#### Shoals The Shoals' Largest Readership! 219 West Tennessee St. Florence, AL 35630 256-764-4268 **Short Season** PRSRT STD ECRWSS US POSTAGE PAID NASHVILLE, TN **POSTAL PATRON Bowling Too** PERMIT #843 Volume 131 Number 46 September 2, 2015 RETURN ADDRESS 219 W. Tennessee St Florence, AL. 35630 256-764-4268 FLORENCE - Lauderdale Lanes in Florence has completed its remodeling. Courier Journal They appreciate everyone's patience as work was completed on new bathrooms, new carpet, a newly-sealed parking lot, and more. Lauderdale Lanes is still Copyrigh signing up for fall bowling Verification of weekly circulation upon request leagues. They have leagues for everyone in most any player NTED WITH Northwest Alabama and beyond with direct mail, total market PaperChain combination and schedule! For YINK those not wanting to commit to a full league schedule, they **GET STARTED A Sweet** also have a short season league of only on your twelve weeks. There are Ride new hours Left to right: **GED TODAY!** Viki Burns, of operation Dennis Odem, and Debbie with assorted We can show you how. specials, a strike jackpot, and a **Hester are** Cadillacs Drive Ten-Year new Mystery **The Cadillacs** Doubles which pays off each Courtesy photo Effort for Amber Alert Sign in St. Joseph night. More ST. JOSEPH, TN.- It all started about volunteers, details are inside ten years ago when a missing child case received national attention. At that time Jeannie Odem and Carolyn Odem started this issue, or visit the city LauderdaleLanes. of Sť. 256-331-5440 Joseph, and com. making long range plans to get a Digital dedicated Call TODAY and ask how you can Amber Alert sign for their beloved city of police and fire Upward save over 80% on your GED Test! department personnel donated their time and talents. All the money raised was put into St. Joseph, Tennessee. Their only problem was the cost of the sign; it was about \$24,000 ation about advertising in this spot, call 256-740-4701 **Bound with** and they had to start from scratch. a trust fund for the Digital Amber Alert Project. They solicited the help of Dennis Odem and his popular band, The Cadillacs. For the next ten They finally had enough money in the trust **Two Grants** account to make it happen. This week Jeannie Odem, Carolyn Odem, and The Cadillacs awarded a check to the city of St. Joseph in the amount of years The Cadillacs sponsored an annual Happy Days festival in St. Joseph. They also performed numerous Grand Ole Opry Impersonation MUSCLE SHOALS-- The **Begins its** \$17,058.75. By agreement the city of St. Joseph will Upward Bound program at Northwest-Shoals Community Shows" at the St. Joseph Civic Center. talented See SIGN... on Page 6 Numerous many entertainers, 10th Year

College has been funded for \$642,600 by the U.S. Department of Education. The two programs at NWSCC will receive funding

for the 2015-2016 fiscal year. • Phil Campbell Program - \$369,600; serves specified schools in Colbert, Franklin,

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City, and Lauderdale County. "The Upward Bound Program along with the other TRIO programs housed here at Northwest-Shoals are vital to so many of the people to so many of the people in Northwest Alabama, said NW-SCC President, Dr. Humphrey Lee. "The services offered by the TRIO Programs are designed to remove obstacles toward a post-secondary education. Without these programs many

## Game Day Score Card Returns this Week

SHOALS-The Courier Journal's Game Day Score Card Contest returns this week with a host of big games slated for this weekend.

Premier games from across the Southeast will be part of the package each week as well as others of national and local interest. If contestants do well they will have a chance to savor more than the wins.

We know the fans of Game Day Score Card will also like this year's weekly prize package. The \$50 Legends Steakhouse gift card for every winner became so popular last year, we knew we had to bring it back again this year. The best card entered each week will win the gift card. Winning entries with a perfect card also win \$50 from the *Courier Journal* and a second \$50 Legend's Gift card!

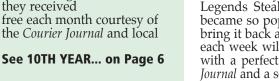


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The college season opens this Thursday night. Our games this week begin on Saturday so we have a Friday 6pm deadline. That means a Friday post mark by mail, by fax at 256-760-9618, or by submitting

conveniently online at CourierJournal.net by 6pm. Hand deliveries must be in our office at 219 West Tennessee St. in Florence the close of business The submission deadline online Friday (5pm). or by fax will always be Friday at 6pm unless otherwise specified.

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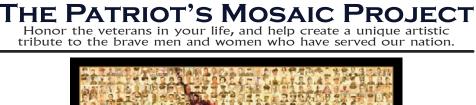


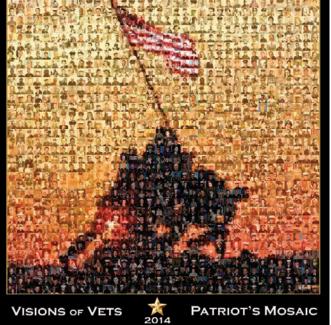
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1) Visiting the City's web site, www. florenceal.org, and selecting the "Walk of Honor" listing under the "Happening Now" section; 2) Picking up a copy from the Mayor's Office, 102 South Court Street - Suite 200, Florence, AL 35630; or 3) Calling the Mayor's Office at 256-760-6400. Please include any substantiating data and picture, if possible, with your nomination form.

A ceremony will be held in the winners' honor and a bronze plaque with a picture of the inductee, along with a brief inscription of their accomplishment will be placed at the Walk of Honor in Heritage Park.

The Shoals Audubon Society will meet at 7pm Thursday, September 3 in the Conference Room of the Florence Lauderdale Public Library. Jan Shaw from Nashville will show photos and videos of her trip to Southern Norway and Spitsbergen.

The LaGrange Living Historical Association's Thursday, September 3 meeting will be at 7pm at the LaGrange College Site's Pavilion; located off Hwy. 157, LaGrange College Road, four miles south of Leighton. Members and visitors are encouraged to attend. Plans are underway to celebrate Recall LaGrange's Event in May 2016 with a special Bluegrass



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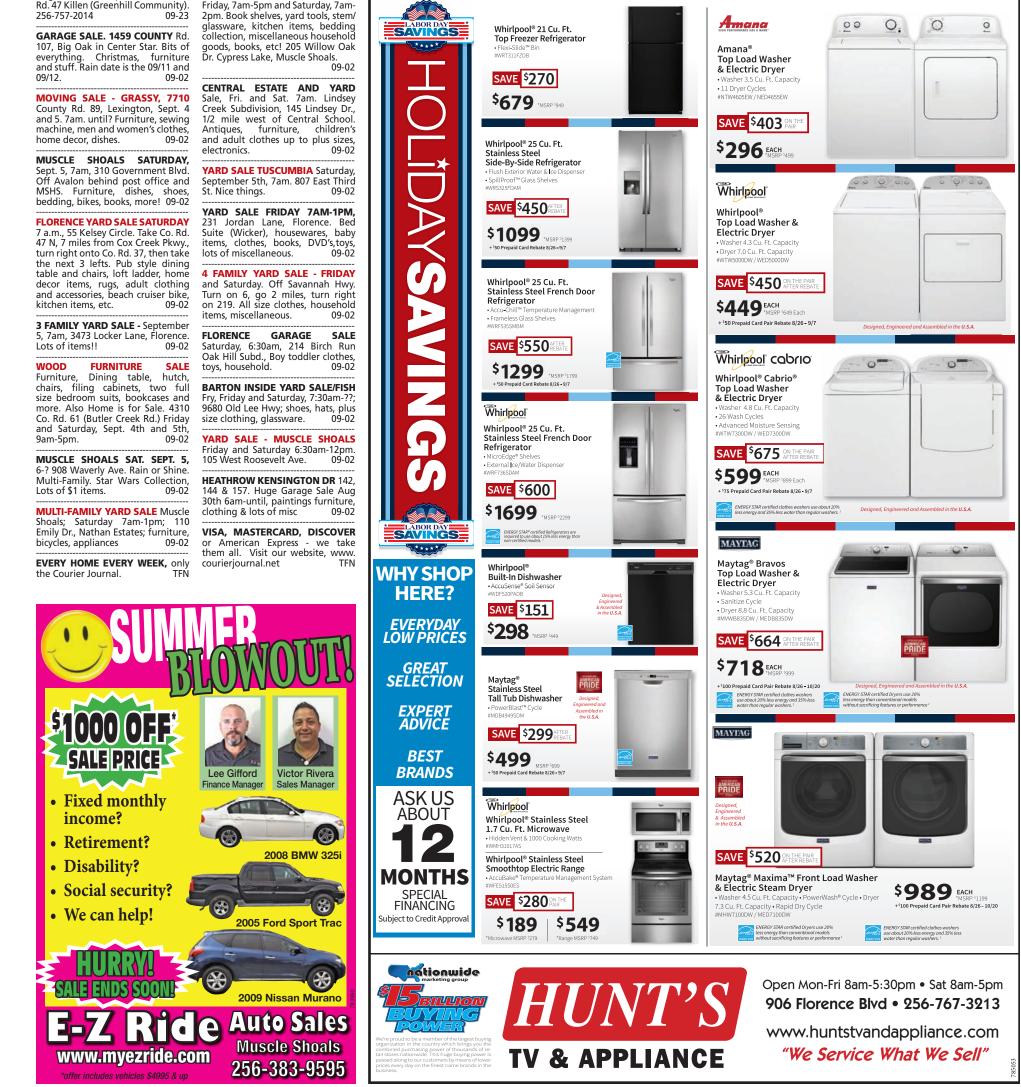
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"We enjoyed doing it and had lots of good help," said Jeannie Odem. Carolyn Odem added, We appreciate the many volunteers who helped us so much. "I always enjoy Left-right at the Amber Alert sign check presentation at St. Joseph . City Hall were Mayor Bubba Carter, Carolyn Odem, Dennis Odem, and Jeannie Odem. Courtesy photos

coming back to my home town," exclaimed Dennis Odem.

According to mayor, Bubba Carter, the City of St. Joseph is planning the sign purchase in the near future.

Other local writers have also been contributing to this two-time Parents Choice Award-winning publication on a volunteer basis almost from the outset. Those include Dr. David Curott, Lee Freeman, Richard Sheridan, and Patricia Weaver. They are indispensable when it comes to the interest and the local flavor of Kidsville News!

We warmly thank all of our contributors and supporters who help bring children all the games and puzzles along with a fun educational focus on history, science, geography, cultures, math, and more.

You can read the current issue of Kidsville News! when your children or grandchildren bring it home. You may also get one free from local libraries, Helen Keller Hospital, Shoney's, the YMCA, or at McDonald's Play Place.

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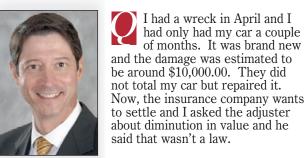
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## Devil's Half-Truth

Genesis 3:1-6 "Now the serpent (DEVIL) was more subtil than any beast of the field which the LORD God had made. And he said unto the woman, Yea, hath God said, Ye shall not eat of every tree of the garden? And the woman said unto the serpent. We may eat of the fruit of the trees of the garden: But of the fruit of the tree which is in the midst of the garden, God hath said, Ye shall not eat of it, neither shall ye touch it, lest ye die. And the serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die: For God

doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil. And when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it *was* pleasant to the eves, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took of the fruit thereof, and did eat, and gave also unto her husband with her; and he did eat." Part of what the devil said was true, but <u>all</u> of what God said came to pass, because in a few years Adam was *dead*. Adam and Eve died spiritually and later physically after they sinned. Romans 5:12 'Wherefore, as by one man (Adam) sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned:" You die because you are a sinner.

That is the reason Christ died in your place on the cross for your sin. Hebrews 2:9 "But we see Jesus, who was made a little lower than the angels for the suffering of death, crowned with glory and honour; that he by the grace of God should taste death for every man." Jesus Christ kept the law and fulfilled it, and became sin for you and me. 2 Corinthians 5:21 "For he (God) hath made him (Christ) to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him." God's righteousness is Jesus Christ. You must have God's righteousness to get to heaven. Believe on Christ today, receive Him, trust Him, by faith in His precious blood, ask Him to save you, He will. Don't swallow the Devils half truth's and wind up in hell.

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Casa Cristiana, a not for profit Christian-

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Mountain Springs Baptist Church

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fellowship and balloon launch in the

Book Signing - "Serpentkind: Existence" by Mark Glick - Saturday, September 12,

1-3pm at the Florence-Lauderdale Public

library to sell and sign copies of his post-apocalyptic novel "Serpentkind: Existence".

For more information, call 256-764-6564,

Killen Lions Club Labor Day Chicken **Stew** - Monday, September 7, sale starts at 8:30am at Brooks Elementary

School Cafeteria. See you there. Help our

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The United State Congress embarked on a building program which created fortifications and a class of successful warships of up to 44 guns called A) ships of the line, B) frigates, C) Jefferson gun boats



2. During the presidency of John Adams, Congress passed a series of unpopular measures to ensure loyalty and promote the war effort against France called

A) the Alien and Sedition Acts, B) the Adams' act, C) the Patriot Act



3. An attempt to negotiate a peaceful settlement ended with the notorious "XYZ Affair". French officials demanded a bribe of American negotiators to

arrange a visit with the French foreign minister, A) Jean DuClerc, B) Francois de Milfort, Duc de Broglie, C) the Marquie de Talleyrand

4. Eventually, a treaty with France ended the war. It was called

A) The Ostend Manifesto, B) The Convention of 1800, C) The Great Treaty of Versailles

5. George Washington ended retirement to serve his country one last time. He commanded the military forces and held the rank of A) lieutenant general, B) field marshal,

C) Captain General

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## **Commentary**

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# Frank, Interesting ...But Seriously?

efreshing is one word used by some republicans who support Donald Trump and his candidacy for President in 2016. Frank, interesting, bombastic, ego-maniacal, impatient, and smug are a few other

frequently used descriptions we may have heard.

It's great to have someone speaking honestly about issues that others like to avoid. His unapologetic stand against illegal immigrants is appropriate. They are lawbreakers - for whatever reason. Lawbreakers shouldn't be rewarded and should not be allowed to continue breaking the law just because they have some cute kids assembled for the photo ops. His take-no-prisoners approach is stimulating. It's a shame so few real conservative candidates have a comparable degree of

unapologetic gumption. Trump's hard immigration stance is taking the media attention away from everyone in an otherwise respectable republican field. If the media were to let Trump generate his own momentum on substance, he would not encounter financial pressures of a lagging campaign that would doom other campaigns. Trump can finance his own campaign and is not beyond doing that.

I cannot envision Trump having the patience, the dignity, or the demeanor to be President for

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FOOTBALL

**Sunday, Sept. 6** 

6pm



# Equine Rescue **Benefit Event**



ELGIN-Singing River Equine Rescue sponsor its will "Hoedown for the Horses" fundraiser on Saturday, September 12. Bluewater Creek Polo Club located on Highway 72 in Elgin will host the Saturday event from 10am-2pm. Enjoy a fantastic, family-friendly that includes free, day that increase horse breezing, polo, havrides, a silent day hayrides, a silent auction, a bake sale, and a chicken stew! For the kids and young-at-heart, come and enjoy

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CHEROKEE – The annual Key Underwood Memorial Coon Dog Cemetery Labor Day Celebration begins at 10am on Monday, Sept. 7, at the world-famous cemetery, at 9495 Coon Dog Cemetery Road, near Cherokee. It includes a liar's contest, arts and crafts, barbecue, and music.

### THE HISTORY:

In a small grassy meadow deep in the rich, thick wilderness of Freedom Hills, Key Underwood sadly buried his faithful coondog, Troop on Labor Day in 1937. The close friends had hunted together for more than 15 years. Troop was half

redbone coonhound and half birdsong, and was known throughout the region as the best. He was cold-nosed, meaning he could follow cold coon tracks until they grew fresh. Troop never left the trail until he had freed the coon.

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The burial spot was a popular hunting camp where coon hunters from miles around gathered to plot their hunting strategies, tell tall tales, chew tobacco and compare coon hounds. Those comparisons usually began and ended with Troop.

Underwood knew there was no place in the world Troop loved more than that camp. He decided it was only fitting that Troop spend

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A LAUNCH EVENT FOR THE **BOOK "INSPIRATION FROM** ANYTOWN, USA" by Bill Norvell, take place Sunday, September 6 from 2-4pm at the Florence-Lauderdale Public Library. The book celebrates the interesting and inspiring people of Florence contains photographs and profiles of

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## THE SHOALS CENTRAL

LABOR COUNCIL'S annual Labor Day celebration at Spring Park in Tuscumbia, begins at 10am September. 7 with a parade along Main Street in Tuscumbia. Political speeches, music, and other activities will follow beginning at 11am in the park. The celebration is the oldest of its kind in Alabama. For more details, call 256-383-2758.

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Dear Editor:

In 1923 an Americanism Commission of the American Legion and other organizations created The Flag Code to govern the proper display of American Flags. It is highly commendable how many citizens are patriotically minded by displaying Old Glory. As you drive the streets of the Shoals area, it makes any veteran proud to see such Americanism in front of homes, businesses, churches, and local schools.

The American Legion often receives phone calls from fellow veterans, commenting about the disgraceful tattered, torn, or faded flags that need to be retired from service. Disgraceful flags that are ripped to pieces, lacking bright color with separated stripes, can be turned into the American Legion for proper disposal at a Flag Retirement Ceremony.

Veterans who have served under the American Flag, The Colors of our

freedom. As a gentle reminder to the public – NO FLAG should be flown higher or above the American flag. Our nation's flag should <u>NOT touch</u> the ground, shrubs, trees, rooftops, or anything else. Any questions in references to the Flag Code can be answered by contacting your local American Legion at 256-764-5122.

Mary Day Smith, Adjutant Nolan Burns, Commander Florence



Editor:

Every time a white person or the police kill a black person, President Obama points out that racism still exists in America and we must do something about it.

Every time a black person kills a white person, as happened last week with the news reporter and cameraman in Virginia, the President blames it on

guns and says we need gun control. Please, Mr. President, stop blaming the whites and defending the blacks. Can't you just call it what is - like you absolutely refuse to label the radical jihadist Muslims for what they are? Please start being honest when you make accusations.

Paul Sabatino Florence

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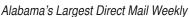
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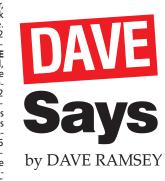
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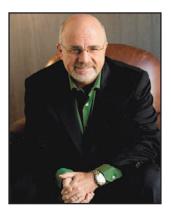
Dear Dave, I've worked in a hospital as a nurse for 10 years. I make good money working long hours. The problem is that it seems to disappear, and I'm left trying to stretch those last few dollars to the end of the month. I know I eat out a lot. I grab quick meals between shifts and on the way home because I'm too tired to cook. I think I spend more than I should on other things, too. Do you have any tips for someone who wants to get control of their money, but has very little free time? Amy

#### Dear Amy,

Sometimes the medicine that works the best tastes the worst. This is true for both physical and financial health.

That's why, no matter how tired you are or how little free time you seem to have, you must make time do a written budget every month. This is essential, and it really doesn't take long. When you sit down and commit a plan to paper, giving every dollar a name before the month begins, you're taking control of your money instead of allowing a lack of it to control you.

Start with the income you know is predictable. If this isn't possible, look back over the last several months and find the minimum amount you brought home during a month over that period of time. This will be the basis for your budget. Once you've established a baseline income, you can prioritize expenses. But remember, restaurants are not a priority!



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#### **MONEY AND BEHAVIOR**

Dear Dave,

Why do you say that personal finance is 80 percent behavior? I thought money was more about math and keeping track of things. Gerald

Dear Gerald,

Keeping your checkbook balanced and things like that are an important part of what I teach. However, behavior plays an even bigger role for several reasons. You can add, subtract, multiply and divide all day. That stuff's easy. But until you learn to control your behavior, stick to a budget and spend less than you make, you're always going to have problems with money.

One of the keys to being a success in personal finance is realizing work comes before play. This is a behavior issue. Let's say your car needs new brakes. You know this, and you know you have a limited amount of cash, but you still walk into a store and buy a big, fancy television instead. That is not mature behavior. As long as you behave that way, your money will always slide right out of your hands.

And this means you'll never have enough for important things like investing saving, and giving. —Ďave

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The tour starts at the Florence / Lauderdale Tourism Office & Visitor Center in McFarland Park at noon. The tour also includes stops at FAME Studios and the Alabama Music Hall of Fame. The tours are led by Judy Hood, wife of the Swampers' bass player David Hood. The tour travels to each venue aboard the "Trolley of Tunes." and returns to the Visitor Center at 4pm. Tour cost is \$35 per person.

Florence / Lauderdale Tourism will once again provide musical entertainment before the Swampette tour. Starting at 11am, local musicians Justus Montgomery and T.J. Bender will perform in the Gallery at the Florence/ Lauderdale Visitor Center McFarland Park. in The mini-concert is free and open to the public. Montgomery and Bender are singer/songwriters who are pursuing their Music Business degrees at UNA. They will be performing original songs and cover tunes.

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four years. He likes the idea of the exposure, but he wants it on his own terms. He is a big kid who likes attention, and the media is giving it to him.

Trump seems to think that he is bigger and more important than the position, as if we should feel fortunate he is even running.

He has to be in control. He cannot manipulate the situations and the timing that would surround him on the world stage.

If the media is critical of you as a republican, you are likely on the right track. The media is NOT scrutinizing Trump like they should be.

He is an uncompensated puppet that the media is using for its network entertainment. Once the public gets tired of the antics, the networks will dren him end he will float drop him and he will float into campaign oblivion.

The difference is that he is a rich, famous old, white guy with a lot of admirers who is willing to spend over a half billion dollars of his own money to get face time.

Trump is an obsessive materialist on his third wife. A few years ago he was an outright liberal. He was for affirmative action, a progressive income tax, gay marriage, and a one-time 14% tax on everyone with a net worth of \$10 million.

Trump was a strong advocate for protectionist trade policies and an advocate of universal healthcare. He loved Hillary Clinton and donated to her campaigns from 2002-2007. He still favors Planned Parenthood's federal funding, full abortion access, and more stringent gun laws.

He also invited Bill and Hillary Clinton to one of his weddings. That alone should be a republican candidate disqualifier.

Again last week he said his favorite book was the Bible, but flatly refused to reference a favorite verse when asked twice.

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We can talk all day long about how Hillary is out of touch with the common people she so ardently claims to support. Trump lives that ten-fold.

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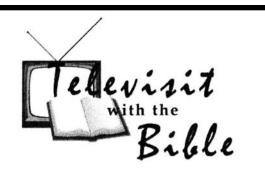
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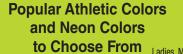
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Editor:

The Anglican Fellowship of the Shoals conducted its first service on August 26. God willing, this will lead to an Anglican Church with your help. St. Andrews Anglican Church of Madison, AL and the Rev. Geoff Hatley support regular services in the Shoals at 6pm each Wednesday at the Good Sheppard Lutheran building, 2001 Cloyd Blvd. in Florence

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In 2003 the Anglican Church in North America (ACNA) established a very conservative church when many congregations left the Episcopal Church. This happened after the Episcopal Church USA voted to ordain openly gay Gene Robinson as bishop of New Hampshire.

It is also now apparent to me that bishops and church members of other major churches will vote and decide what God's word means instead of following what God's word says.

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Aaron: "So then, both faith and works are necessary."

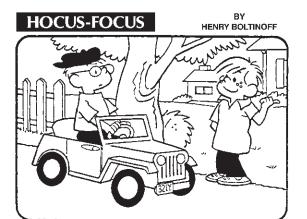
lan: "Yes, our faith must demonstrate itself by our obedience to Christ's commands. The Bible names over 15 things connected to our salvation. Some are God's grace, and mercy, and our faith, repentance, confession, baptism and faithful Christian living. These last 5 are works we must do to be saved."

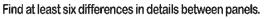


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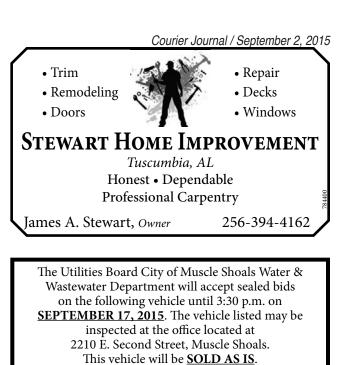
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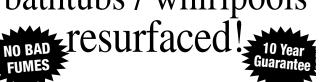
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"Dorm rooms can sometimes feel drab and uninspiring, but just because they're temporary doesn't mean they have to look like it," said Tyler Wisler, interior design expert from Tyler Wisler and HGTV's Home "Design Star." "With the right tools and creative design elements, you can transform your home away from home into a space worth staying."

Wisler recommends these simple tips to turn that bland box into

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**3. Warm it up.** Add an area rug to ground furniture, bring texture and warmth underfoot, and get rid of the "institutional" feel. Consider throwing a faux sheepskin over your desk chair for a chic and comfortable accent.

4. Spruce up the space. Buy a plant or two to break up the hard lines of the generic room. Succulents or cacti are great lowmaintenance options for busy students.

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6. Store the small stuff. Use labeled containers or boxes to store smaller items or trinkets. The less "stuff" you see in a small space, the more spacious it will appear.

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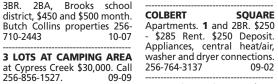
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THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL Ridge explained to Brooke more about what happened during his time in Paris and why he couldn't tell Caroline about it. Ivy basked in the glory of being named the new face of Forrester Creations, especially because it came at Steffy's expense. Liam vowed to protect Steffy from going to jail no matter the cost. Rick and Maya returned from their honeymoon and shared stories of their adventures. Thomas and Brooke compared notes about Ridge and Caroline's relationship. Ridge called Thomas for a private meeting and surprised him with some important announcements. Wait to See: Two rivals have a big showdown. DAYS OF OUR LIVES

Theresa, Kate and Nicole unknowingly set their sights on the same goal. Jennifer and Eve got into a physical altercation after Jennifer accused her rival of leaking false information to the media. Kyle put JJ's loyalty to the test. As the new DA, Justin immediately clashed with Rafe over the murder Evidence investigation. continued to build against Chad. Clyde threatened JJ. Hope debated whether she should accept Aiden's proposal. Stefano offered to clear Chad's name if he pursued Abigail once again. A distraught Eric lashed out. Wait to See: John is called away on ISA business. GENERAL HOSPITAL

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Morgan showed up at Sonny's house, where he empathy received and support. Patrick and Sam had a surprise visitor. Hayden remembered а pivotal moment she had with Nikolas. Lulu suggested that Maxie audition for Dillon's film. Jordan confided in Dante about how dangerous it was for TJ to be living at Sonny's. Anna and Sloane discussed the state of their relationship. Michael tried to alleviate Morgan's fears. Lulu was optimistic that she and Valerie could get along. Jake and Sam continued their investigation into Nikolas and the ELQ takeover. Carly was touched by the wedding gifts she received. Wait to See: Olivia reveals whom she saw at the docks

THE YOUNG AND THE **RESTLESS** Victor tried to bribe Marisa to leave town. Dvlan confided in Nick that he was worried about Sharon. Sage feared that Victor was going to push her aside after the baby was born. Cane learned that Lily knew about what happened at the bachelor party, but she explained that she didn't want to ruin Devon and Hilary's marriage. Billy told Ashley that nothing was found on Jack's computer about the Paragon Project. Jill returned to Genoa City and found it hard to believe that Neil had forgiven Devon so quickly. Meanwhile, Cane confronted Colin about blackmailing Devon. Wait to See: Ashley cozies up to Joe.

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## **Continued from page 35** The Kennedy Douglas Brown Bag Lunch Meeting will be 11:30am-1pm on Friday, September 11 at The Kennedy Douglass Center for the Arts, 217 East Tuscaloosa Street in Florence. Beverages and desserts will be furnished. At 12noon our speaker will be Barbara Broach, Exec. Director of Kennedy Douglass. For questions, please call 256-760-6379.

Notes...

Stony Point Church of Christ Ladies Day, 1755 Co. Rd. 24, Florence, Saturday, September 12, registration begins at 8:30am, program 9am-12noon. Speaker is Sheila Butt. Theme is The Real Thing. Share a Coke and a Smile.

Korean War Veterans, Chapter #2, will host a 65th Anniversary Picnic for all Korean War Veterans, Saturday, September 12 at Veterans Park. Florence. from 11am-2pm in shelter #2. Jim Taylor, President of the Korean War Veterans, Chapter 2 would like to invite all local veterans of the Korean War to this special event. For additional information call Jim Taylor 256-381-8172

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