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'Liberty And Justice For All' Brown Lays Out Vision For Sheriff's Office

BY DEANNA HENDRICH
Staff Reporter

There's a new sheriff in town, and the story behind that has been years in the making.

On July 25, Kent Oberkrom retired as Henry County Sheriff after filling that role for 27 years and serving longer than any of the previous office holders. He, along with his wife Diane, received a warm sendoff from family, friends and colleagues the evening before he retired. Oberkrom then immediately reported for his next full-time job as a governor-appointed member of the Missouri Board of Probation & Parole in Jefferson City.

Also on July 25, Aaron Brown took his oath of office as the new sheriff, officially assuming duty at 12:01 a.m. the following day. (Brown had been running uncontested in the county primary election set for August 6.) Brown said he had set his sights on the role of sheriff five years ago, but some could say the seed was planted much earlier when he was a 14-year-old kid from Montrose.

Brown, now 35, explained that a program called Explorers gave youth interested in law enforcement the chance to take part in



CHANGING OF THE GUARD, Aaron Brown succeeded longtime Sheriff Kent Oberkrom on July 26 at 12:01 AM. Henry County's new top law enforcement leader told the Democrat, "I'm driven by community policing and finding ways to work with all individuals and treating each other with compassion."

hands-on activities ranging from finger printing to photography to search and rescue. No matter the activity, Brown said, the Oberkroms were an encouraging presence.

In 2010, Brown became the first black deputy in the Henry County Sheriff's Department when Kent Oberkrom offered him a full-time position. Brown continued to work for the department while attending the University of Central Missouri. Most

recently, he worked for the Johnson County Sheriff's Department as undersheriff.

The role of sheriff looks quite different in 2024 than it did when Oberkrom was first elected. He began with 12 employees and retired with 40. In the beginning, traditional law enforcement required about 60 percent of his time and administration the remaining 40 percent. When he left, he said the ratio was closer to 80 percent and 20 per-

cent. In later years when he made a traffic stop, he joked that "one or two deputies would show up to make sure I knew what I was doing."

For Brown, stepping into the position of sheriff is different in another significant way: He is the first black sheriff to serve Henry County and one of only four black sheriffs in the entire state.

He said that during his 14 years in law enforcement, **Sheriff Page 3**

The Winner! Shoemaker Is Ag Person Of The Year



GENERATIONS IN THE MAKING, Stanton Shoemaker has been named Ag Person of the Year by the Clinton Chamber of Commerce. A 5th generation farmer, Shoemaker accepted his award with family members including Kyle and Katelynne Clizer and Eric and Janet Shoemaker.

The 'Ag Person of Year' 2024 presentation at the 51st annual Greater Clinton Chamber of Commerce Agriculture Appreciation Dinner.

"Since 1974, the Chamber has honored 50 Agriculture businessmen and women and some couples. You can see that some have been farmers. Some have been business owners and some both. Some have been veterinarians, bankers, and Ag teachers.

The goal is to try to make this a surprise for the recipients. Sometimes that works, sometimes it doesn't. And it doesn't take too many sentences before everyone figures out who we are honoring

This year's recipient is a 5th generation farmer and has been farming for over 40 years. For 7 years, he was an ag equipment dealer from 1994-2001. In 1993 he purchased acreage that has been in the family since 1922. Sounds like a candidate for the Century Farms program.

He farms with his father and a nephew who has chosen farming as a career and helps keep this operation still all in the family. They row crop 4000 acres and have a cow/calf operation. His father and grandfather are both listed here as recipients of this award in the past.

So with this information, it's probably apparent that the 2024 Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce Ag

Business Person of the year is Stanton Shoemaker.

In addition to his busy farming schedule, Stanton has served on the Board of Henry County Public Water Supply District since the 2004. He is a private pilot and has served on the Clinton Regional Airport Association Board since January 2018. Stanton is very well-versed in current agricultural technology.

He has been married to Janet for over 40 years and together they have three grown children who have blessed this agriculture family with 6 beautiful grandchildren.

Congratulations Stanton.

Council Appoints Bauer To Cemetery Board

At an August 6 meeting of the Clinton City Council Gene Henry, Roger House, Cameron Jackson, Austin Jones, Gary Mount, Greg Shannon and Stacie Wilson were present. Others present were City Administrator Christy Maggi, City Clerk Wendee Sexton, City Attorney Adam Sommer, Fire Chief Mark Manuel, Deputy Fire Chief Matt Willings and Deputy Police Chief John Scott. Mayor Carla Moberly presided over the meeting. Absent was Shelley Nelson.

Following the Pledge of Allegiance, Joel Long gave an update on Clinton Regional **Council Page 11**

100 Years And Counting: Presbyterian Church Marks Centennial Of Sanctuary

BY JENNIFER JACKSON
Staff Reporter

Nine years ago, when Connie Grisier moved to Clinton, she joined the First Presbyterian Church and was given a tour of the church building by Jim Tillman, one of the church's 12 elders.

Since then, she's wondered how many people drive by the red brick church on the corner of 3rd and Franklin and wonder what it looks like inside.

"It's unique inside and out," Grisier said. "The sanctuary has a coffered ceiling, the original light fixtures and galleries."

The date on the cornerstone of the building is 1924. To mark the 100th anniversary of the building, the Presbyterian congregation is holding a special church service at 10:30 a.m. on Sept. 8, followed by a fried chicken dinner in the fellowship hall.

Grisier has been collecting records of church history, and compiling an exhibit for the Sept. 8 Anniversary Sunday, Pastor Nancy Gillard said. Gillard extended a special invitation to people who had been part of



A STORIED HISTORY OF SERVICE to Clinton, longtime members of First Presbyterian Church including Sarah Hall, Ann Booth, Mary Hubbard, Raymond Harter, Larry Brown, Donna Doll, Donna Clay, Debbie Wilson, Linda Pogue, Bryan Dehn, Renie Dehn and Sherry Himes gathered next to the sanctuary's cornerstone.

the congregation in past decades to attend the anniversary service and lunch, which will be a homecoming for the church family.

The message that Sunday will be "Faithfully Facing the Future," with the scripture reading from Ephesians Chapter 6, verse 14: "Stand firm then, with the belt of truth buckled around your waist, with the breastplate of righ-

teousness in place." The first half of Paul's letter to the church in Ephesus, one of the four largest cities in the Roman Empire, was a reminder to the church of all that God had done for them.

Grisier said she is drawn to old buildings, and would like to know more about the church building. What she does know: it was built on the plans of the

Christian Church in Harrisonville, Mo., also a Greek Revival building.

She was told the interior of the sanctuary is what is called "courtroom" style, with the choir area where the jury box would be, and spectator galleries around the back of the upper floor.

According to church records, the date on the church cornerstone, 1924, **Presbyterian Page 3**

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Have I Got A Line For You!

By James Mahlon White



These sure are strange times. I've never seen a major speech by a Presidential candidate highlighting the failures they've helped preside over. Who needs a plan for the country when Kamala is brining us platitudes and joy. Hope and change 2.0! Except now it's, "The art of the possible." What does that mean? Who knows, maybe they're trying to normalize the word salad before the big debate. Meanwhile, Kamala's campaign looks like a satire of Soviet style propaganda.

It's been five weeks since the assassination attempt on President Trump. Isn't it interesting that we still have very little information on the gunmen? Authorities say that getting definitive answers has been "Slow going" because of the volume of information they have to sift through. Sounds remarkably similar to the problem the FBI had with Hunter's lap top.

This just popped into my mind. Neither Windsor nor Warsaw was platted so it's easy to find due north or due south. Windsor follows an old trail, or so I've been told and Warsaw was laid out just up the hill from the Osage River. What should be north or south, as it is in many places, sure isn't in Warsaw. Paul Shinn told me this has caused problems over the years with various property lines. I've always found the best reference for guidance to be the Henry Lay House. It was built facing due south.

I was reading the New York Post and saw a question about an Alfred Hitchcock movie. And that brought back a memory from when I was about 8 or 9 years old and at my Grandma Murphy's home in Mission, Kansas. She had a Zenith stereo system in the corner of the living room and it played 78 records. My favorite was an album of Alfred Hitchcock short stories. One of them featured a set of tom-toms

playing for a moment. I'd sit there and keep moving the needle back to the tom-tom spot, over and over and over. It must have driven my grandparents just about crazy. But they usually ignored the tom-toms and just let me have at it.

Take care Old Buddy and stay vigilant! That's good advice any time. I wonder what the weekend will bring and hope you have a good one! Hang in there for the next mind boggling news story from our Nation's Capital.

Til Next Week:
J.M.W.

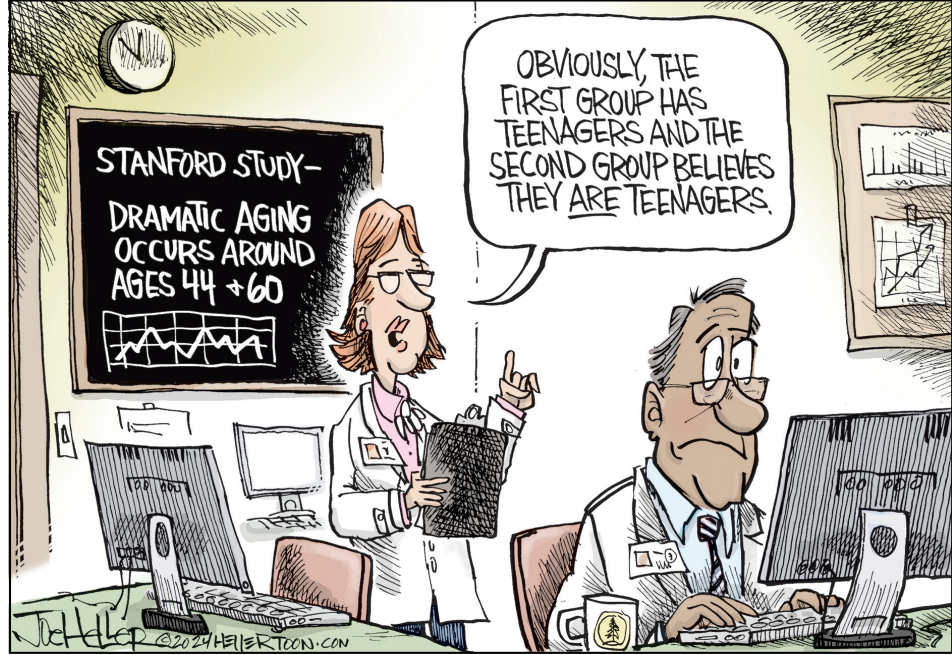
P.S. Do we have inflation? Ponder this. We don't have "Dime Stores" anymore and "Dollar Stores" are now a \$1.25.

Letter to the editor

To The Editor,
I am confused! So, in a deal with the GREENIE'S and the FED'S, KCP&L got permission to build the Itan power plant if they demolished the Montrose power plant; AND they had to start utilizing alternative sources of generation (can you say solar and wind). They didn't remove the transmission lines going to their grid in the city and were probably glad not to have to spend the millions of dollars that would have entailed. So up went Itan, down went Montrose, up went a bunch of wind turbines and then someone remembered the transmission line going to the grid in KC.

Now since we all like our air conditioning, computers, bathroom lights etc, it occurred to someone hey, since we already have a transmission line (millions of dollars we won't have to spend), let's build a new generation source down at Montrose for the aforementioned air conditioning, computers, bathroom lights etc. Now the deal was for alternative source generation, so that rules out coal, natural gas and nuclear leaving wind and solar as the options that are available. Wind requires a significant amount of construction (it takes a lot of concrete to make those things stand up) and I would bet we aren't in an area with a steady enough supply of wind to make them cost effective. And the winner is Solar. Straight forward construction, plug and play modular design, transmission lines in place, no emissions, not real pretty to look at and eventually we will need to figure out recycling.

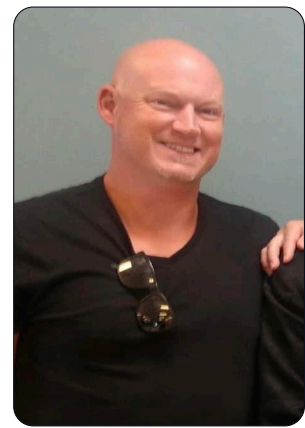
So, here's where my confusion comes in; if the people that own the ground want to sign a lease with the people that want



Get to Know Clinton, MO.

NAME: David Donavan
BIRTHPLACE: Pennsylvania
YEARS IN CLINTON: 3 Mo.
FAMILY: Wife, son.
THE BEST THING ABOUT LIVING IN CLINTON IS: Still finding out.
OCCUPATION: Contractor.
WHAT I WANTED TO BE WHEN I GREW UP: Mechanic.
FIRST JOB: Mowing lawns.
FAVORITE CHILDHOOD MEMORY: Fishing with my dad.
THE BEST TIME OF MY LIFE WAS WHEN: My son was born.
WHAT DO YOU VALUE MOST IN YOUR FRIENDS:

Personality.
YOUR GREATEST FEAR IS: Losing family.
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: I don't think it's appropriate for the public.
I HOPE I NEVER HAVE TO: Jump out of a plane.
I'VE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO: Roll my tongue.
IF I WON THE LOTTERY: Start my own company.
MY DREAM TRIP WOULD BE TO: Europe, all of it.
HOBBIES: Woodworking.
FAVORITE MUSIC: Anything Country.
FAVORITE MOVIE: Fast and Furious.
FAVORITE DRINK: Water.
FAVORITE SNACK: Chips.
FAVORITE CANDY: Snickers.



WHICH PERSON DO YOU ADMIRE MOST: My wife.
ADVICE YOU WOULD GIVE YOUR YOUNGER SELF: You can do whatever you set your mind to.
WORDS TO LIVE BY: Be yourself.

R.G.Hartner
Clinton, MO

Clinton Chamber of Commerce

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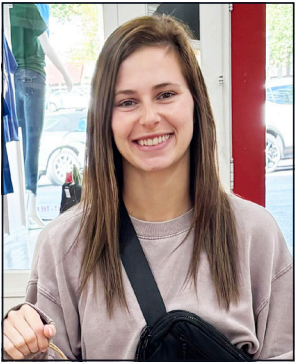
Market Report • August 21, 2024
2,416 Receipts • 2.4% Cows • Compared to last week, steers and heifers traded mostly steady. Slaughter cows traded 2-4 higher.

Steers, Med. & Lg. Frame #	Price	Rep Sales	Price
300-400 lbs.	\$310-394	17 Blk str	498# 329
400-500 lbs.	\$301-343	12 Blk str	677# 279
500-600 lbs.	\$265-316	12 Blk str	686# 280.50
600-700 lbs.	\$251-289	12 Blk str	706# 274
700-800 lbs.	\$238-274	28 Blk str	759# 257.50
800-900 lbs.	\$216-245.25	2Lds Blk/Chr	strs 784# 246.50
Small frame or fleshy str & bulls 400-700 lbs.	\$151-307.50	2Lds Blk	strs 792# 244
Heifers, Med. & Lg. Frame #1		19 Blk str	878# 239
300-400 lbs.	\$278-350	11d Blk hfrs	598# 275.50
400-500 lbs.	\$271-308	11d Mx hfrs	630# 270.25
500-600 lbs.	\$254-289	11d Mx hfrs	625# 266.50
600-700 lbs.	\$231-279	3Ld Blk/Rd hfrs	677# 261
700-800 lbs.	\$234-250.50	11d Mx hfrs	586# 276
800-900 lbs.	\$200-224	10 Blk hfrs	689# 264
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		45 Rd/Chr hfrs	744# 241

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-Emily Joyce



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-Stefanie Harding

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he has become accustomed to the second looks he receives, particularly at large-scale training for law enforcement, not only because of his race but also because of his age. He was one of two black deputies in Johnson County, and often is the only minority at the table in other settings.

"My color is the elephant in the room," he said, because frequently no one mentions it.

Even so, Brown said he found widespread community support in his hometown of Montrose. When he joined the Henry County Sheriff's Department, Oberkrom sent him to Windsor after a positive yet realistic conversation. Shortly after Brown arrived there, a local firefighter in-

troduced himself, invited him to dinner and said to call him if he ever needed anything.

"The community took care of me from day one," he said.

Oberkrom and Brown both said what has not changed in nearly three decades of running a sheriff's department is balancing budgets and securing funding. Oberkrom said grants play an important role, and sales tax initiatives have helped with operation and salary costs. Brown said he hopes for a day when deputies do not need to pay for any of their uniforms or equipment out of their own pockets.

The two also agree that technology is rapidly changing the way crimes are investigated.

PRESBYTERIAN
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is the year nine members of a building finance committee met with Pastor Monroe Falls at the manse. In the minutes recorded by Inez McKee, the committee voted to raise \$25,000 to build the church, and the church roll was brought out and divided into lists of 10 members to be given to the committee members to canvas the church membership for 5-year subscriptions.

A letter was read from Elder H.P. Faris, pledging \$5,000 if the \$25,000 was raised within 90 days, and \$6,000 if \$24,000 was raised and the old church building given for use by the Youth Church. The church sanctuary was completed for \$30,000 and opened Feb. 27, 1926.

Records show that a Presbyterian congregation in Clinton dates back to 1858. The church occupied buildings on North Third under various doctrinal shingles, including Old School (as opposed to New School), Cumberland Presbyterian and the Presbyterian Church of the U.S.A.

The First Presbyterian Church of Clinton was organized at the end of the Civil War. The congregation met for the first three years in the county courthouse.

Cumberland Presbyterian Church, which had spun off in the early 1800s after a revival in Tennessee, reunited with the Presbyterian Church/USA in 1907. The combined congregations worshipped in a frame building on the corner of 3rd and Franklin. The building was abandoned in 1913 after a fire spread on a windy day from a trash pile to a neighboring coal house, then to the church roof. The water used to put out the fire caused more damage than the fire, loosening the plaster in the ceiling of the sanctuary.

One Sunday in the middle of morning prayer, a piece of the ceiling fell on 'Old Dr. Nichols,' as he was standing to pray. As the members of the congregation held their breath, the pastor, Dr. Fetterolf, was

reported to have looked around, and when no other pieces fell, finished the prayer 'in a spirit of thanksgiving,' assumedly that the whole ceiling didn't fall in.

By Armistice Day, Nov. 11, 1918, the damaged frame building had been abandoned and sold to wreckers. The church bell lay in the middle of the wreckage. Clintonians who took the streets to celebrate the end of the Great War carried the bell off to the town square—nobody quite knows how—where everyone who passed by struck the bell, which rang all day. The city of Clinton purchased the bell on behalf of the American Legion Post. Known as the Armistice Bell, it is now in front of the American Legion Hall in Artesian Park.

While many old churches near the Square relocated and rebuilt in the 1950s, First Presbyterian was large enough to serve through years of growth and consolidation. The 1924 sanctuary was built in the Greek Revival neo-classical style popular for government buildings, banks and libraries since before the Civil War. The style is characterized by a triangular pediment across the front of the building, forming a portico with fluted columns.

The church also expanded in place, buying lots adjacent to the sanctuary. In 1981, the parking lot on the south side of the Presbyterian church was created. That year, the congregation held a Jubilee service, recognizing people who had been members of the congregation for 50 years.

In 1993, a building campaign raised \$500,000 to add the fellowship hall, kitchen and an elevator, which makes the sanctuary accessible from the south entry doors from the parking lot. A Heritage Sunday service on Sept. 17, 2006, recognized 50-year members.

One of the earliest Protestant denominations, the Presbyterian Church is a Reformed Calvinist church named for its form

of church government by elders, or presbyters. A mixture of Puritans, Scots-Irish, Welsh and other immigrants, it was associated with the Congregational church, with each congregation a representative democracy.

For more information about First Presbyterian Church of Clinton's centennial celebration, go to its website, fpccantonmo.net, or the church Facebook.

5th Saturday
Men's Breakfast



REV. PAT FINDLEY

One more time this summer all the men and boys of our area have an opportunity to get together for a re-focus and re-charge for the things God has called us to be about. We'll meet at Dietz Family Buffet Saturday, August 31 at 7:am. After breakfast we'll sing and pray, then lead back and consider some good soul food from our guest speaker, Rev. Pat Findley, senior pastor of First Baptist Clinton. Pat holds Masters and Doctorate degrees from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, TX and over the last 20 years has served churches in TX, OK, TN and MO. Pat is relatively new in our community and this will give us an opportunity to get acquainted. Bring your neighbors and come, be refreshed and refueled to be the men God has called us to be.

PEO Members
Gathered

On August 8, 2024, 17 P.E.O. members gathered at the Rotary Building for Chapter IU's monthly meeting. The gracious

hostesses, Judy McVeigh and Brenda Elliott, beautifully decorated the venue with back-to-school-themed adornments and provided delicious refreshments.

The evening's highlight was an informative presentation by Dr. Rob Wetzel on the crucial topic of women's health screenings. Dr. Wetzel generously shared valuable insights and recommendations, including both official guidelines and his personal expertise, to assist women in maintaining optimal health. He expertly covered essential topics such as breast screenings, hormone therapy replacement, and colon cancer screenings, providing clarity and valuable information to the attendees.

We kindly remind you that the next meeting will be held on September 12, 2024, at the Rotary Building. As the beautiful season of fall approaches, we sincerely hope that you will prioritize P.E.O. in your schedules and look forward to seeing you at the September meeting.

HC MRTA Met



VIRGIE COOK, DISTRICT 6 PRESIDENT



MARIA WALDEN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The Clinton Methodist Church was the site of the Henry County Missouri Retired Teachers Back to School Dinner/August meeting. A plethora of wonderful food—from landmark fried chicken to side dishes to desserts—

was presented to retired teachers and guests.

The evening's speaker was Maria Walden, Executive Director of Missouri Retired Teachers Association who brought information about legislation affecting education and teacher retirement. A brief business meeting followed with Virgie Cook, District 6 President, conveying news regarding this area of Missouri. Vice-president Pam Robbins reported on the recipients of the grants given by Henry County MRTA to two Henry County teachers.

All Henry County retired teachers are encouraged to join the organization to keep abreast of how MRTA is working for them.

HC Democrats Hold
Second Reorganization Meeting

The Missouri Democrats of Henry County had their re-organizational meeting Thursday night at 7 PM at

the Clinton rotary building.

Approximately 40 Democrats attended electing their central committee followed by club elections. Greg Grigsby Vice Chair and Chair Barb Davis with the 4th Congressional district attended to assist in the reorganization effort.

The statutes relating to committee re-organization were outlined as well as the Constitutional bylaws of the Missouri Democratic Party.

The the committee was chosen by vote and acclamation and is prepared to do the work needed to ensure the democratic voice is heard.

The Missouri Democrats of Henry County Club elected their club officers as well. New officers; President Susan Jones Hard. Treasurer Greg Hard, Vice-President, Jim, Cox, and Secretary Sandi Cox.

The next meeting is scheduled for the third Thursday of September.

Clinton Animal Shelter
Pet of the Week
CODY

Meet Cody!!! This 2 to 2.5 year old Border Collie mix is a smart boy! He is also a very good boy who gets along with everyone. Cody would love to be part of a family with humans of all ages and even other dogs. He came in a little shy after being dumped but he has warmed right up. He is wonderful! Call to meet this handsome boy! 660-885-7999



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THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE

ACROSS

- 1) Lennon or Penn
- 5) Blacksmith's workplace
- 10) Time machine destination
- 14) "To Sir, With Love" singer-actress
- 15) Turn aside, as one's eyes
- 16) Palo ____, Calif.
- 17) "While" attachment of old
- 18) La Scala's place
- 19) Repair sock holes
- 20) Four front backers
- 23) Ocean land
- 24) Run with a marriage license?
- 25) Medical solution
- 28) Nursing home staff?
- 30) Not invitational, in tournaments
- 31) "Two wrongs don't make a right," e.g.
- 33) Not talking
- 36) Four front backers
- 40) Key grip's workplace
- 41) Express feelings
- 42) Turkish military title
- 43) Man-goat of myth
- 44) Certain string player of old
- 46) Ceremony site
- 49) In progress
- 51) Three front backers
- 57) Foul mood
- 58) Modify, as the Constitution
- 59) Like a moray
- 60) Do some lawn work
- 61) The 100 in a pound
- 62) Chest rattle
- 63) Old Russian despot
- 64) Kicked in the pot, as chips
- 65) Places for pampering

DOWN

- 1) Malamute's load
- 2) Continental currency
- 3) "On top of which ..."
- 4) Fuel for the human body
- 5) Feuders on a game show
- 6) Like an old shepherd's charges
- 7) Get a new tenant for
- 8) Neutral shade
- 9) Large part of Sicilian scenery
- 10) Table tennis item
- 11) Texas battle site
- 12) Guitar securer
- 13) 1,000 kilograms
- 21) Certain psychedelic
- 22) Keep a subscription
- 25) Becomes inedible, in a way
- 26) Unsharpened sword
- 27) Where shots are put
- 28) Hospice offering
- 29) "Long ____ ..."
- 31) Author's unknown byline, briefly
- 32) EPA concern of the 1970s
- 33) Adoring Biblical trio
- 34) Grunts of disgust
- 35) Part of many entrees
- 37) Considers, as a judge
- 38) Swift Aussie bird
- 39) Law firm elite
- 43) More lucrative, as a contract
- 44) Bullied (with "over")
- 45) Thee, today
- 46) Item in the black
- 47) Generates interest?
- 48) Russian forest
- 49) Word with "press" or "free"
- 50) Stolen goods receiver
- 52) Snack of Spain
- 53) Word of approval
- 54) Tide type
- 55) Legendary Fitzgerald of jazz
- 56) Some breads

FRONT (F)OR BACK

By Timothy E. Parker

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MARJORIE LE (BOWEN) CORSON

Marjorie Le (Bowen) Corson, 97, formerly of Windsor, Missouri, died Thursday, August 8, 2024, at Lenior Woods in Columbia.

She was born November 20, 1926, in Windsor, the only child of Frederick LeRoy Bowen and Zella Mae (Sadler) Bowen. She was baptized in 1939 at the First Christian Church of Windsor. She graduated from Windsor High School in 1944 and then attended Huff's Business College in Kansas City. Following college, she worked at the United States Post Office in downtown Kansas City for several years. She was secretary to the money order cashier and handled WWII money orders for service men with casualties. She moved back to Windsor and worked at the International Shoe Factory and then attended Central Missouri State College (now UCM) in Warrensburg. She met William Rex Corson from Leeton and they were married January 15, 1948, at the Broadway Baptist Church in Kansas City, Mo. They were the parents of two daughters, Cynthia and Charlotte, and enjoyed 57 years of marriage.

In 1965, Margie went to work for Dr. William J. Smith and was his receptionist and bookkeeper for 16 years. She then worked as secretary to Assistant Principal J. O. Fetters of the Windsor Junior High School for 5 years, a job she thoroughly enjoyed. She was a long-time member of the First Christian Church of Windsor and was one of the first deaconesses of the church. She was also a member of the Henry County Chapter DAR, and WWII servicemen remained dear to her heart. Margie always brought a smile to the face of those around her. Margie devoted her life to her family and gained tremendous plea-

sure from time spent with her grandsons and their families.

Survivors include 2 daughters, Cynthia Corson Fletcher and her husband Daniel, Montrose, Colorado, and Charlotte Corson Wallace, Columbia, Mo.; 4 grandsons, Joshua Corson Fletcher and his wife Natalie and their 3 children Zella Corson Fletcher, Vivian Beth Fletcher, and Matea Marshall; Jacob Corson Fletcher and his wife Dacia of Talkeetna, Alaska, and their 2 children Rezley Clair Fletcher and Rolan William Fletcher; Zachary William Wallace and his wife Abby of Hartsburg, Mo., and their children William Rex Wallace and Oscar Stephan Wallace; and Andrew William Wallace of Columbia, Mo.; and 3 cousins, Joyce Cramer, Dottie Armstrong, and Judy Bowen-Agent. She was preceded in death by her husband Rex Corson on November 13, 2005, and her son-in-law, Kurt Wallace.

Graveside memorial services will be 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, August 28, 2024, at the Laurel Oak Cemetery, Windsor, with Pastor Clif Dudley officiating. The family will receive friends before the service from 10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at the cemetery. The family suggests contributions to the First Christian Church of Windsor in care of the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

LARRY RICHWINE

Larry Richwine, 75, of Windsor, Mo., died Thursday evening, August 15, 2024, in Blue Springs, Mo.

He was born January 13, 1949, in Ionia, Mo., the son of Roy Leo Richwine and Ruby Pearl (Harms) Richwine. In October of 1971, he married Peggy Jo Stick in Windsor, Mo., and she survives of the home in Windsor.

Larry worked at the former Ferguson Chevrolet in Windsor during high school. After serving in the United States Navy, he owned and operated Windsor Auto Truck & Tractor, selling NAPA auto parts, for over 30 years. Following retirement, he moved to Pleasant Hill and continued working for the local NAPA store. Dirt racing was a large part of Larry's life. It was a family affair that forged many close friendships.

In addition to his wife Peggy, survivors include 2 sons, Jeff Richwine (Melissa), Sedalia, Mo., and Chad Richwine (fiancé Kerra Houk), Holden, Mo.; a grandson, Zak Tylar (Brooke); a granddaughter, Haley Richwine (fiancé Seth Thompson); 2 great-grandchildren, Diesel and Sailor Tylar; a brother, Rick Richwine, Columbia, Mo.; a sister, Carol Acker, Windsor, Mo.; several nephews, nieces, great-nephews, and great-nieces; and many part's store friends and racing friends. He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Bill Richwine and his wife Joyce; a brother-in-law, Walter "Shorty" Acker; and a nephew, Gabe Richwine.

The family received friends from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m., Thursday evening, August 22, 2024, at the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor. Burial will take place at a later date in the Laurel Oak Cemetery, Windsor. The family suggests contributions to the Windsor High School Master Scholarship Endowment Fund (checks payable to WHS MSEF) for students who will study auto mechanics after high school. Contributions can be made in care of the funeral home and condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

Death Notices

Sam Battaglia, Jr., 90, died Tues, Aug. 20, 2024. A graveside service with military honors was held at 2PM on Mon, Aug. 26, 2024 at Englewood Cemetery in Clinton, MO. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

William "Bubba" Rhoads, 63, died Tues, Aug. 20, 2024. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO and are pending at this time.

Marvin D. McFall, 79, died Fri, Aug. 23, 2024. A private family graveside will be held in Maplewood Cemetery. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

Darrel Eugene Shriner, 83, died Tues, August 20, 2024. Funeral services were at 11 AM on Fri, Aug. 23, 2024 at the First Baptist Church in Clinton, MO with visitation from 10-11 AM prior to the service. Burial followed in Englewood Cemetery in Clinton. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

Delores Wellington, 84, died Thur, Aug. 22, 2024. A Celebration of Life was held 11 AM on Wed, Aug. 28, 2024 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton, MO. Followed by a private family inurnment in Elmwood Cemetery in Kansas City, MO. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

Linda Rose (DeMaggio) McKee, 65, died Aug. 22, 2024. Memorial Service, 11 AM Sat., Aug. 31, 2024 at Hill & Son Funeral Home, Appleton City, MO. Visitation preceding the service from 10 - 11 AM. Memorial, Family Love Fund. Arr. Hill & Son FH

Nancy Carolyn Hubbs, 84, died Mon, Aug. 26, 2024. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO and are pending at this time.

Jeffrey Lampton, age 64, died Sat, Aug. 24, 2024. A memorial service will be at 2 PM on Fri, Aug. 30, 2024 at McGilley State Line Chapel (12301 State Line Rd. Kansas City, MO 64145) with visitation from 1-2 PM prior to the service, also at the chapel. The family asks that you wear Chiefs, Royals or tropical colors for the service. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

Orbon McMillian, 93, died Sat, Aug. 24, 2024. Funeral service will be held at 10:30 AM on Thursday, August 29, 2024 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton, MO. A Graveside service will follow at 2 PM at the White Chapel Cemetery in Gladstone, MO. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

Delinda Briggs, 57, died Thur, Aug. 22, 2024. Funeral services were held 10a.m., Tues, Aug. 27, 2024, at the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor. Burial was in the Laurel Oak Cemetery, Windsor. The family received friends Monday evening from 5-7 p.m. at the funeral home. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

Calhoun Community Church

Welcome to the Good News from Calhoun Community Church. Our church family gathers at 9:30 a.m. for pre-church food and fellowship. We use this special time for visiting one with another, welcoming guests as they arrive for Worship, and signing cards of encouragement for our card ministry. We ring the church bell at 9:45 to call our church families to worship at 10:00.

We extend our Sympathy and Christian love to the family

and friends of Delinda Briggs who passed into the arms of Jesus this week. Others on our prayer list are Joyce Trolinger, Donald Hill, Dalton Conner, Audrey Osborne and J.C. Brown, Anita Marriott, Paul Diaz's father, Debby and Clint Land, Sondra Short, Millie Redding, Amber, Patrick, and Brecklynn Dittmer, and Dave Burson. We pray for our military men and women and their families, as well as others in service jobs that we depend upon daily. We pray for guidance as we continue to grow, here on the southeast corner of the Calhoun square.

Joys to celebrate: It's always a great day when we are able to gather and praise the Lord as a church family. We received two and a half inches of much needed rain on Saturday morning. Carol Lane made chocolate chip cookies for pre-church fellowship, and we look forward all week for her special treats. Brylee Keller lit the altar candles at the beginning of our service and served as usher also. Special Music: "Just as I Am," solo by Jeremy Reed. Jeremy is especially talented and our THANKS for his sharing. Steve Siercks shared home grown tomatoes with his church family again today. Many thanks for sharing. We are a diverse group here at Calhoun Community Church. We try to have a little fun, show concern for each other, as well as Praise the Lord during our church experience.

We will have a Basement Sale August 30 & 31st as a money maker for the church. Our Fellowship Hall is packed with goodies and we are looking forward to visiting with friends and neighbors as they shop.

The Annual Calhoun Colt Show is September 6, 7, and 8th We will have a Bake Sale featuring Ms. Carol's cinnamon rolls as well as lots of other goodies. We will have a Quilt Show again this year on Saturday Sept 29. We invite the public to bring quilts for the show. There will be a trophy for best of show. We will be raffling a quilt made by Diane Mills during this event. We are sponsoring a Kids Corner with carnival games and popcorn for youngsters in conjunction with the Colt Show.

We invite you to be our guest any Sunday morning at 10:00, come dressed as you are comfortable, bring the children for Sunday school during the service and receive a blessing for your effort.

First Baptist

On Sunday, Personnel Committee Leader, Kristy Bateman, recognized staff members David Stocking (5 years), Kevin Griffey (23 years) and Kathy Wilson (24 years) for their dedicated service to First Baptist Church. On behalf of the committee and FBC members, Kristy expressed appreciation and gratitude for their commitment in their roles. Following this recognition, Pastor Pat Findley introduced Jared H., a once and long-time FBC member-now missionary in South Asia, to speak about missions. FBC Clinton's ActsONE8 ministry has a heart for missions mobilization in our community, in our country and around the world. Jared aimed to clarify what it means to be a missionary by referring to the pattern of work of the 1st missionaries, Barnabus and Saul, described in Acts 13 & 14. Their work included crossing barriers, meeting lost people, preaching the gospel, making disciples, raising churches and multiplying leaders. The Christian mission is to invite others and the goal of the church is to grow together in our relationship with Jesus. Missionaries teach people to follow Christ and to grow in their relationship with Him. Every believer is called to make disciples by teaching what it means to follow Jesus. What is your next step? Whether it is making the decision to follow Jesus or to join His mission, pray for His guidance and for His mission, as well as His missionaries around the world. The good news is that we are never beyond His grace but we must receive Christ and commit our life to Him. Then, we must share the good news!

Celebrate Recovery is on Tuesday evenings at 5:30 pm at the Vansant location for anyone with hurts, habits, or hangups. Worship service times are 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. and Sunday School is offered at 8:15 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. For more information and upcoming events, please visit www.firstbaptistclinton.church or find us on Facebook at 'First Baptist Church - Clinton, MO'. We invite those without a church home to join us in worship of our Lord & Savior, Jesus Christ. First Baptist Church exists to fulfill the Great Commission (Matthew 28:19-20) by loving people into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ.

First Presbyterian

Have you ever stopped to notice how gracious and merciful our Lord Jesus is? He offers strength for this journey we call life. Sometimes we forget and make excuses for not living the kind of life He would want us to live. Perhaps you have failed to share his love with someone in need. He offers so many simple yet important opportunities all around us. We just need to look at where he is at work and join in. Think about all God has given you and share with someone today.

Rev. Nancy Gillard continued with her series of sermons in Ephesians. This week her message, Power, Purpose and Persistence, was from Ephesians 6: 10 - 20. The weekly anthem brought by our hand chimes choir was titled "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" arranged by L. Larson.

The collection for the Festival of Sharing continues and a display is visible in the foyer. Baskets designated to each item are being filled on the foyer shelves. Have you donated to this worthwhile mission project yet? No worries as the collection will run through October. A list of needed school supplies is available to those interested in do-

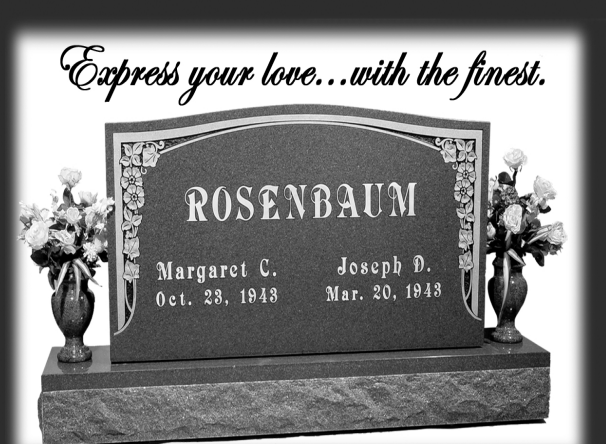
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nating to the Backpacks. Garden seed for community gardens, old prescription glasses and Best Choice Labels are the other items being requested for donations. Fleece blankets will be hand made by the Presbyterian Women. Your generosity is most appreciated.

On September 8 a celebration of the church building turning 100 years old will be held. The Fellowship Committee and Deacons are planning the annual Fried Chicken Dinner after the worship service. Mark your calendar and make plans to attend this special event. We hope to have you join us for some good food and fellowship.

Tai Chi classes are great exercise on Mondays and Wednesdays at 10:00 am. Strengthen your core and improve your balance.

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Urich Baptist

We gathered together on this very hot Sunday at 10:30 A.M. to worship the Lord.

Clint Keeney rang the church bell. Mrs. Julia Klinefelter led in the congregational singing with Mrs. Dixie Collins playing piano and Mrs. Rebecca Sowell playing violin.

We rejoiced with Millie Sloan on her 87th birthday and with Randy and Sherry Vogt on their 44th wedding anniversary. Randy Vogt and Jim Kelsay collected the offering.

The scripture passage from Pastor Joshua Sowell's sermon was from Romans 8:18-30.

This passage describes the hope and glory we will have as God's children now and for eternity. The God who created Heaven and earth gives us this happiness and hope of renewal. God promises that all creation will be renewed and there will be no more sin. While we are on earth, God empowers and guides us to do His will and disciplines us for our good. Give God the glory everyday for the wonderful gifts and blessings He gives us. Have a blessed week.

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"Strengthen our commitments that all our days might be filled with faith and service."

We are an open and affirming church and welcome ALL to come and worship with us next Sunday morning at 9 am.

The ladies of the church are hosting birthdays at the Truman Lake manor this month. As always, there will be gifts, cake and fellowship! Thanks to Donna Hughes for being the chairman for this event! After the high twisting winds a few weeks ago that took down our playground equipment, the men of the church started this morning after church by drilling post holes for new playground equipment! Next Sunday is our monthly "Sweet Sunday". Donna Hughes is in charge of that fun and delicious fellowship time!

Isaac Neuenschwander lit the altar candles to begin our worship service. The congregation sang the beautiful hymn, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul".

Our sermon title was, "Reflexive Wisdom".

In the Bible, there is a story of two women who had just given birth, one alive and one dead. The two women who had lost her child took the other baby for herself. Both claimed that the living child was their own. To settle who the baby really belonged to, the two women went to King Solomon for a decision of who was to keep the baby. King Solomon was a very great and wise King and could see what was happening between these two women. He quickly said to bring a sword and they would split the baby in two and each woman could have half. The mother of the child said, "Please, do not kill the child, give him to the other woman". The King knew right then that she was the real mother and gave back her child to her. This was a great example of a decision made with wisdom and justice.

All of us should think about our own reflex. When we see something that may be dangerous or that requires action, do we hesitate and stay silent, or do we stand up and say something. Our values and the way we believe makes us know when to speak, when to hold back and when to challenge others.

We need to look for those opportunities to hear and see and to live our faith as people who have been touched by Jesus Christ. Don't wait too long to respond. We must go out into the world and share the gospel of Jesus and the love, mercy and tenderness that Jesus gives us every day of our lives.

"Bless the Lord, O my soul; and all that is within me, bless his holy name!"



AUGUST 21, 2024

A public hearing will be held 5:30 p.m. Thursday, August 29, 2024 in City Hall in Appleton City at which citizens can be heard on the property tax rates proposed to be set by the City of Appleton City for the 2024 tax year. The levy will be set at \$1.476 upon approval.

The Annual Labor Day Picnic at Immaculate Conception Parish (606 Kansas Ave., Montrose) will be Monday, September 2. The menu is fried chicken, mashed potatoes & gravy, dressing, green beans, slaw, bread & butter pickles and homemade pie for only \$15 for adults, \$10 for children age 5-10 and preschoolers eat free. The all-you-can-eat dinner is served from 11:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in the basement of St. Mary's School, which is handicap accessible. Outdoor tent seating and carry-out are also available. There is a huge country store open from 8:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. There will be corn hole, bounce house and bingo open at 11:00 a.m. A homemade pie auction will begin at 3:30 p.m., followed by the cash and quilt raffles.

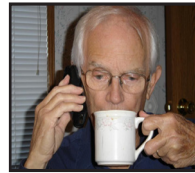
The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and Heartland Regional Food Business Center (RFBC) have announced the availability of more than \$3.7 million in Business Builder Grants to support small, mid-sized, and diverse food and farm entrepreneurs. These grants will promote business expansion, job creation, business capacity building, and increase local products in the local market. The funding is available for local food projects in Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Nebraska, and northwest Arkansas. Business Builder grants from \$5,000 to \$50,000 will strengthen local and regional food supply chains by helping rural and urban enterprises start, grow, and connect. Eligible are small food and farm entrepreneurs serving local and regional food markets in the Heartland Center region. First-round grant applications are due October 15, 2024. More information is available at https://heartlandfoodbusiness.org/business-builder/ including the opportunity to register for an August 28 informational webinar. River of Life will be hosting Ingathering3 again this year

at the church in Rockville. Meetings nightly Wednesday, October 16 through Wednesday, October 23. They will feature different ministers and worship leaders/teams each night throughout the 8 days of meetings. Look for posters in the area soon or contact Pastor James Damon (jdamon@rockvillechurch.org) for more information. They will have a light meal each evening at 6:00 p.m., followed by worship beginning at 7:00 p.m. nightly. Offerings will be taken each evening for visiting ministry. Any donations to help with meeting expenses are welcome as well, but the meetings are free to attend and all are welcome. Come enjoy worshipping together with friends and family, and other brothers and sisters in Christ as it is "time for the Ecclesia to be the Ecclesia".

Management Intensive Grazing School will be held September 10-12 at the First Baptist Church Family Life and Outreach Center in Lamar, MO. This is a cooperative effort between MU Extension, Natural Resource Conservation Service, Barton County MO SWCD, and the MO Forage and Grasslands Council to educate grazing livestock producers on forage and livestock management practices to promote optimum management and utilization of forage resources. Registration and fee payment is required by September 5. Registration can take place online at https://shorturl.at/BQqzL or by contacting the Barton County MU Extension Center at (417) 682-3579.

The A.C. Fall City Wide Garage Sale dates have been set for Sept. 20 - 21. This will also be the weekend of the Saturday Street Festival, so the rental of the Park pole building, stage or lawn will not be available. Details regarding permits will be posted at a later date.

The Ellett Memorial Hospital/AC Clinic Community Block Party will be Saturday, September 28, 2024, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. There are a few vendor spots left for this year's EMH Block Party. If you're interested in filling one of these open spots, please call Kim Raybourn at 660-476-2111. KC Wolf has confirmed making a special appearance at some point during the day. The hospital will be providing free snow cones and cotton candy, along with a bounce house. Crank Farms will be providing the petting zoo.



The Shepherd Calls by Dr. H. Wade Paris

WORK—IT'S GOOD FOR YOU

The year was 1952. I was a sophomore in high school in Meridian, Mississippi. Though I weighed just slightly more than one hundred pounds, I joined the football team. Practice began several weeks prior to the beginning of school. I realized I was a bit small and knew little about the game, but I wanted to play and participated in practice. As school began, I swelled with pride when friends said, "Hey, Wade, I hear you are going out for football."

The first week of school, I received a call from a local grocery store. Earlier that summer, I had applied for a job. They wanted me to come to work. Suddenly, I had a decision to make. If I played football, there was no time to work. If I worked, I could not play football. However, if I worked, I would have money to do things our modest family could not afford. With mixed feelings, I emptied my football locker and took the job paying the breathtaking salary of twenty-five cents an hour.

It was the right decision. I have looked back on that decision many times, but never with regret. Our family believed in work. As children, we had chores and learned the honor of doing them well. We were taught, "Hard work builds character. People of character earn their way in the world."

I like to think our ability to work is part of the image of God in us. When we work with our hands and make things, we are a little like the Creator. The reward and pride of work begins early. Perhaps you have pictures on your refrigerator that your child or grandchild drew. That child worked hard to create the drawing and brought it to you with pride.

There was a television program I liked, "American Restoration." People brought in broken objects; and craftsmen restored them to good as new—for a healthy price I might add. The highlight of the program was when they dramatically unveiled their work for all to see. They were duly proud of what their hands had made.

Next Monday is Labor Day in America. The history behind this day of celebration may be different from what I have outlined here; but I believe it is good to celebrate work. Even Jesus seemed to think so; He said, "I must do the work My Father sent me to do." (John 9:4)

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tivities. Their telephone number is 660-885-2281.

We do not mind answering phone calls about these events, but we only know the date; 9.7.24.

SAVE THE DATE: Sept. 18th; Economic Development Luncheon. Join the Chamber and Economic Development director Mark Dawson for a discussion on what's going on in Clinton. For details, just go the Chamber's Facebook page; https://www.facebook.com/ClintonMO/

Last week, we continued our "Featured" segments on the Chamber's Facebook page. We are now taking text and images from our member's websites, Facebook pages, Google searches, etc. and combining them into posts on our Facebook page. "Featured with the GCACC". It gives the viewer a "one-stop shopping experience" for each of our Chamber members. We have a lot of Chamber members so getting every business on our page will take quite a while, but we think it's well worth it! It's just another service from YOUR Chamber of Commerce. This week, we "Featured" AUSTIN CONSTRUCTION, VFW POST #1894...VANSANT-MILLS FUNERAL HOME...AVFAB/

CENTRAL AIRMOTIVE...B&L ELECTRIC...UMB BANK OF CLINTON...US BANK OF CLINTON...B&B THEATRE OF CLINTON...BAKER LAW FIRM...TRUMAN LAKE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION.

Missouri Humanities-Ready, set, VOTE...for Clinton, MO!

Voting has begun for the next round of Small Town Showcase! Click the link be-

low to cast your vote and help choose which five Missouri communities will be featured in a short film and podcast. Voting closes on October 1st! VOTE NOW: https://forms.gle/eSrjcEvi2ZLXc1TA9

Jobs Mo Gov-Are you interested in expanding your knowledge and skills? To learn more about online learning and training courses that are available at no cost, visit https://bit.ly/3U3yGfI

Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce-Be sure to check out our community calendar at https://clintonmo.com/clinton-chamber-of-commerce/calendar/

New Growth MO Community Development - We're thrilled to share that New Growth's Micro-lending Coordinator, Kim Carter, has recently returned from the Great Lakes Lenders Conference, energized and equipped with the latest insights on SBA and micro-lending opportunities! Kim is more passionate than ever about helping you turn your business ideas into reality. Whether you're looking to launch a new venture or expand an existing one, she's ready to guide you through the process with the fresh knowledge and tools she's gained. At New Growth, we believe that when local businesses succeed, our rural communities thrive. That's why we're dedicated to providing the financing and support you need to get your business off the ground or take it to the next level—creating more local jobs and strengthening our communities in the process! If you have a business idea or are ready to grow, don't wait! Reach out to Kim and discover how our \$500-\$50,000 micro-loan programs can help you succeed faster and more efficiently. Let's build a brighter future for our rural areas together! See more at newgrowthmo.org/financing

Cruise to Clinton. Cruise Night is a cruise-in held on the Clinton, MO Square, from 4pm till 7pm on the 2nd Saturday of the month from May thru October. Plenty of shade and parking available, with food vendors on site and a DJ playing music and giveaways. After several cruise nights there will be an actual short cruise. All rides welcome...50/50 raffle...For all the details, check out Clinton Cruise Night on Facebook or email mattwray1968@gmail.com.

STARTING AND MANAGING A SMALL BUSINESS

Date: 9/4/2024 Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CDT) Registration Deadline: 8/28/2024 4:00 PM (CDT)

Fee: No Fee Point of Contact: Kelly Asbury (660) 596-7350

Location: State Fair Community College - Clinton Campus | Room 406 | 1701 N 2nd St., Clinton MO 64735

Training Topics: Starting a Business

Description: This class will provide an overview of the critical first

steps associated with starting a business. You will assess your strengths and weaknesses in terms of business ownership, learn about the importance of planning, and discuss legal and regulatory requirements.

At the end of this learning experience, you will be able to:

Identify resources that will assist you in starting a business in Missouri

Identify areas in which you need additional training or assistance for the operation of your business

Find out if business ownership is for you!

We request the honor of your presence as we honor; Retirement Reception of Sheriff (Ret) J. Kent Oberkrom Saturday, September 14, 2024 1:00-4:00 p.m. Brief Ceremony at 2:00 p.m. At The Benson Convention Center 1008 E. Sedalia Ave, Clinton, MO

Sheriff Oberkrom has served Henry County for over Twenty-Seven and Half Years. This is a come and go event, no gifts, only cards please. Hosted by Henry County Republican Club, Henry County Republican Central Committee And Henry County Elected Officials and Friends.

J. Scott Brooks, President (HCRC) henrycomogop@gmail.com

Primitive Olde Crow & Winery, LLC - Clinton Join us for Fall Junkfest on September 14. Experience a fun-filled day of shopping, delicious food, and entertainment for all ages. Explore a variety of vendor booths, enjoy tasty pizza, wine, and beer, and let the kids have a blast in the bounce house! Location: Primitive Olde Crow Winery, Clinton Vendor registration is now open! Don't miss out on this fantastic event.

Sign up as a vendor : https://form.jotform.com/241995131848062

For more info: https://www.facebook.com/events/823814923181044

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donating a prize for the games, silent auction item, or making a cash donation, we would truly appreciate your generosity! We will mention your business or name on social media, in the newspaper, on event literature, and provide receipts for tax deduction purposes. We are including a brochure about our agency and the resources we provide with this letter.

Let us know how we may be of assistance to you or your business as well. We love building community partnerships and friendships. We truly appreciate you for taking the time to consider helping us! Please feel free to call or email with any questions.

Respectfully, West Central Missouri Community Action Agency 112 W. 4th Street, Appleton City, MO 64724

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FRONT (F)OR BACK By Timothy E. Parker

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Cardinals Jamboree At Versailles; Set To Kick-Off Season At Boonville



BIG BOYS UP FRONT helped the Cardinals defense get a push and made several plays for Clinton at their Jamboree on Friday. Juniors Austin Clifton (75) and Cade Banks (77) will hold down the line for the Cardinals this season on both sides of the ball.



THE CARDINALS OFFENSE will feature a few newcomers this season, including sophomore Brody Barnhart (9). He will join some talented skill players who return for Clinton.



CLINTON QUARTERBACK Kanden LaFarge (6) is back for his senior season after lining up under center last year as well. With gained experience and a better understanding of the offense, LaFarge will look to help the Cardinals program take their next step to success in 2024.

Community Steps Up Big For CHS Football



CHS FOOTBALL considers itself lucky to have the most supportive community and couldn't be more thankful! Recently, the team was in need of a sled upgrade and their boosters stepped up in a big way! The team absolutely loves their new Tek Sled.

Cardinals Football Hosts Youth Fun Night



CARDINALS FOOTBALL held a youth camp and fun night on Tuesday, August 13. The camp was well attended where varsity and junior varsity players of Clinton helped young campers fine-tune their skills for their upcoming youth seasons.

Lady Cards Ready To Get Season Going



CLINTON VOLLEYBALL is prepped and ready for another season as they traveled to Jamboree in Archie on Tuesday night. The Lady Cardinals will get their season underway next Tuesday at Eldorado Springs. Clinton is coached by Sandra Herrera.

Clinton XC Covers Some Miles At Fundraiser



IT WAS STEAMY on Sunday night for the Clinton XC fundraiser, but that didn't stop the Cardinals! Athletes were sponsored per lap that they could run in 60 minutes. The unofficial total of laps combined was 375 laps, or 93.5 miles!

School

Local Mission Team Serves At CCA

In a heartwarming display of community spirit, the First Baptist Church of Lowry City (FBCLC) recently dedicated the focus of their mission team's ministry to Clinton Christian Academy (CCA). Members of the FBCLC Mission Team consisted of approximately 25 individuals of all ages who spent the whole week (August 5-9) enhancing many different areas of the CCA facility (interior and exterior) and enriching the educational experience for students. FBCLC Pastor Jeff Ferguson stated, "Many factors led us to make Clinton Christian Academy our mission focus for 2024. The need for Christian education in our culture, the participation of several of our own children as students both now and over the past 16 years and the fact we have several adult church members serving on staff at CCA. A significant moment occurred as member Harold Wears turned 95 years old as he served during 'Mission CCA'". This generous partnership between faith and education brought about several transformative changes as the week progressed. This awesome team of folks

were involved in a variety of tasks including cleaning, painting, weeding, trimming trees, installation of new student lockers downstairs, purchase and installation of a new screen in the cafeteria, refurbishment of exterior benches, purchase and installation of the floor tile in the teacher's restroom, purchase and installation of a new changing table in the restroom of the main building, installation of new pull up bars outside the gym, and playground work. The involvement of church volunteers has fostered a strong sense of camaraderie and pride among students, staff, and parents.

The collaboration between the FBCLC and CCA exemplifies the profound impact that community support can have on Christian education. By investing in the school's infrastructure and resources, the church has demonstrated a deep commitment to the spiritual and academic growth of students. This partnership serves as a shining example of how local organizations can come together to create lasting positive change, glorify God, and grow His kingdom

in their communities. CCA is deeply grateful to the mission team from FBCLC for the time, energy, and compassion they exemplified this week. The volunteer work of this team truly captures the essence of Hebrews 13:15: "And do not forget to do good

and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased." What a blessing to see "Christ in action" as this special group of individuals united together and demonstrated a commitment to uplift others and live out their faith through compassionate actions.





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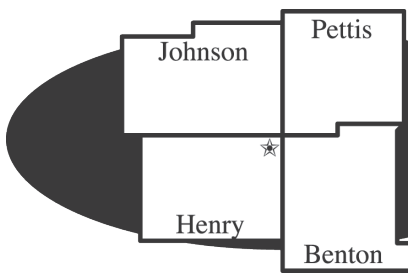
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REVIEWing The Past

With Glynn E. Morse



Big Boy locomotive 4014, Ogden, Utah, May 7, 2019, on first tour of Big Boy celebrating the 150th anniversary of the completion of transcontinental railroad in 1869. Source: Union Pacific



Union Pacific RR crew on ground to service the piston (rocker) arms on train shortly after arriving at Sedalia Amtrak Station during tour in Sept., 2021. Big Boy 4014 is so long only part of the locomotive is shown in photo. Source: Windsor Historical Society



Union Pacific Big Boy 4014 coming across Montserrat crossing, Aug. 31, 2021. Source: Windsor Historical Society

Big Boy 4014 Steam Locomotive Begins Heartland Tour on Aug. 28

By Glynn Morse
The Union Pacific Railroad has announced that the Heartland Tour featuring the Big Boy 4014 steam locomotive will be traveling through Missouri in September and October. [1] Many Central Missourians remember viewing Big Boy in Sedalia and Warrensburg on its way to Kansas City on August 31, 2021.

So why the fascination with Big Boy 4014? Many of us remember when steam locomotives came through Windsor, a time when coal fired trains traveled regularly on the Katy and Rock Island tracks. But what makes the Big Boy locomotive steam engine special is that is so BIG!

The Big Boys had the longest engine body of any reciprocating steam locomotive. The engine was 85 feet long and with the firebox totaled 132 feet. Because of its length, the designers hinged the frames of the Big Boy to enable the locomotive to negotiate curves. An automatic coal stoker fueled the fire box as no regular fireman could keep up with the Big Boy's fuel needs. The engine weighed 762,000 lbs. and with the addition of the firebox totaled 1,250,000 lbs. [1],[2]

The American Locomotive Company manufactured 20 of the Big Boys for Union Pacific in 1941 and another five in 1944, just in time to meet the U.S. rail needs during World War II. Union Pacific used them to pull long, fast freight trains over the Wasatch Mountains of Utah and Sherman Hill between Laramie and Cheyenne, Wyoming. Prior to the introduction of Big Boys, Union Pacific had to add extra engines to get over the steep mountain peaks; but one single Big Boy pulled the big freight loads unassisted. [1],[2]

Other than a Mesabi iron range mining engine, the Big Boy was the heaviest single expansion regular freight steam locomotive ever built. Capable of going 80 mph, the Big

Boys usually operated at 60 mph. No other engine came close to matching the Big Boys' combination of speed, power, and agility. The locomotives acquired the "Big Boy" nickname when an ALCO employed chucked "Big Boy" on the front of the first locomotive. No. 4000, and that nickname continued to be used for that class of locomotive.[2]

The Big Boys were money makers for the Union Pacific from 1941 through 1959. Railroad blogger Patrick Murfin said, "Engine crews admired them for being sure-footed and easy to handle despite the rugged terrain they covered. The Big Boys were well maintained and had years of service ahead when the UP decided to remove them from service only because the railroad wanted to close their Wyoming mines which provided the bituminous soft coal they used for fuel." The Big Boys were last used in regular freight runs on July 21, 1959 and were officially retired by 1962. The Big Boys were replaced by diesel and gas turbine electric locomotives, but Murfin pointed out that the replacement locomotives "had to be attached at each end of a long train in a push-pull operation to duplicate a single Big Boy!" [3]

Big Boy 4014, manufactured in 1941, was retired in December 1961 after having traveled over a million miles in 20 years. The Union Pacific donated Big Boy 4014 to the Southern California Railway & Locomotive Historical Society in Pomona, California in 1961. In 2013, Union Pacific reacquired Big Boy 4014 from the Southern California Railway & Locomotive Historical Society and brought the locomotive back to the UP Engine Shop in Cheyenne for restoration. The restoration included changing the fuel from coal power to oil power. The UP engine crew completed the restoration in time for No. 4014 to tour in May, 2019 to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the completion of the Transcontinental Railroad.[1]

In September 2021, Big

Boy was touring the Midwest, traveling across Missouri from St. Louis to Kansas City. This writer and hundreds of people viewed Big Boy as it came into the Amtrak Station in Sedalia, taking photos, and watching the crew do mechanical maintenance. Because Big Boy was scheduled to stay in Sedalia additional minutes, many viewers had enough time to leave the Sedalia station and drive west on U.S Hwy 50 to observe Big Boy as it headed to the Knob Noster and Montserrat crossings and then going to Warrensburg. Cars were parked all along U.S. Hwy 50 from Sedalia to Warrensburg waiting to see Big Boy. It was a day to remember! [4]

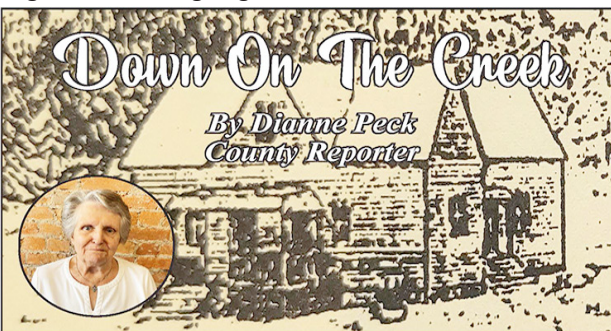
Missourians can see Big Boy 4014 on this year's Heartland Tour at St. Louis, Ironton, or Poplar Bluff, MO on Sept. 11-13, and then for a final stop in Kansas City on Oct. 15-17. Those preferring to view Big Boy in a smaller town might consider going to

Osawatomie, KS (89 mi. from Windsor or 74 mi. from Clinton) where the steam locomotive is scheduled to arrive on Tues., Oct. 15, at the W. Pacific Crossing, at 2:15 p.m., departing for Kansas City at 2:30 p.m. A complete Big Boy Heartland Tour time schedule can be viewed at: <https://www.up.com/heritage/steam/schedule/index.htm>. Viewers can track the hourly movement of Big Boy at: <https://www.up.com/heritage/steam/track/index.htm> [1]

Sources: [1] "Big Boy No. 4014," Union Pacific Railroad.

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To Act As Devils

Never before in the history of the Catholic Church have we had a Pope the likes of Pope Francis. He seems so attuned to the problems of everyday living and not removed from the Parishioner's daily struggles with life. For instance, shortly after he took office he stated: "We live in a very sinful world where the wheat and the weeds grow together. The mission, as parents, is to protect the wheat and leave the mowing of the weeds to the angels." The importance of being a good parent is not overlooked by Francis and he managed to stir up a media storm when he backed parents who spank their children, providing the child's dignity is maintained. In remarks devoted to the role of fathers in a family he said: "One time, I heard a father say he sometimes had to smack his children a bit, but never in the face so as not to humiliate them." "How beautiful," he continued: "That father recognized the sense of dignity. He punished his children but did it justly and then moved on."

The Church's position on corporal punishment came under criticism some time back during a grilling by members of a UN human rights committee monitoring of the UN treaty on the rights of the child. I personally feel the lack of discipline of children has led to many of our social problems facing us as a Nation. I won't attempt to list them but I can say that when I was a single parent I enrolled my children in the Catholic School where I had the backup of strict rules and set guidelines. The Principal's opening statement to me and my children was: "Attending school at Sacred Heart is a privilege and not a right. Mess up and you can be removed." I knew from that instant forward if when I needed reinforcement, it would be there.

As Jackie Kennedy once wisely stated: "If you bungle raising your children, nothing else much matters." Another famous mother, Lillian Carter knew disappointment in her son Billy. He and his brother, Jimmy Carter, might be the prime example of parental laxness. Jimmy was thir-

teen when Billy was born. Their father, Earl Carter, felt he had been too tough on his eldest son, Jimmy. He now doted on Billy.

Billy became the family's "wild child." When Jimmy Carter was elected to the Presidency, the limelight quickly centered on Billy and his "good ole boy," antics. At first he provided a charming contrast to his straight laced brother, the President. But by 1980 his act had worn thin. So much so that a newspaper story stated: "If Billy isn't working for the Republican Party, he should be." Even Billy's own Mother, Lillian Carter, told a reporter: "Wherever there's trouble, that's where Billy is! Sometimes I say to myself, 'Lillian, you should have stayed a virgin.'"

Parenting is possibly the toughest job in the world. To raise good human beings, it is not only necessary to be a good mother and father but to have had a good mother and father. I think I was blessed with having good parents and my father certainly never spared the rod. I recall the last "whipping" I received from him when I was about twelve. He took a limber switch from a "pussy willow" bush and set my legs on fire. I had red whelps for a couple of days, and I can truthfully say, I deserved them. I can also say, if you have never been hated by your child, you have never been a parent.

Often parents think their child can do nothing wrong and then there are those that believe their child can do nothing right. One is as destructive an attitude as the other. As difficult as it seems, we need to maintain a happy medium by punishing bad behavior and praising the good. As Pope Francis said, "Let the child maintain his dignity."

You don't always have to strike a child to crush them. A destructive incident I once observed will remain with me forever. I was attending a high school commencement program. The Seniors came off the stage and carried long stemmed roses to their mothers, grandmothers and other feminine members of their families. One female graduate gave a four-year old girl cousin, a rose. The beautiful child was seated on her father's lap and her

face lit with an inner joy upon receiving the special gift from her older cousin. Her mother reached across and jerked the flower from her, refusing to let her have it back. The look that came into that little girl's eyes will haunt me to my dying day. In that single swift, cruel, action the mother had crushed her own daughter's spirit as surely as if she had struck her in the face with her fist. The wound was devastating, even though there was no visible evidence of abuse. If I had to bet, my guess would be that mother had received similar treatment as a child. As I stated previously, good parents are usually descended from good parents.

When I was a child, children were expected to defer to their parents in everything. We were to wait on them and have our own chores around the house. By the time I became a parent child-rearing had changed. Many of my contemporaries believed parents were expected to defer to their children in hopes of not damaging their creativity and squelching their little imaginations. Frankly, I still believed it was my turn, as a parent, to be deferred to.

I don't know who's right and who's wrong in this argument but I firmly agree with Pope Francis about "smacking" behinds. P.D. James stated it in a nutshell when he wrote: "If from infancy, you treat your children as gods they are liable, in adulthood, to act as devils."

Community Calendar

Thurs., Aug. 29, 6 p.m. Septemberfest Carnival opens. West Benton St.; 7 p.m. Wee Queen & King Crowning, Pickled Possum Stage. 7:30 p.m. Miss

Windsor Crowning, Pickled Possum Stage.

Fri., Aug. 30, 5:30 p.m. Septemberfest Baby Show Registration, Pickled Possum Stage. 5:30-8:30 p.m. Train Rides (Free), First Christian Church. 6 p.m. Baby Show, Pickled Possum Stage. 6-10 p.m. Carnival, West Benton St. 7:30 p.m. Man & Woman of Year, Pickled Possum Stage. 8 p.m. Sparrowfoot Live Music, Pickled Possum Stage.

Sat. Aug. 31, 7 a.m. Rock Island Run Registration, Katy Trailhead. 7:30 a.m. Rock Island Run, Katy Trailhead. 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. Craft Show, Windsor Elementary School. 9 a.m. Pet Show Registration, Pickled Possum Stage. 9:30 a.m. Pet Show, Pickled Possum Stage. 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. Dessert Auction Dessert Drop Off, T. H. Rogers Lumber. 10 a.m.- 12:30 p.m. Auto Show Registration, Farrington Park. 10 a.m. Parade Line Up, Windsor High School. 11 a.m. Septemberfest Parade. 1 p.m. Cornhole Tournament Registration, TK Building Supply. 1 p.m. Auto Show Judging, Farrington Park. 2:30 p.m. Auto Show Winners, Farrington Park. 2 p.m. Cornhole Tournament, TK Building Supply.

Sat., Aug. 31, 6 - 10 p.m. Carnival, West Benton St. 5:30-8:30 p.m. Train Rides (Free), First Christian Church. 7 p.m. Dessert & Pie Auction, Pickled Possum Stage. 8:15 p.m. Lighted Semi Truck Parade, Line up at TK Building Supply Parking Lot. 8:30 p.m. ABLeS Band, Pickled Possum Stage.

Sun., Sept. 01, 6 p.m. Truck & Tractor Pull, Windsor Rodeo Grounds.

First Saturday of each Month, 10:30 a.m.

Harvester's Food Distribution. Windsor United Methodist Church. Windsor Ministerial Alliance volunteers distribute food to cars lined up on Colt Street.

Henry County Chapter NSDAR Honors Veterans

The Henry County Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution is proud to honor veterans in Windsor. On the second Tuesday of each month at 9:00 at the Senior Center in Windsor, they provide breakfast and the opportunity to have conversation with other veterans. Most have been friends for many years and have a lot to discuss, but new vets are welcomed as well. There are always several DAR members in attendance who decorate the tables according to the occasion and provide food such as fruit, breads, bacon, sausage and egg casserole. All veterans are encouraged to drop in and visit for awhile.

Following the August 13 breakfast, several DAR members were proud to present Glen Luck, a veteran, with a quilt of valor. A Quilt of Valor is a handmade quilt that is machine or hand quilted. It is awarded to a veteran of any war to show Henry County DAR's appreciation for their service.



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is currently hiring CNA's with a 5,000 dollar sign on bonus and NA's with 3,000 dollar sign on bonus. They offer a comprehensive benefits package including health, vision, sick leave, paid time off (PTO), and life insurance. Additionally, the position comes with a competitive starting salary, attendance bonuses, and shift differentials.
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is currently hiring LPNs/RNs for either day or night shifts. The job entails 12-hour shifts with every other weekend off. They offer a comprehensive benefits package including health, vision, sick leave, paid time off (PTO), and life insurance. Additionally, the position comes with a competitive starting salary, attendance bonuses, and shift differentials.

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Tools & fishing, 10' aluminium boat, baby items, clothing baby to adult, furniture and household misc.
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The Charlene Foundation is having a clothing giveaway on Friday, August 30th at 1148 SE 100 Rd just off PP Hwy across from Donna's Drive In from 10 am to 2 pm. Sponsored by Leesville Gospel Center.
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Basement sale: Calhoun Community Church, Southeast Corner Calhoun Square. 8am-Fri & Sat 8/30-31. Variety of merchandise.
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GARAGE SALES

Estate Sale: 304 N Maple St. Calhoun. Elec Range, Pellet Stove, Wood Stove, Furniture, much misc. Fri-Sat, 8/30-31, 8:00am
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Airport. There have been some contractor delays, but the roof, siding and parking lot will be finished soon. The facility experienced its highest month for fuel due to the Oshkosh Air Show traffic. The airport also experienced three charters in a single day.

In other business The Council accepted the retirement letter of Desty Haddock who began employment with the City in September 2004. Continuing with Parks and Recreation The Council approved a motion for the Vance Brothers for \$22,342.32 to micro-seal the existing parking lot at the soccer field. Deer Creek PS will complete elevator repairs for the fixed price of \$5,228. The auto-transfer switch is still not functioning. The Council approved the repair.

A Resolution of Support was approved for Cloy Estates Phase III. It supports the application by D. Kim Lingle and MBL Development for Missouri Housing Development Commission funding for Cloy Estates.

Mayor Moberly made a recommendation for the appointment of Greg Bauer to the Cemetery Board with a term expiring in March 2027. The recommendation was approved. Following this item of business The Council approved the annual Conflict of Interest Policy. Adjournment came at 6:49 PM.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF PROJECT

The Henry County Water Company is requesting proposals for the installation of 4,600 water meters. The full scope of required services and proposal requirements are available at 313 S Washington Street, Clinton, MO, or can be requested via email from dsterling@alliancewater.com. All proposals must be mailed to and received at 313 South Washington Street, Clinton, MO 64735 by September 3, 2024. Late proposals will not be considered. Submissions may be submitted by email, mail, or in person at: dsterling@alliancewater.com or 313 S Washington Street, Clinton, MO 64735. Conditional proposals will not be accepted. Proposals will be opened and read publicly on September 10, 2024.
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

IN RE: The Change of Name of)
) Case No.: 24HE-AC00297
 NICHOLAS DAVID RAY WILLING)

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME

You are hereby notified that the name of NICHOLAS DAVID RAY WILLING has been changed to LOGAN RAZIEL GRIMM GRAYDEN by Judgment of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri which was entered on the 17th day of June, 2024.
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IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT, HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI PROBATE DIVISION

In the Estate of KENNETH M WILSON, Deceased.
 Case Number: 24HE-PR00065
NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED
 (Independent Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of **KENNETH M WILSON, Decedent:**

On JULY 25, 2024, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of KENNETH M WILSON, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of HENRY COUNTY, Missouri.

The personal representative's business address is: PAMELA WILSON, 12 NW 1400 RD, CHILHOWEE, MO 64733

The personal representative may administer the estate independently without adjudication, order, or direction of the Probate Division of the Circuit Court, unless a petition for supervised administration is made to and granted by the court.

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is:

BRIAN WEBB, 601 NW JEFFERSON STE 5B, BLUE SPRINGS, MO 64014, 816-350-9888

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or if a copy of this notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the personal representative, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after Decedent's death, as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, RSMo, shall be construed to bar any action against a decedent's liability insurance carrier through a defendant ad litem pursuant to Section 537.021, RSMo.
 Date of the decedent's death: 07-DEC-2023

/S/ CRISSY JOHNSTON
 PROBATE Clerk

Date of first publication: AUGUST 8, 2024

Receipt of this notice by mail should not be construed by the recipient to indicate that the recipient necessarily has a beneficial interest in the estate. The nature and extent of any person's interest, if any, can be determined from the files and records of this estate in the Probate Division of the above referenced Circuit Court.
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI. CIRCUIT DIVISION

Beth Kuda and Dayna Blaine)
 Plaintiffs)
 vs.) CASE NO. 24HE-CC00038
 Lin J. Kozlowski, Trustee)
 of the Lin J. Kozlowski)
 Revocable Trust dated)
 February 13, 2017)
 107 SE 1014 P. Lane)
 Deepwater, Mo. 64740)
 And)
 Robert S. Barnes c/o)
 Shirley Garland)
 1103 SW 8th St.)
 Lee's Summit, Mo. 64081)
 And)
 Private Investors, Inc.)
 C/O Russell Tucker)
 3003 E. Chestnut Expressway,)
 Suite 100)
 Springfield, MO. 65802)
 Defendants)

ORDER OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE

The State of Missouri to Respondent, Private Investors, Inc., a Defunct Missouri Corporation, formerly known as Forest Ridge, Inc., and Russell Hunter, its Registered Agent:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced in the Circuit Court for the Court of Henry County, State of Missouri, the object of which is the termination of a restrictive covenant which states:

.. with the additional restriction that this tract of ground can never be used as a homesite or camp site on a temporary or permanent basis.

The tract to which this restriction applies is described as:

The North Half (N ½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW ¼) of the Southwest Quarter (SW ¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of Section Thirty-Six (36), Township Forty (40), Range Twenty-Six (26), Henry County, Missouri

The names of all the parties to this action are stated in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for Petitioner is Michael X. Edgett, 608 E. Ohio Street, Clinton, Missouri 64735.

You are further notified that, unless you file an Answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid Petition within 45 days after the 22ND day of AUGUST, 2024, the Court will proceed with the Petition to terminate a restrictive covenant.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the The Clinton Daily Democrat, a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Henry, State of Missouri.

A true copy from the record.
 Witness my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court this 15TH day of August, 2024.

/S/ WENDI MCGHEE, BY SD

Circuit Clerk of Heryn County, Missouri

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