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Typo is check forger's undoing

Fake check read 'Pat to the order of,' says sheriff's office.

By **COREY ARWOOD**
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A typo was pivotal in the arrest of a Hillsborough County man now in jail one



Mack

year after he visited two local banks with fake checks nearly \$4,000 drawn on a Lake City metal work and welding shop, reports show.

Travis Rockel Mack, 31, was booked into Columbia County Jail Sunday on three felony charges of theft, fraud and counterfeiting, sheriff's officials said.

On Aug. 29, 2017, Mack, then 30, visited two local Peoples State Bank locations to cash checks for \$2,331 and \$1,331.

Out of the two checks totaling \$3,662, Mack was able to cash the larger, worth nearly \$2,500, at the bank's West US Highway 90 branch, according to a CCSO warrant affidavit.

Earlier that day Mack was turned away and his check confiscated by a teller at the South Main Boulevard branch. The bank notified the owner of Redbud Enterprises Inc., whose account Mack was reportedly trying to access.

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Homeless man jailed for making a scene

By **TONY BRITT**
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A homeless Lake City man who took to hollering and banging on his mother's door for his phone and money, was arrested Sunday morning after a newspaper delivery man called authorities to report his erratic behavior.



Holt

man called authorities to report his erratic behavior.

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TIGERS TOP STATE POLL

1st #1 ranking since 1989



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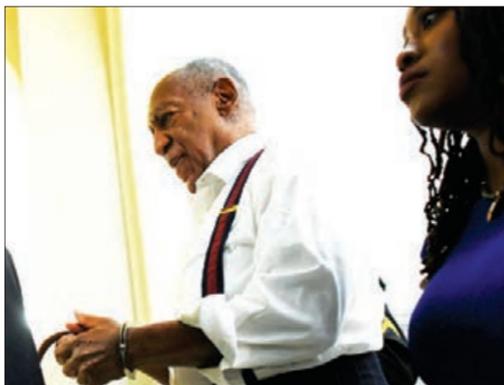
Columbia quarterback Jordan Smith delivers a pass against Robert E. Lee on Sept. 14. Smith and the Tigers are ranked No.1 in Class 7A for the first time since 1989 in the Associated Press state high school football poll released on Tuesday.

COSBY IN CUFFS

Ex-sitcom dad gets Three-plus years for felony sexual assault.

The Associated Press

NORRISTOWN, Pa. — His Hollywood career and good-guy image in ruins, Bill Cosby was led away to prison in handcuffs Tuesday at age 81 for perhaps the rest of his days, sentenced to three to 10 years behind bars for drug-



MARK MAKELA/Pool Photo via AP

COSBY continued on 3A Bill Cosby is taken away in handcuffs Tuesday.

SHORT-TERM RENTALS

Airbnb picks up steam in county

Columbia shows most growth of rural counties in the state.

By **COREY ARWOOD**
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Columbia County topped a Silicone Valley tech startup's list of rural Florida counties experiencing the highest growth in short term rentals, saying visitor rates have tripled and hosts are on the rise in a statewide report.

San Francisco-based Airbnb, founded in 2008, is an online service for people looking to rent their homes or other properties to travelers.

Airbnb Florida public affairs manager Ben Breit said among the 32 counties designated rural by the state, Columbia County was experiencing the greatest growth in interest from Airbnb guests and hosts alike.

"It's growing in demand the fastest," Breit said.

San Francisco-based Airbnb, founded in 2008, is an online service for people looking to rent their homes

or other properties to travelers. The company reported a 215 percent growth in renters visiting the area which translated to 4,000 guests between its Aug. 2017 - Aug. 2018 target range, a 55 percent increase.

As a whole, Florida outdistanced all states for rural growth, with visitors more than doubling over the previous year. Texas was second.

The company touted the supplemental income brought to those statewide, saying its hosts earned \$24.7 million with a 110 percent growth in guests and a total of 125,000 visitors.

Breit said the 40 Airbnb hosts in Columbia County brought in \$285,000 in combined income, which averaged about \$4,900 each.

Airbnb receives three percent of the transactions.

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Voter registration deadline is Oct. 9

By **CARL MCKINNEY**
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The deadline to register to vote in time to participate in the coming midterm elections is fast approaching.

Eligible voters in Florida have until Oct. 9 to register if they want to cast a ballot in the Nov. 6 midterms.

Online registration takes a few minutes. The address is www.registertovoteflorida.gov. Applicants need to enter information from either a Florida driver's license or Florida ID card, as well as the last four digits of their Social Security number.

In-person registration is done through the local election office.

The Columbia County Supervisor of Elections is located at 971 W. Duval St.

To register by mail, eligible voters can print out and complete the National Voter Registration

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New laws take effect Oct. 1

First responders to get some relief, but bee thieves beware.

TALLAHASSEE — Laws will take effect next week that will add benefits for first responders who suffer post-traumatic stress disorder and impose harsher penalties on people who abuse animals, along with 19 other measures signed by Gov. Rick Scott after the 2018 legislative session.

The laws taking effect Oct. 1 range from allowing credit cards to be used for background checks when firearms are purchased to doling out tougher punishment for people who steal bee colonies or trespass at airports.

Most laws crafted during the legislative session, including the state's \$88.7 billion budget, hit the books on July 1. But others had later "effective" dates.

The change for first responders (SB 376) would expand workers' compensation insurance benefits for firefighters, police officers, paramedics and emergency-medical technicians who suffer from PTSD.

The office of state Chief Financial Officer Jimmy Patronis, who has started running a campaign ad that highlights his support for the law, announced last week the launch of training materials for first responders on PTSD.

"We've heard terrible stories about the impact tragedies like Pulse, Parkland and most recently Jacksonville Landing, have on our first responders and their families," Patronis, whose job includes serving as state fire marshal, said in

a statement. "The training is an important step needed to help our first responders."

According to a 2015 article published in the Journal of Emergency Medical Services, 6.6 percent of 4,000 first responders surveyed had attempted suicide, which is more than 10 times the rate in the general population.

Under the new law, first responders who have witnessed the death of a minor or witnessed a death that involved "grievous bodily harm of a nature that shocks the conscience" can file workers' compensation claims for lost wages.

The new law is expected to increase workers' compensation costs for cities and counties that employ first responders by upward of \$7 million, according to the National Council on Compensation Insurance.

Another new law (SB 1576) taking effect next week stems from the beating death last year of a 9-month-old Labrador retriever puppy in Volusia County.

The new law, named "Ponce's Law" after the puppy, will allow judges to bar people convicted of

animal cruelty from owning pets. The legislation also increases the severity ranking of animal-abuse related crimes, making it more likely that offenders would go to jail upon conviction.

Kate MacFall with the Humane Society of the United States hopes the new law will allow judges to make sure people who

mistreat animals are not allowed to repeat the cycle of abuse.

"It gives that judge discretion to say they can't have any contact with animals during their probation," MacFall said. "It clarifies that and gives the judge the authority to have that as part of the sentencing, so that the criminal cannot have contact with animals during their probation."

In addition to dealing with animal cruelty, the new law also creates policies and procedures for animal shelters to use following natural disasters, such as hurricanes, to return lost pets to their owners.

"It puts more teeth into it. It stiffens the penalty for people who abuse animals," MacFall said. "Who wouldn't support that? This all came from a dog named Ponce, that was beaten to

death last year. It was a horrific tragedy."

Other new laws going into place on Oct. 1:

— HB 55, allows people buying guns to use credit cards to pay for background checks. They have been required in the past to pay with personal checks, money orders or cashier's checks.

— HB 135, allows deaf people to voluntarily identify themselves as hearing-impaired when they register vehicles. The idea, which came from a Tallahassee police officer whose son is deaf, is intended to prevent communications issues with deaf drivers that could inadvertently lead to confrontations.

— HB 523, increases penalties to a third-degree felony for people who trespass on airport property to injure other people, damage property or impede the operations of aircraft. The bill is in reaction to instances since 2014 of people getting on property at Florida airports, including Orlando International, Tampa International and Miami International.

— HB 961, allows businesses such as bars to receive up to 10 cases of branded glassware — 24 glasses per container — a year from brewers or importers. Supporters of the "beer glass" bill maintained that the change would allow small businesses to save on the cost of glassware. But a number of craft brewers opposed the measure, arguing it would allow a small number of brewers who could afford the costs to flood the market with company-branded glassware.

QUICK HITS

Scripture of the Day

"And as for me, thou upholdest me in mine integrity, and settest me before thy face for ever."
— Psalm 41:12 (KJV)

Thought for Today

"The only time a woman really succeeds in changing a man is when he is a baby."
— Natalie Wood, 1938-1981, U.S. actress

Winning Lottery Numbers

Pick 3: (Monday p.m.) 2-5-1
Pick 4: (Monday p.m.) 0-4-9-3
Fantasy 5: (Monday) 1-8-13-26-30

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ALL PRO DADS



COURTESY PHOTOS

Westside Elementary held its first meeting of All Pro Dad for the 2018-2019 school year recently. Here, Westside student Emily Owens enjoys the All Pro Dad breakfast and program with her dad, Josh Owens.



Dads and kids were treated to a Chick-fil-A breakfast, and Brad Womble, the chapter sponsor, presented a program on the value of being positive.

THE WEATHER

26 WED Chance of storms HI 92 LO 70	27 THU Chance of storms HI 92 LO 70	28 FRI Slight chance of storms HI 92 LO 70	29 SAT Partly cloudy Light wind HI 92 LO 70	30 SUN Slight chance of storms HI 90 LO 70
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REGIONAL FORECAST MAP for Wednesday, Sep. 26

Wednesday's highs/Wednesday night's low

City	Thursday	Friday
Valdosta	92/72	
Tallahassee	90/74	
Pensacola	85/74	
Panama City	86/76	
Gainesville	92/72	
Ocala	92/72	
Orlando	92/76	
Cape Canaveral	88/76	
Tampa	92/74	
West Palm Beach	90/79	
Ft. Myers	92/76	
Naples	90/76	
Miami	90/77	
Key West	90/81	
Jacksonville	92/74	
Daytona Beach	88/74	
Fort Myers	90/80	
Ft. Lauderdale	88/79	
Key West	90/80	
Lake City	92/73	92/72
Miami	89/79	89/78
Naples	92/75	90/75
Ocala	92/73	92/73
Orlando	93/76	92/76
Panama City	86/75	88/74
Pensacola	84/74	87/74
Tallahassee	90/73	92/73
Tampa	91°/77/pc	92°/76/ts
Valdosta	90/72	92/71
W. Palm Beach	90/79	89/78

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TEMPERATURES	SUN
High Tuesday	93
Low Tuesday	73
Normal high	86
Normal low	67
Record high	96 in 1931
Record low	55 in 2008
Sunrise today	7:21 a.m.
Sunset today	7:21 p.m.
Sunrise tom.	7:22 a.m.
Sunset tom.	7:20 p.m.
Moonrise today	8:41 p.m.
Moonset today	8:37 a.m.
Moonrise tom.	9:17 p.m.
Moonset tom.	9:36 a.m.

MOON: Oct 2 Last, Oct 8 New, Oct 16 First, Oct 24 Full

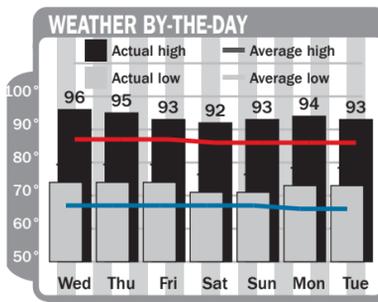
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20 mins to burn
Today's ultra-violet radiation risk for the area on a scale from 0 to 10+.

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WEATHER HISTORY

The afternoon high for Death Valley, Calif. was 104 degrees on this date in 1979, marking the second time in three days that the recorded temperature rose to this value. The real news was that these two days were the coolest afternoons for the entire month.

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COSBY

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ging and sexually assaulting a woman at his gated estate.

The punishment made him the first celebrity of the #MeToo era to be sent to prison and completed the dizzying, late-in-life fall from grace for the comedian, TV star and breaker of racial barriers.

"It is time for justice. Mr. Cosby, this has all circled back to you. The time has come," Montgomery County Judge Steven O'Neill said. He quoted from victim Andrea Constand's statement to the court, in which she said Cosby took her "beautiful, young spirit and crushed it."

Cosby declined the opportunity to speak before the sentence came down, and afterward sat laughing and chatting with his defense team. His wife of 54 years, Camille, was not in court. Constand smiled broadly upon hearing the punishment and was hugged by others in the courtroom.

Cosby's lawyers asked that he be allowed to remain free on bail while he appeals his conviction, but the judge appeared incredulous over the request and ordered him locked up immediately, saying that "he could quite possibly be a danger to the community."

TYPO

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"Upon receiving the check, the teller recognized that it was fraudulent and refused to cash it," the report said. "They confiscated the check and were able to obtain a copy of the person's Florida driver license."

Later the business owner received another notification this time of a successful withdrawal.

However, critical clues on the check itself were identified by the victim who then pointed them out to investigators.

"He pointed out that instead of 'Pay to the order of,' the check was printed 'Pat to the order,'" the report said.

Later both bank tellers identified Mack as the customer they assisted that day.

OBITUARIES

Mary Lillian "LIL" Whiddon

Mrs. Mary Lillian "LIL" Whiddon, 89, of Lake City died Sunday, September 23, 2018, at Baya Pointe Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Lake City. A native of Tifton, GA, Mrs. Whiddon had lived in Tifton and Quincy, FL before moving to Lake City in 1958. She retired as the comptroller for Intra-America Mobile Homes, was of the Baptist Faith, and loved spending time with her beloved family. She also loved decorating her house and had an open door policy for all her kids friends. She was the 1946 Miss Tifton High School and head majorette. She was a past member of the Lake City Junior Woman's Club and Lake City Newcomer Club. She was preceded in death by her husband of 66 years, Ted O. Whiddon in 2015.

Mrs. Whiddon is survived by her son, Heyward Ted Whiddon (Yuriko) "Cookie" of Fleming Island, FL; two daughters, Elaine W. Thomas (Leslie Taylor) and Representative Elizabeth Porter (Andrew) all of Lake City; grandchildren, Trevor and Shannon Thomas of Lake City, Eric



TONY BRITT/Lake City Reporter

U.S. 90 accident

First responders from Columbia County Fire Rescue talk to victims Tuesday afternoon after a wreck around noon at the intersection of Northwest Hall of Fame Drive and U.S. Highway 90. Two SUVs collided as one was attempting to pull out Northwest Hall of Fame Drive and the other was attempting to enter the roadway. The crash involved a black Chevy Traverse and silver Nissan Pathfinder. No injuries were reported in the crash, which blocked Northwest Hall of Fame Drive briefly. The Pathfinder sustained damage to its front bumper, the Traverse to its left rear quarter panel.

DEADLINE

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Form, which must be sent to their local election office.

The form, which must be postmarked by Oct. 9, is available at the U.S. Election Assistance Commission website, www.eac.gov. Click the quick links tab in the top right and select NVRA form.

Those who are under 18 but will of voting age by the midterms can pre-register.

There will be two local school board races on the ballot in Columbia County.

In School Board District 5, incumbent Stephanie Finnell will face challenger Hunter Peeler in a runoff.

In School Board District 1, incumbent Danny Green will face challenger Narrie Smith in

a runoff.

On the state level, Republican Florida House District 10 nominee Chuck Brannan will face Democratic nominee Ronald Williams II and non-party-affiliated candidates Merrilee Malwitz Jipson and Fred Martin.

There are several other races on the ballot, including contests for Florida governor, the U.S. House and Senate.



TONY BRITT/Lake City Reporter

School Board routine

Koral Grimsley (foreground), 12, and Peyton Sapp, 11, members of the Richardson Sixth Grade Academy choral group, perform for school board and audience members during Tuesday's Columbia County School Board meeting.

AIRBNB

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Kim and Bill Becker are one of the 40 Airbnb hosts in Columbia County and are among that 55 percent host growth the company reported.

Having lived in Lake City for about 30 years, Kim Becker said they began renting through Airbnb in September 2017, around the time of Hurricane Irma.

"People needed places to flee," she said.

Becker said she and her husband invested in real estate, purchasing properties locally around the time of the real estate bubble and subsequent downturn in 2008.

With a few additional long term-lease properties already secured in the area, Becker said she was less than enthusiastic in her expectations from Airbnb.

However, she said so far things were, "wonderful."

The eight pages of comments she's accumulated on "The Meadow House" show demand and satisfied customers.

"The expectations were not good and it has way exceeded my expectations," Becker said.

Most people that stay in the three bedroom two and a half bath she rents near I-75 for \$95 a night are in the area for the springs, but she said there are others as well, families looking for larger places to stay while in town for reunions, sporting events, etc.

"Some families just want a traditional house," Becker said. "I've got a playroom for the kids. It's set up so like a family can come in and feel like they're home."

She said at first she was worried neighbors might not like having a Airbnb house in the neighborhood, but through an extensive screening process, and the company's ranking system her visitors were thoroughly vetted before they arrived.

"We screen carefully for the sake of our neighbors and the sake of our property," Becker said.

Local hotelier Nick Patel was unfazed by Airbnb's reported rural successes.

Patel is the owner of Lake City Hotels, a local hotel management company, with a new Hilton franchise on the way.

"I actually do not see them as a threat," Patel said.

Patel sits on the Columbia County Tourist Development Council. Before that he was part of a similar entity in Alachua County that oversaw the emergence of Airbnb there.

"At the same time I consider that there should be a level playing field," Patel said. "What that means is, hotels have to adhere to standards, so should Airbnb."

Patel said that also meant adhering to the various safety inspections, permits and zoning regulations enacted and enforced by local and state government.

Airbnb also reported contributing to state tax and local bases through state collections.

A statement at the end of the press release said, "Thanks to a 2015 tax agreement with the Florida Department of Revenue, Airbnb collects and remits state sales tax on all Airbnb bookings in Florida, which delivered \$33 million to the state in 2017."

Whiddon (Chelsea) and Alex Whiddon all of Fleming Island, Erin Porter Benz (Nathaniel) and Drew Porter all of Lake City; great grandchildren, Jordan Baroni, and Jai Bass both of Lake City, James Whiddon of Fleming Island, Greyson Benz and Anniston Benz of Lake City; brother, Michael Elton Willis (Theresa Ryan) of Tifton, GA.

Funeral services for Mrs. Whiddon will be held at 6:00 P.M. Thursday, September 27, 2018 at the Gateway-Forest Lawn Funeral Home Chapel. Visitation with the family will be held from 5:00-6:00 P.M. (one hour prior to the services). A reception will follow the service Thursday at the Lake City Church of the Nazarene fel-

lowship hall at 3001 HWY 47, Lake City. Graveside services will be held at 11:00 A.M. Friday, September 28, 2018, at Oak Ridge Cemetery in Tifton, GA. Interment will follow. Arrangements are under the direction of

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ANOTHER VIEW

Justice on trial

There's more at stake in Washington this week than the philosophical composition of the U.S. Supreme Court. Judge Brett Kavanaugh is fighting for his name and reputation against the inquisition engineered by the Democrats on the Judiciary Committee of the U.S. Senate, and what is struggling to survive is nothing less than hundreds of years of law, precedent and guarantees of justice inherited from Anglo-Saxon legal tradition. If destroying a reputation without evidence wins the day, the cornerstone of the American judicial system — the presumption of "innocent until proved guilty" — will crumble.

With her surprise witness Christine Blasey Ford to accuse, with evidence, Judge Brett Kavanaugh of attempted rape, Sen. Dianne Feinstein succeeded in disrupting the proceedings to enable a search for witnesses to corroborate the Ford accusation that a drunk, teenage Brett Kavanaugh groped her at a party 36 years ago. Mrs. Ford cannot remember where it was, when it was, who invited her to the party, how she got there or how she got home.

Judge Kavanaugh repeated Monday his unequivocal insistence that it never happened, and the witnesses Mrs. Ford said could authenticate her story said they don't know what she's talking about. No lawyer would go into court with a case like that lest he be cited for mockery of the law. Mrs. Ford asked for an opportunity to tell her story, and the Republican majority on the committee has tried to oblige. Her date to tell the committee the story is finally scheduled for Thursday, but after several postponements to enable her to quibble over arrangements, no one can be sure she will show up. The emergence of a second woman with a similar tale of harassment without evidence further muddies the schedule.

The circumstances of Sen. Feinstein's game have all the earmarks of the down-and-dirty. She sat on the allegation for two months, passing up opportunities to question Judge Kavanaugh in a private conversation and three long days of committee hearings. Then she sprang Mrs. Ford's revelation just as the panel was ready to vote.

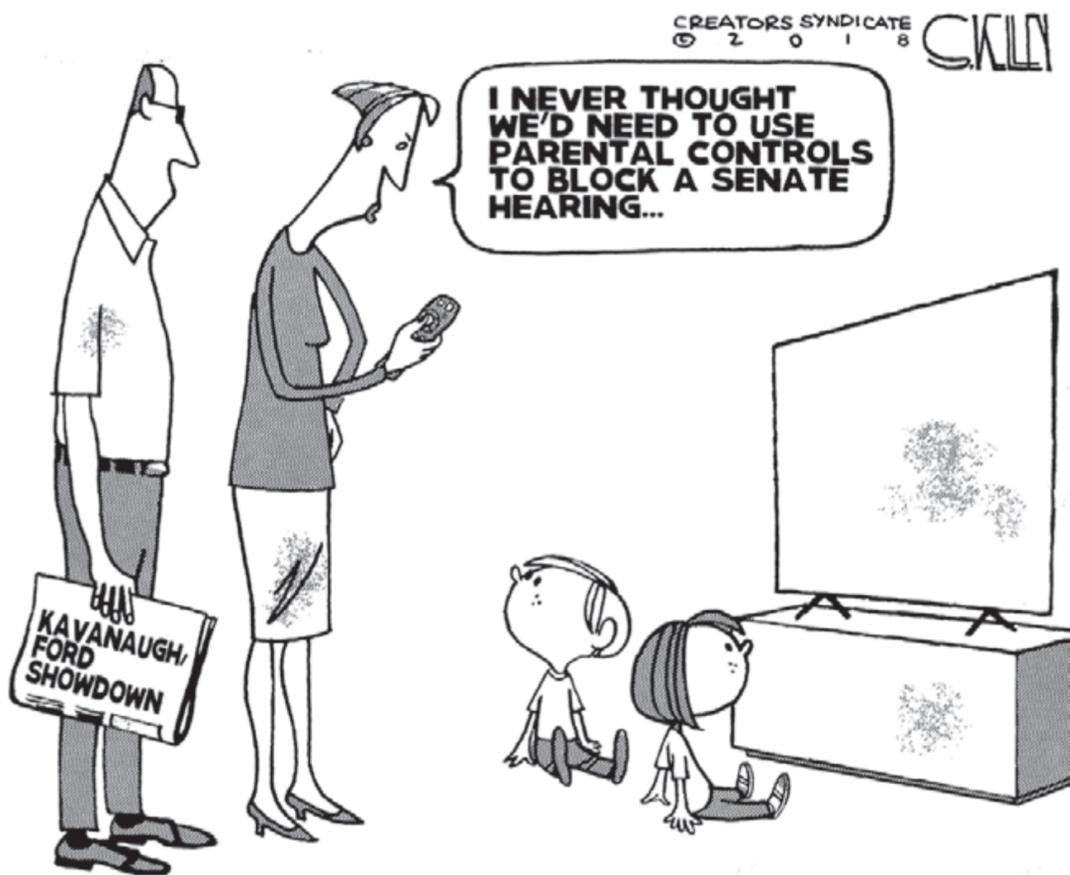
The Democrats had vowed to scuttle the Kavanaugh nomination by any means fair or foul, and they are as good as their word.

Sen. Kirsten Gillibrand of New York says "I believe her because she is telling the truth." Sen. Mazie Hirono of Hawaii dispensed with all pretense that she wants a fair hearing. "I just want to say to men in this country: Just shut up and step up. Do the right thing for a change." As the Red Queen proclaimed in "Alice's Adventures in Wonderland," "Sentence first — verdict afterward."

From the casting couch to the Oval Office, men have used powerful positions to prey on vulnerable women, and men who do that should be called to account. Both men and women are capable of exploiting a weakness for sex with lies, and both men and women should "do the right thing," as Sen. Hirono admonished.

But doing the wrong thing includes bearing false witness, and women no less than men are capable of bearing false witness, which is why, under our system of justice, men and women are presumed to be innocent until proved guilty. Both men and women, including senators from New York to California and beyond to islands in the Pacific, are obliged to put aside their own political and sexual biases to determine who is telling the truth. Justice must be blind, but not deaf.

■ Washington Times



Attacking the republic

It's another sad summation of this nation's political state that an unprovable, 36-year-old, last-minute sexual allegation just could keep the Supreme Court from decades of reestablishing constitutional faithfulness we so badly need. But there you have it, and what you also have is moral chest-thumping on the side pulling this off just as it comes up with a frighteningly ruinous tactic.

We're talking, of course, about calling for an FBI investigation into an allegation from Christine Blasey Ford. A 51-year-old college professor, she says that, when she was 15, a drunken, 17-year-old Brett Kavanaugh got on top of her, felt her body, tried to take off her clothes and put his hand over her mouth before she escaped to a bathroom and locked the door.

But she did not tell anyone about it until six years ago and does not know exactly where or when it happened. Psychologists tell us it is not all that rare for people to get something like this entirely wrong, and the only witness says the story is untrue. So does Kavanaugh, and coming to his defense are 65 women who knew him in his high school days and say he was one highly reputable guy. Think about that for a minute. How many men could count on 65 women putting a halo around their teen years?

It hardly stops there because numbers of women who have worked for and with Kavanaugh have spoken up about his decency and integrity, and then we arrive at



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another matter. Kavanaugh is someone who believes in rule of law, in the court abiding by credible interpretations of what the Constitution says instead of obtuse legalese expressing subjective judgments about what it should say. What we get with that line of thought is a betrayed republic and an oligarchy of appointed, unaccountable justices taking the place of legislatures.

Kavanaugh, who could give the court a constitutionalist majority, performed brilliantly in a clownish hearing and even made it clear he does not think *Roe v. Wade* should be scuttled, a foremost concern of Democratic senators. But then came a particular Democratic senator, Dianne Feinstein, releasing an anonymous letter she had received six weeks earlier. It was written by Ford, who then reached out to the *Washington Post*, which identified her in a story after an interview. Republicans said she could speak at a hearing.

Ford, a Democrat, hired fiercely feminist lawyers and one of them

along with crass Democratic opportunists called for this FBI investigation. The FBI has already checked Kavanaugh out a half dozen times; this goes beyond its duties and there is almost surely no way to verify the charge at this point. A probe could also take months during which President Donald Trump would have to come up with another nominee and Democrats might slow things down and take control of the Senate in the midterms, erasing chances of reform.

Kavanaugh just may have already lost enough votes to count him out, even though some of what we are seeing is little short of madness. If some citizen can come out of the blue with a decades-old allegation and no evidence and have everything come to a halt in a nomination, what's to stop dozens from doing this in the years to come? We already have a Democratic senator, Mazie Hirono of Hawaii, saying men should all "shut up" and women should all be believed and it almost seems this bigotry has become the new, hallowed way of things.

None of this means that Ford herself should be treated with disrespect. She does indeed seem a victim of terrible hurt. It does mean our political process should not give way to political machinations threatening the substance of our republic.

■ Jay Ambrose is an op-ed columnist for Tribune News Service.

Doping: Russian chemists, on your mark!

Perhaps the most galling aspect of Russian cheating in past Olympics was the Kremlin's smirky insistence that it had done nothing wrong. Steroid-laced cocktails behind closed doors, doped-up Russian athletes pilfering Olympic glory — and Potemkin denials at the lectern.

Acknowledgment of guilt was supposed to be a condition for Russia's reinstatement into the international sports community. Russia's anti-doping agency, deemed by investigators to be a key cog in the cheating, could not resume operations until Russia came clean about its state-sponsored doping program.

This week, the World Anti-Doping Agency lifted a ban it imposed on the Russian anti-doping agency in November 2015. That clears the way for the agency to test again, for Russian athletes to compete under their own flag and for Russia to begin hosting international sports events. Chemists, on your mark!

The international sports community's reputation has been battered by years of performance-enhancing drug scandals. WADA's decision will only heighten doubt around the

world about the fairness and integrity of competitions, and the resolve of sports officials to keep cheating out of sport.

Russia's reliance on systematic doping to win medals had the oily feel of East Germany's exploits in the 1970s, when the Soviet satellite's anything-goes thirst for victory included female swimmers as young as 11 being fed steroids.

Russia's methodology entailed athletes at the 2014 Winter Olympics in Sochi getting steroids stirred into either Chivas or vermouth. The Russian anti-doping agency carried out the effort, with the help of Russian intelligence agents who swapped out tainted urine samples with clean samples obtained from athletes months earlier. The dead-of-night exchanges were done at an Olympic testing laboratory, through a small cutout in the wall.

The International Olympic Committee left it to individual sports federations to decide whether Russian athletes could compete at the 2016 Summer Games in Rio de Janeiro. As a result, some athletes went, some had to stay home. Earlier this year at the Winter Games in South Korea, the Russian

flag and anthem were banned, but Russian athletes could compete as "Olympic Athletes from Russia" if they were deemed clean.

Until this week, WADA had conditioned Russia's reinstatement on the government admitting that it oversaw a state-sponsored doping scheme. In the end, WADA settled for Russia's assurance that it would provide officials access to computer records that show which athletes cheated.

Sports officials hoping for earnest reform feel cheated, not just by Russia but by WADA. The *New York Times* quoted Travis Tygart, chief executive of the U.S. Anti-Doping Agency as calling WADA's decision "a devastating blow to the world's clean athletes."

It's also a devastating blow to spectators around the world who watch the Olympics because of its core ideal: Faster, Higher, Stronger — achieved not by taking drugs but through years of grit, sweat and sacrifice. How many of those spectators will continue to watch if "Faster, Higher, Stronger" is determined by pharmacologists, the people with the pipettes?

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

■ To submit your calendar item, stop by the Reporter office or email Robert Bridges at rbridges@lakecityreporter.com

Today

Seed Library in Fort White

The Columbia Seed Lending Library is open at the main library in Lake City on Tuesdays from 2 to 4 p.m. The CCSL meets at the Fort White library on Wednesdays from 2 to 4 p.m. Volunteers are also on hand the first and third Tuesday of the month from 2 to 4 p.m. at the West Branch library located at 435 NW Hall of Fame Drive (off IS Hwy 90 just West of I-75).

Volunteers needed

Lake City Medical Center Auxiliary needs volunteers who have a heart to serve. The auxiliary need volunteers for all positions. Those interested in participating in the program may pick up an application at the Lake City Medical Center Gift Shop or the H2U office. For more, call 386-719-7713.

Thursday

MOAA meets

The Suwannee River Valley Chapter of the Military Officer Association (MOAA) will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, September 27. The meeting will be at the Lake City Elks Lodge, 309 Hernando Street, Lake City, FL. Social time begins at 6:30 pm, followed by dinner and a presentation by former 1Lt Lane Watkins on the WW-II B-17 bomber at 7:00 pm. The meeting is open to all active duty, retired and former U.S. military warrant or commissioned officers and their spouses. For information and reservations please contact Margaret Henry at 386-623-0257 (rhnrymrgt@windstream.net) or Paul Wengert 386-755-6898 (paul@cirinc.com).

Club registration

The Boys' Club of Columbia County is accepting registration for the fall session. All children ages 6-14 are eligible to attend. There are bus pickups from all elementary and middle schools. Fees for the session are \$200. For more, call 386-752-4184 or visit the club on Jones Way in Lake City.

Golf cart drivers needed

Shands Lake Shore Regional Medical Center Auxiliary is seeking volunteer golf cart drivers. 4 hours per week. For more information, please call 386-292-8000, ext. 21216.

Geriatric

Residents are invited to join the Reader's Theater Group on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. at the Lifestyle Enrichment Center, 628 SE Allison Court.

'Preschool Storytime'

"Preschool Storytime," a library program for families with preschoolers, is held on Thursdays at 11



COURTESY

Perfect score at FWES

Talan Shipp received a perfect score on spring assessments at Fort White Elementary School. He is pictured with Superintendent Lex Carswell, Principal Tom Lashley and School Board member Keith Hudson.



COURTESY

Perfect scores at FWHS

Superintendent Lex Carswell and Principal Keith Couey are pictured with Andrew Faul, Keith Hudson, Isaac Padin Kaitlyn Coburn, Annelise Bullard, Dryden Thomas and Navie Andrews, all of whom received perfect scores on spring assessments at Fort White High School.

a.m. at the main branch of the Columbia County Public Library, at 308 NW Columbia Ave. in downtown Lake City. For more information about the library's children's programs, call 386-758-2101.

Bingo at Amer. Legion

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Friday

Dinner and dancing

Dances are held each Friday night from 6 to 9 p.m. at The Lifestyle Enrichment Center, 628 SE Allison Court (behind Baya Pharmacy). \$7 admission. Bring a dish or dessert to share. All proceeds benefit the center. Call 386-755-0235 for more.

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11 a.m. at the main branch of the Columbia County Public Library, 308 NW Columbia Ave. in downtown Lake City. For more about the library's children's programs, call 386-758-2101.

Friday

Art exhibition

The Live Oak Artists Guild, in partnership with the Suwannee River Regional Library, presents a special "Featured Exhibition" at the Suwannee River Regional Library, from September 24 to October 5.

Catholic charities

Do you have a passion for helping others? Do you need volunteer hours for Bright Futures or community service? If so, we want YOU!

Catholic Charities of Lake City needs volunteers to operate our food pantry Monday-Friday from 7:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.

If meeting new people, making new friends, and supporting your local community is what you are looking for, then please come by the office for an application. 553 NW Railroad St, Lake City, FL 32055. 386-754-9180.

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Monday

Al-Anon meeting

An Al-Anon group meets at First Christian Church (403 W. Duval St., Lake City) at 6 p.m. on Mondays and 10 a.m. on Wednesdays. Newcomers group meets on Mondays at 5 p.m.

Tuesday

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HOMELESS

Continued From 1A

Shawn Franklin Holt, 31, faces charges of stalking, trespassing, resisting an officer and disturbing the peace in connection with the case. He was booked into the Columbia County Detention Center on \$1,000 bond.

According to Columbia County Sheriff's Office reports, around 7:27 a.m. Sunday, a deputy was dispatched to a Southwest Russwood Terrace address in reference to a suspicious person. A newspaper deliveryman called authorities when he saw Holt near a home and Holt fled from the home

and back to the street when he saw the newspaper carrier.

The carrier said Holt was lying in the road on Southwest Russwood Terrace when he left the neighborhood.

When the deputy arrived, he spoke to Holt, who was lying on the road in front of his mother's home.

Holt, who has an active trespass warning to keep him off the property, told the deputy he was waiting on his ride and he wanted his belongings from his mother's house.

When the deputy spoke to the homeowner, she explained that Holt arrived at her home and was knocking on her window, after which he would run back to the street.

She said she tried to ignore Holt and

walked outside and threw a phone charger and \$60 in the roadway in hopes that he would leave. However, he continued to call her until she blocked his number and then called 9-1-1.

The deputy told Holt not to go back onto the property and to stay out of the roadway. He walked across to Troy Street and sat on the sidewalk. But not for long.

"I saw Shawn standing on Southwest Russwood Terrace ... pointing and mouthing words towards her home in an aggressive manner," reports said. "When I pulled up to Shawn, he was yelling and cursing in the roadway ... because she would not give him money or his clothes."

The deputy instructed Holt to leave and

he complied, yelling and cursing the whole way.

Around 25 minutes later the deputy was dispatched back to the scene. Apparently Holt had gotten another cell phone from a former girlfriend and was calling his mother's house and banging on the door again.

Holt was then arrested and placed in the back of the patrol car. While in the back of the patrol car, Holt reportedly continued to yell and curse, making derogatory remarks and arguing with deputies on the scene. He also started kicking the patrol car door and hitting his head on the partition, the report said, before he was taken to jail.



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6 powerful benefits of papaya enzyme

I'm sure you've heard of those delicious orange fruits called papayas! Papayas themselves have all kinds of health benefits. For one, they are extremely fiber-rich. Also, the antioxidant content is extraordinarily high and fantastic to help with the maintenance of healthy cholesterol levels and atherosclerosis (the build-up of plaque in the arteries).

Let's focus on papain, the highly beneficial compound found in the leaves and fruit of the papaya. Papain is an enzyme which means it helps drive reactions in your body. For example, if you eat a hamburger, protease enzymes are secreted during digestion that help break down the meat, turning it into smaller protein molecules called amino acids. Enzymes that break down proteins are termed "proteolytic" enzymes. Papain, is also a proteolytic enzyme and it's commonly found in meat ten-

derizer. Here are five other powerful benefits of papaya and papain:

Heal Your Skin and Wounds

Papaya fruit and leaf can both be applied to minor burns and wounds to speed up the healing process. We use a lot of triple antibiotic ointment in the United States, however, where drugs are not heavily promoted or allowed, families use natural remedies. As an example, in Latin America, Hawaii, and Tahiti, papain leaves are used commonly for burns. There are certain gels sold commercially.

Address Sinus & Breathing Problems

Papain can thin mucus, specifically by diluting sinus mucin, a glycoprotein found in mucus. In this way, papain could be great for helping you with chronic sinus infections.

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Reduce Bloating and Diarrhea

In a case study, a male patient with gluten intolerance added papain once daily, every day, for one month (while eating a gluten-free diet) and experi-

enced better digestion, as well as improved stools, dramatically less diarrhea, and an obvious decrease in bloat.

Improve Antioxidant Capabilities

Papain contains compounds that make it a potent antioxidant, helping to protect your body from cellular damage caused by free radicals. Papain, in fact, is an antioxidant on par with strong antioxidant vitamins like vitamins C and E.

Fight Cancer

The specific action papain has on cancer cells is by dissolving the thick protein coating around the cancer cell called fibrin. Other studies suggests that papaya juice has anti-proliferative effects which means it might slow metastasis. Finally, it can induce apoptosis which essentially, makes cancer cells run and hide.

Papaya is obviously loaded with medicinal benefits. I recommend it so long as you're not allergic to it, to its skin or to the pineapple enzyme called bromelain (there's a cross-sensitivity).

It's easy to incorporate papaya and papain into your life. Supplements are widely available too. Supplementation might be a good idea if are supported on acid blocking drugs or PPI ulcer and reflux medications. If you sign up for my free newsletter at my website, suzycohen.com I will send you a longer version of this article, and explain more about this. I'll also share my recipes, a papaya tea recipe and more medical information.

■ Suzy Cohen is a Colorado-based pharmacist who got her start in Gainesville. The Lake City Reporter was the first newspaper to carry her column.

LCMC to observe Breast Cancer Awareness Month

From staff reports

Lake City Medical Center will celebrate Breast Cancer Awareness Month with a theme of "Tackling Breast Cancer Together!"

The celebration will begin with a Pink Day Celebration "Kick-off" for the month in the lobby of the hospital that will see the mayor of Lake City proclaim October as Breast Cancer Awareness

month in Lake City. This celebration will also see Pink Donuts and other complimentary breakfast foods for any guests.

Breast Cancer Awareness month will then see a tailgate style celebration, which will give guests an opportunity to tour Invision Imaging of Lake City and see the latest and greatest in 3-D Digital Mammography,

the Senographe Pristina (recently featured in the Lake City Reporter). This event will be held on Thursday, October 18, between 5 and 6:30 p.m. and will be open to all.

To round out the month, Lake City Medical Center and their affiliate the Cancer Center at Lake City will host a luncheon to showcase how we as

a community are Tackling Breast Cancer Together! This luncheon will feature a panel of physicians and experts on the prevention, diagnosis and most advanced treatment methods of cancer in our community!

To join in on the events, all but the luncheon are open door and no registration is necessary. To reg-

ister for the luncheon on October 30, please visit LakeCityMedical.com or call 800-525-3248.

Another way to participate is by purchasing one of the limited "Tackling Breast Cancer Together" Jersey's available during the month of October. These jerseys are a symbol that we are all on the same team when it comes to bat-

tlng a disease that has an effect on so many families in our community.

All funds will go toward Tough Enough to Wear Pink and the American Cancer Society to benefit those battling with cancer in our community. The jerseys can be seen on Lake City Medical Center's Facebook and purchased by calling (386)719-9371.



COURTESY

Lake City Medical Center, at 340 NW Commerce Drive, has a full slate of events planned for October, which is Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

Drive-thru flu shots at VA in Oct.

In an effort to reduce the impact of the seasonal flu and to save you time, a Drive Thru Flu Shot Clinic is scheduled October 1-31, 2018 at the Lake City Veterans Affairs Medical Center, 619 South Marion Avenue..

It will be available Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. during the month of October (Closed Monday, October 8 for Columbus Day or for inclement weather). The Drive Thru Flu Shot Clinic will be located in the back parking lot off

Division Street - follow signage.

The drive-thru flu clinic is available for enrolled Veterans only. Please ensure you have your Veteran Identification Card.

Many people suffer severe consequences from the flu. It is very important for every Veteran to get his or her flu shot. The flu shot is the only measure of protection from the influenza virus. If you have not had your flu shot yet for the year, ensure you receive one as

soon as possible.

Enrolled/eligible Veterans may also obtain a seasonal flu vaccination at all North Florida/South Georgia Veteran Health System facilities.

If you received the flu shot outside of the VA or for more information on flu vaccine sites, please call the flu hotline at 1-800-324-8387, ext. 103358. Flu shots are also available at regularly scheduled primary care appointments.

— From staff reports

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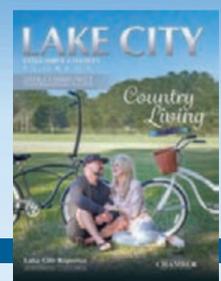
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Section B

PREP FOOTBALL

POLL TOPPERS



Photos by BRENT KUYKENDALL/Lake City Reporter

Columbia football players run out of the tunnel before Friday night's game against Madison County.

CHS grabs No. 1 ranking in state poll for Class 7A for first time since '89.

By JORDAN KROEGER
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Columbia knew it was a title contender before the season started. The rest of the state finally agrees. Well, sort of.

The Tigers jumped to No. 1 in the Associated Press state football poll for Class 7A on Tuesday for the first time since 1989, receiving eight of the 12 first place votes. Friday's win over Class 1A No. 1 Madison County coupled with St. Thomas Aquinas' loss to Class 6A No. 2 Miami Central caused the teams to flip spots in this week's rankings.

But as always, what matters to Columbia is the team that's holding the trophy at the end of the season.

TOPPERS continued on 6B



Columbia quarterback Jordan Smith rolls out to pass against Madison County on Friday.

Class 7A AP State Football Poll

	Record	Pts	Prv
1. Columbia (8)	5-0	116	2
2. St. Thomas (4)	4-1	103	1
3. Lakeland	5-0	97	3
4. Tampa Bay Tech	4-0	81	4
5. Plant	3-1	64	5
6. Dwyer	4-1	60	6
7. Edgewater	4-0	45	7
8. Venice	4-1	39	8
9. Lincoln	3-2	20	9
10. R.E. Lee	4-1	11	10

Others receiving votes: Bloomingdale 9, Riverdale 5, Braden River 3, McArthur 3, Oakleaf 2, Pinellas Park 1, Forest Hill 1.

"I'm happy for my kids that they're getting the recognition from sports writers and those who vote upon the rankings."

— Columbia head coach Brian Allen

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Run defense 1 of few bright spots for FSU

Seminoles heads to Louisville with a 2-2 record.

By BOB FERRANTE
 Associated Press

TALLAHASSEE — Florida State has stumbled out the gate this season and the Seminoles have not looked very impressive.

Though there is one bright spot they can point to: their ability to defend the run.

The Seminoles are 11th in the FBS in rush defense, allowing just 97.5 yards per game. Florida State held

Northern Illinois to six rushing yards on 20 carries in a 37-19 win on Saturday, the lowest total allowed by the Seminoles since they held Colorado to -27 yards in Sept. 2007.

"That's something we'd like to do each and every week," Florida State coach Willie Taggart said. "If we can make a team one-dimensional, it gives us an advantage. That was really impressive by our defense."

They have another opportunity for an impressive performance this week when square off against Louisville in an Atlantic Coast Conference

matchup. The Cardinals have one of the worst offenses in the conference.

NIU's total was also the fewest yards given up by a Taggart-coached team. And Taggart just may see more performances like that as Florida State (2-2, 0-2 ACC) plays at Louisville (2-2, 0-1), which is one of the nation's worst running teams. Louisville is 110th out of 130 FBS teams in rush offense, averaging just 121.3 yards per game.

Florida State lost eight defensive starters from 2017, a group that was also quite good against the run (135.6 yards per

game). But after saying goodbye to first-round pick Derwin James as well as defensive tackle Derrick Nnadi and defensive end Josh Sweat, there were concerns about how a Seminoles defense that was lacking in experience would perform this fall.

The Seminoles held Virginia Tech to 112 rushing yards and Samford to 50 rushing yards before Syracuse broke loose for 222 yards on 57 carries. Florida State trailed the Orange just 6-0 at the half before the time of possession dis-

FSU continued on 2B

PREP VOLLEYBALL: VHS 3, CHS 0

Knights sweep Lady Tigers again

Columbia falls to 1-5 in district play.

By ERIC JACKSON
 ejackson@lakecityreporter.com

Erica Faulkner did everything she could. The Lady Tigers' lone senior put together a valiant performance, recording a team-high 12 digs and nine kills Tuesday night.

But her effort wasn't enough to beat Ocala Vanguard for the first time since 2008.

Columbia couldn't find a groove offensively as the Lady Knights retained

momentum for most of the district contest. While Faulkner starred at times, it was another outside hitter, Alexa Schmidt, who lifted her team to a decisive win.

Schmidt tallied a game-high 13 kills and two blocks, helping Vanguard cruise to a straight set win (25-13, 25-17, 25-15) over Columbia. The Lady Tigers had their spurts — going on a handful of scoring runs — but never quite gained consistency.

"We've got to do better play-calling on the court as far as helping our hit-

CHS continued on 6B



BRENT KUYKENDALL/Lake City Reporter

Vanguard's Re Na Ashley sends a shot over Columbia's Asherah Collins on Tuesday night.

PREP ROUNDUP

Columbia boys golf tops Gainesville

From staff reports

Lance Minson took medalist honors with a 35 to lead Columbia to a 153-195 win over Gainesville on Tuesday at the Country Club of Lake City.

Ty Folsom shot a 38, Zach Shaw carded a 39 and Cameron Widergren went to the club house with a 41.

P.K. YONGE DROWNS CHS SWIMMING

P.K. Yonge defeated Columbia 118-35 on Tuesday.

LADY INDIANS HOLD ON FOR DISTRICT WIN

Fort White went deep into a tiebreaker before edging Bradford in five sets (25-20, 25-23, 18-25, 25-27, 15-12) Tuesday night in a District 4-5A matchup at home.

Paige Dinges led the Lady Indians (4-11, 2-5) with 17 kills and 10 aces while Andrea Steedley defended with 39 digs to go along with her eight kills and five aces to knock off the Tornados (2-13, 1-7)

Rachael Steedley also had a team-high 40 assists with 25 digs and a pair of aces. Aubrey Callum added seven kills and eight aces.

FWHS GIRLS GOLF LOSES TRI-MATCH

Fort White's girls golf



ERIC JACKSON/Lake City Reporter

Columbia golfer Lance Minson takes a swing against Gainesville on Tuesday.

team combined for a 248 on Tuesday, falling to Branford (201) and Newberry (230) in a tri-match on the road.

Sydney Jones and Jackie Adler both carded 55s for the Lady Indians while Erika Manzaneres and Angel Rhodes both finished with a 69.

SEE MORE PHOTOS FROM AROUND THE COUNTY ON PAGE 2B

SCOREBOARD

TV LISTINGS

Today
GOLF
4 p.m.
 FS1 — USGA, U.S. Mid-Amateur Championship, semifinal matches, at Charlotte, N.C.

MLB BASEBALL
4 p.m.
 MLB — Regional coverage, Houston at Toronto OR Miami at Washington

7 p.m.
 ESPN — Milwaukee at St. Louis

10 p.m.
 ESPN — L.A. Dodgers at Arizona

SOCCER
12:20 p.m.
 FS2 — Bundesliga, Fortuna Dusseldorf vs. Bayer Leverkusen

12:55 p.m.
 ESPNEWS — Serie A, Udinese vs. Lazio

2:30 p.m.
 FS2 — Bundesliga, Borussia Dortmund vs. Nurnberg

8 p.m.
 ESPN2 — U.S. Open Cup, Final, Philadelphia at Houston

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East					
W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Miami	3	0	0.100	75	52
New England	1	2	0.333	57	77
Buffalo	1	2	0.333	50	84
N.Y. Jets	1	2	0.333	77	58

South					
W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Tennessee	2	1	0.667	49	50
Jacksonville	2	1	0.667	57	44
Indianapolis	1	2	0.333	60	63
Houston	0	3	0.000	59	74

North					
W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Cincinnati	2	1	0.667	89	77
Baltimore	2	1	0.667	97	51
Cleveland	1	1	1.500	60	59
Pittsburgh	1	1	1.500	88	90

West					
W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Kansas City	3	0	0.100	118	92
Denver	2	1	0.667	61	70
L.A. Chargers	1	2	0.333	82	93
Oakland	0	3	0.000	52	81

National Conference					
East					
W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Washington	2	1	0.667	64	44
Philadelphia	2	1	0.667	59	55
Dallas	1	2	0.333	41	53
N.Y. Giants	1	2	0.333	55	62

South					
W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Tampa Bay	2	1	0.667	102	91
New Orleans	2	1	0.667	104	103
Carolina	2	1	0.667	71	60
Atlanta	1	2	0.333	80	85

North					
W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Chicago	2	1	0.667	63	55
Green Bay	1	1	1.500	70	83
Minnesota	1	1	1.500	59	72
Detroit	1	2	0.333	70	88

West					
W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
L.A. Rams	3	0	0.100	102	36
Seattle	1	2	0.333	65	64
San Francisco	1	2	0.333	73	89
Arizona	0	3	0.000	20	74

Thursday's Games
 Cleveland 21, N.Y. Jets 17

Sunday's Games
 Tennessee 9, Jacksonville 6
 N.Y. Giants 27, Houston 22
 Miami 28, Oakland 20
 Buffalo 27, Minnesota 6
 Carolina 31, Cincinnati 21
 Philadelphia 20, Indianapolis 16
 Baltimore 27, Denver 14
 Washington 31, Green Bay 17
 Kansas City 38, San Francisco 27
 New Orleans 43, Atlanta 37, OT
 L.A. Rams 35, L.A. Chargers 23
 Seattle 24, Dallas 13
 Chicago 16, Arizona 14
 Detroit 26, New England 10

Monday's Games
 Pittsburgh 30, Tampa Bay 27

MLB

AMERICAN LEAGUE
East Division
 W L Pct GB
 x-Boston 106 51 .675 —
 y-New York 97 60 .618 9
 Tampa Bay 87 70 .554 19
 Toronto 71 87 .449 35½
 Baltimore 45 111 .288 60½

Central Division
 W L Pct GB
 x-Cleveland 88 68 .564 —
 Minnesota 72 84 .462 16
 Detroit 64 93 .408 24½
 Chicago 61 95 .391 27
 Kansas City 55 102 .350 33½

West Division
 W L Pct GB
 z-Houston 100 57 .637 —
 z-Oakland 95 62 .605 5
 Seattle 85 71 .545 14½
 Los Angeles 76 81 .484 24
 Texas 66 90 .423 33½

NATIONAL LEAGUE
East Division
 W L Pct GB
 x-Atlanta 89 68 .567 —
 Washington 80 78 .506 9½
 Philadelphia 78 78 .500 10½
 New York 73 84 .465 16
 Miami 62 95 .395 27

Central Division
 W L Pct GB
 Chicago 91 65 .583 —
 Milwaukee 90 67 .573 1½
 St. Louis 87 70 .554 4½
 Pittsburgh 79 76 .510 11½
 Cincinnati 66 92 .418 26

West Division
 W L Pct GB
 Los Angeles 88 69 .561 —
 Colorado 86 70 .551 1½
 Arizona 79 78 .503 9
 San Francisco 72 85 .459 16
 San Diego 63 94 .401 25

z-clinched playoff berth
 x-clinched division
 y-clinched wild card

Tuesday's Games

Baltimore at Boston, ppd.
 Kansas City 4, Cincinnati 3
 Washington 9, Miami 4
 Houston 4, Toronto 1
 N.Y. Yankees 9, Tampa Bay 2
 Atlanta 7, N.Y. Mets 3
 Detroit 4, Minnesota 2
 Pittsburgh at Chicago Cubs, 8:05 p.m.
 Cleveland at Chicago White Sox, 8:10 p.m.
 Milwaukee at St. Louis, 8:15 p.m.
 Philadelphia at Colorado, 8:40 p.m.
 L.A. Dodgers at Arizona, 9:40 p.m.
 Texas at L.A. Angels, 10:07 p.m.
 Oakland at Seattle, 10:10 p.m.
 San Diego at San Francisco, 10:15 p.m.

Today's Games

Miami at Washington, 4:05 p.m.
 Houston at Toronto, 4:07 p.m.
 Kansas City at Cincinnati, 6:40 p.m.
 Baltimore at Boston, 7:10 p.m.
 N.Y. Yankees at Tampa Bay, 7:10 p.m.
 Atlanta at N.Y. Mets, 7:10 p.m.
 Milwaukee at St. Louis, 7:10 p.m.
 Pittsburgh at Chicago Cubs, 8:05 p.m.
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Sanchez, Severino rebound, Yanks top Rays

ST. PETERSBURG (AP) — Struggling Gary Sanchez drove in four runs for the first time since early April, Luis Severino won his 19th game and the New York Yankees beat the Tampa Bay Rays 9-2 on Tuesday night to keep up their push for home-field advantage in the AL wild-card game.

Scherzer gets to 300 Ks, in Nats' win over Miami

WASHINGTON (AP) — Max Scherzer became the 17th pitcher since 1900 to strike out 300 batters in a season, reaching that milestone by fanning 10 in seven innings Tuesday night during the Washington Nationals' 9-4 victory over the Miami Marlins.



SHELBY CONKLIN/Special to the Reporter

Columbia comes up short

Columbia swimmer Mackenzie Conklin swims the 100-yard butterfly during Tuesday's meet. Columbia lost to P.K. Yonge 212-94.



DONNY JOINER/Special to the Reporter

Lady Indians win in five

Fort White's Calista Avery celebrates with teammates after a point against Bradford on Tuesday night. The Lady Indians won the District 4-5A match in five sets.

WEDNESDAY EVENING													SEPTEMBER 26, 2018	
Comcast	Dish	DirecTV	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
3-ABC	3	-	TV20 News	ABC World News	Ent. Tonight	Inside Edition (N)	The Goldbergs	Am Housewife	Modern Family	Single Parents	A Million Little Things "pilot" Ⓜ		News at 11	Jimmy Kimmel Live
4-IND	4	4	News4JAX at 6PM	News4JAX	Ent. Tonight	Inside Edition (N)	Last Man Standing	blackish Ⓜ	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	The 10 O'Clock News (N) Ⓜ		News4JAX	(:35) DailyMailTV
5-PBS	5	-	DW News	Nightly Business	PBS NewsHour (N) Ⓜ		Nature "Owl Power" Ⓜ (DVS)		NOVA "Transplanting Hope" (N) Ⓜ		The Mayo Clinic: Faith -- Hope -- Science Ⓜ (DVS)			
7-CBS	7	47	47 Action News Jax	CBS Evening News	Judge Judy (N)	Family Feud (N)	Survivor "Appearances Are Deceiving" Ⓜ			Big Brother (Season Finale) (N) Ⓜ			Action News	Late Show-Colbert
9-CW	9	17	17 Funny You Ask	Mom Ⓜ		blackish Ⓜ	Burden of Truth "Home to Roost" (N)		Supergirl "Legion of Superheroes"	Dateline "Buried Secrets" (N) Ⓜ			Impractical Jokers	The Game Ⓜ
10-FOX	10	30	30 Action News	Action News	TMZ (N) Ⓜ	Jags Wired	Empire "Steal From the Thief"		Star Star returns home from touring.	Action News	Action News		Action News	(:35) TMZ Live (N)
12-NBC	12	12	12 News	NBC Nightly News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy! (N)	Chicago Med "Be My Better Half"		Chicago Fire "A Closer Eye"	Chicago P.D. "New Normal"			News	Tonight Show
WGN-A	16	239	307 Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing	Last Man Standing
TV-LAND	17	106	304 (5:38) M*A*S*H	(:16) M*A*S*H	(6:54) M*A*S*H	(:27) M*A*S*H	Love-Raymond	Love-Raymond	The Goldbergs	The Goldbergs	Two and Half Men	Two and Half Men	King of Queens	King of Queens
OWN	18	189	279 Police Women of Maricopa County	Police Women of Maricopa County	Police Women of Maricopa County	Greenleaf "Chain of Command"	Greenleaf "The Underdog"		Greenleaf "The Underdog"	Greenleaf "The Underdog"	Greenleaf Grace tends to Sophia.		Greenleaf "Chain of Command"	
A&E	19	118	265 Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	(:01) Storage Wars	(:32) Storage Wars	(:04) Storage Wars	(:34) Storage Wars
HALL	20	185	312 "The Birthday Wish" (2017, Romance)	Jessy Schram, Luke Macfarlane. Ⓜ		"Once Upon a Prince" (2018) Megan Park, Jonathan Keltz, Kayla Wallace. Ⓜ			The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls
FX	22	136	248 Independence Day ** "Transformers: Age of Extinction" (2014, Action)	Mark Wahlberg, Optimus Prime and the Autobots face fearsome challengers. Ⓜ					American Horror Story: Apocalypse (N)	American Horror Story: Apocalypse (N)			American Horror Story: Apocalypse	American Horror Story: Apocalypse
CNN	24	200	202 The Situation Room With Wolf Blitzer	Erin Burnett OutFront (N) Ⓜ		Anderson Cooper 360 (N) Ⓜ			Cuomo Prime Time (N) Ⓜ				CNN Tonight With Don Lemon (N)	CNN Tonight With Don Lemon (N)
TNT	25	138	245 (5:30) *** "Edge of Tomorrow" (2014)	Tom Cruise, Emily Blunt. Ⓜ (DVS)		*** "The Fifth Element" (1997) Bruce Willis. A New York cabby tries to save Earth			in 2259. Ⓜ				*** "The Fifth Element" (1997) Bruce Willis. Ⓜ	
NIK	26	170	299 SpongeBob	Rise of the-Turtles	Henry Danger	Henry Danger	I Am Frankie (N)	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Friends Ⓜ	Friends Ⓜ	Friends Ⓜ	(:35) Friends Ⓜ
PARMT	28	168	241 Mom Ⓜ	(:33) Friends Ⓜ	(:06) Friends Ⓜ	(:44) Friends Ⓜ		(:22) Friends Ⓜ	*** "John Wick" (2014, Action) Keanu Reeves, Michael Nyqvist, Alfie Allen. Ⓜ				** 47 Ronin (2013)	
MY-TV	29	32	- Mama's Family	The Jeffersons	M*A*S*H "George"	M*A*S*H Ⓜ		Dateline "After the Party" Ⓜ	Dateline A Texas man shoots his wife.	Seinfeld Ⓜ	Hogan's Heroes	Hogan's Heroes	Carol Burnett	Perry Mason Ⓜ
DISN	31	172	290 Bunk'd Ⓜ	Bunk'd Ⓜ	(:10) Bunk'd Ⓜ	Bunk'd Ⓜ		Raven's Home	Raven's Home	Stuck/Middle	Stuck/Middle	Bunk'd Ⓜ	Bunk'd Ⓜ	Raven's Home
LIFE	32	108	252 Grey's Anatomy "Only Mama Knows"	Grey's Anatomy "Bend & Break" Ⓜ		Escaping Polygamy Ⓜ		Escaping Polygamy "A Risky Reunion"	Escaping Polygamy "A Risky Reunion"	(:03) Escaping Polygamy Ⓜ	(:03) Escaping Polygamy Ⓜ		(:03) Escaping Polygamy Ⓜ	(:03) Escaping Polygamy Ⓜ
USA	33	105	242 (5:30) *** "Iron Man" (2008) Robert Downey Jr., Terrence Howard. Ⓜ (DVS)		(:05) *** "Iron Man 3" (2013, Action) Robert Downey Jr. A powerful enemy tests Tony Stark's true mettle. Ⓜ (DVS)				Robert Downey Jr. A powerful enemy tests Tony Stark's true mettle. Ⓜ (DVS)				Modern Family	Modern Family
BET	34	124	329 blackish Ⓜ	(:32) *% "Obsessed" (2009, Suspense) Idris Elba. A stalker threatens a married man's idyllic life.		blackish Ⓜ			blackish Ⓜ	(:32) blackish	(:04) blackish	(:36) blackish	(:08) *% "Notorious: Unrated" (2009)	
ESPN	35	140	206 SportsCenter (N) (Live) Ⓜ			MLB Baseball Teams TBA. (N)					MLB Baseball Teams TBA. (N)			
ESPN2	36	144	209 Around the Horn	Interruption	NFL Live Ⓜ		Soccer Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup -- Philadelphia Union at Houston Dynamo.				SportsCenter (N) (Live) Ⓜ		SportsCenter (N) (Live) Ⓜ	
SUNSP	37	-	- Baseball Begin	Rays Pregame	MLB Baseball New York Yankees at Tampa Bay Rays. From Tropicana Field in St. Petersburg, Fla. (N)						Rays Postgame	Inside the Rays	Inside the Rays	Baseball Begin
DISCV	38	182	278 Expedition Unknown	Expedition Unknown	Expedition Unknown	Expedition Unknown (Part 1 of 2) Ⓜ		Expedition Unknown (Part 2 of 2) Ⓜ	Expedition Unknown	Expedition Unknown			Expedition Unknown	
TBS	39	139	247 Family Guy	Family Guy	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Full Frontal	Conan Actress Jamie Neumann. (N)	
HLN	40	202	204 Crime & Justice	Crime & Justice	Crime & Justice	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Forensic Files
FNC	41	205	360 Special Report With Bret Baier (N)	The Story With Martha MacCallum (N)	Tucker Carlson Tonight (N) Ⓜ		Hannity (N) Ⓜ				The Ingraham Angle (N) Ⓜ		Fox News at Night with Shannon	
EI	45	114	236 Total Divas "Breaking the News" Ⓜ	EI News (N) Ⓜ		Total Divas Ⓜ			Total Divas "This Is My House" (N)	Total Divas "This Is My House" Ⓜ	Total Divas "This Is My House" Ⓜ		EI News Ⓜ	
TRAVEL	46	196	277 Mysteries at the Museum Ⓜ	Mysteries at the Museum Ⓜ	Mysteries at the Museum Ⓜ	Mysteries at the Museum Ⓜ			Mysteries at the Museum (N) Ⓜ	Mysteries at the Museum (N) Ⓜ	Mysteries at the Museum (N) Ⓜ		I Found a Fortune	I Found a Fortune
HGTV	47	112	229 Property Brothers: Buying & Selling	Property Brothers: Buying & Selling	Property Brothers: Buying & Selling	Property Brothers "Wishful Building"			Property Brothers (N) Ⓜ	Property Brothers (N) Ⓜ	House Hunters (N)	Hunters Int'l	Property Brothers Ⓜ	
TLC	48	183	280 Say Yes, Dress	Say Yes, Dress	My 600-Lb. Life "Gideon's Story"	My 600-Lb. Life "Janine's Story" An obese woman is nearly immobile. Ⓜ			Dr. Pimple Popper "An American Tail"	Dr. Pimple Popper "An American Tail"	(:03) Forged in Fire "The Schiavona"		My 600-Lb. Life "Janine's Story" Ⓜ	
HIST	49	120	269 Forged in Fire "The Smallsword"	Forged in Fire "The Shamshir" Ⓜ		Forged in Fire: Cutting Deeper (N)			Forged in Fire (N) Ⓜ (DVS)				(:03) Forged in Fire "Knights Templar"	
ANPL	50	184	282 Treehouse Masters Ⓜ	Treehouse Masters	Treehouse Masters	Treehouse Masters			Inspiration from the Greeks and Romans.				Treehouse Masters Ⓜ	
FOOD	51	110	231 Guy's Grocery Games Ⓜ	Guy's Grocery Games Ⓜ	Guy's Grocery Games Ⓜ	Guy's Grocery Games Ⓜ			Guy's Grocery Games Ⓜ		Big Food Truck Tip	Big Food Truck Tip	Guy's Grocery Games Ⓜ	
TBN	52	260	372 Access 360 Ⓜ	The Watchman	Graham Glass	The Potter's Touch	Faith Forward	Turning Point	Joseph Prince	Steven Furtick	Living Proof	Pastor Robert	John Gray World	History: Acts
FSN-FL	56	-	- MLB Baseball: Marlins at Nationals	Marlins Postgame	Inside the Marlins	Inside Seminole Football (N)			Mark Richt	GatorZone (N)	Florida: Dan Mul	Inside N.D. Fight	World Poker	
SYFY	58	122	244 Harry Potter	*** "The Sorcerer's Apprentice" (2010, Fantasy) Nicolas Cage, Jay Baruchel, Alfred Molina. Ⓜ					The Purge Jane must leave the office. Ⓜ	*** "The Sorcerer's Apprentice" (2010) Nicolas Cage, Jay Baruchel. Ⓜ			*** "True Lies" (1994) Arnold Schwarzenegger. Ⓜ	
AMC	60	130	254 (5:30) *% "The Chronicles of Riddick" (2004) Vin Diesel, Colm Feore. Ⓜ						*** "Con Air" (1997, Action) Nicolas Cage, John Cusack. Vicious convicts hijack their flight. Ⓜ					
COM	62	107	249 South Park Ⓜ	South Park Ⓜ	South Park Ⓜ	South Park								

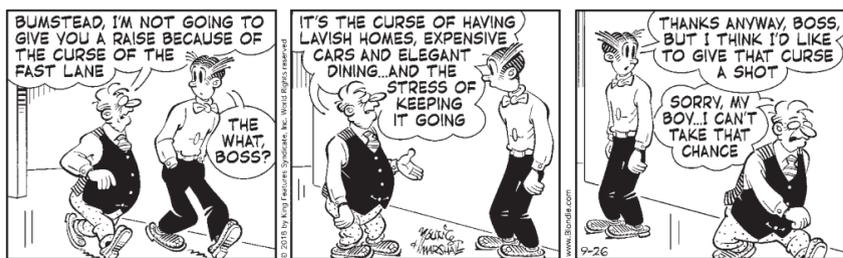
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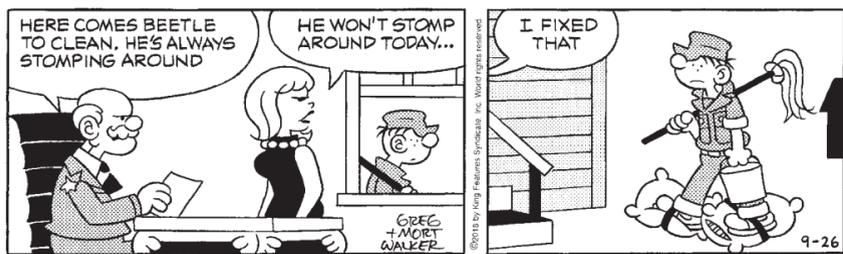
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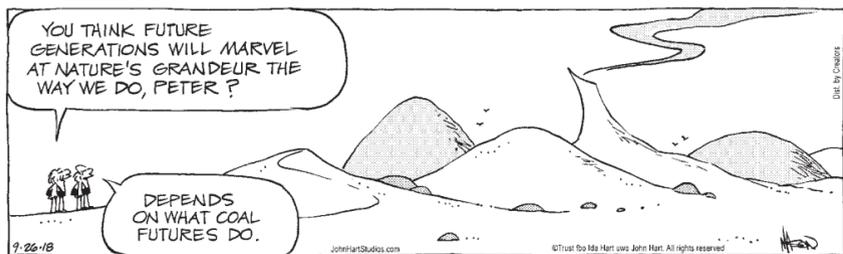
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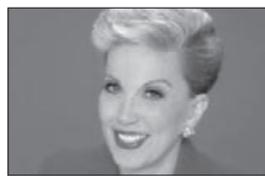


FOR BETTER OR WORSE



DEAR ABBY

Man confesses to long-ago affair with best friend's wife



Abigail Van Buren
www.dearabby.com

DEAR ABBY: I found out a month ago that my wife and my best friend had a relationship 40 years ago when we were in our 20s. My friend hinted about it, so I asked him point blank and he confessed.

Obviously, if you can't trust someone, he's not your friend. My question is, should I ask my wife to tell me what went on or just sweep it under the rug and move forward?

Not a day goes by that I don't wonder what happened to make her stray, or how long the affair went on under my nose. I tried talking to her about it right after I found out, but she started crying, which is one of my weaknesses. I don't like making folks upset, so I took the blame because I wasn't a very good husband. We married very young, and I wasn't ready. -- HURT AND ANGRY

DEAR H AND A: I would love to know your "friend's" motivation for hinting so broadly that he'd had an affair with your wife that you'd ask him point blank. He seems more a troublemaker than a stalwart friend to me.

If you have had a happy 40-year marriage, I think you should let it remain

so. OK, so neither of you were angels. "Divorce" the "friend" and let it go.

DEAR ABBY: I'm 30, married and the only female analyst in an office with 12 men. I love my job and I enjoy working here, but it is very hard to prove yourself as a woman in a male-dominated industry.

There is one other woman in my office, a recently divorced administrator I barely know. She's very open about her online dating and sex life, and I am at a loss. I feel it's extremely inappropriate for her to share detailed information with me in the workplace. I'm also afraid the guys will hear her and take me less seriously as a professional and equal.

I have tried politely changing the subject, ignoring her or avoiding her, but nothing seems to work. I don't want to embarrass her by telling her flat out to not discuss her sex

life with me, but I'm not sure what else I can do? -- COVERING MY EARS

DEAR COVERING: What the woman is doing can be considered sexual harassment, and in most sizable businesses -- yours appears to be one -- there are policies in place to protect employees. I suggest you tell her that hearing about her sexual escapades makes you uncomfortable and to please stop. And if she doesn't, discuss it with either human resources or your employer.

DEAR ABBY: My gentleman friend and I are senior citizens who live together. We have acquired a dog and cat. I pay for the cat's food, vaccinations and litter. He pays for the dog's food and vaccinations.

Last week my boyfriend accidentally slammed the door on the cat's tail. Part of it had to be amputated, and the bill for surgery, drugs, cone, etc. came close to \$400. Neither of us is hurting financially. Who do you think should foot this bill? -- MOTHER OF FUR BABIES

DEAR MOTHER: I think your "gentleman" friend should foot the bill.

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HOROSCOPES | THE LAST WORD BY EUGENIA LAST

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Settle down and settle in. Treat relationships with respect, and be willing to discuss how you would like to see things unfold. Partnerships will need nurturing, not ignoring. Take care of personal business, and you'll feel better. ★★★

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Don't let the changes going on around you disrupt your day. Go with the flow, and you will find a way to navigate your way to greater stability. Love and romance should be priorities. ★★★

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Travel plans will bring you one step closer to a pending problem you've been trying to resolve. What you discover will help you make a decision that will encourage you to do something you should have done a long time ago. ★★★

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Emotional situations can lead to poor choices. Before you get yourself into trouble, you should go over the consequences that will unfold should you decide to be reckless. A youngster or lover will try to manipulate you. ★★

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You need to take a break. If things aren't going your way at home or at work, visit someone levelheaded who can help you see your situation clearly. Overreacting will only make matters worse. Surround yourself with positive people. ★★★★★

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Don't question what others are doing when you should be focusing on what you are trying to achieve. It's up to you to bring about the changes that will make you happy. ★★

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Problems at home or with an older friend or relative should be handled with diplomacy. The changes that occur due to a personal situation will end up being beneficial if you put your time, thought and energy into a positive response. ★★★

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Take precautions if you get involved in physical activities. Don't feel obligated to keep up with someone who may be stronger or better prepared to handle a situation that requires strength. Concentrate more on personal improvement, not competing with others. ★★★

SAGITARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): A change regarding the way you earn your living may come as a surprise. Accept the inevitable; benefits will follow. Home improvements should be made based on your needs or the needs of someone you love. ★★★★★

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Don't sweat the small stuff. Retaliation is a waste of time. How you respond matters. Do so with dignity, integrity and persistence. For those who think like you, your friendship will prosper, and for those who don't, let them go. ★★

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Figure things out for yourself. If you let someone be your leader, you will end up having regrets. Keep your life simple and your overhead doable. Life isn't a competition, and trying to make an impression isn't recommended. ★★★★★

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Explore your options and embrace change. Reconnect with people you have enjoyed working or playing with in the past, and get involved in events and activities that are physically or financially beneficial. ★★★

CELEBRITY BIRTHDAYS

Sept. 26: Philip Bosco is 88. David Frizzell is 77. Kent McCord is 76. Anne Robinson is 74. Bryan Ferry is 73. Mary Beth Hurt is 72. Olivia Newton-John is 70. James Keane is 66. Cesar Rosas is 64. Carlene Carter is 63. Linda Hamilton is 62. Doug Supernaw is 58. Cindy Herron is 57. Melissa Sue Anderson is 56.

CELEBRITY CIPHER
by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

" P R P L S V A Y E O D S V A U L M U A Y S
P O D S A Y L C S V A D R P B V L M R .
O H D W Y T Z S R O M T A U U A M S Y Z U Z S R E A Y A
M L S U Y Z S Z U Z G A T . " — P O Y S Z M D V L Y S

Previous Solution: "I do Broadway... I refuse to succumb to the stereotypical things that Hollywood does to a performer." — Jamie Farr

TODAY'S CLUE: B equals H

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Certificate Number: 1075
Year of Issuance: 2015
Description of Property: SEC 35 TWN 4S RING 16 PARCEL NUMBER 03280-099 THAT PART OF SE 1/4 OF SE 1/4 AS LIES EAST OF LUNSFORD RD & NORTH OF SR 47
Name in which assessed: UNKNOWN

All of said property being in the County of Columbia, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Court-house on Monday the 22ND of October 2018 at 11:00 A.M.

P. DEWITT CASON
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September 19, 26, 2018
October 3, 10, 2018

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Certificate Number: 112
Year of Issuance: 2016
Description of Property: SEC 26 TWN 4S RING 15 PARCEL NUMBER 00401-032 COMM SW COR OF SE 1/4 OF NW 1/4, RUN N 665.53 FT, W 635.80 FT, N 685.51 FT TO POB, CONT N 1310.02 FT TO S R/W CR-242, W 30 FT, S 625.15 FT, W 615.77 FT, S 686.32 FT, E 635.78 FT TO POB. (AKA LOT 32 LANGTREE UNREC) ORB 815-1515, WD 1056-853, DC 1297-49

Name in which assessed: KIM BRADSHAW

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Certificate Number: 1657
Year of Issuance: 2016
Description of Property: SEC 04 TWN 3S RING 17 PARCEL NUMBER 04838-204 COMM NW COR OF NW 1/4 OF NE 1/4, RUN S 743.09 FT TO S R/W DOUBLE RUN RD FOR POB, NW ALONG R/W 30.68 FT, E 119.80 FT, S 810.86 FT, W 439.40 FT TO E R/W OF DOUBLE RUN RD, NE ALONG R/W 219.97 FT, E 239.05 FT, N 582.82 FT TO POB. (AKA LOT 2D OSCEOLA PLANTATION UNR) ORB 841-1104, DC 1147-2795, QC 1156-1904, ORB 1157-1796

Name in which assessed: JAMES ROBINSON O'NEAL
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454585
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October 3, 10, 2018

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL DIVISION
CASE NO.: 2018-322-CA
DAVID FEAGLE, also known as DAVID W. FEAGLE, and ELLEN LENORA FEAGLE, also known as ELLEN S. FEAGLE and ELLEN NORA FEAGLE, Plaintiffs,

v.
CHARLES DONALD WHITTLE as Trustee of the G-B-H TRUST, if living, and if not living, the unknown Successor Trustee(s) of the G-B-H TRUST, or the unknown heirs, assigns, beneficiaries, creditors, or persons claiming by, through, under or against CHARLES DONALD WHITTLE, Defendants.

NOTICE OF ACTION
TO: CHARLES DONALD WHITTLE, as Trustee of the G-B-H TRUST, if living, address unknown, and if not living, the unknown Successor Trustee(s) of the G-B-H TRUST, or the unknown heirs, assigns, beneficiaries, creditors, or persons claiming by, through, under or against CHARLES DONALD WHITTLE: YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action has been filed against you in the Circuit Court of the Third Judicial Circuit, in and for Columbia County, Florida, to quiet title in and to the following property in Columbia County, Florida:

The SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4, Section 19, Township 5 South, Range 17 East, Columbia County, Florida, LESS AND EXCEPT that portion along the East side thereof lying in the right-of-way of County Road No. C-131 (Tustenuggee Road), said lands being subject to an easement along a portion of the North side thereof for Washington Road, a county maintained graded road, containing 9.76 acres, more or less.

and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses to it, if any, on RALPH R. DEAS, ESQUIRE, Attorney for Plaintiff, 227 SE Hernando Avenue, Lake City, Florida 32025, e-mail ralphdeas@deaslawoffice.com, and file the original with the Clerk of the above-styled Court at the Columbia County Courthouse, Lake City, Florida, either before service on Plaintiffs attorney or immediately thereafter, not later than October 18, 2018; otherwise, a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint or Petition.

WITNESS MY HAND and the Seal of this Court on September 12, 2018.
P. DEWITT CASON
Clerk of the Court
By: /s/ S. Weeks
Deputy Clerk

457992
September 19, 26, 2018

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Sec. 197.241.F.S.
Notice is hereby given that TL-GFY, LLC the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property and name in which it was assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 2458
Year of Issuance: 2015
Description of Property: SEC 28 TWN 4S RING 17 PARCEL NUMBER 08815-000 LOT 1 BLK 4 FLORA CREST FARMS UNIT A, EX 0.55 AC DESC ORB 942-586, ORB 360-687, 719-424, 750-572, 523-2325 EX 1.33 AC DESC ORB 1039-600

Name in which assessed: DOROTHY P. BROWN
All of said property being in the County of Columbia, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Court-house on Monday the 22ND of October, 2018 at 11:00 A.M.
P. DEWITT CASON
CLERK OF COURTS
AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT: If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact Carri-na Cooper, Court Administration at 173 NE Hernando Avenue, Room 408, Lake City, Florida 32055, 386-758-2163 at least 7 days before your sched-

uled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

454528
September 19, 26, 2018
October 3, 10, 2018

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Sec. 197.241.F.S.
Notice is hereby given that 5T Wealth Partners LP the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property and name in which it was assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 2643
Year of Issuance: 2015
Description of Property: SEC 05 TWN 6S RING 17 PARCEL NUMBER 09606-000 S 1/2 OF NE 1/4 & 2 ACRES SQUARE IN NE COR OF NE 1/4 OF SE 1/4 & EX 5 ACRES IN NE COR OF S 1/2 OF NE 1/4 EX 50 ACRES OFF WEST SIDE OF S 1/2 OF NE 1/4 & EX 50 AC DESC ORB 1144-2049, ORB 85-39, 85-040, 682-235, CWD 880-1445, DC 1096-220 (Lila Newton), WD 1144-2045, 2047 & QCD 1247-1678
Name in which assessed: FREEMON NEWTON, FRANKLIN NEWTON & ERIN BAKER

All of said property being in the County of Columbia, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Court-house on Monday the 22ND of October, 2018 at 11:00 A.M.

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CLERK OF COURTS
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454464
September 19, 26, 2018
October 3, 10, 2018

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Sec. 197.241.F.S.
Notice is hereby given that TL-GFY, LLC the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property and name in which it was assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 411
Year of Issuance: 2015
Description of Property: SEC 12 TWN 2S RING 16 PARCEL NUMBER 01653-113 LOT 13 ROLLING PINES S/D. ORB 799-1479
Name in which assessed: RAN-DALL T. HOWARD

All of said property being in the County of Columbia, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Court-house on Monday the 22ND of October, 2018 at 11:00 A.M.

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454488
September 19, 26, 2018
October 3, 10, 2018

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Sec. 197.241.F.S.
Notice is hereby given that FIGG 222, LLC the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property and name in which it was assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 2677
Year of Issuance: 2015
Description of Property: SEC 17 TWN 6S RING 17 PARCEL NUMBER 09690-007 COMM SW COR, RUN E 1613.60 FT, N 7.35 FT TO N R/W HAMMOCK RD, CONT N 700 FT FOR POB, RUN E 200 FT, N 100 FT, W 200 FT, S TO POB. ORB 973-728
Name in which assessed: JOHN W WAGER

All of said property being in the County of Columbia, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to

law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Court-house on Monday the 22ND of October, 2018 at 11:00 A.M.

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454547
September 19, 26, 2018
October 3, 10, 2018

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Sec. 197.241.F.S.
Notice is hereby given that TL-GFY, LLC the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property and name in which it was assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 2775
Year of Issuance: 2015
Description of Property: SEC 07 TWN 7S RING 17 PARCEL NUMBER 09939-002 COMM NW COR OF SE 1/4 OF SE 1/4, RUN E TO E R/W OF GRD RD, RUN S 210 FT FOR POB, RUN E 210 FT, S 210 FT, W 210 FT, N 210 FT TO POB. ORB 492-813

Name in which assessed: MURRVIN & YMA SHEPPARD
All of said property being in the County of Columbia, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Court-house on Monday the 22ND of October, 2018 at 11:00 A.M.

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454520
September 19, 26, 2018
October 3, 10, 2018

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Sec. 197.241.F.S.
Notice is hereby given that Olivet Missionary Baptist Church the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property and name in which it was assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 3318
Year of Issuance: 2015
Description of Property: PARCEL NUMBER 12081-000 N DIV: BEG 40 FT E OF NW COR, RUN E 23 FT, S 52.5 FT, W 23 FT, N 52.5 FT TO POB. BLOCK 97
Name in which assessed: AMY PERSON JACKSON

All of said property being in the County of Columbia, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Court-house on Monday the 22ND of October, 2018 at 11:00 A.M.

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454458
September 19, 26, 2018
October 3, 10, 2018

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Sec. 197.241.F.S.
Notice is hereby given that TL-GFY, LLC the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property and name in which it was assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 3444
Year of Issuance: 2015

Description of Property: PARCEL NUMBER 13165-000 E DIV: LOT 34 LAKE VIEW S/D. ORB 304-123, 812-2209, DC John D. Pueschel 847-1080
Name in which assessed: ODESSA CHARLENE CREWS PUESCHEL

All of said property being in the County of Columbia, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Court-house on Monday the 22ND of October, 2018 at 11:00 A.M.

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454514
September 19, 26, 2018
October 3, 10, 2018

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Sec. 197.241.F.S.
Notice is hereby given that FIG 2222, LLC the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property and name in which it was assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 3452
Year of Issuance: 2016
Description of Property: PARCEL NUMBER 14191-000 S DIV: COMM SW COR OF LOT 14, RUN E 77.45 FT FOR POB, RUN N 110.85 FT, E 91.75 FT S 111 FT, W 97.55 FT TO POB. AKA ALL LOT 13 & PART OF LOTS 14 & 15 KRIPNER'S S/D, EX RD R/W. ORB 607-453, 615-767 & DC Margaret, ORB 1198-2135
Name in which assessed: HARRY W. WUEST

All of said property being in the County of Columbia, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Court-house on Monday the 22ND of October, 2018 at 11:00 A.M.

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454581
September 19, 26, 2018
October 3, 10, 2018

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Sec. 197.241.F.S.
Notice is hereby given that O'Bryon Investments Enterprises the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property and name in which it was assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 351
Year of Issuance: 2011
Description of Property: PARCEL NUMBER 01420-001 LOT 61 UNIT 22 THREE RIVERS ESTATES. ORB 740-175, 755-877
Name in which assessed: LINDA SUE BASS

All of said property being in the County of Columbia, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Court-house on Monday the 22ND of October, 2018 at 11:00 A.M.

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CLERK OF COURTS
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454463
September 19, 26, 2018
October 3, 10, 2018

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Sec. 197.241.F.S.
Notice is hereby given that FIG 2222, LLC the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property and name in which it was assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 3522
Year of Issuance: 2015
Description of Property: PARCEL NUMBER 13712-000 S DIV: LOT 11 BLK D CANOVA S/D. ORB 297-290, 650-454-65, 69, 92 & 664-676-81, 665-218, 670-320-328, PF DEED 682-378, PROBATE #88-319CP.

Name in which assessed: MARCIA GEIST THORNTON
All of said property being in the County of Columbia, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Court-house on Monday the 22ND of October, 2018 at 11:00 A.M.

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454540
September 19, 26, 2018
October 3, 10, 2018

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Sec. 197.241.F.S.
Notice is hereby given that TL-GFY, LLC the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property and name in which it was assessed is as follows:

Certificate Number: 874
Year of Issuance: 2015
Description of Property: SEC 08 TWN 4S RING 16 PARCEL NUMBER 02815-018 LOT 17 BARWICK S/D. PROBATE 1110-803 (Life Estate-Kathleen)

Name in which assessed: KATHLEEN HENSLEY, ANNE DEWING, MARIE LEFEBVRE, FRED, TIMOTHY & STEVEN ALLFREY

All of said property being in the County of Columbia, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Court-house on Monday the 22ND of October, 2018 at 11:00 A.M.

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454508
September 19, 26, 2018
October 3, 10, 2018

NOTICE OF BOARD MEETING TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The District Board of Trustees, Florida Gateway College, will hold a public meeting at 5:00 pm on Tuesday, October 9, 2018, in the Dixie County Public Library, 16328 SE Highway 19, Cross City, FL 32628. A Board Reception will be held prior to the meeting at 4:30 pm in the Dixie County Public Library.

In addition to routine college business the following items will be considered:

- Revised Policy 6Hx12:04-01 Accreditation
- New Policy 6Hx12:03-08 Substantive Change

Any person wishing to be heard on any agenda matter will be provided an opportunity to do so by appearing before the Board at the Dixie County Public Library.

All objections to this notice and propriety of the scheduled meeting should be filed with Florida Gateway College prior to noon, Friday, October 5, 2018. All legal issues should be brought to the Trustees attention and an attempt made to resolve them prior to the meeting.

Please notify the FGC Presidents Office immediately if you require accommodation for participation in the meeting.

460006
September 26, 2018

PUBLIC ADVISORY
Please be advised that portions of SW King St. and SW Mauldin Ave. will be closed for two (2) weeks beginning October 8, 2018 for construction. SW Mauldin will be closed from CR 240 to SW King St. SW King St. will be closed from SW Mauldin to SW Dyal Ave. The alternate route will be CR 240 to SW Bishop Ave. to SW King St. and will be marked with Detour Signs.

459873
September 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 2018
October 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 2018

PUBLIC NOTICE
This is to inform you that Suwannee River Economic Council, Inc. will hold a pre-bid conference and walk-thru for the weatherization work of seven (7) single-family dwellings participating in the Columbia County WEA Program. This meeting will be held September 27, 2018 beginning at 8:00am at S.R.E.C., Inc. Outreach office, 971 West Duval St., Ste 183, Lake City, FL. The conference and walk-thru is mandatory, no exceptions, for contractors who plan to bid. S.R.E.C., Inc. requires each contractor to be properly licensed, carry general liability insurance of at least \$1,000,000.00 and Workers Comp insurance during construction. Original bids for these units will be due by 12:00 noon October 4, 2018, at S.R.E.C., Inc. Administrative Office. Please mark envelope "Sealed Bid for Name of Homeowner". Bids are to be opened and awarded October 4, 2018 at 12:30pm. S.R.E.C., Inc. has the right to reject any and all bids. The bids will be awarded on the most cost effective basis. SREC is a fair housing, equal opportunity and ADA employer. Minority and woman contractors are urged to participate.

459737
September 26, 2018
PUBLIC AUCTION
Will be held by Davis Towing & Recover, Inc., in Columbia County at 1226 NW Main Blvd., Lake City, FL 32055

Sale Date: 10/07/18 @ 9:00am
2000 Dodge
387HC13Z8YG143036

Sale Date: 10/15/18 @ 9:00am
2014 Honda
1HGCM66544A102684

Sale Date: 10/16/18 @ 9:00am
2006 Hyundai
5NPEU46C06H164864

459330
September 26, 2018
125-MISCELLANEOUS

GUNSHOW: 9/29 & 9/30 @
The Columbia County Fairgrounds, Hwy 247, Lake City. \$5 Sat 9am-4pm, Sun 9am-3pm. Info: 386-325-6114 or cliffhangersgunshows.com
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235-INSTRUCTION

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305-GENERAL

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Must be able to pass background check and drug screen. Pay based upon experience.
SEND RESUME TO:
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Contact number: 386-337-2277

Auto Accessory Tech will train, clean DMV, call 755-0801 for more information.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COLUMBIA COUNTY
Columbia County Board of County Commissioners Job Vacancy: **Crew Leader** - Full Time Position, \$13.46 per hour. Position Description and Application can be obtained at the Human Resources Office, Board of County Commissioners, 135 NE Hernando Avenue, Suite 203, Lake City, Florida 32056, (386)719-2025, TDD (386)758-2139, or online at www.columbiacountyfla.com. An AA/EEO/ADA/VP Employer. Application deadline: 10/2/2018

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305-GENERAL

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405-YARD SALES

PUBLISHER'S NOTE
All Yard Sale Ads Must be Pre-Paid.

415-AUCTIONS

Estate Auctions: Fri. Sept. 28 @ 6:30 pm, High Springs, FL Hwy 27N, auctionzip.com #20822, 2 Estates, Mah, Oak, Vict. furn, art, jewelry, glassware, primitives, Disney memo, coins, guns, 10% B.P. C. Red Williams AU437/AB3447 352-258-0604

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605-PETS & ANIMALS FOR SALE

Pitbull-Terrier puppies, 1 male, 2 females. \$250 each w/health certificates 352-221-1086

PUBLISHER'S NOTE
Florida Law 828.29 requires dogs and cats being sold to be at least 8 weeks old and have a health certificate from a licensed veterinarian documenting they have mandatory shots and are free from intestinal and external parasites. Many species of wildlife must be licensed by Florida Fish and Wildlife. If you are unsure, contact the local office for information.

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805-HOMES FOR SALE

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Daniel Crapps Agency 397-3002 MLS101622 \$350,000 4/3 near O'Leno St Park on 5+ac, 2 lg master suites, family & formal areas, upgrades thru-out

Remax, Missy Zecher 623-0237 MLS101658 \$98,500 3/1.5 cabin, open kit/dining/living concept w/wood burning FP in fam rm, screened porch.

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Hallmark Real Estate Paula Lawrence 623-1973 \$135,000 MLS101708 4/2, new kit appliances & HVAC this year, newer metal roof, on 5.01 acres

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TOPPERS

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The 1989 team will tell you the same — that squad went 10-1 but lost in the first round of the playoffs to Lake Howell.

“I’m happy for my kids that they’re getting the recognition from sports writers and those who vote upon the rankings,” Columbia head coach Brian Allen said. “I’m happy for the kids, I’m happy for the program and I’m happy for the school. At the end of the day, the final ranking is the one that matters to me most. The thing with that as I always tell my kids is that you have to be careful with that just because you start to believe it and you don’t want anything to slow you down from how you work because you’re ranked a certain way. Once you get those type of rankings, if a team wasn’t already aiming for you everybody is aiming for you...rankings are good, top rankings are good from on perspective that your program is getting the recognition but at the end of the day you have to be able to come out and play your best ball every week because you’re going to get the best effort from your opponents because of those high rankings.”

Aquinas has been No. 1 for the first four weeks of the season before losing 43-27 to Central. There are still some doubts about Columbia from state voters, with Aquinas receiving the other four first-place votes.

A lot of respect is still being given to the Raiders, evident by the fact they’re still ranked ahead of two undefeated teams in No. 3 Lakeland (5-0) and No. 4 Tampa Bay Tech (4-0). Some Columbia players are still carrying a chip on their shoulder as a result.

“They’re going to always underestimate us,” Columbia receiver Bobby Fulton said. “We’re the underdog but I don’t pay any attention to that. I don’t try and get into all that voting stuff. We don’t need big heads or anything. We’ve got to keep playing like we’re in last place in our district.”

Columbia faces another tough test this Friday when it travels to Jacksonville to face Class 5A No. 2 Trinity Christian.

FHSAA RELEASES POINTS STANDINGS

The Florida High School Athletic Association released its first playoff points standings for the season on Tuesday and Columbia grabbed the top spot in Region 1-7A. The Tigers have an average of 48 points through the first five games of the season and hold a huge lead in the region, with Buchholz sitting in second with 42.4 points.

Robert E. Lee was right behind the Bobcats with 42.25. Columbia’s built its large lead in the standings thanks to wins over Buchholz, Robert E. Lee and Madison County.

Allen wasn’t surprised by the standings — he knew Saturday morning thanks to a secret mathematician that’s been crunching numbers for him since the season started. But Columbia was even No. 1 in the standings a year ago through five weeks despite losses to Lee and Madison County.

Victories over those teams this season only increased the margin.

“We were already at the 40-point mark a year ago with the two losses to two 1-tier teams so I knew our number would be up based off of what we’ve done so far,” Allen said. “The big part of it with the way things are going this year is we’re staring the district championship in the face so we’re not worried about having to be the 5-seed playing on the road. Now we’re trying to secure every round of the playoffs here so we want this number to stay good and this game (against Trinity Christian) is a big one and Bolles will be another team that gives us good numbers but we don’t want to only lead our region but (Class) 7A across the state so now we’re that home team for four rounds of the playoffs.”

Oakleaf (41), Edgewater (39.75), Fleming Island (38.4), Lincoln (38.2) and Fletcher (38.2) round out the rest of the potential playoff field.

INJURY REPORT

Columbia could be without two key defenders against Trinity Christian.

Pass rusher Levontae Camiel suffered a concussion against Madison County and is in protocol this week. He’ll be a game-time decision for Friday and he isn’t the only one — defensive lineman Daylon Lumpkin suffered a sprained ankle last week and was in a boot during Tuesday’s practice.

Lumpkin says doctors are concerned there could be a fracture and he’ll find out more today at his doctor’s visit. Allen listed him as game-time decision and also said the team could be without Travis Myers with an undisclosed injury.

Safety Brandon Scott will return to action after missing the last three games with an ankle injury.

INDIANS HAVE HILL TO CLIMB

Fort White would be on the outside looking in if the playoffs started today.

The Indians came in eighth out of nine teams in Region 1-3A in the first points standings released Tuesday, registering 35 points. Only the top six teams makes the postseason, with Fort White currently trailing sixth-seeded Providence and Taylor County by a point.

Fort White hosts Providence next Monday at 6 p.m.

Florida currently holds the top spot with 44.25 points, followed by Baldwin (43.4), St. Joseph (42.6), Pensacola (39.8) and Episcopal (37.5) to round out the top five.



BRENT KUYKENDALL/Lake City Reporter

Columbia’s Erica Faulkner hits a shot towards Vanguard’s Kyndall Kalb (20) and Tamrin Woosnam (16) on Tuesday night.

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ters when they go to hit to read defenses and stuff.” Columbia coach Trudy Andrews said the offensive woes. “That’s something they’re just learning to do, and we did it at times. We’ve just got to get a little bit quicker to help out our hitters in those situations. I thought our hitters and blockers adjusted very well. They did an awesome job blocking. I think that put [Vanguard] on their heels a bit. I’m proud of what this team is accomplishing. We played way better this match than the last at [VHS].”

After suffering a straight set loss in Ocala earlier this month, the

Lady Tigers (5-10, 1-5) showed improvement against the Lady Knights (12-3, 6-1) Tuesday. But again, Columbia was plagued by a rough start — which allowed Vanguard to capitalize on an early advantage in the opening set. Columbia played its best ball of the night in the second set. Asherah Collins registered three of her six kills during the set as the Lady Tigers kept it close against the Lady Knights before ultimately falling 25-17.

“We’re right there, we’re right there,” Andrews said of being a league contender. “I’m extremely proud of the way they’re competing, to be able to hang with these types of teams and compete with them. We’re just going to get better.”

It was more of the same in the final set as Vanguard again got a comfortable lead with the help of unearned points. Vanguard captain Grace Letterly, who finished with 15 digs and 15 assists, anchored the team in the last set, pulling away 25-15.

With five games remaining in the regular season, including matches against Fort White and Eastside, the Lady Tigers look to end the year on a high note before the district tournament begins next month. Columbia hosts Lake Weir Thursday night.

“That helps bring in the confidence,” Andrews added. “And gets us better in areas we might be a little weak at [and] gets us stronger in areas we’re already strong at. We’ve just got to continue working.”

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