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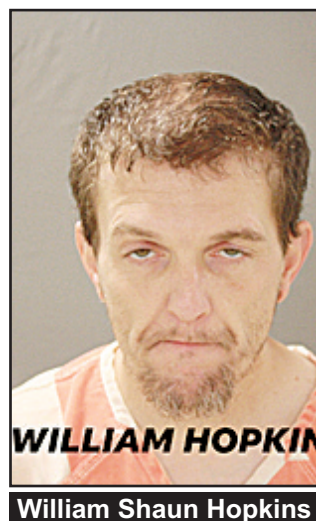


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## Two Vandalia Residents Arrested On Drug Charges



William Shaun Hopkins



Lila Leighann Howell

Two individuals in Vandalia were arrested on multiple counts last week.

According to a press release from the Audrain County Sheriff's Office, during the morning hours of Friday, July 28, members of the Audrain County Sheriff's Office and East Central Drug Task Force executed a narcotics search warrant in the 200 block of East Home Street in Vandalia. As a result of the search, officers seized Methamphetamine, Psilocybin mushroom, one firearm, and multiple items of Drug Paraphernalia used in the distribution of illegal controlled substances.

William Shaun Hopkins, 45, and Lila Leighann Howell, 30 of Vandalia were arrested and transported to the Audrain County Jail for pos-

session of a controlled substance, unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia, and Unlawful use of a weapon.

The Audrain County Sheriff's Office remains committed to working with our communities, community partners, and other area law enforcement agencies to make Audrain County a safe place to work and live. The support of and the input from the community is appreciated. Citizens are reminded crime tips may be provided anonymously by calling CRIMESTOPPERS at (800) 392-TIPS or (800) 392-8477 and/or online at <https://www.audrainsheriff.com/report-a-crime>.

All suspects are presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty in a court of law.

## G.I. Bill Part Of Bennett Clark Legacy

*Editor's note: Following is the first part of a story series.*

**BY BRENT ENGEL  
CONTRIBUTING WRITER**  
Millions of Americans can thank a Bowling Green native for bettering their lives, and it almost never happened.

Joel Bennett Clark was a soldier, politician and judge. It didn't hurt that he was the son of former Speaker of the House of Representatives Champ Clark or that he had helped establish the American Legion.

The G.I. Bill of Rights, the nickname given to legislation sponsored by the younger Clark, would provide employment, education, home ownership and other benefits for soldiers returning from World War II.

On the surface, the proposal looked like a no-brainer, but Clark ran into roadblocks as he pushed for approval.

"Opposition to it and distrust of its novel concepts abounded," noted R.B. Pitkin, editor of "The American Legion Magazine."

Undeterred, Clark called it "a fundamental bill of rights" for all who had served.

As with his famous father, politics and the law went hand-in-hand for Clark. He was born in Bowling Green on Jan. 8, 1890. Just 22 when Champ ran unsuccessfully for the Democratic presidential nomination, he became parliamentarian of the U.S. House a year later and left the powerful position to join the Army during World War I.

Promoted to colonel, Clark helped organize the first American Legion convention and was elected the group's first national commander. The Legion vowed to fight for veterans' rights, and Clark was among those who believed work off the battlefield was needed.



Bennett Clark

Limited financial rewards finally were approved in 1936, after Congress overrode a veto by President Franklin Roosevelt. But as World War II dragged on, Roosevelt warmed to the idea of more substantial ben-

efits.

Recalling what had happened to many World War I service people, the president in July 1943 said veterans "must not be demobilized into an environment of inflation and unemployment, to a place on a bread line, or on a corner selling apples. We must, this time, have plans ready - instead of waiting to do a hasty, inefficient and ill-considered job at the last moment."

Three months later, Roosevelt asked Congress for a plan that would treat World War II veterans better. The legislation was written largely by the American Legion with Clark's support. It carried the lackluster official title "Serviceman's Readjustment Act." The Legion quickly dubbed it the "G.I. Bill of Rights."

"The name was something close to genius," Pitkin wrote. "It was short, punchy, easily-grasped. It told the whole story - and it became a fighting slogan from coast to coast."

Next time: Waging war.

## Sweet, Sour - Actor Meets Match In Bubbly Performer

**BY BRENT ENGEL  
CONTRIBUTING WRITER**  
It's been 85 years since a veteran Pike County actor teamed with an incorrigible 10-year-old megastar for a very successful film.

"Little Miss Broadway" was released on July 29, 1938. The lead was portrayed by Shirley Temple in a cast

that featured Claude Gillingwater.

It was the second of three films the Louisiana native would make with the iconic

child star.

"Among all the Shirley Temple pictures, 'Little Miss Broadway' is one of the best," one reviewer offered at the

time.

The New York Times was more critical, saying "the devastating Mistress Temple See PERFORMER on page 7

## Piker Numero Uno

'Significant' Explorer Gives County Its Name



Zebulon M. Pike

**BY BRENT ENGEL  
CONTRIBUTING WRITER**  
It's been more than two centuries since the first American expedition up the Mississippi River paddled through Pike County.

At 4 p.m., Friday, Aug. 9, 1805, Zebulon Montgomery Pike and his 20 men left St. Louis in a keelboat. Their mission was to make treaties with the natives, describe natural elements and scout locations for forts.

"Despite the multiplicity of these instructions, he was able to do more than was required with his skeleton force," according to an article about Pike in the October 1943 edition of Missouri Historical Review.

While explorers had tra-

versed the river for at least the previous 130 years, few were Americans and little was known about the peoples, resources and geography of the region.

The expedition reached what would become Pike County on Wednesday, Aug. 14, camping on Crider Island between Clarksville and Louisiana. Pike lamented in his journal that it rained most of the day, but he was pleased that the men netted "1,375 small fish" to supplement their provisions.

Showers fell again the next morning and because of "the continued series of wet weather, the men were quite galled and sore," Pike wrote. Maps made by the explorers noted the "handsome rocky cliffs" in the area.

The group proceeded to the confluence of the Salt River, which also was called the Oahahah. Pike said he did "not recollect having seen (the waterway) on any chart," but others had documented it. Pike called it "a considerable stream."

The expedition passed modern-day Ashburn and likely camped near what is now the line between Pike and Ralls counties. The expedition wintered north of present-day Minneapolis and started back for St. Louis in spring 1806. On the way, the men killed almost 300 pigeons 10 miles

north of the Salt River.

"The most fervid imagination cannot conceive their numbers," Pike said of the thousands of birds he saw. "Their noise in the wood was like the continued roaring of the wind, and the ground may be said to have been absolutely covered with their excrement."

The party also met Sac tribesmen who wanted to trade pigeons for liquor, but Pike declined. They tied up the keelboat at the mouth of the Salt in northern Pike County to eat supper on April 28, but "so violent a gale and thunderstorm" arrived around midnight that they were forced to move camp farther from shore.

The explorers made it back to St. Louis two days later. No one died on the journey, although the men often endured miserable conditions. Much of their luck can be attributed to the benevolence of Native Americans and Caucasian fur traders they met.

In their 2012 book "Zebulon Pike, Thomas Jefferson and the Opening of the American West," authors Mathew L. Harris and Jay H. Buckley called Pike "one of the most significant explorers in the early republic," even though "most Americans know little about him today."

If nothing else, his name lives on every time the term "Pike County" is used.

## Trial Set For Former Louisiana Police Chief

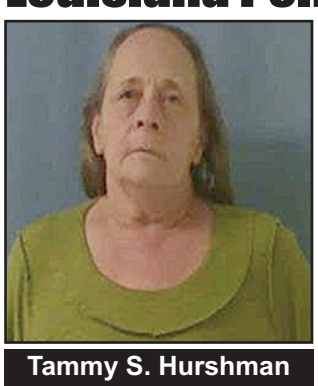
A jury trial has been scheduled for former Louisiana Police Chief William Jones.

Jones is accused of second-degree murder, drug trafficking, evidence tampering and possession of a controlled substance. The charges were filed after the death of 24-year-old Gabriel Thone at Jones' apartment in Louisiana on Oct. 18, 2022.

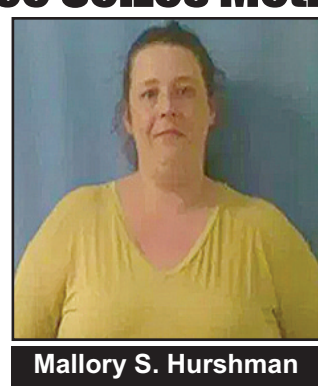
The trial is set for March 11-14, 2024, in St. Charles County, where the case was moved on a change of venue. Jones was accused of second-degree murder, drug trafficking, evidence tampering and possession of a controlled substance. The charges were filed after the death of 24-year-old Gabriel Thone at Jones' apartment in Louisiana on Oct. 18, 2022.

MSPH reported that another 10-year-old boy from Eolia, a passenger in the same vehicle, was also involved in the accident.

## Louisiana Police Seizes Methamphetamine



Tammy S. Hurshman

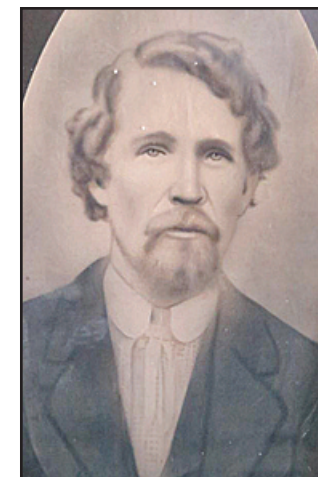
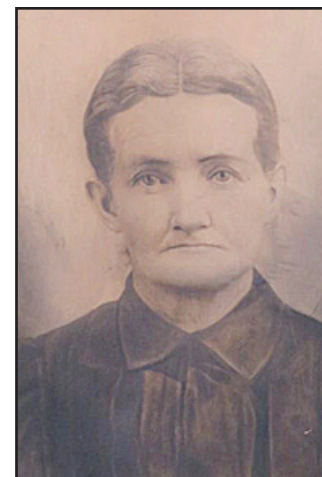


Mallory S. Hurshman

**BY BRICE CHANDLER  
EDITOR**

According to a press release from Louisiana Police Department's Chief of Police, Josh Baker, two Louisiana women were arrested last week for possession of methamphetamine.

On Thursday, Aug. 3, 2023, acting on information obtained by the Louisiana Police Department, members of See SEIZES on page 7



## Museum Seeks Help On Photo IDs

**BY BRENT ENGEL  
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The Louisiana Area Historical Museum is seeking help

in the identification of six portraits that recently were donated by The Arcade Restaurant, Bar and Lodge.

The framed pictures were found as part of the renovation of the Mesker-style building by Peter Rao and

Catherine Karrick.

People may offer insights and review the portraits by

visiting the museum at 304 Georgia Street from 10 a.m. - noon Saturdays or 1-3 p.m., Wednesdays.

The pictures may also be found on the Louisiana Area Historical Museum Facebook site.

# COMMUNITY NEWS

## Cuivre River State Park Hosts Perseid Meteor Shower Viewing

Join Cuivre River State Park naturalists at the big field in Camp Sherwood Forest for the meteor shower watch party Saturday, Aug. 12. Gates to Camp Sherwood will open at 8 p.m., and the event will begin an hour later. Follow the "Special Event" signs in the park to get to Camp Sherwood.

Guests should bring insect repellent, a flashlight and a blanket, and lie under the stars in our grassy area. While we wait for the meteors, the naturalist will point out constellations and share folklore relating to the night sky.

Each August, the Earth moves

into the path of debris left behind by the tail of the Swift-Tuttle comet to create the Perseid meteor shower. While the peak will happen closer to dawn on Sunday, the evening "shooting stars" are some of the most stunning, even a day or two before peak. As the sun sets and the Earth moves into the path of the debris, some of the debris will skip off of the atmosphere, often creating meteors that are very bright and colorful. These "Earth-grazers" are long and slow, and can be a variety of colors. The Perseid meteor shower is one of the best showers of the year and

you can often see 90 or more meteors per hour during the peak.

Cuivre River State Park is located 5 miles east of Troy at 678 State Route 147. For more information, call the park office at 636-528-7247.

For more information on state parks and historic sites, visit [mystateparks.com](http://mystateparks.com). Missouri State Parks is a division of the Missouri Department of Natural Resources.



### Portrait Of Basye Presented

Bowling Green Mayor Jim Arico and Don Hamilton of the BG Bicentennial Committee present a portrait of John W Basye, city founder and first postmaster to current postmaster Sandy Grummel for permanent display in the Bowling Green Post Office



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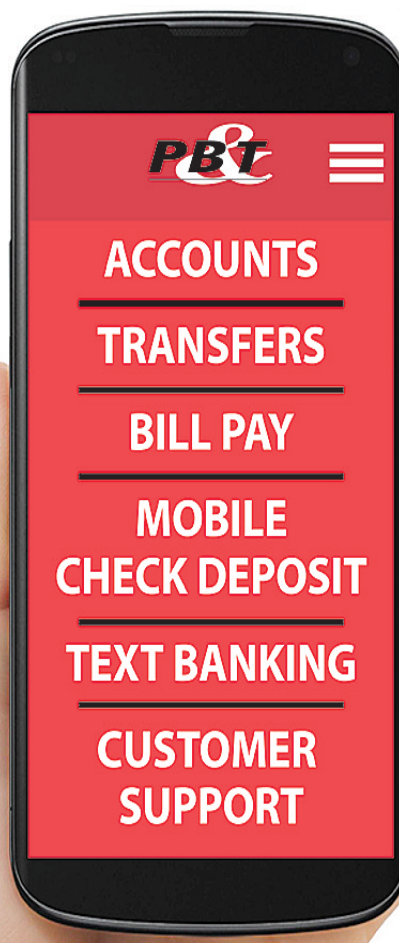


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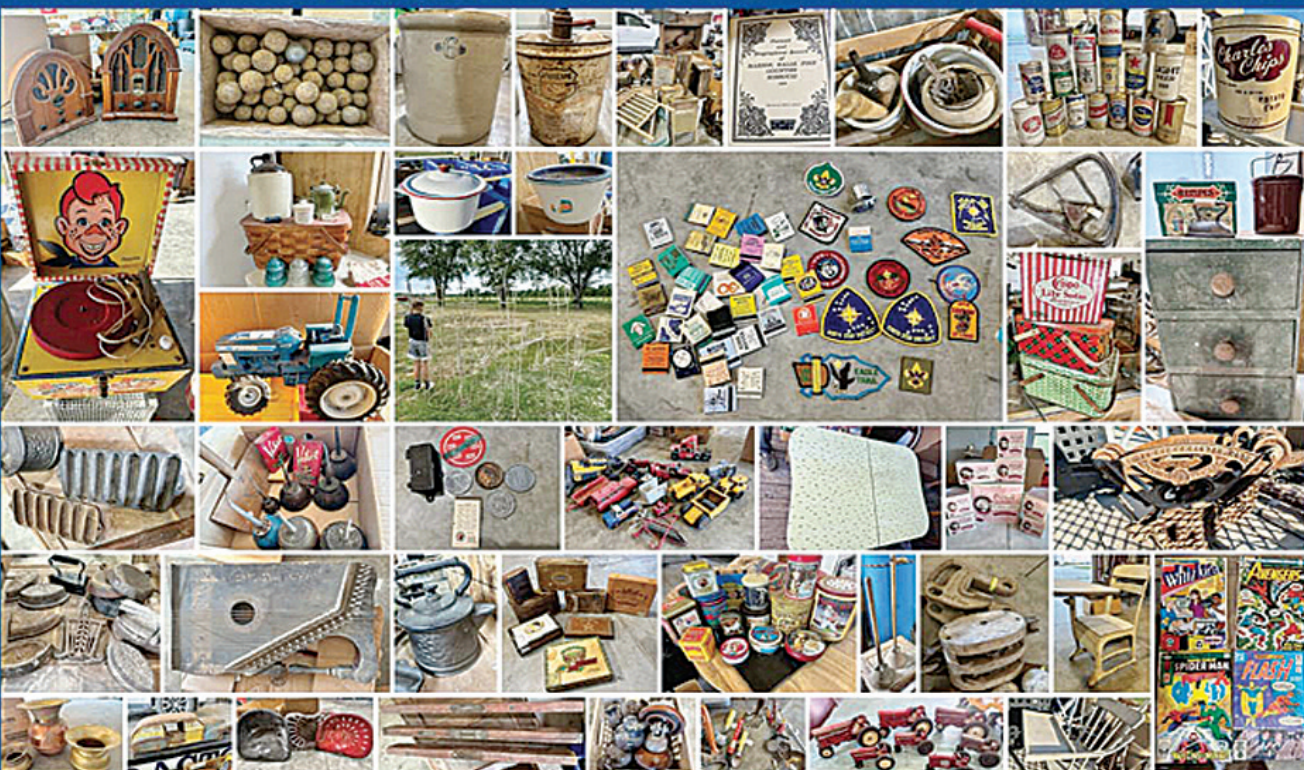
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## CREECH HUBER ANTIQUES

OUTDOOR AUCTION • LAWN CHAIRS ARE WELCOME

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# COMMUNITY NEWS

## From The Mayor's Desk...

There is a division of science called the Science of Play.

It is within the psychological and physiological realms and there are thousands of in-depth studies and personal profiles documented where "negative" emotional and multi-sensory consequences are associated with "play-deprived life."

The Science of Play reveals that humans are designed to enjoy and participate in play throughout life. Parks and activities, various city non-profit organizations, churches, and our school system in Bowling Green provide playful and joy-filled activities for you, as a citizen! Your involvement is healthy for you and Bowling Green! Unfortunately, as inflation has increased, more and more people are needing second and even third jobs just to keep up. (One reason why job stats have increased). Life is too short to overlook putting fun and play into your life. A passion for life includes having fun and laughing with family, friends, and new acquaintances. We can make Bowling Green a happier place to live!

Cultural events fall into this Science of Play. Events like Music and Art in the Park, when Prometheus came to town, Wings and Wheels, our Bicentennial activities with choirs and the Army Reserve Band, Bowling Green School plays and concerts, Heritage Day, and Pike County Fair are all contributors to meeting our cultural needs. Activities bring people together and inspire and empower each other as well as our city and county. When people engage with one another,



JIM ARICO, MAYOR  
CITY OF BOWLING GREEN

bridges are built and connects cultures, races, religions, and cities. This creates a more caring, creative, and collaborative community and county. As life gets harder and faster, let's slow down enough to laugh and enjoy what we have!

I wrote a letter some weeks ago to all our gas station owners and operators concerning the price of fuel in Bowling Green compared to nearby towns where sometimes gas was twenty plus cents cheaper. I haven't heard from anyone. Gas prices have spiked again with little relief in 2023. I've read and listened to reasons why, which ranges from greater volume of travel, vacations, lower national gas reserves due to usage in 2022 to keep gas prices lower, (2022 national average was \$4.28 a gallon according to Consumer Affairs). AAA reports: extreme heat in the U.S. is also accredited for increases. OPEC and Russia have cut back on their oil production, and war in the Ukraine due to bombing of a port is blamed. How does the United States go from the number fuel producers in the world to our current conditions? We will survive this, Bowling Green!

Thanks to all who supported "Back the Blue" this past Saturday in our main park. This was a concerted effort with the Bowling Green Police Department and the Pike County Sheriff's Department. Also, thanks to all who helped in supplying "Back to School" supplies and backpacks. Donations and workers were so very helpful to so many students in our schools throughout Pike County! First day of school in Bowling Green is Aug. 22, 2023!

## Community Calendar...

Submit upcoming events by calling 324-6111 or e-mail to: [peopletribune@sbcglobal.net](mailto:peopletribune@sbcglobal.net)

**On Aug. 12:** Pike County Genealogical Society will meet at 1:30 p.m., at the Pike County Old Jail Museum.

**On Aug. 15:** Pike County Democrats will have a meeting at the Bowling Green Community Center at 6 p.m.

**On Oct. 14:** The Apple Day 5K Run/Walk will be held at 949 MO-79, Clarksville. This is a fundraiser for the Clopton Lady Hawks basketball team. It is being held before the parade on Applefest.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

Bowling Green R-I School District has conducted a complete re-inspection of its facilities on May 14, 2023, utilizing the services of TruTest Environmental Solutions, LLC. The results of this inspection have been included in a management plan. This management plan is available in the Bowling Green Superintendent's Office (and in the offices of the Bowling Green High School, Bowling Green Elementary and Frankford Elementary) during normal business hours, without cost or restriction, for inspection by representative of the EPA and the State, the public including teachers, other school personnel and their representatives, and parents. The Bowling Green R-I School District may charge a reasonable cost to make copies of management plans.

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# OBITUARIES



## Donald Eugene Roettger Sr.

Donald Eugene Roettger, Sr., died Monday, July 31, 2023 at the age of 72.

Visitation was Thursday from 4-8 p.m., at McCoy-Blossom Funeral Homes & Crematory in Troy. There was also a visitation Friday from 9:30-10:30 a.m., at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Troy.

Funeral Mass was held Friday at 10:30 a.m., at the church with Fr. Edward Volz officiating. Inurnment was in Sacred Heart Cemetery Troy.

Donnie was born Jan. 20, 1951. He was a proud, lifelong resident of Troy attending Sacred Heart Grade School and Buchanan High School (class of 1969). He began working for Kroger at the age of 16 and retired after 20 years of service.

Donnie started his own painting business in 1987, retiring in 2013. His greatest joy was spending time with his beloved family. He was an active member of the Knights of Columbus. He also enjoyed fishing, hunting and traveling. He never met a stranger and was known for his always present smile and larger than life laugh.

Donnie is survived by the love of his life, Donna Elmen-dorf Roettger; his children, Sheila Feldmann and Donnie Roettger Jr. and wife, Amanda; grandchildren, Jacob and Eli Feldmann and Tessa and Maggie Roettger, a sister Mary Jane Gieson and husband, Wayne; and many family and friends.

Donnie was preceded in death by his parents, Eugene and Irene Glosemeyer Roettger; a sister, Betty Ann Lynn; and a brother, William "Billy" Roettger.

Family and friends may sign the online guest book @www.mccoyblossomfh.com.



## Carol JoAnn Hill

Carol JoAnn Hill, 73, of Pleasant Hill, Ill., died Sunday, July 30, 2023 at Blessing Hospital in Quincy.

Visitation was from 9 a.m., until time of service at the funeral home on Wednesday.

Funeral services were Wednesday at 11 a.m., at the Lummis Funeral Home in Pleasant Hill conducted by Pastor Darin Workman. Burial was at Crescent Heights Cemetery in Pleasant Hill.

Carol was born Sept. 27, 1949 in Pittsfield, a daughter of John Joseph and Erma Grace Edwards Hill.

She attended the Atlas School and had been employed at the former Pittsfield Work Activity Center. She enjoyed participating in Special Olympics and loved the time spent with her family, especially babysitting all of her nieces and nephews.

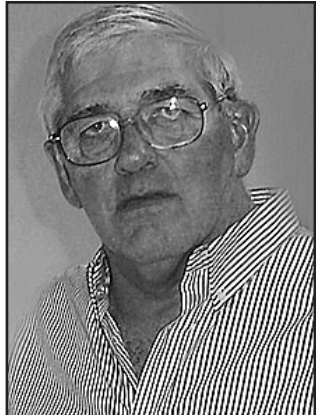
Carol and her mother, Erma, were faithful and long-time members of the Nebo Church of the Nazarene.

Survivors include six siblings, John Michael Hill and wife, Carol of Pleasant Hill, Janet Lovell of Louisiana, Randall Hill and wife, Rebecca of Pleasant Hill, Mark Hill and wife, Barb of Pleasant Hill, Tom Hill and wife, Debbie of Rockport and David K. Hill of Pleasant Hill; numerous nieces and nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews, great-great-nieces and great-great-nephews; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Carol was preceded in death by her parents.

Memorials may be made to the Crescent Heights Cemetery Association.

Lummis Funeral Home in Pleasant Hill handled the arrangements.



## David Burnett

David Burnett, beloved husband, father, grandfather and friend, died peacefully on Saturday, July 29, 2023, in De Soto.

To honor David's life and celebrate the legacy he leaves behind, a visitation was held Sunday from 2-5 p.m., at the Robert D. Brown Funeral Home Inc., in Hillsboro. Following the visitation, a funeral service took place from 5-6 p.m., at the funeral home.

On Monday at 12 p.m., David was laid to rest in the Troy City Cemetery.

Born on April 22, 1942, in Vandalia, David lived a life filled with love and kindness. He had worked for K-V Pharmaceutical in St. Louis for 30 years.

David was a man of simple pleasures. He found joy in tending to his gardens, canning fruits and vegetables, and creating beautiful landscapes. He had a deep appreciation for nature and could often be found birdwatching or enjoying a peaceful fishing trip. David's compassionate nature extended beyond his love for animals and the environment—he was known for his generosity and caring demeanor towards his family, friends, and community and especially the Hillsboro Food Pantry.

David is survived by his wife, Vonna Darnell Burnett, whom he shared many cherished memories with. Together they raised a beautiful family who brought them immense happiness. His children Jane Burnett, David Burnett, Tracy Burnett, James Burnett, Laura Woodruff, Tim Woodruff, Christopher Belken, and Carla Holland will forever remember the love and guidance he provided. Additionally, David leaves behind his seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren who brought him immense joy. Also surviving are two sisters, Mary Orr and Kay Jones of Vandalia; and a brother, Gary Burnett of Curryville.

He was preceded in death by a wife, Melba Jean Burnett, his father, David Burnett, mother, Lois Burnett, brothers, Jimmy Burnett and Jan Ray Burnett, and sisters, Patsy Morrison and Davelene Reichenburg.

Although he is no longer with us physically, his memory will live on through the countless lives he impacted.

David was a remarkable man whose unwavering love and caring nature touched so many lives. His legacy of compassion, generosity, and appreciation for life will forever inspire those who were fortunate enough to know him. May his soul find eternal peace, and may his memory continue to bring comfort and joy to all those who mourn his loss.



## Davaline Overton

Davaline Overton, 72, of Vandalia died Thursday, July 20, 2023, at Baptist Homes at Tri-County in Vandalia.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m., Saturday at Waters Funeral Home. Brother Kenny Haddock officiated. Burial was in Vandalia Cemetery at a later date.

Visitation celebrating Davaline was held at 10 a.m., until the service Saturday at Waters Funeral Home in Vandalia.

Davaline was born Oct. 23, 1950 in Mexico, the daughter of Eugene and Madilene English-Turner.

She was united in marriage to Charles Overton on in 2000, in Mexico. Charles survives her in death.

Other survivors include two sons, Jeffrey Ferguson of Vandalia, and Keith Ferguson of Vandalia; two step-sons, Kent West, and Hurlay West; Granddaughter-Daughter, swan-ties "Punkin" Woodson; three brothers, Ronald Turner of Vandalia, Donald Turner of Springfield, and Eugene Turner of Bloom-field, Mich.; three sisters, Sonia Wheeler of Jefferson City Mary Wommack of Louisiana, and Joanne Dixon of Davenport, Iowa; three grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

She was preceded in death by one son, Lance Ferguson; brothers, Harold Rogers, Robert "Bobby" English, Charles Turner and her twin, David Turner; two sisters, Freida Acuff and Gayle Kraft; and a nephew, Adriane.

Davaline graduated from Van-Far High School. Professionally, Davaline proudly worked as a activities director for Tri-County Care Center for 40 years. She thoroughly enjoyed working with her work family and residents.

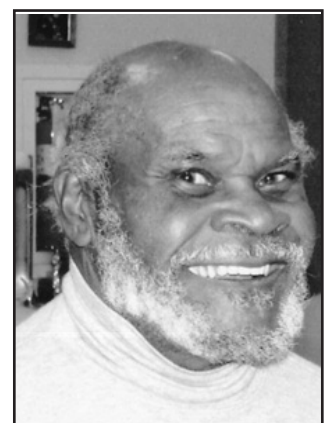
She was known by all as a kind soul. She collected things and nik-naks such as seasonal decor for her home and would decorate for every holiday through out the year; especially Christmas. She enjoyed her "Candy Crush" games and bowling in her free time. She was also known for her "champion" chicken and potato salad. She adored her 22-year-old four-legged dog; Sasha Marie Overton. Davaline will be missed by many.

Davaline was a member of the Second Baptist Church.

Honorary pallbearers were William Wheeler, Ronnie Greene, Anthony Walker, Tom Griggsby, Donnell Perkins, and Michael Cook.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Second Baptist Church, c/o Waters Funeral Home.

Online condolences may be made to the family and video tribute viewed on Davaline memorial page at [www.watersfuneral.com](http://www.watersfuneral.com).



## Dolly Leo Salmon

Dolly Leo Salmon, 99, of Vandalia died Saturday, July 22, 2023, at Baptist Homes at Tri-County in Vandalia.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m., Monday at the Second Baptist Church in Vandalia. Pastor Melvin McCaleb officiated. Burial was in Vandalia Cemetery.

Visitation celebrating Dolly Leo Salmon was held at 11 a.m., until the time of service.

Dolly was born Jan. 28, 1924 in Vandalia, the son of John L. and Gertrude Turley Salmon. He was united in marriage to Frances in 1948 in Vandalia. She preceded him in death.

Survivors include one brother, Matthew Salmon of Vandalia; sisters, Inez McPike of Vandalia, and Lillian Johnson of Vandalia; and numerous grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Frances Salmon; children, William Hawkins, Vern Hawkins, Gerald Hawkins, Joanne Drives, and Wilma Griggsby; brothers, Ben Salmon, Jesse Salmon, Robert, and Clemon Salmon; sisters, Virgie Overton, Bezolia Salmon, and Mayme Salmon.

Dolly Leo honorably served his country in the Army during World War II from 1943-45. He spent time in Germany and France where he fought at the beaches of Normandy. He was awarded two bronze dtars, bronze arrowhead and many service medals for conduct and overseas campaigns.

Professionally, Dolly worked as a laborer for Harbison-Walker Refractories in Vandalia as a clipper saw operator. He retired after 39 years in 1985.

Dolly was an active member of the Second Christian Church and served as an elder, superintendent of services, and Sunday school. He served on the selec-

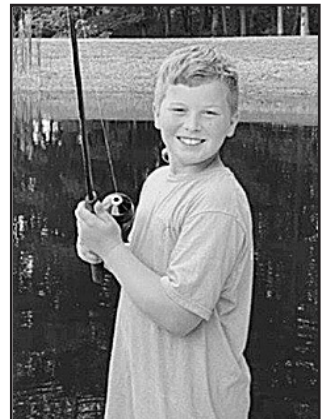
tive service board for years. He loved to attend the choir days at all kinds of churches and loved to attend the fun days at the senior center.

Dolly Leo loved to hunt, fish and especially loved to cook chicken with his close friend, Wes Colette.

Pallbearers were Walter Salmon, Devin McCaleb, Wendell Wheeler, Mike Reynolds, Sam Chapman, Bob Giltner, and Branson Salmon. Honorary pallbearers are the deacons of the church, Art Wiser, Terry Joe Holt, William Wheeler, Ronnie Greene and all of Dolly Leo's relatives and friends.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Second Christian Church, c/o Waters Funeral Home.

Online condolences may be made to the family and video tribute viewed on Dolly memorial page at [www.watersfuneral.com](http://www.watersfuneral.com).



## James 'Hunter' Stribling

James "Hunter" Stribling was born on Sept. 14, 2012 to James Kenneth and Kelsi Nicole Stribling.

He was called home to join our Lord in Heaven on Friday, Aug. 4, 2023.

A Celebration of Life will be held Thursday at New Life Christian Church in Eolia, located at 213 North Main Street.

Visitation will be from 2-4 p.m. The service will begin at 4 p.m., with Pastor Nathan Adams officiating.

Hunter is survived by his father, mother, big sister, Lilly Ann, little sister, Daisy Leigh, little brothers, Sawyer Matthew and Tucker Murphy, along with his soon to be born baby brother, Oliver Michael, all of Eolia; great-grandpa, Alfred Baumann of Louisiana; Paw Paw Matt and Maw Maw Lisa McCrory, of Clarksville; Grandma Karla Stribling of An-nada; Uncle Kevin and Aunt Katie Hammett, Uncle Sean McCrory, Aunt Stormy Graver, Uncle Brett Stribling, Aunt JoLea Stribling, Aunt Vanessa Ball; along with cousins, Grayson McCrory, Tristan Stribling, Cameron Stribling, Mason Stribling, and soon to be born, Jaxon Hammett.

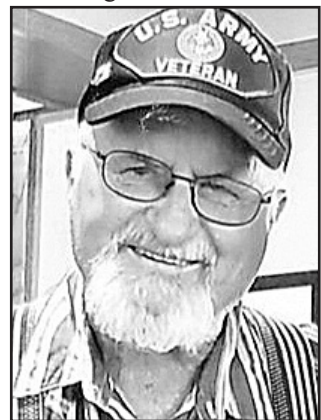
Hunter lived up to his name as the outdoors was one of his favorite places to be. He always enjoyed hunting and fishing with his Paw Paw along with Uncle's Sean and Kevin. Fishing with his friends, playing in the creek, and outside family gatherings also brought him much joy. Hunter was very athletic, excelling in his favorite sport, baseball.

He was a team player always encouraging his friends. Hunter was a great support to all his family. He loved working alongside his Dad doing projects, helping his Mom with whatever she needed, teaching his siblings new skills and always being there for them in any way possible. He always took pride in what he did and strived for perfection by working hard.

Hunter was a fun-loving young man, always making everyone laugh. He had the biggest, most beautiful smile, an unforgettable laugh, along with his big heart.

He was deeply loved by all who knew him. He was not only a son, brother, grandson, nephew, he was our best friend. It is not goodbye but until we meet again.

Collier Funeral Home in Louisiana is in charge of cremation arrangements.



## Marlin 'Marty' Nation

Marlin "Marty" Ray Nation, 83, of Vandalia died

Tuesday, Aug. 1, 2023, at Harry S Truman Memorial Veterans' Hospital (VA).

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m., Wednesday at Waters Funeral Home. Pastor Bob Hoehn will officiate. A private burial will be held at a later date.

Visitation celebrating Marty will be held at 5-7 p.m., Tuesday (today) at the funeral home.

Marty was born Oct. 27, 1939, in Vandalia, the son of Norman and Ina Kisor Nation. He was united in marriage to Margaret "Peggy" Hustedde on Feb. 13, 1960, at St. Clement Catholic Church. They celebrated 56 years of marriage prior to Peggy's death in December of 2016.

Survivors include one daughter, Brenda Nation-Robson and husband, Donald III of Seward, Neb.; two granddaughters, Indigo Robson of Seward, Neb., Hope Robson of Lincoln, Neb.; one son, Rick Nation of Vandalia; a grandson, Kylen Nation and his mother, Heather Fletcher of Vandalia; one brother, Larry Nation and wife, Nancy of Vandalia; sisters-in-law, Marlene Nation of Vandalia, and Kathleen Hustedde of Bowling Green; nieces and nephews, Warren, Julie, Jolene, Wesley, Kelly, Keith, Lance and Blake.

He was preceded in death by father, Norman Nation; mother, Ina Nation; wife, Peggy Nation; brother, Donald Nation; brother-in-law Joe Hustedde.

Marty attended the New Michigan and Van-Far schools and went on to the Army. He honorably served his country from 1957 through 1959 where he was stationed in south-central Europe. During service he attended engineer school and was a camouflage specialist. He received the sharpshooter decoration and good contact medal during his tenure. He was honorably discharged and completed his duty in the Army Reserves through 1963.

Professionally, Marty worked at CE Refractory from 1959-1984 as a mechanic earning his hydraulics certification from Mexico Vo-Tech. He was known as a "jack of all trades" where he dabbled in just about everything. His side business, "Marty's Treasures and Trash" says it all. From collecting and selling antiques, tearing down old houses and moving buildings, to tree trimming and stump removal, collecting scrap metals and being a "ring man" at auctions, Marty kept busy. He enjoyed deer, quail and rabbit hunting every now and then. He was also known to cook a few "mountain oysters" and share coffee with friends, usually at the "Liar's Table". He had a passion for going to auctions. He loved socializing and never met a stranger.

Marty was a member of the Vandalia VFW and served as commander; member of the Lions Club and completed his solo flight with the Vandalia Fly-in Club.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Mexico Veterans Home, c/o Waters Funeral Home.

Online condolences may be made to the family and video tribute viewed on Marlin memorial page at [www.watersfuneral.com](http://www.watersfuneral.com).



## Wilma Louise Hopke

Services for Wilma Louise Hopke, 101, of Laddonia will be 1 p.m., Tuesday (today) at Laddonia Christian Church with pastor Jamie Franke officiating. Burial will follow in Evergreen Memorial Garden.

Visitation will be Tuesday (today) from 11 a.m., until time of the service at the church.

Mrs. Hopke died Thursday, Aug. 3, 2023 at her home in Laddonia.

She was born May 12, 1922 the daughter of William Gus Sr. and Mary Louise Putney Nolan. Wilma married N. Burton Hopke on Dec. 28, 1947 in Laddonia. He preceded her in death on Dec. 12, 2014.

Survivors include two sons, Dennis Hopke and wife, Diane of Linn, and Daryl Hopke and wife, Debbie of Vandalia; one daughter, Debbie Hopke of Laddonia; four grandchildren, Suzanne Barber and husband, James of Jefferson City, Scott Hopke and wife, Rebecca of Kansas City, Erica Fennewald and husband, Tyler of O'Fallon, and Allison Lowrance and husband, Tyson of Matthews, N.C.; and nine great-grandchildren; along with nieces, nephew, and friends.

She was preceded in death by three brothers, William Gus Jr., Wyatt, and Grant Nolan; one sister, Bertha Eunice Butts; two half-brothers, Leonard and Marvin Cox; and one half-sister, Fern Keith.

Wilma was a lifetime area resident and cosmetologist for many years owning and operating Wilma's Beauty Salon in Laddonia. She was a very active member of the Laddonia Christian Church, a member of Eastern Star, and a faithful supporter of the Laddonia Athletic Association where all of her children played ball. She enjoyed cooking for her family and friends who especially enjoyed her fried chicken, coconut cream pie, raisin cream pie and burnt caramel cake but most of all she enjoyed spending time with her family and her friends at card parties and senior dances.

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## Pike County Fair Baby Show Results

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Winners in the 0-3 month girl's category (l-r): first, Amara Bryant, daughter of Desiree Abbott of Mexico; second, Margaret Teasley, daughter of Teagan and Paige Teasley of Curryville.



Winners in the 0-3 month boy's category (l-r): first, Mason Houseworth, son of Owen and Kayli Houseworth of Bowling Green; second, Keatyn Dugan, son of Ashten Dugan of Louisiana.



Winners in the 7-12 month girl's category (l-r): first, Canarie Campbell, daughter of Mayshonna of Louisiana; second, Lydia Gregory, daughter of Benjamin and Kara Gregory of Curryville; and third, Haizley Reuther, daughter of William and Katie Reuther of Eolia.



Winners in the 7-12 month boy's category (l-r): first, Julian Tolbert, son of Will and Coral Tolbert of Bowling Green; second, Dawson Pease, son of Josh and Emilie Pease of Troy.



Winners in the 4-6 month girl's category (l-r): first, Avy Kate Blackwell, daughter of Tanner Blackwell and Bracey Dyer of Frankford; second, Avery Jennings, daughter of Adam and Amanda Jennings of Bowling Green; and third, Darla Luebrecht, daughter of Justin and Katelyn Luebrecht of Bowling Green.



Winners in the 4-6 month boy's category (l-r): first, Emir Haynes, son of Tim Haynes and Daeshawn Greene of Louisiana; second, Koa Sitton, son of Thomas Sitton of Bowling Green.



Winners in the 13-24 month girl's category (l-r): first, Paisley Johnson, daughter of Daylyn Johnson of Bowling Green; second, Areia Jones, daughter of Kayla Jones of Vandalia; and third, Delliah Waite, daughter of Kaitlin Waite of Troy.



Winners in the 13-24 month boy's category (l-r): first, Keeven McGarity, son of Tracy and Katie McGarity of Louisiana; second, Archer "Archie" Haskins, son of Michael and Meghan Haskins of Clarksville; and third, Evan Jamison, son of Corey and Amanda Jamison of Louisiana.



Winners in the 24-36 month girl's category (l-r): first, Stella Cagle, daughter of Ashley Branheim of Louisiana; second, Everly Murry, daughter of Nathan and Brittney Murry of Louisiana; and third, Blaire Gregory, daughter of Benjamin and Kara Gregory of Curryville.



Winners in the 24-36 month boy's category (l-r): first, Waylyn Miller, son of Ben and Kayleigh Miller of Elsberry; second, Noah Reuther, son of Will and Katie Reuther of Eolia; and third, Parker Barnes, son of Craig Barnes of Eolia.

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Continued from front page the Louisiana Police Department assisted by the Bowling Green Police Department and the Pike County Sheriff's Office, executed a narcotics search warrant in the 400 block of S. 5th Street in Louisiana. Narcotics believed to be methamphetamine were seized during the execution of the warrant.

Two suspects were taken into custody.

Pike County Prosecuting Attorney Alex Ellison has charged the following in connection with the search warrant execution:

Mallory S. Hurshman, 34, of Louisiana has been charged with the class D felony of possession

## PERFORMER

Continued from front page is slightly less devastating than usual."

The website oldmovieteams.org said the two were popular onscreen because Temple "had a talent for warming, indeed melting, the coldest of hearts," including that of "everyone's favorite old sourpuss."

"The tall, thin, dour-looking Mr. Gillingwater had been type-cast early on in his movie career as a character enveloped in an austere, sometimes querulous, almost always cranky and unyielding persona," the site says. "But it was no match for the little cherub."

In teaming with Temple, Gillingwater "is invariably coaxed out of his crusty exterior and exposed as nothing more than the avuncular old softy little Shirley Temple knew he was all along."

The duo first worked together in 1936's "Poor Little Rich Girl." By then, Gillingwater was 66 years old and had a wealth of acting experience. Temple's first appearance had been just four years earlier.

Despite his curmudgeonly appearance, Temple off camera "found him to be a very sweet and gentle man," according to oldmovieteams.org.

"Little Miss Broadway" also featured comedian and singer Jimmy Durante, future U.S. Sen-

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of a controlled substance, class E felony unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia, class E felony of resisting/interfering with arrest for a felony, and the class D felony of assault third degree - special victim.

The Honorable Judge Milan Berry has set her bond at \$25,000 cash only.

Tammy S. Hurshman, 65, of Louisiana has been charged with the class D felony of possession of a controlled substance and the class E felony of Unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia.

The Honorable Judge Milan Berry has set her bond at \$10,000 cash only.

As of this time both subjects remain lodged in the Pike County Jail.

ator George Murphy and exemplary character actress Edna May Oliver, a descendant of Presidents John and John Quincy Adams.

In the black-and-white musical, Temple plays talented orphan Betsy Brown, who helps actors engaged in a battle with their crusty landlord. Gillingwater portrays a judge who agrees to Brown's courtroom musical production before deciding a lawsuit brought about by the conflict.

The production includes Palmyra native Jane Darwell, who also would star in other movies with Temple as well as memorable roles in "Gone With the Wind," "The Grapes of Wrath" and "Mary Poppins."

Gillingwater was nearing the end of his illustrious career. He had started with silent movies in 1918 and ended up appearing in 92 films. He also was a founder of the Academy Awards.

Gillingwater suffered a back injury on the set of a movie just weeks before "Little Miss Broadway" began production. He never fully recovered from the pain and committed suicide on Nov. 1, 1939. The performer's last film with Temple, "Just Around the Corner," was released in 1938.

Shirley Temple Black continued acting and later became a United States ambassador. She passed at 85 in 2014. "Little Miss Broadway" can be found on DVD.

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is given that a public hearing will be held by the Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Bowling Green, Missouri on Tuesday, Aug. 22, at 5:30 p.m., at Bowling Green City Hall, 16 West Church Street, Bowling Green, Missouri.

The Public Hearing is being held in order to: 1) review request to close Alley on Block 7 of Moseley Additions, Lot 6 & 7 of block 7, Alley way is running north and south between Locust & Kincaid streets; 2) answer any questions that persons may have.

All interested citizens will have an opportunity to give written and oral comment. Persons with disabilities needing assistance should contact City Hall before the meeting by calling or writing to the City Administrator Linda Luebrecht, 16 W. Church Street, Bowling Green, MO 63334, Ph: (573) 324-5451.

At this hearing any interested person, corporation, or political subdivision may present information regarding the proposed request. Done by order of the Planning and Zoning Commission.

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