



Bulldogs rope Cowboys!

Taylor ends 20-game losing streak against Madison

When Taylor County last defeated Madison in varsity football, the internet had not yet been released to the public, none of the players

on this year's team had been born and Head Coach Ryan Smith was a high school freshman ball boy watching from the sidelines

as the Bulldogs edged the Cowboys, 8-6 in 1990.

Friday night in Perry, Smith walked the same Dorsett Stadium sideline,

but this time he was calling the plays as his hometown Taylor County Bulldogs broke a 20-game (and 22-year) losing skid to their

rival Cowboys in a thrilling 34-33 overtime victory.

"I am just so proud of our guys for what they accomplished this week.

For so long they have heard how they can't beat Madison, they have been

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Siren tests announced for this Thursday

Taylor County Emergency Management will be conducting live tests of the outdoor warning sirens along the coastal communities of Steinhatchee, Keaton Beach and Dekle Beach Thursday, Oct. 10, between 10-11 a.m.

During the test, sirens will be turned on for one wail siren broadcast, which may last up to three minutes.

"This is part of the routine maintenance Emergency Management will conduct on the second Thursday of each month between 10 and 11 a.m.," Steve Spradley said.

"To prevent unintended alarm, we will not conduct an audible test if there is inclement weather at the time of the pre-scheduled Thursday test," Spradley noted.

It's October...think pink!

In recognition of Breast Cancer Awareness Month Taylor County's Relay For Life planning committee sell pink ladybugs (made from river rocks) and pink pumpkins Friday, Oct. 11, at Winn Dixie from 2-4 p.m.

Donations will also be accepted for a chance to win a \$50 gas card.

Later that same day, committee members will hold a bake sale at Goodman's BBQ starting at 5:30 p.m.

Senior Center invites you to 'tune in'

Taylor County Senior Center is offering discounted Sirius satellite radios for just \$25 each. "The radios usually sell for \$50 and are valued at \$75," center officials said.

Wilkinson gets life sentence for murder

The family of Ashley Wayne Adams faced his killer in court Friday during an emotion-filled afternoon of testimony.

Patrick Alexander Wilkinson, who had been indicted for first degree murder for Adams' death, pled guilty to a lesser included charge of second degree murder and was sentenced to life in prison.

"He was very apologetic and said he understood if the family never forgave him because he could never forgive himself," court officials said.

The two men had been friends since junior high school, and according to investigation reports, had gotten into an

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DMH shows improvement in 1st quarter

Doctors' Memorial Hospital (DMH) ended the first quarter of its fiscal year with improved financials compared to the prior year.

Although the hospital ended the quarter--June through August--with

a \$243,000 operating loss, this was a \$409,000 improvement over the identical quarter in 2012, when the hospital reported a \$652,000 operating

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MaKenzie Cannon (right) was named the 2013 Florida Forest Festival Distinguished Young Woman of Taylor County during the annual program held Saturday evening. Jessica Welch (left) was named first runner-up.

Cannon wins 2013 DYW title

By MARK VIOLA
Staff writer

Music was the connecting theme Saturday night as the 2013 Distinguished Young Women Program celebrated "Motown Madness." This year's four contestants more than made up for what they may have lacked in numbers

by filling the stage at Forest Capital Hall with poise, energy and exuberance before a crowd of cheering family and friends.

Taylor County High School senior MaKenzie Cannon was named the 2013 Florida Forest Festival Distinguished Young Woman of Taylor

County, and will reign over this year's festivities and represent her community at the state program in January. She is the daughter of Ron and Jessica Cannon and Dawn Arnold.

Although Motown was → Please see page 10

Replaced by special magistrate

Code Enforcement Board takes final bow

By ANGELA M. CASTELUCCI
Staff writer

The City of Perry Code Enforcement Board met for the final time Monday night, Oct. 7, in what might be one of the shortest municipal board meetings on record.

It was just two minutes from the opening gavel to the final order of business for the board, which has been dissolved by the Perry City Council and replaced by a special magistrate.

Monday's vote was a mere formality with the board approving the minutes from its last meeting. All seven members were on hand: Chairman Bill Martinson, Charles August, Tonya Holton, Mike Lynn, Dawn Taylor, Amy Bowden and

Ella Jane Freeman. The group will continue to function as the city's Board of Adjustment, Tree

Board and Planning & Zoning Board.

Leenette McMillan-Fredriksson, who was hired

by the city council at its last meeting, then began proceedings as the newly-installed special magistrate.



Attorney Leenette McMillan-Fredriksson, who was hired by the Perry City Council to serve as its special magistrate replacing the city's Code Enforcement Board, presided over her first slate of cases Monday evening.

McMillan-Fredriksson, a resident of Mayo, has focused on local government law in her practice and currently serves as the board attorney for the Lafayette County school board and county commission. She also represents the Three Rivers Regional Library group (which oversees the Taylor County Public Library).

She was the lone attorney to apply for the special magistrate position and her appointment was not without a spat of dissension among council members.

Both councilwomen Shirlee Hampton and Venita Woodfaulk strongly

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Council divided over code enforcement vote

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objected to the move; however, they were outvoted 3-2 by Mayor Daryll Gunter, Councilman Mike Deming and Councilman Don Cook.

The proposed change has been an on-going topic batted about during the past several meetings, with the unrest apparently not far from Cook's mind when he led in the group in prayer at their last meeting. He asked for civility both from the public and among council members, and admonished all to speak the truth.

Former mayor Thomas Demps (who was in attendance for a different matter) added his own thoughts on the proceedings: "In all, you are going to win some and lose some. Five people will not agree all the time. At the end of the day, you have to work together and push forward."

When it came time to vote on the proposed ordinance (which gives the council the discretion to have code enforcement issues handled by either a board or a special magistrate), the motion passed 3-2 (with Hampton and Woodfaulk voting

against). Prior to the vote, Hampton said, "I would like to wait and see if we get any more candidates."

Cook said he felt that local attorneys were more than familiar with the opening and wanted to move forward.

"One of the complaints was that we were looking to hire a local attorney. She (McMillan-Fredriksson) has no knowledge of anyone, only the law," Cook said.

After the vote, the council directed City Manager Bob Brown to move forward with negotiating a contract with McMillan-Fredriksson (who

was in attendance).

He deferred the brokering to City Attorney Ray Curtis, who stepped outside with McMillan-Fredriksson to discuss terms.

It was during this time, Hampton said, "I hope we are not rushing this and it isn't personal."

"There is nothing personal about this," Gunter responded.

"For some reason this is being pushed," Woodfaulk said.

When Curtis and McMillan-Fredriksson returned to the meeting, he stated her counter-offer was for a flat retainer fee of \$6,000 annually.

When asked about how much had been budgeted for the position, City Finance Director Penny Staffney said her figures were based on a projected cost of \$100/per hour.

"Roughly \$4,000 annually."

However, when McMillan-Fredriksson refused to waver on her retainer fee the

council opted to pay the fee by a 3-2 vote (with Hampton and Woodfaulk against voting no).

"First it's \$4,000, now it's \$6,000 and we are already strapped for money. There is nothing wrong with the board we had," Hampton said.

"I agree," Woodfaulk said.

Taking up Hampton's charge that the council was not being fiscally responsible with the decision, Councilman Deming said, "I have been nothing but conservative with the budget...that's why I voted against spending \$20,000 for a pavilion at Loughridge Park that was not in the budget. I have a history of being very conservative."

Hampton—who requested the pavilion be built at the park (which is located in her district)—became visibly upset by Deming's remark, started to speak but then did not.

However, she was apparently still upset by the actions of the night

because she expressed her displeasure with the vote as she exited the meeting, uttering, "It's personal."

A short time later, she returned to the council room and approached Mayor Gunter (who was signing papers for the board secretary) and told him she did not appreciate the way he voted.

Gunter simply nodded in response to Hampton's comments and she again left.

Councilman Deming released the following statement on the issue: "I believe that the magistrate will be a great improvement of our code enforcement process. The efficient, professional operation of code enforcement will recoup the cost while ensuring that the Land Development Regulations are followed to the letter of the law. In looking at a cost-benefit analysis, the cost will be outweighed dramatically by the nominal cost of \$2,000 that was not budgeted for that purpose."

Wilkinson, victim had been drinking together before fight

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altercation at Adams' home on Feb. 8 that escalated into a physical fight.

When officers arrived at the residence on Pharo Morgan Road, they stopped Wilkinson in the driveway as he was attempting to leave.

"The suspect and the suspect's vehicle (a Chevrolet truck) had blood on them," Taylor County Sheriff's Office Capt. Ron Rice said.

An eyewitness led deputies to Adams, who was found lying on the ground near a tree in the backyard. A unit from Doctors' Memorial Hospital Emergency Medical Services (EMS) arrived and transferred Adams to an ambulance for treatment. However their efforts were not successful and he died at the scene.

"He sustained multiple injuries and basically had

severe trauma all over," Rice said.

During subsequent interviews, investigator Lt. Marty Nowlin determined that the two men were drinking around a fire in the backyard when an altercation between them began.

"The eyewitness called 911 as soon as it began. The suspect got into his truck

and chased the victim down, making several passes and ran over the victim at least once. He then exited the truck, picked up a nearby gardening tool and began to beat the victim in the head. According to the eyewitness, the suspect continued to beat the victim in the head until sirens could be heard from approaching deputies," Rice related.

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Ashton Lee, author of "The Cherry Cola Book Club," spoke at the Taylor County Public Library last week. His novel follows a small town which comes together to save its local library from funding cuts after forming bonds in a somewhat unorthodox book club. According to Lee, he plans to turn the novel into a series, with the second installment ready for publication next spring and the third book underway now. Several copies of "The Cherry Cola Book Club" have been added to the library's collection. Shown above with Lee (right) is Friends of the Taylor County Public Library President James Gross, with an advance copy of the second novel, "The Reading Circle."

Come to craft, or shop, on Saturday!

You can get a jump start on your Christmas shopping with a visit to the "Crafting for a Cure" event planned this Saturday, Oct. 12, at the Perry Shrine Club from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Local crafters will have booths set up offering a variety of homemade items. The event will also include a number of craft demonstrations including: mosaics, knitting, crocheting, jewelry making, scrapbooking, stamping and more.

Door prizes will be given away and concessions will be offered.

Crafters may offer their items for sale and keep the profits (\$10 donations are asked for each reserved spot). The event is being held in honor of Suzette Stephens, local Creative Moments consultant. Sponsors are "Stamper Up" demonstrator Donna Sprigle and the Red Hat Ladies Relay For Life team.

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Who's one? Brock reaches landmark today

Brock William Cousins, the son of Lori (Jones) and Jeremy Cousins of High Springs, celebrates his first birthday today, Oct. 9. Grandparents of the new one-year-old include Al and Sherry Jones of Perry, as well as Gary and Kathy Branam of Gainesville, and the late Ed Cousins. Joining in the celebration will be Brock's big sister, Kendall.



Russell, Foster to marry in Marianna

Alicia Nicole Russell and Kelly Eugene Foster will be married Saturday, Oct. 12, at 5 p.m. in Marianna. Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend; the ceremony will be held at 3382 Caleb Way.



Kelly Eugene Foster, Alicia Nicole Russell

Last chance! Want to be part of '54 reunion and spirit line?

The Taylor County High School Graduating Class of 1954 will gather for a 60th reunion on Friday, Oct. 11, at the Perry Elks Club. Following the meal, the group will join the spirit line at the goalpost at Dorsett Stadium to cheer the Taylor County Bulldogs who take on Jefferson County at 7:30 p.m.

This is your last chance! If you are a class member, or a friend who would enjoy re-connecting with this group, please contact GeorgeAnn Holmes Thompson at gannthompson@aol.com or by phone at 727-595-3097 for reservations.



Beekeepers will meet on October 14

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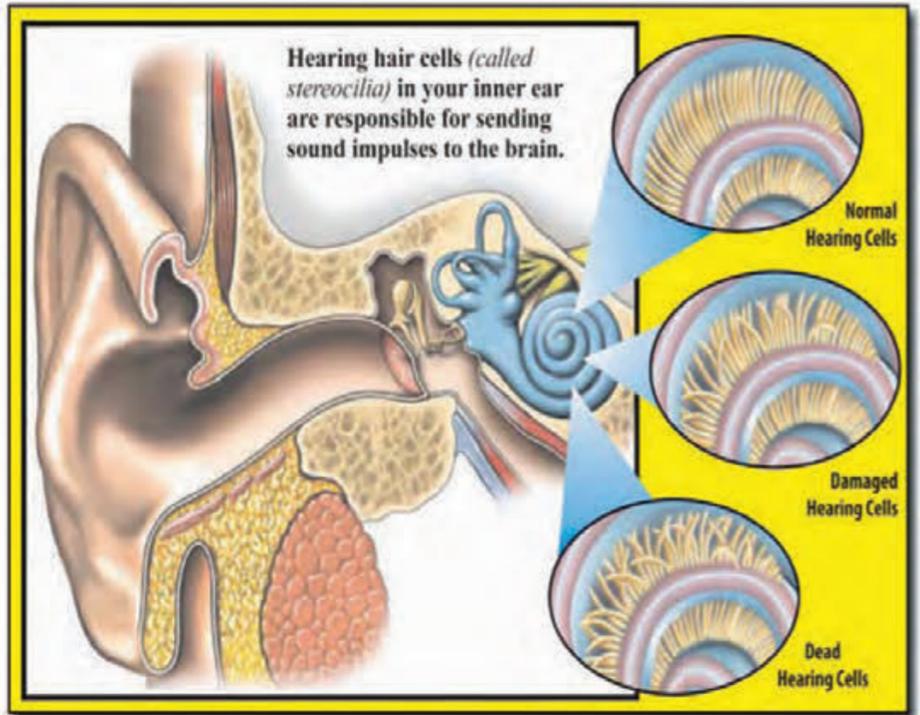
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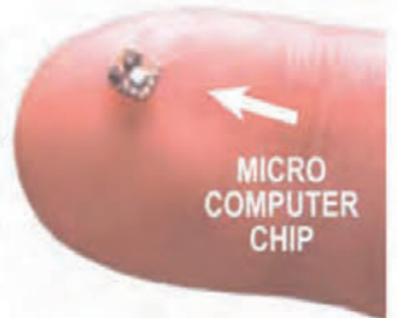


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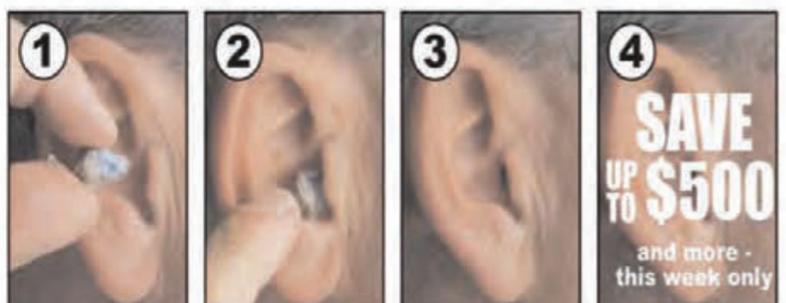
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THINKING OUT LOUD

By RAY EVANS

Our Shameful Government

No matter what you think about the reasons for the current partial shutdown of federal government functions, you need to be aware of the many ways in which the Obama Administration is intentionally seeking to punish us, the people. There have been partial shutdowns before, but I seem to recall that the government generally tried to accommodate the needs of large groups of citizens. Not so this time. The citizens are being used as pawns in a huge game of "Gotcha!"

You probably know why the shutdown occurred. Republicans in the House of Representatives think that the Affordable Care Act, nicknamed Obamacare, is such an outrageous and unaffordable imposition on the general public that they have attempted to defund it, or to give ordinary citizens the same one-year break that the president has given to favored groups. The president insists that not one word of the law can be changed; except, of course, those that he has changed with no authority to do so. Both sides are adamant that they will not give in, so some government functions have ground to a standstill because they require action by Congress and the president to continue after Sept. 30.

The shutdown requires that certain non-essential government employees be furloughed until their agencies can be funded for the new fiscal year. The definition of non-essential

is very nebulous and hinges on the opinions of the heads of various agencies. For instance, the U.S. Capitol Police Force, which protects Congress and several buildings, has been deemed largely non-essential. Some of those non-essential officers were reported to be involved in the shooting of the woman who went berserk at the White House and the Capitol recently. They are not being paid, yet they were performing their duties bravely. Did I mention that government functions and definitions are not necessarily logical, reasonable or sane?

One of the biggest attention-getters was the closing off of the World War II Memorial just as groups of WWII veterans were being flown to Washington to see their own memorial for the first and, perhaps, last time. That memorial is a huge, open-air collection of marble that the public can walk across at any time. There are no fences. So, since all memorials were to be closed, the Park Service paid about seven off-duty non-essential persons to bring in fencing that was placed around the memorial to keep visitors out. I read that only two persons are required to keep the memorial open. Several members of Congress made a show of removing part of the fencing to let in groups of veterans. The next day, the sections of the fence were wired together to make that more difficult. Some of those veterans, all in their 80s or 90s, expressed their

opinions of the government very bluntly.

The government attempted to close Mount Vernon, the estate which was George Washington's home several miles south of Washington. But, that is privately owned and operated and receives no government funding. Then the government tried to block parts of the parking areas that are jointly owned by government and Mount Vernon. I'm not sure who won that spitting contest.

Do you see a pattern here? The actions described above can only be described as petty, vindictive, childish, etc. Similar actions have been described in numerous government-operated sites across the U.S. In Wisconsin the government tried to get the governor to close certain state-owned sites that are visitor attractions, but he refused.

One of the most mean-spirited actions was taken along the Chesapeake and

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Midweek Muddle

This is war

By SUSAN H. LINCOLN

It is disturbing when you begin to remind yourself of "those people" in the movies who lose their wits in the quest of an animal, like an annoying groundhog, or a bird which won't quit squawking, or a mouse which manipulates a man. So it is, at my house, with squirrels.

My rather mild annoyance with squirrels has escalated and I fear—not for the squirrels, who are apparently invincible—but for my own sanity.

It is birds that I want to attract. I want to welcome songbirds of all colors, bluebirds, cardinals and mockingbirds, as well as Carolina chickadees and even curious wrens. I don't wear a safari hat with netting and trek through woods with binoculars. I just want to see birds in my backyard.

To that end, I have added a number of feeders and a source of water so that they will find the accommodations desirable. Regrettably, when you open the door to one species, you invariably get another too.

Thus, the squirrels have landed en masse and are committed to turning my backyard haven into yet another source of contention—as if I, or you, or anybody else, needs another source of contention.

Without imposing physical harm, I've tried to discourage the beady-eyed rodents.

I've sprayed the extended wires of the feeders with cooking spray so the squirrels would slip and slide when attempting to eat the birdseed. As it turns out, they rather enjoy it.

I've suspended feeders by tiny little bungee cords, hoping to bounce them away. Instead, they are delighted.

I've placed feeders on the smallest of branches to thwart the squirrel's criminal behavior. Instead, the squirrels remain successful and I do not.

Recently, the husband and I spent a little more money on a feeder than we should have because it was guaranteed to keep squirrels out. "No! No!" is the raised logo on the outside of this cage which is precisely engineered so that only bird beaks will fit through the mesh, not squirrel noses. Further, it's sturdy steel so the squirrels can't destroy it as they do plastic feeders with little perches.

You laugh, but it's true: my squirrels appear to be on steroids—they eat little plastic perches for breakfast. They're diabolical and should be sent to Afghanistan to battle the terrorists. Please.

When the weather hinted at fall, I retreated to my backyard to weed and rake, to prune and trim. I also spent a lot of time on a ladder, reconfiguring my feeders and hanging our new one that was going to be the citadel against unwanted squirrels.

After several hours, I poured myself a refreshing beverage and sat in a nearby chair, sinisterly hoping to watch squirrels being thwarted in their efforts to steal food from my fine, feathered friends.

What I observed was disheartening. The logic of the pricey bird feeder was correct: squirrel noses don't fit through the mesh, and so far, the limb-rats haven't destroyed the steel construction either. But it's worse than that: my squirrels are obviously in a union, and they worked out a plan. One squirrel wrapped himself around the feeder, swinging from the left to the right. Three others stood below with their

mouths open. My expensive sunflower seeds—purchased specifically for the birds this feeder was to attract—were dropping like a waterfall into squirrely mouths below.

I was outraged. I threw sticks at them, and I'm pretty sure they laughed.

They scampered away but quickly returned, and a different squirrel took the wrap-around duties on the feeder while his co-horts waited below to reap the benefits of this heist. I know it was a different squirrel because we have not one, but two, squirrels missing parts of their tails. One is a true bob, the other has a short one-inch tribute to a tail. That annoys me, too.

I had heard of adding pepper to birdseed because it doesn't harm squirrels—just irritates them (which is completely appropriate at this point). Bird brains, apparently, don't have the receptors for the pepper sensation and won't be bothered by the pepper. But, other sources warned against the spicy solution noting that research is not conclusive about the damage it might cause to a bird's eyes. I can't play with bird vision.

So my extensive research continues. There are exotic bird feeder designs which admit that they may (on a good day) discourage a squirrel or two. But the more I read, the more I realize that we're all being held hostage by squirrels.

One source said, "Be sure to keep your feeders full because squirrels will chew through wood or plastic to get the last few seeds. If you keep them full, they are less likely to resort to this kind of damage."

Who is in charge here? This squirrel conspiracy made me so mad that I jumped from my chair, looking for the BB gun. Of course, I nearly fell while skating on the acorns which had fallen on my patio.

Then it hit me. We have a bumper crop of acorns which would be perfect food for squirrels and they could actually perform a community service by removing them. But instead, they leave the free food behind and steal from birds who cannot easily consume an acorn.

Worse still, the BB gun was jammed. My drink was watered down and suddenly, it was summer again.

I went inside to watch in air-conditioned comfort as the squirrels flamboyantly whipped their tails and consumed the sunflower seeds in all my feeders, while nary a bird could break through the action for a seed.

If there is a happy ending to this story, I haven't found it yet. Until I come up with a reasonable solution, I'm just going to broadcast the seed all over the yard in the hope that birds are better at hide-and-seek than squirrels.

Or I can be kind and gentle, like one book suggested: "Treat your squirrels well. Create a squirrel feeding station with exotic fruits and nuts, and they will be less likely to interfere with the action at your bird feeders."

I looked around at the truckload of acorns my mighty oaks produced especially for the squirrels and said, "As God is my witness, I'll not be buying any cranberries and macadamia nuts for the squirrels, as part of their ransom demand."

I am willing, however, to send them to Hawaii to gather their own.

On their way to Afghanistan, of course.

Letters to the Editor

Tactics could lead to future shutdowns

Dear Editor:

I'd like to address the drama that has dominated the news this week regarding the first government shutdown since the 1990s.

So much media attention has been focused on the dramatic effects of this mess and the inflammatory language used by politicians on each side that I fear most people have no idea how we got to this point and why Democrats and Republicans both dare to feel they have the moral high ground in this battle.

First off, let me be clear that my purpose in writing this letter is neither to defend nor criticize the Affordable Care Act (often called Obamacare), which is the sticking point at the center of this conflict. The merits and weaknesses of that law are certainly debatable, but my biggest concerns

lie with the methods being used to try to force a "win" in this situation, and the broader implications that could have for the future of representative government in this country. I would have these concerns regardless of whether I believed Obamacare was the best law ever passed or the absolute worst. Whichever position you prefer, read on.

In a republic, the people's representatives vote on laws like Obamacare, and whichever side wins the vote gets their way. That's what happened in 2010 when Obamacare was passed. It was highly partisan, of course.

Democrats took advantage of their majorities in both houses to essentially ram the law through without a great deal of debate. But,

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Pumpkins signal Fall Festival at Methodist Church Saturday

When the pumpkins arrive at the First United Methodist Church, the annual Fall Festival can't be far behind.

On Saturday, the church will roll out the red carpet from friends throughout this community, serving breakfast from 6-9 a.m. Beginning at 7 a.m., the Fall Festival

will tempt shoppers with handmade crafts, home-baked goodies, canned jams and jellies. The event concludes at noon.

While you're shopping, organizers encourage you to visit the Pumpkin Patch. All pumpkin sales benefit youth projects at the church.

Obituaries

Royal Byrum Whitfield

Royal Byrum Whitfield, 71, of Perry, died Saturday, Oct. 5, 2013, at Tallahassee Memorial Healthcare in Tallahassee following an extended illness. Byrum was born Sept. 18, 1942 in Salem, Fl, to Calvin and Etha (Bennett) Whitfield.

Mr. Whitfield was of the Non-Denominational Faith and was a member of First Church of God in Perry. He was elected to the city council back in the early 80's and served as mayor of Perry for 2 years. Byrum received an accounting degree from North Florida Junior College and is remembered by many as operating the H&R Block in Perry for 44 years. He was ordained minister in the First Church of God, receiving council from longtime pastor James Cannon. Mr. Whitfield was preceded in death by his parents Calvin and Etha Whitfield, sisters Louise Whitehead, Lucille Whitfield, and a brother Royal Whitfield.

He is survived by his nephew Richard Fletcher of Perry, FL as well as many other nieces and nephews, cousins, and other extended family.

Funeral services will be

held today, Wednesday, Oct. 9, 2013 at Joe P. Burns Funeral Home in Perry with Pastor Charles Johnson, Pastor Dennis Nobles, and Pastor Bill Carpenter officiating. Interment will follow in Salem Cemetery in

Salem. The family received friends from 6 - 8 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 8, 2013 at Joe P. Burns Funeral Home. All arrangements are under the care of Joe P. Burns Funeral Home.

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Cards of Thanks

Parker

The family of Beverly Howell Parker would like to take this opportunity to thank the community for your support, thoughts, many prayers and other acts of kindness extended to us during this most difficult time. Beverly was a sweet, kind and giving person and as was evidenced by all of the love and support each of you have shown us during these past many months. The overwhelming outpouring of support by the entire community is very humbling.

While she will be missed by many, she is rejoicing in heaven with her heavenly father. While we will never be able to thank each and every person who said a prayer for her and our family, or to those who so freely gave of yourself to make this time easier for each of us, there are a few thank yous that must be said. Thank you to Bro. Chuck Dugan and the members of New Home Church who offered the church to us for the beautiful service for Beverly, thank you to Bro. Ben Reams who totally captured Beverly and her uniqueness in the service, to the church family at Midway thank you is not enough to express how much gratitude we have for each and every one of you and what you have done for us.

To Burns Funeral Home and staff, thank you for your professionalism, compassion and your ability to bring together Beverly's notes and thoughts into the most beautiful service imaginable in her honor. Again THANK YOU, Perry and Taylor County, for everything.

Cla, Chip, Leigh Anne, Haddon, and Chasen Parker
Walter, Jr. and Betty Jo Howell
Cindy, and the Brothers

Students from 8 churches to lead 'Fields of Faith' tonight

The 2013 Fields of Faith program will be presented tonight, Oct. 9, in Dorsett Stadium, beginning at 7 p.m.

Sponsored annually by the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, the order of service calls for a welcome by Taylor County High School Principal Audie Ash.

His greeting will be followed by songs from The Praise Band comprised of students from local churches including Michael Sullivan, McKenzie Wynn, Ashley Phillips and Leah Mills of First Baptist, joined by Taylor Chaffin of St. Johns Christian Fellowship, Tyler McDonald of Westside Baptist Church, Zach Bradshaw, Kristen Blue and Keaton McKinley of Northside Church of God.

Quarterback Daniel Wentworth, of Spring Warrior Church of Christ, will give his testimony, followed by scripture readings from D'Andre Wells of New Brooklyn M.B. Church, Jeni Bodiford of First Assembly of God and Brittany Hughes of New Home Baptist.

A testimony by Justin Freeman of First Assembly will be followed by more Bible verses from Caleb Littlepage, also of First Assembly, Robert Glanton of New Brooklyn, Lauren

Murphy of First Baptist. Haley Horner of First Baptist will also give her testimony.

A drama entitled, "I Am Redeemed," by Big Daddy Weave of First Assembly is next on the program with Pastor Rodney McKinley of Northside closing the program. The community is encouraged to attend.



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Bulldogs beat Madison 34-33

By AARON PORTWOOD

The Taylor County Bulldogs used a complete team effort and numerous big plays to pull out a 34-33 overtime victory over district foe Madison County, Friday night in Perry – ending a 22-year losing skid that included 20 straight losses to their longtime arch-rivals from neighboring Madison.

“It was an awesome feeling when the game was over to see so many fans and people from our community so ecstatic about finally getting the monkey off our back when it comes to Madison. This is the kind of win that can transform a football program,” Taylor County Head Coach Ryan Smith said.

The roller-coaster ride of a game saw Madison jump out to a 13-0 first quarter lead, before the Bulldogs stormed back to pull within 19-13 at the half and then scored 14 unanswered points to lead 27-19 with 8:46 to play in the game.

However, Madison scored and got a 2-point conversion to tie the game 27-27 with 5:33 to play. The Cowboys had a chance to win at the end of regulation with a game-winning 31-yard field goal, but the kick was blocked by Bulldog senior Moral Stephens to send the game into overtime.

Jermaine Watkins followed great blocking by offensive linemen Jake Barr, JaNard Robson, Garrett Massey, Josh Prevatt and Jalik Jay to score from 5 yards out untouched on the first play of overtime, and Grant Parker’s extra point kick gave the Bulldogs a 34-27 lead.

Madison scored two plays later before calling timeout to set up a game-winning two-point conversion play.

However, senior Evan Grambling, Jamarus Robertson, Devonta Fudge and the entire Taylor County

defense came up huge to end two decades of frustration against their arch-rivals by stuffing a run up the middle to seal the huge district win and set off a wild celebration.

The win puts the Bulldogs (2-3) on top of the District 2-4A standings along with (4-0) Fort White, who dominated district-foe Fernandina Beach, 52-14 Friday night. Both are 1-0 in district with two games to play to determine who makes the playoffs.

“I am just so proud of our guys for what they accomplished this week. For so long they have heard how they can’t beat Madison, they have been written off for dead, but they kept practicing hard, they kept playing and they stuck together to accomplish something that hasn’t been done around here in a long time,” Smith said after the game.

It was truly a team victory, as six different Bulldogs scored, and both the offense and defense came up with game-changing plays.

Moral Stephens (9 catches, 80 yards, 1 TD) had numerous big plays, including a 2-yard TD catch to get the Bulldogs on the scoreboard, followed by two huge interceptions on defense, several key catches for first downs and the field goal block.

Senior QB Daniel Wentworth completed 17 of 24 passes for 167 yards with 2 TDs and no interceptions. When no one was open and protection broke down, Wentworth scrambled for big first downs and scored on a 6-yard run early in the 4th quarter to put the Bulldogs up 27-19.

Watkins had a huge 36-yard catch to set up one touchdown and rushed 3 times for 8 yards and the game-winning touchdown, while Darrell Cook had 4 carries for 22 yards and a key 11-yard TD run that gave



Taylor County senior wide receiver Chance Rodgers (21) cuts off of a block by Darrell Cook (8) during action Friday night against Madison.

Taylor County their first lead of the game at 20-19 in the 3rd quarter. Art Nelson (7 carries, 27 yards) carried the load in the first half and provided some key blocks.

Senior receiver Chance Rodgers rushed 2 times for 12 yards and caught three passes for 32 yards, including a 21-yard TD catch just before half to pull the Bulldogs within 19-13.

Parker bounced his first PAT off the right upright, but then bounced back to nail each of his next four extra point kicks – each of which turned out to be the difference in the game.

Jalan Oliver caught three passes for 17 yards and Cam Collins had a 2-yard reception.

Senior safety Luke Kallschmidt continued to lead the Bulldog defense with a team-high 9 solo tackles and 5 assists, while Javolis McNeal had his best game of the season, recording 6 solo tackles, 2 assists and 1 tackle for loss.

Fellow linebacker Jordan White finished with 6 solo, 2 assists, 1 tackle for

loss, Justin Cruse had 4 solo tackles, while Evan Grambling recorded 4 solo, 1 assist, 1 tackle for loss and 1 pass deflection.

Marc Hamilton had 4 solo tackles, 1 assist and a QB hurry, while fellow Bulldog cornerback Johnny Anderson had 4 solo tackles, 1 big hit and caused and recovered a fumble to set up the Bulldogs’ first touchdown in the second quarter.

Defensive linemen Jermarcus Robertson (1 solo, 3 assists, 1 tackle for loss) and Devonta Fudge (2 solo, 1 assist) came up big several times throughout the night, but none were bigger than combining with Grambling to stop on the two-point conversion try in overtime.

Cook recorded 1 tackle, 1 assist, while Watkins, Tanner Hammock and Nelson each had 1. Brynice Bailey had two assists and Jamar McNeal had 2 QB hurries and a big hit.

Moral Stephens was in on only one tackle on defense, but picked off a pass in the flat early in the third quarter and raced 70 yards untouched for a touchdown that put the Bulldogs up 20-19. However, two Bulldogs made illegal blocks behind

the play and one drew a 15-yard personal foul penalty that negated the touchdown.

Madison started off the game hot, forcing a Bulldog punt and then quickly driving 87 yards in 8 plays to score on a 16-yard TD run and take a 7-0 lead with 5:12 left in the first quarter.

Taylor County had to punt again and Madison went up 13-0 three plays later on a 72-yard bomb to a wide open receiver on a blown coverage. A bad snap resulted in a botched two-

point conversion.

After the Bulldogs punted a third straight time to start the 2nd quarter, the Taylor County defense finally stopped Madison, as Kallschmidt made a touchdown-saving tackle, Anderson broke up a pass and Robertson and Grambling stuffed a run for no gain on 3rd and 5.

Wentworth pinned the Cowboys inside their 3-yard line with a booming 59-

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YARDSTICK		
Taylor Co.	Stats	Madison
15	First Downs	15
30/79	Rushes/Yards	42/275
17/24/0	Comp./Passes/Int.	10/20/2
167	Pass Yards	151
246	Total Offense	426
102	Return Yards	77
8/47.3	Punts/Avg.	4/26
0/0	Fumbles/Lost	2/1
15/116	Penalties/Yds.	10/82



Taylor County’s big senior wide receiver Moral Stephens (3) pulls in a Daniel Wentworth-thrown pass. Stephens caught 9 passes for 80 yards and a touchdown.

(Photo by Wayne Dunwoody)

Teams did not play in 2009-10

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written off for dead, but they kept practicing hard, they kept playing and they stuck together to accomplish something that hasn’t been done around here in a long time,” Smith said after the game.

In a hotly contested series between neighboring counties, the Bulldogs dominated Madison for many years, including going 13-0-1 and not losing a game to the Cowboys from 1940-54.

Madison County managed only one win from 1964-78. The Bulldogs had winning streaks of 9 straight and 5 straight as they won 11 of 16 over Madison from 1974-90.

But that is where the Taylor County dominance ended and Madison’s began. The Cowboys reeled off 20 straight wins from 1990-2012 on their way to seven state championship game appearances and two state titles.

Madison won state championships in 2001 and 2007 and finished as

runners-up in 1998, 2003, 2004, 2011 and 2012, becoming the undisputed powerhouse of the Big Bend in football. Even when Taylor County won its own state championship in 1997 under Coach Shaw Maddox, the Bulldogs lost to Madison that year 26-13.

Taylor County and Madison have played every season over the past 40 plus years, other than a two-year break in 2009-2010, when the Bulldogs went 7-4 and 11-1 under Head Coach Shane Boggs.

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Revenues up \$309,000 compared to last year

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loss, according to figures presented by DMH CEO Geri Forbes to the Taylor County Commission Monday evening.

non-operating revenue, which includes federal "meaningful use" funds, grants, contributions and disproportionate share funds, DMH finished the quarter with a \$331,000 net gain, compared to a \$296,000 net loss over the

first quarter in 2012. According to the figures, DMH saw revenue increases in inpatient and outpatient categories as well as swingbed admissions, which refer to patients who stay in the hospital for several days to recover

from procedures such as hip replacements rather than staying in a rehabilitation center. In all, net revenue increased by \$309,000 to \$6.1 million for the quarter. On the expense side, salaries and benefits,

contract labor, supplies and utilities saw decreases compared to the prior year's first quarter. Operating expenses were down \$100,000 in total. In other hospital news, the commission ratified its decision Monday to have

County Attorney Conrad Bishop work with DMH's counsel to make a number of the board's recommended changes to a proposed new lease agreement between the county and DMH, before bringing the document back for approval.

Bike trail's pitcher pumps had handles removed?

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Ohio Canal, which runs for almost 200 miles northward from Washington.

Alongside the canal is a bike path, and along the path are pitcher pumps that riders can use to get drinking water as they rest. Pitcher pumps are the old-fashioned kind that we used to see on every farm and even many homes not served by city water systems. You prime them with a little water then pump the handle until the water flows freely. No operating cost. Just use a little muscle

for a couple of minutes. The Obama Administration ordered removal of all of the pump handles. Ordinarily the pumps require practically zero maintenance, but numerous man-hours must have been required to physically remove the handles. The only conceivable reason for that action was to make the public pay for the president's petulant attitude toward the Republicans.

Why do I say that these actions are directed by the Obama Administration? Any one of them could have been ordered by some local,

low-level employee who just felt mean at the time. But, as I read every day of additional, similar actions, I have to conclude that they are being orchestrated by someone very high in the administration. I read one report that the White House had put out a call for "sob stories" resulting from these actions. Presumably they would be used to vilify the Republicans. I can't verify all of the actions described above, but there have been numerous public reports from various sources indicating that they took place.

When our president turns the power of the government against the citizens we have a very serious problem. Will there be any limit to what he might do just to satisfy his ego (which has been reported to be huge)? If he gets away with one type of action

detrimental to the public, will he be encouraged to try even more onerous actions in an effort to make his points? Only time will tell.

One thing is certain: The present administration does

not seem to be persuaded that government should be of the people, by the people and for the people. Someone once expressed that it should be of the people, by the people and for the people.

No matter how you put it, when politicians forget that principle they become self-serving and we, the people, pay for their actions. The sooner they can be replaced, the better off we will be.

Poker run benefits Team Aimee

A Poker Run benefiting Team Aimee will be held this Saturday, Oct. 12, with registration starting at 10 a.m. at Pouncey's.

The run will include stops in Shady Grove, Monticello,

Thomasville and Tallahassee.

King Cotton will provide live entertainment from 2-5 p.m. at Po'Boys Creole Café.

For more information, please contact Wendy Cruce at 838-5190.

Obituaries

Maggie Doris Carrin

Maggie Doris Carrin, 102, of Perry died Friday, Oct. 4, 2013.

Born in Perry to William and Maggie (Houck) Dorman, she was preceded in death by her parents; her husband of more than 50 years, Howard Taft Carrin; one daughter, Louise Bishop; one sister, Mammie Malone of Perry; and one brother, Frankie Dorman.

Mrs. Carrin was a founding member of Lakeside Baptist

Church.

She is survived by two daughters: Maxine Whitfield of Perry and June Carrin of California; a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren as well as nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. on Monday, Oct. 7, at Lakeside Baptist Church with Pastor Darrell Jones and her great grandson, Pastor Curt Whitfield, officiating.

Interment followed in Woodlawn Cemetery in Perry. The family received

friends one hour prior to the service at Lakeside. Joe P. Burns Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Jeanette Hart

Jeanette Hart, 88, of Perry, died Tuesday, Oct. 8, 2013, at Tallahassee Memorial Healthcare.

A memorial service will be held Friday, Oct. 11, at 3:30 p.m. at Joe P. Burns Funeral Home in Perry.

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Music, cheers fill hall during program

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the night's theme, and the contestants' opening number and physical fitness routine were choreographed to classic hits such as "My Girl" and "I Feel Good," it was a much newer song that seemed to encapsulate the evening: Katy Perry's "Hear Me Roar."



Contestant Brittany Stalans was awarded for self-expression and was also the recipient of the Spirit of Distinguished Young Women award.

In the final segment before the awards were announced, Distinguished Young Women Program Co-Chair Tonya Williams-Benzinger introduced a video slide-show of the four contestants--Cannon, Annsley Bohlman, Jessica Welch and Brittany Stalans--by stating that she could not find a song from her Motown collection which represented the "determination and passion of these girls."

"I got the eye of the tiger, a fighter, dancing through the fire, cause I am a champion

and you're gonna hear me roar," Perry's voice sang as the audience watched photos and video clips from the girls' journey to that evening.

Although several additional contestants joined the program and later left, these four were there from the beginning to the end, Williams-Benzinger said.

When it was time for the awards, Cannon took home the physical fitness and talent awards before receiving her title.

Claiming the first runner-up spot was Jessica Welch, who also received the scholastic award.

In addition to their titles and plaques, both contestants will also receive scholarships.

Contestant Brittany Stalans was awarded for self-expression and was also the recipient of the Spirit of Distinguished Young Women, which was voted upon by the contestants themselves.

The night's program opened with greetings from Williams-Benzinger and Co-Chair Sondra Shaw, before they turned the proceedings over to Mistress of Ceremonies Tracey Smith, who earned an early cheer from the crowd by pointing out that the Taylor County High School Bulldogs beat the Madison County Cowboys the previous night for the first time in 22 years. Smith's husband is the head football coach of the Bulldogs.

The program quickly left football behind, but the four contestants were not done with exercise as they were soon on stage for the physical fitness portion of the event, with the judges looking for physical well-being, coordination, stamina and agility as they worked through a five-and-a-half-minute routine



Shown above after the conclusion of the program are (from l to r): Mistress of Ceremonies Tracey Smith, Program Co-Chair Tonya Williams-Benzinger, DYW MaKenzie Cannon, first runner-up Jessica Welch, Program Co-Chair Sondra Shaw and "backstage mom" Jordan Crowley.

choreographed by Williams-Benzinger.

While the girls readied themselves for the talent portion, 2012's Distinguished Young Woman of Taylor County Molly Wilson returned to the Forest Capital Hall stage with the full-version of her talent performance from last year, singing "Taylor the Latte Boy." She was followed by 2012's Distinguished Young Woman of Perry Megan Huyck, who won last year's talent award, singing her rendition of Nina Simone's "Feeling Good" while playing the ukulele.

Then it was time for this year's contestants to show off their talents with a 90-second performance each.

Bohlman began with a euphonium performance of Antonio Vivaldi's Violin Concerto.

Cannon was next with a rendition of "You Can't Get

a Man with a Gun" from the musical "Annie Get Your Gun."

Welch then sang "Like My Mother Does," made famous by Lauren Alaina.

Stalans concluded the talent portion with a skit entitled "Hard to be Humble."

Smith then welcomed this year's "Forget Me Not," past Distinguished Young Women, Junior Misses and Florida Forest Festival Queens, who were in the audience.

The next guest entertainer was Casey Copeland, who performed a lyrical dance to Regina Spektor's "The Call."

The final portion of the program was self-expression, during which each contestant was asked a question based on answers they had given earlier, including the biggest challenge facing their generation, what they would change in their school

system, who they admire the most and what they are most proud of from their generation.

Saturday's program was the first event in a month filled with festivities leading up to the 58th annual Florida Forest Festival on Saturday, Oct. 26.

Up next is the Little King

and Queen Pageant on Saturday, Oct. 12, at 6 p.m. at Forest Capital Hall featuring 24 pint-sized hopefuls vying to become this year's festival royalty.

As for this year's four Distinguished Young Women contestants, everyone at this year's program definitely heard them roar.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Consent Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated September 17, 2013, and entered in U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATE HOLDERS CITIGROUP MORTGAGE LOAN TRUST INC. ASSET-BACKED PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES SERIES 2007-AHL3, is the Plaintiff and PAMELA C. YATES and WILLIAM L. YATES, are Defendants, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, Taylor Court, 108 North Jefferson Street, Perry, Florida 32348 at 11:00 a.m. on the 22nd day of October, 2013, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment,

LEGALS

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT IN AND FOR TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO: 62-2012-CA-000414 BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRY WIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP Plaintiff, vs. CHERYL PELOQUIN; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF CHERYL PELOQUIN; UNKNOWN TENANT I; UNKNOWN TENANT II, and any unknown heirs, devisees, grantees, creditors, and other unknown persons or unknown spouses claiming by, through and under any of the above-named Defendants, Defendants. -----/ NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

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Chamber of Commerce (\$5 each). Tickets and programs will also be available at the door. Taylor County's junior princes and princesses will be vying for the Little

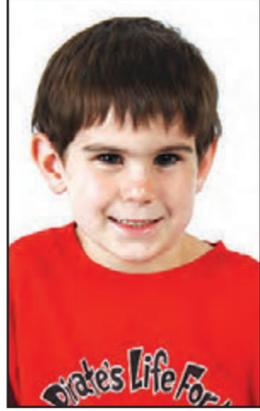
King and Little Queen crowns, showcasing their personalities in two separate competition rounds: "What I Want to Be When I Grow Up" and formal wear.

Taylor County Public Library's Kim Pegg will return as Mistress of Ceremonies and entertainment will be provided by the newly named 2013 Distinguished

Young Woman of Taylor County, MaKenzie Cannon. Amy Bowden and Marcy Freeman return for the ninth year as co-chairs of the event.



Contestant #1
Grayer Lain Johnson
Parents: Lauren & Cori Johnson



Contestant #2
Bryson Drew Mills
Parents: Jason & Jodi Mills



Contestant #3
Madeline Claire Lyles
Parents: Joseph & Carla Lyles



Contestant #4
Brailynn Brooke Omans
Parents: Barbara Omans and the late Bobby Omans



Contestant #5
Kyler Campbell
Parents: Michelle Sumrall & Gregory Campbell



Contestant #6
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Parents: Andy & Kim Simmons



Contestant #7
Dekylin Brooks
Parents: Ashley & Delrinkos Brooks



Contestant #8
Zy'Mya A'Karia Flowers
Parents: Khalilah King & Wayne Flowers



Contestant #9
Sienna Elizabeth Moody
Parents: Pamela Mash & Garrett Mash



Contestant #10
Kaylee Mae Strickland
Parent: Chris & Britney Strickland



Contestant #11
Vanessa Hope Dice
Parents: Bobby & Heather Dice



Contestant #12
Andrea Turner
Parents: Silas & Angie Turner



Contestant #13
Kayleen Nichole Hill
Parents: Jeffery & Nikki Hill



Contestant #14
Parker Young
Parents: Erin & Keith Young



Contestant #15
Ava Musselwhite
Parents: Amber & Jim Musselwhite



Contestant #16
Nicholas Kinsey
Parent: Tonia Sprow



Contestant #17
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Parents: Megan & Robert Murphy



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Emily Blue
Parents: Tareaka Blount & Paulvos Fuller, William Blue



Contestant #19
Makaylla Dale Taylor
Parent: Brittany Amber Taylor



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Parents: Nick & Elizabeth Harvey



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Trista Richardson
Parents: Fred & Staci Richardson



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Kaylan Kirk
Parents: Kim & John Kirk



Contestant #23
Jadon Harley Herring
Parents: Keshia & Leon Herring



Contestant #24
Grant Turner
Parents: Roger & Katrina Turner

Baby photo contest deadline is this Friday

This Friday, Oct. 11, is the final day to submit entries for the 58th annual Florida Forest Festival Baby Photo Contest.

Photos must have been taken after April 1, 2013. The contest is divided into four age groups: 0-6 months; 7-11 months; one year; two years;

three years; and four years. Entries will be judged on the following criteria: uniqueness of photo, capturing the moment, baby

showing personality and photogenic quality. All entries must be amateur photos (not professional or studio), 5x7 in size with a

matted border (not framed) and only one photo per child. Entries should be turned in at Photos & Frames (located at 102 East

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 I am hereby given that the undersigned Clerk of the Circuit Court of Taylor County, Florida, will on the 22 day of October, 2013, at 11:00 A.M. at the Taylor County Courthouse, 108 N. Jefferson Street, in Perry, Florida 32347, offer for sale and sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following-described property situate in Taylor County, Florida: LOT 36, SEAMEADOWS SUBDIVISION AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1 PAGE 152 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA.

pursuant to the final Judgment entered in a case pending in said Court, the style of which is indicated above.
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 Deputy Clerk
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pursuant to a Final Summary Judgment dated September 19, 2013 entered in Civil Case No.: 12-3964-CA, of the circuit Court of the Third Judicial Circuit in and for Taylor County, Florida, wherein ONEWEST BANK, FSB, is Plaintiff, and THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING AN INTEREST BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE ESTATE OF TERRI L. PATTISON, DECEASED; ROBIN ELAINE PATTISON; CHELSIE HODGE; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ACTING ON BEHALF OF THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; UNKOWN TENANT #1; UNKNOWN TEANTS #2; ALL OTHER UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING INTERESTS BY, THROUGH, UNDER AND AGAINST A NAMED DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE WHEATHER SAME UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS, are Defendants. ANNIE M. MURPHY, the Clerk of Court, shall sell to the highest bidder for cash at 11:00 a.m., at the West Front Door of the Taylor County Courthouse, 108 North Jefferson St., Perry, FL 32347 on the day of October 22, 2013, the following described real property as set forth in said Final Summary Judgment, to wit:
 Lot Five (5), of the Bowden Subdivision, as per Plat Book 1, Page 188, Public Records of Taylor County, Florida. ALSO: A 20 foot Easment described as follows:
 Begin at the SW corner Lot 4, of Bowden Subdivision, as recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 188, Public Records of Taylor County, Florida, and run N. 89 degrees 09' 25" East along the South Boundary of Lot 4, 448.9 feet to the SE corner of Lot 4; Thence run North 00 degrees 17' 15" West along the East Line of Lot 4, 20 feet; Thence run South 89 degrees 09' 25" West parallel to South Line of Lot 4, 454.48 feet to the West Line of Lot 4; Thence run South 15 degrees 54' 22" East apm West Line of Lot 4, 20.7 feet to the P.O.B. said Parcel contains 9033.25 square feet.
 Together with 1995 Flee Triple Wide Mobile Home, Identification Numbers F L F L R 7 0 A 2 2 8 5 8 S K 2 1 , F L F L R 7 0 B 2 2 8 5 8 S K 2 1 , Title Numbers 68890169, 68890171, 68890172. Located on the above described property, with the street address of : 3399 VERA LANE, PERRY , FL 32347.
 If you are a person claiming a right to funds remaining after the sale, you must file a claim with the clerk 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 records as of the date of the lis pendens may claim the surplus.
 WITNESS my hand and the seal of the court on Sept. 20, 2013.
 ANNI M. MURPHY CLERK OF THE COURT
 By: Marti Lee
 Deputy Clerk
 Attorney for Plaintiff:
 Rohim West, Esquire
 Elizabeth R. Wellborn, P.A.
 350 Jim Moran Blvd. Suite 100
 Deerfield Beach, FL 33442



Telephone: (954) 354-3544
 Facsimile: (954) 354-3545
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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
 Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, pursuant to the fictitious name statute, Chapter 20953 or Section 865.09, Florida Statutes, 1941, will register with Secretary of State, Corporation Division, Tallahassee, Florida, upon receipt of proof of publication of this notice the fictitious name, to wit:
 CoCo & Company
 under which we/I will engage in business. I/we expect to engage in business in Perry, Florida and our address is:
 807 Puckett Rd. Perry, FL 32347
 Cynthia G. Mock 100%
 10/9, 10/11



111.2 FEET; THENCE S 15.9° W 105.3 FEET; THENCE N 89 DEGREES 54.1' E ALONG BURGESS 113.1 FEET TO FORTY LINE; THENCE N 43.5' W ALONG FORTY LINE 110.9 FEET TO POB. CONTAINING 0.28 ACRE, MORE OR LESS, AND BEING A PART OF NW 1/4 OF SE 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 23.
 ALSO: START AT SE CORNER OF NW 1/4 OF SE 1/4 OF SECTION 23, T4S, R7E. PERRY, TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA AND RUN NORTH ALONG FORTY LINE 137.5 FEET TO NORTH R/W LONE OF WEST GREET STREET; THENCE WEST ALONG SAID R/W LINE 110.0 FEET; THENCE NORTH 130 FEET TO POB AND SE CORNER OF HEREIN DESCRIBED TRACT, AT NW CORNER OF BURGESS; THENCE N 1 DEGREE 29' W 105.2 FEET SOUTH R/W LINE WEST MAIN STREET; THENCE WEST ALONG SOUTH R/W LINE OF WEST MAIN STREET 106.47 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 105.2 FEET; THENCE EAST 109.2 FEET TO POB. CONTAINING 0.26 ACRES, MORE OR LESS, AND BEING PART OF NW 1/4 OF SE 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 23.
 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.
 DATES this 27 day of Sept., 2013.
 Clerk Circuit Court
 By: Marti Lee
 Deputy Clerk
 If you are person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to te provision of certain assistance. Please cotact the Clerk of the court's diability coordinator at 173 NE Hernando Avenue, Room 408, Lake City, FL32055, (386) 719-7428 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing impaired, call 711.
 10/09, 10/16



VEHICLE DESCRIBED AS
 1991 TOYOTA PICK UP, VIN # JT4VN13D5N5073774,
 HAS BEEN FILED AND YOUARE REQUIRED TO SERVE A COPY OF YOUR WRITTEN OBJECTION, IF ANY ON JAMES E. MULLIN, 19505 S JODY MORGAN GR, PERRY, FL 32348 WHO IS THE PETITIONER, ON OR BEFORE NOVEMBER 4, 2013, AND FILE THE ORIGINAL WITH THE CLERK OF THE COURT EITHER BEFORE SERVICE ON THE PETITIONER OR IMMEDIATELY THEREAFTER; OTHERWISE , A DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE PETITION.
 WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF THIS COURT ON THE 4TH DAY OF OCTOBER , 2013 AT TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA
 CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
 BY: SALENA FORD
 DEPUTY CLERK
 10/9,10/16,10/23,10/30



courthouse door on the 21ST day of October, 2013 at 11:00 o'clock a.m.
 Dated this 3rd day of October, 2013
 Signature: Annie Mae Murphy
 Annie Mae Murphy
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Taylor County, Florida
 10/09

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE TAYLOR COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS WILL HOLD THE SECOND OF TWO PUBLIC HEARINGS TUESDAY OCTOBER 22, 2013 AT 5:30 P.M. TO RECEIVE PUBLIC INPUT AND NOTIFY THE PUBLIC OF THE POSSIBLE GRANT SUBMISSION BY THE TAYLOR COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM (TAP) FOR THE 2020 FUNDING CYCLE. THIS PROGRAM WAS FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE TRANSPORTATION ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM. THE FIRST PUBLIC HEARING WAS HELD OCTOBER 7, 2013 AT 5:30PM. ALL MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND. NOTICE IS FURTHER HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT TO FLORIDA STATUTE 286.0105, THAT ANY PERSON OR PERSONS DECIDING TO APPEAL ANY MATTER CONSIDERED AT THIS MEETING WILL NEED A RECORD OF THE HEARING AND MAY NEED TO ENSURE THAT A VERBATIM RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS IS MADE, WHICH RECORD INCLUDES THE TESTIMONY AND EVIDENCE UPON WHICH THE APPEAL IS TO BE BASED. THE PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE TAYLOR COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING ROOM, 201 E. GREEN STREET PERRY, FLORIDA 32347. ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THIS MATTER SHOULD BE GOVERNED BY THIS PUBLIC NOTICE. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION MAY BE OBTAINED FROM: MELODY COX, GRANTS DIRECTOR (858) 838-3553. DATED THIS 7TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2013. BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA 10/09

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA
 CIVIL DIVISION
 Case No.: 12-394-CA
 ONE WEST BANK, FSB,
 Plaintiff,
 v.
 THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING AN INTEREST BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE ESTATE OF TERRI L. PATTISON, DECEASED; ROBIN ELAINE PATTISON; CHELSIE HODGE; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ACTING ON BEHALF OF THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; UNKOWN TENANT #1; UNKNOWN TEANTS #2; ALL OTHER UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING INTERESTS BY, THROUGH, UNDER AND AGAINST A NAMED DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE WHEATHER SAME UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS, Defendants.
 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 3RD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA.
 CASE No.: 28A & 26A 23-4-7 Case 10-011CA
 BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP F/K/A COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
 ONEIL, JUSTIN, et al.
 Defendants.
 RE-NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order or Final Judgment entered in Case No. 28A & 26A 23-4-7 CASE 10-011CA of the Circuit Court of the 3rd Judicial Circuit in and for TAYLOR County, Florida, wherein BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP F/K/A COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP is Plaintiff, and ONEIL, JUSTIN, et al., are Defendants, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash at, Taylor Co. Courthouse, Perry, FL at the hour of, on the 29th day of October, 2013, the following described property:
 START AT THE INTERSECTION OF THE NORTH LINE OF MAIN STREET WITH THE WEST BOUNDARY LINE OF THE NE 1/4 OF SE 1/4 OF SECTION 23, T4S, R7E, PERRY, TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA AT A RR IRON, 31.9 FEET NORTH OF THE CENTERLINE OF SAID MAIN STREET; THENCE RUN S 43.5° E ALONG THE FORTY LINE 63.8 FEET TO NE CORNER AND POB OF HEREIN DESCRIBED LOT; THENCE N 89 DEGREES 44.1' W ALONG SOUTH LINE OF SAID MAIN STREET

IN THE COUNTY COURT, THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR TAYLOR COUNTY, FLORIDA
 CASE NO. 62-2013-CC-11500A-01
 JAMES E. MULLINS
 Plaintiff,
 LARRY M. AYLOR
 IN REF: 1991 TOYOTA PICKUP
 VIN# JT4VN13D5N5073774
 NOTICE OF ACTION
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PETITION TO DETERMINE OWNERSHIP OF A MOTOR

Letters to the Editor

'Tactic is entirely constitutional, but it's also enormously costly for the country'

SHUTDOWNS

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even if Obamacare was a controversial law, and had virtually zero support from the Republican minority, it still passed the test that all our laws must pass. A majority of the members in both houses of Congress voted for it, which from a constitutional standpoint meant it was an expression of the public will.
 The Democrats paid a price for their brazen tactics later that year. In 2010, voters kicked out a number of Democrats in favor of Republicans, especially Tea Party Republicans, who had campaigned on the idea that the Democrats had not governed in the public interest by carrying out health care reform in this way. The system worked—in a number of districts the public agreed with the Republicans and the Democrats' control over Congress was loosened accordingly.

Fast-forward to 2013. Since the Republicans took control of the House in 2010, they have voted numerous times to repeal or seriously cripple Obamacare. Because the Democrats still have a majority in the Senate as well as the Presidency, however, these attempts have essentially been dead on arrival. They do demonstrate to Republican voters that their representatives are taking their wishes seriously, and I'm all for that. I see nothing unpatriotic or dangerous about representatives believing that this law as presently constituted should be changed or repealed. It's a valid opinion, just like the opinion held by others that the law needed to be created in the first place.

Here's what I'm not for. Since the Republican Party doesn't have the votes necessary to take down Obamacare by the

normal methods through which laws are repealed or changed, they've resorted to somewhat desperate tactics. They insist on attaching Obamacare-related provisions to their support for other vital legislation, namely the funding of the government itself. In other words, the Republicans are passing plenty of bills to fund the government and keep it open, but they all contain some sort of provision to gut Obamacare. This forces Senate Democrats to repeatedly vote these bills down, giving them the appearance of refusing to fund the government solely in order to protect their signature legislative achievement. The Republicans do this because they know that Democrats, especially moderate Democrats who were never all that keen on Obamacare to begin with, will find it very difficult to allow the government to remain shut down for long over this single law. Rather than actually build a coalition with the moderate Democrats, however, or better yet, rather than campaign successfully on this issue and earn enough seats in the Senate to knock out the Democratic majority, the Republicans have essentially chosen to take the government as a hostage to force action on this issue that they cannot currently settle in their favor using normal means. They feel that holding a legislative gun to the head of government funding is a winning tactic because, much like the police in a real hostage situation, Democrats will find it difficult (read: politically painful) to maintain their position when the life of the "hostage" is at stake.
 One could argue that Democrats are as much to blame as Republicans for this mess since they could

end the shutdown by giving in to some portion of what the Republican Party is asking for. That would be compromise, which is a good thing, right? Here's the rub. The Democrats are defending their refusal to negotiate by invoking the reality that Obamacare, like it or not, was passed fair and square. And they're right – the Affordable Care Act is a law, voted on and ratified, and then favorably reviewed by the Supreme Court. The public also returned a majority of Democrats to the Senate and President Obama to the White House in 2012, which from a constitutional standpoint suggests that the Democrats represent a considerable portion (not all) of the public will. For the Democrats to compromise in this moment would be for them to allow the Republicans a victory in the Senate they have not actually earned. The Democratic majority in the Senate should be able to vote on Obamacare as it sees fit rather than being blackmailed into voting differently because the House Republicans insist on grouping Obamacare apples and budget bill oranges together in a single bill.
 The Republicans take a different tack. They defend their refusal to negotiate on the basis that while Obamacare may be the law of the land, the American people by and large do not want it, despite the recent election results and the fact it was passed constitutionally. I concede again that there's evidence to suggest a great deal of unhappiness with the law, but neither Gallup polls nor the mood at town hall meetings should be sufficient to short-circuit the way our Constitution goes about determining what the public wants. The public will is represented by who gets voted into office and how those representatives interpret what the people

desire. If the Republicans are right about this issue, the voters will respond in 2014 and 2016 by throwing out the Democrats in favor of Republicans who they feel more closely represent their interests. That's how representative government is supposed to work. By going the hostage-taking route, however, Republicans are attempting to underhandedly impose their position on the Senate, where they do not possess a majority. The tactic is entirely constitutional, but it's also enormously costly for the country, and it reveals the Republicans as desperate to do by any means necessary what they have been unable to do through winning elections. This is a dangerous situation, because if this sort of tactic becomes acceptable in Congress, we can expect this same dysfunctional impasse every time a minority from either party does not get its way in a divided Congress. That's right – what we're seeing now from the Republicans could be replicated by the Democrats when and if the tables are turned in the future. Sadly, the American people come out as the losers no matter which side wins.
 Again, if the Republicans are right about Obamacare, the voters will vindicate them and make them a majority, rather than a minority, in both the Senate and House, and thereby put them in a position to destroy the law constitutionally. Until then, if our Constitution means anything to them, they should refrain from shirking their duty to keep our government open and serving the public. Certainly, there must be debate about the future of health care, but it should not be a prerequisite for this most basic legislative responsibility.
 Respectfully submitted,
 Josh Goodman,
 Taylor County voter

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Players, fans join in mass celebration following win

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yard punt. On the night, Wentworth (who booted 8 punts for an average of 47.3 yards) pinned Madison inside their 20-yard line 5 times and inside the 3-yard line twice!

On a 1st down run, Marc Hamilton made the stop at the line of scrimmage to allow Anderson to strip and recover the ball to give Taylor County the first turnover of the game and possession at the Madison 2-yard line.

Wentworth had to scramble around and buy time until Stephens worked himself open in the endzone before delivering a strike to the big receiver to get the Bulldogs on the board. However, Parker's PAT bounced off the upright to keep the score 13-6 with 7:30 left in the 2nd quarter.

Madison quickly stole the momentum back, returning a pooch kickoff 69 yards for a touchdown to take a 19-6 lead after the 2-point pass failed.

Despite some hard running by Nelson, the Bulldogs gave up a sack and a holding penalty to kill their next drive, but Wentworth's 49-yard punt pinned Madison at their own 1-yard line, and some stingy defense by Grambling, Hamilton, Jordan White, Robertson, Tanner Hammock, Justin Cruse, Javalis McNeal and Fudge forced a punt.

Wentworth made a perfect pass to Watkins out of the backfield for a 36-yard gain, found Rodgers for completions of 9 yards and 2 yards before taking a sack at the 21-yard line and bouncing back to throw a perfect pass to Rodgers in the corner of the endzone for a touchdown. Rodgers had a defender draped all over him, but kept his concentration and battled to make the crucial catch on 3rd and 11.

Parker's kick pulled the Bulldogs within 19-13. Fudge and Hammock

stopped a run and Anderson made a big hit to knock a pass away from a receiver just before the half.

After giving up the kickoff return for a touchdown, the Bulldogs sent every kickoff out of bounds, electing to let Madison start on their own 35.

The move paid off, as Madison failed to score on their next three possessions, including the first series of the second half when Stephens read a swing pass in the flat and picked it off before returning it 70 yards for a touchdown. A personal foul penalty on the Bulldogs erased the touchdown and brought the ball back to the Taylor 48.

Wentworth picked up two crucial first downs to move the Bulldogs into scoring position - using his legs to pick up 1 yard on a 3rd and 1 play and then running for 10 on a 3rd and 8 play that was called back for an illegal shift. On the very next play, Wentworth threw a short slip screen to Stephens, who picked up some great blocks by Rodgers and Nelson and dragged defenders for a 19-yard gain and a first down.

On the very next play, Cook took a handoff up the middle for 11 yards and a touchdown, following blocks by his offensive line of Massey, Jay, Prevatt, Barr and Robson. Cook's TD and Parker's PAT gave the Bulldogs a 20-19 lead midway through the 3rd quarter.

The Bulldog defense made stops on the next two Madison drives--keyed by big tackles by Hammock, Kallschmidt, Anderson, Fudge, White and Grambling --to set up Taylor's final scoring drive of regulation.

Wentworth dropped a pinpoint sideline fade pass right into the hands of Stephens for a 25-yard gain down to the Madison 19. Cook picked up some good blocking for a 9-yard gain and Rodgers took a jet sweep three yards for a first down at

the 7-yard line.

Nelson managed a yard on 1st down before Wentworth tucked and ran a QB keeper from 6 yards out to give the Bulldogs a 27-19 lead after Parker's kick with 8:46 left in the game.

Madison tied the game with 5:33 to play and the Bulldogs had two big plays called back due to penalties before having to punt.

Stephens made his second interception of the night by out-jumping the intended receiver on a long bomb to give the Bulldogs the ball on their own 15, but Taylor's offense went backwards due to two penalties and two sacks that forced Wentworth to punt from the back of his own endzone.

Madison took over on the Bulldogs' 35 after the punt return and had a chance to win the game with a 31-yard field goal as time expired, but Stephens leapt high over the line and blocked the kick to send the game into overtime.

Watkins scored on a jet sweep the very next play and Parker's kick put the Bulldogs up 34-27, but the drama continued when Madison punched the ball in two plays later to pull within one.

With the Dorsett Stadium crowd roaring, the Bulldog defense made its biggest stop of the season on the 2-point conversion run and kicked off a wild celebration by Taylor County players, coaches, fans and parents.

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