of the Abundant Love Fellowship.

His survivors include his wife, Lois of the home in Maysville; daughter, Lisa Springman and husband, Tony, of Maysville; daughter, Cathy Nobles of Maysville; son, Dale McDaniel and wife, Sandy, of Lafayette, Indiana; brother, Joe Parks and wife, Norma, of Foster and sister, Billie Fuller of Wayne.

Don was preceded in death by his parents, Coy and Morene Parks; a son Andy Parks; and brother, Tommy Dale Parks.

Funeral services were held Friday, August 18, 2017 at the Abundant Love Fellowship, Maysville with the Rev. Danny Gamble officiating. Burial was at the Maysville Cemetery under the direction of John W. Williams of Winans Funeral Home, Maysville, OK.

Words of comfort may be sent to the family at www. winansfuneralhome.com

Steven Wayne Powell

Steven Wayne Powell of Wayne died Aug. 16, 2017. Survivors include Gloria, Michael and Duke Williams of the home; his parents, Eva and Billy Powell and sisters, Debbie Woodward and family and Sandy Griver and family, all of Michigan.

Bob Joe Miller Sr.

Funeral services for Bob Joe Miller Sr., 85, of Lindsay were held Aug. 23, 2017 at the Wilson-Little Funeral Home Chapel. Interment was at Hillside Cemetery in Purcell under the arrangement of Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Purcell.

Mr. Miller died unexpectedly Aug. 21, 2017 at his home. He was born Jan. 10, 1932 in Wayne, the ninth of eleven

children of Abner Frank Miller and Fannie Clyde (Berry) Miller. Survivors include his dear friends, Letha L. Hall and her daughter, Joy Perry, of Lindsay; brother, Henry Miller and wife, Maurine, of Hattiesburg, Miss.; his daughter, Dana Ramon of Georgia; stepchildren, Betty Brawley and husband, Terry, and Ronald Crawford, all of Lindsay, and Brenda Nunn and husband, Robby, and Danny Crawford, all of Dibble, and several

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Waymon Lueon Drake

Memorial services for Waymon Lueon Drake, 76, were held Aug. 19, 2017 at Wadley's Funeral Chapel in Purcell. Services were entrusted to the care of Wadley's Funeral Service. Online condolences may be made at www.wadleysfuneralservice.com. Mr. Drake died Aug. 12, 2017 in Oklahoma City.

He was born Sept. 18, 1940 in Calvin, Okla., the son of Fanklin C. and Mary Lee (Howerton) Drake.

Survivors include his daughter, Melinda Marsh and husband, David; son, Brian Drake; five grandchildren; one great-grandchild, and sister, Phyllis Norvell.

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Carroll C. Potter

A Celebration of Life Service for Carroll C. Potter, 88, of Oklahoma City will be held from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 2, 2017 at his home at 304 SW 62nd St. in south Oklahoma City. Arrangements will be under the direction of Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Purcell.

Mr. Potter died Aug. 18, 2017 at his home.

He was May 3, 1929 in Purcell, the second of seven children of William Marion Potter and Iva Jo (Bivens) Potter.

Survivors include his wife of 65 years, Essie Potter of the home in Oklahoma City; four children, Maggye Arnold and husband, Tom, and Lonnie Potter and wife Brenda, all of Blanchard, Marlin Potter and wife, Sherry, of Oklahoma City and Brenda Monroe and husband, Michael, of Norman; one sister, Arline Hopkins of Missouri; one brother, Jerry Potter and wife, Dorothy, of Purcell; six grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren and one great-great-granddaughter.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Salvation Army Food Bank.

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Grover Cleveland Peters Jr.

A memorial service for Grover Cleveland Peters Jr., 86, of Boerne and previously Killeen, Texas, will be held Saturday, August 26, 2017 at 10:30 a.m. at Wilson-Little Funeral Home Chapel in Purcell, Okla. Interment will be held at

Hillside Cemetery in Purcell following the funeral.

Grover C. Peters Jr. died August 17, 2017 in San Antonio, Texas. He was an honorable, kind, loving fa-

ther and friend who will be tremendously He was the youngest son of Grover

Cleveland (Cleve) Peters, Sr. and Mary Alice

(Mowdy) Peters. He was born January 3, 1931 on the family farm near Dibble, Okla. He graduated from Dibble High School in 1949 and attended Oklahoma State University from 1949-1952.

He worked for Brown Oil Tool Company in Oklahoma City prior to entering the Army. His military service included tours in Korea and Vietnam. He retired from the Army at Fort Hood, TX in 1974 with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. He earned the National Defense Service Medal; Vietnam Service Medal with 4 Bronze Service Stars; Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal; Meritorious Service Medal with 1 Oak Leaf Cluster; Armed Forces Reserve Medal; Expert Infantryman Badge; and Bonze Star Medal.

After retiring from the Army, he became a real estate broker and building contractor before becoming a Federal Civil Service GS-11 and supervisor of the Fort Hood, TX Youth Recreation program.

He was a member of First Baptist Church and of the Exchange Club while living in Killeen.

Grover, Jr., married Elizabeth (Betty) Ann Hardin in 1952 in Perry, Okla., and they had four children. Elizabeth died in 1965 in Purcell, Okla. He raised his children himself until 1978 when he married Margaret Louise (Tietz) Quintana in Killeen, Texas.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Elizabeth; his parents; two sons, James Steven Peters and Alan Lynn Peters; his brother, Roy Peters and wife, Christine; two sisters, Madeline Mayfield and husband, Britt, and Iliene Duncan and husband, Wes; and niece, Barbara Peters.

He is survived by his wife, Margaret; son, Grover Cleveland Peters III and wife, Kristine Kremkau Peters, of Spokane, Wash.; daughter, Mari Suzanne (Sue) Peters O'Brien and husband, Shawn Patrick O'Brien, of Boerne, Texas; granddaughter, Delaney Suzanne O'Brien and husband, Adam Brian Coleman, of Los Angeles, Calif.; granddaughter, Elizabeth Peters Page and husband, Larry Strey, and greatgranddaughters, Mabry and Ella of San Antonio, Texas; granddaughter, Teresia Kennedy, and great-granddaughter, Zoe of Arlington, Texas; stepdaughter, Paula Roher and husband, Kay, of Oklahoma City; nephew, Roy Peters, Jr. of Tulsa, Okla.; niece, Carolyn (Jeanie) Sisson and husband, Ken, of Oklahoma City; niece, Marilyn Ehlers and husband, Richard, of Oklahoma City; nephew, Britt Max Mayfield and wife, Linda, of Miami, Fla.; nephew, Dale Duncan and wife, Judy, of Villa Park, Calif.; lifelong friend, Bud Bayless and wife, Betty, of Mesa, Ariz.; stepdaughter, Judy Quintana Logan and husband, Shane, and granddaughter, Lauren, of Buda, Texas; stepdaughter, Susan Quintana, and granddaughter, Hunter, of Brownwood, Texas; stepson, Robert Quintana and wife, Carron, and granddaughter, Erin, of Dallas, Texas; stepson, Michael Quintana and wife, Adele, and grandson, Clint, and granddaughter, Lindsey, of Fort Worth, Texas, along with many other beloved family and friends.

No visitation is scheduled.

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Eye protection

A pair of borrowed welding goggles gives this girl good eye protection while viewing Monday's eclipse outside Purcell Intermediate School.

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movement of infested nursery in Oklahoma's climate. stock is the main avenue for spread of this exotic pest.

females are white to gray and of systemic insecticides, which felt like. They can be found are used to control most sucking encrusting twigs and trunks of pests. This would include inseccrape myrtles, and they exude ticides such as imidacloprid and a pink blood-like liquid when others, but be very careful when crushed. As they mature, crape using this type product in the myrtle bark scales secrete waxy presence of pollenating insects. deposits that become felted or matted into a thick white or of lady beetle that will feed on gray scale covering.

host plant). Females lay eggs clude the following: under the scale cover from May through September.

the scale cover within a day including the presence of white or two, and disperse to new to gray scale bodies on bark, areas of the same plant or are honeydew, and/or black sooty windblown to new host plants. mold.

CMBS crawlers (nymphs) There are probably two to three can spread naturally via wind, generations per year produced

Management of crape myrtle bark scale appears to be diffi-Crape myrtle bark scale adult cult to control without the use

There is at least one species the CMBS but at this time they When the waxy scale cover have not provided adequate is removed, adult females control. Current management are wingless and sessile (i.e., recommendations for CMBS permanently attached to the infestations in Oklahoma in-

1. Carefully inspect crape myrtles prior to purchase for Crawlers emerge from under signs and symptoms of CMBS,

2. The bark of infested plants can be scrubbed with a soft brush and a mild solution of dishwashing soap and water. Washing removes many of the female scales and egg masses as well as buildup of black sooty mold on branches and trunks.

> 3. If CMBS is present, then horticultural oil may be effective when applied during the winter at a dormant application rate. Ensure adequate coverage of the entire tree and use enough oil to reach behind loose bark, branch crotches, and other crevices.

> 4. Use a systemic insecticide labeled for crape myrtle during the growing season but be careful around pollinator insects.

> For a complete list of products available for managing scale insects in nurseries, see Oklahoma Cooperative Extension Service publication, CR-7092: Management of Insects and Mites in Tree Nurseries.

Pre-election rules

Deadlines set for voter registration, absentee ballots

September 15 will be the p.m. October 4. final day to apply for voter the special Purcell school bond election on October 10.

Those who aren't registered or who 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 September 15.

Voter registration applications postmarked after the deadline will not processed until after the bond election on October 10.

U.S. citizens, Oklahoma residents and at least 18 years old.

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 ap-

Haley said any person who has submitted a voter registration application and who has not received a response within 30 days should contact the election board office.

Oklahoma Voter Registration Application forms are available at the county election board office in the McClain County Courthouse, as well as at most post offices, tag agencies and public libraries in the county. Applications also are available at www.elections.ok.gov.

In addition, McClain County Election Board Secretary Karen Haley advised district voters who want absentee ballots for the election mailed to them to apply now.

The election board will accept those applications until 5 degree of consanguinity or ley's EMS.

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Please start delivery on the following date: ___/___/

Absentee ballot application registration in order to vote in forms are available at the County Election Board office nursing homes in the county located at 121 N Second Avenue, Purcell, OK. An online version of the form can be filled out and submitted electronically at: www.elections. ok.gov. A print form can also allows these persons to vote be downloaded at that address. under circumstances similar

"At least two mail transactions must be made," Haley said. "The county election board must mail the ballots to the voter and the voter must return the voted ballots by mail."

Ballots must be in the hands Those registering must be of County Election Board officials by 7 p.m. on election day to be counted.

Haley said any registered voter may vote by absentee ballot in any election in which he/ she is eligible to vote. However, a voter must be registered and reside at an address within the geographical boundaries of a school district or a municipality to be eligible to vote in school district or municipal elections. It is not necessary to give a reason for voting absentee.

"While anyone can vote absentee without giving a reason, the law still provides several advantages to absentee voters in some categories," Haley said.

By stating one of the following reasons on their applications, absentee voters can activate special conditions that make it easier for them to use absentee ballots. The reasons

 Voters who are physically incapacitated and voters who care for physically incapacitated persons who cannot be left unattended may vote absentee. They may apply only by mail, by fax, by email, online or via an agent who is at least 16 years scene was Trooper Barry of age and who is not employed by or related within the third

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affinity to any person whose name appears on the ballot.

 Voters who are confined to may vote absentee. An Absentee Voting Board actually goes to the nursing home a few days before the election, sets up a small polling place and to those at a regular precinct polling place. They may apply only by mail, by fax, by email, online or via an agent who is at least 16 years of age and who is not employed by or related within the third degree of consanguinity or affinity to any person whose name appears on the ballot.

 Military personnel and residents of the county living overseas and the spouses and dependents of each group are eligible receive absentee ballots. These voters may apply only by mail, fax, or by email. Military personnel should contact the Voting Service Officers in their units for application forms and additional information or visit the Federal Voting Assistance Program website (www.fvap.gov/oklahoma) for more information and instructions. Residents of Oklahoma living overseas can obtain the same materials from any United States military installation and from United States Embassies and Consulates as well as on the FVAP website.

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ported to OU Medical Center by Mediflight and was admitted in critical condition.

Assisting Anderson at the Campbell, McClain County Sheriff's Department and Wad-

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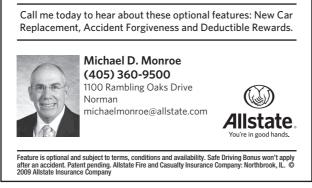


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Eclipse cool down

The temperature cooled down from the low 90s during the partial eclipse in Central Oklahoma Monday. The next solar eclipse is scheduled for 2024.









He is a graduate of Wash- at Chickasha. ington High School and East Central University.

"The Berglan side of my family are Lexington graduates and



I have always thought Lexington would be a great place to work," he said. "I feel very fortunate to coach my son, Dallan. in football and

Beck

have my daughter, Brynn, in my middle school for the next three years."

Berglan and his wife, Jonikka, 12 at Wanette. also have an adult son, Hunter.

ment.



Berglan

of Newcastle High School and University of Central Oklahoma, he previously taught at Newcastle, where he was also head football and power lifting coach.

He and his

A graduate

Bolles said coming to Lexington was a "great opportunity."

wife, Tammy, have three

children and Tugger. Clark teach-

es elementary **Bolles** physical education.

He is a graduate of Dibble it," she said. High School and SWOSU. Before coming to Lexington, Clark was a resource teacher

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about the school and community of Lexington," he said.



graduate of Lexington High School and ECU. She previously taught English for grades 7 through versity and the U.S. Army War

"I attended school here my Bolles is teaching ninth grade whole life," she said. "My dad Oklahoma history and govern- taught and coached here for over



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munity."

son, Jonesy.

of this com-

Hosek teaches chemistry, physics and astronomy at the two children – James and Julia. high school.

Newly graduated from the University of Oklahoma, Lex-Turner, Parker ington is her first teaching assignment. She also graduated from Edmond Santa Fe High School.

"I am a part of this area community and I want to support Oklahoma Baptist University

Oklahoma State University.

Harryman previously taught

Public Schools

and grades

three through

five at White-

head School.

fourth grade at Putnam City

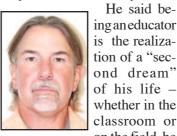
She and her husband, Larry University. "I have heard great things Jr., have one child, Jayce, and are expecting a second.



cross country. He previously taught seventh grade geography at Purcell.

He is a graduate of Apache High School, SWOSU, OU, Langston Uni-College.

Kinchen retired from the Oklahoma National Guard with 34 years service in May 2016. He said be-



tion of a "second dream' of his life whether in the classroom or on the field, he actively par-

ticipates in the "growth and She and her husband have a development of amazing young men and women." He and his wife, Crystal, have

> Lind is a special education teacher for grades six through eight.

She previously was special education coordinator at Western Heights High School.

She is a graduate of Iowa Park (Texas) High School and and Missouri Southern State

teaches third grade.

High School and SOSU.

"Lexington Public Schools has a statewide reputation for Kinchen is teaching eighth being a wonderful school for stu-Clark's wife is Kaylee Clark. grade U.S. history and is also dents and a wonderful place to



am grateful to have a position here for both reasons. Lind and her

husband, Randy, have two sons - Chris-

topher and Erick - and two grandchildren. Nauta teaches agriculture at

the high school.

He attended Douglas (Wyo.,) High School and Laramie husband, Ryan, and their three County Community College in Cheyenne,



completing his degree at Oklahoma State University. He previ-

ously taught agriculture in Kremmling,

Colo.

She is a graduate of Marietta High School and East Central

She and

her husband,

Austin, live in

"This was a

Wayne.

University.

"I chose my new position because I love the state of Oklahoma and strongly believe in the winning tradition that has been established at Lexington High School," he said. 'It is a small community that instantly makes you feel at home."

Nauta is single.

Perry is teaching sixth grade English and reading and first and second grade physical education.

She is a graduate of Mustang

He is a graduate of Wayne

He previ-

ously taught

at Healdton,

Elmore City,

Wayne and

Texhoma.

High School and University of and trigonometry/pre-calculus. Science and Arts of Oklahoma.

Previous teaching experience ranges from pre-K through 12 grade in the following subject Robert Noyce Scholar. He pre-



diation.

Robinson is

She is a

in Arkansas

and Webster

"I am excited to be teaching in Lexington. I can't wait to see what the year holds," she said, adding she took the assignment to be in the same district as her children - Corbin, Jordan and Xavier.



Robinson

University.

She previously taught alternative education in Greenwood, Ark.; Pre-K in Tishomingo; kindergarten in Ardmore and grades one and two in Green Forest.

"I'm excited to be a part of Lexington schools because of the friendliness of staff and community," she said.

Robinson has three children Ashleigh McKinzie, Alyssa Robinson and Andrea Nonce. Somers is teaching algebra 2

in December 2014, securing a

Now history will repeat

with the appointment of a new

council member to the waning

The municipal filing period

will be in December with an

election in February 2018.

months of a member's term.

He is a graduate of Lexington High School and East Central University where he was a



viously taught in Chickasha and Pawhuska and has also coached football and wrestling. He is en-

gaged to Kirst-

en Avallone. Wells is teaching computers at the high school and is also assistant coach for junior high and high school football, high school boys basketball and high school baseball.

He is a graduate of Lexington High



School and Mid-America Christian University.

"I always wanted to be a teacher since high school," he said. "I fi-

nally received the opportunity and I couldn't be happier." Wells and his wife, Kalle,

have two children - Drake and Kyleigh.

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especially for the latter part of August, will prevail in the area for the next several days. That's thanks to a cool front

that moved through the state Tuesday that caused widespread rain. The rain last Wednesday

totaled 1.10".

In 2015, in one of the wettest years on record, 1.07" was recorded for the month with 5.43" in August of 2012.

The wettest August in recent history was 8.15" in 2008.

According to an Oklahoma City TV station, 1914 was the wettest month of August in Oklahoma City with 6.48". It was also the coolest on record.

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full three-year term.

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Noon - Cattle Show

2 p.m. – Pie, Cake & Salsa 9 a.m.-1 p.m. – 4-H Blood

5:30 p.m. – Kiwanis Bean Supper

6 p.m. – Pie, Cake, & Salsa Auction

7:30 p.m. – Mutton Busting 8 p.m. – Heart of Oklahoma Rodeo

Friday

9 a.m. – School Children's utes prior to contest) Day Tours

10 a.m. – Market Goat Show

1 p.m. – Sheep Show 6 p.m. – Kiddie Tractor Pull

7:30 p.m. – Mutton Busting 8 p.m. – Heart of Oklahoma Rodeo

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9 a.m. – Swine Show

10 a.m. - Rabbit Show

(registration 30 minutes prior to contest) Noon - Best Dressed Pet

Contest (registration 30 minutes prior to contest)

1 p.m. – Livestock Judging Contest (registration 30 min-

1 p.m. – Dog Show

3 p.m. - Alpaca Exhibition Demonstration

4 p.m. – Stick Horse Rodeo (registration 30 minutes prior to contest) 7:30 p.m. – Mutton Busting

8 p.m. – Heart of Oklahoma

Lexington **Nursing Home**

Resident Spotlight of the month Francis Inez Simmons has been a resident

here at the Lexington Nursing Home since Inez was born and raised in Lexington

and has spent most of her life here except for a few years she lived in New Mexico with her husband. Inez got married in 1951 to Albert

Simmons and they had 6 children. Inez has always loved to sing and play the

piano, she also taught piano for many years. In her lifetime she has fulfilled many roles and positions as church pianist, secretary, government courier, music teacher, vo-tech teacher and author. Inez has wrote a few books, Spring Hill,

A Place To Call Home and her prize winning state fair entry The Bridges of Lexington which was on display at the McClain County Museum in Purcell.

Congratulations Inez Simmons

Also: 12 & Under Calf Scramble Fire Fighter Tug of War WYNNEWOOD

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Purcell Register Sports



Dragons open with Sulphur

Higbee: Bulldogs appear to be as physical as always

John D. Montgomery **The Purcell Register**

Ready or not here goes the first step in the 2017 gridiron season.

Purcell opens "Week Zero" hosting the perennial powerhouse Sulphur Bulldogs at Conger Field. Kickoff is set for 7:30 p.m.

Second year Purcell Head Coach John Higbee reports Sulphur will be the same old feisty and tenacious Bulldogs.

"They were a very physical team last year and they look like they might be even more physical in a couple of areas this year," Higbee said.

The Bulldogs will operate out of a 4-3 defense that figures to be a headache for anyone they play this season.

"They are always tough. I'm impressed with them," Higbee said. "It's good to have a tough opponent early in the season."

Sulphur is a down hill running team that runs counter and power plays much like the Dragons do.

One thing is for sure, Higbee promises this will be his last "Week Zero" game he'll play as head coach of the Dragons.

"It's really idiotic," he said. "I'm sick to death of the fast start. It's too soon and there are too many questions. This would typically be the second scrimmage.

"I haven't decided if I am going to over simplify or get complicated," Higbee said.

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Lex at Lindsay

Coming off strong scrimmage against Lone Grove

ToddNewville

The Purcell Register

The Lexington Bulldogs open their 2017 football season on the road Friday night against the Lindsay Leopards.

Head coach Dale Berglan is anxious and ready to turn his Bulldogs loose against a Lindsay team that beat them 44-21 last year.

In preparation for the Leopards, Lexington hosted Lone Grove last Friday in a scrimmage. After a few offensive hiccups, the Bulldogs got on a roll and handled the visitors from west of Ardmore.

"They were a big, physical team," Berglan said.

"We tried to make the scrimmage like a game with four short 'quarters.' The Lone Grove coaches do a really good job and it went kind of how I thought it would go. We had some busts on offense because of nerves. But, we settled down and relaxed and that's when

we played some good football. "We didn't move the ball our first 10 plays but on the next series, we did move it and our defense ran some stunts. On defense, we lined up and, physically, we were fantastic all night long and we did an outstanding job. We were running to the football and making things happen. We also ran a series at the goal line and then we finished up with a simulated half and a 20-minute running clock – with the coin

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The Wayne Lady Bulldogs snagged wins over Fletcher, Thackerville, CCS and Maysville to take first place

EmilyMontgomery The Purcell Register

pool play, the Wayne Lady scored two more runs, making Bulldogs faced off with the it a one-run game. the championship game on rior hit a grounder straight to three games Saturday. Saturday. Wayne came out on top, 8-7, in a close game that was up for grabs until the final out.

Leading 5-0 after three innings, Wayne scored another run in the top of the fourth. But, Maysville was not going away so easily.

The Lady Warriors scored second base where Morgan fourth to nearly catch up to the game.

going into the final inning.

But they couldn't shake Seeded number one after Maysville. The Lady Warriors

Maysville Lady Warriors in With two outs, a Lady War-

in the circle, fanning eight batters and giving up six hits.

"Kynzee played her heart a 7-3 win. out. She's our only pitcher and she had to go out there for

We were all really excited for Kynzee (for throwing a no-hitter). She's throwing really well right now, hitting her spots and throwing a good fast ball and change up.

— Scott Brewer, head coach

five runs in the bottom of the Posey tagged the bag to end

"They had some good hits, Through the next two in- but we couldn't field the ball. nings, Wayne added a little We just had too many errors," cushion to hold an 8-5 lead said head coach Scott Brewer. Fletcher in game one of the

"All 18 players get the credit too. They have stepped up whenever I have asked; each girl plays a role on the team," Brewer said.

Wayne faced off with

Kynzee Johnson got the win Stratford tournament last Thursday.

The Lady Bulldogs notched

Wayne got down 3-2 early and had to get out of some bases-loaded jams. But the Lady Bulldogs' defense was up for the task. Johnson settled in after the first and didn't allow another run the rest of the game.

"This win was a good team effort. Stormy Miller, Allie Walck and Jaidah Wilson all played great," Brewer said.

Next up was Thackerville. The Lady Bulldogs jumped out on top and never looked back. They bested the Lady

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Wayne starts with Healdton

Familiar opponent with former Wayne coach

<u>JohnDennyMontgome</u>ry The Purcell Register

Wayne kicks off the 2017 season Friday night with a date against the Healdton Bulldogs.

The two sides are very familiar with each other, with Healdton coach Mark Barrett having spent a stint on Wayne coach Brandon Sharp's staff.

Wayne assistant coach Sammy Sharp spent last season on Barrett's staff at Healdton and will have an excellent grasp of Healdton's 4-4 defense, which Sammy Sharp installed himself.

"They have a veteran group of guys back," said head coach Brandon Sharp.

Healdton will operate out of the wishbone on offense and will run veer and midline option out of it.

"Their quarterback is their best player and their line is big and strong," he said.

"The running back is also good."

They're physical and will get after you," he said.

Healdton's defense has linebackers that run well and a really athletic secondary, according to Sharp. And some of the same big, strong offensive lineman will play on the defensive front.

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Warriors travel to Pauls Valley

Open season on the road against talented Panthers

John D. Montgomery The Purcell Register

Washington opens the 2017 gridiron season on the road against a very athletic Pauls Valley Panther team.

Kick-off for the season opener for both schools is 7:30 p.m. Friday night.

The Panthers are led by junior quarterback Jack Grimmett. Grimmett started all 12 games for the Panthers last year and is the spark plug of the team.

"He is a dual threat that can beat you with the option but can also beat you with play action passes," Washington Head Coach Brad Beller said. "They have two of their best athletes in the backfield."

Beller reports the Panther defense has not only fangs but claws as well.

"I felt like they had the best defense we played last year," Beller said. "They are very, very solid and are very well coached.

"The first thing that jumps out at you is how aggressive their inside backers are. Their two defensive ends and their two safeties will be six people that will be a chore for us to contain."

The key for a Washington victory will be recognizing all their formations and their personnel groupings.

"We have to tackle well," Beller said . "That will be our primary focus, alignment and tackling."

The head coach for the Panthers is Matt Weber, son of Purcell residents Joe and Gwen Weber.

By all measurements, Washington's pre-season scrimmage with Community Christian deserved an "A".

Washington's defense was stingy, to say the least, giving up only two first downs in 35 offensive plays from the first unit of the Crusaders who by some polls are a pre-season top 10 team.

The Crusaders rushed for 13 yards in the scrimmage. The offense was very balanced and very successful.

Riding the trench work of

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Ron Ladlee • The Purcell Register

Finishing touches

The Washington coaching staff watches during the Warriors' scrimmage against the Christian Heritage Crusaders last week. The Warriors open their 2017 schedule Friday night against Pauls Valley.



Tournament winners

Winners of the Landmark Church scramble was the team of, from left, Tim Barton, Brian Webb, D.J. McGee and Michael Dillinger. The foursome combined to shoot a 17 under par 54. The tournament was held at the Brent Bruehl Memorial Golf Course.

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Dragons split at festival

Deck Berryhill but upset by Sand Springs

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After a tough 2-1 loss at Blanchard and an 8-0 shutout loss to Sand Springs in the Rogers State Festival, the Purcell Dragons woke up.

They pounced on Berryhill 9-4 in just three innings bringing their season total to 3-3 after Monday's shellacking of Konawa on the road, 11-3.

"Berryhill was exactly what confirmed. we needed in order to get that spark that we have been looking for," head coach Sarah Jones said.

Jones and assistant coach Taralee McReynolds have been mixing and matching trying to get the best group of girls on the field at the same time.

"We've been rotating around and they did really well," Jones

Purcell scored in the first and blew the game wide open with a five spot in the third inning. Adding three more in the fourth slammed the door on the Lady Chiefs.

"Camryn Dickerson started things off for us in the first with a single followed by a Chelsea Spain walk," Jones said.

Then came a line shot up the middle off the bat of Karson Jennings to push Spain across the plate for a score.

"Berryhill strung a few hits together in the bottom of the first but we responded really well in the top of the third and kept the momentum going in the fourth before time ran out," Jones said.

Haylee Swayze went 2-3 with a triple. Hannah Buchanan and Dickerson both went two for three. Spain and Sandra Del Toro also had hits.

"It was a great way to end the week," Jones said. "Hopefully, we can keep the momentum going."

In the Blanchard game defense was the key factor in

"We had a few fielding and throwing errors that added up to them scoring runs," Jones said. Purcell committed six errors

to only two for the Lady Lions. Alex Schafer, Sunny Sanders and Spain had hits for the

"This was a great game to learn from and I believe we did so," Jones said. "You can tell

we are still learning." Jones said Sand Springs really hit the ball well and the

Dragons were struggling. "It was hard for us to get it all together. We didn't make adjustments at the plate and couldn't get anything going."

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Heater

Katelynn Carwile brings the heat to home plate. Purcell is in the MACU Tournament Friday and Saturday and then is off Monday. They travel to Newcastle Tuesday.

Lady Bulldogs hitting stride

Lexington in Plainview Tournament this weekend

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5-4 start to the softball season and are hungry for more.

The Lady Bulldogs whitewashed Konawa 8-0 and tripped Marlow 6-3 before falling 11-1 to Sulphur and 6-4 at the hands of Lindsay last week.

Emilee Jenks went 2-2 against the Lady Tigers in the Davis Tournament while Lauren Beason was 2-3 with a pair of RBIs. Maddy Pack also went 2-3 and had one RBI.

Hannah Robbins had two McDonald had plated two RBIs in a 1-4 outing at the plate while Lindsey Barber, Lacey Barber and Bri Webster all had a hit in the shutout victory.

victory in the circle while scat- the game against Lindsay. tering five hits.

In the victory over Marlow, ent teams from Thursday to on Tuesday.

went 2-3 and each plated a pair Jenks remained hot in the bat-Lexington has fashioned a of base runners.

> Lindsey Barber and Lacey Barber both had a hit as did Pack.

> Fink, again the winning pitcher, was touched for 10 hits in the contest. She walked one batter and struck out one.

> Head coach Kayla Stewart was pleased with both wins and says her club has played really well at times.

The loss to Sulphur wasn't one of them, however.

"We played bad all around," RBIs in a 1-2 outing. Konnor she admitted. "Sulphur is a good team, but we gave them a lot of extra bases on errors and you can't do that against good teams.'

Stewart said four errors on Kaylee Fink collected the defense cost the Lady Bulldogs

"We looked like two differ-

Jenks, Sample and Webster all Friday," she said.

ter's box going 2-2 while both Barbers, Sample, Beason and Webster all had hits.

Sample had an RBI, Webster finished with two RBIs and Pack had an RBI without a hit in two official trips to the plate.

Monday at Dickson the Lady Bulldogs came up on the short end of a 5-3 count with the Lady Comets.

Pack was 3-3 with an RBI while Kenzie Lawson was 2-3. Lindsey Barber, Robbins and Webster all went 2-4 while Sample had a hit.

"We looked like a totally different team again," Stewart said.

The Lady Bulldogs were to host Wynnewood on Tuesday and play in the Plainview Tournament Friday and Saturday.

Next Monday Lexington will travel to Maud and host Asher



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Ready for action

Bri Webster waits for a ball in the infield. The Lexington Bulldogs play in the Plainview Tournament Friday and Saturday.

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Read option

Toby Prevost (5) collects the snap and prepares to hand the ball off to Zach Smith (7) during Lexington's scrimmage against Lone Grove. The Bulldogs travel to Lindsay Friday night for their season-opener.

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flip and everything."

Zach Smith and junior quarterback Toby Prevost) performed Lone Grove.

"We controlled the ball for Berglan said. 17 of the 20 minutes and won workhorse. Toby converted a couple of short yardage plays and he moved the ball well. He's such a heady player. They give us that dual threat where and try to stop Zach."

to Luther. The Leopards own a offense."

7-1 all-time advantage against Lexington's two big play- Lexington, whose only win in makers (senior running back the series was a 34-20 victory

"We go to Lindsay on Friday with their usual flair against night and we know for sure they run a 3-4 defensively,"

"That's what we've been 7-0," Berglan said. "Zach practicing against the last Smith popped one for about two-and- a-half weeks. We're 45 yards for the score. He's our really familiar with what they're doing. It's going to come down to execution and making blocks. Offensively, they're going to spread it out and throw it around. They'll people can't just blow the box probably set up the run with the pass. But, they graduated Lindsay was 11-1 last season their quarterback and running and lost in the second round of back from last year which was the Class 2A playoffs, 35-32, a really strong nucleus of their

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Bulldogs:

"We'll have to play extremely well to be in the game and have the opportunity to win," Sharp said.

Velma scrimmage successful scrimmage against

was a whole new group we calls.' were trying to get lined up on defense," he said.

Wayne's first team scored is set for a 7 p.m. kickoff. four times on Velma and gave

up no touchdowns to the Velma offense.

The reserves each traded a touchdown with the other.

"We worked hard and that's Sharp thought his team had a what we're looking for," Sharp

"We wanted to see our guys "We had a few busts, but it going hard and getting their

Notes

The Wayne-Healdton game

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Velma last week.

the offensive line, the War- rushing the passer from last riors rushed for 211 yards and three touchdowns and passed a very efficient 9-9 passing.

"It was a really solid first scrimmage on both sides of the ball," Beller confirmed.

"I felt like we were exposed early last year in our passing defense so we wanted to see a good passing attack."

The Crusader quarterback threw for 2,600 yards last clamped down using a terrific pass rush.

most in our defensive line said.

year," Beller said. "We were able to get pressures on the for 135 yards and a pair of QB and force him to get rid touchdowns. Washington was of it early which allowed our defensive backs to be way more aggressive."

> The Warriors got good pressure from defensive ends Logan Lyle, Treston Miller and Zach Teague.

"It was definitely a good confidence booster," the coach said

"We were very balanced ofseason but the Warriors fensively as well and (quarterback) Trevor (Stuever) made some big plays on scrambles "I think we improved the that made them pay," Beller

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Warriors have their eye on Dragons

Washington squares off with Purcell today

John Denny Montgomery The Purcell Register

The No.2 ranked Washington Warriors piled up wins at the Oklahoma Shootout at FireLake in Shawnee.

They defeated Wagoner 9-1 and Healdton 2-0 on Friday.

Then they came back Saturday and defeated perennial powerhouse Hilldale.

"They're really good and have been good for 10 years now," said head coach Jace Brewer. "They're the king of the East."

The lone blemish of the weekend was a 3-2 loss against Grove in eight innings in which the International Tie Breaker (ITB) rule was in effect.

'We had two ITB games in that humidity over the weekend and we mentally dealt with the heat," Brewer said.

"The weekend was one of the best we've had so far."

The Warriors were back at work Monday against Bridge Creek. They notched a 12-0 win. 'We're coming around and

making strides and just trying to be consistent," he said. "Pitching and defense is consistent, we're just looking for

our hitting to do it too.

"Our three seniors, Lyndie Ervin, Hanna Brown and Maddie Brown, are playing well.



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Behind the throw

Kinzie Schultz is called out during Washington's game against Bridge Creek. Washington won 12-0.

off the field and working us through practices."

has had multiple-hit games the lead us," Brewer said. last four outings.

Sophomore Hope Madden currently leads the team in RBIs from her cleanup position in the

the plate for Washington.

"We're working through Brewer said Brooke Logan some growing pains but we're has caught fire at the plate and relying on upperclassmen to

Washington fell to Dale 7-2 last week in their only other loss. "The score was 1-0 in the fifth

"They're leading us on and lineup and has been consistent at inning and 3-0 in the sixth, so it was tight," Brewer said.

> "They made plays and we didn't.'

Notes

Washington is 9-2 on the season and ranked No. 2 in Class 3A.

The Warriors play at Purcell Thursday at 5:30 p.m.

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Wildcats 8-1.

According to the coach, Wayne didn't get a lot of hits, but they drew a lot of walks and made the pitcher throw a lot of pitchers.

Bracket play started Saturday and the Lady Bulldogs were seeded number one.

First up was CCS. The Lady Bulldogs came away with a 9-1 win over the Lady Royals.

Johnson was in the circle for the winning, striking out seven batters and giving up just two hits. Bailey Kennedy, Posey,

Johnson, Sydney McGowen and Allie Walck all added a hit in the win. Next up was a rematch with

Fletcher. The Lady Bulldogs came won 5-1, sending Wayne to the championship game. Wayne came out swinging,

scoring four runs through the first four innings. Fletcher's one run was unearned and came in the bottom of the fifth.

Junior pitcher Johnson had a no hitter and fanned four.

"We were all really excited for Kynzee. She's throwing really well right now, hitting her spots and throwing a good fast ball and change up," Brewer

Last Tuesday Wayne hosted Vanoss and added another win, besting the Lady Wolves 10-4.

"This was a good win. We played good defense and got a chance to get some different players in the game," Brewer Chickaska Sports Complex.

Madison Hunt, Hannah Wissinger, Posey and Kennedy had a pair of hits each.

The Wayne Lady Bullsdogs

are 7-1 on the season and were scheduled to Ninnekah Monday and Minco Tuesday. They travel to Chickasha

Thursday through Friday for the Ninnekah Tournament at the Chickaska Sports Complex. Game one is Thursday when

Wayne takes on Verden.



Rip it

Morgan Posey takes a big cut at a pitch. Posey and Wayne won the Stratford Tournament after posting wins over Fletcher, Thackerville, CCS and Maysville. They travel to Chickasha today (Thursday) through Friday for the Ninnekah Tournament at the

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Dickerson and Jennings had hits for Purcell.

"I have to give the girls a lot of credit," Jones said. "Because I know they are all in a tough spot, all fighting for a position. I am beyond proud of them accepting their roles and understanding when someone else needs to pick them up in the field or at the plate.

"Brooke Fleming has done an amazing job on the mound since Katelynn Carwile has been out due to injury. We plan on having Katelynn back in our rotation soon.

"Overall, the season is starting to get going and I am excited to see what this week brings," Jones said.

Monday, the Dragons demolished the Lady Tigers of seventh inning.

"It took us a couple of innings to adjust at the plate but we busted it open in the seventh," Jones said.

both went 3-3 and both had an RBI.

Kamryn Moss went 2-3 with a pair of RBIs along with Kinley Croslin going 1-3 with two RBIs as well.

Sanders and Schafer took advantage of their only hits of the day with Sanders knocking in a run and Schafer two.

"Khia Tyler worked hard at the plate finding ways to get on travel to Newcastle Tuesday.

base making the defense work.

"When she got on she scored. Konawa behind a breakout It was great to see the freshman and sophomores getting a lot of swings and be comfortable on the field and at the plate," Jones confirmed.

The coach also had a word Buchanan and Addie Stanton of praise for the dugout that supported their teammates.

The Dragons were scheduled to play at Plainview Tuesday and host Washington today (Thursday) at 5:30 p.m. At that game there will be Yaya Inflatables and Okie Bills BBQ once again.

Purcell is in the MACU Tournament Friday and Saturday.

They are off Monday but will

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1920	145-7	Purcell
1928	120-0	Purcell
1929	46-0	Purcell
1934	13-0	Purcell
1935	12-0	Purcell
1936	27-0	Purcell
1937	20-0	Purcell
1938	21-0	Purcell
1939	21-6	Purcell
1941	Weather	cancellation
1944	14-7	Purcell
1945	18-0	Purcell
1946	25-0	Purcell
1947	13-12	Purcell
1948	22-0	Purcell
1949	12-13	Sulphur
1950	7-34	Sulphur
1951	7-20	Sulphur
1959	12-42	Sulphur
1960	6-6	Tie
1961	36-20	Purcell
1962	28-20	Purcell
1963	6-40	Sulphur
1968	18-6	Purcell
1969	6-20	Sulphur
1986	27-7	Purcell
1987	3-20	Sulphur
1990	7-20	Sulphur
1991	0-13	Sulphur
1996	0-14	Sulphur
1997	6-34	Sulphur
1998	20-33	Sulphur
1999	11-14	Sulphur
2000	19-28	Sulphur
2001	0-37	Sulphur
2004	12-48	Sulphur
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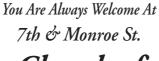
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Christ



Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church

In the story of Jesus's encounter with the Canaanite woman, there are two protagonists – the Canaanite woman who is an outsider to the Jewish faith, and Jesus (Matthew 15:21-28). Most readers will focus on the Canaanite woman, as she is a good example for us. She is humble, persistent, and compassionate. She is humble in that she knows who she is relative to the Son of David, the name by which she addresses Jesus. She is persistent in that she continues to present her need, even when she is being ignored by Jesus and the other disciples. And she is compassionate in that her prayer is for healing not for herself but for her daughter.

But if we focus on Jesus in this passage, we will learn something about Christian life patterns, the patterns by which we develop into spiritual maturity. In the early Church, one of the first heresies, or false teachings, was Docetism - Jesus only "appeared" to be human. In the Council of Nicaea (325) A.D.), the Church decided that Jesus was best understood as both divine and human. In this way only could he truly redeem us.

By Fr. Jim Chamberlain

A human person gets angry, feels afraid, doesn't always understand everything, and accepts as mystery the marvelous things of God. If we don't believe this about Jesus, then we are not giving much credit to his Agony in the Garden when he really felt the emotions of fear and betrayal and abandonment.

Likewise, like all human beings, Jesus used encounters with other people as invitations to grow into his own understanding of his calling. When he encountered the Canaanite woman, he first ignored her because he believed that his calling was only to the chosen people, the people of Israel. This woman was a Gentile, an outsider, and was obviously so.

But she had great faith, and in this encounter Jesus realized that the Gentiles also must be included in his mission. Perhaps Jesus then remembered what he would have heard many times in the synagogue: "My house is a house of prayer for all peoples...the foreigners who join themselves to the Lord, they, too, will be made joyful in the house of prayer. Their offerings will be acceptable." (Isaiah 56). Never in the rest of the Gospel does Jesus make that

mis-evaluation again.

Our lives too are punctuated by encounters or crises - positive and negative - that can accompany us on our life's journey. These challenges are invitations that invite us to transform how we are to be with others (intimacy), how we are to be creative and caring (generativity), and how we are to make sense of life (integrity).

They may be triggered by a "marker event" - marriage, divorce, loss of job, promotion, death of a loved one - that invites us into serious reflection and, possibly, reorientation. When these are reinterpreted in the light of Christian faith they can mark a positive contribution to our growth in Christian maturity. We know that sometimes a seed must fall to the ground and die, and only then it will bring new life.

Let us pray that we - like Jesus - may be open to the moments of new discovery and that we may be open to change and transformation.

Religion education classes are starting soon for all grade levels. For more information, call our church office at 527-3077. Please visit our parish, and like us on Facebook.

Lexington United Methodist Church

Beginning September 6, Lexington United Methodist rive at the church (6th & Ash) Church will once again offer a at 5 p.m. to pick up their child. Wednesday after-school faithbased program called "Spark" for first-fifth graders.

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There is no charge for this program, however, we are only This program is open to the Lexington connmunity.

"We are very excited to to the church. They will have be able to offer this program snacks, share joys and concerns again," says Pastor David D. (wows and pows), memorize Cook. "The kids will have fun to take 15 students this year. If Bible verses and other Bible- earning prizes as they learn you have any questions or need based material through music, things like the books of the additional information, please games, and crafts, have time for Bible, Fruit of the Spirit, Lord's contact Pastor Cook.

and the 23rd Psalm."

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Johnson Road Baptist Church

morning worship service, the congregation was blessed with a 20-minute gospel concert presented by our children's

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It is good to have the administrators, teachers, coaches and students in our area back in the educational business. Every education facility offers hope for America's tomorrow. Some days are "Good News" days.

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Scripture text for Sunday's sermon was taken from Romans 10:1-10. Paul, the great apostle and missionary, said the religious leaders of his day had a zeal for God that was based on ignorance. Paul's prayer was that his people would be saved. Today, our prayer is that America can and should be saved. A large part of our people

has lost their mind. We spend, we buy, we gamble away our income, we ingest drugs, alcoourselves up with indelible ink, at 11 a.m.

Sunday morning during the was blessed to receive a new we tear down the frozen images of history, we delete pages from the Bible, we riot for justice and in reality we promote hate and discord.

We fail to major on the real issues of life. In so doing, we neglect the preparation for eternal life.

What really counts is not zeal, money, fame or race. What really matters is our relationship with Jesus. Trust in Jesus with the heart and public confession of Jesus as Lord is the answer to saving America from the trash bin.

Title of the sermon this Sunday is "Repentance Begins with Change.'

The Wednesday evening Bible study for this week will be the 11th chapter of the Gospel according to John.

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Lexington Westside Church of Christ

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

We want to invite all of you to join us on the first and third Sundays of each month for worship, at which time we will be studying the book of Romans together. You are invited, of course, to every Sunday and Wednesday service, but we want to offer this "special" invitation to you.

You may remember that my wife Marilyn and I travel back and forth from Texas twice monthly to work with the church in Lexington (right in the middle of downtown). And the two weekends we are here to work and preach are the first and third Sundays. A couple of years ago we started a journey through the Bible, beginning in Genesis. We covered the Old Testament by "time periods," not necessarily book by book. After a year and a half, we moved from the Old to the New Testament, where we are now taking each book one at a time.

We try to make each lesson both practical and informative. I believe every sermon should have plenty of "walk-out-the-door" substance to it as well as be informative.

We have completed the first three chapters of Romans so far. On the Lord's Day, September 3, we will be in the fourth and into the fifth chapters of this book.

Some people say that Romans is the most difficult book in the Bible, challenging even Revelation in that regard. While we have taught from Romans through the years of our preaching, we have never traveled through it this deliberately. What I'm finding is that the book is far more practical – even in the early, difficult chapters – than I thought. I think you'll find the same to be true. As we go through, we'll have to take God's Word for what it says, whether we like it or not. Better to know now than learn at the Judgment.

Yes, Paul is difficult to follow in places, even as Peter admits in 2 Peter 3:16. But I believe we can glean so many great truths as we study through this book.

I wanted to write this week to see if perhaps some of you are at a point you'd really like to get deeper into the word of God. Perhaps you've never really grabbed ahold and said, "I just need to study this book more seriously!" This really is a good chance

So, maybe you're ready to roll your sleeves up and go to work, ready to study better than you have ever studied, ready to do what you can to "make your calling and election sure" (2 Peter 1:10). Here's your opportunity.

We'll look for you on the first Lord's Day of September – but I'll be sure to remind you next week, too, in case you forget.

Feel free to text or call me at (972) 824-5197 for more information, or e-mail at steven.bowen@redoakisd.org. You can write us at our Texas address, too, at 105 N. Lenard, Red Oak, TX 75154.

Thanks for the front porch visit, and, as always, we pray God's blessings on you.

Green Avenue Church of Christ

Keith Shackleford led us in a study of Prayer Wednesday night in the adult Bible class.

Sunday morning we reviewed our week's study in Proverbs 16-24, 1st Kings 5-7, 2nd Chronicles2-4.

We will continue our study of Solomon: Israel's Wisest, Richest King this week including some of the Psalms he wrote as well as Proverbs and 1st Kings and 2nd Chronicles accounts.

Our lesson Sunday morning was centered on "God's Plan" to continue the study of the early Church in Acts 14 and reference to Eph. 4:11. Next Sunday morning Keith said he would continue in Acts 15.

Sunday evening's lesson was one that would give peace today as in Solomon's day. Proverbs 24:17-22; Romans 12:18-21, Proverbs 22:24-25; 20:2-3. Not stressing out about what others do, but doing right your self. Not envying or even keeping company with those who will get you into trouble. Live peaceably with all men, even be good to those who might not be good to you.

Lessons in song, led by Dale Sunday morning, was to be prepared, listen, trust and answer God's calling. Sunday evening, led by Evertt, was praise, hope and come choose God's blessings.

Many were traveling and some were sick. We missed them and look forward to their return. We enjoyed our visitors.

The church is located at 407 Jackson Street in Purcell. Bible classes begin at 9:45 Sunday morning and 7 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.



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Snow cone bonanza

Patriot Ford General Manager Kevin Cantrell, left, hands a \$929.78 check to Justin Taylor, assistant fire chief at Washington. The dealership raised money for the Washington Volunteer Fire Department on Friday with a 3-hour event at Buffalo Sno in Washington. Patriot Ford purchased snow cones which were served free to the public, Recipients made voluntary donations to the fire department. Collecting the donations were members of Washington girls athletics. Taylor said the department will use the money to purchase a radio.

Washington News

AngieSteele

Washington Correspondent

Washington School Notes August 24—Lady Warriors Fastpitch at Purcell, 5:30 p.m.

August 25-High School Football at Pauls Valley.

August 28—JV Football vs. Pauls Valley, home.

September 1—High School Football vs. Chisholm, home. Sepetember 4—No School, Labor Day.

September 5—Lady Warriors Fastpitch at Moore, 5:30 p.m. September 7-9—Lady Warriors Fast Pitch, OU Tourna-

September 8—High School Football vs. Purcell, home.

September 15—High School Football vs. Marlow, away.

September 22—High School Football vs. Frederick (Homecoming), home.

October 6—High School Football vs. Dibble, home.

October 12— High School Football vs. CCS, away.

October 19— High School Football vs. Hobart, away.

October 27— High School Football vs. Walters, home. November 3— High School

Football at Lindsay, away. 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. The church website is www.fbcole.org.

The church is located in Cole on SH 74 B between Washington and Blanchard.

For more information, send 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/ Noon; Men's Breakfast, 1st Saturday of each month, 7 a.m.

First Baptist Church Washington

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, Sundays, 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, 5 p.m. Ladies' Bible Study, Tuesdays, 9 a.m.

Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m. Journey Through the Bible, Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.

How Can I Know Bible Study, Sunday, 5 p.m.

Upcoming Bible Studies Falls Creek 100th Anniversary Celebration-Night of Praise, Saturday, September 2, from 6:30-9:30 p.m. Tickets are required. Homecoming Service is Sunday, September 3, from 6-8 p.m. Free open event. For more information visit the website at fallscreek.org/100.

Upcoming Events: Goliath Must Fall Bible Study, Sundays, 5 p.m. Everyone welcome.

The Armor of God—Ladies Bible Study, Sundays, 5 p.m.

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

Foundation

Dale K. Graham Veteran's Foundation is not affiliated with any other organization. Our services are only provided at Faith Pointe Baptist Church, 3404 NW 36th, in Norman.

To schedule a visit for Tuesdays, please contact Helen at 405-550-8806 Ext. 102.We are at the church each Thursday morning at 7 a.m. Please arrive by 9 a.m.

Recently we began a program to recognize the men and women who served in our military during the Korean War along with the veterans who served in World War II. Since we started, more than 50 Korean War veterans have received caps along with the hundreds of World War II veterans who have received recognition. It gives all of us a great feeling to honor those who have served.

This week we recognize Charles Selby Jr. as our Veteran of the Week. He served our country honorably in the Korean and Vietnam Wars during the 1960s and 1970s. As I have said many times, I have the best job in town when I get to introduce these real American heroes. All of us are very proud to have the opportunity to meet and assist them with their claims and questions about VA benefits.

Crossing Shopping Center. The they could not survive. answer to that is very soon. The drywall is up. Painters are scheduled to begin Monday. As soon Weekly Worship Service as those crews finish, Waters Electricians and Graham Waterworks Plumbers will finish up. We can then start moving in and set up our workstations. This facility will give our volunteers ings. a place to call their own where they don't have to pack up all their computers, printers and other items used each Tuesday and Thursday.

As many of you know, we have been turning some people away when we reach the maximum number that we can assist in one day. Two weeks ago 275 veterans and surviving spouses were assisted, setting a record Kid's Choir and Bible Study, for the two days we are open

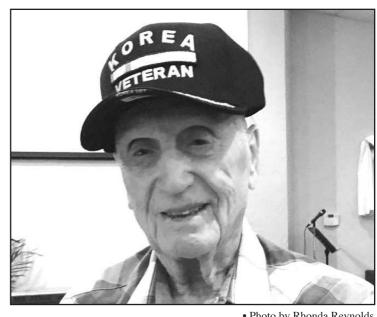


Photo by Rhonda Reynolds

Veteran of the Week

Dale K. Graham Veterans Foundation Veteran of the Week is Charles Selby Jr. Mr. Selby served in the Korean War and Vietnam during the 1960s and 1970s. We appreciate Mr. Selby for his service to our country.

Dale K. Graham Veteran's each week. I believe that as our reputation grows as one of the best places to go for help with veterans benefits, the number of people requesting assistance will continue to increase. Having our own facility where volunteers can walk in and go to work is going to help us increase the number of veterans and surviving spouses we can help.

If you need transportation to visit us, please contact Clayton or Louie. Last week these two logged 59 hours transporting 18 pages 943 miles. You can reach Clayton at 550-8806, extension 105. You can contact Louie at 550-8806, extension 106. Last week, 235 veterans and

spouses were helped with their VA claims and questions. Many of them were there to file their first claim for VA benefits. Some of these folks were in their 70s and 80s. All of us who have been around the block know that as we age many of us are unable to earn enough to continue our standard of living. Most of us have been so busy making a living and helping others that we never thought about how much it costs to live, especially when we lose our spouse and their income.

One of the driving forces that keeps us going is we know that without VA benefits many of our fellow brother and sister veter-People call every day want- ans would be facing a financial ing to know when we will be in crisis. Thousands of veterans family. We also have a couple of our new location at 1268 North and surviving spouses have told Senior Lunch, 4th Tuesday at Interstate Drive in the Robinson us that without the VA benefits

Currently, we are accepting volunteer applications from people who would like to join our team at our new location. These are available on our website or stop by to pick one up at Faith Pointe Baptist Church on Tuesday and Thursday morn-

As a VA Accredited Claims Agent for the Department of Veterans Affairs, I currently serve as the registered agent for over 16,000 veterans and surviving spouses. We receive all correspondence including VA rating decisions of all of those represented. This enables me to review each decision the VA makes on veterans and spouses claims. We then send a letter to the veteran or spouse telling

them what their next step should be in the VA benefits process. On a weekly basis, there will be an average of 150 or more VA notifications received.

Last week we had 12 veterans who received a disability rating of 100 percent for their service connected conditions. These veterans ranged in age from near 30 to 80. The combined annual income for those veterans will be \$447,532.52 per year. Twenty-one veterans received ratings from 10-90 percent for their service-connected disabilities. These men and women veterans will receive a combined annual income of \$274,002.96. Four surviving spouses of veterans were approved for DIC or Pension benefits based on their veterans' military service.

One of our local surviving spouses whose application for VA benefits we had been working on for several years received a notice that she was granted DIC and received a check for back benefits of \$50,000. Needless to say, we are very proud to have been able to help her with her VA application for benefits for the past four years. My advice to all veterans and surviving spouses who are filing for VA benefits is never to give up and to keep your claims active.

We have several wheelchairs, both electric and push, we would like to give to a veteran or their electric hospital beds that need a new home. Some of the other items available are a pickup truck bed lift for wheelchairs, walkers and handicap accessories for bathrooms. We also have a hydraulic lift for helping a patient out of bed. Call us at (405) 550-8806 if you can use any of these items.

Dale K. Graham Veterans Foundation has food boxes available to those in need. An application for this type of assistance will be available on Tuesday and Thursday mornings. A DD-214 or military discharge will be necessary to apply. Please contact Rhonda (405) 550-8806 Extension 103 to request a food box.

Contact Dale with any questions at (405) 550-8806 Extension 101 or dale@dalekgrahamveteransfoundation.org or Shirley Clark-Cowdin for spouse benefits at Extension 104. Visit our website at www. dalekgrahamveteransfoundation.org. Semper Fi!

Dale K. Graham Veteran's Corner, 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.

• Photo by Jeanice Ervin

Fundraising check

Washington Masonic Lodge 406 presented a check in the amount of \$1,600 to the Rafael Garcia family after last Saturday's fundraising breakfast to help with expenses incurred due to the loss of their son.

Angie Steele



Live entertainment at Sunset Estates

Sunset Estates residents and staff enjoyed country and western and gospel music with Mark Johnson, owner of the local guitar shop in Purcell, playing the harmonica; Joe Morris playing the guitar and singing and, much to our surprise, Sunset Estates resident Karl "Koke" Baker on the fiddle.



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Moments to remember

Chances are it will take a lifetime before this girl's memories of the solar eclipse of 2017 begin to fade. She was one of many fifth graders given the opportunity to watch a portion of the event in person.

Courthouse News

The following persons have been charged by the State of Oklahoma with traffic or other violations or have filed other court actions in McClain County District Court between August 10-16, 2017.

Traffic

Larry J. Gamble Sr., passing in no passing zone.

Gale R. Jones, speeding, 78/60. Alan N. Livingston, speeding,

John J. Becerra, speeding, 102/75.

Ryan D. Townsend, speeding, 80/70

Shawn W. Horton, speeding, 96/65. Michael J. Hullett, speeding, 80/70. Cameron R. Keeth, speeding, 80/70. Darren R. Roby Jr., speeding, 84/70. Justin Holder, failure to stop at stop sign.

Justin Holder, no insurance. Justin Holder, TOC non-intoxicat-

ing beverage.

Arman Marukyan, speeding, 94/75. Curtis S. Johnson, speeding, 85/70. Brandy N. Ogburn, speeding, 90/70. Daisy M. Swift, speeding, 90/75. James T. D. Duncan, speeding, 80/70

Suzette Afolabi, speeding, 96/75. Madison N. Clark, speeding, 85/75. Amanda J. Simson, speeding,

Hung V. Phan, operator not reasonable and proper.

reasonable and proper. Christopher V. Le, speeding, 92/70.

Danya D. Yeargin, no seatbelt. Danny R. Fisher Jr., no valid driver's license.

Danny R. Fisher Jr., unsafe lane change.

Steven Staroscik, following too closely

Matthew G. Wade, speeding, 75/65.

Dustin W. Freeman, speeding, E. Dyer, civil action \$10,000 or more. 86/55

Brandon V. Hayes, no seatbelt. Elias Handal, speeding, 91/70. Elias Handal, no valid driver's license

Misdemeanors Anna M. Cooper, obstructing an

officer Bryan T. Pogue, larceny of mer-

chandise from a retailer. Amie M. Stark, possession of CDS.

Natasha N. Purnell, possession of CDS. Karina V. Espana, DUI - alcohol.

Levi J. Stafford, DUI - alcohol. Chadrick A. Wilson, obstructing Casey R. Hensley, possession of Sutherland.

Weston E. Gise, DUI - alcohol. Zachary C. Herr, domestic abuse -

assault and battery. Jimmy L. Finley Jr., DUI - alcohol. Michael C. Brown, domestic abuse

assault and battery. **Felonies**

Jacob L. Cobb, unauthorized use of a vehicle.

John P. Turley, DUI - alcohol. Frank E. Garrett III, possession of CDS (meth) with intent to distribute. Patrick L. Tennal, failure to register as sex offender.

Tony G. Newman, domestic abuse assault and battery.

Benjamin T. Reynolds, DUI - al-

Small Claims

Phyllis Kluggs vs. Angela D. Kendall, forcible entry and detainer over \$1501.

Penny Ross vs. Jill Talley, forcible entry and detainer under \$1500. Windridge Apartments vs. Kassie

Scrivner, forcible entry and detainer under \$1500.

Dennis Tolson vs. James A. Mason, small claims under \$1500.

Civil

Capital One Bank (USA) NA vs. Eddie D. Yarbrough, civil action \$10,000 or less

LVNV Funding LLC vs. Jeddie Cox, civil action \$10,000 or less. LVNV Funding LLC vs. Jimmy

Dunn, civil action \$10,000 or less. LVNV Funding LLC vs. Barre S. Chandler S. Walker, operator not Hendrix, civil action \$10,000 or less. Cornerstone Home Lending Inc vs. Jason P. Johnson, civil action \$10,000

> Wells Fargo Bank NA vs. David W. West, civil action \$10,000 or more. JimmyRidenour vs. N-Desha S.

> Fielder, civil action \$10,000 or more. Wells Fargo Bank NA vs. Jimmie Rogers, civil action \$10,000 or more. Wells Fargo Bank NA vs. Clinton

Marriages Filed

Ethan G. Hannah, 27, of Chickasha and Annette C. Belfiore, 31, of Blanchard

Raymond D. Gage, 28, and Chasey L. Mize, 22, both of Blanchard. Jerry R. West, 72, of Norman and Patsy J. West, 77, of Purcell.

Kirt A. Warren, 43, and Misty D. Whitworth, 42, both of Lindsay. **Divorces Granted**

Robert A. Madden vs. Shannon R. Madden. Christina L. Conway vs. James O.

Conway. Jacob S. Slate vs. Karly D. Slate. Tammy R. Sutherland vs. Rexford

Courtney D. Cecil vs. Ty F. Cecil. Rebecca McClaflin vs. Wesley Y. McClaflin.

No. 699-August 24-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF VERA LEAN ESCOE, Deceased.

Case No. PB-2017-73 NOTICE TO CREDITORS To the Creditors of Vera Lean **Escoe Deceased:**

All creditors having claims against Vera Lean Escoe, 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 Alycia Laquetta Varytimidis, Personal Representative, at the law office of Blevins & Associates Law, PLLC 138 W. Main, Purcell, OK 73080, addressed to James B. Blevins, Jr., attorney for the Personal Representative, on or before the following presentment date: 17th day of October 2017, or the same will be forever barred. DATED this 17th day of August

/s/ James B. Blevins, Jr. James B. Blevins, Jr., OBA #881 Blevins & Associates Law, PLLC 138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565 Purcell, Oklahoma 73080 Phone: 405-527-7575 Fax: 405-527-7574 Attorney for Personal Representative

No. 701-August 24-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HELEN R. MILLER a/k/a HELEN REEDS MILLER Deceased.

Case No. PB-2017-80 NOTICE TO CREDITORS To the Creditors of Helen Reeds Miller, Deceased:

All Creditors having claims against Helen Reeds Miller, 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 Casey Bryant, Administrator, at the law office of Melvin L. McDaniel, Attorney at Law, 228 Robert S. Kerr Ave., Suite 970, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102, on or before the following presentment date: September 19, 2017, or the same will be forever barred.

DATED this 17th day of August,

/s/ Melvin L. McDaniel Melvin L. McDaniel, Attorney for Administrator Melvin L. McDaniel, OBA #5951 228 Robert S. Kerr Ave., Suite

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102

Tel. 405-235-6450 Fax. 405-235-6454 Attorney for Petitioner

No. 708-August 24-3 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT WITHIN AND FOR MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance,

Inc., Plaintiff,

VS.

Thomas Walck, a single person, et al.

Defendants. Case No. CJ-2017-105 NOTICE BY PUBLICATION THESTATE OF OKLAHOMATO:

Thomas Walck You, and each of you, are hereby notified that you have been sued by the Plaintiff above named, in the above entitled Court, and vou must answer the Petition of the Plaintiff on file in the above styled and numbered cause on or before the 15 day of October, 2017, or judgment will be rendered against the interest of each, or any of you, foreclosing your interest in and to the following described real property, situated in McClain County, State of Oklahoma, to-wit:

W/2 NE/4 NE/4 NE/4 of Section 28, Township 5 North, Range 3 West of the Indian Meridian, Mc-Clain County, Oklahoma; and Elliot manufactured home, Serial No. EMHOK15318

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court this 18 day of August, 2017.

McClain County District Court Clerk BY: /s/ Kathy Peterson

(Seal)

Collin M. Hinds, OBA #17391 Hinds Law Firm, PC 1611 S. Denver Ave. Tulsa, OK 74119 (918) 582-7472 collin@hindslawfirm.com Attorney for Plaintiff



No. 677-August 17-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF BETTY HILL COOK, Deceased

Case No. PB-2016-68 NOTICE OF HEARING FIRST AND FINAL ACCOUNT. PETITION FOR DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION AND DISCHARGE OF

CO-PERSONAL

REPRESENTATIVES

Notice is hereby given that Sarah Hallowell Painter Bock, the duly appointed and qualified Co-Personal Representative of the Estate of Betty Hill Cook, Deceased, has filed her Final Account. Petition for Decree of Distribution and Discharge of Personal Representative. A hearing has been fixed by the Judge of the Court for the 14th day of September 2017, at 9:30 a.m., in the District Courtroom of Judge Charles N. Gray, County Courthouse, Purcell, Mc-Clain County, Oklahoma, and all persons interested in the Estate are notified to appear and show cause, if any they have, why the Account should not be settled and allowed, the Estate distributed and the Co-Personal Representatives discharged.

DATED this 10th day of August 2017.

CHARLES GRAY ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE JUDGE OF DISTRICT COURT

/s/ James B. Blevins, Jr. James B. Blevins, Jr., OBA #881 Blevins & Associates Law, PLLC 138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565 Purcell, OK 73080 Phone: 405-527-7575

Fax: 405-527-7574 Attorney for Personal Representative

No. 697-August 24-2 Times

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATES OF MAYO BOYD CANTWELL, Deceased, and BETTY JANE CANTWELL, Deceased.

Case No. PB-17-48 NOTICE OF HEARING FIRST AND FINAL ACCOUNT, PETITION FOR DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION, AND DISCHARGE OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

Notice is hereby given that Luanne McIntyre, the duly appointed and qualified Personal Representative of the Estates of Mayo Boyd Cantwell, Deceased and Betty Jane Cantwell, Deceased, has filed her Final Account, Petition for Decree of Distribution, and Discharge of Personal Representative. A hearing has been fixed by the Judge of the Court for the 14th day of September 2017, at 9:30 a.m., in the District Courtroom of Judge Charles Gray, County Courthouse, Purcell, Mc-Clain County, Oklahoma, and all persons interested in the Estate are notified to appear and show cause, if any they have, why the Account should not be settled and allowed, the Estates distributed, and the Personal Representative

discharged DATED this 16th day of August

CHARLES GRAY **ASSOCIATE**

DISTRICT JUDGE JUDGE OF DISTRICT COURT Blevins & Associates Law, PLLC James B. Blevins, Jr., OBA #881 138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565 Purcell, OK 73080 Phone: 405-527-7575 Fax: 405-527-7574

Attorneys for Personal Representative No. 696-August 24-2 Times

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF RUBY LEE BRENTS, Deceased.

Case No. PB-16-13 NOTICE OF HEARING FIRST AND FINAL ACCOUNT, PETITION FOR DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION AND DISCHARGE OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

Notice is hereby given that Debbie Gantz, the duly appointed and qualified Personal Representative of the Estate of Ruby Lee Brents, Deceased, has filed her Final Account, Petition for Decree of Distribution and Discharge of Personal Representative. A hearing has been fixed by the Judge of the Court for the 14th day of September 2017, at 9:30 a.m., in the District Courtroom of Judge Charles N. Gray, County Courthouse, Purcell, McClain County, Oklahoma, and all persons interested in the Estate are notified to appear and show cause, if any they have, why the Account should not be settled and allowed, the Estate distributed and the Personal Representative discharged. DATED this 16th day of August,

2017. **CHARLES GRAY**

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ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE JUDGE OF DISTRICT COURT James B. Blevins, Jr., OBA #881 Blevins & Associates Law, PLLC 138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565 Purcell, OK 73080 Phone: 405-527-7575 Fax: 405-527-7574 Attorney for Personal Repre-

No. 691-August 17-3 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN RE THE MARRIAGE OF: SHIRLEY A. VAN HALEN, Petitioner,

ROBERT WILLIAM CHRISTIAN VAN HALEN, Respondent.

Case No. FD-2013-159 NOTICE BY PUBLICATION State of Oklahoma To: Robert William Christian Van Halen

TAKE NOTICE that you have been sued for divorce in the Mc-Clain County District Court, State of Oklahoma, in the above action. The Petition alleges that petitioner is entitled to a Decree of Dissolution of Marriage from you based on the grounds of incompatibility.

NOW THEREFORE you are notified that you must answer the Petition filed by Petitioner on or before the 27th day of September, 2017. or the allegations contained in the Petition will be taken as true and judgment will be entered against you and in favor of Petitioner as prayed for in her Petition. GIVEN under my hand and seal

this 15 day of August, 2017. Kristel Gray, Court Clerk By: /s/ Scheryl Flores

(Deputy) Approved: ROCHETTE WURTH, OBA #20897

LEGAL AID SERVICES OF

OKLAHOMA, INC. 2600 Van Buren St., Ste. 2606 Norman, OK 73069 Telephone: (405) 360-6631 Facsimile: (405) 360-6632 Attorney for Petitioner

No. 694-August 24-3 Times SAI 301 (2014) 68 O.S. § 3135 NŎTICE TO SELL **COUNTY PROPERTY** ACQUIRED AT RESALE

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the receipt of bid, that I, Teresa Jones, County Treasurer of McClain County, Oklahoma, will on the 13 day of September, 2017, beginning at 10:00 am at my office in Purcell, Oklahoma sell separately the hereinafter described tracts, parcels, or lots of land, all situated in McClain County, Oklahoma and heretofore acquired by said county at the resale authorized by 68 O.S. § 3125. Following the description of each property separately offered for sale is the name of the bidder and the amount bid as follows: Description:

BYAR-00-039-009-0-000-00 Block 39 Lots 9 and 11 less RR, Town of Byars, Oklahoma, AcClain County

Bidder: Dwight McCullar Amount Bid: \$200.00

The said properties will be separately sold to the highest competitive bidder, for cash in hand, or to the original bidder at the amount bid if there be no higher bid offered, subject to the approval of the Board of County Commissioners.

The apportioned cost of advertisement and other expense incident to the said sale shall be paid by the purchaser, in addition to the amount bid upon said properties.

Witness my hand this 23 day of August, 2017.

/s/ Teresa Jones County Treasurer

No. 693-August 24-1 Time IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF KENNETH RAY DURHAM, Deceased.

Case No. PB-2017-84 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 Kenneth Ray Durham, Deceased, that on the 15th day of August 2017, there was filed with this Court the Petition of James Durham praying that Letters of Administration be issued to him as Personal Representative of the Estate, to serve without bond, and for a judicial determination of the heirs of the Decedent. Pursuant to an Order of this

Court made on the 15th day of August 2017, notice is given that the 14th day of September 2017, at 9:30 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 15th day of August 2017. **CHARLES GRAY ASSOCIATE**

Fax: 405-527-7574

Attorney for Petitioner

DISTRICT JUDGE JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT James B. Blevins, Jr., OBA #881 Blevins & Associates Law, PLLC 138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565 Purcell, OK 73080 Phone: 405-527-7575

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF DOUGLAS COUNTY, **KANSAS DIVISION VI** In the Matter of the Adoption of BABY O'BRIEN, a Minor male Case No. 2017 AD 000032 NOTICE OF HEARING THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ANY POSSIBLE FATHER, AND

ALL PERSONS CONCERNED: You are hereby notified that

No. 686-August 17-3 Times

a petition has been filed in said Court praying for an order allowing the adoption of Baby O'Brien, a male minor, and terminating the parental rights of the father. You are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before the 8th day of September, 2017, at 4:30 p.m. on said day in the Douglas County District Court, in the City of Lawrence, Kansas, the Honorable Peggy Carr Kittel, District Court Chief Judge, Presiding, at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said petition.

Austin K. Vincent #11423 2222 Pennsylvania Ave. Topeka, KS 66605-1255 (785) 234-0022 Fax: 234-2927 akvlaw@cox.net Attorney for Petitioners

No. 695-August 24-1 Time IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR McCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM H. SMITH, DECEASED. Case No. PB-17-85

NOTICE OF HEARING PETITION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION AND **DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP** THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO THE HEIRS, NEXT OF KIN, AND CREDITORS OF WILLIAM H. SMITH, DECEASED:

You are hereby notified that Larry H. Smith has filed a petition requesting that Letters of Administration on said estate be granted to him, and requesting that the Court determine the identify of all heirs of the deceased.

Notice is also given that the 21st day of September, 2017, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock A.M., has been appointed as the time for hearing said petition before Charles Gray, Judge of the District Court, in the Court Room of said Judge, at the County Courthouse located at 127 N. 2nd Avenue, #231 in Purcell in said County and State, when and where all persons in said estate may appear and contest the same.

DATED this 16th day of August, 2017. **CHARLES GRAY**

ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE Charles Gray, Judge MARTIN POSTIC, JR., OBA

DAVID M. POSTIC, OBA #32855 POSTIC & BATES, P.C. 2212 SHADOWLAKE DRIVE OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA 73159

405/691-5080 405/691-6329 (FAX) posticd@posticbates.com ATTORNEYS FOR THE PETI-**TIONER**

No. 700-August 24-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARTHA R. MOREHEAD,

Deceased PB-2017-74 NOTICE TO CREDITORS All creditors having claims against Martha R. Morehead, 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 Michael Morehead, Personal Representative, c/o Rita M. Flagler, 3625 W. Main, Suite 101, Norman,

will be forever barred. DATED this 17 day of August, 2017.

Oklahoma 73072 on or before

the following presentment date:

October 20, 2017, or the same

/s/ Michael L. Morehead Michael Morehead, Personal Representative of The Estate of Martha R. Morehead, Deceased RITAM. FLAGLER, OBA#14286 FLAGLER & FLAGLER, P.C. 3625 West Main, Suite 101 Norman, OK 73072 (405) 321-3342 (phone) (405) 321-6724 (facsimile) Attorneys for Personal Representative

The Oklahoma Department of Transportation intends to add the following project to FFY 2017 portion of the Statewide and the Association of Central Oklahoma Governments Transportation Improvement Programs. Please address all written comments to the Strategic Asset & Performance Management Division, Oklahoma Department of Transportation, 200 Northeast 21st Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105, within fourteen days of the date of this advertisement. HIGHWAY NUMBER: US077 COUNTY: McClain

PROJECT LOCATION: BNSF FORCE ACCT FOR THE US-77 BRIDGE RFPLACEMENT PROJECT(27946(04)) AARDOT NO. 012 239W, MILEPOST 417.2, RED ROCK SUBDIVISION (RR

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JOB PIECE NUMBER: 27946(08)

No. 676-August 17-2 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MOSSIE JEAN STEPHENS, A/K/A JEAN WIGLEY STEPHENS, DECEASED CASE NO. PB-2017-70

COMBINED NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND NOTICE OF HEARING To: All persons interested in the estate of Mossie Jean Stephens, a/k/a Jean Wigley Stephens, deceased.

You are hereby notified that on the 10th day of August, 2017, in the District Court of McClain County, Oklahoma, the Order Approving Petition for Summary Administration and Appointing Personal Representative was entered herein, and Toby Fullbright was appointed as personal representative of the above-referenced estate.

The Personal Representative has alleged that the decedent, Mossie

Jean Stephens, a/k/a Jean Wigley Stephens, died on December 30, 2004, at the age of 75, domiciled and residing in McClain County, Oklahoma; and that the total probable value of her property in the state of Oklahoma is less than \$200,000.00.

The names ages and last-known addresses of the administrators

The names, ages, and last-known addresses of the administrators, executors, non-petitioning co-nominees, heirs, legatees and devisees of the decedent, Mossie Jean Stephens, a/k/a Jean Wigley Stephens, so far as known to Personal Representative, are as follows:

Name	Age	Last-Known Address	Relationship
Donna Jean Mann	Adult	P.O. Box 293 Tuttle, Oklahoma 73089	Daughter
Vernon Lee Stephens	Adult	854 Brook- wood Drive Unit 203 Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73139	Son
Toby Fullbright	Adult	5828 NW 135th Street, Suite A Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73142	Personal Representa- tive

In the Order for Combined Notice, entered herein, the Court found that it should dispense with the regular estate proceedings prescribed by law and order notice to creditors and issue an order for hearing upon the Petition tor Summary Administration, the Final Accounting and Petition for Determination of Heirship, Distribution, and Discharge.

Pursuant to the Order for Combined Notice, all creditors having claims against the above decedents are required to present same, with a description of all security interests and other collateral, if any, held by each creditor with respect to such claim to the Personal Representative, Toby Fullbright, c/o Munson & McMillin, P.C., 247 North Broadway, Edmond, Oklahoma 73034. The claim of any creditor will be barred unless the claim is presented to the personal representative no more than thirty (30) days following the granting of the Order for Combined Notice.

Notice is hereby given that this matter has been set for hearing on the 5th day of October, 2017, at 9:30 a.m. before the Honorable Charles Gray, Judge of the District Court, McClain County Courthouse, 121 North 2nd Street, Suite 225, Purcell, Oklahoma. At the hearing, the Court will decide whether to approve the Final Account and Petition for Determination of Heirship, Distribution and Discharge. The Final Account and Petition for Distribution will be filed herein on or before the 15th day of September, 2017.

You are hereby advised that you must file objections to the Petition for Summary Administration and the Final Accounting and Petition for Determination of Heirship, Distribution, and Discharge before the hearing and send a copy to the Personal Representative's attorneys, Munson & McMillin, P.C., 247 North Broadway, Edmond, Oklahoma 73034, 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 fillings with the Court.

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

Dated this 10th day of August, 2017.

CHARLES GRAY
ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE
JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT

/s/ Lucas J. Munson Lucas J. Munson, OBA No. 20789 MUNSON & MCMILLIN A professional corporation 247 North Broadway Edmond, Oklahoma 73034 Telephone: (405) 513-7707 Facsimile: (405) 513-7383 Imunson@munsonmcmillin.com Attorney for Personal Representative

No. 706-August 24-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SHIRLEY MARIE NORMAN, Deceased.

Case No. PB-16-96 NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, in pursuance of an Order of the District Court of McClain County, State of Oklahoma, entered on the 21st day of August, 2017, in the Matter of the Estate of Shirley Marie Norman, deceased, that the Personal Representative of the estate of said deceased will sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash, subject to confirmation by said Court, on or after the 3rd day of September, 2017, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Shirley Marie Norman, deceased, at the time of her death and 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, situate in McClain County, Oklahoma, more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

A part of the Northwest Quarter of Northeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter (NW/4 NE/4 NE/4 NE/4) of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Nine (9) North, Range Four (4) West, McClain County, Oklahoma, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the Northwest Corner of Lot 10, Block 1, Lee's Addition to the Town of Newcastle, McClain County, Oklahoma; Thence West 100 feet; Thence South 140 feet; Thence East 100 feet to the Southwest Corner of Lot 10, Block 1, Lee's Addition to the Town of Newcastle: Thence North 140 feet to the point of beginning.

and A part of the North Half of Northeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter (N/2 NE/4 NE/4) of Section Twenty-two (22),Township Nine (9) North, Range Four (4) West, McClain County, Oklahoma, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the Southwest Corner of Lot 10, Block 1, Lee's Addition to the Town of Newcastle; Thence West 100 feet; Thence South 250 feet; Thence East 100 feet; Thence North 250 feet to the point of beginning.

Part of the North Half of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (N/2 NE/4 NE/4) of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Nine (9) North, Range Four (4) West, I.M., McClain County, Oklahoma, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the Southwest

and

Corner of Lot 10, Block 1, LEE AD-DITION to the City of Newcastle, McClain County, Oklahoma, thence East 100 feet, thence South 250 feet, thence West 100 feet, thence North 250 feet to the point of beginning, containing .57 acres, more or less. LESS AND EXCEPT all oil, gas, and other mineral rights thereto.

upon the following terms: CASH "AS IS"

Bids must be in writing and may be mailed to the office of Mark A. Mathews, P.L.L.C., P.O. Box 1026, Harrah, Oklahoma 73045-1026, delivered to said counsel personally at 1840 S. Douglas, Midwest City, Oklahoma, or delivered in person to the Personal Representative.

DATED this 21st day of August, 2017. Gerald D. Ward, Personal

Representative
By: /s/ Mark A. Mathews
Mark A. Mathews,
OBA #11418
MARK A. MATHEWS, P.L.L.C.
P.O. Box 1026
Harrah, Oklahoma
73045-1026
(405) 454-3323 -- Telephone

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No. 702-August 24-1 Time
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF McCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
OF GRACE CAROLYN KILLGORE,
DECEASED
CASE NO. PB-2017-86

NOTICE OF HEARING
PETITION FOR PROBATE
OF WILL AND FOR
DETERMINATION OF HEIRS,
LEGATEES AND DEVISEES
Notice is given to all heirs,
gatees and devisees of Grace
arolyn Killgore, Deceased ("Deedent"), that on the 17th day of
ugust. 2017. Karen E. Killgore

legatees and devisees of Grace Carolyn Killgore, Deceased ("Decedent"), that on the 17th day of August, 2017, Karen E. Killgore "Petitioner") produced and filed in the District Court of McClain County, Oklahoma a photocopy of an instrument in writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Decedent, and also filed a Petition praying (i) that a date, time and place be fixed for hearing the Petition; (ii) that notice thereof be given as required by law; (iii) that upon the hearing thereof, that the Court determine the identity of all heirs, devisees and legatees of Decedent for purposes of filing waivers or consents herein as permitted by law; (iv) that the Court determine that the Last Will and Testament of the Decedent was duly executed and witnessed in accordance with law, was in existence and unrevoked at the time of death of the Decedent, was lost or inadvertently destroyed and cannot be found and produced for probate at this time; (v) that the Court certify that all of the provisions of the original Last Will and Testament of the Decedent are distinctly stated in

the photocopy of the Last Will and Testament presented herewith; (vi) that the photocopy of the instrument dated December 15, 1983. be admitted to probate as the Last Will and Testament of Grace Carolyn Killgore, Deceased; (vii) that Letters Testamentary be issued to Karen E. Killgore without the requirement of any bond; and (viii) that the Court enter an order stating that the Personal Representative shall not be required to make and return to the Court an inventory and appraisement of the Fstate of Decedent.

Pursuant to an Order of the Court, notice is given that the 14th day of September, 2017, at 9:30 a.m., has been appointed as the time for hearing the Petition, before the Honorable Charles N. Gray, at the County Courthouse at Purcell, McClain County, State of Oklahoma, when and where all persons interested may appear and contest the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have set my hand this 17th day of August, 2017.

/s/ Charles Gray
ASSOCIATE DISTRICT
JUDGE
JUDGE OF THE
DISTRICT COURT
/s/ Kevin B. Ratliff
Kevin B. Ratliff, OBA #18130
HARTZOG CONGER CASON
& NEVILLE

201 Robert S. Kerr Avenue 1600 Bank of Oklahoma Plaza Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102

kratliff@hartzoglaw.com Telephone: (405) 235-7000 Facsimile: (405) 996-3403 ATTORNEYSFOR PETITIONER

No. 705-August 24-2 Times NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO USE GROUNDWATER

Todd A. & Jessica D. Parker of PO Box 579, Lindsay, OK 73052 have filed an application, #2016-577, with the Oklahoma Water Resources Board (Board) for a permit to use 260 acre-feet of groundwater per year. The groundwater is proposed to be used for: (1) irrigation and (2) mining use drilling and primary completion of oil & gas wells, and taken from 130 acres located as follows: 80 acs W2 SE, 30 acs. in the SE SE and 20 acs. in the E2 SE SW of Section 5, T5N, R4WIM, McClain County. The water is to be withdrawn from one (1) well located in same Section 5, and used in McClain County, Oklahoma, as more specifically described in the application. Use of groundwater is governed by Sections 1020.1 and following of Title 82 of the Oklahoma Statutes and rules of the Board, Oklahoma Administrative Code (OAC), Title 785. Chapter 30.

Protests to the application must be in writing and received by the Board at the address listed below and by the applicant at the address listed above no later than September 18, 2017, and contain the following: (1) name, address, and telephone number of the interested person; (2) the particular application number to which the protest relates; (3) specific information to show how approval of the application proposed may directly and adversely affect legally protected interests of the person filling the protest; and (4) a statement of the relief sought by the interested person. A person who sends a letter containing only a general objection or comment will not be deemed to be a party, but the letter will be made part of the permanent record.

If a protest that meets the requirements listed in the paragraph above is filed with both the applicant and Board, a hearing on this application will be scheduled and the applicant and protestant(s) will be advised of the hearing date. Protestants or their representatives must appear at the hearing and present the protest to be considered. Hearings are governed by Section 309 of Title 75 and Section 1020.8 of Title 82 of the Oklahoma Statutes, and the rules of Board, OAC Title 785, chapters 4 and 30. If you have any questions, please contact Mary Nell Brueggen at (405) 530-8800. Board mailing address: Oklahoma Water Resources Board, Planning & Management Division, 3800 N. Classen Blvd., Oklahoma City, OK 73118-2881. Board fax number: (405) 530-8900.

No. 704-August 24-2 Times ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Purcell Public Works Authority will receive separate sealed bids for Sanitary Sewer Line Replacement. Bids will be received at City Hall, located at 230 W. Main St., Purcell, Oklahoma, 73080, until 11:00 AM, on Thursday, September 21, 2017. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud, at 11:00 AM at City Hall.

Project to include Replacing 415 l.f. of 8" sewer line without excavation, five (5) service connections, and 140 l.f. of 4" PVC, Sch 40 service line.

There will be a mandatory prebid meeting held on Tuesday, September 12, 2017 at 11:00 am, in Purcell City Hall, 230 W. Main St., Purcell, Oklahoma, 73080.

All work shall be performed and all construction and material used and furnished shall be in accordance with the Contract Documents prepared by Glenn Sullivan & Associates, Inc., and on file in the office of the City Clerk, located at City Hall.

The Notice to Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Plans and Specifications, Forms of Bid Bond, Performance and Statutory Payment Bond, and other Contract Documents may be examined at the following:

1. City Hall

230 W. Main St.
Purcell, OK 73080
(405) 527-6561
2. Glenn Sullivan & Associates, nc.

103 N. Mercedes Drive, Suite A Norman, OK 73069 (405) 321-7232 A complete set of Plans and

Specifications to prospective bidders may be obtained at the office of Glenn Sullivan & Associates, Inc., (405) 321-7232, upon receipt of a non-refundable deposit of \$50.00.

Inc., (405) 321-7232, upon receipt of a non-refundable deposit of \$50.00.

Each bidder shall accompany his original bid, with a certified or Cashier's Check on a solvent bank located in Oklahoma or a Bidder's Bond, in the amount of five (5) percent of the amount bid, as a quarantee of his ability to perform

the contract bid upon, and that he

will enter into a written contract

with the Owner to perform said

work and/or furnish said materials in accordance with said plans and specifications and furnish the required bonds within seven (7) days after the acceptance of his bid.

The deposit will be retained by the Owner as, and for, liquidated damages in case the successful bidderfails to enter in said contract and furnish the required bonds provided for in the specifications within the time required. Deposit of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned upon the execution of the Contract and required bonds.

Each bidder shall accompany his bid with a sworn statement in writing that the Bidder has not directly or indirectly entered into an agreement, express of implied, with any other bidder or the price or amount of such bid or any bids, the limiting of the bids or bidders, the paying to anyone any money for promotion expenses, the parceling or farming out to any bidder or bidders or other persons of any part of the contract or any part of the subject matter of the bid or of the profits thereof.

A Performance, Maintenance and Statutory Bond in the amount of 100% of the contract price with a Corporate Surety licensed in Oklahoma and approved by the Owner and Engineer, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract, and the bidder shall state in the proposal the name and address of the Surety or Sureties who will sign this bond in case the contract is awarded to him. The Maintenance Bond required will guarantee the repair of all damage due to improper materials or workmanship for a period of one (1) year after the acceptance of the work by the Owner. All bids shall remain on file at

All bids shall remain on file at least forty-eight (48) hours. Bids received more than ninety-six (96) hours prior to the Bid Opening will be returned.

be returned.

Contract to be awarded to low responsive responsible bidder. The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities in the bidding and the right to reject any and all bids in accordance with the

Oklahoma Competitive Bidding

Act. Conditional bids shall not be

accepted.

No. 692-August 24-2 Times REQUEST FOR QUOTATION The Fort Sill Apache Housing Authority is currently accepting a Request for Quotation in accordance with 24 CFR 1000.52 for announcement number FSAHA Rehab # 2017 - 002 READVPR. The project primarily consist of the replacement of exterior siding to one single family home. The project is for performance of services related to carrying out affordable housing activities and will require a contractor who is certified as a Lead-Based Paint

is located in Wayne, Oklahoma.

No. 690-August 17-2 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN
AND FOR MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
In The Matter of the Estate of
BETTY ANN SMITH, Deceased.

Contractor. Depending on the cost

and the budget, other moderniza-

tion or rehabilitation to the home

may be considered. The project

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

Case No. PB-16-55

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Katherine Ann Keeler, personal representative of the estate of Betty Ann Smith, Deceased, having filed in this Court her Final Account of the administration of said estate and Petition for Order Allowing Final Account, Determination of Heirs, Devisees and Legatees, Distribution of Estate, and Final Discharge of Personal Representative, the hearing of the same, which will include a hearing upon various matters requested therein to be taken into consideration by the Court, has been set

To receive a copy of the Request for Quotation please contact the Fort Sill Apache Housing Authority at (580) 588-2298. The Opening Date for the Request for Quotation is August 25, 2017 and will be due by 4:30 pm on September 5, 2017. The Request for Quotation may be submitted to the Fort Sill Apache Housing Authority, 43187 US Highway 281, Apache, OK 73006, faxed to (580) 588-3133, or emailed to shaw.a@fortsillapachensn.gov. In addition, compliance with Davis-Bacon will be required. It is the responsibility of the contractor to verify the Request for Quotation has been received by the Fort Sill Apache Housing Authority prior to the closing date.

by the Court of McClain County, Oklahoma the 14th day of September, 2017, at 9:30 a.m., in the Courthouse of McClain County, in 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, the heirs of said deceased determined, the estate distributed, and the personal representative discharged.

Dated this 15th day of August, 2017.

/s/ Charles Gray
Judge of the District Court
Submitted by:
Darrell G. Ford, OBA #11835
Darrell G. Ford, A Professional

Corporation
P.O. Box 756
118 North Second Street,
Suite C

Purcell, Oklahoma 73080 (405) 527-7049 (405) 527-7256 fax Attorney for the Personal Representative,

Katherine Ann Keeler

No. 698-August 24-2 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
OF ANITA LOUISE NIEHOUS
KUTSCHAN,
Deceased.
Case No. PB-17-75

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
To the Creditors of Anita Louise
Niehous Kutschan, Deceased:

All creditors having claims against Anita Louise Niehous Kutschan, 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 Karl W. Kutschan,

Personal Representative, at the law office of Blevins & Associates Law, PLLC, 138 W. Main, Purcell, OK 73080, addressed to James B. Blevins, Jr., attorney for the Personal Representative, on or before the following presentment date: 17th day of October 2017, or the same will be forever barred. DATED this 17th day of August, 2017.

/s/ James B. Blevins, Jr. James B. Blevins, Jr., OBA #881 138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565 Purcell, Oklahoma 73080 Phone: 405-527-7575 Fax: 405-527-7574 Attorney for Personal Representative

No. 709-August 24-1 Time IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NA-TIONAL ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff.

CHAD W. JOHNSTON; SPOUSE, IF ANY, OF CHAD W. JOHNSTON; JOHN DOE, OCCUPANT; AND MIDWEST REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER, LLC Defendant(s)

Case No. CJ-2016-207 NOTICE OF HEARING MOTION TO CONFIRM SHERIFF'S SALE NOTICE IS GIVEN TO: Chad W. Johnston; Spouse, if any, of Chad W. Johnston; John Doe, Occupant; Midwest Regional Medical Center, LLC, and their unknown successors and assigns, that the hearing on the above Motion to Confirm Sale is set on the 6th day of September, 2017, at 9:00 o'clock a.m., before Judge Edwards at the McClain County Courthouse, Purcell, Oklahoma.

SHAPIRO & CEJDA, LLC 770 NE 63rd St Oklahoma City, OK 73105-6431 (405) 848-1819 Attorneys for Plaintiff File No. 16-128847

No. 707-August 24-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CAROLYN DIANE KOCH, Deceased.

Case No. PB-17-87
COMBINED NOTICE TO
CREDITORS AND NOTICE
OF HEARING FINAL
ACCOUNT AND PETITION
FOR DISTRIBUTION
AND DISCHARGE

To: All persons interest in the Estate of Carolyn Diane Koch, Deceased

You are hereby notified that on the 21st day of August, 2017, the Petitioner, Thomas E. Koch, c/o James B. Blevins, Jr., Blevins and Associates Law, PLLC, 138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565, Purcell, OK 73080, Attorney for Petitioner, filed in the District Court of McClain County, Oklahoma, a Petition for Summary Administration and Appointment of Special Administrator.

The Petitioner has alleged that Carolyn Diane Koch, a married person, died intestate on August 16, 2017 domiciled in and residing in McClain County, Oklahoma. Petitioner has asked this Court for summary proceedings pursuant to 58 O.S. 245, et seq.

In an Order for Combined Notice entered on the 21st day of August 2017, the Court found that it should dispense with the regular estate proceedings prescribed by law and order notice to creditors and issue an order for hearing upon the Petition for Summary Administration and petition for determination of heirs and distribution.

Petition for Summary Administration and petition for determination
of heirs and distribution.
Pursuant to the Order for Combined Notice, all creditors having
claims against Carolyn Diane
Koch, 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 Thomas E. Koch, Special

Administrator, at the law offices

of Blevins and Associates Law, PLLC, 138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565, Purcell, OK 73080, addressed to James B. Blevins, Jr., attorney for the Personal Representative, on or before the following presentment date: September 21, 2017, or the

same will be forever barred. Notice is also hereby given that a final hearing will be held on the 12th day of October 2017, at 9:30 a.m. at the McClain County Courthouse, in Purcell, McClain County, Oklahoma, before Charles Gray. At the hearing the Court will decide whether to approve the Petition for Summary Administration and petition for determination of heirs and distribution of property of the Decedent. The final account and petition for determination of heirs and distribution will be filed herein on or before the 28th day of September 2017.

You are hereby advised that you must file objections to the Petition for Summary Administration and the final account and petition for determination of heirs and distribution at any time before the date of the final hearing and send a copy to the Petitioner in care of his attorney, James B. Blevins, Jr., 138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565, Purcell, OK 73080, 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 final hearing, the Court will determine at the hearing whether summary proceedings are appropriate and, if so, whether the estate will be distributed and to whom the estate will be distributed.

/s/ James B. Blevins, Jr. James B. Blevins, Jr., OBA #881 Blevins & Associates Law, PLLC 138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565 Purcell, OK 73080 Phone: 405-527-7575 Fax: 405-527-7574

Attorney for Petitioner

Matthew Baker • The Purcell Register

Zach Smith (7) takes the

handoff from Toby Prevost (5)

during Lexington's scrimmage

against Lone Grove. The

Bulldogs travel to Lindsay

Friday night for their season

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We're not in game shape. I don't

know too many teams that are."

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From page 1B

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yahoo.com. We will have booths

PURCELL MOBILE HOME PARK is

notifying Barbara Sturm to remove her

home from Lot 87 by Sept. 14, 2017 or

it can become park property under Title

41. 08/17/2tc

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OHAI to present **Diabetes** series at the library

The Purcell Public Library is bringing a discussion on health to the community with its Diabetes Self-Management Series, beginning Wednesday, September 6, at the library, 919 N. Ninth St.

This will be a series of six classes that go into skills for coping with diabetes, including meal planning, managing pain and fatigue, sleeplessness and more. Classes will be presented by representatives of the Oklahoma Healthy Aging Initiative.

Ages 18 and up may attend. Registration is required in advance.

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



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or get too many penalties," he said.

Evan Grice • The Ardmoreite

"If we play the way we can it

Cut up

Gunner Fink totes the mail during Purcell's scrimmage against Plainview. Purcell opens the 2017 season at home Friday night with a clash against the Sulphur Bulldogs.

Veteran's Corner SH 9

FredZacher

For The Purcell Register

The key to a Dragon victory

"We have to hold on to the

ball and not beat ourselves,"

boys trying to help their family survive during the great depression. The Nazi Army was on the march in Europe and Japan was planning a sneak attack in the Pacific. The three oldest boys: Bob, Allen and Gale Jensen were old enough to know that if war came they would have to go.

On Dec. 7, 1941 the Japanese attacked and the boys knew it was time to go. Soon Bob and Gale were in the US Army headed to Europe.

Allen joined the Marines and was soon on his way to the South Pacific. All three boys saw extensive combat and were injured both physically and emotionally by the violence and carnage of war.

After four long years the war was over and they were able to return home. Soon another conflict called and three of the younger brothers James and Joey answered the call. James served in the Marines while Joey and Gus served in the Air Force. James was injured in the battle of the Chosen Reservoir making him the fourth brother to awarded a purple heart. Later, the two youngest brothers Don and Gary answered the call to serve. Don joined the Air Force and Gary the National Guard.

As long as we have men like the Jensen brothers who are willing to answer the call of battle we know we can rest in peace. Don Jensen currently lives in Norman, OK. If you seeing him in the store or meet him on the street please stop and tell him thank you for his service.

The veterans of WWII and Korea came home with mental and physical challenges to over-

come. Today the military and including medical records or the VA are all taking an active military orders. Eight brothers were born interest in both the physical as and reared in York, Nebraska. well as the mental well-being Clinic They were hard working farm of our troops. If you are or Veterans Corner will also at-side of Highway 9. From the someone you know has served in combat please have them come by Veterans Corner. They offer a wide range of help that includes filing disability claims on Tuesdays through Thursday, VA Loan assistance as well as counseling offered by a mobile VA Clinic on Thursdays.

Veterans Outreach Program

Anadarko

Veterans Corner volunteers will be at the Anadarko Community Library (215 West Broadway Street) on Saturday, August 26th from 9 a.m. to Noon. Please help us spread the word in Caddo County that "The Corner" is coming. For those wanting to apply for VA Benefits, please bring a copy of your DD-214 or equivalent and other relevant information

Bob Jensen

U.S. Army

How fortunate our family was

to have eight brothers serve our

country. They all came home.

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tend the Oklahoma VA Health Care System Mental Health Summit on Friday, August 25th.

It will be at the Oklahoma National Guard Regional Training Institute (6500 N Kelley Ave) in Oklahoma City from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Stop by and see us.

Tinker Federal Credit **Union Health Fair**

Veterans Corner will be at the Tinker Federal Credit Union Health Fair on Tuesday, October 4th from 9 a.m. to noon. The event will be held on the second floor of the Reed Conference Center (5750 Will Rogers Road) in Midwest City.

Marlow

Allen Jensen

U.S. Marines

Veterans Corner will be at the Marlow First Baptist Church on Tuesday, September 19th from 9 am till 1 p.m.

Gale Jensen

Gus Jensen

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Location and Hours

Veterans Corner is located just Oklahoma Mental Health south of Norman, 2 miles west of I-35 Exit 106 on the north southwest go four miles north of Blanchard on Highway 62 to Highway 9. Travel east 4 miles to Western Avenue and make a U-turn. Veterans Corner is 1/4 mile west on the north side.

The facility is open from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday and the phone number is (405) 387-5070. They offer extended hours on Thursdays from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. The GPS location is 3805 SE 44th Street, Newcastle, OK 73065.

Donations

Veterans Corner is a 501(c) (3) organization and all gifts are tax deductible. Donations can be sent to: Veterans Corner; P.O. Box 722160; Norman, OK 73070-8635. All proceeds are used to support veterans and their spouses.

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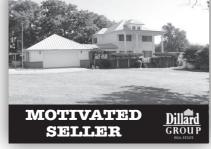
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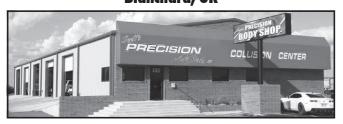
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