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A Job Well Done *Santerre Earns National FFA Recognition*



Gridley High School FFA wish Lance well. Photo courtesy Matt Reed, Gridley High School
Pictured Right; Lance Santerre, GHS FFA Student. Photo courtesy GHS

**Submitted by Matt Reed,
Gridley High
FFA Teacher**

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - The National FFA Organization announced last August that Lance Santerre from Gridley High School was selected as a national finalist for the National FFA Proficiency Award. Santerre was one of only four people chosen to compete for this award at the national finals to be held at the 91st National FFA Convention & Expo in

Indianapolis this fall.

The proficiency awards recognize outstanding student achievement in agribusiness gained through establishment of a new business, working for an existing company or otherwise gaining hands-on career experience.

In FFA students are recognized for outstanding projects in a variety of categories ranging from Agricultural Sales, Small Animal Care, and forty seven other categories. Lance's proficiency award

was in the area of Outdoor Recreation. Lance works for a private hunting ranch where he manages over 750 acres of wildlife habitat. From day to day Lance manages the movement of water on the ranch, to clear invasive species of plants, prepares feed plots for waterfowl and upland game and so much more.

Lance was first selected as the section and region winner here in the north state. From there he traveled down to the California State FFA Convention in



April where he interviewed against 4 other finalist from the state. He was then selected as the state winner in that category. All 47 category winners then send off

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Gridley-Biggs Officer Attends National FBI Academy

**Story and photos
by David Vantress**

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - Getting to go to the FBI National Academy in Quantico, Virginia is a pretty prestigious honor.

It's an honor a Gridley-Biggs police officer recently had the chance to fulfill.

Gridley-Biggs Police Department Lt. Scott Smallwood completed the 12-week program recently and brought back tons of useful information and tips that he hopes to share with his fellow officers.

The academy, designed for local and state law enforcement, is well-established,

dating all the way back to the days of legendary director J. Edgar Hoover.

Leadership training is the main focus of the program, which takes in participants from all over the world, Smallwood said.

And for a police officer who wants to be a chief someday, like Smallwood, that leadership training can be a very valuable tool to add to their skill set.

Each class has 240 students, and just about one percent of U.S. law enforcement personnel annually get to attend.

The process to get into the

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Gridley-Biggs Police Department Lt. Scott Smallwood shows off some of the memorabilia from his recent stint at the FBI National Academy in Virginia. Photo by David Vantress

Gridley Celebrations for Veterans Day

By Seti Long

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - Veterans Day is Sunday November 11th, but this year Gridley is set to celebrate our nation's heroes a day early. This coming Saturday, November 10th, Gridley will be host to two major events held to honor our Veterans.

The day will kick off with a Veterans Day Fundraiser held at Daddow Park in downtown Gridley. The festivities will begin at 9:00 am and run until 4 p.m. in the evening. The band Country Mile will take the stage at 11:00 a.m. and play

throughout the day while visitors enjoy vendors, food and games. All proceeds from the event and any donations made will be given to the local Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary Post 5731. Jacqui Woodral and Donna Talley Crosby, organizers of the event, are hoping that this year's benefit will become an annual success.

Then at 7:00 pm, members of the community and Veterans are invited to enjoy a musical tribute to celebrate and honor our servicemen. The concert is free to the public and will be held at



Veterans Memorial Hall, located at 249 Sycamore Street in Gridley. The annual Musical Tribute to our Veterans is sponsored by the Military Veterans Court of Honor, Gridley Veterans of Foreign Wars post 5731

and American Legion Post 210. Oroville Community Concert Band and Chorus, under the direction of Dick Zancanella, will perform patriotic melodies for the enjoyment of all those in attendance. ★

Gridley Emergency Relief Services Needs Christmas Baskets

By Ed Lucas

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - The Gridley Emergency Relief Services (G. E. R. S.) is a local organization that helps churches provide emergency relief to families and individuals who find themselves in unexpected financial difficulties. In addition to helping churches provide relief, G. E. R. S. works with our local churches to distribute food baskets during the Christmas season. Last year, G. E. R. S. along with several of our local churches provided food baskets to 114 families.

This year G. E. R. S. will be handing out Christmas Baskets at the First Baptist Church, 100 Vermont Street, Saturday December 8, from 9am to 11am.

G. E. R. S. is now accepting donations from individuals and organizations to help fund the annual Christmas Food Basket giveaway and our ongoing service to the community throughout the year. You may mail donations made payable to G. E. R. S., PO Box 931, Gridley, CA 95948. You may also donate through your church.

If you are interested in helping to prepare and/or distribute of the Food Baskets, please notify your Pastor. In addition, you may email GERS at Gridley-ERS@sbcglobal.net.

Thank you for your continued service to our community.
*In His Service,
Ed Lucas Pastor, Gridley Christian Church
Director, G.E.R.S.
gcc-pastor@sbcglobal.net ★*

Wayne Barley Appointed Interim Chief Probation Officer

OROVILLE, CA (MPG) - The Butte County Board of Supervisors appointed Wayne Barley, Butte County Chief Deputy Probation Officer, as Interim Chief Probation Officer at the recommendation of the Butte County Superior Court during the November 6 Board Meeting. Barley will start in his new role upon Chief Steve Bordin's retirement December 28, 2018.

Barley has worked for the Butte County Probation Department for 24 years and has been involved in all aspects of the Department.

"We have great staff who work tirelessly to help fulfill the Department's mission of enhancing public safety through rehabilitation and accountability," said Barley. "I look forward to supporting their efforts to serve the people of Butte County."

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Officer Attends National FBI Academy



Gridley-Biggs Police Department Lt. Scott Smallwood, third from left in the front row, poses with his classmates for a group photo at the FBI National Academy in Virginia. (Photo contributed)

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academy is a competitive one, Smallwood said: He got in on his fourth try. Others spend much longer trying to get in.

The class was “phenomenal,” Smallwood said.

“It was a once-in-a-lifetime experience,” Smallwood said. “Everyone sees the pictures of the physical stuff, but what I’ll take away is the leadership skills.”

The opportunity to make new contacts and get to know law enforcement personnel not just from across the country but around the world was invaluable, Smallwood said.

“I came back with all kinds of things I’d like to implement here in our department,” Smallwood said.

Smallwood said he’s grateful to his co-workers, especially Gridley-Biggs Police Chief Dean Price, for stepping up and making it possible for him to attend the academy. ★

Candy Cane Lane Musical

Coming December 2

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - The Kids’ Choir will present the delightful children’s Christmas musical “Candy Cane Lane” on Sunday, Dec. 2 at 10:30 A.M. and 4:30 P.M. at Gridley Christian Church. All are welcome to attend this 35 minute musical. Twenty-nine children ages 4 and older combine their talents to remind us that they candy cane symbolizes Jesus in many ways.

Drama, singing, choreography, costumes, and lighting are all combined in this Christian musical theater production to teach us that Jesus is the recipe for life.

Marsha (Madison Howell), Mark (Marcus Hildebrand), and Mindy (Brielle Landes) have

trouble making the cake to celebrate Jesus’ birthday. They will try again in the morning. As the mother (Evie LaBuff) signs them to sleep the three children enter a dream-land where Candy Cane Jane (Julia Emerson) leads them on a tour of the Candy Cane Lane. On this tour they meet Miss Ginger (Alyssa Hubbard) who teaches the children about the recipe for life. The also meet Baby Bob (Sarah Terry) who never wants to grow up. Casey (Jasmine Johnson) and his Glorybound Express shows up right on time to give some advice on how to “train” up a child. When the dream ends, the birthday of Jesus is marvelously celebrated with a cake fit



for
a king!

The performance is free of charge. Gridley Christian Church is located on

The corner of Hazel and Washington Streets next to Sav Mor Market. Call Bonnie Schnepel at 933-9845 for more information about the spring musical “The Slingshot Heard ‘Round the World” (David & Goliath story) beginning on January 8th 3:30-5:00 P.M. Performance date is Sunday, March 31. ★

The New Pi-Line



Honoring Publisher
W.D. Burleson
By Josh F.W. Cook

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - This column by its very nature is a history project. Digging up old newspaper columns from the publisher and reading about what was going in our community a long time ago is fun. This week we go back to 1984. I tried to remember what was going in 1984 and I only remember one thing: I was a freshman at Gridley High School and on my chin I had perpetual teenage acne, indeed I had one spot on my chin that had an acne type blemish every single week in 1984.

Harley North would, on a daily basis, offer me some sort of naturopathic cure that always involved beer. Kim Harris would offer, and many times did, cover it with make-up. But my closest and dearest friends Eric Wuehler, Clay Sannar and Denny Rudd would simply mock, scorn, and ridicule me as best friends

do at that age. They even named my perpetual teenage acne blemish “the little pet monster”.

Most mothers don’t like their kids to play football. Yet there are still millions of mothers who let their kids play football in spite of the risks involved. Mothers psychologically link injuries with football. So my mother always assumed the persistent acne was caused by my football helmet chin strap. So because mom said it was a football injury and the guys with football injuries were cool, I decided my blemish was actually a football related injury and I was proud of it. So there you have it. My only memory of 1984 was my football injury and how much attention I got for it, and that it made me cool. What were you doing 1984?

In Italics below is the Pi Line from Volume 113 Number 12 of the Gridley Herald, published January 14, 1984. When the Harshbargers came to town.

It is still possible to require school fees on new annexations. The schools have to act before the annexations and zonings take place. This recent development in the law is putting the heat on local school boards because the expansion of Gridley to the north is being rushed through.

The quality of life and Gridley has long been our strong suit. The schools in particular have

been brag about for providing a good education. Time has caught up with the old

buildings and they are in need of upgrading to handle the present enrollment. And that,

too, will have to be addressed soon by the whole community.

But the proposed growth will create the need for at least one new school, maybe two.

Each and every new home should pay its share of the cost of the new buildings.

What is a fair cost? That is what the schools, with the help of a committee of concerned

residents, are trying to decide.

They do not have much time to complete their work. We hear the East Gridley market is

about to reopen. Bremer’s hardware has been sold to Keith and Peggy Harshbarger, but

Frank Bremer Junior, is still working there. Sunny’s market in Live Oak is being sold to

Lillian Mustafam and/or assignee of Robert Park. The Mount Shasta Herald has been sold

to a chain and Publisher\ Editor Marge Apperson is retiring. ★

Wayne Barley Appointed Interim Chief Probation Officer

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The County will reopen recruitment in the spring. Barley was asked to take on the interim role and will lead the Department’s efforts until a candidate is selected.

“We appreciate Wayne’s willingness to

step into this role and are confident in his leadership,” said Steve Lambert, Chair of the Board of Supervisors.

Barley’s appointment as Interim Chief Probation Officer is effective December 29, 2018.

Source: Butte County Administration ★

Looking Back

BY SETI LONG

The following are stories that appeared in the Gridley Herald 25, 50, 75, 100 and 125 years ago:

25 Years Ago (1993)

“Taco Bell May Open Location in Gridley”

Preliminary arrangements have been completed that will lead to the opening of a Taco Bell fast food restaurant on Highway 99. The Taco Bell is estimated to bring about 30 jobs to the area and will be located on a half-acre site south of McDonalds. If all goes smoothly, construction will start in February of next year and will take about four months to complete. The hope is that after the Taco Bell site is developed, two more sites along that stretch of highway will become more attractive to potential developers, bringing even more jobs to the area.

50 Years Ago (1968)

“Three Burglaries Reported”

Butte County Sheriff’s Department is investigating three burglaries that took place in Gridley over the past weekend. One was a break-in at the Mathews Readymix office and the other two were at the Gridley Labor camp. Officers believe that the same person or persons took part in all three burglaries. The office at the readymix plant was broken into and desks were ransacked and miscellaneous offices supplies were taken. The two break-ins at the Labor Camp took place at the Child Care Center building and the cabin of Vincent Garofalo, director of the center. Most of the items that were reported missing have been recovered. Deputies said that no arrests have been made so far, but that they had several leads and suspects.

75 Years Ago (1943)

“Body Hoax”

Rumors have spread about the body of a duck hunter found on the Dodge lands near Nelson. Deputy Sheriff Earl Jester and Jack Furtado, who reported the alleged finding of the body, examined the spot where the dead hunter was said

to be seen. There was no evidence of a body or the car stated to have been abandoned near-by. Furtado told the Sheriff that he had not seen the body himself but that a passerby riding a horse had reported it, yet he told a reporter that he had helped carry the body to an ambulance. Sheriff W.H. Forwards office has dismissed this as a hoax and closed it’s investigation.

100 Years Ago (1918)

“Epidemic”

A special session City of Gridley Trustees met at the request of the City Health Board to pass a health ordinance mandating everyone wear masks in public or face fines or jail time. The ordinance was passed unanimously making it a misdemeanor punishable by a fine no less than \$5 and nor more than \$100, and/or a jail sentence of not more than ten days for anyone who appears on the streets or alley-ways of Gridley without a mask covering the nose and mouth. The ordinance also requires proprietors and clerks in stores to conform to the ruling. Butte county is currently battling the epidemic of the Spanish Influenza. The area has suffered greatly and has sustained much loss of life due to the horrible flu that is spreading wildly. Volunteers are being sought to help with the excessive number of flu patients and even the elections have been impacted. Several candidates dropped from the race and voters were fewer at the polls.

125 Years Ago (1893)

“Change of Court”

On Saturday, Attorney Robinson, on behalf of T.D.M Slaven, filed and affidavit with Judge Allen of Gridley, claiming that he could not get justice from the citizens of Gridley and asking for a change of venue. The request was granted and Slavens case will be heard before Judge Armstrong of Biggs.

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ELECTION RESULTS 2018 VOTE

Not all results are final. Numbers reflect available data at press time.

Source: BUTTE AND SUTTER County Election website, State of California Election website

	VOTES	PERCENT
GOVERNOR		
GAVIN NEWSOM (DEM) . . .	4,158,682	59.4
JOHN COX (REP)	2,840,837	40.6

LT GOVERNOR	
ELENI KOUNALAKIS (DEM) . .	4,861,261 . . 55.6
ED HERNANDEZ (DEM) . . .	2,576,461 . . 44.4

U S Senator	
DIANE FEINSTEIN (DEM) . . .	3,358,152 . . 54.3
KEVIN DE LEON (DEM) . . .	2,820,615 . . 45.7

SECRETARY OF STATE	
ALEX PADILLA (DEM)	4,262,508 . . 61.7
MARK MEUSER (REP)	2,640,685 . . 38.3

CONTROLLER	
BETTY YEE (DEM)	4,333,521 . . 62.9
KONSTANTINOS RODINTIS (REP)	2,552,712 . . 37.1

TREASURER	
GREG CONLON (REP)	2,661,511 . . 38.8
FIONA MA (DEM)	4,204,203 . . 61.2

ATTORNEY GENERAL	
STEVEN BAILEY (REP) . . .	2,706,531 . . 39.2
XAVIER BECERRA (DEM) . . .	4,189,777 . . 60.8

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER	
RICARDO LARA (DEM) . . .	3,335,469 . . 50.8
STEVE POIZNER (NONE) . . .	3,229,995 . . 49.2

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION	
TONY THURMOND	2,959,292 . . 49.4
MARSHALL TUCK	3,035,297 . . 50.6

U S Representative District 1	
DOUG LAMALFA (REP) . . .	110,236 . . 56.1
AUDREY DENNEY (DEM) . .	86,137 . . 43.9

State Senator District 4	
JAMES NIELSEN (REP) . . .	112,418 . . 58.6
PHILLIP KIM (DEM)	79,308 . . 41.4

	VOTES	PERCENT
State Assembly District 3		
JAMES GALLAGHER (REP) . .	11,078 . .	68.2
SONIA AERY (DEM)	5,161 . .	31.8

Sheriff - Coroner, Sutter	
BRANDON BARNES	9,977 . . 63.6
DENNIS HAUCK	5,711 . . 36.4

Gridley City Council (2 elected)	
BRUCE JOHNSON	568 . . 24.87
TODD FARR	515 . . 22.55
RAY BORGES	432 . . 18.91
MARGIE TIDWELL	403 . . 17.64
ROBERT WISE	212 . . 9.28
BEVERLY MILES	154 . . 6.74

Live Oak City Council (3 elected)	
BOB WOTEN	504 . . 17.89
J.H. THIARA	470 . . 16.68
LUIS HERNANDEZ	366 . . 12.99
JERAMY CHAPDELAINE . .	345 . . 12.25
JASON BANKS	342 . . 12.14
JOHN BROWN	308 . . 10.93
NANCY E SANTANA	254 . . 9.02
RICK DAIS	228 . . 8.09

Biggs City Council (3 elected)	
ANGELA THOMPSON	267 . . 28.25
JAMES SHEPPARD	261 . . 27.62
BRIAN BASSETT	219 . . 23.17
JOHN BUSH	198 . . 20.95

Biggs School Board (1)	
JONNA PHILLIPS	524 . . 60.30
JENNIFER MEYER	345 . . 39.70

Butte Co Board of Ed TA2 (2)	
MIKE WALSH	7,493 . . 42.65
HOWARD FERGUSON . . .	5,522 . . 31.43
BOBBY JONES	4,555 . . 25.92

Butte Co Board of Ed TA3 (1)	
ALAN WHITE	7,393 . . 59.04
ROBERT WILLIAMS	5,130 . . 40.96

Butte-Glenn CommCollege TA6	
JULIE BOSS	36,075 . . 67.09
THOMAS FORSTER	17,695 . . 32.91

	VOTES	PERCENT
Sutter Co Supe of Schools		
TOM REUSSER	8,357	52.90
BAL DHILLON	7,442	47.10

Sutter County Supervisor	
MIKE ZIEGENMEYER	2,363 . . 54.60
PAUL BASI	1,965 . . 45.40

Sutter Co Board of Education TA2	
JIM RICHMOND	2,259 . . 55.02
LINDA PROTINE	1,847 . . 44.98

Sutter County Supervisor	
MIKE ZIEGENMEYER	2,363 . . 54.60
PAUL BASI	1,965 . . 45.40

Sutter Co Board of Education TA2	
JIM RICHMOND	2,259 . . 55.02
LINDA PROTINE	1,847 . . 44.98

OROVILLE CITY MAYOR	
CHUCK REYNOLDS	2,534 . . 66.35
JANET GOODSON	1,285 . . 33.65

State Prop 1 - Bonds to Fund Specified Housing Assistance	
Yes	3,651,760 . . 54.1
No	3,095,915 . . 45.9

State Prop 2 - Bonds to Fund Existing Housing Program	
Yes	4,142,762 . . 61.1
No	2,633,918 . . 38.9

State Prop 3 - Bonds to Fund Projects for Water Supply	
Yes	3,192,129 . . 47.6
No	3,507,233 . . 52.4

State Prop 4 - Bonds Funding Construction at Hospitals	
Yes	4,105,020 . . 60.6
No	2,670,864 . . 39.4

State Prop 5 - Changes Requirements for Certain Property Owners, Transfer Property Tax	
Yes	2,820,805 . . 41.9
No	3,914,747 . . 58.1

	VOTES	PERCENT
State Prop 6 - Gas Tax - Eliminates Certain Road Funding		
Yes	3,076,118	44.7
No	3,801,276	55.3

State Prop 7 - Conforms California Daylight Savings Time	
Yes	4,020,376 . . 59.8
No	2,699,401 . . 40.2

State Prop 8 - Regulates Amounts Outpatient Kidney Clinics Charge for Treatment	
Yes	2,613,413 . . 38.4
No	4,188,337 . . 61.6

State Prop 10 - Expands Local Govt Authority to Enact Rent Control on Residential Property	
Yes	2,629,548 . . 38.3
No	4,236,035 . . 61.7

State Prop 11 - Requires Private-Sector Emergency Employees Remain On-Call	
Yes	4,025,678 . . 59.4
No	2,749,109 . . 40.6

State Prop 12 - New Standards on Farm Animal Confinement - Bans Sale of Non-Complying Products	
Yes	4,132,115 . . 61.0
No	2,640,334 . . 39.0

Measure W - Biggs School Bond	
Yes	487 . . 51.10
No	466 . . 48.90

Crime Reports



Gridley- Biggs Police Report

October 27th -November 2nd

10-28-2018 Murrel Vernon Woodral, 59, was arrested outside of State Farm Insurance in Gridley and cited to appear in appear in court on charges of possession of a controlled substance and possession of drug paraphernalia.

10-28-2018 Juan Antonio Moran, 39, was arrested and transported to Butte County Jail.

10-28-2018 Murrel Vernon Woodral, 59, was cited for possession of a controlled substance outside of Little Caesars in Gridley and arrested on a BCSO Warrant.

10-29-2018 Melvin Wade Dickinson Jr., 28, was arrested for identity theft, providing false identification to a police officer and violating a restraining order. He was booked into Butte County Jail.

10-29-2018 Jesse Lee Burton, 40, was arrested and cited to appear in court on a warrant 18CM00973

10-30-2018 Deborah Leleonne Wirick was arrested and cited to appear in court on charges of assault and battery.

10-30-2018 Paul Menchaca, 38, was arrested on a Warrant 17CM02537 and cited to appear in court.

10-31-2018 Kyle Francis Williams, 37, was arrested, cited and released on local misdemeanor warrant 18CM0580.

11-02-2018 Tony Lee Pine, 52, was arrested for possession of drug paraphernalia and driving with a suspended license.

11-02-2018 Stephen Anthony Wortham II, 27, was arrested and booked into Butte County Jail.



Butte County Sheriff Report

October 27th -November 2nd

Case #	Date of Crime	Date Reported	Crime /Type/Classification	Location
18-19103	10/26/2018 21:07	10/26/2018 21:07	Lrcny Thft/Grnd Thft: Money/Lbr/Prop +\$950/Fel	OROVILLE
18-19128	10/27/2018 20:45	10/27/2018 20:45	Larceny Theft/Petty Theft/Misdemeanor	OROVILLE
18-19129	10/27/2018 21:08	10/27/2018 21:08	Larceny Theft/Petty Theft/Misdemeanor	OROVILLE
18-19160	10/19/2018	10/28/2018 21:02	Burglary/Burglary/Felony	HONCUT
18-19035	10/24/2018 13:53	10/24/2018 13:53	Assault/Batt Spouse/Ex-Spouse/EtcMisd	OROVILLE
18-19095	10/26/2018 14:47	10/26/2018 14:47	Larceny Theft/Petty Theft/Misd	MAGALIA
18-19185	10/29/2018 19:30	10/29/2018 19:30	Robbery/Robbery - Felony/Felony	PALERMO
18-19186	10/29/2018 20:50	10/29/2018 20:50	Assault/Battery On Person - Misd/Misd	OROVILLE
18-19210	10/30/2018 16:49	10/30/2018 16:49	Burglary/Burglary/Felony	OROVILLE
18-19293	11/1/2018 16:42	11/1/2018 16:42	Assault/Batt On Person - Misd/Misd	OROVILLE
18-19278	11/1/2018 12:00	11/1/2018 11:42	Assault/ADW Not Firearm GBI Likely/Fel	STIRLING QTY
18-19284	11/1/2018 15:11	11/1/2018 15:11	Robbery/Robbery - 1stDegree - Fel/Fel	OROVILLE
18-19322	11/2/2018 16:42	11/2/2018 16:42	Lrcny Thft/Grnd Thft: Money/Lbr/Prop +\$950/Fel	OROVILLE
18-19106	10/26/2018 19:00-22:44	10/26/2018 23:44	Lrcny Thft/Grnd Thft: Money/Lbr/Prop +\$950/Fel	FOREST RANCH
18-19248	10/22/2018 12:00-12:00	10/31/2018 11:19	Lrcny Thft/Grnd Thft: Money/Lbr/Prop +\$950/Fel	OROVILLE
18-19348	11/3/2018 12:00	11/3/2018 13:55	Assault/Battery On Person - Misd/Misd	OROVILLE
18-19177	10/28/2018 16:00-16:30	10/29/2018 15:47	Assault/Battery On Person - Misd/Misd	MAGALIA
18-19182	10/29/2018 18:14	10/29/2018 18:14	Assault/Battery On Person - Misd/Misd	OROVILLE
18-19281	11/1/2018 13:55-13:57	11/1/2018 14:47	Assault/Battery On Person - Misd/Misd	OROVILLE
18-19347	11/3/2018 13:00-13:12	11/3/2018 13:10	Lrcny Thft/Grnd Thft: Money/Lbr/Prop +\$950/Fel	OROVILLE
18-19373	10/31/2018 16:00-17:00	11/4/2018 08:11	Larceny Theft/Petty Theft/Misdemeanor	BANGOR

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Dear Dave,
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- Will

Dear Will,
Typically, homeowners insurance policies have a limit as to how much cash they will cover. I'd advise re-reading your policy, and

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—Dave

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A Job Well Done

Well Done
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their applications to the national office in Indiana where they were reviewed over the summer. In early August it was announced that Lance was one of four finalists to be selected to represent California at the National FFA Convention in Indiana this past October.

Only four students are selected to interview in this category in the entire nation. Last week Lance interviewed to determine if he was the National Winner. Lance left Indiana this past week still a national finalist. He made so many memories with the experiences he had while back in Indiana. Lance visited the Indianapolis 500, Churchill Downs Race Track, Sluggers Baseball Bat Co, and hung out with other FFA members at a local haunted corn maze.

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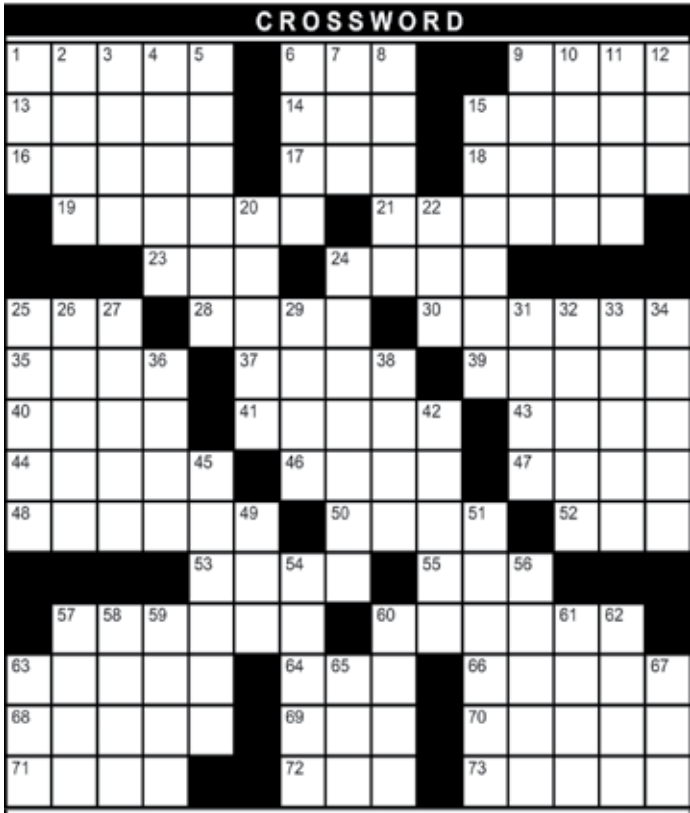
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11. Swerve
12. Go wrong
15. Diced tomatoes packaging
20. African American civil rights org.
22. Octopus' defense
24. Layered pastry of European descent
25. *Like modern mob
26. Fashion designer Karan
27. Off kilter
29. Float soda
31. 50 percent
32. Palate lobe
33. Birth-related
34. *Inanimate conversation partner
36. Short for Dorothea
38. Et alibi
42. Spaniard without "h"
45. Ruffles has them
49. Roman three
51. Aerie baby
54. South American domesticated animal
56. " ____ You Were Sleeping"
57. "By ____ , I think she's got it!"
58. S-shaped molding
59. Women in habits
60. Boundary line
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62. *This team moved to Brooklyn in 2012
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. 18-01065-CI-CA Title No. 180288209-CA-016 P.N. 010-320-019-000 ATTENTION RECORDER: THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE TO AN ATTACHED SUMMARY IS APPLICABLE TO THE NOTICE PROVIDED TO THE TRUSTOR ONLY PURSUANT TO CIVIL CODE 2923.3 NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED. YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 06/01/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, (cashier's check(s) must be made payable to National Default Servicing Corporation), drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state; will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made in an "as is" condition, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: Hector Mosqueda Caudillo and Angelica Guzman husband and wife as joint tenants Duly Appointed Trustee: National Default Servicing Corporation Recorded 06/08/2007 as Instrument No. 2007-0027697 (or Book, Page) of the Official Records of Butte County, California. Date of Sale: 11/27/2018 at 3:30 PM Place of Sale: Butte County Courthouse, 1 Court Street, Oroville, CA 95965 Butte County Courthouse, 1 Court Street, Oroville, CA 95965 Butte County Courthouse, 1 Court Street, Oroville, CA 95965 Estimated amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$217,257.40 Street Address or other common designation of real property: 438 Bayberry Way, Gridley, CA 95948 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The requirements of California Civil Code Section 2923.5(b)(2)923.55(c) were fulfilled when the Notice of Default was recorded. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 800-280-2832 or visit this Internet Web site www.ndscorp.com/sales, using the file number assigned to this case 18-01065-CI-CA. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, including if the Trustee is unable to convey title, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the monies paid to the Trustee. This shall be the Purchaser's sole and exclusive remedy. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Trustor, the Trustee, the Beneficiary, the Beneficiary's Agent, or the Beneficiary's Attorney. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holders right's against the real property only. Date: Quality Loan Service Corporation 2763 Camino Del Rio South San Diego, CA 92108 619-645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: 916-939-0772 Or Login to: <http://www.qualityloan.com> Reinstatement Line: (866) 645-7711 Ext 5318 Quality Loan Service Corp. TS No.: CA-18-832909-BF IDS Pub #0146646 11/2/2018 11/9/2018 11/16/2018 IDS#0146646 11-16-18

site: www.ndscorp.com Rachael Hamilton, Trustee Sales Representative A-FN4673969 11/02/2018, 11/09/2018, 11/16/2018 ASAP#4673969 11-16-18

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. CA-18-832909-BF Order No.: DS7333-18000042 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 6/24/2004. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by the duly appointed trustee, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): Estela C. Gonzales, a single woman Recorded: 6/30/2004 as Instrument No. 2004-0039604 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of BUTTE County, California; Date of Sale: 11/28/2018 at 3:30PM Place of Sale: At the main entrance to the County Courthouse at 1 Court Street, Oroville, CA 95965 Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: \$86,693.20 The purported property address is: 247 NIELSON AVENUE, GRIDLEY, CA 95948 Assessor's Parcel No.: 024-090-044-000 NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. 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T.S. No. 057402-CA APN: 024-070-028-000 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE IMPORT-

ANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 9/23/1998. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER On 12/5/2018 at 3:30 PM, CLEAR RECON CORP., as duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 9/28/1998, as Instrument No. 1998-0041434, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Butte County, State of CALIFORNIA executed by: ALBERTO PEREZ AND ELENA HERNANDEZ PEREZ, HUSBAND AND WIFE AS JT TENANTS WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK DRAWN ON A STATE OR NATIONAL BANK, A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, OR A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, OR SAVINGS BANK SPECIFIED IN SECTION 5102 OF THE FINANCIAL CODE AND AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THIS STATE: Outside the Main Entrance to the Butte County Courthouse located at 1 Court Street, Oroville, CA 95965 all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: A PORTION OF LOT 44, AS SHOWN ON THAT CERTAIN MAP ENTITLED "MAP OF GRIDLEY COLONY NO. 6, NEAR GRIDLEY, BUTTE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA", FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF BUTTE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, ON APRIL 12, 1906, IN BOOK 5 OF MAPS, PAGE 20 AND MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 44, IN THE CENTER LINE OF OBERMEYER AVENUE; THENCE EASTERLY ALONG THE CENTERLINE OF SAID OBERMEYER AVENUE, 36 FEET TO THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE SOUTHERLY ALONG THE CENTER LINE OF AN IRRIGATION DITCH, 660 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO A POINT IN THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 44, SAID PO INT BEING 33 FEET EAST OF THE SOUTHWEST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE EASTERLY ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 44, A DISTANCE OF 134 FEET; THENCE AT RIGHT ANGLES NORTH 660 FEET TO THE CENTER LINE OF OBERMEYER AVENUE; THENCE AT RIGHT ANGLES WEST ALONG CENTER LINE OF OBERMEYER AVENUE 131 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 56 OBERMEYER AVE GRIDLEY, CA 95948 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition, or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$118,458.70 If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned or its predecessor caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF LORRAINE E. DRAKE CASE NO. 18PR00463

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and continuing creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both of Lorraine E. Drake, deceased
A Petition for Probate has been filed by Matthew Drake, in the Superior Court of California, County of Butte, requesting Matthew Drake, be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the executor to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows December 18, 2018 9:00 a.m. in Dept 8 at Superior Court of California, County of Butte 1775 Concord Avenue Chico, CA 95928.
IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.
YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Petitioner is:
Matthew Drake
191 El Cerrito
Nipomo, CA 93444
949-701-9449
Publish: October 26, November 2, and 9, 2018
DRAKE 170622 11-9-18

INVITATION TO BID

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by Gridley Unified School District located at 429 Magnolia Street, Gridley, CA 95948. Bids will be received until 8:00 AM December 10, 2018 at which time all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. A non-mandatory pre-bid walk will be held on November 14, 2018 at 7:00 AM; meet at the Transportation Office located at 906 Fairview Drive, Gridley, CA 95948. Telephone, Facsimile, or E-mailed bids will not be accepted and will automatically be rejected. The bids must be clearly marked "Bid for Roofing Project". A California General Class B Contractor's License, Registration with Department of Industrial Relations per SB 854 requirements, and bonds will be required.

Published Gridley Herald Nov. 9 and 16, 2018

Manzanita Elementary School District PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ADOPTION OF A DEVELOPER FEE STUDY AND THE INCREASE OF THE STATUTORY SCHOOL FEE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Governing Board of the Manzanita Elementary School District will consider input from the public on the proposed adoption of a Developer Fee Justification Study for the District and an increase in the statutory school facility fee ("Level 1 Fee") on new residential and commercial/industrial developments as approved by the State Allocation Board in January 2018. The adoption of the Study and the increase of the Level 1 Fee are necessary to fund the construction of needed school facilities to accommodate growth due to development.

Members of the public are invited to comment in writing, on or before November 14, 2018, or appear in person at the following location:

Location: Manzanita Elementary School, Gym
627 E. Evans Reimer Road
Gridley, CA 95948
Date: Wednesday, November 14, 2018
Time: 7:00 p.m.

Materials regarding the Study and the Level 1 Fee are on file and are available for public review at the District Office located at 627 E. Evans Reimer Road, Gridley, CA 95948.

Dated: October 15, 2018

Publish Nov. 2 and Nov 9, 2018 The Gridley Herald

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT AN INITIAL STUDY AND MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION FOR THE BIGGS WATER TANK PROJECT

Public Notice is hereby given that an Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) is available for public review for the Biggs Water Tank Project (proposed project). The IS/MND has been prepared in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and Environmental Review Process Guidelines for State Revolving Fund Loan Applicants (SWRCB 2016) and is expanded beyond the typical content requirements of an initial study to include additional "CEQA-Plus" information.

Project Location: The project site consists of an approximate 5 acre portion of Assessor Parcel Number (APN) 022-140-009 within the Biggs city limits, located at 2837 West Biggs Gridley Road. Related construction improvements would also occur along the bridge over the Main Drainage Canal where it passes under West Biggs Gridley Road adjacent to the parcel.

Project Description: The proposed project would consist of the construction of a 1.5-million-gallon ground-level water storage tank and control/pump building that would house a booster pump system and an automated control system. An exploratory groundwater well would be drilled at the project site, and if determined to be a suitable location, the well would be implemented for production. This well would replace the existing C Street well. No increased groundwater development or extraction is proposed as a result of installing the new production well.

The proposed water tank, pump building, and new well would be connected to the City water system by extending an 8-inch water main from its terminus at the City's Public Works yard south along West Briggs Gridley Road, then east to the control/pump building. The water main would be installed below grade along the west side of West Biggs Gridley Road. At the West Biggs Gridley Road bridge, the water main would continue over the canal and adjacent to the bridge, crossing over the Main Drainage Canal, then continuing underground to the control/pump building.

Two optional locations for the water tank and control/pump station are being considered: Option A, located on the southern part of the parcel; Option B, centrally located on the parcel. The existing hangar and building associated with a former airstrip on the project site would not be removed or modified.

Document Availability: Copies of the IS/MND are available for review Monday through Friday at City Hall, 465 C Street, Biggs, CA during regular business hours (9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.). The IS/MND is also available online at the City of Biggs website: <http://www.biggs-ca.gov/planning/documents.htm> and at the Butte County Library, Biggs Branch, at 464-A B Street, Biggs.

Review Period: In accordance with CEQA Guidelines Sections 15073 and 15101, there will be a 30-day public review period for the IS/MND. The review period begins on **November 9, 2018** and ends on **December 10, 2018**. Written comments regarding the scope and content of information in the IS/MND may be submitted in person, by regular mail, fax, or email and should be submitted no later than 4:00 p.m. on **December 10, 2018** to:

City of Biggs, 465 C Street, P.O. Box 307, Biggs, CA 95917
Email: Planning@biggs-ca.gov; Fax: (530) 868-5239

Comments/Question: For questions or information, contact the City Planner, Bob Summer-ville, at (530) 868-6008.

Public Meeting: The proposed project and the IS/MND are tentatively scheduled for consideration by the City of Biggs City Council on Tuesday, December 11, 2018. The City Council meets at 6:30 p.m. at 3016 Sixth Street, Biggs.

Roben Benish, City Clerk

Publish: November 9, 2018 (The Gridley Herald)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2018-0001375

The following persons are doing business as: JENNCO AVIATION SERVICES. 216 W. Hamilton Road Suite #204 Biggs, CA 95917 Jennifer Michelle Anderson, 216 W Hamilton Road Biggs, CA 95917 Date Filed in Butte County: October 30, 2018 The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: October 30, 2018 This Business is Conducted by: Individual NOTICE: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: November 9, 16, 23, and 30, 2018

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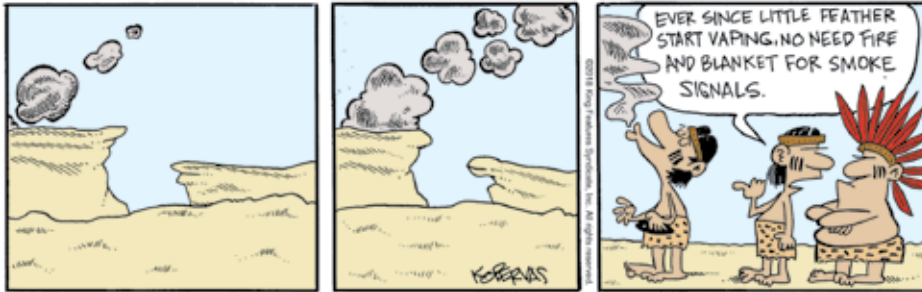
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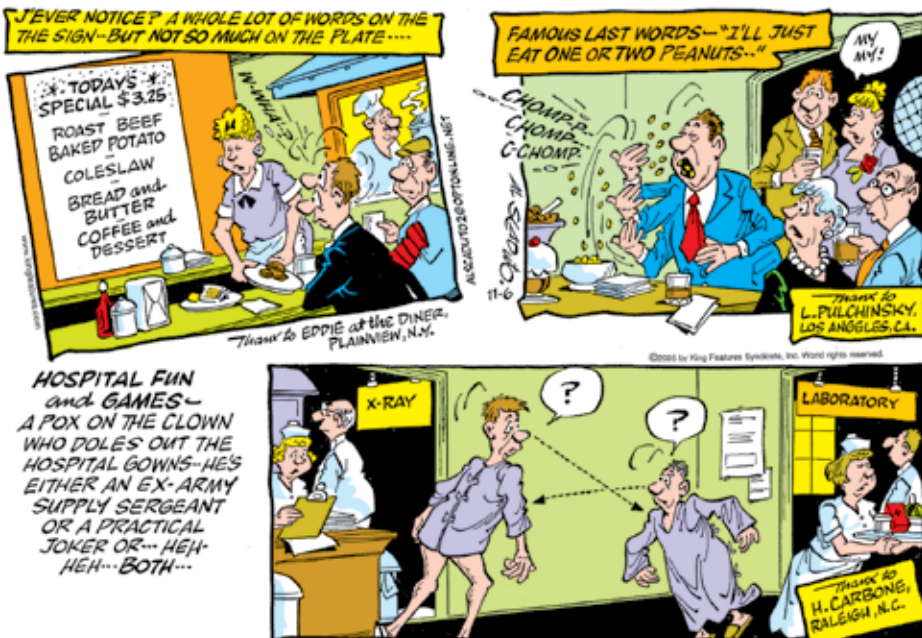
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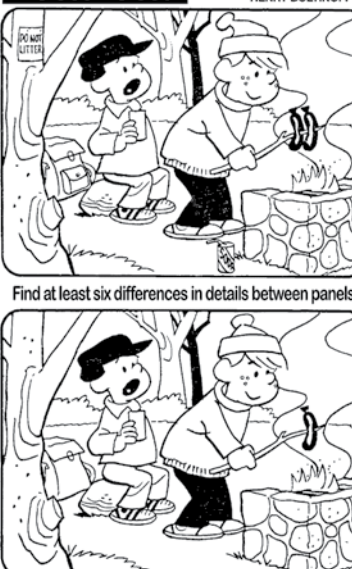
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CHEERS & JEERS

Jeers to TV's War on Rodents

Single Parents squished a guinea pig named Pickle in its October 10 episode (Devin Trey Campbell's Rory hosted the memorial, pictured) and *Legacies*' Hope sacrificed a rat for a spell during the series premiere. If anyone lays a finger on Mickey Mouse, ya'll are gonna be answering to us, mmmkay?

Jeers to CBS

for being so hell-bent on letters. Between three *NCIS-es*, *FBI*, *S.W.A.T.*, *Magnum P.I.* and *Criminal Minds*' *BAU*, it's a daily struggle to keep all of the damn initials straight, much less what some of them actually stand for. We thought ABC was the alphabet network.



Adam Levine, Kelly Clarkson, Jennifer Hudson and Blake Shelton of *The Voice*.

Cheers to Seth Meyers

for REALLY nailing his first *SNL* hosting gig. The former Weekend Updater's joyful return to the studio was a blast to behold, especially since it allowed the alum to appear in more skits than he ever got to do back when he was busy as the show's head writer.

Cheers to The Voice

for nailing the four-part harmony with its judges. The hook, of course, is the vocal competition, but let's be real: The reason to stick around for all the battles rounds and whatnot is the sassy, hard-earned know-how that Kelly Clarkson and J-Hud happily serve along with O.G. mentors Blake and Adam. ★

ASK MATT

BY MATT ROUSH TV Guide Senior Critic

What Do You Think Of The Haunting Of Hill House ?

Question: I'm so happy someone else enjoys PBS's *The Durrells in Corfu*. I hope that the success of Netflix's *Bodyguard* (also starring Keeley Hawes) means more people discover Keeley's other amazing projects. Now, as for the real point: What did you think of *The Haunting of Hill House*, if you have had a chance to watch any of it yet? —Ellys

Matt Roush: I mentioned

The Haunting of Hill House briefly the day it premiered, but can't say much more until I actually get around to finishing it. Which I hoped to do by Halloween, although I have several other viewing projects to get through before I'll have time to dive back in. And time is the real issue here. While I prefer the Shirley Jackson source material to this haunted-family saga, which spends way too much time away from the actual house, my real issue with

the Netflix version is, as is so often the case, bloat. There were some very scary moments in the episodes I watched—many of them borrowed from Jackson—but there's no justification for this story stretching over 10 very long episodes. When I hit the midpoint and saw one episode was 1 hour, 10 minutes in length, that's when I decided I had to move on. You could watch nothing but Netflix and still not be able to see it all. I don't have that luxury, and many of the people I talk to about this issue feel much the same way.

To submit questions to TV Critic Matt Roush, go to: tvinsider.com ★

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Gridley Thumbs and Roots



By Barbara Ott

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - Green Thumb Garden Club had a booth about the healthiness of gardening. The club gave out vegetable seeds to the Orchard/Lions Health Fair. Five reasons were highlighted as the main healthy benefits of gardening. The emphasis was on vegetable gardening but flower gardening can also provide healthy activity in ones' life.

1. Daily Exercise
Gardening is a way to

achieve your target 2.5 hours of moderate-intensity exercise each week. Gardening is a physical activity and pulling weeds, planting, and digging can burn up to 400 calories per hour.

2. Balanced Health/Balanced Budget

Growing your own food can save you money. Lowering food costs can become an appealing way to cut back on your grocery bill.

3. Mental Health/Stress Relief

Gardening is good mental exercise and helps keep your mind sharp. Being outside in the fresh air and sunshine can improve mood and make you feel rejuvenated and overall happy.

4. Hand Strength and Flexibility

As we age, diminishing dexterity and strength in the hands can gradually

narrow the range of activities that are possible or pleasurable. Gardening keeps those hand muscles vigorous

5. Fresh Healthy Food

Nothing beats the flavor-and-nutrient-packed power of fresh-picked fruits and vegetables. Gardening allows easy access to fresh produce. Adults who grow their own produce consume more fruits and veggies.

Green Thumb Garden Club meets the third Thursday of every month at 10 am in the Lions' Den on Washington St. We love visitors, come join us. Traditionally the Garden Club has taken the months of July and August off. Recently the membership voted to take off January and February instead. From now on the club will meet throughout the summer. ★

“Slow it, Spread it, Sink it”

Creating a Rain Garden in Your Home Landscape

By Alicia Springer, UC Master Gardener of Butte County

When that first light rain fell over our region in early October, a collective sigh of relief fell as well. We all agree that rainwater is precious—so why do we try so hard to move it off our property? On city and suburban lots, we channel rainwater from roof gutter downspout to street gutter storm drain as directly as possible. We don't want rainwater pooling around our foundations or settling into muddy sumps in our gardens, so modern houses and driveways are engineered to clear the runoff. But why not capture that precious rainwater in the soil? “Slow it, spread it, sink it” is the rallying cry of this permaculture principle of rain capture, and with some fairly simple landscaping—small berms, swales, and basins that direct, detain, and filter water—we can invigorate our soil ecology, enhance our yard's aesthetic and habitat value, filter pollutants, and help relieve over-tasked city storm drains.

Chicoans have a macro-example of this approach to storm water in our own Lindo Channel, which catches the overflow when Big Chico Creek runs high. While many towns direct excess storm water to concrete flood control culverts which whisk the water to treatment plants, Lindo Channel's runoff nourishes a riparian corridor of oaks, sycamores, willows, cottonwoods, and bay trees (along with nonnative brush). The stream flow recharges upper-level groundwater, and the greenery helps clear air pollution and offers sanctuary to birds and other animals large and small.

The goal of on-site rain capture is to allow water to percolate into the soil rather than to create holding ponds, which require more complex engineering (and can foster mosquito breeding). Any effective rain garden landscaping should discourage standing water and allow flow to infiltrate the soil within a day or two. This can be as simple as a gravel-lined trench (often called a french drain) leading from a downspout to a grassy meadow or planting bed. A more complicated retention basin might entail layers of soil, gravel, and sand designed for slow seepage. For the purposes of this brief introduction, let's focus

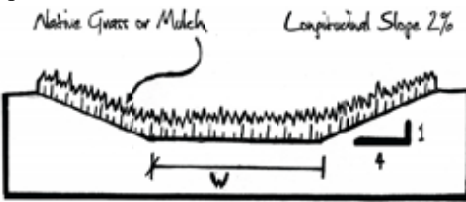


Diagram of a grass-lined vegetative swale, courtesy of Napa County Resource Conservation District.

on a versatile and relatively simple structure, the swale.

A swale is a shallow channel, bermed a bit on both sides, that lets gravity do the work of moving rainwater along a gently sloping course. The swale directs water away from structures and through a straight or meandering depression lined with river rock, grasses, or other vegetation that can tolerate periods of winter wet and summer dry (regional native plants generally fit the bill). A grassy, vegetative swale might be lined with cool-season native meadow grasses such as sedges (*Carex* species) or rushes (*Juncus* species) that thrive with winter moisture and go dormant over the dry summer. A rock-lined swale resembling a dry creek bed holds visual interest throughout the seasons. Water-loving plants can be sited closer to the flow, while more water-averse selections can keep their feet dry further up the banks.

Before planning your swale, observe your yard's topography and not where and how rainwater settles in the wet season. Are there existing declivities where the ground turns soggy? You might run a swale through that area to create better drainage, or you might construct an improved basin, but you should avoid adding water that will just sit there. Is there a natural slope you can work with? Great! Do you have areas of impacted clay that shed water like a duck's back? Cutting a gravel-lined swale through hardpan could be helpful, but difficult. In general, your rainwater collection surface should slope downward from the water source, or you can create a minimum 2% slope. Steep slopes can create erosion, so avoid orienting your swale down slope in such areas.



A dry creek rain swale in a suburban garden landscape. The swale, roughly 50 feet long x 10 feet wide, runs along a sloping driveway. Redbud (*Cercis occidentalis*), deergrass (*Muhlenbergia rigens*), St. Catherine's Lace (a buckwheat, *Eriogonum giganteum*), Santa Barbara daisy (*Erigeron karvinskianus*) and California fuchsia (*Epilobium canum*) are among the native species seen.

Locate your swale:

- At least five feet away from structures without a basement, or ten feet from structures with a basement.
- Away from septic systems and leach fields
- Away from a tree's crown or major root zone to avoid root rot
- In full or partial sunlight to support plantings

Think of your roof as the watershed, the downspout or water chain as the headwaters, and a downpour as a flash flood. Construct your swale to withstand those rare, brief, but potentially powerful erosion-causing pressures. The channel should be at least 6 inches deep, and lined with grasses, gravel, or river rocks for the dry creek effect. Use the excavated soil to build up gently sloping berms on each side.

Anchor your artificial creek bed with larger stones, boulders, and deep-rooted plants such as deer grass (*Muhlenbergia rigens*) and fescues (*Festuca* species). If space permits, larger shrubs can create a more dramatically varied look. Vegetation should be planted and at least partly established before the winter storms, so be prepared to irrigate in dry periods and through at least the first summer. Once well established, deep-rooted native plants will enjoy the cool season storm water and survive the summer heat.

The illustrations here depict a professionally-designed creek bed along the driveway of a family home in Chico near lower Bidwell Park. A DIY project could be smaller in length, width, and overall scale while still employing some of the elements that make this feature so delightful.

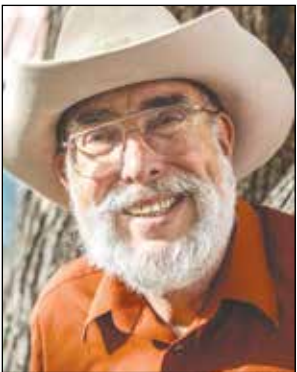
From a simple gravel channel to a dry creek to a more elaborate retention pond, the hardscape elements of a rain garden project may seem daunting without step-by-step instruction. “Coastal California Rain Gardens” (<https://anrcatalog.ucanr.edu/pdf/8531.pdf>), published by University of California Agriculture and Natural Resources (UCANR), offers detailed information about planning, building, and maintaining a rain garden. Another useful guide is “Slow it, Spread it, Sink it! Rain Gardens and Swales.” (<http://naparcd.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/10/rain-gardens-swales.pdf>) published by the Napa County Resource Conservation District. Both publications offer additional plant suggestions and resource listings. ★



A decorative rain chain at the 'headwaters' of the creek bed directs flow from the roof gutter. Note that the creek bed is directed away from the base of the redwood, which is on a higher bank.

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only to walk about 100 feet from the cabin to do his hunting. That's one of the marvels of it.

If he sees a nice buck, he might shoot it. Hey, he enjoys venison like everyone else, of course. But he might not shoot it. He had two good shots last Fall and didn't take either one of them. He's tried to justify this inactivity to himself, but has come a cropper each time.

So off he went once again with his rifle to sit against that one certain tree, kinda scrooch around in the pine needles until he was comfortable, and waited.

The squirrel came down a nearby tree and chattered at him for a while, and

then left. The blue jay flew to a branch above him and looked down. Didn't stay long, though.

The soft music of the mountains began along about four in the afternoon, resembling at first just the breeze in the tops of the aspens, but later taking form into a melody no composer could ever create.

A legal buck came along just about sundown, but he just waved at it and watched it bound off. Didn't want to shoot one on opening day, anyway. Still five days to go. Maybe tomorrow.

We'll see.

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SPORTS

Bulldogs, Wolverines Roar into Playoffs



Story and photos by David Vantress

WHEATLAND, CA (MPG) - It's always nice to end your season on a winning note – especially if you're headed to the playoffs.

Both the Gridley High School and Biggs High School football teams did just that, taking care of business on the road.

Gridley quarterback Riley Dunning receives the snap as receiver Davis Mardesich comes in motion last Friday night at Wheatland. Waiting for the handoff is running back Arden Anderson

Gridley demolished Wheatland, 69-6 to finish second in the Butte View League for the second straight year behind perennial champion Sutter. Gridley completed the 2018 regular season 7-3 overall (4-1 BVL).

Biggs, meanwhile, bested Chester, 28-14. The Wolverines finish the regular season 5-5 (4-3 Cascade Valley League).

At Wheatland, the Bulldogs got off the bus with the intensity third-year coach Matt Kemmis was hoping they'd bring and never let up.

The Bulldogs are peaking at the right time, Kemmis said.

"I don't think anyone in our section wants to play us right now," Kemmis said.

Senior QB Riley Dunning had five rushing TDs for Gridley – all in the first half. He also tossed a scoring strike to Wyatt Dreesmann. Dunning has 14 carries for 169 yards to key a Bulldog rushing attack that amassed 451 yards.

Sophomore Arden Anderson added 12 totes for 100 yards with a pair of TDs and backup running back/placekicker Fernando Alejo had 118 yards with a pair of TDs on just four carries, including an 80-yarder. Alejo was also busy with his kicking duties, booting three PATs.

The seeding meeting for the upcoming CIF Northern



Gridley placekicker Fernando Alejo prepares to boot one of his three extra points on the night as holder Davis Mardesich waits for the snap last Friday night against Wheatland.

Section Division 3 state playoffs was held Saturday morning, and the Bulldogs entered the postseason No. 3 in the section in playoff points.

Gridley maintained that placement, received the No. 3 seed and will host No. 6 Orland next Friday night at the Boneyard. Kickoff is slated for 7 p.m.

If the Bulldogs can get past the Trojans, they'll face the winner of another quarterfinal matchup between No. 2 Sutter and No. 7 Oroville Friday night, Nov. 16.

The other side of the bracket features No. 1 West Valley taking on No. 8 University Prep and No. 4 Lassen hosting No. 5 Anderson.

Biggs, meanwhile, earned a No. 2 seed – and the first-round bye that comes with it – with its win over Chester. The Wolverines will have a week to get healthy before facing the winner of a quarterfinal contest between No. 3 Chester and No. 6 Maxwell.

Fall River earned the No. 1 seed and the other first-round bye. The other half of

the bracket features a showdown between No. 4 Etna and No. 5 Quincy.

Friday night against Chester, the Wolverines' vaunted Wing-T rushing attack was working to perfection. Junior Silas McFall led the way with 13 carries for 160 yards and a pair of TDs. Senior Dustin Long had 21 carries for 122 yards and the Wolverines' other two scores.

Senior Bryson Roles led the Wolverine defense with 12 solo tackles and a pair of assists. Sophomore Casen Rivero added 11 solo tackles and three assists.

It was a great way to rebound after amassing 750-plus yards in total offense last week against Modoc, only to lose, according to Biggs head coach Tyler Rutledge.

Meanwhile, Live Oak finished the 2018 season at 3-7 after a 33-7 loss on the road at Colusa Friday night. But the Lions' mark in 2018 is an improvement over the past few years: Live Oak was 1-9 in both 2016 and 2017 and 0-10 in 2015. Live Oak broke a 32-game losing streak early in the 2016 campaign. ★

Wolverines' Long Makes Most of Change of Scenery



Biggs senior running back Dustin Long follows his blockers during a drill last week. Long, a transfer from Las Plumas, has quickly become a big part of the Wolverines' offense.

Story and photos by David Vantress

BIGGS, CA (MPG) - After several seasons on the Las Plumas High School football team, Dustin Long was looking to make a change as his senior season beckoned.

He found what he was looking for and more at Biggs High School.

Long was a two-way standout for the Thunderbirds, excelling at both the running back and outside linebacker positions.

He's brought that versatility to Biggs, and his new teammates and coaches are happy to have him.

The feeling's mutual.

"We've got a great bunch of guys here," Long said after a recent practice.

"They've been very welcoming to me."

Long, under CIF rules, had to sit out five games after transferring from Las Plumas.

It was a long five weeks, Long said.

"But I put in the work in practice, because I wanted to be ready to contribute when the time came."

And contribute Long has. In the final five games of the 2018 regular season, Long amassed 614 yards on 78 carries with seven TDs. Over a full season, those numbers would project out to a 1,000-yard season.

Defensively, Long has 52 tackles through those aforementioned five games – 44 of them solos. He averages more than 10 tackles a game.

Third-year Biggs head coach Tyler Rutledge said he found out about his new player last summer while on business at the district office.

"They said there was a

kid who was interested in playing football," Rutledge said.

And the rest, as they say, is history.

Rutledge loves Long's intensity.

"Sometimes we have to tell him to dial it back a notch or two in practice," Rutledge said with a smile.

It's just the way Long plays the game.

Long said he wanted to go somewhere where he could both make an impact and get noticed by college coaches as a senior. He's hoping to play at the next level next year, and Rutledge and his staff plan on doing what they can to aid in that effort.

"Dustin's got the tools and the work ethic to play college football," Rutledge said. "He just needs an opportunity, and we're going to do what we can to help him get that opportunity."

But for now, Long is squarely focused on helping his new team succeed. The Wolverines finished 5-5 in the regular season and earned the No. 2 seed in the upcoming CIF Northern Section Division 5 playoffs. They'll have a first-round bye and play either No. 3 Chester or No. 6 Maxwell in the semifinals Friday night, Nov. 16 at home.

Long says he made the right choice in coming to Biggs. He also considered Gridley, but decided on Biggs, partly because Gridley is in the same league – the Butte View League – as Las Plumas.

"I'm loving it here so far," Long said. "We're playing some good football, and I'm proud to be a part of it. We're going to keep it going as long as we can." ★

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Putting together the camp was a lot harder than



Valeria Gaytan is putting

The Live Oak seniors will present their projects at an open house in the Live Oak gym just before graduation next spring. ★



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