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Cowboy Seniors To Play In All-Star Game



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The following Madison County Cowboy seniors have been selected to play in the Columbia Youth Football/Dick's Sporting Goods East West All Star Game to be played at Lake City's Memorial Sta-

dium Saturday, Jan. 15, at 4 p.m. Terry Morris, Dantonio Denson, Sherrod Brinson, LaDonte Gibson, Tavarus Dennis, Marquise Harts, Frankie Hodge, Jermaine Hart, Demar-

cus Norton, LaPadre Stevenson and Mike Jones. They have been practicing in Suwannee County all week and will have a banquet in Lake City on Friday. *Please see Cowboys, Page 3*

SHIP Classes Set For Monday, Jan. 15

Are you ready for homeownership? Learn about the steps you need to take to achieve homeownership in the home buying series, which begins Monday, Jan. 24, at 6 p.m.

Upon completion, participants receive a certificate that is required for SHIP assistant and rural development loans.

To register, call the Madison County Extension Service at (850) 973-4138.

San Pedro Cemetery Cleaning Fund Seeking Donations

The San Pedro Cemetery Cleaning Fund is reminding everyone they accept donations for maintenance of the cemetery.

The cemetery is funded by private donations and help is needed to maintain it from anyone who has burial plots or burial plots for family members in the cemetery.

Donations are used to perform maintenance, such as moving and weed control.

Due to the health of Jewel Bass, her nieces, Teri *Please see San Pedro, Page 3*

Greene Publishing, Inc. Changes Web Site Design

Web site now viewable on cell phones and other mobile devices

By Jacob Bemby
Greene Publishing, Inc.

In an effort to make its site more user-friendly and to keep up with the changing times, Greene Publishing, Inc. has redesigned its web site and is now using a WordPress blog format.

The new site features different categories for articles and enables writers and others at the newspaper to post breaking news, obituaries and upcoming events within minutes of writing it or receiving it. It also makes posting photos and videos easier for the writers and administrators.

The site is also readable on mobile devices, including cell phones, iPads and other media.

There is also a place for comments to be posted online. Those wishing to comment must be registered on the site. The comments will have to be approved by one of the site's administrators before

they are posted. It is asked that one comment on the stories and not use their posts to make personal attacks against anyone when commenting.

When WordPress began in 2003, as an Open Source project, it was a single line of code. It has expanded from a handful of users to millions of users to become largest self-hosted blogging tool in the world. It is used for blogs by newspapers such as The New York Times and The Wall Street Journal, and is also used by universities, such as the University of Florida, Harvard Law School, the University of California and the University of Berlin.

The switch to a WordPress-based site is something that *Greene Publishing, Inc.* is doing to better serve our readers. If anyone has any ideas or suggestions, please send them to Jacob Bemby, jacob@greenepublishing.com.

Judge Parker Appointed To Budget Commission

Circuit Judge Greg Parker of Perry was recently appointed by Florida Supreme Court Chief Justice Charles T. Canady to serve a six-year term on the Florida Trial Courts Budget Commission.

Judge Parker is one of 14 Circuit Judges and seven circuit court administrators appointed from among the 20 judicial circuits in the state.

The Trial Court Budget Commission was created to oversee the preparation and implementation of the *Please see Judge Parker, Page 3*



Judge Greg Parker

The Internet Is Forever: Part 3 In A Series Cyberbullying

By Jacob Bemby
Greene Publishing, Inc.

Last week, this newspaper addressed online safety for children from people who may want to sexually exploit them. This week, we look at the issue of cyberbullying and next week, we will show ways that children and teens can be protected from it.

A number of pre-teens and teens have been cyberbullied. The definition of cyberbullying, according to www.stopcyberbullying.org is when a child, preteen or teen is tormented, threatened, harassed, humiliated, embarrassed or otherwise targeted by another child, preteen or teen using the Internet, interactive and digital technologies or mobile phones." If an adult engages in these activities, it is called cyber-harassment or cyberstalking. These issues will be dealt with later in the series.

Criminal charges can stem from cyberbullying incidents. It may result in a misdemeanor cyber-harassment charge or in a juvenile delinquency charge, according to the age of the perpetrator.

Cyberbullying usually occurs in a series of emails or texts, unless it involves a death threat or a credible threat of serious bodily harm. Methods employed differ according to the imagination of the cyberbully.

Some children have committed murder and others have committed suicide after they have been bullied online.

The website www.stopcyberbullying.org lists these 10 ways children can cyberbully each other:

1. **Instant Messaging/Text Messaging Harassment**
 - a) Kids may send hateful or threatening messages to other kids, without realizing that while not said in real life, unkind or threatening messages are hurtful and very serious.
 - b) Warning wars - Many Internet Service Providers offer a way of "telling on" a user who is saying inappropriate things. Kids often engage in "warning wars" which can lead to kicking someone offline for a period of time. While this should be a security tool, kids sometimes use the Warn button as a game or prank.
 - c) A kid/teen may create a screenname that is very similar to another kid's name. The name may have an additional "i" or one less "e". They may use this name to say inappropriate things to other users while posing as the other person.
 - d) Text wars or text attacks are when kids gang up on the victim, sending thousands of text-messages to the victims cell phone or other mobile device. The victim is then faced with a huge

cell phone bill and angry parents.

- e) Kids send death threats using IM and text-messaging as well as photos/videos
2. **Stealing Passwords**
 - a) A kid may steal another child's password and begin to chat with other people, pretending to be the other kid. He/she may say mean things that offend and anger this person's friends or even strangers. Meanwhile, they won't know it is not really that person they are talking to.
 - b) A kid may also use another kid's password to change his/her profile to include sexual, racist, and inappropriate things that may attract unwanted attention or offend people.
 - c) A kid often steals the password and locks the victim out of their own account.
 - d) Once the password is stolen, hackers may use it to hack into the victim's computer.
3. **Blogs**

Blogs are online journals. They are a fun way for kids and teens to send messages for all of their friends to see. However, kids sometimes use these blogs to damage other kids' reputations or invade their privacy. For example, in one case, a boy posted a bunch of blogs about his breakup with his ex-girlfriend, explaining how she destroyed his life, calling her degrading names. Their mutual *Please see Cyberbullying, Page 3*

Scam Alert

By Jacob Bemby
Greene Publishing, Inc.

This writer received a call on Monday from a resident who lives north of Lee, who reported a potential scam.

According to the caller, he had been approached by a man, who told him that one of his neighbors had referred him because he might want some paving done.

The man who called this writer agreed on a price that he thought was affordable and let the other man do the paving.

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Fri 1/14	56/29		Sunny. Highs in the mid 50s and lows in the upper 20s.
Sat 1/15	60/33		Sunny. Highs in the low 60s and lows in the low 30s.
Sun 1/16	64/40		A few clouds. Highs in the mid 60s and lows in the low 40s.
Mon 1/17	69/52		Few showers. Highs in the upper 60s and lows in the low 50s.

Viewpoints & Opinions



Jacob's Ladder
Jacob Bemby
Columnist

More Like My Mama

In more ways than one, I am like my mother and I hope that I have her best qualities.

Mama loved her family. I love the family, too, although I don't have Mama's patience and understanding. I worry about family members, like she worried over us. I do anything I can to help them, but there is something about mothers that sons can't inherit. The patience and understanding have to be developed over time, although it may seem as if it will kill us sometimes.

Another thing that I know that I didn't inherit from Mama was her cooking skills. I remember that she used to complain because she didn't think she could fry chicken as well as others. The chicken was delicious, though. She also made the best cubed steak around and people loved to eat biscuits that Mama cooked. During the winter, I loved eating mustard greens that Mama made.

I remember Mama working into the wee hours of the morning and then coming home and having to get my sister, Abbie, off to catch the school bus for Gretchen Everhart School, a special school Abbie attended in Tallahassee.

I remember Mama's laugh and how she enjoyed reading books. She would read a book or I would read one and we would tell the other about it. If Mama's reviews were favorable, I would read the book. If they weren't, I would just let it slide. Mama would do the same thing if I liked or disliked a book.

Like my mama, I will put off going to the doctor when I need to. Mama had done that before she had a stroke on her birthday and Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 26, 1998.

This Sunday, Jan. 16, will mark 12 years since she died. Although I miss her, she's in Heaven with Our Savior and she is enjoying life eternal. That gift awaits everyone who truly believes in his or her heart that Jesus died for their sins and was resurrected and ascended into Heaven to be with God, the Father. If you have not, accept Jesus as your Savior and let His Holy Spirit dwell in your heart.

Also, read the Bible so that you will know how to follow Him. My mama read the Bible through several times, especially in the year before she died.

If you look at what you do not have in life, you don't have anything. If you look at what you have in life, you have everything.

A LITTLE HOT?



Write A Letter To The Editor

Greene Publishing, Inc. welcomes letters to the editor which will be printed, space permitting, subject to the following policies:

All letters should be typewritten, or legibly hand written, and brevity is encouraged. **Unsigned letters will not be accepted.** Requests to withhold writers' names will be honored if the subject matter is deemed appropriate for publication, however management may be required to disclose names under certain circumstances. Letters endorsing or degrading commercial products, individuals, political candidates, or religious dogmas will not be accepted.

Letters are printed basically as submitted, and there is no effort to verify any statements made. Readers are on their own to determine the credibility of the letter.

Letters To The Editor

Letters to the Editor are typed word for word, comma for comma, as sent to this newspaper.

New Madison Resident Responds To Pouliotte's Letter

Dear Editor:

Last Friday I read George Pouliotte's letter to the editor titled "RE: High Business Turnover in Madison," and thought, "Man, that guy needs a place to drink." Like Mr. Pouliotte, I'm new to Madison, but unlike him, Madison being a dry county was one of the things that drew me and my wife here.

I am not against drinking, but I have seen its evil side. My father and mother owned a bar in Saint Paul, Minnesota, where I grew up. When I returned from Vietnam, my dad wanted me to come to work for him and eventually take over ownership. I only lasted a few weeks. I just couldn't keep selling a drug - alcohol - to all the addicts (alcoholics) who came in every day.

Yes, there are millions of Americans who drink responsibly, but the truth is there are also about 15 million who are addicted to drinking, and if you check world-wide statistics, about 5% of the world's population have that same problem.

So, I got on the computer and was going to find all these evil things about wet verses dry counties, but in all honesty, there are pros and cons either way a county goes. Yes, Bars and liquor stores do bring added business to a town or city, and yes I believe Mr. Pouliotte, being the astute business man he is, could help bring new business to Madison County if we had liquor sales.

However, by his own words, Mr. Pouliotte would be bringing start-up companies here that were owned or run by people who needed to drink. Let's face it, if they will not look at Madison County as a potential site for their business because we don't have liquor, these people must need liquor in order to function.

Anyway, back to the research. Dry counties have more DUI arrests and drunk driving accidents, because people have to drive to find a place to buy or drink alcohol. I guess that fact would be on the side of those who wanted Madison to have liquor, and yes, liquor does bring more commerce, and that would be a plus for those wanting liquor also.

There was one thing that really jumped out at me though, and that is the fact that the "domestic violence rates in wet counties are nearly double the rates in dry counties." So, I guess if you want safer streets to drive on, but you don't mind having local women and children being batted around and scared for their lives in their homes, then push for liquor here if you want.

Also here is a surprise I found when looking on the computer.

More people are moving into dry counties in Arkansas than the wet ones. Dry counties have grown at an average rate of 22% while wet counties have grown at an average rate of 7.4% (US Census 2000).

Let me ask this question. Has Madison County ever used the fact that it is a dry county in order to attract business? In my research, I found that the vast majority of dry counties are in the South, in the traditional Bible Belt. That is no surprise, and it was also no surprise that the higher a county's Christian population was, the better chance that that county would be dry.

There are millions and millions of Christians in America, and to many of those Christians, a dry county would appear to be a good place to raise their family, and to some, a good place to move their business.

Just maybe, using the asset of Madison County being dry to attract business would be a good idea. Right now Madison is dry, and maybe we should wear that on our sleeve with a bit of pride and see what happens. Perhaps, the high population of Christians in this county is also something many people would find attractive, and an asset that could also be used to entice new business to Madison County.

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Think Healthy Weight Instead Of A Diet

Madison County Extension Service

Diann Douglas
Guest Columnist



Our culture seems preoccupied with dieting and thinness; the idea of promoting health is often lost. Healthy Weight Week, Jan. 17 - 21, reminds people of the value of a healthy non-diet lifestyle and encourages us to move ahead to improve our health in positive ways. It celebrates normal habits that prevent eating and weight problems, rather than intensifying them.

I always say diets are like budgets, they are restrictive and never work. Instead of checking the scale every day, a positive approach might be to focus on a healthy lifestyle. A healthy lifestyle is all about balance. If your goal is weight loss in the New Year, focus on a healthy weight, for your own personal body type, not thinness.

According to Nutrition Extension Specialists, it is better to think about achieving better health by keeping your approach simple rather than concentrating on a diet. Work on small changes because they are easier to maintain and they can make a big difference over time. Simple changes, like eating breakfast or taking a ten minute walk, can energize your life.

A healthy lifestyle approach is about balance. Making small, lasting changes can help anyone reach their healthy goals. If your goal is a healthy weight, you need simple ways to balance food with activity. The problem is that people often think that they have to eat perfectly or spend an hour at the gym in order to get fit. Healthy is not an all-or-nothing proposition; it is about maximizing the positive and minimizing the negative. For example, moving toward your healthy goals means maximizing the time you spend walking - and minimizing the time you spend sitting. For some, it may mean drinking more water and milk, rather than soda and coffee.

Extension Specialists emphasize it is easy to give your body the nutrition and physical activity it needs anytime, anywhere. From early morning to late night, all it takes are small, simple changes in your everyday food and fitness choices. Try adopting one or two changes and practice them until they become a habit before adding more.

What diet is best? Eat a variety of foods from all of the food groups supply you with the wide range of nutrients your body needs. Fruit, vegetables, whole grain, low-fat dairy, lean meats, legumes and plant proteins are needed each day. Eating three regular meals each day with a smart snack choice will keep your body fueled for the day.

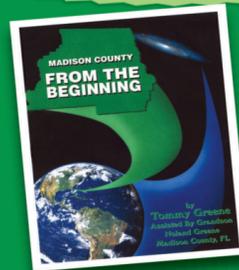
Don't forget physical activity every day is part of the total picture. All activity counts, so park your car at the end of the parking lot or take a 10 minute walk at lunch. On the weekend, tackle those household chores you have been putting off - they burn calories. Get the kids or grandchildren together for an outdoor game or activity. When you are busy having fun, you don't realize its exercise.

Small changes in food selection and activity are the best way to go for a healthy lifestyle when you are trying to achieve a healthy weight for your body type. For more information on nutrition and healthy lifestyle choices, contact the Madison County Extension Service.

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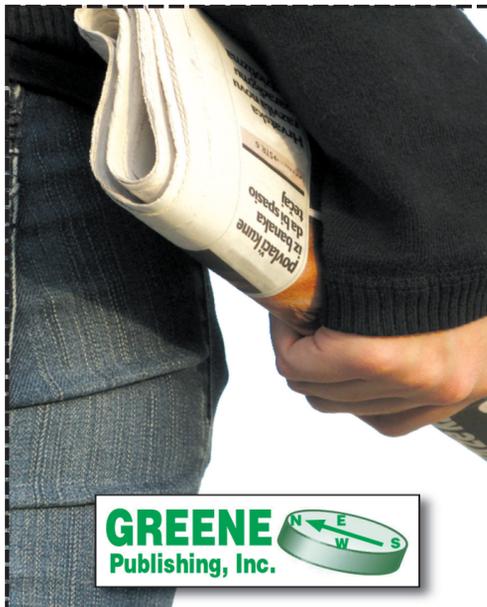
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Cyberbullying

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friends read about this and criticized her. She was embarrassed and hurt all because another kid posted mean, private, and false information about her. Sometimes kids set up a blog or profile page pretending to be their victim and saying things designed to humiliate them.

4. Web Sites

a) Children used to tease each other in the playground; now they do it on Web sites. Kids sometimes create Web sites that may insult or endanger another child. They create pages specifically designed to insult another kid or group of people.

b) Kids also post other kids' personal information and pictures, which put those people at a greater risk of being contacted or found.

5. Sending Pictures through E-mail and Cell Phones

a) There have been cases of teens sending mass e-mails to other users, that include nude or degrading pictures of other teens. Once an e-mail like this is sent, it is passed around to hundreds of other people within hours; there is no way of controlling where it goes.

b) Many of the newer cell phones allow kids to send pictures to each other. The kids receive the pictures directly on their phones, and may send it to everyone in their address books. After viewing the picture at a Web site, some kids have actually posted these often pornographic

pictures on Kazaa and other programs for anyone to download.

c) Kids often take a picture of someone in a locker room, bathroom or dressing room and post it online or send it to others on cell phones.

6. Internet Polling

Who's Hot? Who's Not? Who is the biggest slut in the sixth grade? These types of questions run rampant on the Internet polls, all created by yours truly - kids and teens. Such questions are often very offensive to others and are yet another way that kids can "bully" other kids online.

7. Interactive Gaming

Many kids today are playing interactive games on gaming devices such as X-Box Live and Sony Play Station 2 Network. These gaming devices allow your child to communicate by chat and live Internet phone with anyone they find themselves matched with in a game online. Sometimes the kids verbally abuse the other kids, using threats and lewd language. Sometimes they take it further, by locking them out of games, passing false rumors about them or hacking into their accounts.

8. Sending Malicious Code

Many kids will send viruses, spyware and hacking programs to their victims. They do this to either destroy their computers or spy on their victim. Trojan Horse programs allow the cyberbully to control their victim's computer remote control, and can be used

to erase the hard drive of the victim.

9. Sending Porn and Other Junk E-Mail and IMs

Often cyberbullies will sign their victims up for e-mailing and IM marketing lists, lots of them, especially to porn sites. When the victim receives thousands of e-mails from pornographers their parents usually get involved, either blaming them (assuming they have been visiting porn sites) or making them change their e-mail or IM address.

10. Impersonation

Posing as the victim, the cyberbully can do considerable damage. They may post a provocative message in a hate group's chatroom posing as the victim, inviting an attack against the victim, often giving the name, address and telephone number of the victim to make the hate group's job easier. They often also send a message to someone posing as the victim, saying hateful or threatening things while masquerading as the victim. They may also alter a message really from the victim, making it appear that they have said nasty things or shared secrets with others.

A couple of things that children and teens who are involved in cyberbullying need to remember are that it's against the law and they can be prosecuted and that the people who do the bullying sometimes become the victims.

Cowboys

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evening.

Please go out and support the senior Cowboys one more time. They will be playing with young men from Taylor County, Lafayette County, Suwannee County, Chiefland, Bell, Trenton, and Dixie County. They will play against young men from Columbia, Union, Baker, Bradford, Fort White, Newberry and Hamilton County.

Scam Alert

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According to the caller, the paver did a shoddy job and the work was uncompleted. An area that had been paved was filled with water, according to the caller.

The caller said that he had tried to call the number on the man's business card and the phone number was not in service.

The caller also said that he contacted the neighbor, who was supposed to have referred the paver to him, about it and the neighbor said that he didn't refer anyone to the paver and that the paver had done shoddy work at his home also.

If an unsolicited serviceman comes to your home, trying to sell goods or services, please call the Madison County Sheriff's Office at (850) 973-4001 or the Madison Police Department at (850) 973-5077.

Judge Parker

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trial court component of the judicial branch budget. The Commission is directly responsible for recommending budgeting and funding policies and procedures for the trial court budget, in order to support a trial court system that will effectively carry out the administration of justices in all trial courts throughout the State of Florida.

Judge Parker, elected in 2008, is one of the seven circuit judges having jurisdiction throughout the Third Judicial Circuit of Florida which is comprised of Columbia, Dixie, Hamilton, Lafayette, Madison, Suwannee and Taylor Counties.

Judge Parker is currently primarily assigned to preside over the circuit civil and felony criminal dockets in both Madison and Hamilton Counties.

San Pedro

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Barrs and Judy Blanton are now helping to coordinate these efforts.

Please make checks payable to Teri Barrs, 14987 SW County Road 14, Greenville, FL 32331.

Red, White And True Mysteries

Highland Dale Was The Most Famous Actor "Of His Type"

Highland Dale was one of the most popular stars in Hollywood during his hayday. Like many Hollywood stars, Highland Dale was known by his stage name.

Highland Dale was born on a horse farm in Missouri in 1943, and he lived to the ripe old age of 29. Yet his show business career began when he was barely two years old!

His birth name was taken from his parents' names. His father was Liberty Dale and his mother was Marian Highland. They were unmarried at the time Highland was born; in fact, that was pretty common

among Hollywood couples of this type.

A man named Ralph McCutcheon discovered him and turned him into a star. Highland Dale starred in a number of major movies, including Gypsy Colt, Giant (in which he co-starred with Elizabeth Taylor) and Outlaw Stallion.

He also had his own TV show called Fury from 1955 to 1960, and he guest-starred on shows such as The Monkees, Bonanza and National Velvet.

This award-winning actor earned \$5,000 per week, which was a lot of money during the 1950's

and 1960's, especially for someone of his type.

In fact, he was probably the biggest star among his type, before or since. If his name still doesn't ring a bell, it will in a minute.

You probably noticed that many of Highland Dale's movies and TV shows included a horse. That's because he was the horse in those movies, and like a lot of Hollywood stars, he went by his stage name.

You knew him as Fury. He was one of five horses used in the title role of that show. Since Fury was one of the smartest actors of his

type in Hollywood (and by "his type," I mean horses), he was the one that was used for tricks in the show.

He could untie a knot, open a door, laugh, play dead, walk lame and whinny on command. He could even grab a boy by the back of his shirt and pull him backwards.

His most famous role, though, was that of the black Saddlebred stallion known as ... Black Beauty.

Like I said in the very first sentence of this story, Highland Dale was one of the most popular stars in Hollywood during his hayday. Hayday, get it?

A true friend is someone who knows you're a good egg even if you're a little cracked.

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Obituaries

Carrie Carolyn Taylor Clayton

Carrie Carolyn Taylor Clayton, age 98, died Tuesday, January 11, 2011, in Greenville.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, January 14, 2011, at Beggs Funeral Home Madison Chapel with burial at Evergreen Cemetery in Greenville. The family received friends at the funeral home from 5-7 p.m. Thursday.

She was born in Greenville, Florida on July 12, 1912, where she lived all of her life. She was a homemaker and liked to fish and grow flowers. She was a member of Greenville Baptist Church.

She is survived by two daughters, Shirley Brown (Evans) of Greenville and Barbara Stokley (Jack) of Monticello; a daughter-in-law, Joann Clayton of Lake City; a sister-in-law, Lillian Taylor of Perry, two sisters, Kathleen Floyd of Brooksville and Edwina "Dot" Bailey of Greenville; two grandchildren, Damon Clayton of Tallahassee and Lisa Holton of Greenville; three great-grandchildren; and a great-great grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Dock Clayton; a son, James Harrison Clayton; two brothers, Carl Taylor and Luther Taylor; and two sisters, Berta Mugge and Ida Mae Roberts.

Kenneth Woodrow Kinard

Kenneth Woodrow Kinard, age 93, died Monday, January 10, 2011 in Dowling Park, Florida.

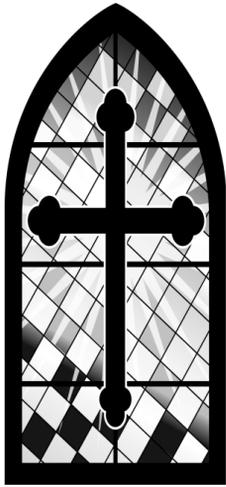
Graveside Funeral services will be 2:00 Tuesday, January, 18, 2011 at Bixler Memorial Gardens East, Dowling Park, Florida.

He was born March 25, 1917 in Americus, Georgia. He moved to Dowling Park in 1984 after living in Madison, Lake Wales and West Texas. He was a veteran of World War II. He was a teacher and taught exceptional children.

He was a member of Bixler Memorial Advent Christian Church.

He is survived by 1 daughter: Verna Marie Knox (Timothy) of Dowling Park, Florida.

Donations may be made to Advent Christian Village, Dowling Park, Florida.



COMMUNITY CALENDAR

January 15

The Bradys will be in concert at Sirmans Baptist Church, 168 SW Sirmans Church Way, on Saturday, Jan. 15, at 6 p.m.

January 19

Three Rivers Legal Services will offer free civil legal services to low-income and other eligible citizens at the Madison County Senior Center on Wednesday, Jan. 19, from 9:30-11 a.m. Please call 1-800-495-0039 to schedule an appointment.

January 22

The Brian Norris Group will be in concert at 7 p.m. at New Macedonia Baptist Church, south of Greenville on US 221. A chicken pileau dinner will be served at 6 p.m. Free admission. A love offering will be received during the concert for the Brian Norris Group.

January 24, 25 and 31

Are you ready for homeownership? Learn about the steps you need to take to achieve homeownership in the home buying series, which begins Monday, Jan. 24, at 6 p.m. Upon completion, participants receive a certificate that is required for SHIP assistant and rural development loans. To register, call the Madison County Extension Service at (850) 973-4138.

Every First And Third Monday

Consolidated Christian Ministries, located at 799-C SW Pinckney Street in Madison has changed their food distribution give-out days. Food will now be given out on the first and third Mondays of each month from 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m. to those who have signed up and qualified in accordance with USDA guidelines. Anyone can come in and see if they qualify and sign up on the following days: Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday from 9 a.m.-11:45 a.m.

First Wednesday of Each Month

Alzheimer's Caregivers Group, 12:30-2 p.m. First United Methodist Church, Madison. (850) 973-6295.

Pet Spotlight Swanny



Age: 2 months
Breed: Bulldog/Mix
Color: White/Brindle
Sex: Female
Size: Medium
Spayed/Neutered: Will be prior to adoption

Swanny is a beautiful bulldog-mix puppy. She is very loving and enjoys being held. She is a friendly puppy and just needs some extra special love and care. She is perfect for a family with a yard for her to play in. She enjoys chew toys and running outside. She is timid at first, but once she gets to know you, she is very friendly.

Gypsy



Age: 2 months
Breed: Domestic Shorthair/Mix
Color: Black
Sex: Female
Size: Medium
Spayed/Neutered: Will be prior to adoption

Gypsy is a loving kitten who enjoys being played with. She is still young, so she is adventurous. She is a friendly kitten who, with some patience, could be good around other pets. She loves being played with and enjoys small toys and strings. She would be a great pet for any family.

Holly



Age: 2 months
Breed: Retriever, Labrador/Mix
Color: Black
Sex: Female
Size: Medium
Spayed/Neutered: Will be prior to adoption

Holly is one of a litter of puppies that were brought into Suwannee Valley Humane Society. Holly loves being chased through the yard and playing with toys. She is perfect for a family that is looking for a pet that is great with kids and loves to be played with. Holly's brothers and sisters, Jolly, Jingle and Jangle are also looking for homes.

For information on these and many more animals in need, please contact the Suwannee Valley Humane Society at 850-971-9904

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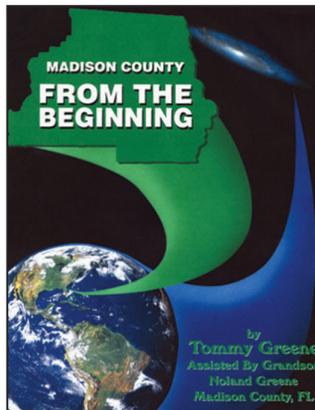
By Jacob Bembry
Greene Publishing, Inc.

Local author Tommy Greene will speak at the Madison County Historical Society meeting on Sunday, Jan. 16, at the meeting room at the Madison County Public Library.

Greene will be discussing his book *Madison County: From the Beginning*. The book features history of Madison County, from pre-historic times to the present. The book is filled with photographs, as well as beautiful pen and ink drawings done by Greene himself.

The meeting will begin at 2:30 p.m. The public library is located next to the campus of North Florida Community College, under the shadows of the Van H. Priest Auditorium.

Copies of the book are available at the *Greene Publishing, Inc.* office, located at 1695 South Highway 53 in Madison, and at Owens Propane, located directly to the east of the Courthouse in downtown Madison.



Meeting To Be Held For Those Interested In Daughters Of Destiny And Francis Gary Lodge

The Daughters of Destiny #635 and Francis Gary Lodge #433 (International Free & Accepted Modern Masons, Inc. & Order of the Eastern Star) will be hosting an interest meeting on Saturday, Jan. 15, at the

Madison County Public Library, 378 NW College Loop, Madison (located near North Florida Community College) from noon until 2 p.m.

If anyone has a desire to become part of the Order of the Eastern

Star, Daughters of Destiny #635, or the Francis Gary Masonic Lodge #433, the groups look forward to seeing them at the public library.

For more information, call Gloria J. Randall at (850) 464-4945.

Way Back When

January 17, 1941

Will Smith, who recently had his eye removed, is getting along nicely at this writing.

Mrs. B.M. Kent is announcing the marriage of her youngest daughter, Walter Belle, to Joseph A. Doyle, of Jersey City, N.J. The ceremony took place in Jacksonville on Saturday, Dec. 31.

Lee High School defeated Madison High School in two games of basketball at the local court Tuesday night. Lee girls won 53-9 and Lee boys won 15-10.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pinson spent Sunday visiting friends at Camp Blanding, Ga.

January 12, 1951

Mr. W.W. Dice reported this week that he saw a sight last week he had never seen before in his life: that of six rattlesnakes plowed up by Mr. Allan Sessions, who was breaking land on Mr. Tucker Bass' place. Two were uncovered one day and four the next. They were sizeable snakes, having from six to 16 rattles each.

Jean and Margaret Gay accompanied their father to Moultrie, Ga. on Sunday.

Louise Brown had her tonsils removed during the holidays.

The Saturday double feature at the Woodard Theatre will feature Bill Boyd as Hopalong Cassidy in *Silent Conflict* and John Payne and Sonny Tufts in *The Crooked Way*.

January 13, 1961

The Beggs building, at the corner

of Base and Range Streets, formerly known as Hancock Hotel and later Town Square Inn, has been sold by Mrs. W.E. Winter and Mrs. Ralph Reddick to Mr. and Mrs. O.J. McNeil. Final papers were to be negotiated this Thursday afternoon.

Edward B. Musser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Musser, is now stationed in Little Rock, Ark. He graduated from Air Force Technical School in Amarillo, Texas, with a 97 percent average and was a candidate for the American Spirit of Honor Award.

Howard Studstill, Thed Fraleigh and Mellous Moore have spent about five weeks in Jacksonville on federal grand jury.

Rev. O'Neal McCullough left Friday for Miami, where he has been assigned to gospel work with Cuban refugees.

January 15, 1971

Bernard Wilson, Blalock Raines and W.B. "Jargo" Clark were recognized at Rotary for their perfect attendance during 1970.

Dr. Stanley Marshall, FSU president, will make a brief tour of the North Florida Junior College campus before he speaks at the Woman's Club luncheon.

R.E. Cowart has been in Jacksonville this past week with his brother, Stanton, who is seriously ill.

Winn-Dixie price check: two dozen large eggs, 89 cents; roast, 47 cents a pound; eight cans of Campbell's soup, \$1; Saltine crackers, one pound box, 22 cents.

JA To Host Father-Daughter Dance

The Junior Auxiliary of Madison County presents "Masquerade," the Third Annual Father-Daughter Dance on Saturday, Feb. 12, from 6-8 p.m. at the Madison Woman's Club.

Tickets are \$10 per Gent for a fa-

ther to bring up to three daughters.

The ticket price includes a 5" x 7" portrait taken at the event.

Tickets for the dance are available at Madison County Community Bank, Wachovia Bank and Odiorne Insurance.

Extension Service Offering Master Gardener Program

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Are you an experienced gardener and just want to nurture your keen interest in horticulture? Maybe you just like being outside.

If any of these apply to you, then you may be interested in the Florida Master Gardener program offered by the Madison County Extension Service.

Members of the Master Gardener program are provided with a minimum of fifty

hours of in-depth horticultural training in a variety of topics.

In return, graduates give at least seventy-five volunteer hours helping the local Extension program.

Master Gardener volunteers help the county Extension office in many ways: answering garden related phone

calls from homeowners, staffing plant clinics, working with 4-H youth, helping with school gardens, and many others.

For more information, contact Covey Washington or Heidi Waller at (850) 973-4138 for an application. The deadline for receiving applications is February 25.

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The USDA, Rural Housing Service has received an application for financial assistance from Town of Greenville. The proposal consists of construction of a new Wastewater Treatment Plant.

As required by the National Environmental Policy Act and agency regulations, the Rural Housing Service prepared an Environmental Assessment of the proposal that assessed the potential environmental effects of the proposal and the effect of the proposal may have on historic properties. The Environmental Assessment was published on March 17, 2010 for a 30-day public comment period. No responses were received. Upon consideration of the applicant's proposal, federal and state environmental regulatory and natural resource agencies, and public input, the agency has determined that the proposal will not have a significant effect on the human environment and for which an Environment Impact Statement will not be prepared.

Copies of the Environmental Assessment can be reviewed or obtained at USDA/RD Lake City Area III office, 971 W Duval St. Ste 190, Lake City, Florida 32055-3736. For further information, please contact Steven Dicks, 386-719-5590.

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Helping To Engage Your Child In Learning Through Research Projects



The School Bell

By Doris Murdoch
Madison County Central School Media Specialist

Has this happened to you? Your child comes home from school and states that he/she has a report or project to do. The enthusiasm is there, but the child doesn't know where to begin. Immediately, the child is thinking about the end result; this end result or product may be a poster, a PowerPoint slideshow; a model; or a written paper.

We, as parents, often envision the end result just as our children do rather than looking at the process, which is where most of the learning takes place. The final product is just the reward in the learning

process. Before a project can be produced or completed, there are several steps that we, as parents and teachers, must engage the child in:

- immersion in the topic of research;
- organizing and coming up with a project plan;
- and gathering the facts or research.

After completing these steps, we are now ready to assist our child in the product of research or the final project. The formula for research given in this article is appropriate for grades 2-8. When you first hear about the project-research assignment, the parent may want to ask a few questions like:

"What class or subject is this for...science, social studies, reading, etc.?"

"Did your teacher give you an outline or handout

for the project?"

"Did the teacher give you a list of suggested topics?"

"Is the topic for the project in your textbook?"

"Are you reading a book in class about the topic?"

"Have you watched any videos/DVD's at school about the topic?"

"Is this a group project?" If so, "Who is in your group?"

If the answer is no on these questions, then you may want to take the responsibility of helping your child come up with a topic. I suggest to my students to be different; don't choose a topic that everybody else would choose.

To aid in coming up with a topic, immerse your child in the area of study in order to give them ideas to consider in the topic selection.

And now you ask, "How do I immerse my child?" Read books together on the subject. Watch a movie or TV documentary together on the subject. Sit down at a computer together and Google the subject from a home computer or a public library computer. Discuss and help your child narrow down the subject to a topic that is not too broad. For example, narrow "weather" down to the topic of "hurricanes;" instead of the topic of "solar sys-

tem", narrow down to the topic of "Mars." Narrow the subject of "animals" down to the topic of "lions." "African Americans" could be narrowed down to the topic of "Harriett Tubman". The subject of "disasters" could be narrowed down to the "Challenger disaster."

Once the topic of research has been established, help your child put a plan together for the project. Identify the due dates for the various stages of the project. Mark those dates on a home calendar. On that date, be sure your child turns in the required portion of the project.

Now that you have a plan for due dates, you and your child will need to make a plan for the research. Take the topic of research and identify three areas or subtopics for research. For example, if it is a biography of a person, the three subtopics might be childhood, young adult years, and adulthood.

A project on an animal might have the three subtopics of: description of the animal; diet or food; and habitat or home. I recommend organizing according to the criteria of the Florida Writes or FCAT Writing (introduction, three subtopics, and conclusion). If the child organizes this way, the final writing of the essay or report will flow smoothly. Once the subtopics are established, you and your child are ready to take notes from the research.

In school, a child is going to use a graphic organizer in taking notes. You may remember using an outline format or index cards in taking notes. A parent can use a similar technique. Take a sheet of paper and fold so there are three sections. Each section can be used for taking notes on the three subtopics.

If your child is advanced in computer skills, the same technique can be used on electronic paper in a word processing program. Remember, note-fats are words and phrases, not complete sentences. If the student takes notes in words and phrases, plagiarism or copying can be avoided. Requiring five to ten note-facts for each subtopic is recommended.

Now, you have a plan, so start the research and note-taking. As a teacher, I suggest that students use a book, an encyclopedia and the internet in doing research. Madison County Schools provide all stu-

dents with an encyclopedia, www.worldbookonline.com (username mcresearch, password password). Books are available for checkout at the school library and the public library.

The public library also provides access to various online databases and public computers for internet usage. Once your child has the note-facts completed, he or she is ready to write a report or create their project, all depending on what the teacher has assigned.

The basic formula for the Florida Writes or FCAT Writing is five paragraphs with the first paragraph being an introductory paragraph, the next three paragraphs are subtopic paragraphs and the last paragraph is a conclusion paragraph. The introductory paragraph includes a main idea sentence and introduces the three subtopics to be discussed in the essay

or report. Paragraph two discusses subtopic one; paragraph three discusses subtopic two; and paragraph four discusses subtopic three.

The final paragraph is the conclusion paragraph that brings the topic of research altogether. The final paragraph is a strong paragraph because it moves the reader to appreciate or remember the topic of research. This process is the same in all writing. As the writer matures, the subtopics increase in number and the writing structure and vocabulary become more advanced.

When students write and/or create projects from their own research, they develop ownership. They become creators of new knowledge. Engaged students and creators of new knowledge become energetic researchers and lifelong learners.

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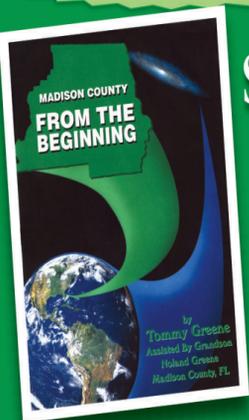
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BEWARE OF GLARE FOR SAFETY

(NAPSI)-Good vision is an essential part of driving safely, and more than 90 percent of decisions and reactions made behind the wheel depend on it. While many believe a bright, sunny day is optimal for driving, the reality is that blinding glare from sun, snow and vehicles can be a significant contributing factor to fatal auto accidents. Additionally, a recent survey commissioned by Essilor of America, Inc., the world leader in eyeglass lenses, revealed the disturbing fact that 20 percent of eyeglass wearers sometimes drive without their prescription glasses and instead wear nonprescription sunglasses, quickly making day driving unnecessarily treacherous.

Glare Dangers

When driving, consider the following tips to minimize dangers from glare.

- Drive carefully and keep a safe distance between your car and the car ahead of you.
- Keep your car's windshield clean.
- Use the sun visor.
- Rest your eyes and take frequent breaks during sunny conditions.
- Purchase a pair of polarized, prescription sunglasses if you wear eyeglasses, as they cut the glare much more effectively than over-the-counter sunglasses.

The Importance Of Polarized Lenses

For blinding glare when driving, simple solutions abound in the form of polarized, prescription sunglasses. In fact, a clinical study conducted by Essilor as a precursor to the survey found that driver reaction times improve by one-third of a second for drivers who wear polarized lenses. For a car traveling 50 miles per hour, one-third of a second allows a driver to stop 23 feet sooner, or the length of an intersection. In glare-intense situations, polarized lenses, improve vision clarity by 75 percent, as opposed to ordinary sun lenses, allowing wearers to enjoy better clarity of vision.

Sixty percent of eyeglass wearers surveyed agree that when driving during the day, glare from sun and snow makes it difficult to see while driving; however, those with prescription sunglasses, particularly those with polarized lenses experience less trouble. Currently, only one-third of eyeglass wearers have prescription sunglasses with polarized lenses, so it's critical that consumers discuss with their eye care professionals the lifesaving benefits of polarized, prescription sunglasses.

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Happenings At Madison First Baptist Church

By Nell Dobbs



This month, all month, is a "Season of Refreshing - Toward a New Start With New Hearts" A fitting song, verse 1, "There Shall Be Seasons of Blessing," says, "There shall be seasons refreshing, Sent from the Savior above" and the chorus: "Showers of blessing, showers of blessing we need, Mercy drops round us are falling, But for the showers we plead."

We are so blessed! Beautiful flowers were placed in church by Sue Downing in honor and appreciation of our church choir. We are indeed blessed by the choir and the orchestra and Jim has a time with them and all of us - he wants "Smiley Faces" - and he said Mark wanted to direct their special, "Over in Glory Land," which he did.

Our preacher Sunday was Pastor Loy W. Reed of Macclenny (and wife Glenda) and his message in John was really about God's plan for how Jesus came and why and that we really are adopted into His Family and have been specially chosen. We are to go and tell so that others may come to love Him in order for us to be together forever in His Family.

As we studied in Sunday School about Elijah as he said to God's people: "How long will you halt between two opinions? If God is God, follow him" and the people answered him not a word. There is a time to speak and there is a time not to speak and we need to be wise.

In looking for one of Marjell's books to give to our special friends, Bryan

and April Phillips, as he was ordained Sunday, Jan. 9, at Midway Baptist, I found 6,000 Sermon Illustrations by Elon Foster, a book I gave him long ago, I think. In it was an article by Charles Spurgeon, "Exhortation to Action": *Let not your exertions and, in tears, mere weeping will do nothing without action. Get on your feet: ye that have voices and might, go forth and preach the gospel; preach it in every street and lane of this huge city; ye that have wealth, go forth and spend it for the poor and sick and needy and dying, the uneducated, the unenlightened; ye that have time, go forth and spend it in deeds of goodness; ye that have power in prayer; go forth and pray; ye that can handle the pen, go forth and write down iniquity - every one to his post; every one of you to your gun in this day of battle; now for God and for His truth; for God and for the right; let every one of us who knows the Lord seek to fight under His banner.* Amen, I say!

Bryan's ordination was Preacher Jeff Bailey's first ordination, and it was very touching. "Nail it down," he said over and over as he used Isaiah 41 for his message. Much love and many prayers were prayed for both of them as they are new "Preachers of the Word" with all that entails. And to say again, Midway Baptist is part of my family history as Mother's oldest sister, Aunt Lola, and Preacher/Teacher Uncle James Conner was preacher there and teacher at Enterprise School. He died Dec. 8, 1924 of pneumonia.

Prayers of comfort for all the family of Mrs. Dot Pridgeon. She was such a smart, loving, lovable person and friend; for Sabrina Graves Hammock; for those who lost lives in Tuscon, all those "bad-hurt" and their families; plus all others in so many other situations, all over the world; comfort for Mikey Wilson and family in the death of her brother, Mr. Conley and family.

There are ill ones among us and we pray for them and their families: Preacher Manning Hicks with bad back and also losing his brother, Chatman; Gina Rutherford's mother, Sheila Denson; Damon Fico, appendectomy; Mary Lou Surles; and on and on and on the long list goes - each person very important and loved.

Such a blessing to talk with Billie Hamrick and Yvonne Plain at ASCS on Monday.

We pray for the Lottie Moon offering of \$3,609.80 as it is used in God's work; for the Ladies' Bible Study Group; for realizing the Sanctity of Life and gifts of money for the pregnancy center; for SAM's collection of items for the Florida Baptist Children's Home; for the brotherhood supper meeting Jan. 18 at Pinet; and all that is done to reach those in need! Amen!

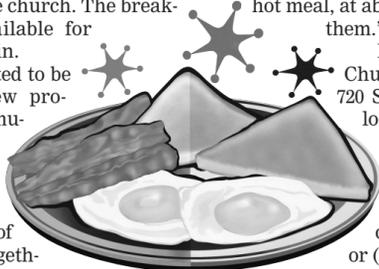
Bible Deliverance Church Serving Up A Free Hot Breakfast

On Saturday, January 15, at 9 a.m., stop by Bible Deliverance Church in Madison for a free hot breakfast, sponsored by the Men's Fellowship of the church. The breakfast will be available for take-out or dine in.

"We are excited to be offering this new program to the community," Bryant Thigpen stated. "Every third Saturday of the month, the men of the church get together

and does an outstanding job preparing and serving the best breakfast in town. We invite everyone in the community to come out and enjoy a nice hot meal, at absolutely no cost to them."

Bible Deliverance Church is located at 720 SW Range Avenue, located by the cotton gin and in front of Farmer's Co-op. For more information, please call (850) 464-0114 or (850) 973-4622.



Brian Norris Group To Appear At New Macedonia Baptist Church

By Jacob Bembry
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The Brian Norris Group will appear live in a gospel concert at New Macedonia Baptist Church on Saturday, Jan. 22, at 7 p.m.

Prior to the sing, there will be a free chicken pileau dinner. The dinner

will begin at 6 p.m.

New Macedonia Baptist Church is located on U.S. 221, south of Greenville.

For more information, please call 948-5421 or 948-5422.

Admission is free to the sing. A love offering will be accepted.

Youth Rally Scheduled For Jan. 15

By Jacob Bembry
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Merv Mattair will be the guest speaker at the Church of God in Christ, Rocky Springs Missionary Baptist Church, St. James Missionary Baptist Church and new artist Akista Hankins will be the special musical guests at the youth rally on Jan. 15.

Entitled "Youth of Madison County STEP UP!", the rally will be held at the Van H. Priest Auditorium on the campus of North Florida Community College from 6-8 p.m.

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Panthers Beat Stingrays

By Ben Pickels, Head Coach
Madison Academy

The Madison Academy Panthers stepped onto the court Jan. 4 for their first time in 2011 to play against a tough Steinhatchee team.

The Steinhatchee Stingrays would be the first to score, right from tip off. This wouldn't slow the Panthers' spirit as Tyler Zimmerly battled in the paint, being the top scorer with seven points.

At halftime, the Panthers would have the lead by two points as the score stood, Madison Academy with 14 and Steinhatchee with 12.

The Panthers would finally put the game away

in the second half with some very aggressive defense.

Jim Flournoy would rally with six consecutive points in the fourth quarter to push the Panthers past the Stingrays 29-22.

Tyler Zimmerly would finish the game with seven points along with Jim Flournoy and Will Floyd

both finishing with six points.

John Flournoy and Jesse Smith would both score four points each and Michael McCamman would finish the game with two points.

The Panthers were also led to victory by Hunter Holman, Ross Bass, Steven Miller, Jacob Hanners, and Dorian Alberti.



Photo submitted by Cathy Rogers

Hunter Holman tries to maneuver through the Stingray defense, assisted by Tyler Zimmerly.



Photo submitted by Cathy Rogers

The Madison Academy Panthers' basketball team is pictured. Top row, left to right: Dorian Alberti, Tyler Zimmerly, Jim Flournoy, Michael McCamman, Hunter Holman and Coach Ben Pickels. Bottom, row left to right: Jesse Smith, Will Floyd, John Flournoy, Steven Miller, Ross Bass and Jacob Hanners.

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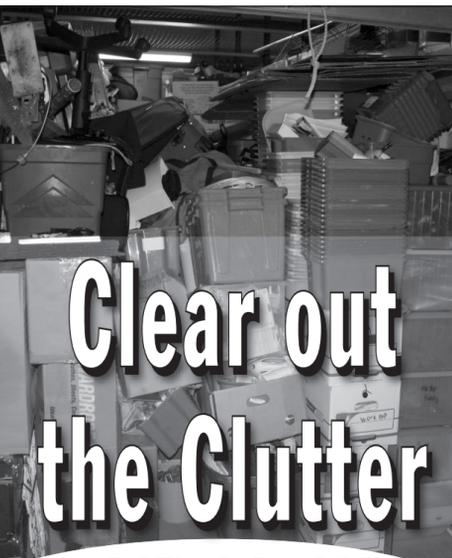
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MADISON, FLORIDA

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that MARGARET & MARK SULLIVAN, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and name in which it is assessed is as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 07-211-TD
YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2007
NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: KENNETH R SR & MARY E MYERS
PARCEL ID: 05-1S-11-1501-025-000

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Lot 25 of TWIN RIVER OAKS SUBDIVISION, as per the plat thereof filed at Plat Book 1, Page "T", of the Public Records of Madison County, Florida.

All of said property being in the County of Madison, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to the law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the west front door at the Madison County Courthouse on the 7th day of February 2011 at 11:00 a.m.

Dated this 5th day of January 2011.

TIM SANDERS
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
MADISON COUNTY
MADISON, FLORIDA

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CERTIFICATE NO: 07-416-TD
YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2007
NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: KENNETH R SR & MARY E MYERS
PARCEL ID: 28-1N-07-2545-000-000

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Commence at the Northwest corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 28, Township 1 North, Range 7 East, Madison County, Florida and run South 00 13' 21" East 692.0 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING, from said POINT OF BEGINNING, run North 89 46' 39" East 298.51 feet to the West right of way of State Road 55 (US221), thence South 01 04' East along said right of way 144.61 feet to a point of curve to the left, thence along said curve with a chord of South 14 55' 42" East 705.52 feet, thence leaving said right of way run South 89 46' 39" West 479.74 feet, thence North 00 13' 21" West 827.0 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING, containing 6.64 acres in the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 28, Township 1 North; Range 7 East, Madison County, Florida.

All of said property being in the County of Madison, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to the law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the west front door at the Madison County Courthouse on the 7th day of February 2011 at 11:00 a.m.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING: The District Board of Trustees of North Florida Community College will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday, January 18, 2011 at 5:30 p.m. in the NFCC Board Room, NFCC, 325 NW Turner Davis Dr., Madison, FL. A copy of the agenda may be obtained by writing: NFCC, Office of the President, 325 NW Turner Davis Dr., Madison, FL 32340. For disability-related accommodations, contact the NFCC Office of College Advancement, 850-973-1653. NFCC is an equal access/equal opportunity employer.

1/14/11

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND
FOR MADISON COUNTY FLORIDA

ARTHUR GLEN SMITH
Plaintiff,

vs.
GWENDOLYN A WEATHERSPOON et al.,
Defendant.

CASE NO.: 10-112-CA

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Default Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated 12-21-10, in the above referenced case in which ARTHUR GLEN SMITH is Plaintiff, and GWENDOLYN A WEATHERSPOON, unknown tenants; and other unknown parties in possession, including the unknown spouse of any person in possession of the property, and if named Defendant is deceased, the surviving spouse, heirs, devisees, grantees, creditors, and all other parties claiming by, through, under or against that Defendant, and all claimants, persons or parties natural or corporate, or described Defendants. I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in the Madison County Courthouse in Madison, Florida as the Clerk of the Court may direct provided that said sale must be commenced 11:00 A.M. on the 11 day of February, 2011, the following described property set forth in the Default Final Judgment of Foreclosure:

Lot No. 3 of Crestwood Subdivision, a minor subdivision in the West half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 26, Township 1 North, Range 9 East, Madison County, Florida. As per plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1, Page C, Public Records of Madison County, Florida

Any and all bidders, parties or other interested persons shall contact the information desk of the Clerk of the Court prior to the scheduled foreclosure sale.

ANY PERSON CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE SURPLUS FROM THE SALE IF ANY OTHERS THAN THE PROPERTY OWNER AS OF THE DATE OF THE LIS PENDENS MUST FILE A CLAIM WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER THE SALE.

WITNESS my hand and the official seal of said Court, this 3rd day of January, 2011 at Madison, Madison County, Florida.

(COURT SALE)

HONORABLE TIM SANDERS
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
MADISON COUNTY, FLORIDA

/s/ Monica Taibl
Monica Taibl
Attorney for the Plaintiff
P.O. Box 836
Madison, FL 32341
Phone: (850) 973-1477
FL Bar 035058

by: /s/ Karen Holman
as Deputy Clerk

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1/7, 1/14/11

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND
FOR MADISON COUNTY FLORIDA

ARTHUR GLEN SMITH
Plaintiff,

vs.
GWENDOLYN WRIGHT HALL AND YOLANDA SMITH et al.,
Defendant.

CASE NO.: 10-113-CA

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Lots 1, 14 and 15 of Block "D" as shown by map of VICKERS ADDITION TO THE Town of Madison, (now the City of Madison), Florida

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WITNESS my hand and the official seal of said Court, this 3rd day of January, 2011 at Madison, Madison County, Florida.

(COURT SALE)

HONORABLE TIM SANDERS
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
MADISON COUNTY, FLORIDA

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An informational meeting detailing the CAMP LEJEUNE WATER CONTAMINATION effects will be held

When: Saturday, January 15, 2011
Time: 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Where: Tampa Marriott Westshore 1001 N. Westshore Blvd.

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The Week Of January 14 - January 20, 2010

Friday January 14	Saturday January 15	Sunday January 16
12:30 AM	1:10 AM	1:55 AM
*6:30 AM	*7:20 AM	*8:10 AM
12:45 PM	1:30 PM	2:20 PM
*6:55 PM	*7:40 PM	*8:35 PM

Moon Phases:

- New Moon: Jan. 4
- Last Qtr: Jan. 26
- First Qtr: Jan. 12
- New Moon: Feb. 3
- Full Moon: Jan. 19

Monday January 17	Tuesday January 18	Wednesday January 19	Thursday January 20
2:50 AM	3:45 AM	4:50 AM	5:30 AM
*9:00 AM	*9:55 AM	*10:45 AM	*11:50 AM
3:10 PM	4:10 PM	4:55 PM	6:00 PM
*9:30 PM	*10:30 PM	*11:15 PM	

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