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Farm Theft Robbers Arrested by Levy County Task Force Unit



Farm theft in this area has been rampant lately but the Levy County Sheriff's office organized a Street Crimes Unit Task Force to put an end to the robbing of local farmers and agriculture property owners of thousands of dollars of equipment. On April 10 Detective Roger Bell arrested Robert Carter, 20, of Williston; Christopher Chapin, 24, of Williston; James Perry, 22, of Bronson and Darren Reese, 22, of Williston on multiple felony charges.

The investigation began in February 2012 when Levy County farmers began reporting the theft of copper wire from irrigation pivots. During the cover of darkness the thieves would steal the copper wire from the pivots in very remote areas in Williston and Chiefland.

From February through April the subjects stole copper wire from over seven different farms. The subjects sometimes hit farms multiple times and even struck two pivots that were brand new and never been used. The copper wire was valued at over \$50,000 dollars not to mention the aggravation of the farmers not being able to water their crops and the damage to the pivots.

Due to good old-fashioned police work the Task Force drag net tightened and on April 10 Detective Roger Bell, Deputy Scott Stancil and Sgt. Mike Narayan located Chapin, Reese and Carter at 14431 NE 50th Place in Williston. While detectives and deputies conducted interviews with witnesses and suspects they located evidence showing the suspects were burning the wire behind the house to bare the copper wire. They then scrapped the copper to local salvage yards in Williston.

While conducting the investigation at the Williston home detectives noticed marijuana plants behind the house. Robert Carter admitted to growing marijuana and he was charged with cultivation of marijuana, which is a felony charge. Carter was also a suspect in a burglary case unrelated to the pivot thefts. Carter was arrested for burglary, grand theft auto and dealing in stolen property by Corporal Mike Bell. The suspects were transported to the Sheriff's Office for further questioning based on witness testimony.

Detective Roger Bell obtained confessions from Carter, Chapin and Reese stating they were responsible for stealing wire from seven irrigation pivots in the Williston and Chiefland areas. The suspects also revealed that James Allen Perry from Bronson was involved in the thefts. Sgt. Mike Narayan and Major Evan Sullivan located Perry at a Bronson home and he was brought in for questioning. Perry admitted to stealing, assisting as a look out and driving the car to the farmer's field.

In addition to confessing to all the pivot thefts in the Williston and Chiefland areas, the suspects also revealed their plan to do six more pivot thefts the next night in Chiefland.

Since the inception of the full time Ag/Marine Unit Lt. Shawn Hunt has been extremely busy. Maj. Sullivan would like to remind all farmers of the LCSO Ag Watch Program. The Ag Watch Program was developed in 2008 as a means to identify ownership of agriculture properties in Levy County. The program consists of 'No Trespassing' signs and has a code on the Ag Watch signs listing the property/business owner's name and a code number providing deputies on patrol instant access to owner information and agent/lease agreements. The Ag Watch

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Awards Presented to Firefighters and Police Officers at Banquet



Awards Night for Williston Fire Rescue. Photos courtesy of Station 72 WFR

The Firefighters and Police Officers of Williston were duly appreciated and awarded on Friday night, April 13, for their outstanding efforts to keep residents of Levy County safe from fire or criminal.

A full house was present to acknowledge the efforts of the recipients which included:

Firefighter of the Year – voted in by peers and presented by Lamar Stegall, Fire Chief, were two recipients: Thomas Ratchford and T. J. Kerr (who was absent due to fighting a fire at the time in Columbia County).

Police Officer of the Year – Kevin Osborn was presented his two awards by Chief of Police Dennis Strow. He also received a Medal of Commendation.

Most Improved Firefighter – Drake Doherty. Rookie of the Year – went to Tony Moos who is a Firefighter II and EMT. Dispatcher of the Year –

Kim Riddle. Deputy Chief Award – went to WPD's Clay Connolly and to WFR's Blake Raymond. Certificate of Commendation – went to WPD Sgt. James Bond. Civilian Employee of the Year – went to Gail Brown. Distinguished Volunteer – went to Tara Holcomb. Auxillary of the Year – was Rev. Charles Caldwell the WPD Chaplain. Special Recognition – went to John Salmeier for the WPD and for the WFR to Frank C. Cirusuola. David w. Moss Humanitarian Award – went to Dede McLeod.

For pictures of all the award presentations, go to our website at levyjournalonline.com.

Congratulations to all those brave men and women who give of themselves to keep Levy County safe. See page 8A for more pictures.

Levy County Fair Provides Fun for All

The Levy County Fair in Williston gave lots of smiles and fun to the visitors there but all good things must sometime end – and it did on Sunday. The midway atmosphere was filled with rides, food, games, karaoke and queens reigning and new from April 12th to the 15th with something for everyone.

Putting together this feast of fun this year were President Debra Jones, Vice President Norma Myers, Treasurer Jim Smith, Secretary Marc Pompeo along with a host of directors: Larry Myers, Mike Myers, Luann Cox, Sylvia Mercado, Glenn Lewis, Jim and Sue Waggoner, Robin Vick and Judy Yaeger.

Williston High School AROTC and Jr. AROTC opened up the festivities by parking cars and presenting colors. The National Anthem was sung by Jennifer Radder as the visitors enjoyed the freedoms those flags and anthem stand for.

Every type of ride from Merry-Go-Rounds to the Dragon Roller Coaster to the infamous Ferris Wheel entertained and energized their fare from young to old.

For those of the eating variety, good galore was at their fingertips even frozen Coke, the os-so-healthy



Photos courtesy of René Moore

pork rinds and the eternal favorite – pizza.

Crowned this year was six-year-old Little Miss Levy County Fair Lillian Mae Morgan of Williston with first runner-up Kylie Folsom, also 6 years old.

Miss Levy County Fair 2012-2013 was 18-year-old Lily Ann Greenstein, a senior at Williston High School with first runner-up 17-year-old Kelli Hodge.

On the Karaoke stage first place prize of \$300 went to J. T. Hernandez, with second place prize of \$150 to Reggie Stacey, and third's \$50 to Amber Richburg.

For all the time and effort that volunteers put into the Levy County Fair, the participants, contestants, queens and residents say Thank you and we will see you next year. See page 8A for more pictures.

Election Time Approaching

By Kathy Hilliard
Editor

The time for being ready to vote is coming upon Levy County and this nation and there are some details to attend to ahead of time if you want to vote.

According to the elections website for Connie Asbell, Supervisor of Elections at votelevy.com, the Primary Election, for choosing your party's candidate, books close for registration and party changes 29 days prior to the election date and for Levy County that is July 16. Primary early voting will be from Aug. 4 to 11, Sat. – Sat. from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and on Sundays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. On the day of voting in the Primary Election, August 14, the polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

For the General Election the books close for registration and party changes on October 9. Early voting will be from October 27 to November 3, Sat. – Sat. 8:30 a.m. to 4:40 p.m.

and Sundays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. General Election day is November 6 and the Polls are open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

For your voting information the *Levy County Journal* has provided a webpage at our online site, levyjournalonline.com, with all the information on local candidates for you to study 24/7.

It is the policy of the *Levy County Journal* not to endorse candidates. It is our job to provide the information to the citizens of Levy County to make their own decisions.

According to Thomas Jefferson in his correspondence to W. Jarvis in 1820, "I know no safe depository of the ultimate powers of the society but the people themselves; and if we think them not enlightened enough to exercise their control with a wholesome discretion, the remedy is not to take it from them, but to inform their discretion by education. This is the true corrective of abuses of constitutional power."

It will be the endeavor of the *Levy County*

Journal to add to the website list and to this newsprint, information on candidates as the candidates send it to us and also what is relative to the voting process for all to make an informative vote.

Jefferson also stated to E. Carrington in 1787, "The basis of our governments being the opinion of the people, the very first object should be to keep that right; and were it left to me to decide whether we should have a government without newspapers or newspapers without a government, I would not hesitate a moment to prefer the latter. But I should mean that every man should receive those papers and be capable of reading them."

The *Levy County Journal* trusts that the good citizens of Levy County will apply good diligence in their process of deciding the candidates to represent this area in keeping with our values and our culture as it has been over the many years.

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Levy County Sheriff's Office Arrest Report

Allen, Michael, 22, of Fanning Springs: BURGLARY OF OCCUPIED STRUCTURE UNARMED; PETIT THEFT 2ND DEGREE 1ST OFFENSE; FRAUD ILLEGAL USE OF CREDIT CARDS TO OBTAIN MONEY OF LESS THAN \$100.

Bennett, Susie Ann, 56, of Chiefland: PETIT THEFT FROM A MERCHANT, 3RD OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE.

Beyer, Althea, 38, of Ft. Myers: DISORDERLY INTOXICATION IN PUBLIC PLACE CAUSING A DISTURBANCE; POSSESSION OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE WITHOUT A PRESCRIPTION.

Bunt, James B., 48, of Trenton: OUT-OF-COUNTY WARRANT.

Calvillo, Salvador Jose, 33, of Bronson: OUT-OF-COUNTY WARRANT x 2.

Cano, Damian Suede, 18, of Morrilton: POSSESSION OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE WITHOUT A PRESCRIPTION; POSSESSION OF NOT MORE THAN 20 GRAMS OF MARIJUANA; MISREPRESENTATION TO OBTAIN ALCOHOL.

Carter, Robert, 20, of Williston: PRODUCING SCHEDULE 1 MARIJUANA; GRAND THEFT AT LEAST \$300 BUT LESS THAN \$5K x 5; CRIMINAL MISCHIEF WITH DAMAGE TO PROPERTY OF \$1,000 OR MORE x 5; BURGLARY OF OCCUPIED STRUCTURE UNARMED; GRAND THEFT OF MOTOR VEHICLE; DEALING IN STOLEN PROPERTY; TAMPERING WITH OR FABRICATING PHYSICAL EVIDENCE.

Chapin, Christopher Alan, 24, of Bronson: GRAND THEFT AT LEAST \$300 BUT LESS THAN \$5K x 3; CRIMINAL MISCHIEF WITH PROPERTY DAMAGE OF \$1,000 OR MORE x 2; BURGLARY OF UNOCCUPIED DWELLING UNARMED.

Chartrand, Nedra, 18, of Bronson: BATTERY WITH INTENTION TOUCH OR STRIKE.

Cheaves Jr., Jimmy Ray, 29, of Dover, DE: OUT-OF-COUNTY WARRANT.

Coraci, John Anthony, 55, of Williston: OBSTRUCTION OF JUSTICE WITHOUT VIOLENCE.

Dennis, Primus, 31, of Quincy: FAILURE TO APPEAR.

Drake, Wayne Joseph, 45, of Inglis: FAILURE TO APPEAR x 3.

Gonzalez, Luis, 21: OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE WITHOUT A VALID LICENSE.

Graham, Alvin Dale of Williston: OBTAIN GOOD OR SERVICES WITH WORTHLESS CHECK, DRAFT OR DEBIT CARD.

Lopez, Nicolas, 20, of Williston: OPERATING A

Levy County's Most Wanted

Carter, Kinisha S Cross City FTA LARCENY PETIT 1ST OFFENSE \$1,000 BOND	Floyd, Danny C Williston FTA LARCENY PETIT \$7,500 BOND	Keene, Jane R Trenton VP DISORDERLY INTOX \$10,000 BOND	Parker, Rachal Sara Chiefland FTA DWLSR & FLEE/ELUDE \$25,000 BOND	Smith, Jesse Jame Bronson FTA BATTERY \$5,000 BOND	Yale, Rebecca E Newberry CRUELTY TOWARD CHILD \$50,000 BOND

MOTOR VEHICLE WITHOUT A VALID LICENSE.

McKnight, Crystal, 26, of Chiefland: BURGLARY OF UNOCCUPIED STRUCTURE UNARMED; PETIT THEFT 2ND DEGREE, 1ST OFFENSE.

Moore, Samuel, 67, of Chiefland: FAILURE TO REGISTER A MOTOR VEHICLE.

Morris, David Robert, 33, of Old Town: FAILURE TO APPEAR x 2.

Murphy, Ryan Patrick, 27, of Bartow: VOP.

Parhm, Larry D., 56, Bronson: DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED, HABITUAL OFFENDER.

Perry, James Allen, 22, of Bronson: GRAND THEFT OT AT LEAST \$300 BUT LESS THAN \$5K x 3; CRIMINAL MISCHIEF RESULTING IN PROPERTY DAMAGE OF \$1,000 OR MORE x 3.

Reese, Darren Harvey, 22, of Williston: GRAND THEFT OF \$300 BUT LESS THAN \$5K x 5; CRIMINAL MISCHIEF RESULTING IN PROPERTY DAMAGE OF \$1,000 OR MORE x 5.

Reynoso, Paul Roy, 32, of Chiefland: NON SUPPORT OF CHILDREN OR SPOUSE.

Scobier, Peyton Trey, 19, of Archer: DISORDERLY INTOXICATION IN A PUBLIC PLACE CAUSING A DISTURBANCE; CONTRIBUTING TO THE DELINQUENCY OF A MINOR.

Steed, Jessica, 21, of Chiefland: GRAND THEFT OF MOTOR VEHICLE.

Tate, Allen C., 50, of Archer: DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED, HABITUAL OFFENDER.

Teckenbrock, Kyle Dane, 21, of Bell: CRIMINAL MISCHIEF RESULTING IN PROPERTY DAMAGE OF \$1,000 OR MORE.

Walker, Jesse Colton, 23, of Old Town: VOP x 4.

Williams, Joseph Lawrence, 30, of O'Brien: VOP x 2.

Williston Police Department Arrests

Brochetti, Mallory, 20, of Williston was arrested after found driving a vehicle with unlawfully dark tinted windows and the officer smelled marijuana in the truck. Upon inspection the WPD officer found three burnt blunts with marijuana inside and a small clump of marijuana in the center console weighing 4.2 grams. Brochetti was arrested for possession of marijuana and transported to the Levy County detention.

Cano, Damian Suede, 18, of Morrilton was arrested by WPD while sitting in his vehicle at the Williston Arms Apartment complex and being reported as suspicious by a resident there. In his vehicle the WPD officer found 10.4 grams of marijuana, hash of 4.2 grams and vodka in the possession of a minor. Cano was transported to the Levy County jail without incidence.

Gonzalez, Luis A. Calderon, 21, was arrested by the Williston Police Department driving a white Dodge truck and running a red light at CR 316 and US 41 without a valid driver's license. Gonzalez had a permanent resident card. Calderon was transported to the Levy County jail.

Lopez, Nicolas Perez, 20, of Williston was arrested for no valid driver's license by WPD after Lopez was stopped in the 600 block of N. Main Street in Williston for doing 50 mph in a 35 mpg zone. Lopez could not produce a valid license nor remember where he lived. A friend with a valid license took possession of the truck and drove it to Lopez's house and called the WPD back with his home address.

Padilla, Silvino, 37, of Dunnellon was observed driving a truck with the right headlight not working. After the officer stopped the vehicle Padilla was unable to provide a valid driver's license which had expired in 2006. Padilla is not a US citizen and has no binding ties to the county. Padilla was arrested, transported to WPD and then to the Levy County jail.

Commercial Robberies in Three Counties Stopped by Law Enforcement Task Force



A string of forcible robberies in the Levy, Marion and Citrus county area has been broken by the diligence and hard work of a Task Force organized to do just that. On Saturday April 14 Levy County Sheriff's office Task Force detectives arrested David J. Morin, 31, from Dunnellon for several commercial robberies.

On March 7 unknown robbers forcibly entered the Kwik King store in Morrilton and stole several thousand dollars worth of cigarettes, lottery tickets and also caused property damage in the thousands of dollars. The group of thugs continued their crime spree entering the Kwik King in Morrilton a total of three times and also forcibly entered the Morris Junction BP Station.

At this time the Levy County Sheriff's office organized the Task Force to bring the crime spree to an end and started conducting stakeouts throughout Levy County. Levy detectives

discovered the suspects would strike stores Sunday through Thursday between the hours of 9:30 p.m. and 5 a.m. The suspects went on to commit three more burglaries in Marion County and are suspected of one burglary in Citrus County.

Continued investigation revealed the Levy/Marion/Citrus burglaries were similar and it was believed that the same individuals were working the crimes in three county areas.

The Task Force investigation developed a suspect vehicle, a 2011 Ford F-250 and on Saturday, April 14 Deputy Adam Parker with the Marion County Sheriff's office located the truck in the Lake Tropicana subdivision. Upon stopping the truck Deputy Parker located stolen cigarettes inside the truck and the suspects were detained for questions.

Levy County Task Force agents Sgt. Mike Narayan, Detective Jay Crooms and Deputy Scott Stancil responded to Marion County and conducted the interview with Morin. The interrogation resulted in Morin confessing to the three burglaries in Levy County and three burglaries in Marion County which resulted in a search warrant being executed in Marion County. The search warrant resulted in the seizure of stolen cigarettes, a sledge hammer, yellow crow bar and clothing from the residence.

This investigation is continuing in all three counties and more arrests are expected.

—Information provided by the Levy County Sheriff's Office.

Early Morning Accident in Williston Proves Fatal to Motorcyclist

Thursday, April 12 at 6:30 in the morning Angie Brewer, 69, of Williston, was driving her 2006 Chevrolet east on SW 12 Ave in Williston while Jeremy R. Wahl, 28, of Summerfield was headed west on 12 Ave on his 2008 Suzuki motorcycle. Brewer went to make a left turn onto South Main Street but failed to see Wahl on his motorcycle and Wahl struck the right front of Brewer's Chevy. Wahl was ejected onto the roadway within the intersection. The Chevy stopped on the east shoulder of South Main Street.

Brewer was not hurt and was wearing a seatbelt. Jeremy Wahl was pronounced deceased at the scene by the Levy County EMS. Wahl was wearing a helmet.

As of time of printing, 4/17/12, charges are still pending. —Information provided by the Florida Highway Patrol.

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Program is open to qualified agriculture persons whose interest is in, and limited to, agriculture-related activities. The Ag Watch Program is free and if anyone is interested in participating in the program, please contact Lt. Sean Mullins.

Arrests in these felony activities: Robert James Carter - Grand Theft, Felony Criminal Mischief, Burglary, Auto Theft, Dealing in Stolen Property, Bond: \$805,000; Christopher Alan Chapin - Grand Theft, Felony Criminal Mischief, Bond: \$ 300,000; James Allen Perry - Grand Theft, Felony Criminal Mischief, Bond: \$450,000; Darren Harvey Reese - Grand Theft, Felony Criminal Mischief, Bond: \$750,000.

As a reminder to Levy County residents, please be vigilant by watching and reporting any suspicious activity to the Levy County Sheriff's Office. With your eyes and ears together we can prevent and solve crime.

—Information provided by the Levy County Sheriff's Office

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Marjorie Hale

Gracefully Southern

Marjorie Hale was to the family farm born. The soft hills of Marion and Levy counties and their agricultural traditions have rendered her family good work on good ground from the time of Florida's first pioneers.

I had a delightful lunch with Marjorie Hale recently. Prim and proper she is, and the epitome of graceful Southern style with still a schoolgirl smile. And she loves to cook. She has three dining tables in her own home, she tells me. This table (the one at which we were sitting) was once in her celebrated, award-winning Ivy House Restaurant in Williston – consistently listed as one of best restaurants in Florida. Her other restaurant located in a Victorian manse over in Alachua, is just as good. They serve the same family recipes, each establishment now extending Margie's generous family kitchen to dining rooms homey as the Hale house out on the farm.

I had ordered the fried shrimp. I almost always order the fried shrimp. I'll say why in a minute.

Now Margie was telling me about her daddy, how she was raised out in Marion County just across the Levy line out on 318. "They called it Elmwood out there," she remembers. "My daddy, Ambus Julian Ray – isn't that just a beautiful name? – he farmed eighty acres, mostly produce, row crops. Everything good to eat, you know, and he also grew chufa for the hogs."

Margie remembers, "This fellow came around, we were just coming out of the Depression, see, and this ol' fellow would come by with a butchered beef laid out on palmetto fans in the bed of his pickup truck. He'd stop and just slice off what you wanted. That's how we got our fresh beef in those days."

It does not escape Margie Hale even now that eating is an act of agriculture. She speaks sweetly of the connection between eating and the land, the connection of land with her farm family roots, the value of heritage and her sense of place. And those recipes that serve as chapters in a guide book to her culinary legacy and home-spun memories. Of a lifetime in farming and small-town commerce she says with a wistful sigh, "We've been making memories. So many blessings." Many are the blessings shared, both as recipes and fond recollections in her popular cookbook, *Gracefully Southern*, thoughtfully subtitled, "A Collection of Recipes from Our House to Yours."

That fried shrimp I mentioned, that recipe's not in the book. "We're not ready to give that one out just yet," Margie explains with a reticent smile.

Okay, but I already know where that recipe came from. Her husband Freddie, he told me. And that's all he told me (about that, I mean). Margie says with her eyes wide with pride, "Freddie, he was always my biggest and best supporter. I know he's gone to be with Jesus now, but he still is," she adds more softly, "my biggest fan."

Freddie Hale was a friend of mine. I treasured his curious take on things, his tall tales, quips and jabs, jokes and playful pokes at politics or daily things, folk passing in the parade of life. Particularly as he spied these things from where he often held court on the front porch of the Ivy House. Freddie would call sometimes and say, "Will, come up heah to the Ivy House and eat some shrimps with me." I would whenever I could, and inevitably I'd get around to baiting him about the recipe for those 'shrimps.'

Freddie would say, "Now, Will, look heah, them women don't tell me nothin' about them recipes. I mean nothin'! You know I'd tell you, and they do, too. You and the next one. So they don't tell me nothin' about no recipes!" But what he did tell me was how Margie (he'd say, "Maahge" or usually, "My little Maahgee") came by the recipe for them shrimps I liked so much.

That, as Margie verified, was when she was a high school girl, and would ride the Greyhound bus up from Dunnellon on Friday afternoons to stay the weekend with her sister Nettie Griffin who owned (some 40 years) a popular Williston landmark restaurant, the Chick Inn. "Oh, yes. Whew," Margie acknowledged, "we sure worked in the restaurant business in those days. I did everything from peel potatoes to hop the curb. (The Chick Inn, now a parking lot, had curb service in those days.) She also peeled and deveined and splayed the shrimp just so. The recipe was Nettie's and she learned it there. But about Freddie, it didn't take long for him to find out about the pretty little dark-haired gal "with eyes shiny as washed grapes" working the counter. He said, "Will, you know one night I sat out in my car combing my hair for ten minutes 'for I went in theah to see that pretty little thing."

Maybe it was because he threatened to drive over the edge of the lime rock mine if she



didn't go out with him that she finally did. That was after he'd told her there was no sense in her having to ride that 'ol Greyhound home after the weekend. "I'd sure be proud to drive ya home."

"Lord, no!" Margie told him. "My Daddy would kill me!"

How times have changed. Freddie and Margie married and made their home out at the Hale Farm where Margie soon showed herself to be more than "that pretty little thing." The Hale's had an old farm truck, a behemoth of rumbling, parched metal and heavy tires. Lithe and spry, Margie would scramble from the running board to the hood and use a wooden dipstick to check the fuel level. She recalled, "My father-in-law, Newt Hale, he really liked me jumping up there like that. It kind of tickled him and won him over."

That and the long hours she and Freddie worked clearing the land. They cut timber. Freddie hauled the logs, but Margie wasn't afraid to reposition a truck when the need arose. "I'd try to do most anything," she says, confessing she could hardly see up over the steering wheel. When the roots had been grubbed, the "new ground" raked and harrowed, they plowed for planting. "We planted watermelons then," Margie tells. "Don't you just know nothin' grows a watermelon like new ground? We had some fine, fine crops in those days."

They also had some fine, fine meals and many of the recipes she acquired then she refined and brought forward with her into the years after her children were born. The house was built and the renovations made, as more room was needed and there were more to feed – family and friends. "Sometimes as many as 40 at a time," Margie beams.

And she found that feeding folk was the very thing she liked and says she did best. Nobody argued with that. Instead, they said she ought to have a restaurant, even if she didn't think the time was right. Then, as Margie likes to tell, there came a time later in which she would go to a church conference for women. The guest speaker there told her that God was going to use her in a special way that would touch people's lives.

"I said to myself, I can't do anything but cook!"

Margie's cookbook, as healthy with spiritual inspiration as it is delicious to read, is already in its second printing. Margie doesn't take the credit for that either. "God has blessed us. And we've all worked so hard," she says adoringly of her family. "Daughters, granddaughters, oh I don't know, they're all my girls. Each has her special talent."

She explains, savoring their names and contributions like a poem she knows by heart. "My Myra, she bakes the most wonderful cakes and pies. And Ann, she makes everyone feel so welcomed and warm with such charm, and Evelyn, she's my promoter. She'll get on that phone and get things done..." And on into the next generation Margie goes, "Waica, she's my right hand now. Cooks as good as I do and does the catering, too. And Micala and Alesha, Brittany, they've all worked as servers – one time or another – so sweet, just precious each in their own way, every single one."

She doesn't stop there as more family and friends are named, many who also work or have worked in the restaurant or boutique upstairs. All the while she's sharing these thoughts, some of those mentioned appear as though they were real-life characters in a happy play about the best country dinning ever. "Is everything cooked just right?" they all want to know.

You eat the fried chicken, the "purlow" or beef tips in gravy over rice, the purple slaw or eggplant casserole and you get to wondering that we don't think about food like we used to. So few of us now work the ground to put food on our tables, or cook it as once folk did. We don't associate our eating it with family farming or the land anymore. So much is processed, precooked and heated by remote control. But at the Ivy House, they do. These folks know. They remember. Margie does and so do the children. She's taught them well. They know about the shucking, shelling and peeling, the stirring, the baking, the chopping, grating, frying lightly and the fast and graceful art of keeping glasses full.

"This is about family," Margie Hale says to me. "We still spread those tables down at the farm. That's our farm family. This (she raises her arm to the room of people eating heartily about us) is our family, too."

CKAC Heading Towards the Old Florida Celebration of the Arts Festival Apr. 28 & 29

The last Cedar Key Arts Center Gallery Opening of the Season was well attended on the evening of Sat. April 7th. Food and friends and fantastic art were enjoyed by all.

The two featured artists shaking hands are Henry Gernhardt, Master Potter, and Kevin Hipe, Collager Extraordinaire, as Peter Klocksien, President of the Cedar Key Arts Center observes.

The wonderful works of these artists will be on display at the CK Arts Center throughout the month of April.

Additionally, coming up will be this summer's Childrens' Art Program.

The Old Florida Celebration of the Arts Festival will be opening up for the public to enjoy on April 28 and 29 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day. This is a juried art festival to ensure original artistry and fine craftsmanship. Over 100 artists are chosen to participate and compete for the \$10,000 in prize money and purchase awards. Historic Second Street becomes an escalator of people and art and all things beautiful in the way of oils, acrylics, prints, jewelry, ceramics, photography, stained glass, woodwork, sculpture, fiber and textiles. City Park comes alive with music and seafood and homemade delicacies.

For lots more information on the Festival and directions go to the website at: cedarkeyartsfestival.com and don't miss April 28 & 29 for the festival of a lifetime.



Williston Softballer to Catch at Flagler College



After graduating from Williston High School on June 5th, Kaitlyn Bannon will be off and catching in August for Flagler College in St. Augustine. Bannon is slated to play catcher and middle infielder for the District 2 team at Flagler. Bannon started playing ball at 5 years of age and competitively at 10. At 15 she traveled with the elite Florida Select team coached by former Gator-great Kristen Butler. Bannon played on the 2010 state final 4 team for Class 3A as the starting catcher. Congratulations to Kaitlyn Bannon showing that hard work does have its rewards – along with a good dose of talent.

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OPINION

Mixing and Matching

Thomas Sowell
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Apparently the soaring national debt and the threat of a nuclear Iran are not enough to occupy the government's time, because the Obama administration is pushing to force Westchester County, N.Y., to create more low-income housing, in order to mix and match classes and races to fit the government's preconceptions.

Behind all this busy work for bureaucrats and ideologues is the idea that there is something wrong if a community does not have an even or random distribution of various kinds of people. This arbitrary assumption is that the absence of evenness or randomness -- whether in employment, housing or innumerable other situations -- shows a "problem" that has to be "corrected."

No speck of evidence is considered necessary for this assumption to prevail at any level of government, including the Supreme Court of the United States. No one has to show the existence, much less the prevalence, of an even or random distribution of different segments of the population -- in any country, anywhere in the world, or at any period of history.

Nothing is more common than for people to sort themselves out when it comes to residential housing, whether by class, race or other factors.

When there was a large Jewish population living on New York's lower east side, a century ago, Jews did not live at random among themselves. Polish Jews had their neighborhoods, Rumanian Jews theirs, and so on. Meanwhile German Jews lived uptown. In Chicago, when Eastern European Jews began moving into German Jewish neighborhoods, German Jews began moving out.

It was much the same story in Harlem or in other urban ghettos, where blacks did not live at random among themselves. Landmark scholarly studies by E. Franklin Frazier in the 1930s showed in detail how different neighborhoods within the ghettos had people of different educational and income levels, with different male/female ratios and different ways of life living in different places.

There was nothing random about it. Within Chicago's black community, the delinquency

rate ranged from more than 40 percent in some black neighborhoods to less than 2 percent in other black neighborhoods. People sort themselves out.

None of this was peculiar to blacks or Jews, or to the United States. When emigrants from Scotland went to Australia, the Scottish highlanders settled separately from the Scottish lowlanders. So did emigrants from northern Italy and southern Italy.

Separate residential patterns that are visible to the naked eye, when the people are black and white, are also pervasive among people who physically all look alike. Charles Murray's eye-opening new book, "Coming Apart," shows in detail how different segments of the white American population not only live separately from each other but have very different ways of life -- and are growing increasingly remote from one another in beliefs and behavior.

None of this matters to politicians and ideologues who are hell-bent to mix and match people according to their own preconceptions. Moreover, like many things that the government does, it does residential integration more crudely than when people sort themselves out.

Back in the days when E. Franklin Frazier was doing his scholarly studies of the composition and expansion of black ghettos, he found the most educated and cultured elements of the black communities living on the periphery of these communities.

It was these kinds of people who typically led the expansion of the black community into the surrounding white communities. By contrast, government programs often take dysfunctional families from high crime ghetto neighborhoods and put them down in the midst of middle-class neighborhoods by subsidizing their housing.

Whether these middle-class neighborhoods are already either predominantly black or predominantly white, the residents are often outraged at the increased crime and other behavior problems inflicted on them by politicians and bureaucrats.

But their complaints usually fall on deaf ears. People convinced of their own superior wisdom and virtue have no time to spare for what other people want, whether in housing or health care or a whole range of other things.

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Purchasing Policy Meets Local Preference

Kathy Hilliard
Editor

The Board of County Commissioners met today with a varied and interesting agenda that ran smoothly.

But we at the Journal would like to bring it up again -- Local Preference and the Purchasing Policy of Levy County. Not that it is bad -- just that we need one finalized. We are interested in this issue about businesses in Levy County, especially locally-based businesses, because we are a locally-based business.

At the meeting this morning the agenda included the much needed issue of replacing the antique and obsolete computers needed to facilitate the Emergency Management Services Operations Center of Levy County. And this is a most valid need. How are we to properly run such an important agency as the EMS Operations Center without computers able to run the programs to keep Levy County residents safe.

All the prices for the approximately \$20,000 package of desktop and laptop computers were from online distributors. There was no pricing in place from a local company. These were quotes for prices not bids.

A call to EMS was made in the afternoon but we were unable to speak to anyone with information at that time.

So we decided to call a local company that handles our computer needs professionally and inline financially with online companies, Gator Works Computing in Chiefland. Gator Works Computing has been in Chiefland for 16 years. When asked if they knew about the bid for computers for the

EMS Operations Center, Donna Maynard, vice president of Gator Works Computing, said "No." Donna explained that they were not aware of the needs of the EMS and that they would definitely be able to fill the need and at a competitive price.

The question of a finalized Purchasing Policy with Local Preference for Local Businesses again becomes important for the businesses of Levy County. Advertising Notices to Bid is a time consuming procedure and when the county needs to quickly serve the citizens of the county another venue is needed. A website advertising the current needs of Levy County where local businesses can check on what items or services they might be able to participate in with the county could serve that purpose.

More and more it is evident that for the businesses of Levy County to be able to partner with the county, there must be a bona fide Purchasing Policy inclusive of giving Local Preference to Local Businesses. That policy has been in the works for some time now but as the county expands and grows it is becoming very evident that the parameters for efficiency in that growth are needed sooner, not later.

The Levy County Journal is still fighting to uphold the locally-based businesses of Levy County and believes that local preference can be accomplished through many avenues but cannot go forward without finalizing a policy that partners with local businesses to accomplish the goal of giving preference, if it is possible to do, to the people that live here, work here, start businesses here, eat here, buy here, go to school here or retire here.



The Real War on Women

Real Moms of the GOP vs. White House SOP

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The authenticity of conservative women has always been under attack by radical orthodox feminists, but perhaps not as brazenly as by someone with such direct and frequent access to the corridors of the White House message machine as Hilary B. Rosen.

The D.C. career lobbyist and Democratic media strategist took to CNN's airwaves this week to craft a left-wing "War on Women" attack on the real moms of the GOP. Ostensibly aiming at Republican presidential candidate Mitt Romney for his "old-fashioned" views of women, Rosen's mouth instead shot off in the direction of wife, stay-at-home mother of five, grandmother of 16, and cancer and multiple sclerosis survivor Ann Romney. Mrs. Romney, sneered Rosen, "never worked a day in her life" outside of the home and should have no voice on women's issues.

President Obama never met a payroll in his life, but that hasn't stopped him from dictating what business owners across the country should and shouldn't be doing. But I digress.

This was no accidental rhetorical drive-by. "Progressives" from Gloria Steinem to Patricia Ireland to Naomi Wolf have derided their conservative counterparts as female impersonators, fake women and men with breasts from time immemorial. It's SOP: standard operating procedure. In 1992, Hillary Clinton mocked women who stayed at home and "baked cookies and had teas." In 2004, blueblood Teresa Heinz Kerry, wife of Democratic presidential candidate Sen. John Kerry, sniffed that first lady Laura Bush (a former teacher and librarian before becoming a homemaker) never "had a real job -- I mean, since she's been grown up."

Alas, if you're a conservative mom, you're damned if you do stay home and damned if you don't. In 2008, Howard Gutman, a member of the Obama campaign's national finance committee, attacked GOP vice presidential candidate and former Alaska Gov. Sarah Palin's ability to be a good parent and have a high-powered public life at the same time. "Your responsibility is to put your family first," Gutman lectured as he singled out Palin's Down syndrome baby and then-pregnant teenage daughter. "The proper attack is not that a woman shouldn't run for vice president with five kids; it's that a parent, when they have a family in need..." should get out of the public sphere and stay home.

What's striking about Rosen's latest ideological sniper attack is that she is not some lone-wolf operative on the fringes of Beltway influence. She works with former White House communications director Anita Dunn at the D.C.-based strategic communications consulting firm SKDKnickerbocker. That's the same company that promoted the anti-Palin smear movie "Game Change" and that represented liberal Georgetown law school student activist and manufactured War on Women poster woman Sandra Fluke. Smack dab at the intersection of progressive agitation and Democratic Party campaign-season maneuvering.

White House visitor logs (which nonpartisan watchdogs point out are woefully incomplete) show that "Hilary B. Rosen" or "Hilary Rosen" has visited

1600 Pennsylvania Ave. at least 35 times, including several direct meetings with President Obama (5); White House senior adviser and consigliere Valerie Jarrett; senior adviser David Axelrod; senior adviser turned 2012 campaign manager Jim Messina; and a parade of communications/media team officials in both the West Wing "surrogate booking" office and the East Wing.

Axelrod and Messina, who took to Twitter immediately Thursday night after the social networking site exploded with a conservative mom backlash, scrambled to disassociate themselves from their frequent visitor. POTUS and FLOTUS followed suit. But when you collect and connect the dots, Rosen's role as a surrogate hit-woman for the White House is unmistakable.

Rosen was forced to issue a non-apology apology as Democratic women tossed her under the bus (or at least shoved her temporarily to the back until things boil over).

What's changed in 2012 is the Internet revenge of thousands of conservative female activists who have played a larger role than ever in controlling political narratives. These include tea party leaders such as Breitbart.com editor Dana Loesch, national grassroots groups such as Smart Girl Politics, the proliferation of conservative female bloggers and podcasters, and the critical mass of stay-at-home moms, work-at-home moms and young conservative women flocking to Twitter.

As we've documented at my new Twitter curation/aggregation site, Twitchy.com, GOP moms, grandmothers and daughters have besieged White House social media efforts to paint conservatives as anti-women. They've torn apart hypocritical White House rhetoric about equal pay from an administration that has failed to practice what it preaches.

And as Ann Romney is now experiencing on Twitter, the women of the right are fighting their way through a hostile cesspool of misogyny that has been SOP for the feminist left.

Rosen and her media defenders dismissed "faux outrage" about her attack. But the real moms of the GOP have launched their own Occupy movement in the social media space once dominated by Obama's army. And they're winning.

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Levy County Beekeeper's Club News

The Club had its monthly meeting on the first Thursday of April. We discussed a membership drive to help boost the club and get the news out to the community.

Carol Davis went through the Master Gardner class given by the Levy County Extension Service last month and will be the speaker next month on plants that are good for bees and other pollinators.

The Levy County club along with Gilchrist, Marion and Alachua will be forming one large website - The North Central Beekeeping Association. Each club will have its own page along with their sponsors. Should be up and running in a few weeks but for now go to alachuabees.org

Getting geared up for National Honeybee Day in Marion County this year. Levy County is in charge of the food with hamburgers, hot dogs, chips and drinks. Other clubs have the sweets. We will be selling raffle tickets on a bedspread donated by Leon and Barbara Bath to raise club funds. The bedspread is a yo-yo pattern and the last one Leon's mother, Mrs. Eloise Driggers, mad before she passed.

Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5. The spread will be on display on 8/16/12 at the Honeybee Day festivities when the ticket is drawn. For more info or tickets call Leon Bath at 352/493-2329 with all proceeds going to the club.

The next meeting is May 3rd at 7 p.m. at #4 West Park Ave., Chiefland and bring a friend. For info on the club contact Byron Teerlak, president - 493-2216 or Leon Bath, vice president - 493-2329.

Make Your Home Safe from Wildfires

The Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services Florida Forest Service offered five tips today to help Floridians protect themselves against the dangers of wildfire.

"Florida is unique in that it experiences a year-round wildfire season, with heightened wildfire activity during the spring months," said Agriculture Commissioner Adam Putnam. "Although we may receive sporadic rain, extended drought conditions are forecasted to persist throughout spring and into summer. Over the coming weeks and months, it is likely that Florida will experience very high to extreme wildfire danger due to these dry conditions. It is critical for Floridians to take steps to ensure their own safety."

The department's Florida Forest Service manages more than one million acres of public forest land and protects over 26 million acres of homes, forestland and natural resources from the devastating effects of wildfire.

Since January 1, more than 1,100 wildfires have burned nearly 20,000 acres in Florida. Most of these fires were caused by human carelessness. To prevent wildfires, follow these five simple steps:

1. Check with local authorities for any temporary restrictions on burning yard waste;
2. Contain fires to an eight-foot diameter pile or non-combustible barrel at least 25 feet from forests, 25 feet from homes, 50 feet from paved public roads and 150 feet from other occupied buildings;
3. Do not burn on windy days or when the humidity is below 30 percent;
4. Never leave a fire unattended and make sure it is completely out before leaving;
5. Keep a shovel and water hose handy in case a small fire escapes containment.

In addition to the tips listed above, Floridians should also report any suspicious fires or fire activity to 911 or their local Florida Forest Service office.

In 2011, the Florida Forest Service responded to more than 4,700 wildfires that burned over 220,000 acres, a 32 percent increase from the previous year. Firefighters saved more than 1,100 homes and business in Florida.

For statewide wildfire updates and additional wildfire information, visit www.floridaforestservice.com or follow the department's Florida Forest Service on Facebook or Twitter.

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COMPUTER TIPS

Going Green

Kitchen and laundry appliances aren't the only household items going green these days. Over the years it has become easier to save energy and produce less pollution in the air through energy saving practices and Energy Star qualifying products. If you take a look around your home you will probably find a few appliances that have the Energy Star sticker on it. Even computers come with Energy Star stickers, as well as monitors. However, there are ways you can conserve even more energy while using your computer.

If you have a desktop computer, there are a few different things that you can do to start saving more energy. First, you may want to look at options such as changing the Power or Display Settings, which would allow the computer to use less energy while still working properly. To check your Power Settings in Windows 7, go to your "Start Menu" and click on "Control Panel". Once you are in the Control Panel, scroll down and click on "Power Options." When the Power Options window opens, look towards the left side of the screen and click on "Change When the Computer Sleeps." Then you will have the option to change the "Turn off Display" timing. You can also choose to check the "Advanced Settings" where you can select the "Power Saver" option from this screen.

Some other simple ways to save energy are reducing the brightness of your screen display or opting to use no screensaver. Using a screensaver requires energy to run and even though you are not using the computer during peak times, it is still on. If you also find yourself walking away from your computer for longer periods of time while it is still on, you should consider shutting it down completely. The same is true for printers and scanners. This way you would

only use electricity when needed. Once all of your devices are off, you can turn off your power surge protector as well. Rest assured, even while it's turned off your computer and electronic equipment will be safe, as electrical currents will not be able to pass through the surge protector to your devices.

Monitors (screen) have also joined in on the energy saving bandwagon. The flat screen monitors generally use about 1/3 of the energy the older box shaped monitors use, especially if they are Energy Star. It has been known that people who use Energy Star monitors usually save about \$85.00 a year.

Laptops also have additional energy saving options. Just by choosing to use a laptop over a desktop, you are already using less energy. Unlike desktops you have the option of running a laptop through the battery instead of constantly having to connect to an electrical outlet. When it comes to charging your laptop you will only want to keep the charger plugged in until the battery is fully charged. Then, unplug the charger and use the battery all the way down. This not only uses less power but it also extends the life of your battery. Keeping your charger connected all the time basically trains your battery to stay drained because it has become accustomed to a low charge. Changing the power options on laptops is basically the same as changing them on desktops, which allows the laptop to run longer on battery power.

So as you can see there are many ways of conserving energy every day in your home or on the go, whether it's from Energy Star qualifying products or making small changes on your computer. Either way, you will be able to save more energy and feel good about contributing to Going Green.

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5th Graders Focus on Science, Service



Kathy Brewington looks inside the craft stick "house" student Ryan Kline made and "wired" as they prepare to "flip the switch" to see if the light will come on. Ryan's classmates - Cayton Smith, Teresa Bartges, Dawson Bird and Cyegh Roberts - wait patiently, eagerly awaiting the moment of truth!



Hunter Williams and Jaden Malveaux put the finishing touches on the Easter bunnies they are making. In the background are the other partially finished rodents. The completed gifts - 66 of them! - were sent to the Senior Center located in Thompson Hall at St. Barnabas Episcopal Church in Williston.

by Lisa Statham Posteraro
 People learn by doing. And "doing" happens often in Kathy Brewington's 5th grade class, especially when it comes to science, thanks to SUMS, the hands-on curriculum for Florida students to understand math and science! Recently, her students built houses from craft sticks, and they "wired" them by making an electrical circuit. (Some classes opted to make "flashlights" in lieu of houses.)
 "We hot glued the floor, then we placed the battery on the floor. We couldn't hot glue it," said Carly Wilson.
 "When we built the roof, we made it into a V-shape, maybe four or five sticks long," added Frankie Cittadini.
 "We made a platform for the light bulb which we attached to one of the walls," continued Carly.
 "Then Mrs. Brewington told us we had to build a door," said Frankie.
 "We connected the wires from the battery terminals to the

clip that was on the light bulb," said Carly.
 "After we did this, then we could set the roof on the walls and secure them. I also built a balcony on mine," said Frankie. "Then we were ready to turn on the light by completing the circuit between the battery and the light bulb. I learned that a complete circuit can activate something...like a light bulb. A broken circuit, though.
 It's kinda like jogging on a track. If someone put something on the track that was in your way, you would have to stop...you couldn't run through it. But if someone cleared away what was on the track, then you could complete the circuit...it would be a flow."
 "We also put houses in the furniture to make it realistic," chuckled Carly.
 In addition to making these houses, Brewington's students also "built" Easter bunnies to take to the elderly. "We always did community service as part of our curriculum when we

had the Alpha program here," said Brewington.
 Hunter Williams explained how they made these bunnies. "The heads were Styrofoam, and we made the bodies out of cups. The tail, nose and whiskers were out of cotton balls. The ears were cloth. They had real buttons and those eyes you buy in craft stores. I had fun making the bunnies, and I'm really happy to make them for the elderly."
 Brewington added, "We went from making 20 to making 66! We had an assembly line going." Some students from Steve Van Zwiene's class also helped. Art teacher Helen Darling handled transporting the bunnies to their destination, the Senior Center in Thompson Hall at St. Barnabas Episcopal Church behind KFC.
 "I wanted to continue it [the community service project]. When our students do a community service project, they're thinking of others, not just themselves," concluded Brewington.

WES Students Vote Early...

by Lisa Statham Posteraro
 For their favorite book nominated for the Sunshine State Young Reader's Award, that is! The SSSYRA Program is a statewide reading motivation program for students in grades 3-8. The program, cosponsored by the School Library Media Services Office of the Department of Education and the Florida Association for Media in Education (FAME), began in 1983. The purpose of the SSSYRA Program is to encourage students to read independently for personal satisfaction, based on interest rather than reading level. Fifteen books were nominated in each grade grouping.
 "Students had to read at least three of those 15 to vote," said Donna Lovvorn, Williston Elementary School media specialist. "Voting began April 9th. This year we've had three 5th graders who read all 15—Frankie Cittadini, Ryan Kline and Kasidi Lauterbach." All three students are in Kathy Brewington's class.

Sunshine State books are selected for their wide appeal, literary value, varied genres, curriculum connections, and/or multicultural representation. Students are encouraged to read books that are above, on, and below their tested reading level in order to improve their reading fluency.
 To be selected, the books must meet these four criteria: be fiction, be written by an author who lives in North America, be appropriate for students from all around the state of Florida and have a copyright date of 2009 or later.

These students also read in the double digits, Ethan Davis (12) and Dellana Sams (11). Other 5th graders who qualified to vote for their favorite book from this group included Carly Wilson, Arelmy Hernandez, Quinyon Mitchell, Race Battle, Alyssa Carmichael, Kaley Clinkscales, Trinity Knapp, Alexis Crews, Angeles de Urtubey, Will McCoy, Kyra Mueller, Raven Rheume, Andrew Spillane, Wesley Turbeville, Andrew White, Leslie Trinidad, Lauren Faircloth and Rodré Parker.

Fourth graders who got to vote included Nathaniel Noland, Rhett Munden, Estrella Rosa-Harrison, Jenna Mueller, Nia Marshall, Angelina Maguire, Katlynn Karwan, Thomas Dudeck, Angelina Cochrane, McKenzie Fairweather, Samantha Peed, Hannah Baldwin and Bridget Barley. One 3rd grader, Margarita de Urtubey, participated in the reading fest.

"The book most students read was Dying to Meet You by Kate Klise," said Lovvorn. "However, the results showed a tie between Sharon Draper's Out of My Mind and Lin's Where the Mountain Meets the Moon. Dying to Meet You earned four votes, tying with Extra Credit by Andrew Clements, who's had several books in the competition over the years."

After the voting closes state-wide, the results will be sent out to all participating media centers in Florida. The other eight books nominated for grades 3-5 were The Magic Half by Annie Barrows; Umbrella Summer by Lisa Graff; Flight of the Phoenix by R. L. LaFevers; Alvin Ho: Allergic to Girls, School, and Other Scary Things by Lenore Look; How Oliver Olson Changed the World by Claudia Mills; Captain Nobody by Dean Pitchford; Dragon's Egg by Sarah Thomson; and Bobby vs. Girls (Accidentally) by Lisa Yee.

At the end of the school year, Lovvorn will host a huge ice cream social for the students who participated in the SSSYRA project. "They get a topping for every book they read! Some of those sundaes will be pretty huge!" she smiled. "I always get so excited to see our students simply enjoy a good book... which really is the philosophy behind the Accelerated Reading Program. AR should foster the love of reading...and if our young people learn a valuable lesson along the way or understand themselves better or their fellow man, then great!"

Several WES 5th graders stand in line as classmate Rodré Parker fills out a ballot for his favorite 2011-12 nominated Sunshine State Young Readers Award book. Rodré had



read three of the 15 books. Waiting to make their choice are (front) Alexis Crews, Leslie Trinidad, Angeles de Urtubey, (middle) Carly Wilson, Kaley Clinkscales, Ethan Davis, Race Battle, (back) Dellana Sams, Frankie Cittadini, Will McCoy and Ryan Kline.

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4	9	5	7	3	6	1	8	2
3	8	7	1	2	5	9	4	6
2	1	3	8	7	9	5	6	4
5	7	6	3	4	1	8	2	9
8	4	9	5	6	2	3	7	1
7	6	8	9	1	4	2	3	5
9	3	2	6	5	7	4	1	8
1	5	4	2	8	3	6	9	7

Sudoku

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Born and raised in Bronson I am a fifth generation Levy County citizen. I graduated from Bronson High School in 1994. My senior year I served as class president and captain of the football team. Upon graduation, I began working at Bronson Ace Hardware while attending Santa Fe Community College where I earned an A.A. Degree. I then enrolled at the University of Florida. During my time at UF, I continued to work and advance at Bronson Ace Hardware. In May of 2002, I earned a bachelor's degree in History and graduated from UF. Working my way through college and earning my college degrees taught me the value of hard work and dedication.

Later in October of the same year, I married the love of my life, Stephanie Nettles. We have three wonderful boys: Liam (6), Carson (4), and Nolan (19 mos). Stephanie is a RN, in the NICU, at Shands Hospital. Liam started kindergarten this year at Bronson Elementary School. It has been a joyful experience watching my children grow and also spend time with my parents, Robert and Mary Boettcher Meeks.

Giving back to the community has always been a top priority for me. Through the years, I have been a member of many clubs and served on various committees. I am currently the President of the Bronson Chamber of Commerce. I also am proud to serve the veterans of Levy County as the finance officer for the Sons of Am Vets. One of my proudest accomplishments was serving on the Citizens Advisory Task Force. In a four-year cycle we were able to secure two federal housing grants. These grants brought over two-hundred thousand dollars to rehab and rebuild homes in our community. Another passion of mine is being the voice of the Bronson Eagles every fall for the home football games. Like every

other country boy my hobbies include hunting, fishing, and spending time with my children. My family and I also attend the Ellzey United Methodist Church.

Since graduating from the University of Florida I have been promoted to manager at Bronson Ace Hardware, where I continue to work to this day. The experience of running a business has taught me many valuable lessons including: dealing with the public, managing finances and payroll, and helping build a business from the ground up. These are all valuable lessons I will use to serve you, the citizens of Levy County. I believe there is a delicate balance that can be maintained between progress and keeping the county the way we all enjoy it now. There is a definite need in our county for more jobs and clean industry. I will work to attract businesses so more people will be employed, and more importantly, so our children can live and thrive in Levy County. In these poor economic times the last thing we need is a representative that is going to cost the taxpayers more money, increase taxes, or spend wastefully. With this in mind, I will seek revenues from places other than the pockets of property owners in our county. We should secure grant money to fund projects such as improving our infrastructure and improving public safety. As a servant of the people, I promise to do what is best for the county. I will use common sense when making the tough decisions that must be made.

As your commissioner my goal is to serve you, the people of Levy County, to the best of my ability. Please remember to vote on August 14 for, John Meeks, County Commissioner District one. I appreciate your support. Thank you!

For more information feel free to contact me.



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Lost Dog

Skyler is a 2 1/2 yr old Beagle X Walker Mix, spayed female, family pet. She is missing since last Wed., Apr 11th, from her home in the Old Judson area outside of Trenton (west of Pine Grove Baptist Church). She is wearing a red collar with her rabies tag.

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From Bronson to All Humanity Jackson-Shands Connection Part of World History 'A Friend to All Humanity'

By E. Russell Jackson Jr. and Glenn E. Bryan, M.D.

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The world famous Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami owes its existence to the son of a country doctor who became Miami's first physician and a leader in organized medicine. James M. Jackson, M.D., the Florida Medical Association's 30th President, started the Miami City Hospital, which was later named in his honor and is now the teaching hospital for the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine.

Dr. Jackson had another extraordinary connection: his mother, Mary Glenn Shands, was the great aunt of the late Sen. William Augustine Shands, who served as Florida Senate President in 1957 and was a leading advocate for the establishment of the University of Florida College of Medicine in Gainesville. Shands Teaching Hospital is named for the senator. Though he died relatively young at age 58 in 1924, Dr. Jackson made a lasting impact on medicine in Florida, the state of his birth.

Family tradition

Dr. Jackson's father, James Madison Jackson, M.D., was born in 1831 in Chester District, South Carolina, and graduated from the Medical College of New Orleans, later known as Tulane University. The elder Dr. Jackson settled in White Springs in northern Florida on the banks of the Suwannee river. In 1858, he married South Carolina native Mary Glenn Shands, and they moved to what is now Sanford, Fla. The 1860 census listed him as the only qualified physician there.

Dr. Jackson served in the confederate army during the Civil War in the Florida Cavalry and in other companies as a surgeon. After the war, he returned to White Springs where the Jackson's son, James Mary Jackson, was born on March 10, 1866. Two years later the family moved to Levy County and the town of Bronson where the elder Dr. Jackson would serve as the area's country doctor for the rest of his career. He opened a drug store, owned citrus groves, served as Mayor of Bronson, its postmaster, and superintendent of the Bronson Methodist Church.

In 1881, the elder Dr. Jackson attended the Florida Medical Association Annual Meeting in Tallahassee and was elected Second Vice President. He continued to pay his annual dues to the FMA almost to the time of his death in 1911.

Making History

The younger James Jackson attended East Florida Seminary in Gainesville, a predecessor of the University of Florida, and received a bachelor's degree from Emory University in 1885. Wanting to follow in his father's footsteps as a physician rather than manage the family's citrus groves, he entered the Bellevue Hospital Medical College in New York City that year. He later returned to Bellevue, graduated the following spring with his M.D. degree, and joined his father's medical practice in Bronson.

To people's surprise today, Bronson had at that time about 5,000 residents and could support two physicians. However, freezes in 1894 and 1895 destroyed much of the citrus trees in the Florida, leading large numbers of people to leave Bronson.

Miami was one part of the state that had escaped the freeze, which inspired industrialist Henry Flagler to extend his Florida East Coast Railroad even further south from Lake

Worth to the newly developing town of Miami.

There, Flagler would build Miami's first luxury hotel, the Royal Palm, and attract settlers and tourists who would need a physician.

After young Dr. Jackson had practiced with his father in Bronson for eight years, Flagler asked him to be his physician in residence for the Florida East Coast Railroad in Miami. In March of 1896, Dr. Jackson took Flagler's railroad to Fort Lauderdale, then its southern most terminus, and went by boat the rest of the way. He thought at first that the rudimentary town, with its unpaved roads and unpainted buildings, was not a great place to live. But unable to leave by any means that day, he stayed for several days and the town's leaders persuaded him to move there. He wrote his wife, Ethel Barco, "This Miami spirit is a great thing. It is infectious." When Miami was incorporated in July of 1896, he was the sole physician residing in Miami.



James M. Jackson, M.D., became part of Florida medical history.

In addition to his duties as the railroad surgeon, he was appointed in May of 1896 as the local health officer for the Florida State Board of Health by the State Health Officer, Joseph Yates Porter, M.D. When the Royal Palm Hotel opened in January of 1897, Dr. Jackson also became the hotel physician. He brought and enforced basic sanitation measures, organized the Miami City Board of Health, and as the County Health Officer quarantined the city during the yellow fever epidemic of 1899. Dr. Jackson built his office and surgery behind his home in downtown Miami on what is now N.E. 2nd Ave. The building was moved in 1917 to its present location at 190 S.E. 12 Terrace and has been designated as a historic site.

Community leaders recognized early on that Miami needed a hospital within the city limits. Tourists and indigents became ill and Miami had no place to care for them. An emergency hospital had been erected during the yellow fever epidemic of 1899, and Drs. Jackson and Porter were in charge until the hospital was burned to the ground after the epidemic. Also that year, Flagler erected a framed hospital building with the proviso that the city equip, staff, and administer the hospital. The city was unable to raise the necessary funds, so he turned the building into an apartment house.

As Flagler began to extend his railroad in 1905 south of Miami towards Key West, large work gangs arrived in Miami, and the apartment house was reconverted to a hospital with Dr. Jackson in charge. The Friendly Society Hospital was also established in 1909, but neither of these first facilities was adequate for the burgeoning city. After organizing the City Board of Health, Dr. Jackson was elected its President and tasked with building a new city hospital. Miami City Hospital opened its doors in June of 1918 with Dr. Jackson as its first President.

Community and organized medicine leader

Dr. Jackson was a civic leader who was involved in numerous community activities. He was a founder and first President of the Rotary Club of Miami in 1917, and a charter member of the First United Methodist Church of Miami. He and his wife had two daughters, Ethel and Helen. Their infant son died soon after birth. From the very beginning of his medical

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Concert at CHS Benefiting Levy Students Through Alonzo Guyton Memorial Scholarship Fund



Sarah Gore



TJ Brown



Zach Tyson

Music is about to fill the air and help the students of Levy County schools at the same time. On April 21 at 12 p.m. at the Chiefland High School football field the tunes and talent of Zach Tyson, Sarah Gore and TJ Brown will headline a concert to help fill the coffers of the Levy County Schools Foundation to provide Levy County students all they need

to learn and grow in academics and skills for their future and the future of Levy County.

Joining them will be special guests Ambitt Rafley, Phillip Henderson and Sabrina Phillips. Along with the music will be food and fun with admission being a donation to the Alonzo Guyton Memorial Scholarship named after the CHS graduate, athletics star and band member

extraordinaire Alonzo Guyton who was killed in a robbery attempt in Washington DC where he was attending Howard

College. After graduating from CHS Guyton served in the Marine Corps and then went on to Howard College where he was majoring in music composition and playing football. At 24 years old this accomplished young man was gunned down on Washington DC streets in a robbery attempt. It is in his honor that the community of Levy County has set up the scholarship fund to help other students in the area to achieve their goals. For more information on the fund, go to AlonzoGuytonMemorialScholarship.com

The Levy County Schools Foundation is the fund-holder to receive donations and funds raised from the concert either through PayPal at the website listed above or through donations made at any Levy County branch Capital City

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Investigation of WPD Vehicle Collision Turned Over to FHP

Williston Police Department Corporal Fred Morris and his K-9 partner, Gretchen, were headed south on Main Street (US 27) on Wednesday April 11 at 2:57 p.m. As Morris attempted to cross Noble Ave. (US 27) on the green light, his vehicle was hit by a westbound small pickup truck. After the impact the small truck spun hitting a second pickup truck in the eastbound lane waiting to turn north on Main Street.

Officer Morris was transported by ambulance to Tri-County Hospital for treatment of minor injuries. K-9 Gretchen was unharmed.

The Williston Police Department requested an outside agency (Florida Highway Patrol - FHP) to investigate the crash involving the WPD vehicle. All future inquiries involving this



investigation should be directed to the FHP at 352/498-1374. —information submitted by Dennis Strouw, WPD Chief of Police

Found Photo

In the Fall of 2003, a *Levy County Journal* staffer discovered a white box full of photographs that may or may not have run in earlier editions of the newspaper. The box was unmarked, and the photographs remain unidentified and unclaimed. Hence the name of our feature: Found Photo. We ask our readers to take a look and see if they can identify the folks in the photo, as well as the story behind it.



Call or write to us at PO Box 2990, Chiefland, FL 32644-2990 or email editor@levyjournall.com.

Fanning Springs Builds Treatment Plant, Decommissions Existing Septic Tanks

The City of Fanning Springs held a groundbreaking ceremony for their newly planned wastewater treatment plant on Tuesday, April 17 at the Fort Fanning Historical Park in Fanning Springs.

In 2010, the City of Fanning Springs received a \$2,946,000 loan and a \$2,855,000 grant from USDA Rural Development for construction of a centralized wastewater

collection and treatment facility.

The project, leveraged with \$600,000 in state Community Development Block Grant funds, will decommission existing septic tank systems, replace three packaged wastewater treatment plants and reduce the amount of nitrates in the community's groundwater.

Levy County Community Calendar

Levy County Democratic Committee Meeting Apr. 24

On Tues., Apr. 24, the Levy County Democratic Committee will hold a meeting at the Bronson Restaurant at 6 p.m. We will be finalizing our plans for our Levy County Caucus to be held on May 5 at the Town Hall in Bronson. Anyone interested in the Democratic Party, discussing the candidates for upcoming elections, or just to learn more are encouraged to attend. A delicious dinner menu will be available for purchase by attendees.

On May 5th, Democrats from across Florida will gather in their communities to hold the 2012 County Caucuses to elect delegates for the State Convention in Tampa and the 2012 Democratic National Convention in Charlotte, N.C. Delegates will participate in the selection of Democratic nominees for President, Vice President, as well as adopt the Party's National Platform.

We encourage all Democrats in our community to attend our Caucus at the Bronson town Hall, Dogan Cobb Building on May 5 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and show their support for our Party.

For more information call Charlie King, Chairman, at 493-4797.

Bronson Industrial Dev. Committee Meeting May 7

The Bronson Industrial Development Committee will meet on May 7 at 6:30 p.m. at the Bronson Restaurant in Bronson.

Bronson Town Council CHANGED to Apr. 30

The Bronson Town Council will meet on Mon. Apr. 30 at 7 p.m. at the Dogan S. Cobb Municipal Building, not on May 7 as previously planned. City Hall - 352/486-2354.

Friends of the Bronson Library Book Sale Apr. 21

Spring is here and books are popping up on our tables, just waiting for you to purchase!

Come to the Bronson Library on Sat., Apr. 21st from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Our hardback books are 50 cents each and our paperbacks are 10 cents each. If you are interested in donating books for our sale, please either come by during business hours or call 486-2015 for more information. See you there!

Friends of the Bronson Library Mother's Day Raffle

Would you like to take your Mother out to dinner for Mother's Day? Come by the Bronson Library before May 5th and purchase raffle tickets to win our prize of a \$50 gift card to the Bronson Restaurant. Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. The raffle will be held at the Library on Sat., May 5th at 11 a.m.

This raffle is sponsored and provided by the Friends of the Bronson Library.

Bronson Home and Community Educators Bingo May 24

The Bronson Home and Community Educators will hold their annual Bingo on May 24 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. at the Levy County Extension Center on US 27A. \$5 for 2 cards and \$1.00 for 2 additional. Win prizes and we will provide drinks and dessert. For more information call Dee Olsen at 352/486-2319.

CEDAR KEY

Donate Used Ink Jet Cartridges and Cell Phones for Cedar Key School

Bring your used Ink Jet cartridges and cell phones to the Faraway Inn at 847 Third Street on Cedar Key at the corner of Third and G Street and the good folks at Faraway Inn will turn them into money for Cedar Key School. Collect them from your friends and spread the word and keep this stuff out of the landfill. These donated items will be mailed to www.PhoNeraiser.com who then sends money back for the 501(c)(3) organization raising funds. Help out the school and the earth in one act of service.

Cedar Key City Council Meeting May 15

The Cedar Key City Council meets every third Tues. at 7 p.m. at the Cedar Key City Hall. The Cedar Key Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA) meets the first Tues. of each month at 6 p.m. at City Hall. City Hall is located at 490 2nd Street - 352/543-5132.

Grief and Loss Class

Haven Hospice is hosting a grief and loss class the second Wednesday of every month at the Christ Episcopal Church in Cedar Key from 6-7 p.m. For more information, contact the local office at 800/677-5428.

YANKEETOWN-INGLIS

Yankeetown Town Meetings

The Town of Yankeetown will hold a Board of Trustees regular meeting on Apr. 25 at 5:45 p.m. and a Planning and Zoning regular meeting on May 1 at 6:30 p.m. City Hall is at 6241 Harmony Lane, 352/447-2511

Inglis Council Meeting May 8

The Town of Inglis' next regular Commission meeting will be on May 8 at 6 p.m. in the Commission Room. City Hall, 135 Hwy. 40 West, Inglis - 352/447-2203. Meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month.

WILLISTON

Williston Lions Club Events

The Williston Lions Club is located at 401 SE 6th Avenue in Williston where we have regular events throughout the week and month for all to participate. We are looking for new members and volunteers so if you want to help out the community and have something enjoyable to do, come and see us. Our meetings are held every month on the 2nd Tuesday of the month and guests are very welcome. We will be planning future events so your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated. If you need to reach us by phone call 352-342-7525. Thursdays: Bingo @ 7 p.m.

We offer two Jackpots. If an attendee brings a friend, that attendee will get a free card.

Saturdays: Farmers Market and Flea Market from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

AARP Chapter 912

AARP Chapter #912 meets on the 2nd Mon. each month at 9:30 a.m. in the Holy Family Catholic Church Hall, 17353 NE Hwy 27 Alt, Williston. National AARP members who live in or visit this area are encouraged to come to a meeting. Call President, Mignon Craig, 352/528-3323, for more information.

Williston City Council Meets May 8

The Williston City Council will be meeting at City Hall on Tues. May 8 at 7 p.m. in the Williston City Council Room. The next meeting will be May 22. City Hall is at 50 NW Main Street, Williston, 352/528-3060. Meetings for the Williston City Council are the first Tues. after the first Mon. of the month and every other Tues. after the first one.

Relay for Life Volleyball & BBQ Chicken Dinner Apr. 20

First Baptist Church Williston is hosting a Relay for Life Volleyball Tournament and BBQ chicken dinner on Fri. Apr. 20 from 6 to 10 p.m. at the church.

Volleyball Info: Register your team by April 16 at janabug8274@aol.com or call 352/317-5332; Teams are asked to make a donation to the American Cancer Society on tournament night; 15-minute lightning rounds; Trophy and bragging rights for the winning team; Games begin at 7 p.m.

BBQ Info: Tickets for the BBQ dinner are \$7 and will be sold until Mon. Apr. 16 and can be purchased from any First Baptist Church relay team member, by contacting Jana at janabug8274@aol.com or at the church office; Pick-up for the dinners will be between 6-7 p.m. Fri., Apr. 20 in the Family Life Center at First Baptist.

Catchin' a Cure for Cancer Fishing Tournament Apr. 21

The Waccasassa Fishing Club of Williston is hosting a fishing tournament to benefit the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life teams in Williston on Sat. Apr. 21. The weigh-in and captain's meeting are at safe light 4 p.m. at the Club. Entry fee of \$150 is based on 2 men per boat with extra men at \$25/each. There are three categories: Largest Redfish, Largest Trout and Overall with 2 Reds/5 Trout. Payout is based upon the number of entries. Entries after 4/20/12 are \$175. Fish from location of choice but must be weighed in by 4 p.m. The Captain's Meeting/Dinner is Apr. 20 at 7 p.m. Mail entries to Karlton Norton, PO Box 334, Williston, FL or for more info call 352/538-5415.

Relay for Life Yard Sale Apr. 21

Team Junction will be having a yard sale Sat, Apr, 21st at 120 NE 6th Ave. in Williston.

Friends of Williston Public Library Book Fairs

Friends of the Williston Public Library announce that the times and dates of book fairs are changed for the next three months only.

There will NOT be a book fair the first weekend in April. The book fair for the First Sat. in May will be from 8:30 a.m. till 1 p.m., May 5, and there will be an added book fair in June this year.

The June first Sat. Book Fair will be held, Sat. June 2 from 8:30 a.m. till 1 p.m.

These book fairs are an important fundraiser for "Friends." Volunteers appreciate the loyalty and support of readers in and around Williston. Mary Mcdaniell, 528-5972.

CITRUS COUNTY

Job Seekers' Workshop at Library Apr. 19

Workforce Connection continues to offer community workshops at Citrus County libraries to help job seekers

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Levy County Saltwater and Freshwater Tides

DAY	HIGH /LOW	TIDE TIME	HEIGHT /FEET	SUNRISE SUNSET	MOON TIME	% MOON VISIBLE
Cedar Key						
Th	19	High	1:37 AM	3.3	7:01 AM	Rise 5:50 AM
	19	Low	7:34 AM	0.7	8:01 PM	Set 6:51 PM
	19	High	1:27 PM	3.7		
	19	Low	8:07 PM	-0.2		
F	20	High	2:16 AM	3.3	7:00 AM	Rise 6:23 AM
	20	Low	8:04 AM	0.8	8:02 PM	Set 7:44 PM
	20	High	1:54 PM	3.8		
	20	Low	8:41 PM	-0.3		
Sa	21	High	2:52 AM	3.3	6:59 AM	Rise 6:58 AM
	21	Low	8:33 AM	0.9	8:02 PM	Set 8:37 PM
	21	High	2:20 PM	3.9		
	21	Low	9:14 PM	-0.4		
Su	22	High	3:27 AM	3.3	6:58 AM	Rise 7:37 AM
	22	Low	9:02 AM	1	8:03 PM	Set 9:29 PM
	22	High	2:47 PM	3.9		
	22	Low	9:46 PM	-0.4		
M	23	High	4:02 AM	3.2	6:57 AM	Rise 8:18 AM
	23	Low	9:32 AM	1.1	8:03 PM	Set 10:21 PM
	23	High	3:14 PM	3.9		
	23	Low	10:18 PM	-0.3		
Tu	24	High	4:38 AM	3.1	6:56 AM	Rise 9:03 AM
	24	Low	10:03 AM	1.2	8:04 PM	Set 11:12 PM
	24	High	3:44 PM	3.9		
	24	Low	10:53 PM	-0.2		
W	25	High	5:17 AM	3	6:55 AM	Rise 9:51 AM
	25	Low	10:36 AM	1.3	8:05 PM	Set 12:00 PM
	25	High	4:17 PM	3.9		
	25	Low	11:31 PM	-0.1		
Suwannee River Entrance						
Th	19	High	1:43 AM	2.9	7:02 AM	Rise 5:50 AM
	19	Low	7:52 AM	0.7	8:02 PM	Set 6:51 PM
	19	High	1:33 PM	3.3		
	19	Low	8:25 PM	-0.2		
F	20	High	2:22 AM	2.9	7:01 AM	Rise 6:23 AM
	20	Low	8:22 AM	0.8	8:02 PM	Set 7:44 PM
	20	High	2:00 PM	3.3		
	20	Low	8:59 PM	-0.3		
Sa	21	High	2:58 AM	2.9	7:00 AM	Rise 6:59 AM
	21	Low	8:51 AM	0.9	8:03 PM	Set 8:37 PM
	21	High	2:26 PM	3.4		
	21	Low	9:32 PM	-0.4		
Su	22	High	3:33 AM	2.9	6:59 AM	Rise 7:37 AM
	22	Low	9:20 AM	0.9	8:03 PM	Set 9:30 PM
	22	High	2:53 PM	3.4		
	22	Low	10:04 PM	-0.4		
M	23	High	4:08 AM	2.8	6:58 AM	Rise 8:18 AM
	23	Low	9:50 AM	1	8:04 PM	Set 10:22 PM
	23	High	3:20 PM	3.4		
	23	Low	10:36 PM	-0.3		
Tu	24	High	4:44 AM	2.7	6:57 AM	Rise 9:03 AM
	24	Low	10:21 AM	1.1	8:05 PM	Set 11:13 PM
	24	High	3:50 PM	3.4		
	24	Low	11:11 PM	-0.2		
W	25	High	5:23 AM	2.6	6:56 AM	Rise 9:51 AM
	25	Low	10:54 AM	1.2	8:05 PM	Set 12:00 PM
	25	High	4:23 PM	3.4		
	25	Low	11:49 PM	-0.1		
Withlacoochee River Entrance						
Th	19	High	1:44 AM	3	7:00 AM	Rise 5:49 AM
	19	Low	8:29 AM	0.7	8:00 PM	Set 6:49 PM
	19	High	1:34 PM	3.4		
	19	Low	9:02 PM	-0.2		
F	20	High	2:23 AM	3	6:59 AM	Rise 6:22 AM
	20	Low	8:59 AM	0.8	8:00 PM	Set 7:42 PM
	20	High	2:01 PM	3.5		
	20	Low	9:36 PM	-0.3		
Sa	21	High	2:59 AM	3	6:58 AM	Rise 6:58 AM
	21	Low	9:28 AM	0.9	8:01 PM	Set 8:35 PM
	21	High	2:27 PM	3.5		
	21	Low	10:09 PM	-0.4		
Su	22	High	3:34 AM	3	6:57 AM	Rise 7:36 AM
	22	Low	9:57 AM	0.9	8:02 PM	Set 9:28 PM
	22	High	2:54 PM	3.5		
	22	Low	10:41 PM	-0.4		
M	23	High	4:09 AM	2.9	6:56 AM	Rise 8:17 AM
	23	Low	10:27 AM	1	8:02 PM	Set 10:20 PM
	23	High	3:21 PM	3.5		
	23	Low	11:13 PM	-0.3		
Tu	24	High	4:45 AM	2.8	6:55 AM	Rise 9:02 AM
	24	Low	10:58 AM	1.1	8:03 PM	Set 11:10 PM
	24	High	3:51 PM	3.5		
	24	Low	11:48 PM	-0.2		
W	25	High	5:24 AM	2.7	6:54 AM	Rise 9:50 AM
	25	Low	11:31 AM	1.2	8:03 PM	Set 11:58 PM
	25	High	4:24 PM	3.5		

Florida Cattle Auctions Weekly Summary

Bartow, FL Fri Fri Apr 13, 2012 USDA-FL Dept of AG Market News

At the Florida Livestock Auctions; Cattle receipts at 9 markets; Okeechobee, Lakeland, Webster, Ellisville, Arcadia, Ocala, Madison and Lake City, receipts totaled 5,470 compared to 6,093 last week, and 6,487 last year. According to the Florida Federal-State Livestock Market News Service: Compared to one week ago, slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher, bulls mostly steady, feeder steers 2.00 to 4.00 lower, heifers 1.00 to 3.00 lower, replacement cows unevenly

	This week	Last week	Year ago	Feeder Steers and Bulls Medium and Large 2-3			
	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
Steers over 600 lbs	1%	2%	2%	200-240	220	180.00-245.00	224.13
Steers under 600 lbs	38%	37%	37%	250-290	271	170.00-225.00	199.57
Heifers over 600 lbs	1%	2%	1%	300-345	323	170.00-205.00	188.48
Heifers under 600 lbs	32%	35%	34%	350-395	371	152.00-192.00	178.71
Feeder cows	1%	2%	2%	400-440	420	144.00-180.00	169.5
Slaughter cows	25%	19%	21%	450-495	468	140.00-170.00	161.16
Bulls	2%	3%	3%	500-545	525	138.00-162.00	151.85
				550-590	569	135.00-157.50	146.59
				600-645	621	126.00-142.00	136.28
				650-660	655	129.00-130.00	129.5
Slaughter Cows Breakers 75-80							
	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price			
880-1185	1049	86.00-95.50	88.76	650-660	655	129.00-130.00	129.5
1060-1185	1126	91.00-97.50	95.11 HD				
1200-1585	1339	81.00-94.00	87.67				
1285-1515	1342	94.00-98.00	96.76 HD				
1665-1945	1776	77.00-85.00	82.51				
Slaughter Cows Boners 80-85							
	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price			
815-1190	1039	77.00-89.00	83.86	400-445	414	155.00-172.50	163.42
870-1180	1072	89.00-95.00	90.98 HD	450-495	467	145.00-165.00	155.27
1200-1590	1376	78.00-89.00	83.97	500-545	519	134.00-152.50	146.54
1200-1415	1291	90.00-95.00	91.88 HD	550-590	573	130.00-149.00	140.9
				600-645	626	125.00-142.00	135.46
Slaughter Cows Lean 85-90							
	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price			
800-840	821	74.00-78.00	76.22	200-245	227	170.00-215.00	197.14
800-840	818	65.00-72.00	68.69 LD	250-290	272	160.00-195.00	180.79
850-1195	997	74.00-82.00	77.35	300-345	316	164.00-197.50	181.99
850-1150	981	65.00-72.00	68.94 LD	350-390	369	150.00-185.00	169.71
1210-1590	1367	74.00-81.00	77.86	400-445	414	155.00-172.50	163.42
				450-495	467	145.00-165.00	155.27
				500-545	519	134.00-152.50	146.54
				550-590	573	130.00-149.00	140.9
				600-645	626	125.00-142.00	135.46

Around the Nature Coast

WRPC Meeting of Apr. 19 Cancelled

The Withlacoochee Regional Planning Council Board of Directors meeting scheduled for Apr. 19, 2012 has been cancelled due to the lack of necessary business. Our next meeting is scheduled for May 17, 2012, at 7:00 p.m. in our office in Ocala.

Fla. Long-term Care Ombudsman Meeting Apr. 19

Florida's Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program needs volunteers to join its corps of dedicated advocates who protect the rights of elders residing in nursing homes, assisted living facilities and adult family care homes.

All interested individuals who care about protecting the health, safety, welfare and rights of long-term care facility residents -- who often have no one else to advocate for them -- are encouraged to call toll-free (888) 831-0404 or visit the program's Web site at <http://ombudsman.myflorida.com>.

The local council will meet on April 19 at 12:30 p.m. at Haven Hospice of North Central Florida, 4200 NW 90th Boulevard in Gainesville to discuss the program's current activities and give the public a chance to provide comments about long-term care facility issues. A short video introducing the program will play 15 minutes prior to the meeting.

Grief Support for Teens in Otter Springs Apr. 21

Camp Good Hope/Teen Encounter, a daylong grief support camp for families with children/teens who have experienced a loss, will be held on Sat., Apr. 21, at Otter Springs Park in Trenton. There is no cost. For information or to register a camper, call 386/454-1338 (866/642-0962 toll free) or refer a camper online at www.hospiceofthenaturecoast.org

Suwannee Valley Players Auditions Apr. 21

Suwannee Valley Players will hold auditions for our summer youth program featuring "The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe" a play adapted from C.S. Lewis' classic. The auditions will be held on Sat. Apr. 21 at 10 a.m. and Tues. Apr. 24 at 7 p.m. at the Chief Theatre, 25 E Park Ave. Chiefland, Fla. Participants should be between the ages of 8 and 18 and still be in school.

For additional information please view our website at www.svplayers.com or call the Suwannee Valley Players at (352) 493-ARTS.

Food Preservation (Canning) Update Apr. 24 & May 1

Join us for a canning update. All classes will cover both pressure canning for vegetables and boiling water canning for fruits. Sweet spreads (jams and jellies) and pickles will also be discussed. This is for the novice as well as the experienced. Canning recommendations have changed during the past few years and we want you to be safe. Seating is limited and class will last approximately 3 hours. There is a \$3.00 fee for the optional workshop materials. You may just pay at the door, but please bring the correct change.

Gilchrist County classes are scheduled for Tuesday, April 24th at 1:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. at the 4-H Clubhouse, 1107 North Main Street, Trenton, Florida. For reservations, please

call 352/463-3174.

Dixie County classes are scheduled for Tuesday, May 1st at 1:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. at the Dixie County Library, 16328 SE 19 Highway, Cross City, Florida. For reservations, please call 352/498-1219.

These programs are brought to you by UF IFAS Levy and Alachua County Extension Services. For more information, please contact Muriel Turner at 352/486-5131.

Career Fair Set for College Students, Community Job-Seekers Apr. 25

Community job-seekers are invited to join College of Central Florida students for the first annual Spring Fling Career Fair on Wednesday, April 25 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The fair will take place at the Learning and Conference Center at CF's Citrus Campus, 3800 S. Lecanto Highway, in Lecanto.

For employers, this Career Fair is an efficient, effective way to determine who might be the best fit for their organization and job openings, whether those openings are available now or in the near future.

Workforce Connection will have a staffed computer kiosk set up during the Career Fair to help attendees register with the Employ Florida Marketplace to apply for jobs.

There is no charge to attend the Career Fair. Participants are asked to bring at least 10 printed copies of their resume and to dress professionally.

For more information, call 352/637-2223 or 800/434-JOBS.

Levy County Cattlemen and Landowners Assoc. Meeting Apr. 26

The Levy County Cattlemen and Landowners Association is having its spring meeting on Thurs. Apr. 26, 2012 at 7 p.m. the location is Don Quincey's home on the Suwannee River.

Anyone interested in joining is invited to attend. If you would like additional information call the Levy County Extension Office at 352/486-5131 or the secretary-treasurer, Bill Bennett, at 352/528-3119.

Early Ford V-8 Club Antique Car Show Apr. 28

It's that time again and the Early Ford V-8 Club of America, Suwannee River Region #140, is holding its 20th annual Antique Car Show on Sat. Apr. 28 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Ayers Health and Rehabilitation Center at 606 NE 7th St. in Trenton. All proceeds will be donated to charity and this event is free to the public. To show a care there is a registration fee: Prior to Apr. 23, \$12/car; on the day of the show, \$15/car. To pre-register call Myrna Williams at 352/463-2365. This show is for 1987 and older cars. Dash Plaques, Best of Show and People's Choice to the Top Twenty Cars will be awarded. Judging will be by those participating in the car show.

AARP Safe Driving Course

Florida is a mandated State and any insurance company doing business in Florida must give a discount to those completing an AARP Safe Driving Course. Open to all 50 and older. Contact your agent for discount amounts.

Apr. 23 at 6 p.m. City Hall is located at 214 E. Park Avenue, Chiefland, 352/493-6711.

Friends of the Chiefland Library Board Meet Apr. 12

The Friends of the Luther Callaway Public Library (FLCPL) Board of Directors, will hold their monthly meeting at the Library, 104 NE 3rd Street, Chiefland (a block behind City Hall), at 11:00 a.m. on Thurs., Apr. 12. The Luther Callaway Public Library is the Chiefland Branch of the Levy County Public Library System. For an agenda, email: tomreitz@msn.com Members, prospective members and guests are welcome at the meeting. For further information, call FLCPL president Tom Reitz at 352/493-1896 or 949-5413.

Greater Chiefland Area Chamber of Commerce Meeting Apr. 27

The next meeting will be Fri. Apr. 27 at Haven Hospice, 311 NE 9 Street in Trenton with lunch sponsored by Pinnacle Home Care at no cost to members. Our speaker this month will be Annette Long who will be speaking to us about some of the water issues we are facing in our area. The Board will meet at 11:00 a.m. and the doors will open for the Members' segment at 12:00 Noon as usual, we look forward to seeing you there. Space is limited so reserve a seat by calling 352/493-1849 or email: chieflandchamber@bellsouth.net

Chiefland Night Out Safety Awareness Apr. 27

The Chiefland's Night Out, Focused on Safety Awareness event is sponsored by the College of Central Florida and will take place at the Train Depot & Trail Head Park From 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. For more info please contact Kat Davis at 352/493-9533

Chiefland FFA Alumni Bull Bash Apr. 27 & 28

Chiefland Farm Supply and the Chiefland FFA Alumni are presenting the 2012 Bull Bash on Apr. 27 & 28 at 7:30 p.m. at Carter's Arena, Crossroads of Hwy 347 and 345, 6 miles south of Chiefland. Advanced tickets may be purchased at: Chiefland Farm Supply; Deer Camp; Carter's Crossroad in Chiefland; Klover Leaf in Williston. Come and support your local FFA Chapter and Alumni.

58th Chiefland Watermelon Festival's 1st Annual Tour de Melon June 2

The Chiefland Woman's Club is hosting the 53rd Annual Chiefland Watermelon Festival partnering with the Suwannee Valley Rotary Club's 1st Annual Tour De Melon on Sat. June 2. The Tour De Melon is a cycling event for the entire family and the serious cyclists and will take place in historic downtown Chiefland. The Watermelon Festival will include a parade, watermelon pageants for all ages, watermelon contest, family fun, fanfare, arts, crafts, food and much more!!

Update yourself to earn a discount and get newly enacted motor vehicle and traffic laws. Course fee is \$12 for AARP members and \$14 all others. Call instructor listed below to register.

Please arrive 10 minutes early to complete registration.

Levy County

Apr. 19, Cross City Rehab & Health Care, 583 NE 351 Hwy, Cross City, FL 32628. Call Linda Cochran at 352/493-1742.

Crystal River, Homosassa, Homosassa Springs
May 3/4, 8:30am, First Christian Church of Homosassa, 7030 Grover Cleveland Blvd., Homosassa Springs, call Carol Thomas at 352/746-2416

Beverly Hill, Lecanto, Citrus Hills, Citrus Springs
May 3/4, 9:00am to 12:00pm, at Our Lady Of Grace Catholic Church, 6 Roosevelt Blvd., Beverly Hills, call James Zito at 352/341-1864.

Levy County Beekeepers Club Meeting May 3

The Levy County Beekeepers Club meets the 1st Thurs. of each month at 7 p.m. in Chiefland at #4 West Park Ave. For information contact Byron Teerlink, president, at 352/493-2216 or Leon Bath, vice president, at 352/493-2329; or email: levycountybeeclub@levycountybeekeepersclub.com

Quilters of Alachua County Day Guild Meeting May 3

A panel composed of five members of QACDG will present "Some of My Favorite Things," at the next meeting of Quilters of Alachua County Day Guild, Thurs., May 3rd in the Senior Recreation Center, 5701 NW 34th Street in Gainesville. Five items will be shown, among them a faux binding, 60-degree ruler, quilting tape, quick blocks and more.

QACDG meets monthly the first Thurs. from 9:30 a.m. to noon, at the Senior Recreation Center. Refreshments at 9:30 a.m., meeting begins 10 a.m. Guests are welcome.

For more info, call Beverley Hilton, (352) 373-7791, or go to www.qacdg.org.

Kanapaha Botanical Gardens Moonlight Walk May 5

Kanapaha Botanical Gardens Moonlight Walk, happening May 5 from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m., is a magical experience with twinkle lights, lanterns and approximately 1500 luminaries along a 1.25 mile walk with live entertainment (lost safari band), food and refreshments. The astronomy club will be out with telescopes. We are located at 4700 SW 58 Dr., Gainesville, FL 32608. Admission price is: Adults \$10, children 2-13 \$5. Members \$2 discount.

Levy County Republicans' Monthly Meeting

The Levy County Republican Executive Committee monthly meetings on the 3rd Monday at Bronson Restaurant.

Come hear the current Republican leaders and candidates tell their stories, issues, solutions and more. Get to know them, pick up materials and shake their hands.

Find us on Facebook and our website www.levyrepublians.com for activities, contact info and so much more.

For more information visit: www.chieflandwomansclub.org or www.tourdemelon.com

Swinging for a Cure Annual Golf Tournament June 9

The Chiefland Golf and Country Club is the venue for the Swinging for a Cure Annual Golf Tournament on June 9th. The event is being hosted by BACK Fighting Cancer, Inc. (formerly known as Austin's Warriors) and the proceeds go to benefit area kids with cancer. Austin's mom, Natasha Allen, is in there helping and can be reached at 352/356-8518 for more information. There will be a 3-man Scramble with shotgun starts at 9 a.m. Registration is from 8 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. This day of golfing for cancer will also have plenty of food, cash prizes, raffles and silent auctions. Early registration is \$55 per person and ends on May 31. After May 31 registration goes to \$60 per person.

If you would like to be a sponsor of this event, get in touch at the number listed above or go to backfightingcancer.org and help a kid with cancer know that their community cares and puts cleats on the ground to show it.

FANNING SPRINGS

Scavenger Hunt at Fanning Springs Apr. 22

The Florida Department of Environmental Protection's Fanning and Manatee Springs state parks and Nature Coast State Trail will host a Scavenger hunt throughout the park on Sun. Apr. 22 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., 18020 NW Hwy 19, Fanning, Fla. in honor of Earth Day.

Park Ranger Howard Meyer will read a book by Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings called The Secret River before the hunt begins. The reading will take place on the stage located in the park from 1 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. and from there the hunt will begin. There will be prize for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place participants and everyone will receive a certificate of participation.

Activities are free with a paid park admission of \$6 per carload of up to eight people. For more information, please call the park at (352) 493-6072 or visit www.FloridaStateParks.org.

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sharpen their employability skills and learn how to compete in today's tough labor market.

"Navigating the New World of Work" will be held at the following area library branches:

Thurs., Apr. 19 from 2-4 p.m. at the Homosassa Library, 4100 S. Grandmarch Ave., in Homosassa.

As with all Workforce Connection programs and services, there is no charge to participate.

To learn more or to sign up for the community workshops, call 352/291-9552 or 800/434-5627, ext. 1410. Online registration is also available at <https://www.timecenter.com/wcworkshops>.

Document Shredding in Homosassa May 5

Businesses and residents of the Homosassa area will have the opportunity to have their sensitive documents and papers shredded on Saturday, May 5, 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m., at Love Motorsports on US 19.

BizCo of Citrus County, Inc. is providing this service, by Crime Stopper Shredding of Marion and Citrus County, for your convenience.

Life South, non-profit partner of BizCo of Citrus County, will have the Blood Mobile at this location also, and is asking for your blood donations. Life South will be serving hot dogs and soft drinks to blood donors. Your blood donation can save three lives.

Almost anything with sensitive data, including CDs and DVDs, can be shredded. Everything which will fit into a 10 ream copy paper box, 11 1/2" X 17 1/2" X 10", will be shredded for a fee of \$5.

Business records of any kind should never just be tossed into the trash or re-cycling bin where they can become a windfall for identity theft criminals. All business records containing names, personal information and/or account numbers, which have no further use, should be shredded.

For more information, call 352/563-0985, or visit www.bizcoeamcitrus.com.

CHIEFLAND

Cycle for Education Apr. 21

Cycle for Education is coming on April 21. Come Cycle on the Greenway Trail with the proceeds going to the Levy County Schools Foundation. Start at the Chiefland Shopping Center at 8 a.m. and cycle through Fanning Springs, on to Cross City or as far as you want. You can register at the website below.

<http://www.active.com/cycling/chiefland-fl/lcsf-cycle-for-education-2012>

Motorcycle Ride Apr. 21

The Lighthouse Word Church Motorcycle Club will be doing a ride on Saturday morning, April 21st. We will be leaving from the church located at 2350 NW Hwy. Alt 27 in Chiefland at 9:00 a.m. Everyone is welcome. We will be stopping for lunch at the halfway point. Call 493-1554 for more information or check us out on the web at: <http://www.lighthouseword.org/motor.html>

Chiefland City Council Apr. 23

The Chiefland City Council will be meeting at City Hall on Mondays.



Don't Forget the Arts Festival April 28 & 29
LIVE BAND Steel Bridge
11 a.m. to 10 p.m. 7 DAYS A WEEK
310 Dock Street, Cedar Key
352-543-5738



6 a.m. to 10 p.m.
7 DAYS A WEEK
1/4 mi. N of Wal-Mart on East side of US 19, Chiefland
352-490-4906



6 a.m. to 10 p.m.
7 DAYS A WEEK
157 N. Hathaway Ave., Bronson
352-486-3880

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Worship Directory

Ellzey United Methodist Church

Corner of 336 & Hwy 24

Worship Service 11 a.m.
Sunday School 10 a.m.

Pastor Doug Fleming

First Baptist Church
Chiefland

511 N. Young Blvd. (US Alt. 27)
352-493-1481

Visit us online at
www.fbcChiefland.com

SUNDAY SCHEDULE
Bible Study for all ages 9:30 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Bible Class 9:15am
Worship Service 10:30am

352-493-4597

4 miles N of Walmart on Hwy 19
(before Dakota Winery)

CONCORD BAPTIST CHURCH
5551 NW CR 336
Chiefland, FL 32626
(352) 493-1219

COME JOIN US!

Sunday School..... 10 a.m.
Worship Service..... 11 a.m.
Discipleship Training..... 6 p.m.
Worship Service..... 7 p.m.
Wed. Night Prayer Service..... 7 p.m.

Pastor Jamie Brock

FAMILY BIBLE CHAPEL

"The Little Church With A Big God"

For over 16 years, continues to present the inspirational words of God from the Bible.

Come join us at
12 N Main Street, Chiefland

Sunday: Family Worship Service:
10:30am
463-6369
Don Lunsford, Pastor

Otter Creek Baptist Church

Bro. Tony Barber, Pastor

Services...
Sunday -
Sunday School 9:00am
Worship 10:00am
Wednesday -
Dinner 5:30pm
Awanas 6:00pm
Worship 7:00pm

171 SW 3rd Street - Otter Creek
352-486-2112

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF CHIEFLAND

9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:15 a.m. Worship

707 N. Main St. • 493-4627

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

4050 N.W. Hwy. 27
493-1561 or 493-9723

Saturday Evening 5:30pm
Sunday 8:30am
Religious Education Class
Wed 6:00pm-7:10pm
pre K-12th

Father Joe McDonell

First Baptist Church of Bronson

"Serving God & Loving People"

Sunday:
Sunday School 9:15 am
Morning Worship 10:30 am
Discipleship Hour 5:00 pm
Evening Worship 6:30 pm

Tuesday:
Sr. Adult Bible Study 10:00am

Wednesday:
Church Supper 5:30pm
RA/GA Children's Program 6:30pm
Full Throttle Youth 6:30pm
Prayer Hour 6:30pm

Pastor Troy A. Turner

451 S. Court Street - Bronson, FL 32621 - 352.486.2282

Pine Grove Baptist Church
16655 N. W. CR-339
Trenton, Florida 32693
352-463-2151
www.pgbcfl.com

Dr. Greg Douglas, Senior Pastor
Pastor Rickey Whitley, Assoc. Pastor/Youth
Pastor Emanuel Harris, Education/Children
Pastor Jared Douglas, Colleague/Missions

Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Night Services:
Prayer Meeting, Youth, College & Career 7:00 p.m.

~ Nursery provided for all services ~

Manatee Springs Church of Christ

Sunday
10 a.m. Bible Study
11 a.m. Worship Period
5 p.m. Worship Period

Wednesday
7 p.m. Bible Study

Minister Gene Dumas
352-542-0657 or
352-493-7775

11450 NW 76th Terr., Chiefland

Our goal is to "Speak where the Bible speaks and be silent where the Bible is silent." We seek Bible authority for the things that we believe and practice.

Come and Worship

8:45 am Sunday School
9:45 am Sunday Morning Worship
7:00 pm Wednesday Bible Study - (except 3rd Wednesday)

Reverend Priscilla Scherrah, Pastor

Bronson United Methodist Church
235 Court Street
Bronson, Florida

Tel. 352-486-2281

A Non-Denominational Faith Community

Turning Point

LEARNING HOUR: 9AM
WORSHIP: 10:14AM

PASTOR: KENT ZIMMERMANN
CELL 352-949-6501

IN OUR NEW FACILITY
CR 341 (Dairy Road)
Children's Church
Wednesday Night
Learning Time 7 pm

Church Calendar

First UMC Gospel Singspiration Apr. 21

The First United Methodist Church in Archer will be presenting "In His Name and Glory Bound" on April 21 at 7 p.m. at the church located at 117121 SW 137 Lane in Archer.

Donations of items will be accepted for the "Food4Kids Backpacks" such as canned meat, canned pasta or veggies, beans, fruit and pudding cups, peanut butter and jelly, packaged macaroni and cheese, snack bars, juice boxes/pouches, and shelf-stable milk. Even breakfast items such as oatmeal, single-serving cereal, and breakfast bars would be great. Come and singspiration with us and help the kids in the community too.

St. John the Evangelist CC Dinner Apr. 28

The St Vincent de Paul Society at St John the Evangelist Catholic Church on SR 27A will be serving a spaghetti supper Sat., Apr. 28, at 6:30 p.m.

The only cost is a bag of groceries for the food shelf or a love donation if desired. Please come to join us. All are welcome. All food and funds are used for the food shelf or to assist people with financial difficulties. If you have questions or if you are coming with a group larger than six, please call 352/949-3607.

Parsons Memorial Presbyterian Church Meeting

For new friends and fellowship come join us at Parsons Memorial Presbyterian Church at 5850 Riverside Drive in Yankeetown. On Sunday mornings at 10:00 a.m. there is coffee and sweets in the Fellowship Hall. Enjoy visiting with everyone before we go to the worship service at 11:00 a.m. Communion is served on the first Sunday of the month. After church we return to the Fellowship Hall to visit and eat. So if you are lonely and looking for a new church family, come on by we can't wait to meet you. For more information call 352/447-2506.

Fish Dinner at Holy Family Catholic Church May 11

The **Fish Dinner**, fried or baked, at Holy Family Catholic Church Parish Hall will be on Friday May 11, 2012 at 5 p.m. Adults \$7, smaller portion \$6, children under 12 \$4.

Lite Lunch is free and will be on Wed. may 16, 12 to 1:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome to share a hot meal and fellowship.

Angel House Thrift Store is open Friday and Saturday from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. every weekend.

We are located 3 miles N. of Williston on Hwy 27A.

Standing Upright Before God

(Part 1)

The newspaper ad read "Beautiful upright antique piano \$100". I called the number. I'd been hankering to join that upper echelon who boasts a piano in their cramped living room. Some sleepy sounding fellow answered, which was odd, it being late afternoon. I asked him if I could come over and kick around under the hood. After a heavy sigh, then what I surmised to be a yawn, he finally managed, "Ohhhkay".

"Doesn't sound in tune," I said plunking down on the faded yellow keys. The sleepy seller's expression never changed. He just scratched himself, wiped his nose on his pajama sleeve, and shrugged. I didn't figure this fellow to be too bright, so I offered him seventy five bucks. Sleepy looked even more confused, if that was possible, maybe even a little dopey. "I'll have to ask my mom when she gets home," he muttered, "She said she was hoping to get sixty out of it."

Suddenly the piano looked a lot nicer to me. I slapped three twenties on him and asked if he'd help me load it up. You should've seen Sleepy's jaw drop at the mention of work. He began mumbling something about what time his momma got home. I just shook my head and walked out to back my truck up to the door.

I grunted and heaved and pulled most every muscle in my body scooting that four hundred pound chunk of junk out the door. It was enough to cause a fellow to have second thoughts, especially when I noticed how easily its finish peeled off on the door jam.

Once outside we took a break. Of course I say 'we' lightly. I was sweating like a New Orleans cab driver. Sleepy hadn't even bothered to set down his coffee cup. Mostly he'd just stood there sighing repeatedly. In fact, I had to threaten him to finally get him to help me lift one end up onto the tailgate. As I was giving one last herniated push to slide it aboard I heard a metallic thud behind me. It was a deadbolt slapping into place. It seems Sleepy secretly slipped silently inside. (Say that three times real fast!)

Since I hadn't thought to bring any tie downs, I purposed to drive it down the steep yard at a snail's pace. Everything was going fine until my front wheels edged off the curb.

Then the whole truck tilted violently and there was a huge 'BLAM!' My new 'upright' was now officially a 'down-wrong'.

I rushed out to survey the damage. It was substantial. The foot pedals had fallen off. Splintered wood lay all over the truck bed. I climbed in and tried to wrestle it back upright, but I hadn't the strength. Up at the house I noticed the curtains suspiciously wiggling shut. It was then I experienced one of those rare moments of clarity, "I should just dump this thing off right here on the curb and cut my losses." I gave it serious thought, but sadly, dismissed the idea and drove it on home. I guess mere fleeting moments of sanity were never enough to penetrate my thick skull back in those days.

The story doesn't stop there, but I reckon I will for now. Because before I go I'd like to ask you one question. Is your life making music? Or does everything just seem to be out of tune in your heart? Maybe you've got it all 'down-wrong'? You've got to be careful you know, sleepy satan's craftier than he looks. He'd love nothing better than to pawn off a heavy load on you with no intention of helping you carry it.

Listen, the best deal is getting 'upright' with God. The only way to do that is to give your life to Jesus. (Some trust in chariots, and some in horses: but we will remember the name of the LORD our God. They are brought down and fallen: but we are risen, and stand upright. Psalms 20:7-8 KJV)

But anyway- I'll tell you the rest of the story later. In the meantime, why don't you just save yourself a lot of grief and let this be one of those skull penetrating moments of clarity for you?

-Guy Sheffield 10-23-07
You can visit Guy at his website www.butanyway.org, or email him at guy.sheffield@butanyway.org.



But Anyway... with Guy Sheffield

Recorded Marriages

- March 15, 2012**
Shawn Michael Grieves, 10/20/69, to Ursula Johnell Smith, 10/27/83, both of Chiefland.
Christopher Daniel Garces de Marcilla, 8/23/84, to Jennifer Rebecca Weinman, 1/8/83, both of Williston.
- March 16, 2012**
Michael Daniel Silvey, 5/21/86, to Cassandra Pearl Markham, 4/27/89, both of Bronson.
- March 19, 2012**
Wayne Claytone Price, 1/12/84, to Tara Lynn Lightfoot, 2/11/84, both of Morriston.
Dylan Lee Rodriguez, 10/5/93, of Bronson, to Cassidy Mariah Cannon, 10/12/94, of Chiefland.
- March 20, 2012**
Lyles Victor Corbin, 8/18/85, of Chiefland,
- to Jaime Leigh Van Aernam, 12/19/89, of Cross City.
Perry Colin White, 11/29/50, to Deborah Carman Quinn, 12/18/57, both of Williston.
Steven Henry Banff, 12/19/65, to Patricia Ann Marie Johnson, 3/25/65, both of Bronson.
- March 21, 2012**
Richard James Uliano, 1/8/58, to Joyce Carolyn Hood, 12/31/71, both of Williston.
- March 27, 2012**
Richard Thomas Larkins, 11/4/87, of Bronson, to Peggie Marie Mullins, 7/24/84, of Williston.
- March 29, 2012**
Angelo Luis Burgos Jr., 6/13/70, to Karen Marie Callus, 3/24/62, both of Chiefland.

Obituaries

DONALD W. PHILLIPS
June 26, 1956 - March 30, 2012
Donald W. Phillips of Sanford and formerly of Bronson passed away peacefully at home on March 30, 2012 at the age of 55. Don was born in Ft. Myers, Florida on June 26, 1956.

Don proudly served his country in the United States Marine Corps. He was a career firefighter/engineer/EMT with the City of Maitland Fire Department and enjoyed hunting, reading, traveling to the Florida Keys and entertaining family and friends. He always lived life to the fullest and found great joy in helping others.

Mr. Phillips' father, Charles Phillips and his mother, Linda Sue Phillips predeceased him.

His wife Linda M. Phillips of Sanford, his daughter Ashleigh M. Phillips and his son Austin W. Phillips of Orlando; sister, Suzanne Phillips Marinaro of South Carolina and brother, William Phillips of Ohio (Jane), survive him. He also leaves behind many beloved aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews, and his step-mother Linda A. Phillips, all of Bronson, Florida; his mother-in-law and father-in-law Ann and Bill Priest of Oviedo, Florida; in addition to his step children, David (Rebecca), Joshua (Jodie) and Laura, and his beloved grandbabies: Trey, Talayah, Joshua, Christopher, and Emma.

A Memorial Service will be held for Don Saturday, April 21, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. at Banfield Funeral Home, 420 W. State Road 434, Winter Springs, Florida 32708.

DIANE MARIE WHITE
September 16, 1952 - April 12, 2012
Diane Marie White passed away on Thursday, April 12, 2012 at her residence in Bell at the age of 59. Diane was born on September 16, 1952 in Morgantown, West Virginia to William Dennis Gidley and Donna Thomas Gidley. She moved to Bell in 1984 from Morgantown, WV.

She is survived by her husband, John Dale White of Bell; her father and mother, William Dennis Gidley and Donna Thomas Gidley of Bell; a daughter, Shawn Rancee (Casey) Cromer of Bell; a son, John (Heather) Clinton of Bell; two sisters: Joyce Burrow of Bell and Denise (Paul) Miller of West Palm, Fla.; a brother-in-law, Bill (Judy) White of Ohio and six grandchildren: Cody Sconyers, Misti Sconyers, Hailie White, Casey Cromer, Jr., Nolan Cromer and Logan White, all of Bell; and many loving nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held on Monday, April 16, 2012 at 12:00 p.m. in the chapel at Watson Funeral Home with Mr. Andy Cook officiating. Interment followed at Townsend Cemetery. Visitation was from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Arrangements were placed under the care of Watson Funeral Home, Trenton, Fla., (352) 463-8888.

Online condolences may be sent through our website at www.watsonfh.trenton.com

CAROL RUTLEDGE MCDONALD
Mr. Carol Rutledge McDonald of Old Town passed away Monday, April 9, 2012 at North Florida Rehabilitation Center in Gainesville. He was 84.

Mr. McDonald retired, after 22 years, from the United States Navy. Before moving to Old Town in 1989 he

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LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO. 38-2011-CA-000469

NATIONAL LOAN INVESTORS, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership, Plaintiff,

vs. NORMAN H. THOMSON, III; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF NORMAN H. THOMSON, III; UNKNOWN TENANT NO. 1; and UNKNOWN TENANT NO. 2, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 45

Notice is given that pursuant to a Summary Final Judgment entered in this cause, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in the BOCC meeting room in the Levy County Courthouse at 355 S. Court St., Bronson, Florida, at 11:00 o'clock A.M., on May 7, 2012, the following-described property set forth in the Order or Final Judgment:

LOT 1, BLOCK 5, WILLISTON HIGHLANDS UNIT 11, ACCORDING TO THE MAP OR PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 4, PAGE 11, PUBLIC RECORDS OF LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA, Together with the 1996 double-wide mobile home located thereon described as Identification Nos. FLA14610820A and FLA14610820B, Title Nos. 71726359 and 71726360 ANY LIENHOLDER CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE SURPLUS FUND FROM THIS SALE, IF ANY, MUST FILE A CLAIM WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER THE SALE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 45.031(1) (a), FLORIDA STATUTES. DATED: April 4, 2012. {court seal}

Clerk of Court, Levy County, Florida
By: Gwen McElroy /s/ As Deputy Clerk
Pub.: April 12, 19, 2012.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL ACTION CASE NO.: 38-2011-CA-000495

DIVISION: US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR STRUCTURED ASSET SECURITIES CORPORATION TRUST 2005-WF2, Plaintiff, vs. BETTY J. BUIE, et al, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Mortgage Foreclosure dated April 03, 2012 and entered in Case No. 38-2011-CA-000495 of the Circuit Court of the EIGHTH Judicial Circuit in and for LEVY County, Florida wherein US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR STRUCTURED ASSET SECURITIES CORPORATION TRUST 2005-WF2 is the Plaintiff and BETTY J. BUIE; LEON BUIE; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; TENANT #1 are the Defendants, The Clerk of the Court will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at MAIN LOBBY OF THE LEVY COUNTY COURTHOUSE at 11:00 AM, on the 4th day of June, 2012, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment:

LOT 9, SOUTHERN HEIGHTS, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 8, PAGE 56, PUBLIC RECORDS OF LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA.

A/K/A 520 SE 5TH AVENUE, CHIEFLAND, FL 32626

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the Lis Pendens must file a claim within sixty

(60) days after the sale. WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of this Court on April 5, 2012.

Danny J. Shipp Clerk of the Circuit Court
By: Gwen McElroy /s/ Deputy Clerk

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: Ms. Jan Phillips, Human Resources Manager Alachua County Family/Civil Courthouse, 201 E. University Avenue, Room 410, Gainesville, FL 32601 Phone: 352-337-6237/Fax: 352-374-5238. Pub.: April 12, 19, 2012.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO. 2011-CA-001425

HARVEY SCHONBRUN, TRUSTEE, Plaintiff, vs. MARILYNE R. BROWN and MARLAND C. BROWN a/k/a Marland C. Williams, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above styled cause, in the Circuit Court of Levy County, Florida, I will sell the property situate in Levy County, Florida, described as:

Lot 2, CHERRY POINT SUBDIVISION, UNIT 1, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 7, Page 19, Public Records of Levy County, Florida.

at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in the Board of County Commissioners Meeting Room in the Levy County Courthouse, 355 South Court Street, Bronson, Florida, at 11:00 a.m., on the 4th day of June, 2012.

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens, must file a claim within 60 days after the sale. Dated this 4th day of April, 2012.

DANNY SHIPP CLERK OF THE COURT
By: Gwen McElroy /s/ Deputy Clerk
Pub.: April 12, 19, 2012.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO.: 38-2010 CA 00897

DIVISION: BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, L.P. F/K/A COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING, L.P., Plaintiff, vs. SALLY ANN COURTNEY; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF SALLY ANN COURTNEY, IF ANY; ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER AND AGAINST THE HEREIN NAMED INDIVIDUAL DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE, WHETHER SAID UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEEES OR OTHER CLAIMANTS; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF DAVID J. FLORANCE IF ANY; JOHN DOE AND JANE DOE AS UNKNOWN TENANTS IN POSSESSION, Defendant(s),

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Summary Judgment dated April 3, 2012, entered in Civil Case No.: 38-2010-CA-00897 of the Circuit Court of the Eighth Judicial Circuit in and for Levy County, Florida, wherein BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC

HOME LOANS SERVICING, L.P. F/K/A COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING, L.P. is Plaintiff, and SALLY ANN COURTNEY; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF SALLY ANN COURTNEY, IF ANY; ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER AND AGAINST THE HEREIN NAMED INDIVIDUAL DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE, WHETHER SAID UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEEES OR OTHER CLAIMANTS; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF DAVID J. FLORANCE IF ANY; JOHN DOE AND JANE DOE AS UNKNOWN TENANTS IN POSSESSION are Defendants.

I will sell to the highest bidder for cash at the main lobby of the Courthouse located 355 South Court Street, Bronson, FL 32621 at 11:00 a.m. on the 4th day of June, 2012 the following described real property as set forth in said Final Summary Judgment, to wit:

LOT 113, BLOCK C, WHITTED' S ESTATES, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 4, PAGE 23, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA. TOGETHER WITH A 1995 JAGUAR DOUBLEWIDE MOBILE HOME. VIN GMHGA342944918A AND GMHGA342944918B.

This property is located at the Street address of: 7750 N. W. 25th Place, Chiefland, FL 32626

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the Lis Pendens must file a claim within sixty (60) days after the sale.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the court on April 4, 2012. (COURT SEAL)

DANNY J. SHIPP CLERK OF THE COURT
By: Gwen McElroy /s/ Deputy Clerk

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AMERICAN'S 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 Ms. Jan Phillips, Human Resources Manager, 201 East University Ave., Room 410, Gainesville, FL 32601, at (352) 337-6237, within 2 working days of your receipt of this summons. If you are hearing or voice impaired, call (800) 955-8771; if you are voice impaired, call (800) 955-8770. Pub.: April 12, 19, 2012.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL ACTION CASE NO.: 38-2010-CA-001107

DIVISION: U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE, ON BEHALF OF THE HOLDERS OF THE HOME EQUITY ASSET TRUST 2006-3 HOME EQUITY PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-3, Plaintiff, vs. MYRA CHARUE SANDLIN F/K/A MYRA C. ZEIGLER F/K/A MYRA ELIZABETH ZEIGLER MASCIARELLI F/K/A MYRA ELIZABETH ZEIGLER, et al, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 45

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN Pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated April 5, 2012, and entered in Case No. 38-2010-CA-001107 of the Circuit Court of the Eighth Judicial Circuit in and for Levy County, Florida in which U.S. Bank National Association, as trustee, on behalf of the holders of the

Home Equity Asset Trust 2006-3 Home Equity Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2006-3, is the Plaintiff and Myra ChaRue Sandlin f/k/a Myra C. Zeigler f/k/a Myra Elizabeth Zeigler Masciarelli f/k/a Myra Elizabeth Zeigler, Virgil Sandlin a/k/a Virgil P. Sandlin., are defendants, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in/on the BoCC Meeting Room of the Levy County Courthouse, 355 S. Court St, Bronson, Florida 32621, Levy County, Florida at 11:00 AM on the 16th day of August, 2012, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment of Foreclosure:

LOT SIXTEEN (16), CEDAR KEY SHORES, UNIT NO. 4, TO PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 5, PAGE 51 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA. A/K/A 16691 ANNA ST., CEDAR KEY, FL 32625-4672

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the Lis Pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale.

Dated in Levy County, Florida this 5th day of April, 2012. Clerk of the Circuit Court Levy County, Florida
By: Gwen McElroy /s/ Deputy Clerk

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. Persons with a disability who need any accommodation in order to participate should call Jan Phillips, ADA Coordinator, Alachua County Courthouse, 201 E. University Ave., Gainesville, FL 32601 at (352)337-6237 within two (2) working days of receipt of this notice; if you are hearing impaired, please call 1-800-955-8771; if you are voice impaired, please call 1-800-955-8770. Pub.: April 12, 19, 2012.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO. 38-2011-CA-000640

US BANK, N.A. Plaintiff, vs. TRACY A. DIGIACOMO; DENNIS P. DIGIACOMO, JR.; UNKNOWN TENANT 1; UNKNOWN TENANT 2; and all unknown parties claiming by, through, under or against the above named Defendants, who are not known to be dead or alive, whether said unknown parties claim as heirs, devisees, grantees, assignees, lienors, creditors, trustees, spouses, or other claimants; Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the Final Judgment dated April 3, 2012, in this cause, I will sell the property situated in LEVY County, Florida, described as:

PARCEL #4 OF THE MARGARET RICE SURVEY, AN UNRECORDED SUBDIVISION, LOCATED IN SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 18 EAST, LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA, SAID PARCEL MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: FOR A POINT OF REFERENCE, COMMENCE AT THE SOUTH-EAST CORNER OF SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 18 EAST; THENCE RUN N.86°55'11"W. ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID SECTION 32 A DISTANCE OF 2000.95 FEET TO THE EASTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF STATE ROAD NO. 121; THENCE N.21°32'00"E. ALONG SAID EASTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE A DISTANCE OF 1879.04 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUE N.21°32'00"E.

ALONG SAID RIGHT OF WAY LINE 743.20 FEET; THENCE S. 86°53'11"E. 430.20 FEET; THENCE S.00°15'05"W. 706.00 FEET; THENCE N.86°53'11"W. 700.29 FEET TO CLOSE ON THE POINT OF BEGINNING. SUBJECT TO AND TOGETHER WITH AN EASEMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF INGRESS AND EGRESS OVER AND ACROSS THE NORTH 25 FEET OF THE ABOVE REFERENCED PARCEL.

a/k/a 1651 SE STATE RD 121, MORRISTON, FL 32668-2359

at public sale on May 7, 2012, to the highest bidder for cash, in the main lobby of the Levy County Courthouse, 355 South Court Street, Bronson, Florida, in accordance with section 45.031, Florida Statutes, beginning at eleven o'clock a.m.

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale. (Seal)

Danny J. Shipp Clerk of the Circuit Court
By: Gwen McElroy /s/ Deputy Clerk

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES REQUESTING REASONABLE ACCOMMODATIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS PROCEEDING SHOULD CONTACT (352) 374-3639 OR VIA FLORIDA RELAY SERVICE 1-800-955-8771. Pub.: April 12, 19, 2012.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO. 38-2011-CA-000867

Division No. Section. ROSE ACCEPTANCE, INC. Plaintiff(s), vs. ROBERT KIBLER A/K/A ROBERT LEE KIBLER; et. al., Defendant(s) /

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 45

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order or Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated April 4, 2012 and entered in Case No. 38-2011-CA-000867 of the Circuit Court of the 8TH Judicial Circuit in and for LEVY County, Florida, wherein ROSE ACCEPTANCE, INC. is the Plaintiff and ROBERT KIBLER A/K/A ROBERT LEE KIBLER ; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF ROBERT KIBLER A/K/A ROBERT LEE KIBLER ; ROBIN KIBLER A/K/A ROBIN LYNN KIBLER and UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF ROBIN KIBLER A/K/A ROBIN LYNN KIBLER are the Defendants, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash are held in the BOCC meeting room in the Levy County Courthouse at 355 S. Court Street, Bronson, Florida on the 4th day of June, 2012, at 11:00 a.m., the following described property as set forth in said Order of Final Judgment, wit:

LOT 1, LOUMAR ESTATES, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 7, PAGE 47, PUBLIC RECORDS, LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA; TOGETHER WITH 1981 BROA MOBILE HOME WITH VIN FL1A064333996 AND TITLE NUMBER 21626303, WHICH IS AFFIXED THERETO. and commonly known as: 17050 NW 71ST AVE, TRENTON, FL 32693

IF YOU ARE A PERSON CLAIMING A RIGHT TO FUNDS REMAINING AFTER THE SALE, YOU MUST FILE A CLAIM WITH THE CLERK OF COURT NO LATER THAN 60 DAYS AFTER THE SALE. IF YOU FAIL TO FILE A CLAIM, YOU WILL NOT BE ENTITLED TO

ANY REMAINING FUNDS. AFTER 60 DAYS, ONLY THE OWNER OF RECORD AS OF THE DATE OF THE LIS PENDENS MAY CLAIM THE SURPLUS.

DATED at LEVY County, Florida, this 4th day of April, 2012.

DANNY J. SHIPP, Clerk LEVY County, Florida
By: Gwen McElroy /s/ Deputy Clerk

In accordance with the Americans With Disabilities Act, persons in need of a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding shall, within seven (7) days prior to any proceeding, contact the Administrative Office of the Court, LEVY County, 355 SOUTH COURT STREET, BRONSON FL 32621-County Phone: 352-486-5266 EXT.238 TDD 1-800-955-8771 or 1-800-955-8770 via Florida Relay Service. Pub.: April 12, 19, 2012.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL ACTION CASE NO. 38-2012-CA-000050

CAPITAL CITY BANK, a Florida banking corporation, Plaintiff,

vs. JOHN C. ADAMS and SHANNON D. ADAMS a/k/a SHANNON ADAMS, husband and wife; and any and all unknown Tenant In Possession, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, DANNY SHIPP, Clerk of the Circuit Court of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, in and for LEVY County, Florida, pursuant to the Summary Final Judgment In Foreclosure entered in the above styled cause, will sell at public sale the following described property situate in LEVY County, Florida, to wit:

LOT 7, BLOCK B, CAISON'S INGLIS ACRES UNIT 5, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 4, Page 45, Public Records of Levy County, Florida. Together with 2006 Herit Doublewide Mobile Home ID#s SBHGA1340500846A & SBHGA1340500846B.

Said sale shall be made to the highest and best bidder for cash pursuant to the Summary Final Judgment entered in the above styled cause and will be held on the Courthouse steps of the LEVY County Courthouse in Bronson, Florida, on the 7th day of May, 2012, commencing at the hour of 11:00 A.M.

All interested parties shall be governed accordingly by this Notice.

DATED this 4th day of April, 2012.

DANNY SHIPP Clerk of the Court
By: Gwen McElroy /s/ Deputy Clerk
Pub.: April 12, 19, 2012.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO.: 2010-CA-000992

SEC.: BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP, FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP Plaintiff, vs. JESSE CARL GRAY, et al Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF ACTION FOR FORECLOSURE PROCEEDING-PROPERTY

TO: JESSE CARL GRAY, ADDRESS UNKNOWN BUT WHOSE LAST KNOWN ADDRESS IS: 1266 AUTUMN DR TAMPA, FL 33613 SHARRON K. GRAY, ADDRESS UNKNOWN BUT WHOSE LAST KNOWN ADDRESS IS: 12350 NORTH EAST 106TH COURT ARCHER, FL 32616 Residence unknown, if liv-

LEGAL NOTICES

ing, including any unknown spouse of the said Defendants, if either has remarried and if either or both of said Defendant(s) are dead, their respective unknown heirs, devisees, grantees, assignees, creditors, lienors, and trustees, and all other persons claiming by, through, under or against the named Defendant(s); and the aforementioned named Defendant(s) and such of the aforementioned unknown Defendants and such of the aforementioned unknown Defendant(s) as may be infants, incompetents or otherwise not sui juris.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action has been commenced to foreclose a mortgage on the following real property, lying and being and situated in LEVY COUNTY, Florida, more particularly described as follows:

LOT 3, BLOCK 7, UNIVERSITY OAKS, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 4, PAGES 15, 15A TO 15M, PUBLIC RECORDS OF LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA. TOGETHER WITH A 2007 FLEETWOOD MOBILE HOME VIN NO, FL-FL770A33530GH21 AND FLFL770B-33530GH21.

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 12350 NORTH EAST 106TH COURT, ARCHER, FL 32616

This action has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defense, if any, such as Morris Hardwick Schneider, LLC, Attorneys for Plaintiff, whose address is 5110 Eisenhower Blvd, Suite 120, Tampa, FL 33634 on or before May 25, 2012 and file the original with the clerk of this Court either before service on Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

WITNESS my hand and seal of this Court on the 12th day of April, 2012.

Danny J. Shipp
Clerk of the Circuit Court
By: Gwen McElroy /s/

Deputy Clerk
In accordance with the American with Disabilities Act, persons needing a special accommodation to participate in this hearing, should contact ADA Coordinator not later than 1(one) day prior to the proceeding at Three Rivers Legal Services, Inc. (Levy), 901 NW 8th Avenue, Suite D-5, Gainesville, FL 32601 352-372-0519 and for the hearing and voice impaired 800-955-8770.
Pub.: April 19, 26, 2012.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 8th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA

GENERAL JURISDICTION
DIVISION
CASE NO. 38-2011-CA-001361

GMAC MORTGAGE, LLC, PLAINTIFF,
VS.
MAGGIE CAMPBELL, ET AL.

DEFENDANT(S).
NOTICE OF ACTION (Constructive Service — Property)

TO:
MAGGIE CAMPBELL A/K/A MARGARET CAMPBELL A/K/A MARGARET ANN CAMPBELL A/K/A MARGARET A. CAMPBELL
Last known address:
12351 NE 80th Ave
Bronson, FL 32621

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose a mortgage on the

following real property, lying and being and situated in Levy County, Florida, more particularly described as follows:

LOT 4, BLOCK 1, VILLAGES OF GREEN THUMBS DEV., INC., UNIT 1, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3, PAGE 41, PUBLIC RECORDS OF LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA. TOGETHER WITH A 1989 PINE MOBILE HOME BEARING ID# HMLCP28151504429A & HMLCP28151504429B Tax ID: 0632000000

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 1871 NE 159th Ave, Williston, FL 32696
Attorney file number: 11-11735

has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defense, if any, to it on Pendergast & Morgan, P.A., the Plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 6675 Corporate Parkway, Suite 301, Jacksonville, FL 32216, by which is within thirty (30) days of the first publication. Please file the original with the Clerk of this Court either before service on the Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

This notice shall be published once a week for two consecutive weeks in the LEVY COUNTY JOURNAL.

WITNESS my hand and seal of this Court at Bronson, Florida, on the 13th day of April, 2012.

Clerk Name: Danny J. Shipp
Clerk, Circuit Court
Levy County, Florida
By: Gwen McElroy /s/
As Deputy Clerk
In accordance with the American with Disabilities Act, persons needing a special accommodation to participate in this hearing should contact ADA Coordinator not later than one (1) day prior to the proceeding at Jan Phillips. For the hearing and voice impaired 352-337-6237.
Pub.: April 19, 26, 2012.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA.

FILE NO: 38-2012-CP-000026

DIVISION: PROBATE
IN RE: ESTATE OF VONTAVIA KIARA ROBINSON,

Deceased.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
The administration of the estate of VONTAVIA KIARA ROBINSON, deceased, whose date of death is January 29, 2012, is pending in the Circuit Court for Levy County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Levy County Courthouse, Attention: Probate Division, 355 South Court Street, Bronson, Florida, 32621. The file number is 38-2012-CP-000026. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the Decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate, on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served, must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the

decedent or other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this notice is April 19, 2012.

/s/ LASHONTA RENEJA JACKSON
Personal Representative
2510 NE 9th Street,
Apt. 616,
Gainesville, Florida 32609

/s/ CHERIE H. FINE, ESQUIRE
Attorney for Personal Representative
Fla. Bar No. 0331317
FINE, FARKASH & PARLAPIANO, PA
Attorneys for Petitioner
622 NE First Street
Gainesville, Florida 32601
(352) 376-6046
Pub.: April 19, 26, 2012.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA

PROBATE DIVISION
File No. 38-2012-CP-000051

IN RE: ESTATE OF THOMAS BAILEY, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
The administration of the Estate of THOMAS BAILEY, Deceased, whose date of death was January 31, 2012, File Number 38-2012-CP-000051, is pending in the Circuit Court for Levy County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Levy County Courthouse, 355 South Court Street, Bronson, FL 32621.

The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the Decedent and other persons having claims or demands against Decedent's estate, on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served, must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the Decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

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NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIOD SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this notice is: April 19, 2012.

/s/ Kim Broyles
Personal Representative
8380 Vickers Circle
Hahira, GA 31632

/s/ Charlotte A. Bryan
Personal Representative
908 Carol Avenue
Adel, GA 31620

/s/ Gregory V. Beauchamp
GREGORY V. BEAUCHAMP, P.A.
Attorney for Personal Representative
Florida Bar No. 178770
P O. Box 1129
Chiefland, FL 32644
(352)493-1458
Pub.: April 19, 26, 2012.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC FUNCTION

The Southwest Florida Water Management District (SWFWMD) announces the following public function to which all interested persons are invited:

Peace River Manasota Regional Water Supply Authority Facility Tour: Governing Board members are invited to tour the regional reservoir and water treatment plant.

DATE/TIME: Friday, April 27, 2012; 11:30 a.m.
PLACE: Peace River Facility, 8998 SW County Road 769, Arcadia FL 34269

A copy of the agenda may be obtained by contacting SWFWMD: Lou.Kavouras@watermatters.org 1(800)423-1476 (FL only) or (352)796-7211, x4604

Pursuant to the provision of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring reasonable accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the agency at least 5 days before the workshop/meeting by contacting SWFWMD's Human Resources Bureau Chief, 2379 Broad Street, Brooksville, Florida 34604-6899; telephone (352) 796-7211, ext. 4702 or 1-800-423-1476 (FL only), ext. 4702; TDD (FL only) 1-800-231-6103; or email to ADACoordinator@swfwmd.state.fl.us. (Ad Order EXE0209)
Pub.: April 19, 2012.

NOTICE FROM SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS OF LEVY COUNTY

The Levy County Supervisor of Elections has received notification from the State of Florida that the individuals listed below have been convicted of a felony and your civil rights permitting you to vote have not been restored at this time.

Andrews, Debra, 17171 NW 75th Ave, Trenton, FL 32693;
Ashley, Mandy, 321 SE 5th Ter., Williston, FL 32696;
Bouterie, Kim, 53 Lori St., Inglis, FL 34449;
Burgman, Robert, 4411 NE 207th Ct, Williston, FL 32696;
Clark, Danny, 14850 NW 83rd Ter, Trenton, FL 32693;
Haynes, Shelia, 4171 NE 203rd Ct, Williston, FL 32696;
Hughley, Patrick, 314 NE 3rd Ave, Williston, FL 32696;
Kirkland, Marvin, 11371 NE St.Rd. 24, Archer, FL 32618;
Mayer, Joseph, 7271 NW 110th Ave., Chiefland, FL 32626;
Monroe, Illya, 4150 NE 210th Ave, Williston, FL 32696;
Rivard, Richard, 351 NE 160th Ave, Williston, FL 32696;
Stafford, Michele, 13573 NW 65th Ter, Chiefland, FL 32626;
Stirling, Jeffrey, 8111 NW 172nd Ln, Fanning Springs, FL 32693;
Sills, William, 12231 SW 165th Ter., Cedar Key, FL 32625;
Tisdale, Jeremiah, 12791 NE 72nd Ct, Bronson, FL 32621;
Vygart, Dorothy, 4767 SW 166th Court Rd, Ocala, FL 34481.

Failure to respond to the Supervisor of Elections office within **thirty (30)** days after this notice is published

may result in a determination of ineligibility by the supervisor and you will no longer be eligible to vote, until your civil rights have been restored. If you believe that this information is false, you may contact the Supervisor of Elections at (352) 486-5163 x6.
Connie Asbell
Supervisor of Elections
Pub.: Apr. 19, 2012.

NOTICE OF BRONSON MEETING CHANGE

The Bronson Town Council has rescheduled the May 7, 2012 Council Meeting; it will be held a week earlier on April 30, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at the Dogan S. Cobb Municipal Building at 660 E. Hathaway Ave. Bronson, FL 32621.

Notice is given pursuant to Section 286-0105, Florida Statutes, that in order to appeal any decision made at these public hearings, you will need to ensure that a verbatim record is made. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person with a disability requiring reasonable accommodation in order to participate in this meeting should call the Town Clerk at (352)486-2354 at least 48 hours prior to the public hearing.
Pub.: April 19, 2012.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a Writ of Execution issued out of the County Court for Marion County, Florida on the 9th day of September, 2008 in the cause wherein CAMPUS USA CREDIT UNION was Plaintiff and THOMAS M. SCHLOSS was the Defendant, being case number 2008-988-CC in said court, I, Johnny Smith, as Sheriff of Levy County, Florida have levied upon all the right, title and interest of the Defendant, THOMAS M. SCHLOSS, in and to the following described real and personal property:

1 (one) 2006 Ford F250, VIN#:

1FTSW21P16EC35677

On the 22nd day of May, 2012 at the Levy County Courthouse, 355 South Court Street, Bronson, Florida at the hour of 11:00 a.m., I will offer for sale and sell all of the said Defendant's right, title and interest in the above-described real and personal property at public auction and will sell the same subject to prior liens, encumbrances and judgments, if any, to the highest bidder for cash in hand and/or certified check, the proceeds to be applied as far as may be to the payment of costs and the satisfaction of the described execution.

Johnny Smith, Sheriff
Levy County, Florida
In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons needing special accommodations to participate in this proceeding should contact the Levy County Sheriff's Office, Civil Division, not later than five working days prior to the proceeding at P.O. Drawer 1719, Bronson, Florida 32621. Telephone (352) 486-5207, Lt. Todd Polo.
Pub.: April 19, 26, May 3, 10, 2012.

NOTICE OF WATER PERMIT APPLICATION

The St. Johns River Water Management District (District) gives notice of receipt of the following consumptive use permit application(s):

Individual Consumptive Use Permit Application(s)
Sleepy Creek Lands, LLC, 2650 N Military Trail, Ste 240, Boca Raton, FL 33431,
Application No. 2-083-129419-1.

The applicant proposes to withdraw 13.267 million gallons per day of groundwater from the Florida aquifer for agricultural, commercial and industrial, and livestock uses. The withdrawals used by this proposed project will consist of 135 proposed wells in Marion County, located in Sections: 2, 3, 4 and 5, Township: 13 South, Range: 23 East; Sections: 20, 21, 22, 23, 26, 27, 28, 29,

32, 33, 34 and 35, Township: 12 South, Range: 23 East, known as Adena Springs Ranch.

The file(s) containing the permit application(s) are available for inspection Monday through Friday, except for District holidays, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the District's Headquarters, 4049 Reid St., Palatka, FL 32177-2529. You may also view files at one of the District's service centers, but you should call service center staff in advance to make sure that the files are at a specific service center. Service center contact information is available online at floridaswater.com/contactus/offices.html. Additionally, most permit application file documents can be viewed online at floridaswater.com/permitting/index.html. To obtain information on how to find and view permit application file documents, visit floridaswater.com/permitting/index.html and select the topic of choice from the "Find permits and application" heading, and then follow the directions provided under "How to find a Technical Staff Report (TSR) or other application file documents."

Decisions on Standard General permit applications will be made at the District's service center where the application is processed, unless the application is upgraded to an Individual permit application as explained below. A substantial objection to a Standard General permit application must be made in writing and filed with (received by) the Director, Bureau of Regulatory Support, P.O. Box 1429, Palatka, FL 32178-1429, or by e-mail at applicationsupport@sjrwmd.com, within 14 days of notification of the application. Please include either the Permit Application Number or the Project Name in the objection. Notification of the application is either the fifth day after the date on which the written notice is deposited in the U.S. mail (for those persons who receive actual notice by U.S. mail), the date on which the notice is e-mailed (for those persons who receive actual notice by e-mail), or the date the notice is published in the newspaper (if actual notice is not provided by U.S. mail or e-mail). A "substantial objection" means a written statement directed to the District that identifies the objector, concerns hydrologic or environmental impacts of the proposed consumptive use, and relates to applicable rule criteria. A timely substantial objection will cause the Standard General consumptive use permit application to be considered an application for an Individual consumptive use permit. If the District receives a timely substantial objection from you, then you will receive written notice of the District's intended decision on the permit application.

Decisions on Individual consumptive use permit applications will be made by the District's Governing Board. Notice of Intended District Decision will be provided to persons who have requested individual notice. A request for individual Notice of Intended District Decision on an application must be received by the Director, Bureau of Regulatory Support prior to the date the Notice of Intended District Decision is generated. For Individual permit applications, you are advised to notify the District within 14 days of notification of the application(s) if you have questions, objections, comments, or information regarding the proposed consumptive use. If you make a written request to the District for additional information regarding a specific permit application, you will be provided an opportunity to obtain the available information. Please note that filing a written objection does not entitle you to a Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, administrative hearing.
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worked for the City of St. Petersburg Water Department. He was a member of the Moose Club in Fanning Springs.

Mr. Rutledge was preceded in death by son Richard Glen McDonald.

He is survived by son Michael (Fern) McDonald of Old Town; daughter Kelly (Cornell) Gotshaw of St. Petersburg; four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

A memorial service was held Friday, April 13, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. at the Rick Gooding Funeral Home Chapel.

Arrangements have been placed under the care of the Rick Gooding Funeral Home, Cross City, Florida, 352-498-5400.

LILLIE PEARL BEARD

May 27, 1929 – April 9, 2012

Lillie Pearl Beard passed away on April 9, 2012 at her home in Morriston, Florida at the age of 82. She was born on May 27, 1929 to Perry and Inez Ross in Selma, Alabama. She moved to this area 18 years ago coming from Jacksonville. She worked as a Teachers Assistant and belonged to the Red Hat Society. She loved to read, knit and crochet in her spare time.

She was a faithful member of Morriston Baptist Church.

Mrs. Beard leaves behind her son; William C. Murphy Jr.; her daughter in law, Susie Beard; her brother, John Ross (Connie); grandchildren, Tanya Street and Shelli Beard; and seven great-grandchildren.

The family received visitors at Knauff Funeral Home on April 12, 2012 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Services were held at Knauff Funeral Home on April 13, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. and were officiated by Brother Keith Stewart. She was laid to rest at Orange Hill Cemetery in Williston, Fla. Arrangements were placed under the care of Knauff Funeral Home in Williston, Fla.

JOAN RICHBURG WILKINSON

December 26, 1937 – April 8, 2012



Joan Richburg Wilkinson of Jacksonville, Florida went home to be with the Lord Jesus Christ on April 8, 2012 at the age of 74 after many years of being sick. She was born on December 26, 1937 to Mellious and Hettie Ree Richburg in Cedar Key, Florida. She was a member

of South Point Baptist Church in Jacksonville. She led a women's prayer group and had always been very active in church activities no matter which church she belonged to.

Mrs. Wilkinson was preceded in death by her mother, Hettie Ree Gieger-Richburg.

She leaves behind her father, Mellious Richburg; her husband, John M. Wilkinson Sr.; her sons, John M. Wilkinson Jr., (Mike), Mark W. Wilkinson (Lori); her daughter; Sharon A. West (Ronald); her sister, Travis Perkins (Chet); her brother, Jim Richburg (Tina); five grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

The family received visitors on Friday, April 13, 2012 at

Knauff Funeral Home in Williston, Fla. from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and services were held at Knauff Funeral Home on Saturday, April 14, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. officiated by Pastor Jim Waldron. Her final resting place is at Orange Hill Cemetery in Williston.

Arrangements were placed under the care of Knauff Funeral Home in Williston.

E. C. STUDSTILL

E. C. Studstill of Trenton passed away April 15, 2012 at Ayers Health & Rehab in Trenton at the age of 93. He was born in Gilchrist County and spent his lifetime in the area. E. C. was a member of Ebenezer Baptist Church; he was a farmer and enjoyed hunting, fishing and the outdoors.

Mr. Studstill was preceded in death by his wife in 1990, Avelue Studstill and son, Henry Studstill.

He is survived by his two sons, Brantley Studstill of Trenton and Robert (Anna) Studstill of Chieffland; eight grandsons, one granddaughter, 10 great-grandsons, seven great-granddaughters and four great-great-grandsons.

Funeral services were held, Wednesday, April 18, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. at Ebenezer Baptist Church with Bro. Billy Philman officiating. Burial followed at Ebenezer Cemetery. Visitation was Tuesday evening from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. at the funeral home.

Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 352/493-0050. On line condolences may be sent through our website at www.hiers-baxley.com

GERTRUDE JILL CARTER

March 5, 1922 – April 14, 2012



Gertrude "Jill" Carter of Williston passed away on Saturday, April 14, 2012, at Williston Rehabilitation and Nursing Center at the age of 90. She was born in Blitchton, Florida on March 5, 1922 to John and Myrtle Blitch. She has lived in the Williston area all of her life. She was of Baptist faith. Ms. Carter was the owner and operator of Jack and Jill's bar.

She enjoyed dancing and reading.

Jill was preceded in death by her daughter, Kimberly Carter Armstrong; brothers, Clarence Blitch and Mitchel Blitch; and sisters: Doris Blitch Beville, Clara Mae Blitch Davis, and Verna Lee Blitch.

She is survived by sons, Ron (Linda) Perkins, Vince (Fawn) Perkins Sr. and Bill Carter III; daughter, Carol Perkins; brother, Jesse (Nancy) Blitch; sister, Roberta Blitch Owens; eight grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, April 17, 2012, at 3:00 p.m. at Knauff Funeral Home Williston Chapel with Russell Bush and Reverend Vince Perkins Jr. officiating. Family received visitors an hour prior to the service. Interment was held at Orange Hill Cemetery immediately following the service. Arrangements were placed under the care of Knauff Funeral Home, Williston.

from Scaff's Market in Branford. Come about 5:30 p.m. to join some of us for dinner before the meeting. We are excited about our first Spring Photo Critique, to be moderated by a professional judge. The object will be to learn how to improve our own photography and appreciate the photographic techniques of others. A reminder for those entering photos for the critique: Please be sure to arrive by 6:30 to check in your photos, so we can start the critique promptly at 7:00.

The activity is open to anyone who would like to submit photos for critique. If you're not currently a member of the Camera Club and would like to participate, please contact one of the members listed below for more information. We will need to provide you with a copy of the guidelines and schedule for the evening, and receive your entry application prior to the meeting. We anticipate that the photo critique will take the full two hours allotted for our meeting.

Then, mark your calendar for the May 17 meeting when we will compile "lessons learned" from our April meeting, discuss the photographic equipment used by members, and share photos as time permits.

The Branford Camera Club meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month, with an occasional exception. For more information, please contact: Carolyn Hogue, Program Chair, 386/935-2044;

Dick Madden, Technical Consultant, 386/935-0296; Skip Weigel, Technical Consultant, 386/935-9382.

FRANK WILLIAM MAUDSLEY

November 19, 1936 – April 14, 2012



Frank William Maudsley passed away on April 14, 2012 at Tri-County Nursing Home in Trenton, Florida at the age of 75. He was born on November 19, 1936 in Connecticut to John and Mae Maudsley. He has lived in this area since 1999 moving here from Coral Springs. He was of the Christian faith. He served in the United States Army and was honorably discharged.

He enjoyed fishing, reading, crossword puzzles. He was a NASCAR fan and enjoyed shooting guns with his sons-in-law. He worked as a police officer and then worked and retired as a processing agent and repo man for Bank of America. He was a loving husband, father, and brother, grandfather and great-grandfather. He will be missed by all that knew him.

Visitation will be held on Friday, April 20, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. at Knauff Funeral Home-Chieffland. Funeral services are to follow at 4:00 p.m.

Arrangements are under the care of Knauff Funeral Home-Chieffland.

RONDA DENISE SPEARS

Ronda Denise Spears of Suwannee passed away Monday, April 16, 2012 at North Florida Regional Hospital. She was 51.

Mrs. Spears moved to Suwannee 30 years ago from Sarasota where she was born. She was a cook and waitress at the former Ships Wheel, The Sweet Shop and the Salt Creek Restaurant. She attended the Suwannee Baptist Church and enjoyed fishing and playing pool.

Mrs. Spears is survived by son William Hagen "Bubba" Spears, III of Suwannee; daughter, Ronda Spears of Delaware, Ohio; brothers, Daniel Willard Gray of Old Town and Dempsey Lee Gray of Sarasota; and three grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. Arrangements have been placed under the care of the Rick Gooding Funeral Home, Cross City, Florida, 352/498-5400.

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Bank marked: Guyton Scholarship. Any and all funds received at the concert are given to the LCSF for deposit into this savings account and are help until the end of the year when the scholarship committee chooses the recipients based on criteria designated by the Guyton Family, according to Angela Johnson, Coordinator for the LCSF. Capital City Banks in Levy County also receive any other donations for the LCSF.

The Levy County Schools Foundation was established in 1989 out of an independent project to secure a grant to improve the auditorium at Chieffland High School. The Foundation, formed as a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit corporation, expanded the ability of local businesses, community groups, and individuals to provide scholarships and fund special programs for Levy County students.

Providing scholarships for deserving students became a primary focus of the foundation. The long-range goal is to see that every student who needs a scholarship to continue his or her education receives one.

For contact information for the Levy County Schools Foundation is: P.O. Box 1386, Branford, FL 32621. Phone: 352/486-3408; Fax: 352/486-3409.

Their website is: levyschoolsfoundation.org

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For information on the concert contact Kelly Winkel at 516/232-3880.

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GILCHRIST COUNTY

American Legion Post 91 Meeting Apr. 19

American Legion Post 91 has reached 105% on membership and growing! The American Legion Ladies Auxiliary is growing as well! Please join us at our monthly membership meeting on Thurs. April 19. Dinner will be served at 5:30 p.m. and the meeting will start at 6:00 p.m. At this meeting, Mr. Bob Scott, American Legion 4th Vice Commander, will be presenting legionnaire Reuben Rothschild the American Legion and Scouting Square Knot Award. We encourage the Boy Scouts in the area to attend this short ceremony. As always our post meetings are open to the public and we offer a full dinner for a \$5.00 donation. Please contact the Adjutant for any questions at 352/221-4783. For God and Country, Jessie L. Crews, Commander

DIXIE COUNTY

Dixie County Rotary Blood Drive May 2

Dixie County Rotary invites residents to do their part to ensure a safe and adequate blood supply for the community when they team up with LifeSouth Community Blood Centers to host a blood drive on Wed., May 2. Stop by the bloodmobile in the Foodland parking lot in Evan's Square on Highway 19 in Cross City between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. and make a contribution that can save up to three lives in local hospitals.

Donors are asked to eat a healthy meal, particularly breakfast, and drink plenty of fluids before donating. All donors will receive a recognition item and a complimentary cholesterol screening. Donors must be at least 16 years old, weigh 110 pounds or more, and show a valid photo I.D. at the time of donation. Sixteen-year-old donors must have written parental consent to donate. For more information, call toll-free (888) 795-2707.

CROSS CITY

Cross City Rehab Celebration of 13 years Apr. 20

Cross City Rehabilitation and Healthcare Center at 583 NE 351 Hwy in Cross City is celebrating 13 years of serving Dixie, Levy and Gilchrist counties on Apr. 20 from 4 to 7 p.m. Cross City Rehabilitation and Healthcare Center is a skilled nursing facility with inpatient and outpatient rehabilitative services that loves serving the surrounding communities.

At 4 p.m. there will be an American flag raised at Cross City Rehab by the Sons of the American Legion Post 383 in Old Town. They have donated the flag pole and the flag as well. We are looking forward to having an American flag fly in our front yard.

After the flag dedication ceremony Cross City Rehab invites everyone to join us in an open house with lots of snacks and beverages.

For more information, call 352/498-2005

BRANFORD

Branford Camera Club Meeting Apr. 19

The Branford Camera Club will meet on Thurs., Apr. 19, at 7 p.m. at Cuzin's Restaurant on US 129 across

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Across

- Breeding stallions
- Disney's flying elephant
- Dash lengths
- ___ four
- Association of Southeast Asian Nations (acronym)
- Copy cats?
- Lustrous rainbowlike play of color
- Bleat
- Prisoners on the loose
- Occupant
- Clerics ranking just below a priest
- 2010 crossword hamp
- "For shame!"
- Unmixed lineage
- Blue eyes or baldness, e.g.
- Member of strict Orthodox Jewish sect
- ___ king
- Brass component
- "M'A'S'H" setting
- Boris Godunov, for one
- Absorbed, as a cost
- Cliffside dwelling
- "It ___ All Velvet" (Mel Torme autobiography)
- Showing no regard for danger
- More, in Madrid
- Remarkable thing
- Shaped like an open hand
- Drunk, in slang
- ___ goods
- "Dig in!"
- Excessively arrogant
- "The Three Faces of ___"
- Sprite flavor
- Dentist's direction
- ___ de deux
- "___ Along the Mohawk," novel
- More profoundly wise

Down

- Caught a glimpse of
- Breviloquent
- Ancient city NW of Carthage
- Instructive
- Go outside for a short time (2 wds)
- Carps, for one
- A Swiss army knife has lots of them
- Checkers, e.g.
- Microorganisms
- ___ Jacks are wild (2 wds)
- Disconcert
- Aim
- Belt
- Dispatched
- Colo. neighbor
- Colored warning flare
- Romeo's rival
- Brio
- Blowgun ammo
- Russian emperor
- Baptism, for one
- Short accounts of humorous incidents
- Merry-go-round figure, to a child
- Collapse (2 wds)
- Island SE of Australia
- In sum
- Non-running footracer
- Do-it-yourselfer's purchase
- Defensive spray
- King protectors
- Getting on
- Perfect, e.g.
- Garden tool
- Page
- ___ lamp
- High school dance
- Australian runner

The answers for this week's crossword puzzle will appear in next week's issue.

Squeaky, Rocket & Annie – New Manatees for Adoption

An occasional gentle splash-splash; grey, graceful shapes playfully twirl and dive in warm waters – welcome the manatee trio of Squeaky, Rocket & Annie, to Save the Manatee Club's Adopt-A-Manatee® program at Blue Spring State Park in Orange City, Florida!

There are now 24 manatee adoptees to choose from at Blue Spring, and another 13 total from the Club's adoption program on the East coast; at Ellie Schiller Homosassa Springs Wildlife State Park; in the Tampa Bay area; and in Alabama.

The new manatees up for adoption are winter visitors to Blue Spring where the water naturally maintains a year-round temperature of 72 ° F and is a popular winter refuge for manatees. Squeaky, a female manatee, is currently the youngest manatee in the Club's adoption program at just nine months old. Squeaky was born to mother Amber in the spring run on June 13, 2011. It is believed that Squeaky is Amber's first calf. After giving birth to Squeaky last summer, Amber returned to Blue Spring this past winter with her young calf in tow, much to the delight of the park visitors.

Annie is an adult female who was rescued as an orphan in August 2005 from the Halifax River, near Port Orange,

Florida. Annie was too young to be on her own, so after her rescue, she was taken to SeaWorld of Florida, and it was there that she befriended Rocket.

Rocket is a male manatee, who was rescued as an orphaned calf in 2006 at Blue Spring State Park. He was aptly named "Rocket" because of his proclivity to "rocket" around the tank during his rehabilitation. Rocket and Annie shared the same tank at SeaWorld. When they were released two years later at about four years of age, they remained together for well over a year, which is unusual outside of mother and calf pairs, as manatees are typically somewhat solitary animals.

Those who adopt Squeaky, Annie, or Rocket will receive a full-color photo, biography, and adoption certificate, as well as a membership handbook and subscription to The Manatee Zone, the Club's newsletter featuring updates on the adopted manatees when they are sighted, and Paddle Tales, the bi-monthly e-newsletter.

Earlier this year, Save the Manatee Club launched live manatee webcams at Blue Spring State Park, making it possible to see Squeaky, Rocket, Annie, and all the other manatees in real time during the winter months. The webcams can be accessed at www.savethemanatee.org/livewcams.



New adoptee Squeaky (at left) with her mother Amber at Blue Spring State Park this winter. (Photo © Wayne Hartley, Save the Manatee Club)

Log Cabin Quilters

The Log Cabin Quilters met Thursday April 12 at the Levy County Quilt Museum. Everyone was busy with various projects. B J has volunteered to assemble the Bible quilt so everyone needs to get their square in soon. The Take 5 project was on hold this week so more work will be done on it next week.

B J brought her variation of a Washington Rose quilt to be sandwiched. She has hand pieced and hand appliquéd to quilt top and now ready to hand quilt it. It's a gorgeous design.

I've learned a few more things. There are all sorts of needles – quilt needles, appliqué or straw needles, sewing needles, darning needles and even basting needles. A quilt needle is a short needle with a larger eye than

a regular sewing needle. The smaller needle makes it possible for small stitches when hand quilting.

Then there are "fat quarters." The easiest way is to say "it's a quilting term" and just let it be. A fat quarter is 18 x 22 and is a yard of material cut in half (18) then the width of that piece is cut in half (22). It's a quilting term.

Greg and six boys were out and worked in the yard. They worked on the flower beds. Thanks Lancaster.

Our hours are Tuesday thru Saturday from 10-3 and we'd love to see you. We are planning an Open House on Saturday May 19 to show off the Museum and hope to make new friends.



B J's Washington Rose is ready to be sandwiched so she can hand quilt it. This quilt is for her husband and in his favorite colors.

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career, Dr. Jackson was actively engaged in organized medicine. While still practicing with his father in Bronson, he attended the 1895 FMA annual meeting in Gainesville. As Miami's first physician, he was a leader among the physicians who followed him there. A founder of the Dade County Medical Association in 1903, he became its second President in 1905 and served another term in 1923. Dr. Jackson was inaugurated as FMA President in 1905, and in his Presidential address at the 1906 FMA Annual Meeting in Gainesville, he called for physician unity. In 1911, he served as President of the Southern Medical Association.

When Dr. Jackson died on April 2, 1924, of a lung infection, local businesses closed for a day to mourn his passing. The Miami City Commission renamed the Miami City Hospital to the James M. Jackson Memorial Hospital in his honor. In the decades since, Jackson Memorial Hospital has grown into the comprehensive health care system and teaching hospital that we know today.

The original 1918 City of Miami hospital building named for Dr. Jackson is affectionately

known as the Alamo, where residents and medical students worked and slept. It is the centerpiece of the 76-acre University of Miami/Jackson Health System campus and is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Dr. Jackson is buried in the City of Miami cemetery.

The May 1924 issue of The Journal of the Florida Medical Association dedicated two full pages to Dr. Jackson's memory. A tribute on the second page reads in part: "A friend to all humanity — the memory of James M. Jackson will be held in one of loved reverence and respect by all who knew him. ... Dr. Jackson devoted his life to the relief of suffering humanity. His services were as much at the command of the needy as the affluent, a call of distress was a call to duty — and with him he never swerved where duty called. He lived a beautiful life."

E. Russell Jackson Jr. is FMA Senior Vice President. Glenn E. Bryan, M.D., is Chair of the FMA's Committee on Florida Medical History and a Past FMA President (1998-99). Dr. Bryan is also a Past FMA PAC President. (1994-96).



All of these recipes can be partially prepared ahead of time to make meal preparation easier. The potato salad is easier than it looks when you consider the marinade ingredients are mixed all together in a bowl waiting for the potatoes to be added. The cooked dressing takes just a little time and is well worth the effort. A nice hot weather meal is complete with an added vegetable.

EASY FRIED CHICKEN

- Boneless Skinless Chicken Breasts
- Flour
- Beaten Egg
- Seasoned Bread Crumbs
- Beat two eggs in a small bowl. Pour some bread crumbs into another container.
- Cut chicken into long narrow strips or into nuggets. Rinse and pat dry thoroughly. Place some flour into a bowl and coat chicken pieces. Dip into beaten egg then into seasoned bread crumbs.
- Do this early in the day and refrigerate or prepare immediately.
- In a large skillet, on medium, heat about 1/2 inch of oil. The oil is ready when a piece of chicken placed in the skillet starts to cook immediately. Keep watch, it doesn't take long to brown. Carefully turn then remove to several layered paper towels to drain.

REALLY OLD FASHIONED POTATO SALAD

- 3 pounds of white or red potatoes - well scrubbed (russets are soft)
- 1 1/2 tsp. salt

MARINADE

- 1 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1 tsp. dry mustard
- 1/8 tsp. pepper
- dash cayenne
- 1/4 cup vinegar
- 1/2 cup salad oil
- 1/2 cup chopped green onion

BOILED DRESSING

- 1 Tablespoon flour
- 2 Tablespoons sugar, 1 tsp. salt
- 1 1/4 cups milk
- 3 egg yolks
- 1/4 cup vinegar
- 1 Tablespoon prepared mustard

2 Tablespoon butter

- 1 cup coarsely chopped celery
- 3 hard boiled eggs, chopped

In a 5 quart or larger pot, pour just enough water to cover the potatoes. Add salt. Bring to a boil then turn down the heat to simmer for about 30 minutes until potatoes are fork tender. Do not overcook. Drain and remove from pot. Allow to cool for 20 minutes.

In a large bowl combine all marinade ingredients. Peel and cut up potatoes. Add to marinade and toss gently to coat. Cover and refrigerate.

Beat egg yolks in a small bowl. In a heavy saucepan stir flour, sugar and salt. Add milk and whisk. Cook over medium heat until mixture starts to boil. Remove from heat. Slowly pour some into the egg yolks stirring. Pour egg yolks back into the saucepan. Add vinegar and prepared mustard. When mixture starts to boil, remove from heat and add butter. Cool then refrigerate for one hour.

When ready to serve drain any excess marinade from potatoes and toss lightly with cooked dressing. Add chopped celery and hard boiled eggs.

ICED TEA

I use a Farberware Tea kettle which holds 5 pints or 80 ounces. Fill with water and turn on high to just beginning to boil. Remove from burner and add five tea bags. Let steep for at least one hour.

In a pitcher place 1/3 cup of sugar. When tea is warm but not hot, pour into pitcher and stir sugar. It may sound strong but when added to a glass of ice is just right, not too much sugar with the flavor of tea. Add mint or lemon if desired.

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