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## NEWS BRIEFS

### Citrus County COVID-19 cases

According to the Florida Department of Health, 37 positive cases were reported in Citrus County since the latest update.

No new deaths were reported, for a total of 436.

To date in the county, 10,784 people have tested positive (including 96 non-residents).

Two new hospitalizations were reported, for a total of 698 hospitalized.

Totals reflect preliminary reports received by the state, and are subject to revision.

### Register for COVID vaccine

DOH-Citrus' preregistration system to schedule COVID-19 vaccine appointments for all individuals 18 and older and frontline health care workers is now available.

Individuals can now be added to a waiting list for vaccine appointments and be notified when appointments are available in Citrus County by visiting myvaccine.fl.gov or by calling 866-201-0442; TTY is 833-476-1036.

As part of the statewide preregistration system, each county has a designated number that individuals can call and preregister with if they do not have internet access. Citrus County's designated helpline number is 833-540-2058.

Vaccine supply remains limited and appointments may not be available for several weeks.

### Join Earth Day roadside cleanup

The Citrus County Republican Executive Committee has organized an Earth Day roadside cleanup at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, April 22 at the Central Ridge Library, 425 W. Roosevelt Blvd. in Beverly Hills.

Participants should meet in the annex section of the parking lot. Bags and safety vests will be provided.

### Vietnam Traveling Memorial Wall

Crystal Harley-Davidson will host the Vietnam Traveling Memorial Wall 24 hours a day from April 22 to 25, 1147 S. Suncoast Blvd. in Homosassa.

The gathering will honor veterans, fallen and missing heroes and active duty troops. The wall is a 3/5 scale replica of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in memory of the 58,282 soldiers who never returned from Vietnam.

The closing ceremony for the wall will be on 4 p.m. Sunday, April 25. On Sunday, there will also be food by Heavy G Hot Dog Cart. Four Dogs Deep featuring Brooksville Wayne will play from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Crystal Harley Davidson will also be hosting a dealer led ride to Bushnell National Cemetery. Kick stands up at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, April 24.

Riders can expect to be home by 1:30 p.m.

—From staff reports

## Inverness hits Manning's Bar snag

### Set to clean contaminated septic tank

FRED HIERS  
 Staff writer

Just when Inverness thought it was out of the Manning's Bar business after demolishing the dilapidated building this week, the city got pulled back in.

That's because when workers

hired by the city tore down the former bar and a small, former residential building behind it, workers also broke the seal to an abandoned residential septic tank on the State Road 44 property, City Manager Eric Williams told his council bosses during their regularly scheduled public meeting,

Tuesday, April 20.

The problem was that instead of being empty, the septic tank was filled with petroleum chemicals, namely gasoline, Williams said.

The septic tank was capped off but had a breach at the bottom and the gasoline had been seeping out, and rainwater in, for many



Eric Williams

years, he said.

Williams said he had to act fast and hired an engineer to evaluate the extent of the problem and remove the chemicals. The city will also pay to excavate around the septic tank and learn the extent of seepage and that contaminated soil.

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## Something borrowed, blue



Crystal River Mayor Joe Meek and his wife Amy pose for a selfie Wednesday afternoon, April 21, in front of a newly placed statue at Crystal River Town Square. The twin manatee statue previously stood in the food court at the Crystal River Mall.

### Crystal River erects mall's former manatee statue at city's town square

Chronicle Staff

After finalizing a trade-off for the figure with its local mall, Crystal River erected a manatee statue the afternoon of Wednesday, April 21, at the forefront of its city town square.

City Council members acquired the bronze sculpture in March when they OK'd an agreement for the Crystal River Mall to transfer its longtime

ownership of the statue to the city in exchange for the waiver of its \$95,200 in accrued city code enforcement fines.

While it has since complied with city codes, the mall has been unable to pay its penalties, leading city officials and mall management to compromise with the statue going to the city's town square on the corner of U.S. 19 and Citrus Avenue.

Commissioned for the mall around the time of its opening in 1990, the manatee monument was appraised by the city at a value of \$185,000.

Daly and Zilch workers Jim Mattson, left, and Don Merrill set a statue in place Wednesday afternoon, April 21, at Crystal River Town Square. The 1,000 pound statue once stood at the center of the Crystal River Mall's Food Court.

Photos by Matthew Beck



## Reward increases for 'Trump' manatee info

HANNAH SACHEWICZ  
 Staff writer

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is still investigating the harassment of the "Trump" manatee, which made national headlines in January of this year.

The reward was recently increased to \$8,000 in hopes to obtain information that leads to the arrest and conviction of those responsible.

The increased reward was made possible by Crime Stoppers of Citrus County's partnership with the

Animal Legal Defense Fund, who has reportedly contributed an additional \$5,000 to the cause.

In January, "Guardians of the Galaxy" actor, Dave Batista, offered a \$20,000 reward to anyone who could catch those responsible. The Center for Biological Diversity, a national conservation organization, also offered a \$5,000 reward.

The animal was originally discovered in the headwaters of the Homosassa River and reported to federal authorities for having the

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## Senate pitches money for cleanup, Florida Forever

News Service of Florida

TALLAHASSEE — Senate leaders Wednesday offered a plan for using part of new federal stimulus money, including spending \$100 million to clean up a former phosphate plant in Manatee County and providing \$300 million to the Florida Forever land-preservation program.

The offer came as Senate and House leaders negotiate a roughly \$100 billion budget for the fiscal year that will

start July 1. Lawmakers are weighing how to use about \$10 billion the state will receive through the American Rescue Plan Act, a stimulus package signed last month by President Joe Biden.

The Senate offer Wednesday spelled out a proposal for spending \$3.29 billion of the federal money, after the House earlier made a \$7.94 billion proposal.

"What you see here is kind of what our thoughts

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**Around the STATE**

**Nebraska fugitive pleads guilty to ID theft in Florida**

OCALA — A man accused of fleeing a drug conspiracy charge in Nebraska more than three decades ago and living under a false identity has pleaded guilty to federal charges in Florida.

Howard D. Farley Jr., 72, pleaded guilty Tuesday in Ocala federal court to passport fraud, aggravated identity theft and operating as a pilot without a license, according to court records. He faces up to 15 years in prison.

Farley was arrested in November at his Weirsdale home, about 50 miles northwest of Orlando.

According to a criminal complaint, Farley applied for a passport last February using the name, birth date and Social Security number of a person who had died as an infant in 1955. He had previously used that identity in 2016 to obtain a pilot's license, officials said.

In 1985, Farley and 73 others were indicted by a federal grand jury in Nebraska. Prosecutors had alleged that Farley was the "drug kingpin" on a railroad line used to move narcotics throughout the U.S. Records show that Farley was the only defendant not apprehended in the case. Those charges were dismissed in 2014.

Fingerprints confirmed Farley's identity after his arrest, officials said.

— From wire reports

# Going above and beyond

*Detective recognized for contributions*

**HANNAH SACHEWICZ**  
Staff writer

Detective Tiffany Barry of the Citrus County Sheriff's Office (CCSO) was recognized Wednesday, April 21, by Attorney General Ashley Moody with the 2020 Distinguished Victim Services Award.

Barry was awarded for her contributions in serving crime victims, among the six other law enforcement officers in the state of Florida.

"I am truly humbled to be recognized with this award. I am passionate about the work I do and the investment I make in each one of my cases. To be able to advocate for victims is an honor and this award is an added bonus," Barry said. "I want to say thank you to Sheriff Prendergast and my supervisors for nominating me for this award and thank you to Attorney General Ashley Moody for selecting me as a recipient."

Barry was recognized for one stand-out case in particular. According to the CCSO news report, an unknown male entered a residence and exposed his genitalia to a 10-year-old child that was home alone on Sept. 23, 2020. The unknown male fled the area



From left are: Colonel Justin Ferrara, Sheriff Mike Prendergast, Detective Tiffany Barry, Captain Brian Spiddle and Lt. Matthew Baird.

before deputies arrived on scene.

Barry worked closely with the child to compose a sketch of the suspect and went door to door to conduct neighborhood canvases.

After multiple attempts, Barry obtained the name of the individual whose description matched the sketch.

Barry reportedly interviewed the suspect, who initially denied entering the child's residence and exposing himself. After

compiling a photo array containing the suspect, the child identified him as the male who entered the residence.

The mother of the child reportedly identified the suspect as a man she observed in her residential area following the incident.

After conducting a second interview with the suspect, Barry was able to obtain probable cause and place him under arrest.

"Detective Barry exemplifies the vision, mission

and values of the Citrus County Sheriff's Office and we are proud to have her represent this agency," Sheriff Mike Prendergast said.

"She showed great tenacity and perseverance in this case, refusing to give up on seeking justice for this juvenile victim. Detective Barry truly went above and beyond, utilizing every available resource and her efforts deserve to be recognized. Her inspiration actions reflect not only on the CCSO, but upon the profession of

law enforcement as a whole."

Barry also reportedly observed the family's financial situation and arranged for the child and their sibling to attend the CCSO annual Shop with a Cop event, where Christmas gifts and meals are given to families in need. When Barry found out that the family did not have transportation to the event, she drove them herself and arranged for the gifts to be delivered to their home.

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## SENATE

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are," Senate Appropriations Chairwoman Kelli Stargel, R-Lakeland, told reporters. "But it's still going to be an ongoing discussion."

Neither proposal includes a request by Gov. Ron DeSantis to use stimulus money to provide \$1,000 bonuses to teachers, principals and first responders.

Stargel said bonuses are still in the mix of discussions, adding that rewards for educators working during the COVID-19 pandemic could also come from money in the public-schools portion of the budget.

American Rescue Plan dollars that are unallocated would go into state general revenue.

"There's a possibility there'll be a significant amount of non-allocated GR," Stargel said. "So, we don't have to make all the decisions right now, right in this moment, this year, especially when it's contingent on funds we haven't even received yet."

The Senate and House proposals both would use \$2 billion of the federal money to offset losses during the pandemic to the state transportation trust fund.

Both also call for spending money on converting

from septic tanks to sewage systems, as the state looks to prevent contamination of waterways. But the Senate would spend \$500 million on the projects, while the House has proposed \$140 million.

The Senate also proposed nearly \$264 million for higher-education construction projects, \$100 million for the state

Emergency Operations Center and \$30 million for an African-American cultural and historical grant program. The House proposal didn't address those issues.

The House also didn't propose using stimulus money to clean up the former phosphate plant at Piney Point in Manatee County or to provide more

money to Florida Forever. The state rushed recently to prevent a potential catastrophe at Piney Point, as a reservoir leak threatened to lead to a deluge of contaminated water being released.

The House's proposal for the stimulus money is topped by \$3.5 billion to catch up on long-delayed

state building maintenance, a priority of House Speaker Chris Sprowls, R-Palm Harbor.

Another \$1 billion is proposed for an emergency preparedness and response fund; \$350 million would go to the state's Budget Stabilization Fund, which is a reserve fund; and \$92.6 million would be

used to update the state's troubled unemployment system.

Among other things, the House has pitched \$100 million for beach management and \$140 million for the Resilient Florida Trust Fund, which would be part of efforts to address sea-level rise and flooding.

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*Around the*  
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**TOO FAR meetings resume**

After a year of lockdown, the board of directors of TOO FAR have announced that regular meetings will resume at 6:30 p.m. April 22 at the TOO FAR headquarters, 9338 E. Gospel Road in Inverness.

The guest speaker will be Eric Williams, city manager for the City of Inverness. A report will also be given on the work that a TOO FAR committee is working on concerning a lake restoration project.

Meetings of TOO FAR, a water activist organization working to protect Florida's waterways for over 30 years, are open to the public. New HEPA filters have been installed in the building and guests will be asked to wear masks for the next few meetings.

Dessert and coffee will be available before the meeting begins.

For additional information, call 352-634-4216.

**Rebranded Rotary Club to convene**

The Rotary Club of Downtown Inverness will meet at 5:30 p.m. Thursday at Cattle Dog Roasters, 210B Tompkins St., Inverness.

County Commissioner Ruthie Schlabach will be the guest speaker, talking about what she sees as the future of Citrus County and why it was important to her to run for public office.

The cost of dinner is \$15 and includes a choice of entrees and salad and dessert.

For information, contact Doug Lobel at 352-400-0540 or email [douglobel@ryeflorida.org](mailto:douglobel@ryeflorida.org).

**Republican club to gather**

The North Suncoast Republican Club will meet at 9 a.m. Saturday, April 24, at the Homosassa Lions Clubhouse, 8385 Homosassa Trail.

Jimmie T. Smith, former state representative and county commissioner, will speak about veteran's advocacy. A short business meeting and Q and A will follow.

Coffee and refreshments will be available. Masks and social distancing guidelines will be followed.

For information, email [belkmic@earthlink.com](mailto:belkmic@earthlink.com).

**'Made for Trades' dinner coming up**

In conjunction with the Citrus County Education Foundation, Withlacoochee Technical College (WTC) presents their third Annual "Made for the Trades" dinner and auction from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Friday, May 7, at The Depot and water tower stage area at Liberty Park in downtown Inverness.

The event will feature live music, steak dinner, silent and live auctions, raffles and a cash bar.

This year's event features a VIP Hour from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.. VIP attendees receive a custom tumbler, free drinks and the opportunity to bid on special items. The cost of the VIP hour is \$25 in addition to a regular ticket and is limited to 75 participants.

Proceeds from this event will be used to further the education of WTC students.

WTC is accepting donated items for the auction and raffles.

CDC guidelines will be followed at the event.

Contact Ashley Smerecki at 352-726-2430 ext. 4316 or [smereckia@citrus.schools.org](mailto:smereckia@citrus.schools.org).

— From staff reports

# Man arrested after police chase

*Accused of possession of drugs*

**HANNAH SACHEWICZ**  
*Staff writer*

A 26-year-old man's run from Citrus County deputies ended with his arrest and the discovery of controlled substances and drug paraphernalia on April 19, according to a Citrus County Sheriff's Office (CCSO) arrest affidavit.

Gabriel Dalton Gandy of Hernando was arrested and charged with two counts of possession of a controlled substance, one count of possession with intent to sell, manufacture or deliver a controlled substance, one count of driving with a suspended or revoked license, one count of fleeing law enforcement, one count of leaving the scene with failure to remain at a crash with property damage and one count of possession of drug paraphernalia. Bond was set at \$13,000.

Deputies reportedly attempted

to conduct a traffic stop for excessive speed at the intersection of East Orchid Street and North Flower Terrace. The vehicle accelerated at a high speed away from the deputies, who activated their overhead emergency lights and sirens.

According to the report, the defendant abruptly turned onto North Delta Terrace, which dead-ends at a patch of woods. The defendant drove through the wooded area, exiting on East Tulipwood Lane, where he continued to flee the deputies. In doing so, Gandy reportedly cut through the front yard of a residence and ran over a street sign.

Deputies reported that Gandy continued to flee on North Carl G Rose Highway, before driving into a set of all-terrain trails in the woods across from East Adams Street. As deputies pursued the fishtailing vehicle on the trails, the defendant continued to evade them while narrowly avoiding collisions with trees.

After multiple turns and an unknown distance, Gandy's vehicle reportedly emerged onto North Redwood Avenue, where he accelerated to approximately 70 miles per hour in a residential area. Gandy was able to avoid the tire deflation device that deputies deployed at the intersection of East Millwood Lane and North Carl G Highway.



**Gabriel D. Gandy**  
 faces multiple charges.

According to the report, Gandy turned into another set of all terrain trails, where deputies were able to pursue the vehicle, while keeping him in their sight. Gandy emerged from the trails on East Buckskin Lane and deputies continued to chase him until the vehicle reached a dead end at East Blackberry Lane and North Pine Drive. Gandy's vehicle reportedly got stuck as he attempted to drive over a fence.

One deputy exited his vehicle and drew his agency issued firearm, according to the report. Gandy was commanded to get on the ground, to which he complied and was detained by deputies.

# Auburndale woman sentenced to prison, probation for deadly 2019 head-on crash

**BUSTER THOMPSON**  
*Staff writer*

Cheryl Lynn Reese began serving her punishment for driving impaired and causing a head-on crash that killed her passenger and severely injured the other driver.

Citrus County Circuit Court Judge Richard "Ric" Howard on Tuesday, April 20, ordered the Auburndale 62-year-old to a three-year prison sentence followed by seven years of drug-offender probation.

Reese already agreed to her sentence during a March 1 court hearing, when she pleaded no contest to a plea deal negotiated by attorneys to resolve her charges of vehicular homicide and DUI involving serious injury.

Howard allowed Reese's sentencing to be postponed so she could get her family affairs in order.

Florida Highway Patrol (FHP) troopers arrested Reese on July 29, 2019, in connection to the

deadly May 13, 2018, traffic crash in Lecanto, which killed Pamela Jean Allen and injured Kaitlin Jean Carroll-Cruz.

Prosecutors of the State Attorney's Office said FHP, Carroll-Cruz and Allen's family approved the arrangements of Reese's sentence — a downward departure from sentencing guidelines.

Prosecutors also amended Reese's original charge of DUI involving manslaughter to vehicular homicide.

As part of Reese's plea deal, Howard recommended the Florida Department of Corrections (DOC) house Reese at its Hernando Correctional Institution in Brooksville.

Howard also advised the DOC to enroll Reese in the facility's substance abuse program until she can be placed in its work release program "after an appropriate amount of time."

"We couldn't ask for more than that," Reese's attorney, Rose Feller, told the judge, noting the state prison is close to Reese's hometown, "and I think that would be best for Ms. Reese."

Before Howard announced her sentence, Reese thanked the judge and apologized.

"I'm so sorry all this has happened, and it should have never happened," she said. "I lost my best friend and sister at the time, and I hurt somebody else, and that's not my nature."

Assistant State Attorney Kevin Davis, who was filling in for lead prosecutor Rob Lewis on Tuesday, told Howard neither Carroll-Cruz or Allen's surviving relatives wished to address the court at Reese's sentencing. Davis also said the victims aren't seeking restitution.

Allen, Reese's 56-year-old passenger and childhood friend from Homosassa, died at the scene of

the head-on collision on State Road 44, near South Thayer Avenue, while Carroll-Cruz was hospitalized with fractures to her legs. Reese was also treated for serious injuries.

FHP learned Reese was intoxicated at the time her Pontiac Vibe traveled into the path of a Toyota Camry driven by then-23-year-old Carroll-Cruz, of Beverly Hills.

Davis told Howard on Tuesday analysis results of Reese's blood taken around the time of the crash showed the presence of alcohol, THC, benzodiazepines and opiates.

Feller immediately refuted Davis' statement, claiming Reese had a blood alcohol content of 0.0875, "right on the border" of Florida's legal BAC limit of 0.08, prompting prosecutors to come to the negotiation table.

Howard told Reese "it still comes down to the criminal law, and you have to pay for it."

"I take full responsibility for what has happened," Reese responded.



**Cheryl Lynn Reese**  
 sentenced for 2019 crash.

# Woman accused of driving drunk, striking deputy

**BUSTER THOMPSON**  
*Staff writer*

A Dunnellon woman was arrested for resisting a deputy's commands to leave a local school and striking the lawman with her vehicle and her feet — all while intoxicated and with a child in tow.

Michelle Ashley Babcock, 32, was booked into the Citrus County Detention Facility on Thursday, April 15, on charges of resisting a law enforcement officer with violence, aggravated battery of a law officer, battery of a law officer, child neglect without great bodily harm and DUI.

Babcock was jailed without bond for child neglect alongside a total \$21,000 bond for her other charges. She was scheduled to be

arraigned May 3 in court.

According to Babcock's arrest report, obtained Tuesday, a Citrus County Sheriff's Office deputy was standing at the entrance of Citrus Springs Elementary School at around 1 p.m. on April 15, when Babcock approached the building, "screaming profanities and behaving belligerently."

As the deputy is considered a victim in the incident, under Florida's Marsy's Law, their identity was redacted from Babcock's arrest report.

Sharen Lowe, the school's principal, asked the deputy to remove Babcock, and the deputy escorted Babcock back to her vehicle while

she continued to yell vulgarities and insults, according to her arrest report.

Lowe then asked the deputy through the school radio to trespass Babcock from the campus. When the deputy asked for her identification, Babcock kept yelling at the deputy, who noticed "a strong odor" of alcohol coming from Babcock.

"This odor, along with her behavior," the deputy wrote in Babcock's arrest report, "led me to believe the defendant may be under the influence of an alcoholic beverage."

According to Babcock's arrest, the deputy also spotted a child in the backseat of Babcock's

vehicle.

When the deputy asked her to exit the vehicle, Babcock refused, shifted her vehicle into drive, and accelerated while turning the steering wheel toward the deputy, who was then struck by the vehicle, knocking them back "several feet" before the vehicle came to a stop.

According to her arrest report, Babcock kicked the deputy several times in their groin when the deputy opened Babcock's vehicle door and ordered her to exit, before removing and handcuffing her.

After Babcock arrived at the county jail, according to her arrest report, she rejected to take a Breathalyzer test by refusing to leave her cell and cooperate with corrections officers.



**Michelle Ashley Babcock**  
 reportedly hit deputy with vehicle.

**Correction**

Due to a correspondent's error, a story in the April 14 edition of the Chronicle incorrectly stated who owns the Old White House, 3591 W. Gulf-to-Lake Highway, Lecanto. Flipet Investments LLC of Winter Garden is the owner, according to the Citrus County Property Appraiser's office. Peter Vega of Winter Garden said in a phone conversation he is the sole owner of Flipet Investments.

The Chronicle apologizes for the error.

Citrus County Chronicle to any errors in news articles by emailing [community@chronicleonline.com](mailto:community@chronicleonline.com) or by calling 352-563-5660.

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Birthday — Follow through with your plans. A productive strategy will push you into unusual territory. Strive to be and do your best. Don't settle for less when discipline and hard work can lead to so much more.
Taurus (April 20-May 20) — Size up whatever situation you face, and make a decision. Spending too much time on something you cannot change will end up holding you back.
Gemini (May 21-June 20) — Expand your options, be open to suggestions and make positive changes at home. Abide by the rules and take bureaucratic matters seriously.
Cancer (June 21-July 22) — Coordinate with people who bring out the best in you. What you learn and accomplish will encourage you to form a positive and prosperous plan.
Leo (July 23-Aug. 22) — Proceed with caution. Limit what you share with others. Be a good listener, and it will give you the competitive edge you need to get ahead.
Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Stand your ground and make things happen. Refuse to let anyone take charge or hold you back.
Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — Consider what you enjoy doing most, and head in that direction. Pick up a license, degree or whatever qualifications you require to improve your chance to advance in an area that excites you.
Scorpio (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) — Listen to your intuition. Put the past behind you, and concentrate on the people, places and pastimes that make your life better. Romance is featured.
Sagittarius (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) — Put your energy where it will bring the highest returns. Expand your interests and do something that makes you happy.
Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Take care of your responsibilities. Make changes at home that will make your life easier.
Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) — Think about what you are doing and the changes you can make to improve your current situation.
Pisces (Feb. 20-March 20) — An opportunity to change the way you work looks promising.
Aries (March 21-April 19) — Settle into something you enjoy doing, and an unexpected opportunity will come your way.

ENTERTAINMENT

Queen thankful for 'support, kindness' after Philip's death

LONDON — Queen Elizabeth II has expressed her thanks for all the "support and kindness" shown following the death of her husband, Prince Philip.
In a statement Wednesday posted on her Twitter account on her 95th birthday and which she personally signed off as Elizabeth R, the monarch said it has been "a comfort" to "see and to hear all the tributes to my husband" from within the U.K., the Commonwealth and around the world.

Philip, also known as the Duke of Edinburgh, died on April 9 at age 99. Family and friends gathered for his funeral at St. George's Chapel in Windsor on Saturday to say their final farewells.
"My family and I would like to thank you all for the support and kindness shown to us in recent days," she said in her first remarks since Philip's funeral on Saturday, which was limited to only 30 guests because of coronavirus restrictions.

Because of the limits on gatherings, the funeral wasn't accompanied by throngs of people arriving in Windsor to pay their respects to Philip.
However, the public have found other ways of getting their messages of support to the royal family. Floral tributes with cards and letters have been left at royal palaces, and an online book of condolences has been opened offering people across the globe the opportunity to share their memories of Philip.

"We have been deeply touched, and continue to be reminded that Philip had such an extraordinary impact on countless people throughout his life," she added.
Philip's death came a few months before his 100th birthday, which was due to be the focus of royal celebrations this year, while the queen's 95th was always set to be a more low-key event.
The queen said she had received "many messages of good wishes" for her 95th birthday, which she "very much" appreciated.
She is marking her birthday in a low-key fashion at Windsor Castle. Some members of the royal family are expected to be with her on Wednesday. Her birthday falls within the two-week royal mourning period for Philip that is being observed until Friday.
British Prime Minister Boris Johnson was one of many people who sent best wishes to the monarch.
"I have always had the highest admiration for Her Majesty and her service to this country and the Commonwealth," Johnson said on Twitter. "I am proud to serve as her prime minister."



Postcards with pictures of Queen Elizabeth II for sale in Windsor, England Wednesday. Britain's Queen Elizabeth II is marking her 95th birthday in a low-key fashion at Windsor Castle, just days after the funeral of her husband Prince Philip.

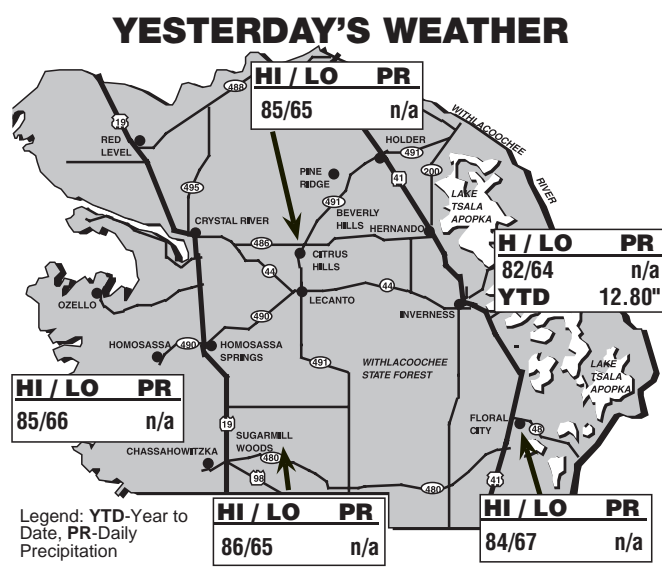
Arkansas to honor favorite son with Johnny Cash Day

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — The Man in Black is about to get his own day in Arkansas.
The Arkansas House on Tuesday gave final approval to a bill that would make Feb. 26 "Johnny Cash Day," voting 92-0 to send the measure to Gov. Asa Hutchinson, who will sign it, according to his office. The state Senate approved the bill earlier this month.
The day won't be a legal holiday but instead will be a memorial day marked by an annual proclamation from the governor.
It is the state's latest effort to honor Cash, who was born in Kingsland, a tiny town about 60 miles south of Little Rock. The Legislature in 2019 voted to replace its two statues at the U.S. Capitol with ones of the country music legend and of civil rights leader Daisy Bates. A fundraising effort is underway for both statues.

— From wire reports

Today in HISTORY

Today is Thursday, April 22, the 112th day of 2021. There are 253 days left in the year.
Today's Highlight:
On April 22, 2005, Zacarias Moussaoui pleaded guilty in a federal courtroom outside Washington, D.C., to conspiring with the Sept. 11 hijackers to kill Americans. (Moussaoui is serving a life prison sentence.)
On this date:
In 1864, Congress authorized the use of the phrase "In God We Trust" on U.S. coins.
In 1889, the Oklahoma Land Rush began at noon as thousands of homesteaders staked claims.
In 1898, with the United States and Spain on the verge of war, the U.S. Navy began blockading Cuban ports. Congress authorized creation of the 1st U.S. Volunteer Cavalry, also known as the "Rough Riders."
In 1970, millions of Americans concerned about the environment observed the first "Earth Day."
In 1994, Richard M. Nixon, the 37th president of the United States, died at a New York hospital four days after suffering a stroke; he was 81.
Ten years ago: Syrian security forces fired at protesters, killing at least 75 people around the country.
Five years ago: Leaders from 175 countries signed the Paris Agreement on climate change at the United Nations as the landmark deal took a key step toward entering into force years ahead of schedule.
One year ago: Tyson Foods suspended operations at a pork plant in Waterloo, Iowa, that was blamed for fueling a massive coronavirus outbreak in the region; the plant was critical to the nation's pork supply. (At least three workers at the plant died after contracting the virus, which infected more than 1,000 other workers there.)
Today's Birthdays: Actor Jack Nicholson is 84. Actor Amber Heard is 35. Rapper/singer Machine Gun Kelly is 31.



THREE DAY OUTLOOK
Exclusive daily forecast by:
TODAY & TOMORROW MORNING
High: 77° Low: 55°
Sunny and pleasant.
FRIDAY & SATURDAY MORNING
High: 82° Low: 64°
Partly cloudy and warmer.
SATURDAY & SUNDAY MORNING
High: 82° Low: 66°
Partly cloudy with a stray shower possible.

ALMANAC
TEMPERATURE
Yesterday 83/63
Record\* 94/39
Normal 84/55
Mean temp. 70
Departure from mean 4
PRECIPITATION
Yesterday 0.00"
Total for the month 4.26"
Total for the year 9.45"
Normal for the year 11.98"
\*Official record values from Tampa International
UV INDEX: 11
0-2 minimal, 3-4 low, 5-6 moderate, 7-9 high, 10+ very high
BAROMETRIC PRESSURE 29.97
DEW POINT
Yesterday at 3 p.m. 55°
HUMIDITY
Yesterday at 3 p.m. 39%
POLLEN COUNT\*\*
Today's active pollen:
Oak, bayberry, hickory
Today's count: 9/12
Friday's count: 8.7
Saturday's count: 9.9
AIR QUALITY
Yesterday observed Good
Pollutant Ozone

SOLAR TABLES
DATE DAY MINOR MAJOR (MORNING) MINOR MAJOR (AFTERNOON)
04/22 THURSDAY 6:56 9:43 7:59 10:08
04/23 FRIDAY 6:55 10:33 8:00 10:58

CELESTIAL OUTLOOK
SUNSET TONIGHT 7:59 pm
SUNRISE TOMORROW 6:55 am
MOONRISE TODAY 3:21 pm
MOONSET TODAY 4:10 am

BURN CONDITIONS
Today's Fire Danger Index is: MODERATE. There is no burn ban.
For more information call Florida Division of Forestry at (352) 797-4140. For more information on wildfire conditions, please visit the Division of Forestry's Web site: www.freshfromflorida.com/Divisions-Offices/Florida-Forest-Service/Wildland-Fire

WATERING RULES
For established lawns and landscapes, irrigation may occur during only one (1) of the specified time periods, 12:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m., or 4:00 p.m. - 11:59 p.m., on the allowable watering days below:
Addresses with house numbers ending in:
0 - 1 Monday 6 - 7 Thursday
2 - 3 Tuesday 8 - 9 or- Friday
4 - 5 Wednesday Common Areas

TIDES
\*From mouths of rivers \*\*At King's Bay \*\*\*At Mason's Creek
THURSDAY
City High Low
Chassahowitzka\*\* 2:40 a.m. 0.6 ft 3:40 p.m. 0.2 ft 11:06 a.m. 0.1 ft 9:02 p.m. 0.2 ft
Crystal River\*\* 12:28 a.m. 2.0 ft 1:58 p.m. 1.5 ft 8:20 a.m. 0.3 ft 8:19 p.m. 0.8 ft
Withlacoochee\* 11:41 a.m. 2.7 ft 11:07 p.m. 3.1 ft 5:48 a.m. 0.3 ft 6:01 p.m. 1.3 ft
Homosassa\*\*\* 1:17 a.m. 1.1 ft 4:16 p.m. 0.7 ft 10:48 a.m. 0.1 ft 9:01 p.m. 0.4 ft

FLORIDA TEMPERATURES
City H L F'cast City H L F'cast
Daytona Bch. 71 59 s Miami 80 73 t
Fort Lauderdale 82 72 t Ocala 77 54 s
Fort Myers 84 66 s Orlando 80 60 s
Gainesville 75 51 s Pensacola 69 55 s
Homestead 84 71 t Sarasota 82 63 s
Jacksonville 69 55 s Tallahassee 70 51 s
Key West 81 76 sh Tampa 82 62 s
Lakeland 80 60 s Vero Beach 79 65 pc
Melbourne 77 64 s W. Palm Bch. 79 74 pc

MARINE OUTLOOK
Today: Northeast winds around 15 knots then becoming north 5 to 10 knots early in the afternoon, then increasing to around 15 knots late in the afternoon. Seas 2 to 4 feet. Bay and inland waters a moderate chop.
Gulf water temperature 77°
Taken at Crystal River

LAKE LEVELS
Location WED TUE Full
Withlacoochee at Holder 28.06 28.09 34.64
Tsala Apopka-Hernando 37.25 37.28 38.66
Tsala Apopka-Inverness 38.34 38.36 39.73
Tsala Apopka-Floral City 39.53 39.55 41.37

Levels reported in feet above sea level. Flood stage for lakes are based on 2.33-year flood, the mean-annual flood which has a 43-percent chance of being equaled or exceeded in any one year. This data is obtained from the Southwest Florida Water Management District and is subject to revision. In no event will the District or the United States Geological Survey be liable for any damages arising out of the use of this data. If you have any questions you should contact the Hydrological Data Section at (352) 796-7211.

THE NATION
FORECAST FOR 3:00 P.M. Thursday
City WED THU City WED THU
Albany 45 31 0.16 47 31 mc New Orleans 75 57 0.00 68 59 s
Albuquerque 69 36 0.00 73 44 pc New York City 68 45 0.11 50 40 pc
Asheville 55 39 0.00 57 32 s Norfolk 78 57 0.06 60 39 s
Atlanta 59 51 0.00 64 46 s Oklahoma City 59 29 0.00 59 52 mc
Atlantic City 71 49 0.08 53 40 s Omaha 48 32 Trace 57 41 sh
Austin 68 44 0.00 71 64 mc Palm Springs 81 62 0.00 81 59 s
Baltimore 68 45 Trace 54 39 pc Philadelphia 73 46 0.01 53 38 pc
Billings 50 24 0.00 62 31 pc Phoenix 93 64 0.00 82 59 s
Birmingham 58 43 0.00 67 46 s Pittsburgh 41 32 0.10 48 34 mc
Boise 65 37 0.00 68 39 pc Portland, ME 60 39 0.13 43 36 mc
Boston 72 48 0.24 49 35 mc Portland, OR 78 46 0.00 64 45 mc
Buffalo 36 30 0.52 42 34 mc Providence, RI 70 47 0.07 48 34 pc
Burlington, VT 45 30 0.35 43 35 mc Raleigh 77 53 0.00 62 35 s
Charleston, SC 85 51 0.00 66 49 s Rapid City 46 17 Trace 51 29 pc
Charleston, WV 56 33 0.14 53 32 pc Reno 65 46 Trace 71 39 s
Charlotte 73 52 0.00 63 37 s Rochester, NY 36 30 0.30 43 34 ss
Chicago 49 34 Trace 56 41 s Sacramento 78 47 0.00 81 49 s
Cincinnati 46 33 0.44 53 35 mc Salt Lake City 57 45 0.00 62 42 s
Cleveland 40 35 0.29 49 38 pc San Antonio 72 48 Trace 69 66 cl
Columbia, SC 77 53 0.00 65 41 s San Diego 64 59 Trace 62 56 sh
Columbus, OH 44 32 0.32 50 33 mc San Francisco 64 52 0.00 60 49 mc
Concord, NH 61 34 0.45 43 32 mc Savannah 86 59 0.00 67 48 s
Dallas 63 37 0.00 67 59 cl Seattle 71 46 0.00 62 48 mc
Denver 35 25 0.03 54 33 sh Spokane 69 32 0.00 66 36 sh
Des Moines 47 28 Trace 59 42 s St. Louis 52 31 0.13 57 43 s
Detroit 45 32 0.08 51 37 pc St. Ste Marie 37 24 Trace 46 34 pc
El Paso 75 44 0.00 79 56 pc Syracuse 39 34 0.19 41 32 ss
Evansville, IN 54 32 0.15 59 42 s Topeka 49 33 Trace 57 44 sh
Harrisburg 64 43 Trace 49 35 pc Washington 70 46 Trace 55 39 pc
Hartford 69 39 0.14 48 33 pc
Houston 72 46 0.00 72 65 mc
Indianapolis 48 26 0.21 54 37 s
Kansas City 48 32 0.00 57 44 pc
Las Vegas 79 68 0.00 81 58 s
Little Rock 61 35 0.00 65 49 s
Los Angeles 64 59 0.00 66 54 mc
Louisville 49 33 0.42 56 38 pc
Memphis 57 35 Trace 64 49 s
Milwaukee 41 32 0.10 56 40 s
Minneapolis 43 28 Trace 62 43 s
Mobile 71 55 0.00 71 53 s
Montgomery 63 50 0.00 69 48 s
Nashville 54 36 0.09 62 43 pc

KEY TO CONDITIONS: c-cloudy; fg-fog; hz-haze; mc-mostly cloudy; pc-partly cloudy; ra-rain; rs-rain; snow; s-sunny; sh-showers; sm-smoke; sn-snow; ss-snow showers; t-thunderstorms

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## Obituaries



### Porter Downey, 95

INVERNESS

Porter Hanning Downey died peacefully on Monday, April 19th at the age of 95 in Inverness, Florida. Mr. Downey is predeceased by his wife, Elizabeth Dickie Young Downey, his sister Barbara Winecoff, and his sister Rachel Ann Bennett. Mr. Downey is survived by his sister, Janice Anderson of Farmington, Connecticut. Mr. Downey is lovingly remembered by his daughters, Lynne Downey Goldsmith (Robert) of Broomfield CO and Janice Anne Donoghue (Michael) of Plandome, NY, five grandchildren and two great grandchildren.



Porter Downey

Mr. Downey was born in Los Angeles, CA on March 13, 1926. He graduated from Canton High School, in Canton, CT and enlisted in the US Navy. After his honorable discharge in February, 1946, he went on to Wesleyan University in Connecticut, earning his BA in 1950. He and his father, William Downey jointly published the Farmington Valley Herald, until the elder Mr. Downey's death in 1955.

Mr. Downey had a distinguished career at a Life Insurance Company, an executive in public relations and advertising from 1955 until he retired in 1988.

Mr. Downey lived in Simsbury, CT most of his adult life serving in various capacities, including as Republican Town Chairman for the town of Simsbury. He was instrumental in protecting wetlands, and in the development of the McClean Game Reserve. He was also a Connecticut delegate to several Republican national presidential conventions. He and Betty moved to Florida in 1997 to enjoy the warm weather and golfing all year round. They were members of St. Margaret's church in Inverness.

A Requiem Eucharist will be offered on Friday, April 23, 2021 at 10:00 AM from St Margaret's Episcopal Church in Inverness and will be conducted by Fr. Eugene Reuman. Cremation care by the Chas E Davis Funeral Home with Crematory, Inverness, FL. Sign the guest book at [www.chronicleonline.com](http://www.chronicleonline.com).

### Julie Havre, 62

FLORAL CITY

Julie Anne Havre, age 62 of Floral City, FL passed away unexpectedly while visiting family in Windsor, OH, on April 16, 2021. Born in Cleveland, OH on January 24, 1959, to Dale and Carol (Vargo) Havre, Julie moved to Florida in 1983. A dog lover and gentle soul, Julie was devoted to her family. She was also an active member of Our Lady of Fatima Parish in Inverness.



Julie Havre

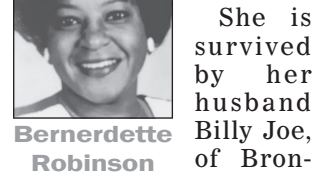
Left to cherish her memory are two children: Abbey Pomrenke of Jacksonville, FL and Megan Chmura of Inverness, FL; her mother, Carol Havre, Inverness, FL; brothers: Charles (Deborah) Havre, Tampa, FL, and John (Heather) Havre, Shaker Heights, OH; and sister, Cynthia (David) Preston, Bayshore, NY; and four grandchildren: Jaiden, Kamryn, Emmarie, and Zeke. She was preceded in death by her father, Dr. Dale Havre, MD (January 16, 2021), and her grandson, Evan Dale (2011).

The Mass of Christian Burial will be offered on Friday, April 23, 2021, at 2:30 PM at Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church with The Rev. Fr. Tim Cummings, celebrant. Burial will follow in Oak Ridge Cemetery, Inverness, FL. Friends may visit with the family Friday from 12 noon at the Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home until the procession departs for the church at 2:00 PM. Sign the guest book at [www.chronicleonline.com](http://www.chronicleonline.com).

### Bernerdette Robinson, 69

ARCHER

Mrs. Bernerdette Parker Robinson, 69 of Archer, Florida passed on April 14, 2021.



Bernerdette Robinson

She is survived by her husband Billy Joe, of Bronson, 4 children Connie Settles (Glenn), of Tampa, Timothy Coleman (Patrice), Robert Dennis both of Bronson and Avery Hopkins.

Services will be held on Saturday, April 24, 2021, 11am at American Legion, 26821 W Newberry Rd, Newberry, FL. Interment will follow in the Crystal River Community Cemetery. Wake will be held on Friday at St. John Baptist Church, 496 East Main St. Bronson, FL. from 6-7pm Carnegie Funeral Home Sign the guest book at [www.chronicleonline.com](http://www.chronicleonline.com).

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St. Margaret's Episcopal Church  
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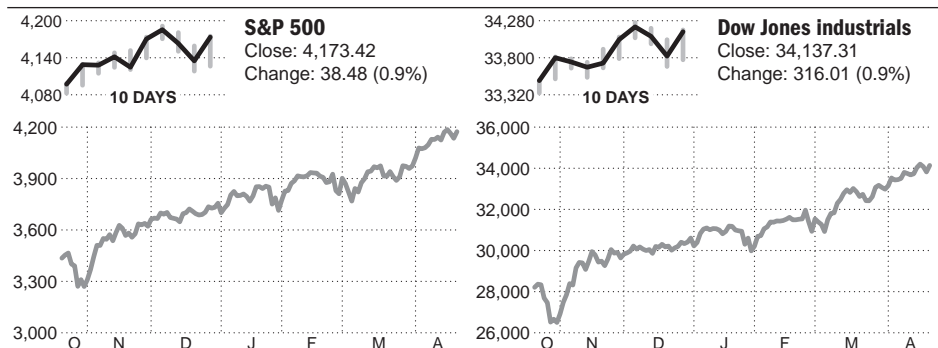
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Stocks of Local Interest

Table listing local stocks with columns for NAME, TICKER, 52-WK RANGE, HI, CLOSURE, CHG, %CHG, WK, MO QTR, %CHG, %RTN, P/E, DIV, and YTD.

Dividend Footnotes: a - Extra dividends were paid, but are not included. b - Annual rate plus stock. c - Liquidating dividend. e - Amount declared or paid in last 12 months. f - Current annual rate, which was increased by most recent dividend announcement. i - Sum of dividends paid after stock split. j - Sum of dividends paid this year. Most recent dividend was omitted or deferred. k - Declared or paid this year, a cumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m - Current annual rate, which was decreased by most recent dividend announcement. p - Initial dividend, annual rate not known, yield not shown. r - Declared or paid in preceding 12 months plus stock dividend. t - Paid in stock, approximate cash value on ex-dividend date. PE Footnotes: q - Stock is a closed-end fund - no P/E ratio shown. cc - P/E exceeds 99. dd - Loss in last 12 months.

Interestrates



The yield on the 10-year Treasury note stayed 1.56% Wednesday. Yields affect rates on mortgages and other consumer loans.

Table with columns for PRIME RATE, FED FUNDS, LAST, 6 MO AGO, 1 YR AGO.

Commodities

Energy prices fell, with U.S. crude oil losing more than 2% and natural gas down 1.3%. Silver jumped nearly 3% and gold rose 0.8%.



MutualFunds

Table with columns for FAMILY, FUND, NAV, CHG, YTD, 1YR, 3YR\*, 5YR\* for various mutual funds like American Funds, Dodge & Cox, Fidelity, Schwab, T. Rowe Price, Vanguard.

\* - Annualized; d - Deferred sales charge, or redemption fee. m - Multiple fees are charged, usually a marketing fee and either a sales or redemption fee. x - fund paid a distribution during the week.

Company Spotlight Dollars and scents

Shares in Inter Parfums had their best day in almost six months Wednesday after the perfume maker reported a big jump in first-quarter sales and raised its outlook for the year.



Abercrombie & Fitch, said it expects earnings per share of \$1.65 this year, up from its last forecast of up to \$1.45. The company reports its full first-quarter earnings on May 10.

Table with columns for Inter Parfums (IPAR), Wednesday's close: \$75.31, +5.35, Total return 70.0%, 1-yr 18.2, 3-yrs\* 21.0, Div. yield: 1.3%, Dividend: \$1.00.

Stocks end higher

DAMIAN J. TROISE AND ALEX VEIGA Associated Press

Technology companies and banks helped lift stocks on Wall Street broadly higher Wednesday, enabling the market to claw back some of its losses after a downbeat start to the week.



New York Stock Exchange traders work on the floor, Wednesday.

The S&P 500 rose 0.9%, snapping a two-day slide. Most of the companies in the benchmark index rose, with technology, financial, and health care stocks accounting for a big share of the gains.

Investors continued to work through company earnings reports while keeping an eye on bond yields, which eased lower. Small-company stocks far outpaced the broader market after slumping a day earlier.

"You had small-caps really get beaten up over the last few days, but today there's some relief, and that's pretty much enough to support everything else, at least for today," said Willie Delwiche, investment strategist at All Star Charts.

The Russell 2000 index of smaller company stocks, which has been outpacing the broader market all year, led the way higher, climbing 51.42 points, or 2.3%, to 2,239.63.

Health care stocks helped lead the broader market higher after several companies reported solid financial results. Surgical device maker Intuitive Surgical rose 9.9% after handily beating analysts' first-quarter forecasts.

"Those companies that meet or beat on revenue and paint a nice picture for the rest of the year are being rewarded," said J.J. Kinahan, chief strategist with TD Ameritrade.

Netflix slumped 7.4% for the biggest decline in the S&P 500. The video streaming pioneer disappointed investors with its latest report on subscriber additions, which came in below its own forecasts.

Investors are looking to justify the market's advance this year, despite the lingering pandemic and higher-than-normal unemployment. There are also signs of COVID infections increasing outside the U.S. in major economies such as India and Brazil once again.

The streaming video service reported weak subscriber growth during its first quarter.

The Dow Jones Industrial Average gained 316.01 points, or 0.9%, to 34,137.31. Both the S&P 500 and Dow hit all-time highs on Friday. The technology-heavy Nasdaq added 163.95 points, or 1.2%, to 13,950.22.

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For the RECORD

Citrus County Sheriff's Office

Arrests

Melinda Denise Edwards, 29, Inverness, arrested April 19 for drug paraphernalia. Bond \$2,000.

James Rondell Caldwell, 32, Spring Hill, arrested April 19 for possession of a controlled substance, possession cannabis (less than 20 grams) and drug paraphernalia. Bond \$4,000.

Gary Steven Babson, 40, Inverness, arrested April 19 for child abuse without causing great bodily harm. No bond.

Daniel Robert Parker, 33, Dunnellon, arrested April 19 for possession of a controlled substance. Bond \$2,000.

Justice Michael Gurrola, 22, The Villages, arrested April 19 for violation of condition of pretrial release (original arrest was for domestic violence). No bond.

Gabriel Dalton Gandy, 26, Hernando, arrested April 19 for possession of controlled substance, sell/manufacture or possession with intent to sell/manufacture/deliver controlled substance, driving while license suspended or revoked (knowingly - first offense), fleeing/eluding LEO with agency insignia and lights with sirens, leave scene/fail to remain at crash with property damage and drug paraphernalia. Bond \$13,000.

ON THE NET

For more information about arrests made by the Citrus County Sheriff's Office, go to www.sheriffcitrus.org and click on the Public Information link, then on Arrest Reports. Also under Public Information on the CCSO website, click on Crime Mapping for a view of where each type of crime occurs in Citrus County.

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 Matthew Desmond, American sociologist

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AFFORDABLE HOUSING

# Joint effort needed in fight for affordable housing funds

Citrus County has wrestled with finding enough affordable housing for its low-income residents and seniors living on tight budgets. Among the low-income residents are the county's most essential workers — teachers, firefighters, nurses and first responders.

To meet the affordable housing needs, the county depends on money from the state affordable housing trust fund. With new resident housing demand driving new housing costs and rents skyward, will the carving up of the affordable housing trust fund make Citrus County's affordable housing bleaker or brighter?

This is very important funding, but more important is how it is distributed. There are a lot of moving parts and a lot needs to be done.

One action that needs to be addressed is local government setting up zoning regulations, which encourages developers to do affordable housing. An example includes what Inverness did with the Colonnade Park Apartments.

The second part of the equation is the private

sector to include Realtors and homebuilders, both of whom supported the fund's creation and have called upon state lawmakers not to sweep the monies into other pots. Contractors can use these funds to create affordable housing complexes. Yes, those developers get a break if they meet certain regulations.

**THE ISSUE:**

Will money be there to help?

**OUR OPINION:**

Community needs an advocate.

There are models that are working, and even though people make a lot of money off it, it provides affordable, good product. There has to be an alternative of course.

Affordable housing is two-fold in both economic and health factors. If you do not have adequate housing, you're not going to score well in health issues.

Folks at both Habitat for Humanity Citrus County and the county housing department have done well in advocating for the necessity of affordable housing.

However, this problem has become much more significant in recent years and a more coordinated approach might work better.

Two voices becoming one can deliver a louder message. This is a higher profile need now that housing is in higher demand.

**Separation of church and state**

(Re the Wednesday, March 31, front-page News Brief, "Gov't Good Friday and Easter hours"): I read in the Chronicle that the Citrus County government offices, all county offices will be closed April 2 in observance of Good Friday and Easter and the library will be closed Friday, April 2. So I guess separation of church and state isn't really in the Constitution? I understand there's some disagreement about how it's worded in the Constitution, but it's easily accepted that we're supposed to have separation of church and state. Does the government close for Muslim holidays?....

**Can't we all get along?**

We have so many problems in the world today. Why can't we all just get along? We have this virus killing us, people killing us. ... God bless you all.

**Enforcement needed**

At Crystal Oaks subdivision, signs at both ends of Crystal Oaks Drive say, "No trucks over 10 tons" — never enforced. Speed limit's 35 — never enforced. Deed-restricted community — not enforced. Wake up, residents of Crystal Oaks. When this parkway is finished, it will be a racetrack instead of a (roadway) going through Crystal Oaks.

**The Homosassa homeless**

This is just a Sound Off to the people in Homosassa, specifically — not Inverness or Crystal River — concerning the homeless. I'm sure they have their own homeless problems with people on certain corners daily, every day, every day, every day, but I'm speaking specifically about here in Homosassa. My travels every day take me by at least two, sometimes three on their regular corners. I even know their first names. When I see people give them money and I happen to be there at that time and I go by them, we look at each other and laugh. I joke and I say, "I'm going to start me up one on that corner over there," and we'll laugh because we both know that if any of that money is going to go to food — if any — you can be guaranteed most of it's going to go to alcohol or drugs of choice...

**We are doomed**

I guess I'm in the final stages of grief. I accept

that we're doomed. Folks are acting like the pandemic is over while simultaneously, our head of the CDC is begging us to be careful because it isn't. Friday evening, I noticed every sit-down restaurant had a full parking lot. Every evening, local bars are packed. Even local festivals are being held with no concerns. Our local conspiracy theorists continue to spread anti-mask and anti-vaccine nonsense. So, let's face it; with so much ignorance surrounding us, we are doomed.



**Welcomed by the 'F' word**

I just want to comment on how bizarre it is that our county commission spends hundreds of thousands of dollars to try to promote new business into Citrus County when currently, right now on U.S. 41 — a gateway into Inverness — we have a sign up with the "F" word for all people and children to see. I know if I was going to bring a business to Citrus County, I would never bring a business to Citrus County after seeing something like that. Maybe that's something for the county commission to think about.

**Thanks for Palm Sunday breakfast**

Many thanks to the very nice couple who paid for our breakfast Palm Sunday at Joe's. It was certainly appreciated and will be paid forward. Thanks again.

**Thanks for stopping littering**

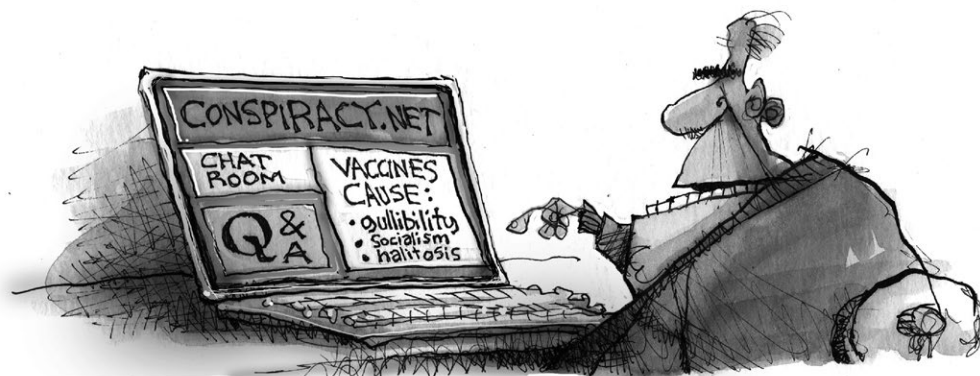
(Re the Wednesday, March 31, front-page story, "Sheriff goes viral for stopping motorist," "Prendergast seen on cellphone video making man pick up trash after littering"): Thank you, Sheriff Prendergast, for stopping that guy and making him pick up his trash. It's the best thing I've seen in a long time. The picture in the paper made my day. Thank you very much.

**Someone stole my toilet paper**

I went to a local store today to support our local businesses to purchase a package of toilet paper. I put the toilet paper in the back of my truck. I then went to a pizzeria to get lunch. While at the pizza shop, someone stole my toilet paper. Unbelievable someone could be that crass and cheap. I hope they have a digestive problem and use up my toilet paper quickly and have to go out and buy their own.



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ERADICATES HUMAN PROGRESS

LETTERS  to the Editor

**Student debt not gov't responsibility**

Why on earth should the taxpayer be responsible for paying off student debt? This was debt that someone incurred while preparing for a career to benefit that individual's future. A career where they plan on earning more than those folks who don't go to college.

If we want to pay for careers, should we buy new vans and tools for a person who would like to own a plumbing business.

If someone's career goal is to own a McDonald's, should we buy them a franchise and maybe the store.

Career choice is an individual's choice and paying for that choice belongs to that individual.

Of course, a person could always join the military and earn their tuition in that way. Amazing the far left wants to give for free what others go so far as to risk their lives to get.

Incidentally, the cost of paying for up to \$50,000 of student debt would cost approximately \$1 trillion. We would have to put that on the

government's credit card and that will just become more national debt that we soon won't even be able to pay the interest on.

Barry Stine  
 Homosassa

**Regulating noise pollution**

Airboats are a disturbance.

Then-Florida Attorney General Charlie Crist in response to Citrus County attorney Robert Battista dated Nov. 21, 2005:

Chapter 327, Florida statutes, and the administrative rules promulgated thereunder limit the authority of local governments to adopt noise abatement regulations and enforce those regulations on state waters. The county's authority to regulate is subject to the state's paramount power to regulate and control the use of its sovereign lands. A corollary to the requirement that regulations and restrictions of certain activities must be in furtherance of public health, safety, and welfare is that such regulation must not

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be in violation of constitutional protections afforded to the public for the use of, and access to, state sovereignty lands.

Therefore, it is my opinion, based on these considerations, that Citrus County is prohibited from adopting an ordinance creating a boating restricted area near residential properties for the purpose of vessel noise abatement outside of the specific

grant of authority provided in Chapter 327, Florida Statutes.

The county may wish to reconsider adopting an ordinance pursuant to the authority of section 327.65(2)(a), Florida statutes, that would allow the county to regulate noise pollution on vessels as provided in that section.

Michael Hays  
 Crystal River

## Businesses: Help wanted



Associated Press

This photo provided by Hannah Albert on Sept. 23, 2020, shows Steve Klatt, left, and Brandon Lapp, owners of Braised in the South, a Johns Island, S.C., restaurant and food truck business that is having trouble finding workers during the pandemic. Many small businesses find hiring more difficult because many would-be staffers fear contracting COVID-19 on the job or would prefer to live off unemployment benefits.

### Employers scramble for help as job openings go unfilled

JOYCE M. ROSENBERG  
Associated Press

NEW YORK — It looks like something to celebrate: small businesses posting “Help Wanted” signs as the economy edges toward normalcy. Instead, businesses are having trouble filling the jobs, which in turn hurts their ability to keep up with demand for their products or services.

Owners say that some would-be workers are worried about catching COVID-19 or prefer to live off unemployment benefits that are significantly higher amid the pandemic. Child care is another issue — parents aren’t able to work when they need to tend to or home-school their children. For some people, a combination of factors go into their decision not to seek work.

When Steve Klatt and Brandon Lapp set up interviews for their restaurant and food truck business, they’re lucky if one out of 10 or 15 applicants comes in.

“The people who do show up, all assume their unemployment is running out,” said Klatt, whose business, Braised in the South, is located in Johns Island, South Carolina. The maximum weekly unemployment benefits in the state are \$626 including \$300 in federal coronavirus relief payments; in some states, maximum unemployment is over \$700 a week.

Klatt and Lapp need 20 people to run the business well but have only five staffers. Former chefs, the owners and their wives are working in the kitchen and on the truck to keep things running. Klatt and Lapp recently decided to curtail their Sunday hours and

close Mondays to give everyone a break.

“The hit to the bottom line will be noticeable, but it’s not worth burning out the few awesome people we do have working for us,” Klatt said.

Businesses of all sizes are struggling with hiring even with millions of Americans unemployed and as increasing numbers of people get vaccinated and look forward to a more normal life. A Census survey taken in late March shows that 6.3 million didn’t seek work because they had to care for a child, and 4.1 million said they feared contracting or spreading the virus.

But smaller companies that often can’t offer pay and benefits as generous as larger companies have a tougher time.

“A shortage of talent is nothing new for small businesses, but the circumstances surrounding this shortage are entirely different,” said Jill Chapman, a consultant with Insperty, a human resources provider.

The National Federation of Independent Business found in a March survey of its own members that 42% had job openings they couldn’t fill. Owners cited higher unemployment benefits as one factor. And a study released last month by the National Bureau of Economic Research found that a 10% increase in unemployment benefits during the pandemic led to a 3.6% drop in job applications.

“Unemployment benefits allow workers to be able to wait longer before they take a job, which can make hiring harder,” said Ioana Marinescu, a University of Pennsylvania professor

who co-authored the study.

Jillian Melton was laid off from a Seasons 52 restaurant in Memphis, Tennessee, last spring when the pandemic shut the restaurant down. Melton, who had worked at the restaurant for seven years, can’t work a regular schedule; she has three children at home from school and she’s caring for her 93-year-old grandmother. Babysitters and nurses are in short supply.

Melton says employers need to understand that many workers have compromised immune systems or limited availability because schools and day care centers are closed. Some people, upended by the pandemic, are just looking for new lines of work, she says.

“All of it is just a hot mess,” she said.

Stonehedge Farms, a popcorn manufacturer in Dover, Pennsylvania, raised its hourly pay to \$13.50 from \$12 in hopes of attracting more workers but co-owners Shamon and Anthony Tsonis haven’t been able to find enough people to fill the factory’s two shifts. They have 30 staffers and need another 10; the Tsonises and their office staffers have to fill in at the factory.

Before the pandemic Tsonis could rely on one of three applicants showing for interviews. Now, it’s more likely to be one in 10.

“This would lead me to believe they are simply applying to meet the (job search) requirements of unemployment, which is frustrating. It’s frustrating because we need people, and it’s frustrating because it’s a waste of our time and resources for recruitment,” Tsonis said.

## Nation & World BRIEFS

### Prince Anniversary



Associated Press

Prince fans were invited to Paisley Park, 20 at a time, to pay respect to the legendary musician and artist during the 5th anniversary of his death, Wednesday, in Chanhassen, Minn. Lifelong fan Patrice Files of Detroit, Mich., wore clothing from head to toe to honor Prince adding he was “the soundtrack to her life.”

### Sheriff: Deputy fatally shot Black man

ELIZABETH CITY, N.C. — A North Carolina deputy shot and killed a Black man while serving a search warrant Wednesday, authorities said, spurring an outcry from community members who demanded law enforcement accountability and the immediate release of body camera footage.

Authorities wouldn’t provide details of the shooting but eyewitnesses said that Andrew Brown Jr. was shot while trying to drive away, and that deputies fired at him multiple times. The car skidded out of Brown’s yard and eventually hit a tree, said Demetria Williams, who lives on the same street and ran out of her house when she heard the gunshots.

“When they opened the door (to the car) he was already dead,” Williams told The Associated Press. “He was slumped over.” She said officers tried to perform chest compressions on him.

A car authorities removed from the scene appeared to have multiple bullet holes and a broken rear windshield.

The Pasquotank County Sheriff’s deputy was placed on leave pending a review by the State Bureau of Investigation, Sheriff Tommy Wooten II said at a news conference. Court records show Brown was 42 years old and had a history of drug charges and a misdemeanor drug possession conviction.

### Oxygen supply disruption kills 22 patients

NEW DELHI — Twenty-two COVID-19 patients on ventilators died in a hospital in western India on Wednesday when their oxygen supply was interrupted by a leak in a supply line, officials said.

Suraj Mandhar, the district collector, said the supply of oxygen has since resumed to other patients.

Fire officer Sanjay Bairagi said the leak was halted by

the fire service within 15 minutes, but there was supply disruption in the Zakir Husain Hospital in Nashik, a city in Maharashtra state that is the worst hit by the latest surge in coronavirus cases in the country.

India has reported a new record 295,041 coronavirus cases, as the daily death toll crossed 2,000 for the first time. Even with hospitals struggling, Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Tuesday advised state governments against imposing a harsh lockdown in favor of micro-containment zones as he sought to avoid another economic slump.

Overall, India has reported more than 15.6 million confirmed cases, the second highest behind the United States. The number of deaths stood at 182,553.

### Israel retaliates after Syrian missile attack

JERUSALEM — A missile launched from Syria struck southern Israel early Thursday, setting off air raid sirens near the country’s top-secret nuclear reactor, the Israeli military said. In response, it said it attacked the missile launcher and air-defense systems in neighboring Syria.

The incident, marking the most serious violence between Israel and Syria in years, pointed to likely Iranian involvement. Iran, which maintains troops and proxies in Syria, has accused Israel of a series of attacks on its nuclear facilities, including sabotage at its Natanz nuclear facility on April 11, and vowed revenge. It also threatened to complicate U.S.-led attempts to revive the international nuclear deal with Iran.

The Israeli army said the missile landed in the Negev region and the air raid sirens were sounded in a village near Dimona, where Israel’s nuclear reactor is located, and explosions were reported across Israel. The army later said the incoming missile had caused no damage.

— From wire reports

## Putin warns ‘quick and tough’ response

VLADIMIR ISACHENKOV  
Associated Press

MOSCOW — President Vladimir Putin on Wednesday sternly warned the West against encroaching further on Russia’s security interests, saying Moscow’s response will be “quick and tough” and make the culprits bitterly sorry for their action.

The warning during Putin’s annual state-of-the-nation address came amid a massive Russian military buildup near Ukraine, where cease-fire violations in the seven-year conflict between Russia-backed separatists and Ukrainian forces have escalated in recent weeks. The United States and its allies have urged the Kremlin to pull the troops back.

“I hope that no one dares to cross the red line in respect to Russia, and we will determine where it is in each specific case,” Putin said. “Those who organize any provocations threatening our core security interests will regret their deeds more than they regretted anything for a long time.”

Moscow has rejected Ukrainian and Western concerns about the troop buildup, saying it doesn’t threaten anyone and that Russia is free to deploy its



Associated Press

Russian President Vladimir Putin gives his annual state of the nation address in Manezh, Moscow, Russia, Wednesday.

forces on its territory. But the Kremlin also has warned Ukraine against trying to use force to retake control of the rebel-held east, saying Russia could be forced to intervene to protect civilians in the region.

“We really don’t want to burn the bridges,” Putin said. “But if some mistake our good intentions for indifference or weakness and intend to burn or even blow up those bridges themselves, Russia’s response will be asymmetrical, quick and tough.”

As Putin spoke, a wave of protests started rolling across Russia in support

of imprisoned opposition leader Alexei Navalny, and a human rights group said nearly 1,500 people were arrested. Thousands marched in central Moscow, where police blocked off a square next to the Kremlin. Police in St. Petersburg blocked off Palace Square, outside the Hermitage museum, and protesters instead massed along Nevsky Prospekt.

The politician, who is Putin’s most persistent critic and was poisoned with a chemical nerve agent last year, started a hunger strike three weeks ago to protest what he said was inadequate medical

treatment and officials’ refusal to allow his doctor to visit him. His supporters called the rallies as his health reportedly is in severe decline.

In his speech, Putin pointed to Russia’s moves to modernize its nuclear arsenal and said the military would continue to build more state-of-the-art hypersonic missiles and other new weapons. He added that the development of the nuclear-armed Poseidon underwater drone and the Burevestnik nuclear-powered cruise missile is continuing successfully.

In an apparent reference to the U.S. and its allies, the Russian leader denounced those who impose “unlawful, politically motivated economic sanctions and crude attempts to enforce its will on others.” He said Russia has shown restraint and often refrained from responding to “openly boorish” actions by others.

“Russia has its own interests, which we will defend in line with the international law,” Putin said during Wednesday’s address. “If somebody refuses to understand this obvious thing, is reluctant to conduct a dialogue and chooses a selfish and arrogant tone, Russia will always find a way to defend its position.”

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# At this wedding, the bride and groom were the crashers

Associated Press

SOUTHWEST RANCHES—Courtney Wilson and Shenita Jones invited family and friends to their “dream home and estate” for their weekend wedding celebration: the ceremony Saturday, brunch on Sunday.

There was just one problem: The couple didn’t own the 16,300-square-foot mansion and didn’t have permission to use it.

The suburban Fort Lauderdale estate had everything: a bowling alley, swimming pool with a waterfall, hot tub, tennis courts, a gazebo and an 800-foot bar. Wilson said it was God’s plan that the couple marry there.

But despite what the invitation inferred, the actual owner, Nathan Finkel, never gave them permission to hold the festivities there. He was stunned when Wilson showed up Saturday morning to set up and he called police, according to the South Florida SunSentinel.

“I have people trespassing on my property,” Finkel told a 911 dispatcher. “And they keep harassing me, calling me. They say they’re having a wedding here and it’s God’s message. I don’t know what’s going on. All I want is (for) it to stop. And they’re sitting at my property right

at the front gate right now.”

Two officers told Wilson he would have to leave. He did and no charges were filed.

“I don’t want to talk about it,” Wilson told the paper.

Finkel, whose late father was an early IHOP restaurant franchisee, has been trying to sell the property for two years, now listing it for just over \$5 million.

Wilson, posing as a potential buyer, toured the estate several months ago, said Keith Poliakoff, attorney for Southwest Ranches, the upscale suburb where Finkel resides.

“A few months later, this guy asked Nathan if he could use Nathan’s backyard for his wedding,” Poliakoff said. “Nathan said no.”

But that didn’t stop the couple from sending out elaborate invitations, detailing their love story: reconnecting 30 years after high school and how he proposed over pizza on Christmas Eve.

“The guy figured it was a vacant house and didn’t realize Nathan lived on the property in a different home,” Poliakoff said. “This guy had no idea he lived there. You know the shock that must have been on his face when he showed up at the gate and the owner was home?”

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The original cost to demolish and haul away the former bar and residential structure was slated to be \$6,000, but he told his council members it will cost at least another \$10,000 and maybe as much as \$20,000 to evaluate and clean the site.

Williams said the contamination is considered relatively small, but wanted the council informed.

Milton and Nadeen Kongque, of Hernando, both own the building and the city has been fighting with the couple for years to repair the buildings or demolish the abandoned structures. During the past year, the roof caved in at the building that was once Manning’s Bar more than 35 years ago.

The property already has liens and tax liens against it. The city attorney told the council it could just add the clean-up costs to the existing liens, but warned the city may never be reimbursed.

Councilwoman Jacquie Heper agreed the city had to move quickly to pump out the gasoline, oil, and



MATTHEW BECK/Chronicle

An excavator operator with Henley’s Grading, Inc. removes what is left of the former Manning’s Bar in Inverness Tuesday, April 14. The excavator is seen through the window of another blighted building marked for demolition later in the day.

water mixture. “I’m personally glad we caught it,” she said during the council meeting this week, and now the city can “clean it up and fix it.”

Williams said the septic tank had been capped off and no longer connected to anything and was at a loss as to where the petroleum came from or who poured it inside.

Williams said the Kongquees bought the property in 2005, but the septic tank is older.

Williams said he wanted to

keep the council abreast of the events.

Council president David Ryan thanked Williams and his decision to act swiftly.

“We’re committed to making this city better than when we (joined the council),” he said, and added that cleaning the damaged septic tank was something the council had to do.

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## REWARD

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word “Trump” scraped in algae on its back. At the time of the incident, U.S. Fish and Wildlife reported that the gentle giant did not appear to be seriously injured.

Manatees are a threatened species and are protected under the Endangered Species and Marine Mammal Protection Acts. Consequently, it is illegal to harass, wound or annoy manatees.

Any act that potentially injures, disturbs or causes a disruption to their behavior is considered harassment.

Those who violate the Endangered Species Act may face a maximum penalty of up to one-year imprisonment and/or a fine of \$50,000. Violations against the Marine Mammal Protection Act may result in up to one-year imprisonment and/or a \$100,000 fine.

“Although the manatee may not have suffered injuries, it is disheartening that someone has disturbed our community through such an ignorant act,” said Debbie Groff, president of Crime Stoppers, in a news release. “Crime Stoppers of Citrus County takes animal cruelty, and harassment, seriously and is asking anyone that may have knowledge of this crime to please contact our program.”

“We are hopeful with the increased reward and guarantee of 100% anonymity that someone will use this opportunity to do the right thing.”

The release also included a comment from Stephen Wells, executive director of the Animal Legal Defense Fund.

“It’s troubling that someone has interfered with a threatened species and there are laws in place to prevent this type of incident,” Wells said. “We hope the additional reward will reinvestigate the case — and a witness will come forward.”

Wells commended the U.S.



Special to the Chronicle

Crime Stoppers of Citrus County increased the reward for information regarding the “Trump” manatee to \$8,000, thanks to a contribution from the Animal Legal Defense Fund.

Fish and Wildlife Service and the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission for its continued attention to this case.

“We’re hopeful that the local community will come forward with any information they have regarding this crime,” he added.

To anonymously report information to Crime Stoppers, call 888-ANY-TIPS or CrimeStoppers.Citrus.com.

# Mommy Make-Over

Just in time for Mother’s Day May 9<sup>th</sup>

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## Eating With Purpose

Dr. Trupti Shinde is a Gastroenterologist at Gastroenterology Associates



## Ginger

Ginger is a spice that comes from the fresh or dried root of the ginger plant which belongs to Zingiberaceae.

This plant type belongs to the same family as turmeric and cardamom. It’s been produced and used in Southeast Asia for 5000 yrs.

Ginger is full of antioxidant properties and is loaded with nutrients and bioactive compounds. Ginger root has very high levels of antioxidants (3.85mmol/10g) surpassed only by pomegranate and some types of berries.

Ginger has medicinal properties which help in reliving stomach aches, diarrhea and nausea. It has also been used to fight flu and common cold.

Ginger contains 14 different bioactive compounds. Gingerol is one of them and is the most active. Gingerol gives the ginger its unique fragrance and flavor. Ginger and its metabolites have many effects in the gastrointestinal tract as they appear to accumulate in the digestive tract. Studies have suggested that ginger inhibits serotonin receptors and exerts antiemetic effect directly on the gut. Ginger has carminative effects, which helps to break up and expel intestinal gas. Ginger also effectively accelerates gastric emptying. That is why ginger is used in alleviating symptoms of nausea and vomiting associated with pregnancy, chemotherapy and some surgical procedures. Ginger also helps to treat sea sickness.

Gingerol with its bioactive properties it’s effective against oral bacteria and some respiratory viruses. It has shown to help in inflammatory diseases of gum like gingivitis and periodontitis.

Ginger root also has anti-inflammatory properties. Researchers believe that ginger has the ability to inhibit prostaglandins, leukotrienes and proinflammatory cytokines. Ginger reduces their levels and helps to decrease inflammation. Ginger oil is used to reduce inflammation in osteoarthritis and rheumatoid arthritis.

Ginger also has been well studied for its anticancer properties. Studies suggest that ginger compounds suppress proliferation of human cancer cells through the induction of apoptosis. Apoptosis is a genetically directed process of cell self destruction. Ginger helps to promote apoptosis of cancer cells.

Oxidative stress and chronic inflammation can lead to heart disease and accelerated aging. This can also be linked to age related cognitive decline and Alzheimer’s disease. Some animal studies have shown that ginger can inhibit inflammatory response. It also enhances brain function.

Ginger has so many benefits. It is a real super-food. It can be incorporated in the diet in many ways. I drink warm water with lemon, grated ginger and honey every morning. This concoction is an immune booster and reduces inflammation. You can also add ginger to juices and smoothies. After a long day a ginger treat is very soothing. Pickled ginger goes well with salads and sushi. The delicious noodle dishes and stir fry taste amazing with ginger. So try to incorporate this super-food in your diet.

Ginger can be a delicious way to add flavor in a healthy diet plan. I recommend use in moderation. If you want to start taking ginger a supplement then consult a healthcare provider.



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Gloria Yoder  
**THE AMISH COOK**

## Savoring spring

Everyone arrived at our small white, country schoolhouse. It was a day when everyone gathered to celebrate another successful school year.

We had taken very few days off throughout the term, so school was letting out early for the year. Children played happily on the playground, and smiles were as common as the cheery yellow dandelions on the lawn.

By 9:30, we were all seated, ready for the 20 children and two teachers to file in and share the program they had diligently practiced. It looked stunning with girls wearing raspberry dresses, and the boys gray shirts, all sewn by the teachers for year-end gifts.

In no time, Hosanna was begging to go sit with Julia.

"You may go sit with her when they're done with the program," Daddy assured.

After two congregational songs and a brief devotional by our deacon, the children stood to sing in beautiful harmony. Then, in perfect unison, they recited Max Lucado's story, "You Are Special," in poem form, with most of it written by my mother.

Next, Julia and the five other little girls sang a song. To my mother's heart, it was just too sweet.

I was amazed how perfectly they sang songs and recited all 21 verses of "You Are Special" in various increments. As soon as the last notes died away, Hosanna dashed up and into Julia's arms.

Next, there were the congratulations to the graduates, a word of thanks to the drivers who brought children to school, and finally, a prayer of thanks was offered for the food which had been prepared.

Nate Zehrs had graciously grilled chicken in honor of their daughter graduating eighth grade. Besides the delicious chicken, there were herbed potatoes, wedding salad, cheese-cakes, pie, and hot drinks.

The children and youths had scarcely finished eating when they rushed off to play softball, a highlight for all on our annual school picnics. The best game is the dads playing against their upper-grade children. Hats off to the upper-graders, they won!

For the pre-scholars, who are too young to play ball, we had a fishing game. First, we had activities for them to get their "fishing license." First, we talked about the word "praise" and introduced them to the verse, "Praise ye the Lord."

Soon they were saying what they're thankful for, then I repeated it, saying, "Yes! Thank you, Jesus, for Mom and Daddy!" (Or whatever they were thankful for.)

"See how easy it is to praise God? You just say, 'Thank you, God!'"

Next, we had a little discussion on how God also made our mouth to praise with songs and sang, "We Praise thee O God."

Last, when the children recited their little verse, they got their

"fishing pole" — a stick with fish-line string and a clothespin as the hook. They cast into the "pond," a large box.

Julia and one of her friends sat inside the box, fastening goodie baggies filled with snacks, balloons and a pair of sunglasses.

By the time we were done, finger foods and drinks were being set out for all to enjoy. There's always an extensive array of homemade goodies to choose from, along with ice cream cones and drinks.

Next, Stephen Wengerd showed the children a kite he brought along for them to watch.

Jesse, who loves heights, was utterly impressed. He didn't miss a beat, taking everything in with his big blue eyes.

Looking at Stephen, he said, "If I had one of those things (kites) fastened to my arms, I could fly way up there!"

All too soon, the day was over. Needless to say, when we returned home, Daniel and I made plans to put everyone to bed early; it had been a big day for everyone.

"You mean we are going to bed already?" Julia wanted to know, "I expected it to be only mid-afternoon."

Surely, time flies when you're having fun!

OK, so here you go with a salad we served at the program. It's always hit no matter what!



Photo courtesy of The Amish Cook  
**Ultimate Tossed Salad.**

### ULTIMATE TOSSED SALAD

- 1 head romaine or iceberg lettuce
  - 1/2 cup dried cranberries
  - 1 cup chopped bacon
  - 3/4 cup shredded mozzarella cheese
  - 1 1/2 cup corn chips
  - 1 cup dressing
- Mix all together, serve immediately with dressing.

#### Dressing:

- 1/4 cup vinegar
  - 3/4 cup vegetable oil
  - 1/4 cup mayo
  - 2 tablespoons prepared mustard
  - 3/4 cup sugar
  - 3/4 teaspoon poppy seeds
  - 1/2 teaspoon salt
- Mix and refrigerate.

This will keep in the fridge for months; with all the salads we eat, I make up to 10 batches at a time.

I also prefer using olive oil and healthy alternatives such as stevia instead of sugar.

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# Dining with a view



MATTHEW BECK/Chronicle

Wallace's at The Greenhouse Sassy Nicoise includes seared Ahi tuna, hardboiled eggs, green beans, olives, sweet potatoes, tomatoes, cucumbers, mixed greens and Champagne vinaigrette.

## Wallace's at The Greenhouse stresses safety with their fine food

JULIANNE MUNN  
Chronicle food writer

Rustic decor, an eclectic menu and friendly hosts highlight Wallace's at The Greenhouse south of Crystal River, enhanced with a soothing waterway view and acres of natural greenery.



Owner Wallace Phaire, right, sits with his wife Stefanie and Jamon Fisk at his Homosassa restaurant.

Like many newer enterprises in the Citrus County area, Wallace and Stephanie Phaire opened their restaurant just before the COVID-19 pandemic engulfed the world and took a toll on businesses everywhere.

But they rose to the challenge and say they have more than just survived, citing a renewed relationship with regular and new customers: "We have grown much closer to folks in the community during the past year," Phaire said.

The longtime chef honed his skills at the Johnson and Wales Culinary Institute before starting his 20-year career, noting his menu reflects his Caribbean heritage as well as his Latin, French and Danish ancestry.

Whatever your taste or craving, Wallace's will likely have it on the tempting menu, from such entrées as Bistro Duck Leg Confit with garlic mashed potatoes, honey truffle, citrus and fig mixed green salad, and black cherry gastrique, \$25; Blue Cheese Crusted Beef Filet, with demi glace, mashed potatoes and garlicky green beans \$28; and Hickory Dusted Double cut Pork Chops with ginger sweet potato mash, caramelized maple onion bacon jam and sautéed vegetables; and Shrimp and Grits with andouille sausage, charred corn and Cajun cream sauce, \$21.

"Handhelds" include Slow Braised Beef Grilled Cheese with caramelized bacon onion jam, argula and smoked Gouda, \$13; Truffle Caprese Grilled Cheese with tomato, Mozzarella, truffle honey, argula and Dijon mustard, \$12; and Calypso & Brie Chicken with Calypso-spiced chicken breast, Brie cheese, black cherry mustard on a toasted brioche bun, \$14, to cite just a few examples.

"Nibbles" include appetizer choices such as Spinach, Roasted Artichoke and Crab Dip, \$11; Dolmas, rice stuffed grape leaves, olives and tzatziki sauce, \$8; and Ahi Tuna Carpaccio with seared rare tuna, fried capers, wakame seaweed salad, wasabi aioli and honey siracha, \$12.

Tasty soups are the signature Onion Soup Gratinee, \$6; and Chef's Soup of the Moment, \$5.

The Phaires are natives of the Virgins. They have three children, Jamon, 22, who works at the restaurant, Madison, 6, and Marsden, 4. Stephanie Phaire previously taught at Forest Ridge



Parmesan pesto cod includes roasted cod with parmesan pesto, garlic mashed potatoes and sauteed vegetables.

Elementary School.

The lengthy epidemic hurled new challenges at the family, Wallace said, because Stephanie has serious health issues that must be addressed on a continual basis.

Health safety is a No. 1 priority here, he emphasized, and that includes daily temperatures of all employees, wearing masks, providing hand sanitizers for staff and guests and total adherence to all procedures advised by national, state and local advisers.

"We take care of every touch point regarding safety standards, there is no way I would subject my wife and children to any danger — or my customers" he emphasized.

Dealing with the health pandemic also incurred extra costs for the business, he said, especially the constant replacing of gloves, which are worn by all employees all the time and are discarded after each wearing.

The Greenhouse closed for about three months at the start of the pandemic so owners could make all safety adjustments to insure as much of a worry free atmosphere as possible, Wallace noted.

"We are humbled and blessed to be able to remain open," he said, "and we now do a lot of drop-off catering and managed to host four

weddings since the pandemic began."

For now, service is limited to a 50% capacity in the restaurant, but will go to 100% when safety permits.

Stephanie recommended reservations for those desiring weekly specials.

She said "We are very grateful that the temporary downsizing gave us time to get know people in our community better."

The sous chef is Josh Carol, who Wallace said has served with him in that capacity for the past several years.

It should be noted that Wallace makes his own spice blends, including Cuban oregano, and said many of his meals are gluten free.

The restaurant offers a full bar (with 50 wine choices), separate from the dining areas that seat up to 40 guests at tables amid a rustic wood decor.

Wallace's at The Greenhouse is on U.S. 19 south of Crystal River and Homosassa.

Hours are Wednesday through Saturday, from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Call 352-503-7276 for information about reservations for dining, special events and carry-out, and delivery. Major credit cards accepted.

## THE NUMBER: 11

Wins in a row for the Oakland Athletics with Wednesday's 13-12 victory over Minnesota, after starting the season with a 1-7 mark.



# SPORTS

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## Adebayo, Butler lead Heat by Spurs 107-87

### Third straight for Miami

Associated Press

SAN ANTONIO — Bam Adebayo scored 23 points while Jimmy Butler had 18 points and 11 assists to help the Miami Heat beat the San Antonio Spurs 107-87 on Wednesday night for their third straight victory.

Tyler Herro added 22 points for Miami, which has won nine of 13.

San Antonio was led by DeMar DeRozan with 15 points. Derrick White added 13 points, Dejounte Murray had 11 and no other player scored in double figures for the Spurs, who have lost five straight at home.

Butler, Adebayo, and Herro were all listed as questionable with leg injuries but contributed early for the Heat with Adebayo setting the tone offensively and defensively.

Cut from the Gregg Popovich-led USA Men's National Team in advance of the 2019 FIBA Basketball World Cup, Adebayo continued to make

his case for inclusion in the Tokyo Olympics this summer.

Adebayo was 8 for 12 from the field and 7 for 8 on free throws while scoring all his points in the first three quarters. The 6-foot-9 center also had eight rebounds, four assists and three steals in 31 minutes.

San Antonio had won two straight but was unable to continue the explosive offense it demonstrated on the road.

The Spurs shot 10 for 35 on 3-pointers and failed to score 100 points for the first time since losing to Denver 106-96 on April 7, a span of seven games.

### Wizards 118, Warriors 114

WASHINGTON — Stephen Curry had his first rough night in a month, and Bradley Beal rallied Washington in the fourth quarter for its season-best sixth straight victory, 118-114 over the Golden State Warriors in the first Wizards home game with fans in more than a year.

Coming off a historic 11-game stretch in which he

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San Antonio forward Keldon Johnson (3) drives to the basket Wednesday against Miami guard Duncan Robinson (55) during the first half in San Antonio.

Associated Press

## Panthers to finals

### Lecanto girls sweep singles for 5-0 regional semifinal victory

CHRIS BERNHARDT JR.  
Staff writer



LECANTO — The Lecanto girls will have to make a quick turnaround for Thursday's regional final. Fortunately, they made quick work of the opponent in Wednesday's match.

Hosting Osceola in a Class 3A Region girls tennis semifinal, the Panthers avoided having to play doubles by sweeping through all the singles matches, 5-0.

"I was very nervous because we hadn't had practice because of the rain," Lecanto girls coach Alice Christian said. "I was nervous if they were ready mentally or physically. But they did. They came out and played very well. Great match with my No. 4. She lost the first, came back and won the second set and won in the tiebreaker. That was awesome."

"For these girls, all of them it's their first year doing this, because I have a lot of young ones. ... So for all of them to experience this, it's amazing. I'm sure they're very excited."

As a result of this victory, the Panthers will again play host on Thursday, this time to Seminole, a 6-1 winner over Land O' Lakes in the other semifinal. There was originally supposed to be a day off in between the two

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MATT PFIFFNER/Chronicle

LEFT: Lecanto No. 2 singles player Nandini Karanam serves during her match Wednesday at home against Osceola in a Class 3A regional semifinal match. Karanam won to help the Panthers to a 5-0 victory. RIGHT: Shreya Lachireddy of Lecanto hits a backhand shot during her No. 4 singles match Wednesday at home. The Panther won in a third-set tiebreaker.

## 'Great day' for Lecanto Panther girls sit second in district track and field

CHRIS BERNHARDT JR.  
Staff writer

Lecanto track and field coach Peter Rausch put it simply and succinctly, as he evaluated how things went for the Panthers at the District 3A-6 meet.

"It was a great day for us," Rausch said.

The meet, held Wednesday at Cypress Creek High, technically isn't over. The pit used for long jump and triple jump was unusable because of rain, so those events will be completed on Friday at Sunlake High.

On the girls side, though, Lecanto is locked into second place with 121. Sunlake is out in front with 139 on the strength of its distance runners. Still, the Panthers won six events and had a regional qualifier (top four) in 12.

"It's been five years since Lecanto was the district champ or runner-up in track, so it's nice for the girls to do that," Rausch said. "We're very pleased with how it came out. There's a lot to be proud of."

Senior Celine D'Anna led the way for the Panthers with a first in the 100-meter hurdles (16.34) and another in the 300 hurdles, setting a new school record with a time of 46.61. She was also third in the 200 (26.49) and anchored the second place 4x400 relay.

Victoria Urbaez, Starr Mastin and Abigail Cochran were also part of that 4x400 that posted a time of 4:14.19. Urbaez added a first in the 1,600 (5:28.88) and a second in the 800 (2:24.72). Mastin came in first in the 400 (1:02.82).

Catalina Veldwijk crossed the finish line first in the

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## Citrus County FISHING REPORTS

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Staff writer

### FRESHWATER

**WITHLACOOCHEE/RAINBOW RIVERS/LAKE ROUSSEAU** — Captain Bob Jewett out of Angler's Resort in Dunnellon reports bass fishing is nice where the two rivers come together. There are bluegill on the Withlacoochee, biting on crickets, wigglers and small jigs. Bluegill are also hitting on the Rainbow, on wiggler worms. On Lake Rousseau, bass are being caught using wild shiners, and up the Withlacoochee they're biting on wild and domestic shiners or rubber worms.

**LAKE ROUSSEAU** — Bill Burgess of Lake Rousseau RV

and Fishing said bluegill and crappie are hit and miss. Catfish are out in the late evenings, catch them from the bank using catfish baits such as cut mullet or worms. Bass fishing is real good as a few are still spawning. Fish in good size and quantities are hitting on a lot of topwater baits such as Devil's Horses, poppers or Rapalas.

### SALTWATER

**HOMOSASSA RIVER** — Bill Korade of Blue Water Bait and Tackle said the redfish and snook bites are excellent around the outer islands, use cut bait such as mullet or ladyfish. Gold spoon is the artificial bait of choice. Trout are holding in 5-6 feet of water, hitting on light-colored plastics or shrimp under an equalizer. A few cobia

are showing up around the Bird Rack and shallow rock piles, and Spanish mackerel and bluefish are in the same area.

**KING'S BAY** — Captain Louie Argiro of Florida Fishing Adventures (352-601-1963, www.floridafishingadventures.com), based out of Pete's Pier in Crystal River, said, "We are looking forward to the last week of snook season before we turn our minds to the elusive cobias that should be flooding our waters in the coming weeks. With some beautiful weather we have seen great snook fishing and redfishing, of course."

"The best part about this time of year is there seems to be something to catch on all parts of the tide, whether it be extremely low where we go further out to target speckled trout or we go back into the mangroves

on higher tides to target snook and redfish.

"The offshore front has slowed down now until grouper and snapper season kicks in and we are looking forward to another great season on that end."

**Florida native and Citrus County resident Capt. Jodi Spaulding of Nature Coast Eco tours spotted one of her beautiful spotted seatrout she hooked up with on a nice spring day. It's nice once in awhile when captains get a day free and go play fishing. And with April supposedly being the second driest month of the year, I think we've sure had our share this month and week for sure. Pretty day this was to take advantage of between the rain and fronts.**

Photo provided by Capt. Rick Burns



MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

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ROUNDUP/MATCHUPS

Table with columns for American League East Division: W, L, Pct, GB, WC, L10, Str, Home, Away. Rows include Boston, Tampa Bay, Baltimore, Toronto, New York.

Table with columns for American League Central Division: W, L, Pct, GB, WC, L10, Str, Home, Away. Rows include Kansas City, Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit, Minnesota.

Table with columns for American League West Division: W, L, Pct, GB, WC, L10, Str, Home, Away. Rows include Oakland, Seattle, Los Angeles, Texas, Houston.

Table with columns for National League East Division: W, L, Pct, GB, WC, L10, Str, Home, Away. Rows include New York, Philadelphia, Miami, Atlanta, Washington.

Table with columns for National League Central Division: W, L, Pct, GB, WC, L10, Str, Home, Away. Rows include Milwaukee, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Chicago.

Table with columns for National League West Division: W, L, Pct, GB, WC, L10, Str, Home, Away. Rows include Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Diego, Arizona, Colorado.

Marlins 3, Orioles 0: Rookie Trevor Rogers didn't allow a runner past second base while pitching a career-high seven innings.

Braves 4, Yankees 1: Ian Anderson took a shutout into the seventh inning. Austin Riley homered and the Braves scraped by with just four hits to beat punchless New York. Corey Kluber (0-2) kept New York in it with his best start yet in pinstripes, but the Yankees lost for the sixth time in seven games due to a star-studded lineup that has almost entirely spaced out.

Phillies 6, Giants 5: Andrew Knapp hit the winning single in the ninth inning. Bryce Harper hit a tying solo homer in the seventh. Rockies 6, Astros 3: Austin Gomber got his first victory for the Colorado Rockies, allowing two hits over

six innings.

Nationals 1, Cardinals 0: Max Scherzer struck out nine to move up to No. 21 on the career Ks leaderboard, and Alex Avila drove in the game's lone run.

Rangers 7, Angels 4: Adolis Garcia hit a go-ahead, three-run homer in the eighth inning.

Brewers 4, Padres 2: Omar Narvaez hit a two-run homer and Jace Peterson added a solo shot.

Athletics 13, Twins 12: The Oakland Athletics extended their winning streak to 11, rallying from a two-run deficit.

Pirates 3, Tigers 2; Tigers 5, Pirates 2: Tyler Anderson pitched five strong innings in a doubleheader opener. Detroit rallied in the second game.

the Reds in 10 innings for their second win on Wednesday.

LATE Toronto at Boston Tampa Bay at Kansas City N.Y. Mets at Chicago Cubs Chicago White Sox at Cleveland, ppd.

TODAY'S GAMES

Arizona (Widener 1-0) at Cincinnati (Hoffman 2-1), 12:35 p.m. Pittsburgh (Brubaker 2-0) at Detroit (Ureña 0-3), 1:10 p.m. N.Y. Yankees (Montgomery 1-1) at Cleveland (Allen 1-2), 6:10 p.m. Seattle (Dunn 1-0) at Boston (Pivetta 2-0), 7:10 p.m. N.Y. Mets (Lucchesi 0-1) at Chicago Cubs (Williams 2-1), 7:40 p.m. L.A. Angels (Cobb 1-0) at Houston (Greinke 2-1), 8:10 p.m. Miami (Castano 0-0) at San Francisco (Sanchez 0-1), 9:45 p.m. San Diego (Weathers 1-0) at L.A. Dodgers (Buehler 1-0), 10:10 p.m.

BOX SCORES

Miami 3, Baltimore 0

Box score for Miami vs Baltimore. Includes batting, pitching, and fielding statistics.

Pitching and fielding statistics for Miami and Baltimore.

WP—Sulser. Umpires—Home, Marty Foster; First, Jim Wolf; Second, Shane Livensparger; Third, Mike Muchinski.

T—2:42. A—4,028 (36,742).

Atlanta 4, N.Y. Yankees 1

Box score for Atlanta vs New York Yankees.

Pitching and fielding statistics for Atlanta and New York Yankees.

WP—Klüber. Umpires—First, Manny Gonzalez; Second, Mike Estabrook; Third, Laz Diaz.

T—3:16. A—9,634 (47,309).

Pittsburgh 3, Detroit 2

Box score for Pittsburgh vs Detroit.

Pitching and fielding statistics for Pittsburgh and Detroit.

Umpires—Home, Pat Hoberg; First, Charlie Ramos; Second, Bill Welke; Third, Ben May.

Detroit 5, Pittsburgh 2

Box score for Detroit vs Pittsburgh.

Pitching and fielding statistics for Detroit and Pittsburgh.

Umpires—Home, Dave Rackley; First, Marvin Hudson; Second, Edwin Moscoso; Third, Larry Vanover.

Washington 1, St. Louis 0

Box score for Washington vs St. Louis.

T—3:01. A—7,769 (41,339).

Philadelphia 6, San Francisco 5

Box score for Philadelphia vs San Francisco.

Pitching and fielding statistics for Philadelphia and San Francisco.

Umpires—Home, Adam Hamari; First, Kerwin Danley; Second, CB Bucknor; Third, Ryan Additon.

Colorado 6, Houston 3

Box score for Colorado vs Houston.

Pitching and fielding statistics for Colorado and Houston.

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Washington 1, St. Louis 0

Box score for Washington vs St. Louis.

Umpires—Home, Ryan Blakney; First, Ron Kulpa; Second, Brian O'Nora; Third, Ryan Wills.

Arizona 5, Cincinnati 4

Box score for Arizona vs Cincinnati.

Umpires—Home, Jeremy Riggs; First, Jerry Meals; Second, Vic Carapazza; Third, Jansen Visconti.

Milwaukee 4, San Diego 2

Box score for Milwaukee vs San Diego.

Umpires—Home, Tom Hallion; First, Phil Cuzzi; Second, Cory Blaser; Third, Mark Ripberger.

Arizona 5, Cincinnati 4

Box score for Arizona vs Cincinnati.

T—3:40. A—15,250 (40,209).

Oakland 13, Minnesota 12

Box score for Oakland vs Minnesota.

Umpires—Home, Chris Conroy; First, Bill Welke; Second, Ben May; Third, Charlie Ramos.

T—1:55. A—7,461 (41,083).

Arizona 8, Cincinnati 5

Box score for Arizona vs Cincinnati.

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Umpires—Home, Dan Iassogna; First, Jose Navas; Second, Jeremie Rehak; Third, Scott Barry.

Texas 7, L.A. Angels 4

Box score for Texas vs Los Angeles.

Umpires—Home, Jordan Baker; First, Mark Carlson; Second, Chris Segal; Third, Brennan Miller.

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THIS DATE IN BASEBALL

1876 — In the first National League game, Joseph Borden of Boston beat the hometown Philadelphia team 6-5.

1898 — Theodore Breitenstein of the Cincinnati Reds and James Hughes of Baltimore each pitched no-hit ball games. Breitenstein no-hit the Pittsburgh Pirates 11-0 and Hughes no-hit the Boston Braves 8-0.

1934 — Chicago's Lon Warneke pitched his second consecutive one-hitter, beating St. Louis and Dizzy Dean 15-2.

1959 — The Chicago White Sox scored 11 runs with only one hit in the seventh inning of a 20-6 rout of the Kansas City A's.

1970 — Tom Seaver of the Mets struck out the last 10 Padres he faced for a 2-1 victory over San Diego. He gave up two hits and finished with a total of 19 strikeouts, tying Steve Carlton's major league record.

1993 — Chris Bosio pitched a no-hitter to give the Seattle Mariners a 7-0 win over the Boston Red Sox.

2007 — The Boston Red Sox hit four straight home runs against the New York Yankees, tying a major league record.

2008 — Atlanta's John Smoltz became the 16th pitcher in major league history to reach the 3,000-strikeout plateau in the Braves' 6-0 loss to the Washington Nationals.

2014 — Albert Pujols became the first major leaguer to hit his 499th and 500th homers in the same game, driving in five runs to help the Los Angeles Angels beat the Washington Nationals 7-2.

STATISTICAL LEADERS

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**BASKETBALL**

**NBA standings**

EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Philadelphia	39	19	.672	—
Brooklyn	39	20	.661	½
New York	33	27	.550	7
Boston	31	27	.534	8
Toronto	25	34	.424	14½

Southeast Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	32	27	.542	—
Miami	31	28	.525	1
Charlotte	28	29	.491	3
Washington	25	33	.431	6½
Orlando	18	40	.310	13½

Central Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Milwaukee	35	22	.614	—
Indiana	27	31	.466	8½
Chicago	24	34	.414	11½
Cleveland	21	37	.362	14½
Detroit	18	41	.305	18

WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Southwest Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Dallas	31	26	.544	—
Memphis	29	27	.518	1½
San Antonio	28	29	.491	3
New Orleans	25	33	.431	6½
Houston	15	44	.254	17

Northwest Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Utah	44	15	.746	—
Denver	37	20	.649	6
Portland	32	25	.561	11
Oklahoma City	20	39	.339	24
Minnesota	16	43	.271	28

Pacific Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Phoenix	42	16	.724	—
L.A. Clippers	41	19	.683	2
L.A. Lakers	35	23	.603	7
Golden State	29	30	.492	13½
Sacramento	23	35	.397	19

**Wednesday's Games**  
 Toronto 114, Brooklyn 103  
 Cleveland 121, Chicago 105  
 Indiana 122, Oklahoma City 116  
 Phoenix 116, Philadelphia 113  
 Washington 118, Golden State 114  
 Utah 112, Houston 89  
 New York 137, Atlanta 127, OT  
 Miami 107, San Antonio 87  
 Dallas 127, Detroit 117  
 Denver at Portland, late  
 Memphis at L.A. Clippers, late  
 Minnesota at Sacramento, late

**Thursday's Games**  
 New Orleans at Orlando, 7 p.m.  
 Philadelphia at Milwaukee, 7 p.m.  
 Phoenix at Boston, 7 p.m.  
 Detroit at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.  
 Charlotte at Chicago, 9 p.m.  
 L.A. Lakers at Dallas, 9:30 p.m.

**HOCKEY**

**NHL standings**

East Division						
	GP	W	L	OTpts	GF	GA
Washington	46	29	13	4	62	163
N.Y. Islanders	46	29	13	4	62	133
Pittsburgh	46	29	14	3	61	159
Boston	44	26	12	6	58	127
N.Y. Rangers	46	23	17	6	52	152
Philadelphia	45	20	18	7	47	128
New Jersey	45	14	25	6	34	115
Buffalo	46	12	27	7	31	111

Central Division						
	GP	W	L	OTpts	GF	GA
Carolina	45	30	10	5	65	146
Florida	47	30	12	5	65	152
Tampa Bay	46	30	14	2	62	153
Nashville	48	25	21	2	52	130
Dallas	45	19	14	12	50	130
Chicago	47	22	20	5	49	134
Detroit	48	16	25	7	39	107
Columbus	48	15	24	9	39	117

West Division						
	GP	W	L	OTpts	GF	GA
Vegas	45	32	11	2	66	150
Colorado	43	30	9	4	64	154
Minnesota	44	28	13	3	59	137
Arizona	46	20	21	5	45	123
St. Louis	43	19	18	6	44	124
San Jose	45	18	22	5	41	120
Los Angeles	43	17	20	6	40	118
Anaheim	47	14	26	7	35	104

North Division						
	GP	W	L	OTpts	GF	GA
Toronto	46	28	13	5	61	150
Winnipeg	45	27	15	3	57	144
Edmonton	44	27	15	2	56	141
Montreal	43	19	15	9	47	126
Calgary	45	19	23	3	41	118
Vancouver	39	18	18	3	39	109
Ottawa	46	16	26	4	36	126

NOTE: Two points for a win, one point for overtime loss. The top four teams in each division will qualify for playoffs under this season's temporary realignment.

**Wednesday's Games**  
 Chicago 5, Nashville 4, OT  
 Minnesota at Arizona, late  
 San Jose at Vegas, late  
 Montreal at Edmonton, late

**Today's Games**  
 Boston at Buffalo, 7 p.m.  
 Carolina at Florida, 7 p.m.  
 Columbus at Tampa Bay, 7 p.m.  
 New Jersey at Pittsburgh, 7 p.m.  
 Philadelphia at N.Y. Rangers, 7 p.m.  
 Toronto at Winnipeg, 7 p.m.  
 Washington at N.Y. Islanders, 7 p.m.  
 Dallas at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.  
 Colorado at St. Louis, 8 p.m.  
 Ottawa at Vancouver, 10 p.m.

**TRANSACTIONS**

**BASEBALL**  
**Major League Baseball American League**  
 BALTIMORE ORIOLAS — Placed OF Anthony Santander on the 10-day IL. Recalled OF Ryan McKenna from alternate training site at Bowie (Double-A Northeast).  
 HOUSTON ASTROS — Agreed to terms with C Martin Maldonado on a one-year contract for 2022.  
 MINNESOTA TWINS — Placed INF J.T. Riddle on the COVID-19 IL. Selected the contract of C Tomas Telis from taxi squad. Optioned LHP Lewis Thorpe to alternate training site.

**Florida LOTTERY**

Here are the winning numbers selected Wednesday in the Florida Lottery:

<b>PICK 2 (early)</b>	<b>PICK 5 (late)</b>
3-5	3-7-3-6-5
<b>PICK 2 (late)</b>	<b>FANTASY 5</b>
2-3	6-11-12-13-14
<b>PICK 3 (early)</b>	<b>LOTTO</b>
7-5-5	6-11-21-28-39-51
<b>PICK 3 (late)</b>	<b>POWERBALL</b>
1-3-1	21-25-32-63-67
<b>PICK 4 (early)</b>	<b>POWER BALL</b>
3-6-8-3	6
<b>PICK 4 (late)</b>	<b>CASH 4 LIFE</b>
1-5-4-4	12-14-22-23-32
<b>PICK 5 (early)</b>	<b>CASH BALL</b>
6-4-7-8-0	1

Tuesday's winning numbers and payouts:

<b>Jackpot Triple Play:</b> 4-8-11-13-17-30	5-of-5 No winner	<b>Fantasy 5:</b> 10-13-15-18-34
6-of-6 No winner	5-of-5 2 winners \$100,795.41	4-of-5 268 \$121
5-of-6 26 \$418	4-of-5 268 \$121	3-of-5 8,145 \$11
4-of-6 1,362 \$19	<b>Mega Millions:</b> 6-23-43-49-52	<b>Mega Ball:</b> 5
3-of-6 20,888 \$1	5-of-5 MB No winner	5-of-5 No winner
Combo10+ No winner	5-of-5 MB 3 \$10,000	4-of-5 25 \$500
Combo9 7 \$500	4-of-5 25 \$500	3-of-5 75 \$200
Combo8 83 \$50	3-of-5 75 \$200	3-of-5 1,740 \$10
Combo7 613 \$20	2-of-5 MB 1,618 \$10	2-of-5 MB 1,618 \$10
Combo6 3,190 \$10		
Combo5 11,552 \$5		
<b>Cash 4 Life:</b> 13-19-42-52-56		
<b>Cash Ball:</b> 1		
5-of-5 CB No winner		

On the AIRWAVES

**TODAY'S SPORTS**

**MLB**  
**12:30 p.m. (MLB)** Arizona Diamondbacks at Cincinnati Reds or Pittsburgh Pirates at Detroit Tigers  
**6 p.m. (MLB)** New York Yankees at Cleveland Indians or Seattle Mariners at Boston Red Sox  
**10 p.m. (MLB)** San Diego Padres at Los Angeles Dodgers or Miami Marlins at San Francisco Giants

**COLLEGE BASEBALL**  
**7 p.m. (SEC)** Arkansas at South Carolina  
**8 p.m. (ESPNU)** LSU at Ole Miss

**NBA**

**7 p.m. (FSNFL)** New Orleans Pelicans at Orlando Magic  
**7 p.m. (TNT)** Philadelphia 76ers at Milwaukee Bucks  
**9:30 p.m. (TNT)** Los Angeles Lakers at Dallas Mavericks

**GOLF**

**9 a.m. (GOLF)** European PGA Tour Gran Canaria Lopesan Open, First Round  
**3:30 p.m. (GOLF)** PGA Tour Zurich Classic of New Orleans, First Round  
**6:30 p.m. (GOLF)** LPGA Tour HUGEL - Air Premia LA Open, Second Round

**NHL**

**7 p.m. (SUN)** Columbus Blue Jackets at Tampa Bay Lightning

**COLLEGE LACROSSE**

**7 p.m. (ACCN)** Notre Dame at Duke

**PREMIER LEAGUE SOCCER**

**3 p.m. (NBCSPT)** Leicester City vs West Brom

**WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL NCAA TOURNAMENT**

**7 p.m. (ESPN)** Washington vs Kentucky, First Semifinal  
**9:30 p.m. (ESPN)** Wisconsin vs Texas, Second Semifinal

Prep CALENDAR

**TODAY'S PREP SPORTS**

**GIRLS TENNIS**  
**Class 3A Regional Finals**  
**3 p.m.** Seminole at Lecanto

**FLAG FOOTBALL**  
**District 1A-9 Quarterfinals at Belleview**  
**5 p.m.** No. 4 Lake Weir vs. No. 5 Belleview  
**6:15 p.m.** No. 3 Crystal River vs. No. 6 North Marion  
**7:30 p.m.** No. 7 Citrus vs. No. 2 Trinity Catholic

**TRACK AND FIELD**  
**District 2A-9 at Cypress Creek (Wesley Chapel)**  
**11:30 a.m.** Citrus and Crystal River  
**District 1A-9 at Northside Christian (St. Pete)**  
**9:30 a.m.** Seven Rivers

**BASEBALL**  
**6:30 p.m.** Seven Rivers at Newberry  
**6:30 p.m.** Citrus at Dunnellon

National League	FOOTBALL
ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS — Recalled RHP Humberto Castellanos from alternate training site. CINCINNATI REDS — Recalled RHP Art Warren from alternate training site. MIAMI MARLINS — Placed C Jorge Alfaro on the 10-day IL. Selected the contract of C Sandy Leon from alternate training site. Optioned RHP Nick Neidert to alternate training site. MILWAUKEE BREWERS — Signed INF/OF Dee Strange-Gordon to a minor league contract and assigned him to alternate training site. PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES — Optioned RHP Ramon Posso to alternate training site. Placed INF Jean Segura on the 10-day IL. Recalled INF Scott Kingery and RHP Spencer Howard from alternate training site.	NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE LOS ANGELES RAMS — Re-signed CB Darius Williams. SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS — Signed RB Wayne Gallman to a one-year contract. Signed DE Arden Key. SEATTLE SEAHAWKS — Agreed to terms with CB Pierre Desir on a one-year contract.
BASKETBALL	HOCKEY
NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION NBA — Suspended Indiana's F JaKarr Sampson one game without pay for headbutting an opponent during an April 19 game against San Antonio. Fined San Antonio G Patty Mills \$25,000 and F Rudy Gay \$20,000 for their actions in an on-court altercation during an April 19 game at Indiana.	NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE FLORIDA PANTHERS — Reassigned D Alec Rauhauser from Syracuse (AHL) to Greenville (ECHL) and C Brad Morrison from Indy (ECHL) to Syracuse (AHL). NEW JERSEY DEVILS — Assigned Cs Nate Schnarr and Brett Seney on loan to Binghamton (AHL) from taxi squad. NEW YORK RANGERS — Agreed to terms with F Karl Henriksson on an entry-level contract.
COLLEGE	GEORGETOWN — Announced G T.J. Berger entered the NCAA transfer portal. VANDERBILT — Named Michael Curry and Ed Conroy associate head men's basketball coaches.

**SPORTS BRIEFS**

**Florida's Johnson awaits medical clearance**

**GAINESVILLE** — Florida's Keyontae Johnson is "patiently waiting" on medical clearance while hoping to play next season. Johnson, a junior forward who collapsed on the court in December and spent 10 days in hospitals, added Wednesday that he has decided not to enter the NBA draft.  
 "I am progressing & steadily making progress daily in my health," Johnson said in a post he shared via social media. "I am patiently waiting on medical clearance. ... I plan to keep working to prepare for the upcoming season. My story continues to be written & driven by God."  
 The Southeastern Conference's pre-season player of the year slammed face-first to the floor seconds after coming out of a timeout during a Dec. 12 game at Florida State. Teammates, coaches, opponents and fans watched in shock as the Southeastern Conference's pre-season player of the year became a trauma patient.  
 His family said in early February that his medical condition was not related to a previous positive COVID-19 test.  
 The family did not say what doctors believe caused Johnson to crumple with no warning.

**Indy 500 to host 135,000 fans next month**

The Indianapolis 500 is set to be the largest sporting event in the world since the start of the pandemic with 135,000 spectators permitted to attend "The Greatest Spectacle in Racing" next month.  
 Indianapolis Motor Speedway said Wednesday it worked with the Marion County Public Health Department to determine that 40% of venue capacity can attend the May 30 race on Memorial Day

**Hagel scores in OT as Blackhawks beat Preds**

**CHICAGO** — Brandon Hagel scored 3:00 into overtime, and the Chicago Blackhawks rallied to beat the Nashville Predators 5-4 on Wednesday night.  
 Hagel also had two assists as Chicago beat Nashville for the first time in seven games this season. Malcolm Subban made 35 saves.  
 — From wire reports

**PANTHERS**

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rounds, but Tuesday's inclement weather caused a postponement.  
 "It's really good. I'm really excited. Everybody played good today. They fought," Lecanto No. 1 singles player Mirabelle Tahiri said. "I think we all just have to play our 'A' game and I think it will end up good for us."  
 Tahiri, who along with Nandini Karanam qualified for states last week by winning a district title at No. 1 doubles, breezed past Ana Lense, 6-0, 6-0.  
 "I served good, I played good," Tahiri said. "It was a pretty good match."  
 Kashin Mathur also won 6-0, 6-0 at No. 5, topping Sophia Taylor. Karanam beat Andriana Detsis at No. 2, 6-2, 6-3, and Jahnnavi Kompella clinched the team victory by knocking off Milica Ucakalo at No. 3, 6-1, 6-0.  
 Osceola came into the match short-handed thanks to the postponement. The Warriors were missing their

**GREAT**

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3,200 (12:22.06) and came in fourth in the 1,600 (5:41.45). She teamed with Urbazeb, Alex Garcia and Elise Leturno for a second-place 10:31.59 in the 4x800.  
 In field events, J'Niyah Crumbley got first in high jump with a 4-11. Liberty Lohmeyer took second in the pole vault (9-5 1/4) and Abcydee Rome was second in the shot put (33-4 1/2).  
 The boys are presently sixth overall with 46 points, but anticipate moving

**NBA**

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made 78 3-pointers and surpassed Beal as the NBA's scoring leader, Curry scored 18 points on 7-of-25 shooting, including 2 of 14 on 3s.  
 Beal scored 29 points.  
**Suns 116, 76ers, 113**  
**PHILADELPHIA** — Chris Paul scored 28 points, Devin Booker had 19 and Mikal Bridges 18 to lead the Phoenix Suns to a 116-113 victory over the Philadelphia 76ers.  
 Joel Embiid, who had 38 points and 17 rebounds, heaved a full-court shot at the horn that rattled around the rim and put the All-Star center on his back in disbelief over the near-make.

**Raptors 114, Nets 103**

**TAMPA** — Pascal Siakam had 27 points and nine rebounds, OG Anunoby scored 25 points and the Toronto Raptors seized control in the third quarter in a 114-103 victory over the Brooklyn Nets, extending their winning streak to four games.  
 Kyrie Irving had 28 points, 11 rebounds and eight assists for the Nets.

**Cavaliers 121, Bulls 105**

**CLEVELAND** — Collin Sexton scored 30 points and Darius Garland added 25 as the Cleveland Cavaliers never trailed in a 121-105 win over the Chicago Bulls, snapping a five-game home losing streak.  
 Lauri Markkanen scored 14 of his 16 points in the second half and Thaddeus Young had 14 points and eight rebounds for Chicago.

**Mavericks 127, Pistons 117**

**DALLAS** — Luka Doncic had 30 points and 10 rebounds, Kristaps Porzingis added 19 points and seven boards and the Dallas Mavericks beat the Detroit Pistons 127-117.  
 Jerami Grant scored 26 points for the Pistons, who haven't beaten a team with a winning record since a 108-102 win at Boston on Feb. 12.

**Knicks 137, Hawks 127 OT**

**NEW YORK** — Julius Randle had 40 points and 10 rebounds to lead the New York Knicks to a 137-127 overtime victory over the Atlanta Hawks.  
 The Knicks scored the first 10 points of the extra session and won their NBA-best eighth straight game.

**Tide charts**

	Chassahowitzka*	Crystal River**	Homosassa***	Withlacoochee*
	High/Low	High/Low	High/Low	High/Low
THURS 4/22	2:40 a.m. 3:40 p.m.	11:06 a.m. 9:02 p.m.	12:28 a.m. 1:58 p.m.	8:20 a.m. 8:19 p.m.
FRI 4/23	3:48 a.m. 4:27 p.m.	11:43 a.m. 10:48 p.m.	1:48 a.m. 2:52 p.m.	9:08 a.m. 9:14 p.m.
SAT 4/24	4:51 a.m. 5:08 p.m.	12:13 p.m. —	3:01 a.m. 3:34 p.m.	9:51 a.m. 10:06 p.m.
SUN 4/25	5:50 a.m. 5:49 p.m.	12:01 a.m. 12:37 p.m.	4:01 a.m. 4:12 p.m.	10:33 a.m. 10:58 p.m.
MON 4/26	6:45 a.m. 6:31 p.m.	1:06 a.m. 12:53 p.m.	4:56 a.m. 4:50 p.m.	11:14 a.m. 11:49 p.m.
TUES 4/27	7:37 a.m. 7:14 p.m.	2:08 a.m. 1:00 p.m.	5:46 a.m. 5:28 p.m.	11:54 a.m. —
WED 4/28	8:25 a.m. 7:59 p.m.	3:09 a.m. 1:01 p.m.	6:33 a.m. —	7:13 a.m. 7:17 p.m.

THURSDAY EVENING APRIL 22, 2021. Table listing TV channels (e.g., WESH, WEDU, WUFT) and their programs for each hour from 6:00 to 11:30. Includes program titles, genres, and cast members.

Annie offers advice

Dear Annie: I have friends and family who have traveled for vacations during the COVID-19 pandemic. My husband and I have taken trips during the pandemic, too, but only road trips, and we stay at Airbnb rentals (by ourselves). Some of my relatives, meanwhile, went to Hawaii, justifying it as helping Hawaii's economy. Some have



DEAR ANNIE

frown upwards of five times during the pandemic. Many even traveled during the holidays and got together with people outside their household for multiple days. These friends and relatives are not anti-maskers. They proudly tout all the extra safety precautions they take when traveling, and they get tested beforehand. But my husband is sickened by their behavior, and he's begun opting out of our weekly family Zoom calls. He says he's lost all respect for them.

He's saddened by this situation and isn't enjoying himself. He feels very alone in his quest to do the right thing, surrounded by those who prioritize themselves over the safety of greater society.

I'm disappointed in their actions, too — but not enough to cut them out of my life.

When we've pressed these relatives about why they feel the need to travel and take unnecessary risks, they say that our vacations have been just as risky; flying is safe (this is a big one); it's their prerogative; and they're not endangering anyone. They feel as though my husband is harshly judging and shaming them. And to be honest, he is.

I'm trying to support all parties involved. I'll never force my husband to be friends with people whom he doesn't respect — but at the same time, I'm grieving the loss of the unity between everyone. Thankfully, we live far away from these friends and relatives, and they're not really part of our regular daily lives. But the family members are people I like to see two or three times a year — and I'd like to visit them with a happy husband! Do I have to give up that fantasy? — Dealing with the Fallout

Dear Dealing: Remind your husband that there are folks who have been even more careful than you have, people who have barely set foot outside their yard, let alone left their town. They might consider your road trips reckless. My point is COVID-shame not, lest ye be COVID-shamed.

Still, it's not surprising that many of us have been so quick to judge during a year that has been so turbulent. Judging others gives us a sense of control. Hopefully, as the pandemic recedes and life eventually returns to normal, your husband will let go of these resentments. In the meantime, continue to talk with these friends and family as you normally would, paying no mind to his crankiness.

Dear Annie: Your column caught my eye when you printed a prayer for Lent about fasting from negative emotions. While reading, I even got a sheet of paper and divided it in two columns: one with the negative behaviors (to fast from) and the other with the corresponding positive behavior. As I looked at the poem and wrote down the points, I thought it would be a good start for new year's resolutions (and can be used by everyone): "Say kind words; be thankful or filled with gratitude; be patient; be filled with hope," etc.

This past year has really been one of testing and has been hard on many people to have a positive attitude. I thank the Lord for watching over us. — Bonnie

Dear Bonnie: Happy to hear you liked the poem, and I appreciate your letter as a reminder to stop and count my blessings. The days I feel the least like making a gratitude list are the days I need it the most.

Bridge

Phillip Alder Newspaper Enterprise Assn. My editor and I have had some discussions about changing English spellings to American when the original was penned by an Englishman — or, in this case, an Irishman. Recently, the Associated Press Stylebook has permitted greater flexibility, but I spotted an editor-endplaying quotation from Oscar Wilde: "It is clear that humor is far more superior than humor." (Curses! — editor.)

Two Englishmen are rehearsing "You say tomato, I say tomato." They pause, and one asks, "What's funny about that?" This deal features seriously good play by Tony Priday, who was one of England's best-ever players. East's opening showed a weak two-bid in either major: South's double promised a good hand, and North's three-spade cue-bid indicated a maximum pass. Against four hearts, West led the spade jack. South looked destined to lose two tricks in each major, but ... he carefully covered with dummy's spade queen. Otherwise, three rounds of spades, with West pitching a minor-suit card, would have defeated the contract. East won with the spade king, cashed the spade ace and shifted to a club to declarer's ace. Priday cashed the club king, then led the heart jack: queen, king, spade three. Declarer took three diamond tricks ending in the dummy and ruffed a club in hand. It was trick 10. Dummy had the A-5-4 of hearts and club nine, West held the 9-8-7-3 of hearts, and South retained the 10-6 of hearts, spade nine and diamond jack. Declarer led his spade, West ruffed with the heart seven, and dummy's club was discarded. West couldn't take another trick.

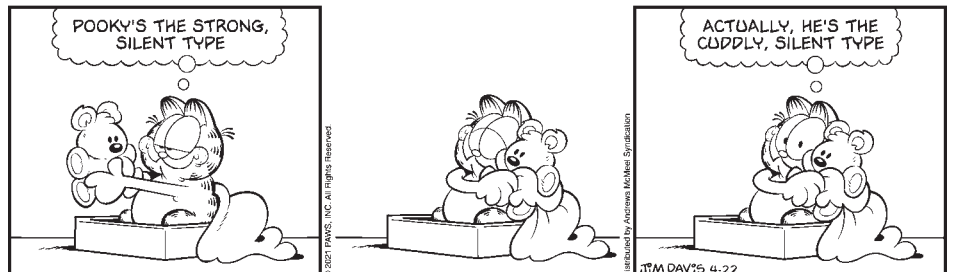
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Peanuts



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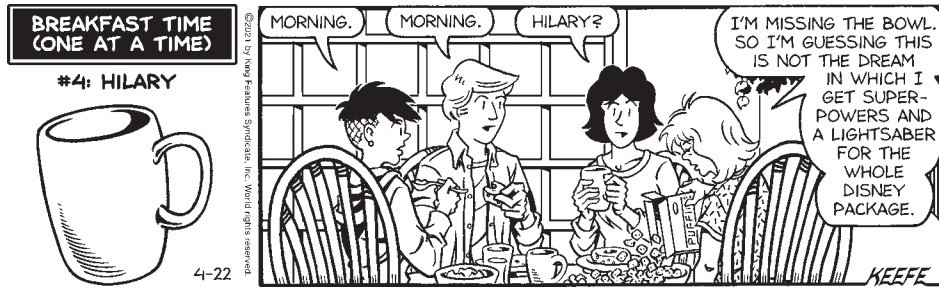
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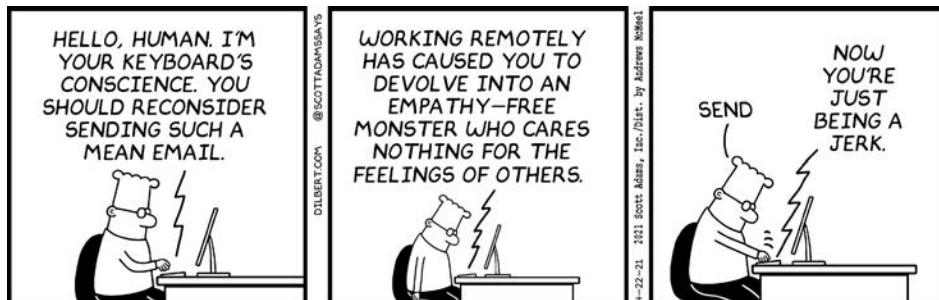
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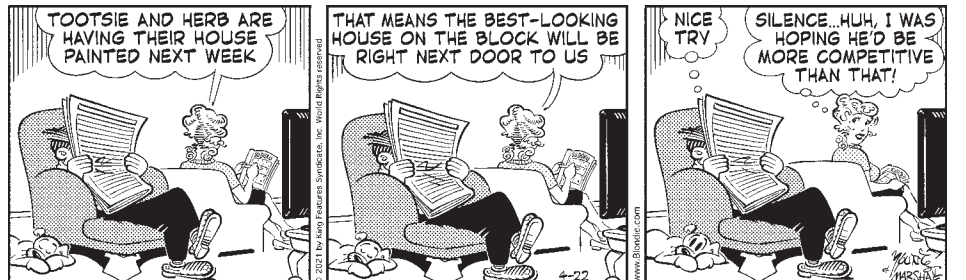
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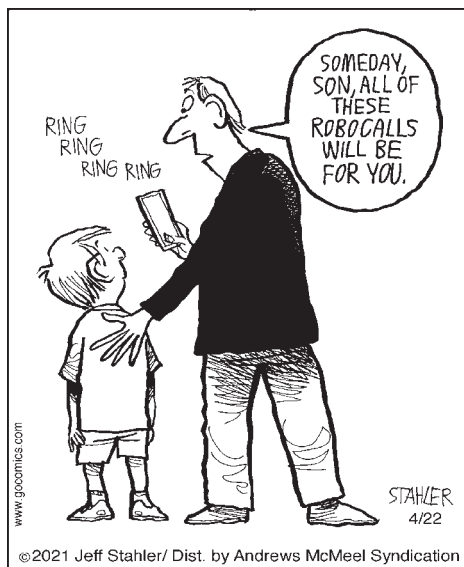
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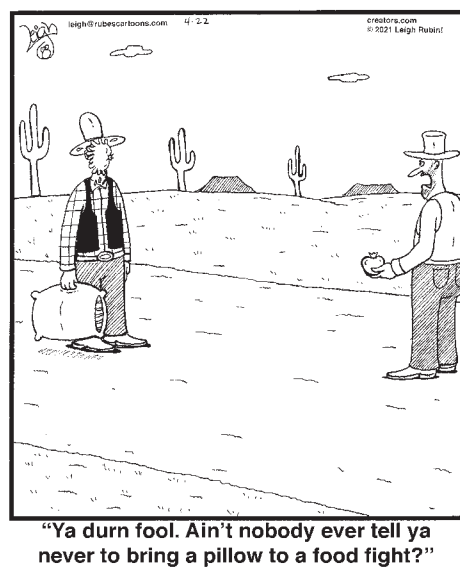
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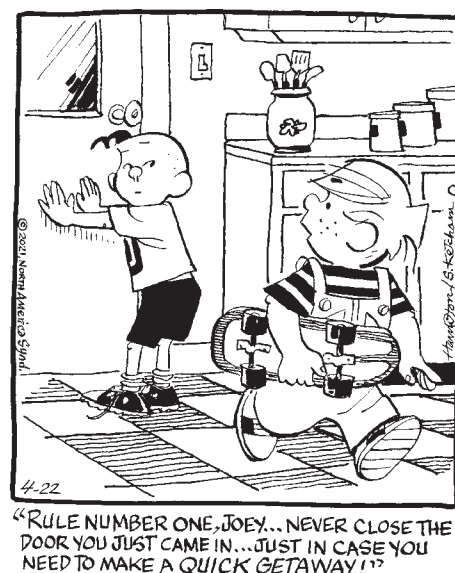
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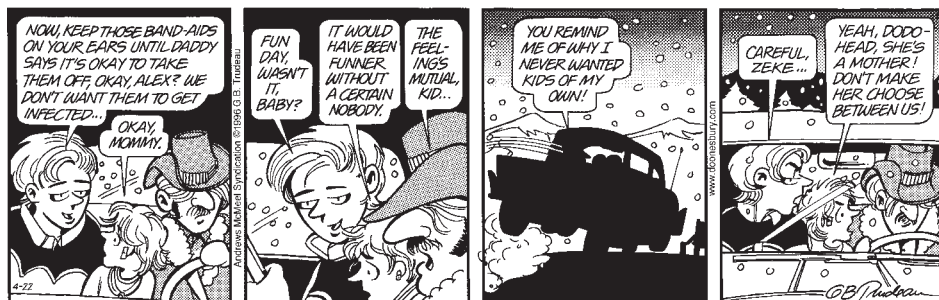
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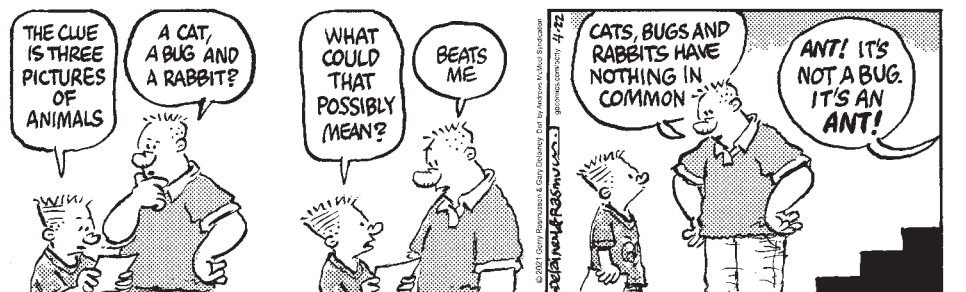
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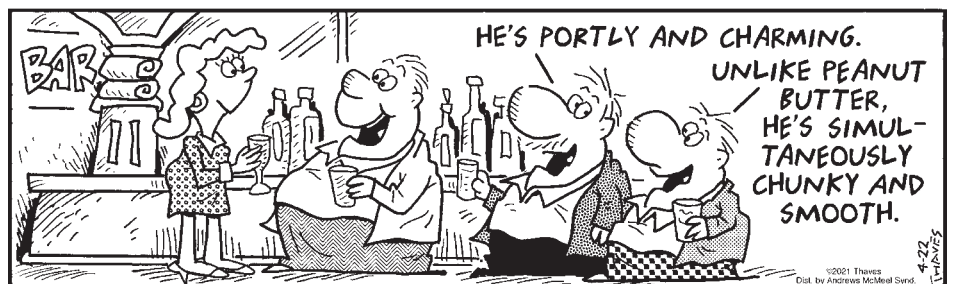
Betty



Big Nate



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CELEBRITY CIPHER by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

Today's clue: G equals F

"VZ RSLKS VBS EZARH XSVVSA VBLP OZY GZYPH NV, TZFSVNFST OZY BLKS VZ CNDJ YC ZVBSA CSZCRS'T VALTB."

— XNRR POS

Previous Solution: "Responsibility without power, the fate of the secretary through the ages." — Ariel Dorfman

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**8222-0506 THCRN** Ara Gamjian  
2021 CA 39 Notice of Action IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO.: 2021 CA 39

UNDERWOOD RESIDENTIAL GC, LLC, Plaintiff,

vs. ARA GAMJIAN; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ARA GAMJIAN, if any; CARMEN GAMJIAN; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF CARMEN GAMJIAN, if any; and UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES OR OTHER CLAIMANTS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST SAID DEFENDANTS Defendants.

**NOTICE OF ACTION: CONSTRUCTIVE SERVICE OF PROCESS - PROPERTY**

**NOTICE OF ACTION TO ARA GAMJIAN; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ARA GAMJIAN, if any; CARMEN GAMJIAN; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF CARMEN GAMJIAN, if any, whose residences are unknown.**

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action to quiet title has been commenced on the following property in Citrus County, Florida:

**Lot 9 of Block 1460 of CITRUS SPRINGS UNIT 27, a Subdivision, according to the Plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 9, at Pages 54 through 70, of the Public Records of Citrus County, Florida.**

**PARCEL IDENTIFICATION NO: 18E17S100270 14600 0090**

And has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on RICHARD MUTARELLI, JR., ESQ., the Plaintiffs attorney, whose address is Schatt, McGraw, Rauba & Mutarelli, P.A., 328 N.E. Is1 Avenue, Suite 100, Ocala, Florida 34470, on or before within 30 days of 1st publication date and file the original with the clerk of this court either before service on Plaintiffs attorney or immediately thereafter, otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint or petition.

Dated on April 8, 2021.

ANGELA VICK As Clerk of the Court

(COURT SEAL) By: J. Steelfox, Deputy Clerk

Richard Mutarelli, Jr., Esq. Schatt & McGraw, Rauba, Mutarelli, PA 328 N.E. 1st Avenue Suite 100 Ocala, FL 34470 (352) 789-6520

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**8220-0422 THCRN** Russell J. Grenier  
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CSMC 2018-RPL1 TRUST, Plaintiff,

vs. RUSSELL J. GRENIER; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF RUSSELL J. GRENIER; UNKNOWN PERSON(S) IN POSSESSION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY, Defendant(s)

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**LOT 6, BLOCK 72, BEVERLY HILLS UNIT FIVE, ACCORDING TO THE MAP OR PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9, PAGE 2, PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.**

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim before the Clerk reports the surplus as unclaimed.

Dated this 8th day of April, 2021.

Eric Knopp, Esq., Bar. No.: 709921 Kahane & Associates, P.A. 8201 Peters Road, Suite 3000, Plantation, Florida 33324 Telephone: (954) 382-3486 Telefacsimile: (954) 382-5380 Designated service email: notice@kahaneandassociates.com

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**8224-0429 THCRN** Daniel R. McDonald  
2020-CA-694 Notice of Action IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO.: 2020-CA-694

ITM INVESTMENTS, INC., an inactive Florida Corporation, ANTHONY TUBOLINO as successor in interest, Plaintiff,

v. DANIEL R. McDONALD, his heirs, devisees, legatees, grantees, assigns, lienors, creditors, trustees or other claimants, and all other parties claiming by, through, under or against the above named defendant(s), or any one of them who are not known to be dead or alive; and all unknown natural persons, if alive, and if dead or not known to be dead or alive, their several and respective unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, legatees, grantees, assigns, lienors, creditors, trustees or other claimants, or other parties claiming by, through, under or against those unknown natural persons, and the several and respective unknown directors, trustees or other claimants, successors in interest, shareholders, assigns and all other persons or parties claiming by, through, under or against any corporation (existing or dissolved, domestic or foreign) or other legal entity/ named as a defendant; and all other claimants, persons or parties, natural or corporate, or other form of legal entity, or whose exact legal status is unknown, claiming under any of the above named or described defendant(s) or party(ies) or claiming to have any right, title or interest in and to the lands hereafter described and involved in this lawsuit, and UNKNOWN TENANTS, Defendants.

**NOTICE OF ACTION:**  
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**NOTICE OF ACTION TO ALBERT MONACO; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ALBERT MONACO, if any; MARY MONACO; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF MARY MONACO, if any; and UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES OR OTHER CLAIMANTS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST SAID DEFENDANTS, Defendants.**

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**CITRUS SPGS UNIT 27 LOT 24 BLK 1484, OP THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.**

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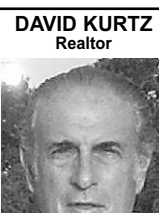
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209.97 feet to the Point of Beginning. RESERVING the South 25.00 feet thereof for roadway purposes.

**TOGETHER WITH AN UNDIVIDED INTEREST IN THE FOLLOWING 50.00 FOOT WIDE EASEMENT FOR INGRESS/EGRESS AND UTILITIES LYING .25.00 FEET ON EACH SIDE OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED CENTERLINE: Commence at the Intersection of the West line of Section 1, Township 17 South, Range 17 East, Citrus County, Florida and the South right-of-way line of Sunset Trail as shown on the Plat of River Bend, Unit No. 3, as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 89, Public Records of Citrus County, Florida and thence go South 01°14'32" East along the West line of said Section 1, a distance of 317.27 feet to a concrete monument at the most Northerly corner of said Smitty's Acres; thence continue South 01°14'32" East a distance of 75.00; thence go North 89°04'50" East a distance of 915.00 feet to a Iron rod at the Point of Beginning: thence go South 01°14'32" East along said centerline a distance of 681.22 feet to the center of Cul-D-Sac having a radius of 40.00 feet, a central angle of 282°37'36", a chord of 50.00 feet, an arc of 197.31 feet being the point of Terminus.**

AND

**Commence at the intersection of the West line of Section 1, Township 17 South, Range 17 East, Citrus County, Florida, and the South right-of-way line of Sunset Trail as shown on the Plat of River Bend, Unit No. 3 as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 89, Public Records of Citrus County, Florida, and thence go South 01°14'32" East along the West line of said Section 1, a distance of 317.27 feet to a concrete Monument of the most Northerly corner of said Smitty's Acres; thence continue South 01°14'32" East a distance of 75.00 feet; thence go North 89°04'50" East a distance of 915.00 feet to a Iron rod, thence go South 01°14'32" East, a distance of 390.00 feet to a Iron rod at the Point of Beginning: thence go South 89° 04'50" West along said centerline a distance of 1064.06 feet to the P.C. of a curve having a radius of 143.72 feet, a central angle 69°47'29", a chord and bearing of South 54°11'05" West, 164.43 feet; thence go along the arc of last said curve an arc distance of 175.06 feet; thence go South 19° 17'21" West a distance of 80.00 feet to the center of a Cul-D-Sac having a radius of 40.00 feet, a central angle 282°37'36", a chord of 50.00 feet and a arc of 197.31 feet being the Pont of Terminus.**

Dated this 13th day of April, 2021.

ANGELA VICK, Clerk & Comptroller

(COURT SEAL) By: Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

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**8224-0429 THCRN** Daniel R. McDonald  
2020-CA-694 Notice of Action IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO.: 2020-CA-694

ITM INVESTMENTS, INC., an inactive Florida Corporation, ANTHONY TUBOLINO as successor in interest, Plaintiff,

v. DANIEL R. McDONALD, his heirs, devisees, legatees, grantees, assigns, lienors, creditors, trustees or other claimants, and all other parties claiming by, through, under or against the above named defendant(s), or any one of them who are not known to be dead or alive; and all unknown natural persons, if alive, and if dead or not known to be dead or alive, their several and respective unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, legatees, grantees, assigns, lienors, creditors, trustees or other claimants, or other parties claiming by, through, under or against those unknown natural persons, and the several and respective unknown directors, trustees or other claimants, successors in interest, shareholders, assigns and all other persons or parties claiming by, through, under or against any corporation (existing or dissolved, domestic or foreign) or other legal entity/ named as a defendant; and all other claimants, persons or parties, natural or corporate, or other form of legal entity, or whose exact legal status is unknown, claiming under any of the above named or described defendant(s) or party(ies) or claiming to have any right, title or interest in and to the lands hereafter described and involved in this lawsuit, and UNKNOWN TENANTS, Defendants.

**NOTICE OF ACTION:**  
**CONSTRUCTIVE SERVICE OF PROCESS - PROPERTY**

**NOTICE OF ACTION TO ALBERT MONACO; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ALBERT MONACO, if any; MARY MONACO; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF MARY MONACO, if any; and UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES OR OTHER CLAIMANTS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST SAID DEFENDANTS, Defendants.**

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action to quiet title has been commenced on the following described property in Citrus County, Florida, to-wit:

**LOT 5 and 6, Block 295, Villa Terrace, Unit No. 9 of HOMOSASSA, as per plat thereof as recorded in PLAT BOOK 1, Page 50, Public Records, together with a mobile home located thereof as a fixture and appurtenance thereto.**

**Altkey: 3369307 Parcel ID: 17E19S220090 02950 0050**

has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defense, if any, to it on Plaintiffs attorney, ROBERT S. CHRISTENSEN, PO Box 415, Homosassa, FL 34447, within THIRTY (30) days of the first publication, and file the original with the Clerk of Court, 110 N. Apopka Ave, Inverness, FL, 34450, either before service on the Plaintiffs Attorney or immediately thereafter: otherwise a Default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

DATED: April 14, 2021.

ANGELA VICK, CLERK OF COURT

(COURT SEAL) By: J. Steelfox, Deputy Clerk

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**8219-0422 THCRN** Robert Sciarra  
09-2012-CA-001931 Notice of action  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL ACTION  
CASE NO.: 09-2012-CA-001931 DIVISION:

U.S. BANK TRUST, N.A., AS TRUSTEE FOR LSF9 MASTER PARTICIPATION,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
ROBERT SCIARRA, et al,  
Defendant(s).

**NOTICE OF ACTION**

**To: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVEISES, GRANTEEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER, OR AGAINST, KIMBERLY A. SCIARRA, DECEASED**

Last Known Address: Unknown  
Current Address: Unknown

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose a mortgage on the following property in Citrus County, Florida:

LOT 4, BLOCK 2, ROYAL OAKS, ACCORDING TO PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 13, PAGE 51 THROUGH 54, INCLUSIVE, PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.  
A/K/A 6861 E DOWNING ST, INVERNESS, FL 34452

has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses within 30 days after the first publication, if any, on Albertelli Law, Plaintiff's attorney, whose address is P.O. Box 23028, Tampa, FL 33623, and file the original with this Court either before service on Plaintiff's attorney, or immediately thereafter; otherwise, a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint or petition.

This notice shall be published once a week for two consecutive weeks in the Citrus County Chronicle.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of this court on this 6 day of April, 2021.

Clerk of the Circuit Court

(COURT SEAL)

By: Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

**\*\*See the Americans with Disabilities Act**  
If you are a person with a disability who needs an accommodation in order to participate in a proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator for the Courts within 2 working days of your receipt of your notice to appear in Court at: Citrus County, John Sullivan, (352) 341-6700.

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<b>8215-0422 THCRN</b> Kathryn Eddleston Estate 2018 CA 001061 A Re-Notice of Sale IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 5TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO. 2018 CA 001061 A
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U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS SUCCESSOR IN INTEREST TO BANK OF AMERICA NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO LASALLE BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE C-BASS MORTGAGE LOAN ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-CB5,  
Plaintiff,

vs.  
THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, DEVEISES, GRANTEEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES, AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING AN INTEREST BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE ESTATE OF KATHRYN EDDLESTON A/K/A KATHRYN S. EDDLESTON A/K/A KATHRYN C. EDDLESTON, DECEASE; RICHARD COLEMAN, JR., Defendant(s).

**RE-NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 45**

NOTICE OF SALE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the order of Summary Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated August 6, 2020, and entered in Case No. 2018 CA 001061 A of the Circuit Court of the 5th Judicial Circuit in and for Citrus County, Florida, wherein U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS SUCCESSOR IN INTEREST TO BANK OF AMERICA NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO LASALLE BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE C-BASS MORTGAGE LOAN ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-CB5, is Plaintiff and the UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, DEVEISES, GRANTEEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES, AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING AN INTEREST BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE ESTATE OF KATHRYN EDDLESTON A/K/A KATHRYN S. EDDLESTON A/K/A KATHRYN C. EDDLESTON, DECEASE; RICHARD COLEMAN, JR., are Defendants, the Office of the Clerk, Citrus County Clerk of the Court will sell to the highest bidder or bidders via online auction at www.citrus.realforeclose.com at 10:00 a.m. on the 13th day of May, 2021, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

**THE NORTH 1/2 OF LOT 9 OF GULF HIGHWAY LAND UNIT 9 SECTION 1, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 4, PAGE(S) 133, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.**

**Property Address: 7264 S. Finale Pt., Homosassa, Florida 34446**

**and all fixtures and personal property located therein or thereon, which are included as security in Plaintiff's mortgage.**

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus funds from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim before the clerk reports the surplus as unclaimed.

If you are a person with a disability who needs an accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator at the Office of the Trial Court Administrator, Citrus County Courthouse, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450, Telephone (352) 341-6700, at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

Dated January 04, 2021.

McCabe, Weisberg & Conway, LLC  
By: /s/ Robert A. McLain, Esq. FBN: 195121  
McCabe, Weisberg & Conway, LLC  
500 S. Australian Avenue, Suite 1000  
West Palm Beach, Florida, 33401  
(561) 713-1400 Email: FLpleadings@mw-c-law.com

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<b>8227-0513 THCRN</b> Robert E. Bill 2021 CA 41 Notice of Action IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO.: 2021 CA 41
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UNDERWOOD RESIDENTIAL GC, LLC,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
ROBERT E. BILL; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ROBERT E. BILL, if any; and UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVEISES, GRANTEEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES OR OTHER CLAIMANTS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST SAID DEFENDANTS  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF ACTION;  
CONSTRUCTIVE SERVICE OF PROCESS - PROPERTY**

**NOTICE OF ACTION TO ROBERT E. BILL; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ROBERT E. BILL, if any, whose residences are unknown.**

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action to quiet title has been commenced on the following property in Citrus County, Florida:

CITRUS SPRINGS UNIT 4 PLAT BK 5 PG 133 LOT 12 BLK 438 DESC IN OR BK 694 PG 614 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

PARCEL IDENTIFICATION NO: 18E17S100040 04380 0120

And has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on RICHARD MUTARELLI, JR., ESQ., the Plaintiffs attorney, whose address is Schaff, McGraw, Rauba & Mutarelli, P.A., 328 N.E. Is1 Avenue, Suite 100, Ocala, Florida 34470, on or before within 30 days of 1st publication date and file the original with the clerk of this court either before service on Plaintiffs attorney or immediately thereafter, otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint or petition.

Dated on April 13, 2021.

<b>Foreclosure Sale/ Action Notices</b>	<b>Foreclosure Sale/ Action Notices</b>	<b>Foreclosure Sale/ Action Notices</b>
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(COURT SEAL) ANGELA VICK As Clerk of the Court

By: Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

Richard Mutarelli, Jr., Esq.  
Schaff & McGraw, Rauba, Mutarelli, PA  
328 N.E. 1st Avenue Suite 100 Ocala, FL 34470 (352) 789-6520

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<b>8229-0513 THCRN</b> Donna Koleski 2021 CA 67 Notice of Action IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO.: 2021 CA 67
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UNDERWOOD RESIDENTIAL GC, LLC,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
DONNA KOLESKI; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF DONNA KOLESKI, if any; ESTATE OF SANDRA L. REITZ; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF SANDRA L. REITZ; and UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVEISES, GRANTEEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES OR OTHER CLAIMANTS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST SAID DEFENDANTS  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF ACTION;  
CONSTRUCTIVE SERVICE OF PROCESS - PROPERTY**

**NOTICE OF ACTION TO ESTATE OF SANDRA L. REITZ; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF SANDRA L. REITZ; if any, whose residences are unknown.**

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action to quiet title has been commenced on the following property in Citrus County, Florida:

CITRUS SPGS UNIT 1 PB 5 PG 89 LOT 15 BLK 52 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

PARCEL IDENTIFICATION NO: 18E17S100010 00520 0150

And has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on RICHARD MUTARELLI, JR., ESQ., the Plaintiffs attorney, whose address is Schaff, McGraw, Rauba & Mutarelli, P.A., 328 N.E. Is1 Avenue, Suite 100, Ocala, Florida 34470, on or before within 30 days of 1st publication date and file the original with the clerk of this court either before service on Plaintiffs attorney or immediately thereafter, otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint or petition.

Dated on April 13, 2021.

(COURT SEAL) ANGELA VICK As Clerk of the Court

By: Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

Richard Mutarelli, Jr., Esq.  
Schaff & McGraw, Rauba & Mutarelli, PA  
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<b>8228-0513 THCRN</b> Michael Breitenbach 2021 CA 64 Notice of Action IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO.: 2021 CA 64
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UNDERWOOD RESIDENTIAL GC, LLC,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
MICHAEL BREITENBACH; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF MICHAEL BREITENBACH, if any; and UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVEISES, GRANTEEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES OR OTHER CLAIMANTS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST SAID DEFENDANTS  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF ACTION;  
CONSTRUCTIVE SERVICE OF PROCESS - PROPERTY**

**NOTICE OF ACTION TO MICHAEL BREITENBACH; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF MICHAEL BREITENBACH, if any, whose residences are unknown.**

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action to quiet title has been commenced on the following property in Citrus County, Florida:

CITRUS SPRINGS UNIT 27 PB 9 PG 54 LOT 11 BLK 1466 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

PARCEL IDENTIFICATION NO: 18E17S100270 14660 0110

And has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on RICHARD MUTARELLI, JR., ESQ., the Plaintiffs attorney, whose address is Schaff, McGraw, Rauba & Mutarelli, P.A., 328 N.E. Is1 Avenue, Suite 100, Ocala, Florida 34470, on or before within 30 days of 1st publication date and file the original with the clerk of this court either before service on Plaintiffs attorney or immediately thereafter, otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint or petition.

Dated on April 13, 2021.

(COURT SEAL) ANGELA VICK As Clerk of the Court

By: Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

Richard Mutarelli, Jr., Esq.  
Schaff & McGraw, Rauba & Mutarelli, PA  
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<b>8230-0513 THCRN</b> Anne M. Smyth 2021 CA 62 Notice of Action IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO.: 2021 CA 62
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UNDERWOOD RESIDENTIAL GC, LLC,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
ANNE M. SMYTH; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ANNE M. SMYTH, if any; and UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVEISES, GRANTEEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES OR OTHER CLAIMANTS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST SAID DEFENDANTS  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF ACTION;  
CONSTRUCTIVE SERVICE OF PROCESS - PROPERTY**

**NOTICE OF ACTION TO ANNE M. SMYTH; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ANNE M. SMYTH, if any, whose residences are unknown.**

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action to quiet title has been commenced on the following property in Citrus County, Florida:

CITRUS SPRINGS UNIT 14 LOT 8 BLK 725 DESC IN O R BK 561PG1510 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

PARCEL IDENTIFICATION NO: 18E17S100140 07250 0080

And has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on RICHARD MUTARELLI, JR., ESQ., the Plaintiffs attorney, whose address is Schaff, McGraw, Rauba & Mutarelli, P.A., 328 N.E. Is1 Avenue, Suite 100, Ocala, Florida 34470, on or before within 30 days of 1st publication date and file the original with the clerk of this court either before service on Plaintiffs attorney or immediately thereafter, otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint or petition.

Dated on April 13, 2021.

(COURT SEAL) ANGELA VICK As Clerk of the Court

By: Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

Richard Mutarelli, Jr., Esq.  
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<b>8225-0429 THCRN</b> Joyce Santamaria 2020 CA 000426 A Notice of Sale IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 5TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE No. 2020 CA 000426 A
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REVERSE MORTGAGE FUNDING LLC,

<b>Foreclosure Sale/ Action Notices</b>	<b>Foreclosure Sale/ Action Notices</b>	<b>Foreclosure Sale/ Action Notices</b>
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Plaintiff,  
vs.  
UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, DEVEISES, GRANTEEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES, AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING AN INTEREST BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE ESTATE OF JOYCE SANTAMARIA AKA JOYCE SANTA MARIA, DECEASED, et al.  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order or Final Judgment entered in Case No. 2020 CA 000426 A of the Circuit Court of the 5th Judicial Circuit in and for Citrus County, Florida, wherein, REVERSE MORTGAGE FUNDING LLC, Plaintiff, and, UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, DEVEISES, GRANTEEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES, AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING AN INTEREST BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE ESTATE OF JOYCE SANTAMARIA AKA JOYCE SANTA MARIA, DECEASED, et al., are Defendants, Clerk of Court, Angela Vick, will sell to the highest bidder for cash at, WWW.CITRUS.REALFORECLOSE.COM, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., on the 13th day of May, 2021, the following described property:

LOT 90 OF DE ROSA INC. UNIT NO. 5 REVISED, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THERETO, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 11, PAGE 29, PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

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

DATED this 13th day of April, 2021.

GREENSPOON MARDER LLP  
TRADE CENTRE SOUTH, SUITE 700  
100 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD, FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309  
Telephone: (954) 343 6273 Hearing Line: (888) 491-1120  
Facsimile: (954) 343 6982  
Email 1: karissa.chin-duncan@gmlaw.com  
Email 2: gmforeclosure@gmlaw.com  
By: Karissa Chin-Duncan, Esq. Florida Bar No. 98472

If you are a person with a disability who needs an accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the Clerk of the Court's disability coordinator at COURT ADMINISTRATOR, 110 N APOPKA AVENUE, ROOM 1-337, INVERNESS, FL 34450, 352-341-6700, at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

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<b>8231-0513 THCRN</b> Oscar G. Bucknor 2021 CA 84 Notice of Action IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO.: 2021 CA 84
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UNDERWOOD RESIDENTIAL GC, LLC,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
OSCAR G. BUCKNOR; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF OSCAR G. BUCKNOR, if any; and UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVEISES, GRANTEEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES OR OTHER CLAIMANTS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST SAID DEFENDANTS  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF ACTION;  
CONSTRUCTIVE SERVICE OF PROCESS - PROPERTY**

**NOTICE OF ACTION TO OSCAR G. BUCKNOR; UNKNOWN HEIRS OF OSCAR G. BUCKNOR, if any, whose residences are unknown.**

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action to quiet title has been commenced on the following property in Citrus County, Florida:

CITRUS SPRINGS UNIT 18 PB 7 PG 34 LOT 1 BLK 1014 DESCR IN OR BK 624 PG 990 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

PARCEL IDENTIFICATION NO: 18E17S100180 10140 0010

And has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on RICHARD MUTARELLI, JR., ESQ., the Plaintiffs attorney, whose address is Schaff, McGraw, Rauba & Mutarelli, P.A., 328 N.E. Is1 Avenue, Suite 100, Ocala, Florida 34470, on or before within 30 days of 1st publication date and file the original with the clerk of this court either before service on Plaintiffs attorney or immediately thereafter, otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint or petition.

Dated on April 13, 2021.

(COURT SEAL) ANGELA VICK As Clerk of the Court

By: Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

Richard Mutarelli, Jr., Esq.  
Schaff & McGraw, Rauba, Mutarelli, PA  
328 N.E. 1st Avenue Suite 100 Ocala, FL 34470 (352) 789-6520

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<b>8232-0429 THCRN</b> Ruby G. Golden 09-2021-CA-000124 Notice of Action IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY CIVIL DIVISION Case No.: 09-2021-CA-000124 Division
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SUNCOAST CREDIT UNION, A FEDERALLY INSURED STATE CHARTERED CREDIT UNION  
Plaintiff,

vs.  
UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVEISES, GRANTEEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES OF RUBY G. GOLDEN, DECEASED, LINDA L. MILLER, A KNOWN HEIR OF RUBY G. GOLDEN, DECEASED, TODD LEINBACH, A KNOWN HEIR OF RUBY G. GOLDEN, DECEASED, CONNIE HINSEKAMP, A KNOWN HEIR OF RUBY G. GOLDEN, DECEASED, et al.  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF ACTION**

**TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVEISES, GRANTEEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES OF RUBY G. GOLDEN, DECEASED  
CURRENT RESIDENCE UNKNOWN  
LAST KNOWN ADDRESS UNKNOWN**

You are notified that an action to foreclose a mortgage on the following property in Citrus County, Florida:

CONDOMINIUM UNIT 103, BUILDING A (1), INVERNESS VILLAGE, A CONDOMINIUM, TOGETHER WITH AN UNDIVIDED INTEREST IN THE COMMON ELEMENTS, ACCORDING TO THE DECLARATION OF CONDOMINIUM THEREOF RECORDED IN OFFICIAL RECORD BOOK 436, PAGES 469 THROUGH 534, AS AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

commonly known as 2400 FOREST DR UNIT 103, INVERNS, FL 34453 has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on Laura E. Noyes of Kass Shuler, P.A., plaintiff's attorney, whose address is P.O. Box 800, Tampa, Florida 33601, (813) 229-0900, on or before 30 days from the first date of publication, and file the original with the Clerk of this Court either before service on the Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise, a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Dated: April 15, 2021.

CLERK OF THE COURT AND COMPTROLLER,  
Honorable Angela Vick  
110 N. Apopka Avenue Room 101  
Inverness, Florida 34450

( COURT SEAL )

By: Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT. If you are a person with a disability who needs an accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator for Citrus County, John Sullivan, at (352) 341-6700 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

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Level 1 2 3 4

Sudoku puzzle grid with numbers 7, 3, 5, 8, 2, 9, 2, 1, 7, 8, 6, 4, 9, 3, 7, 9, 2, 3, 4, 6

Solution to Wednesday's puzzle

Completed 9x9 Sudoku solution grid

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Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit, 1 to 9. For strategies on how to solve Sudoku, visit sudoku.org.uk

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Thursday, April 22, 2021

KATHLEEN SAXE

WORD GAME

TODAY'S WORD -- AUGMENT

(AUGMENT: awg-MENT: To make something greater, as in size or extent.)

Average mark 21 words. Time limit 35 minutes.

Can you find 29 or more words in AUGMENT? The list will be published tomorrow.

YESTERDAY'S WORD -- LOUVERS

lore, lose, loser, louse, love, lover, lues, lure, ours, loser, user, velour, vole, euro, role, rose, roue, rouse, rove, rule, ruse, sloe, slue, slur, sole, solve, solver, sore, soul, sour, suer, sure

RULES OF THE GAME: 1. Words must be of four or more letters. 2. Words that acquire four letters by the addition of "s," such as "bats" or "dies," are not allowed. 3. Additional words made by adding a "d" or an "s" may not be used. 4. Proper nouns, slang words, or vulgar or sexually explicit words are not allowed.

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ACROSS

- 1 Study hard, 5 Easy toss, 8 Child's ride, 12 BMW rival, 13 Ben & Jerry rival, 14 Type of arch, 15 Not bogus, 16 Lime cooler, 17 Outing, 18 Finger-paints, 20 Good, in Guatemala, 21 Miller or Blyth, 22 - Paulo, 23 Poem of lament, 26 Draw back, 29 Directed, 30 Go down the tubes, 31 Chinese dynasty, 33 Dumpster, 34 Shock, 35 Link, 36 Type of tire

DOWN

- 38 Check endorser, 39 Omitting none, 40 Vitality, 41 Parks or Lahr, 43 Came across as, 46 People, 47 Bagel partner, 48 Historical periods, 50 McClurg of sitcoms, 51 Great Lakes cargo, 52 Observance, 53 High-fiber food, 54 Actor - Danson, 55 Bias

Answer to Previous Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with words ZESTY, SACHET, ARTHUR, ATHENA, GREECE, LOANED, SKI, AMP, LYE, GAD, PEW, IIRNS, HERON, SOPUSS, ADORE, INPUT, ADZISM, SEERS, IRECEO, LEA, ELI, PAN, NEA, VOL, OBOIST, ERASED, REFUTE, NATIVE, BATMAN, LOCAL

- 4 Distance, 5 Ascertain, 6 Betting factor, 7 "So long!", 8 Liquid dose, 9 Hideous monster, 10 Herr's refusal

- 11 Slangy affirmative, 19 Whichever, 20 Use a parachute, 22 Narrow cut, 23 Wane, 24 Cougar's home, 25 - St. Vincent Millay, 26 Take a spill, 27 Bok - Cod kin, 30 Mare's offspring, 32 Born as, 34 Dump, so to speak, 35 Complains, 37 Obscure, 38 Dessert cart item, 40 Distressed, 41 Presage, 42 Director - Kazan, 43 Achy, 44 Estrada or Satie, 45 Sticky fruit, 46 Winter mo., 47 House site, 49 Fix a seam

Large crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1-55

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WORDY GURDY

BY TRICKY RICKY KANE

Every answer is a rhyming pair of words (like FAT CAT and DOUBLE TROUBLE), and they will fit in the letter squares. The number after the definition tells you how many syllables in each word.

- 1. Sports team devotee dashed (1), 2. Mirthful "Firework" singer Katy (2), 3. Northern Iraqi's Scrabble plays (1), 4. Engineless plane passenger (2), 5. Cat- or dog-stroking milieu (2), 6. Barely seen as how a canonized one acts (2), 7. New GMC electric pickup's percussionists (2)

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Advanced Aluminum advertisement with contact info 352-628-7519 and website www.advancedaluminumofcitrus.com

News Flash advertisement for Will Construction Corp. offering door replacements and safety grab bars, contact 352-628-2291

Foreclosure Sale/Action Notices, Misc. Notices

8221-0422 THCRN Herbert Wampler 2020 CA 000423 A Re-Notice of Sale IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 5TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO.: 2020 CA 000423 A

BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON TRUST COMPANY, N.A. AS TRUSTEE FOR MORTGAGE ASSETS MANAGEMENT SERIES I TRUST, Plaintiff,

ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS, CREDITORS, DEVISEES, BENEFICIARIES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, TRUSTEES AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING AN INTEREST BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE ESTATE OF HERBERT WAMPLER A/K/A HERBERT F. WAMPLER, JR., DECEASED; SHARON W. NAPOLI; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ACTING ON BEHALF OF THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; UNKNOWN PERSON(S) IN POSSESSION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY, Defendant(s)

RE-NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE (Please publish in CITRUS COUNTY CHRONICLE)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order Rescheduling Foreclosure Sale filed March 19, 2021 and entered in Case No. 2020 CA 000423 A, of the Circuit Court of the 5th Judicial Circuit in and for CITRUS County, Florida, wherein BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON TRUST COMPANY, N.A. AS TRUSTEE FOR MORTGAGE ASSETS MANAGEMENT SERIES I TRUST is Plaintiff and ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS, CREDITORS, DEVISEES, BENEFICIARIES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, TRUSTEES AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING AN INTEREST BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE ESTATE OF HERBERT WAMPLER A/K/A HERBERT F. WAMPLER, JR., DECEASED; SHARON W. NAPOLI; UNKNOWN PERSON(S) IN POSSESSION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ACTING ON BEHALF OF THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; are defendants. ANGELA VICK, the Clerk of the Circuit Court, will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash BY ELECTRONIC SALE AT: WWW.CITRUS.REALFORECLOSE.COM, at 10:00 A.M., on May 6, 2021, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

LOT 16, BLOCK "D", SUNRISE LAKE ESTATES, UNIT 2, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 13, PAGES 13 AND 14, PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim before the Clerk reports the surplus as unclaimed.

Dated this 8th day of April, 2021.

Eric Knopp, Esq. Bar No.: 709921 Kahane & Associates, P.A. 8201 Peters Road, Suite 3000, Plantation, Florida 33324 Telephone: (954) 382-3486 Telefacsimile: (954) 382-5380 Designated service email: notice@kahaneandassociates.com

This notice is provided pursuant to Administrative Order No. 2.065.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to provisions of certain assistance. Please contact the Court Administrator at 110 N. Apopka Avenue, Inverness, FL 34450-4299, Phone No. (352)341-6700 within 2 working days of your receipt of this notice or pleading; if you are hearing impaired, call 1-800-955-8771 (TDD); if you are voice impaired, call 1-800-995-8770 (V) (Via Florida Relay Services) or Dial 711.

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5819-0506 THCRN NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Writ of Execution issued in the COUNTY Court of CITRUS County, Florida, on the 1 day of DECEMBER, (2020), in the cause wherein Suncoast Schools Federal Credit Union, was plaintiff, and Geraldine A. Cordero was Defendant, being Case No 10-CC-82, in the said Court, I, MIKE PRENDERGAST, as Sheriff of Citrus County, Florida, have levied upon all the right, title and interest of the above-named Defendant(s), Geraldine A. Cordero, in and to the following described personal or real property, to-wit:

Description of personal property: TAG# 2195JF VIN# 5XXGM4A74FG501468 ONE RED 2015 KIA OPTIMA

and on the 20 day of May, 2021 at ADVANCED TOWING, 9224 E. PEMBERTON PATH, in INVERNESS, Citrus County, Florida, at the hour of 11:00 a.m. or as soon thereafter as possible, I will offer for sale all of the said Defendant(s), Geraldine A. Cordero, right, title and interest in the aforesaid property at public outcry and will sell the same, subject to taxes, all prior liens, encumbrances and judgments, if any, to the highest and best bidder or bidders for CASH IN HAND. The proceeds to be applied as far as may be to the payment of costs and the satisfaction of the above-described execution. Property will be available for viewing one half hour prior to sale. Sale and all documentation will be executed in accordance with Florida State Law. Please call our office at 352-341-6525 with any questions.

IN ACCORDANCE with the Americans with disabilities act, persons with disabilities needing special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact the A.D.A Coordinator telephone # 352-341-6400 not later than seven (7) days prior to the proceedings. If hearing impaired, (TDD) 1-800-955-8770, via Florida Relay Service.

MIKE PRENDERGAST, SHERIFF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA Greg Popovich, Deputy Sheriff

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5824-0429 THCRN NOTICE OF AUCTION

On May 10th 2021 @ 9am one 1979 Hatteras doc# 605788 will be auctioned @ Bs Marina & Campground 6621 Riverside Dr. Yankeetown Florida 34498. Owner Sean Wolfer & Amy Dyer. For more info. Call Carla Shaner @ 352-447-5888

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5825-0429 THCRN NOTICE OF AUCTION

On May 15th 2021 @ 9am one 1975 Westsail 32ft Doc# 598033 will be auctioned @ Bs Marina & Campground 6621 Riverside Dr. Yankeetown Florida 34498. Owner Lyle Styles for more Info call Carla Shaner @ 352 447 5888

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