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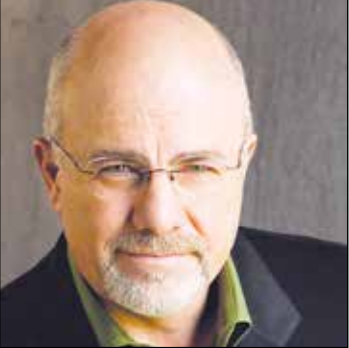
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## Gridley Homecoming: Once Upon a Time

By MPG Staff

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - Gridley High School is gearing up for another blue and gold homecoming celebration. Float building is a busy time at the fairgrounds as each grade prepares their float for the Friday afternoon parade through town followed by the homecoming festivities at the football game Friday night. Plan to support these students by watching the parade, which starts at 3:30 p.m. on Spruce Street.

Friday, 9/28 Afternoon homecoming parade, leaves the high school at 3:30 p.m.

Friday 9/28 JV boys take on Anderson at 5 p.m.

Friday 9/28 Varsity game time is 7:30 p.m. against Anderson.

The formal 'Once Upon a Time' homecoming dance will be held Saturday, September 29 at 9 p.m.

Football gate prices are: \$7 Adults, all HS students w/o valid ASB, 8th grade & under w/o parent

\$4 Seniors (60 years & older), 8th grade & under w/parent, visiting student w/valid ASB

FREE, GHS students w/valid ASB, children under 5 years old. ★



Come out Friday night and see the crowning of the 2018 Homecoming King and Queen (above) 2017 Homecoming King and Queen Jace Villapania and Kathryn Sanchez. (right) Let the fun begin!!! Junior vs Seniors in the football follies. Photo by Chasing Butterflies

## New Legislation to Empower Residents in Public Safety Issues of Oroville Dam



From the office of Senator Jim Nielsen

**BUTTE COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - Governor Brown signed into law Senator Jim Nielsen's legislation to create the Citizens Advisory Commission for Oroville Dam. This measure empowers residents to be involved in public safety issues relating to Oroville Dam.

"The failure of the Oroville Dam spillway impacted hundreds of thousands of lives," said Senator Jim Nielsen (R-Tehama). "Citizens must have a voice in the public safety and maintenance of the dam; they must feel safe living near the tallest dam in the country."

Senate Bill 955, co-authored by Assemblyman James Gallagher (R-Yuba City) and Senator Bob Hertzberg (D-Van Nuys) would create a 19-member Citizens Advisory Commission for Oroville Dam to provide local residents and state officials a forum to meet and discuss maintenance, findings, reports, and upcoming and ongoing issues.

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## NorCal Rapist Arrested in Bay Area

### Answers Found in DNA Research

By Rich Peters, MPG Editor

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - It was an eerie, familiar feeling as Sacramento District Attorney stood alongside state law enforcement agents and in front of media members, announcing the arrest of yet another notorious California serial rapist.

58-year-old Roy Charles Waller of Benicia was linked through DNA to the heinous NorCal Rapist crimes committed on at least 12 victims that date back beginning 27 years ago and took place across six counties, including Sacramento, Contra Costa and Butte.

"The answer has always been



Roy Charles Waller sketch (top photo) and mug shot.

in the DNA," said Schubert, coincidentally in the midst of National Forensic Science Week. She explained the partnership of

tireless science and police work that led to a breakthrough over the past 10 days, eventually leading to the arrest.

"Today we can bring some closure to the victim in Contra Costa County who was attacked on Halloween in 1996," said Contra Costa County District Attorney Diana Becton.

Waller was arrested in Berkeley near the U.C. Berkeley campus last week. He has been a U.C. Berkeley employee for the past 25 years. The Sacramento Police Department and the Berkeley Police Department made the arrest.

The suspect has been charged with 12 counts of force-able sexual assault, plus enhancements. There are also allegations that he used a gun. He's been awarded no bail and his arraignment is set for Monday in Sacramento. ★



# LOOKINGBACK

BY SETI LONG

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - The following are stories that appeared in the Gridley Herald 25, 50, 75, 100 and 125 years ago:

*25 Years Ago (1993)*

Live Oak Council Worried About Funds

Live Oak City Council agreed to have bids submitted in order to determine the cost of providing a shelter for the Fire Departments 1965 Snorkel fire truck. Councilman Don T. Lee pointed out that the fire protection benefit assessment fund which is used to finance fire department expenditures is due to expire in the coming year. The benefit assessment was designed to bring in \$50,000 to \$60,000 a year for five years. The truck, with its aerial boom, is too large to fit in the Live Oak Fire Station and now sits in the open, exposed to damage by sun and rain. The truck already needs \$1,000 worth of repairs because of deteriorated hydraulic hoses, used to extend the Snorkel boom. Other damages the truck has sustained from being left exposed to the elements are problems with its gauges, radio and the breathing apparatus it carries. Estimates received earlier in the year indicated that the cost to house the truck would range from \$13,300 to \$15,700. Sutter County has budgeted \$7,000 to cover its share of the

project but Live Oak would need to come up with the rest. Although the truck is 28 years old, after repairs and with the proper housing, the truck could give the city another 10-15 years worth of useful service.

*50 Years Ago (1968)*

Cannon Theft

The two Gridley men charged with the theft of a historic cannon in front of the Memorial Hall are now serving 30 days of a six-month jail sentence. Both men pleaded guilty to the charges and five of the six months were suspended. They were placed on three years probation, fined \$125 and must pay for the repairs of the cannon which was damaged during the theft.

*75 Years Ago (1943)*

More on Last Week's Explosion and Fire

The Gridley Pharmacy's supply of blood plasma was used to help save the life of Russel Jones, firefighter who sustained a sever head wound and shock battling the blaze that caused a large blast at the Sutter Butte Canal Co. last week. As a result of the explosion that occurred after firefighters arrived to fight the blaze, the city will have to purchase some 250 feet of fire hose to replace several sections cut by flying pieces of tin, glass and other objects.

The hose is so badly damaged that it cannot be used safely. After Federal investigators spent several hours inspecting the wreckage, they announced that there was no evidence that dynamite had caused the explosion. The oxygen tank and acetylene tank were undamaged which eradicated the theory that they had been responsible for the explosion. Investigators now believe the blast was caused by some sort of gas.

*100 Years Ago (1918)*

Highway Now Open

The state highway is completed and open for travel to the Manzanita road. The concrete is laid to town and the grade is finished to a point between Gridley and Biggs.

*125 Years Ago (1893)*

Purposed Ditching

Rumors of proposed ditching near Gridley are afloat and the farmers in the vicinity of the Snake River are paying close attention. According to surveys recently made, a ditch was laid out from near Gridley to the upper Snake River and the construction will start this fall. The drainage from that section will be turned into that channel. Because the Snake already has all the water it can carry during the winter, land owners downstream are expected to raise objections to the proceedings. ★

## Butte County Sheriff's Office Search Warrant Leads to Two Arrests

**BERRY CREEK, CA (MPG)** - On September 17th, 2018 members of the Butte County Sheriff's Office Special Enforcement Unit (SEU) served a search warrant in the 2690 block of Bean Creek Road, Berry Creek, after aerial overflights of the area revealed a commercial marijuana grow in violation of state law.

As SEU members were driving to the search warrant location, an individual in a Toyota truck passed the SEU caravan headed to the search warrant location. The Toyota truck turned around and followed the caravan to the search warrant location. Michael Smith, age 35 of Massachusetts was contacted and it was determined that he was part of the commercial marijuana grow site where SEU was serving the search warrant. Smith was detained and SEU continued to serve the search warrant.

Upon serving the search warrant, two Hispanic males fled from the marijuana grow site and into the woods armed with a handgun. The two Hispanic males would not be located by law enforcement.

Located inside a residence

at the search warrant location was Mark De La Gardie, age 59 of Berry Creek. De La Gardie was detained without incident. A search of the residence and De La Gardie's vehicle revealed processed and packaged marijuana for sale as well as three self-made AR-15 rifles, all illegal in California along with numerous rounds of ammunition and other firearms.

A search of the marijuana grow site revealed a Drug Trafficking Organization (DTO) occupied a travel trailer on the property and had rented the property from De La Gardie to cultivate marijuana. A second marijuana grow site was located on property owned by Smith and also being tended to by the DTO. Water was illegally being drafted from a nearby creek and stored in an above ground swimming pool to be used on the marijuana plants.

Smith was arrested for possession of brass knuckles, which were located in his Toyota truck, felony maintaining a residence for the purpose of drug sales, felony cultivation of marijuana and possession of marijuana for sale. Smith was

booked into the Butte County Jail with a bail of \$50,000.00.

De La Gardie was arrested for cultivation of marijuana, possession of marijuana for sale, felony maintaining a residence for drug sales, armed in the commission of a felony, possession of an assault weapon, manufacturing an assault weapon, felon in possession of a firearm, and felon in possession of ammunition. De La Gardie was booked into the Butte County Jail with a bail of \$150,000.00.

As SEU was leaving the search warrant site, SEU encountered a vehicle traveling on Bean Creek Road cross of Bald Rock Road. The driver, Calvin Merrill, age 46 of Fair Oaks, was contacted and found to be driving on a suspended driver's license due to DUI. An overwhelming odor of fresh marijuana came from Merrill's vehicle and a search of the vehicle revealed 3 pounds of processed marijuana secured in turkey oven bags. Merrill was cited for driving on a suspended license due to DUI and transportation of marijuana for sale.

*Source: Butte County Sheriff-Coroner* ★

## Biggs/Gridley City Council Candidates Forum

*By Carolyn Nelson, AAUW Media Chair*

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - Do you know who is running for City Council in your town? If you would like to meet, greet and interact with the candidates, you can do so by attending the Biggs/Gridley

Candidates' Forum to be held on Monday, October 1, 2018, at the Gridley Community Center, near the Gridley High School. The Meet and Greet session begins at 6:00 p.m. and the forum begins at 6:30 p.m.

The Forum is being hosted by The League of Women Voters,

under the direction of Debra Barger, League President. Forum format and rules will be sent to each candidate in advance. Eileen Burke-Trent will be moderating the forum and Gridley AAUW members will be assisting. Refreshments will be served. ★



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# Slow Is Just the Way I Go

Dr. James L. Snyder

One of the main complaints in the Parsonage has to do with my procrastination. The Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage often refers to me as, Sir Procrastinator, as if it was a bad thing.

Anything that needs doing in our house, my wife is the first one to jump up and try to do it. She fixes things before they are even broken. How she does that, I will never know. It is a wife thing.

I, on the other hand, am slower than a politician trying to explain him or herself. For some reason, I was born in no hurry and that has been my motto all of my life. I am really not in a hurry for anything.

I take my time, relax whenever possible and just do not get excited about anything. I have found out that when I get excited about something and want to go fast forward, I always get into trouble. Trouble has become my middle name in this regard.

As a child, my parents wanted me to speed up and get things done quickly. I never could figure out why. Very few things need to be done in a speedy order.

I just do not have the energy, these days, to hurry up and get something done.

Last year, for example, the doctor gave me a little package to take home that I was supposed to put in a personal “sample” and send to the company. Certainly, I meant to do it as soon as I got home. But I took the slow way home, stopped and got a delicious banana split. I can only get these banana splits when I am driving by myself, for the other companion in our home has strict laws about such “nonsense,” as she calls it.

I actually enjoyed my “nonsense” very much.

When I got home, however, I had forgotten about the box in which I

was supposed to put in my “sample” and send to the company. I put it somewhere and I just forgot about it.

“When,” my wife said, “are you going to take care of that and send it in?”

I almost said, “When pigs fly.” But because I was slow in getting that phrase out, it never got out. Of course, I am so glad I was slow in that regard.

Sometimes being slow has its rewards. Some people say being fast has its rewards. I would not know about that personally.

Several months went by. “Did you send that package in?” “What package?” I said.

Then she reminded me of that package and that I had to send in my “sample” for the doctor had ordered it.

Doctors! What do they really know? After all, they are only “practicing” medicine. When they get it to perfection, then maybe I’ll believe them.

Several mornings when I would get up, I would hear the question, “Are you going to take care of what you’re supposed to do?”

I really meant to do it, but procrastination is the name of the game I play. I do not mean to play it that way, it just happens.

And it is not that I do not have a good memory. I do have a good memory in fact, I have locked several sections of my memory to save for when I get old. I will use that memory when I need it.

“You know,” argued my wife, “you’re not doing yourself any favors by putting this off. Why don’t you do it today?”

Finally, and I am not sure what motivated me to do it, but I did do the process and got my “sample” and mailed it to the company.

My wife was happy when she heard that I did it and said, “Now, don’t you feel good?”

I had to smile at her, but I really

did not feel good. I really did not feel anything.

Several weeks later, I got a letter in the mail from the company where I sent my “sample.” I was not sure what they were writing to me about. At first, I thought maybe something went wrong and I was in a lot of trouble.

Slowly, I opened the envelope and found inside a letter thanking me and it included a \$50 gift card. I could not believe what I just saw.

I could not wait for my wife to get home so I could share with her my good news.

I gave her the letter with the gift card and said, “I guess it really does pay to procrastinate.”

She looked at the gift card and then looked up at me and said, “I did not know your ‘sample’ was worth that much money.”

“Well,” I said rather sarcastically, “now you know.”

It only proved to me that sometimes procrastination does pay off. Sometimes when you jump into a problem or circumstance, you pay dearly for it. And sometimes, like my “sample” when you procrastinate you get paid.

I then reminded my wife of what King David said. “Wait on the Lord: be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart: wait, I say, on the Lord” (Psalm 27:14).

Of course, the key here is not waiting, but who you are waiting on. I like to procrastinate until I really know what God wants me to do. Sometimes it takes longer than I figured, but when I wait, I am never disappointed.

Dr. James L. Snyder is pastor of the Family of God Fellowship Ocala, FL where he lives with the Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage. Call him at 1-866-552-2543 or e-mail jamesnsnyder2@att.net. His web site is www.jamesnsnyderministries.com. ★

# Gridley Thumbs and Roots



By Barbara Ott

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - Thanks to relatively cool weather I’ve been ripping and tearing out plants and weeds in the garden. The cedar mulch has made a huge difference in the flower beds. The bermuda grass is still

running rampant but nothing like it did before the application of the mulch. I’m pulling the weeds and planting the last of the perennial coreopsis and red-hot pokers. This means all of my simplification of the garden beds is complete, or so I say right now. This garden now contains coreopsis, lavender and red hot pokers in the midground with “Hot Lips” salvia and “Black and Blue” salvia in the background. Running along the front edge is the great little grey leafed pelargonium that grows so well in the heat of the summer and blooms forever. While ripping out some perfectly great annuals I found a small colony of snails working at surviving the heat. Far fewer than before, the mulch is helping with the snail infestation. As it becomes

cooler and wetter the proof of whether or not the mulch makes a difference with snail abatement will become self-evident. If I am successful with getting rid of snails would I miss them? Maybe...I do get a twisted kind of joy out of seeing them do the weirdest things. Imma thinkin’ I won’t miss them too much. The bonsai are moved back to their winter homes. The mandarin tree has green globes of goodness waiting to turn orange. I’ve covered the naked ladies with soil. I am beginning to think they have that name because of the way the bulbs push up out of the soil. The fall blooming crocus are vibrant in their shining orchid color. Time to start the ritual of raking leaves. ★

## Senator Nielsen’s Legislation to Empower Residents in Public Safety Issues of Oroville Dam Signed into Law

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**Membership to the Commission will include the following representation:**

- The City of Oroville
- The Counties of Butte, Sutter and Yuba
- Sheriffs of Butte, Sutter and Yuba
- Legislative representatives of Oroville
- The Natural Resources Agency

- The Department of Water Resources
- The Office of Emergency Services
- The Department of Parks and Recreation
- The California Highway Patrol

Commission members would each serve for terms of no more than three years.

Senate Bill 955 is supported by the Oroville Dam Coalition, American Whitewater, City of Marysville, City of Oroville, City of Yuba, Exchange Club

of Oroville, Northern California Guides and Sportsmen’s Association, Northern California Water Association, Sutter County Board of Supervisors and the Yuba County Board of Supervisors.

Assemblyman Gallagher said, “SB 955 gives our communities a seat at the table on how to best manage, maintain, and improve this important facility. The commission will also serve the important role of keeping our communities informed on what his happening at the dam.” ★

# Slim Randles’ HOME COUNTRY

*But That’s Like Shooting Flies With a Thirty Ought-Six*



of the woodpile and wagged his tail. The old guy’s talking to me again. Sure is cold out here. When are we going back in the cabin? Isn’t it almost time for supper? Oops, gotta scratch an itch...

“Always good to have your opinion, old timer,” Jasper Blankenship said.

He picked up the double-bit cruiser ax, made sure the splitting edge of the ax was in the downward position, and swung. Half a century and more of splitting firewood took that ax blade to that crack in the block, and there was a welcoming ka-chunk as part of the block was surgically cloven from the rest.

Well done, Dr. Blankenship, Jasper thought. Now for this remaining chunk. One more split and it’ll fit the firebox quite nicely.

He sized it up. This second swing wasn’t as difficult to figure out as that first one. There is less wood to cut through, for one thing.

Ka-chunk. Three pieces of firewood in two swings of the ax. Not bad for an old guy.

Jasper could’ve bought a splitting maul, of course. Only Arthur would know. But that’s like shooting flies with a thirty ought-six. Overkill. This way a guy has to know what he’s doing to hit the schism on the first swing.

Just take this next block here. Just to the left of that knot, I think.

“Arthur, we should have been diamond cutters, you know?”

I think it’s time to feed the dog, Boss.

*Brought to you by Ol’ Max Evans: The First Thousand Years. Available at unmpress.com. ★*

## MEMORIAL NOTICE

### Angela Pastor Wilson

January 10, 1926 to September 10, 2018

Angela Pastor Wilson, a long-time Gridley resident, and more recently a resident of Chico, passed away peacefully on September 10, 2018 after a brief illness. Born January 10, 1926 in Oakley, California, she was the daughter of Vicente Pastor and Angela Domingo Pastor, both immigrants from Spain. She was the second oldest of ten children and survived each of them, passing a few months before her 93rd birthday.

She learned the lessons of hard work early in her life, performing manual labor in numerous agricultural occupations, her earnings contributing to the family income. She started school at age four, demonstrating both intellectual and physical prowess that led to her being the first of her generation to earn a college degree. She obtained her Bachelor’s Degree in Physical Education and teaching credential at San Jose State University, and, at the age of 50, earned her Master’s Degree in Education from Chico State.

Her entire adult career was in Education, starting as a high school Physical Education teacher in Oroville and then working in the Gridley Elementary School District for 30 years as a classroom teacher, resource specialist and foreign

language instructor. Her desire to be a school administrator did not mesh with the male-dominated decision-makers of her time, but she was relentless in making sure that her students, and fellow teachers, received and delivered a sound education.

In 1948 she married Everett E. Wilson, with whom she was both students at College of the Pacific (now University of the Pacific) in Stockton. Her husband of 64 years passed away in 2012. Together, they raised five children in Gridley: Kristy (Brian) Holliday, Debbie Wilson, Charlie (Debbi) Wilson, Elizabeth (Joe) Robinson and Karen (Michael) Lozano, who all survive her along with seven grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Despite being a tireless educator, she also supported her husband with his Masonic and volunteer activities, and her children in their church, sports, Camp Fire, Boy Scout, Rainbow Girls, DeMolay, 4-H, FFA and musical activities.

She was also very active with her local AAUW chapter. Private burial services will take place at the Gridley-Biggs Memorial Cemetery, where she will be laid to rest alongside her husband.

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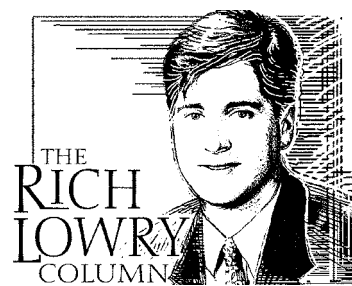












Trump Not Benefiting from Economic Boom

President Donald Trump is showing that it's possible to pre-side over a period of peace and prosperity and still be notably unpopular.

Over the past several months, Trump has opened even more of a wedge between the largely benign material conditions in the coun-try and his own political standing, which is precarious and appears to be sliding backward. This isn't how it's supposed to work.

Republican politicos believed, reasonably enough, that last year's tax cuts would stoke growth and create a good-news backdrop for

Republicans in the midterms. The substantive part of this theory has worked swimmingly, with head-lines about middle-class incomes increasing over \$61,000 for the first time, blue-collar jobs grow-ing at their fastest clip in 30 years, and small-business confidence reaching an all-time high.

The only flaw is that the drum-beat of good news has coincided, lately, with a drop in Trump's numbers. In much of the recent polling, he's dipped back under 40 percent. He hasn't done this with any spectacular misstep. What Trump has done, predictably, week after week, is mess up the easy stuff.

It's not hard -- through gritted teeth and insincerely, if necessary -- to say the appropriate things about an American hero upon his passing.

It's not hard to limit your tweets on the morning of Sept. 11, for just a few hours, to the topic of the anniversary of the attacks.

It's not hard to avoid attack-ing your own attorney general in

public, in an escalating fashion meant to inflict the greatest possi-ble humiliation.

It's not hard to avoid throwing around the word "TREASON" loosely or to muse about changing the libel laws to exact retribution on your critics.

Any president grapples with the fact that he can't control events; Trump grapples with the fact that he can't control himself. It's not as though any one thing -- the Stormy Daniels affair, the Cohen plea deal, the security-clearance controversy, the Omarosa book, etc., etc. -- is as consequential as it's portrayed, but one damn thing after another adds up.

Trump has an amazing abil-ity, through the force of his personality and his mediagenic provocations, to blot out the sun. He wouldn't be president without this quality. It's just that, given the positive state of the country, less blotting and more sun are called for.

Some caveats: Presidential pop-ularity means something different

in the age of Trump. He won elec-tion in 2016 with a favorable rating below 40 percent in many polls, so a return to that level may be less debilitating for him than prior presidents.

It's not as though he's creating controversies in an oth-erwise placid environment. He is confronted with an inflamed oppo-sition, an extremely hostile press corps and a wide-ranging, aggres-sive special counsel investigation.

Finally, it is still possible that garden-variety Republicans will find a way to distinguish them-selves from Trump this year.

All that said, business is boom-ing, and yet the president who is presiding over the good times -- and signed the tax package that has boosted the recovery further -- isn't enjoying their full politi-cal benefit.

An economic boom is a terrible thing to waste.

Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review.

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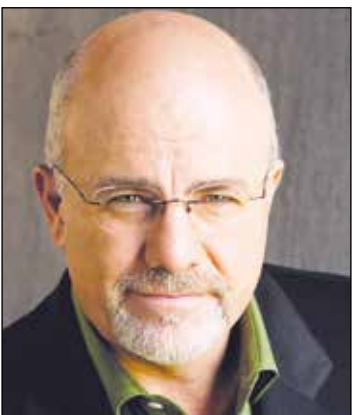
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**FILE NO. 2018-0001196**  
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WILLIAM SEANER, 1961 Gray Lodge Court, Gridley, CA 95948  
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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
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**Forgive the debt?**  
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- Marvin

Dear Marvin,  
First, I don't recommend loan-ing money to friends or family. Once in a while, things may work out and everyone ends up happy. But in most cases, it changes the dynamic of the relationship. The Bible says the borrower is a slave to the lender, and there's a lot of truth in that — financially and emotionally.

The big question is whether you've already agreed to pay him for the work. Another con-sideration is how he views the situation. He may be looking at this as just helping a buddy, and he still owes the money.

Ask him what his expectations are before you guys start the job. Just talk to him, and figure out what seems fair to you both. If you've already agreed on a certain

amount, and the value of the work is close to what you loaned him, you might discuss the idea of pay-ing back the debt that way.

But in the future, if someone close to you really needs financial help — and you're not enabling bad behavior in the process — just make the money a gift.

—Dave

Dave Ramsey is CEO of Ramsey Solutions. He has authored seven best-selling books, including The Total Money Makeover. The Dave Ramsey Show is heard by more than 12 million listeners each week on 575 radio stations and multiple digital platforms. Follow Dave on the web at daveramsey.com and on Twitter at @DaveRamsey.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME  
CASE #18CV02746

1. Petitioner Joseph Ryan Marino filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:
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| <b>Present name</b><br>Joseph Ryan Marino | <b>Proposed name</b><br>Joseph Ryan Davis |
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2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing November 02, 2018 9:00 a.m. Department TBA, Superior Court of California, County of Butte, North County Courthouse 1775 Concord Avenue Chico, CA 95928  
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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC STAFF WORKSHOP AND ADOPTION MEETING; DRAFT STATEWIDE GENERAL INDUSTRIAL STORM WATER PERMIT AMENDMENT

The State Water Resources Control Board (Board) will hold a Staff Workshop regarding the proposed General Permit Amendment on October 24, 2018. The Staff Workshop will be held at the Joe Serna Jr.-CalEPA Headquarters building located at 1001 I St., Sacramento, CA 95814. A live webcast of the workshop will also be provided. The Board will hold a public meeting for consideration of adoption of the proposed General Permit Amendment on November 6, 2018, also held at the Joe Serna Jr.-CalEPA Headquarters building. Information on this item may be viewed on and downloaded from the Board's website at: [http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water\\_issues/programs/stormwater/industrial.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/stormwater/industrial.shtml). To receive notification of any changes to the dates of the staff workshop or adoption meeting, or for notification of any additional staff workshops, interested persons must sign up for e-mail notification at [http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/resources/email\\_subscriptions/swrcb\\_subscribe.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/resources/email_subscriptions/swrcb_subscribe.shtml) by checking the box for Storm Water Industrial Permitting Issues. Please direct questions about this notice to Ms. Shuka Rastegarpour at (916) 341-5576 or [shuka.rastegarpour@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:shuka.rastegarpour@waterboards.ca.gov).  
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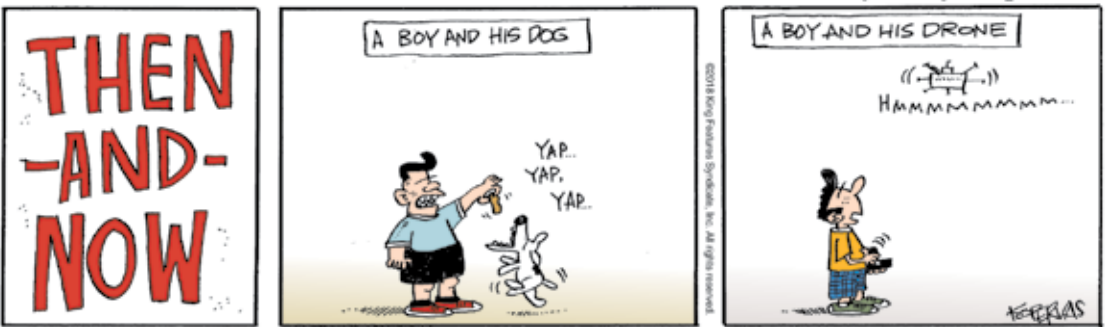


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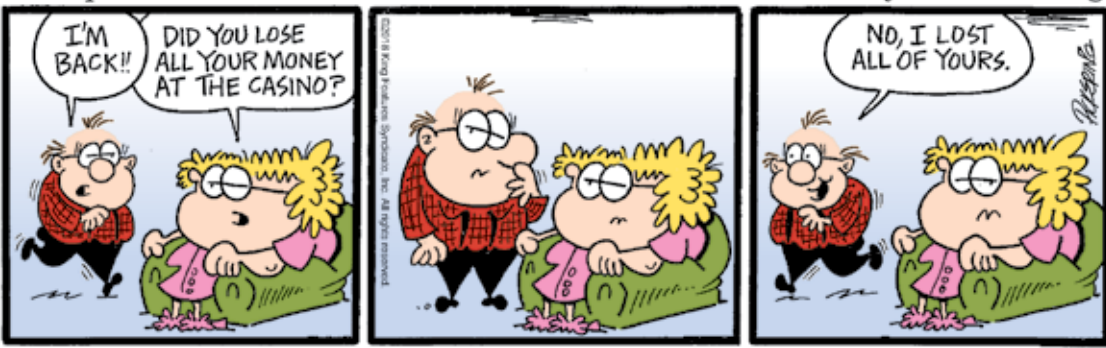
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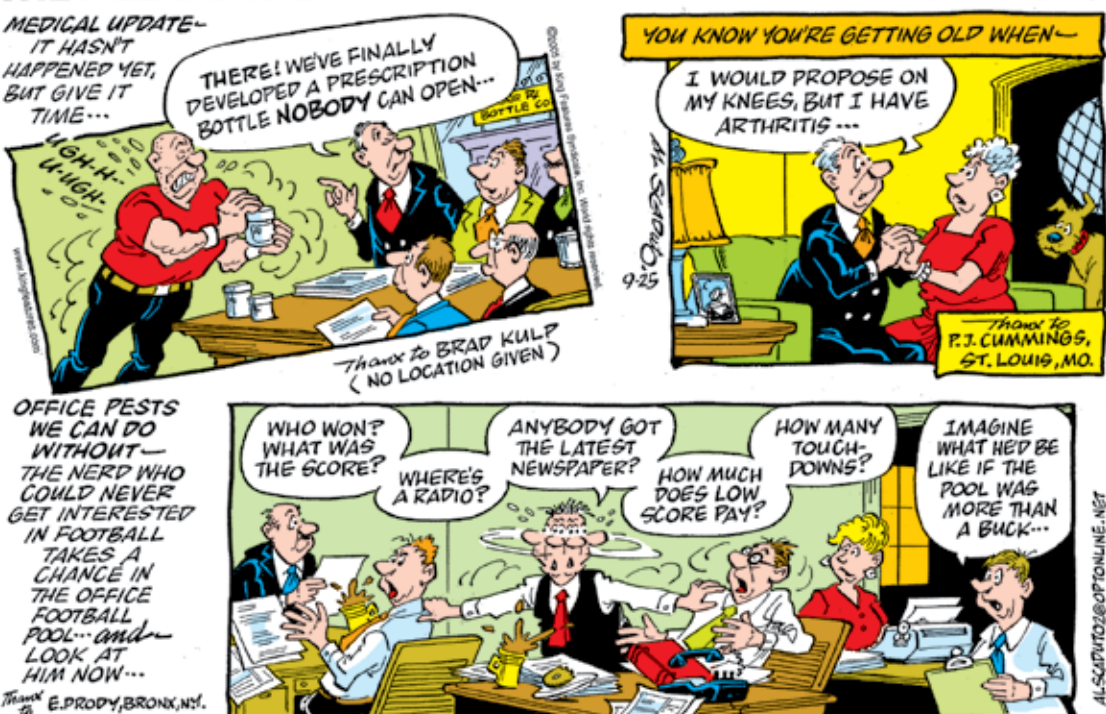
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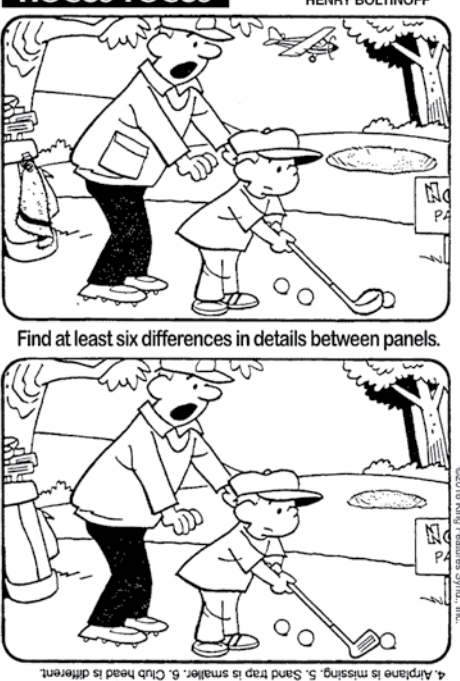
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# CHEERS & JEERS

by Damian Holbrook

Jeers to The Young And the Restless

for giving a standout vet the ol' heave-ho. After 40 years as Genoa City's bad boy-gone-good Paul Williams, Emmy- winner Doug Davidson has been shown the door in what we can only imagine is the worst twist a soap opera has ever thrown it's life-long fans.

Jeers to Bachelor in Paradise's

beachfront disasters. Leo threw a hissy after losing Kendall to Grocery Joe, ego-beast Jordan (pictured) trashed two female contestants for laughing at his antics and serial dater Annaliese fell in love at the opening of a date card. These people don't need Paradise. They need therapy.

Cheers to Netflix's Magic For Humans

for enchanting us. Like the oddly well-adjusted love child of David Blaine and Billy Eichner, street magician Justin Willman's best trick is making our skepticism vanish during six mind-blowing episodes of comedy and conjuring.

Cheers to Stand Up to Cancer

for breaking down boundaries. More than 65 networks and streaming outlets united for a joint telecast of the biennial fundraising event, featuring everyone from Bradley Cooper and Katie Couric to Keith Urban and Reese Witherspoon (pictured). Not too shabby at all.



More than 65 networks and streaming outlets united for a joint telecast of the biennial fundraising event including Reese Witherspoon (pictured).



## ASK MATT

BY MATT ROUSH TV Guide Senior Critic

SINCE WHEN CAN YOU SAY THE "F" WORD ON TV?

**Question:** My husband and I were watching an episode of Season 2 of *The Sinner* on USA and the naughty "F" word was said 2 or 3 times in a scene. Since when is it OK to use that word on a network channel? —Natalie

**Matt Roush:** The lines are blurrier nowadays, but USA is a cable network, and not subject to

the content restrictions that still more or less apply to the broadcast networks. Even so, it hasn't been that long since networks like FX or AMC (reliable envelope pushers) would edit out or mask the hardest of profanities, but now it's fairly common. It was especially noticeable this summer on Paramount Network's *Yellowstone*, a show about which I fielded many complaints about the excessive foul

language— maybe not on the level of *Deadwood*, but enough to rattle a number of Western fans hoping for something a little less dark and profane.

**Question:** *The Orville* is the cleverest send-up of and homage to *Star Trek*. Is it coming back? —EBP

**Matt Roush:** I wish I had a better sense if this show was a send-up or an homage, but yes, while it's not on the fall schedule, *The Orville* will be back by midseason. There are reports it will premiere on Dec. 30 and resume its Thursday night operations in January when football season is over.

To submit questions to TV Critic Matt Roush, go to: [tvin-sider.com](http://tvin-sider.com)

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# SPORTS

## Bulldogs Blow Out Indians for Third Straight Win



The Gridley defense gets off the ball on a second-half snap during last Friday night's 42-0 win at Marysville.  
Photo by David Vantress



**David Vantress**  
Gridley Herald  
Sports Reporter

THE GRIDLEY HERALD

By David Vantress

MARYSVILLE, CA (MPG) - Friday night's nonleague prep

football game between Gridley and Marysville wasn't in doubt for long.

The Bulldogs blitzed the Indians for 36 first-half points en route to a 42-0 win on the road. It was the third straight win for Gridley (3-1).

Gridley head coach Matt Kemmis was pleased with his team's effort in all phases of the game.

"We came out ready to play," Kemmis said.

Gridley senior running back Jorge Moran turned in another stellar performance, with 26 carries for 300 yards and four TDs.

In four games so far in 2018, Moran has amassed 647 yards and 12 TDs.

Senior quarterback Riley Dunning added 97 yards on 12 carries with a TD.

The Gridley defense notched its



Biggs senior quarterback Tucker Bennett fakes a handoff during the Wolverines' 36-20 loss to Quincy last Friday night at Biggs.  
Photo by David Vantress

second shutout of 2018.

The Bulldogs host Anderson this Friday night. It will be Homecoming Night at the Boneyard.

**Quincy 36, Biggs 20**

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## Biggs Homecoming Candidates



(L-R) Faith Melendez, Hunter Roles, Madison Roles, Bryson Roles, Jaime McEntire and Tucker Bennett.

said the Wolverines are a bit banged up at the moment, which has affected the team's depth.

"We should be getting some guys back this week," Rutledge said.

Senior quarterback Tucker Bennett had 13 carries for 118 yards and a pair of TDs to lead the Wolverine offense. Bennett also completed 8-of-17 passes for 110 yards with a TD and an interception.

The Biggs defense gave up 408 yards in total offense.

The Wolverines host Fall River this Friday night. It will be Homecoming Night at Biggs.

**Live Oak 12, Willows 7**

At Willows, the Lions got their second win of the 2018 season.

Live Oak got a TD in the first quarter and another in the third. The Honkers got their lone TD in



The Biggs Wolverine mascot entertains the crowd during last Friday night's game at Biggs.  
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the fourth quarter.

Live Oak (2-3) travels to Winters this week. ★

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