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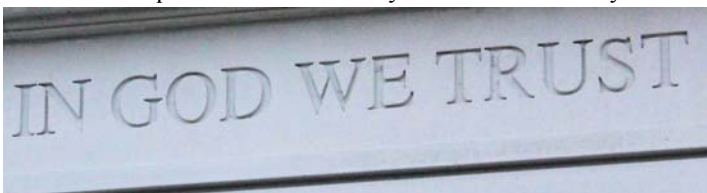
### Local and State News

#### ◆ NEW MONROE SHERIFF TO BE NAMED

We'll find out later today who will serve as the new Monroe County Sheriff. The Monroe County Commission will meet in special session to choose from among eight applicants who have been approved by the state Peace Officers Standards and Training Commission. The vacancy became open after a judge voided the election in August in which voters chose Randy White. Among the eight applicants are former Sheriff Bill Bivens and former Tennessee Highway Patrol Sergeant Lowell Russell.

#### ◆ TRUSTING IN GOD AT THE JUSTICE CENTER

The next time you visit the new addition to the McMinn County Justice Center, be sure to look at the inscription carved into the stone above the entrance. The words "In God We Trust" were placed there at the request of the late County Commissioner Gary Mason.



### NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

◆ Protesters with signs bearing names of black Americans killed by police marched outside the U.S. Capitol and the Justice Department in Washington on Monday in peaceful demonstrations demanding a human rights investigation.

◆ The UT Vols will be playing in the "Taxslayer" Bowl on January 2nd in Jacksonville, Florida. The bowl used to be called the Gator Bowl. It's the first bowl game for the Vols in four years.

#### ◆ BAKER BECOMES EAGLE SCOUT

Charles (Chance) Lachlan Baker has earned the Eagle Scout rank in Calhoun's Boy Scout Troop 616. He is the troop's 36th Eagle Scout. Chance is an 8th grade Honor Roll student at Calhoun Elementary School. He plans on a career in the Air Force as a mechanic when he graduates from high school.



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## Englewood Welcomes Christmas

C.A.G.E. presented the annual Englewood Christmas Parade last Friday night. The grand marshal was Floyd Reedy. Englewood Church of Christ won first place in the float judging. Athens Auto Logic (shown below) was second place, and the Englewood Girls Scouts were third. (Photo by Mark Cochran)



### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ The Medic Regional Blood Center's Bloodmobile will be at Starr Regional Medical Center in Etowah today, Tuesday, from noon until 7 p.m. in the parking lot adjacent to Highway 411.

## Obituaries

- **Brenda Sue Patterson Sergeant**, age 65, of Englewood died last Friday at Starr Regional Medical Center of Etowah. She was a former CNA with Etowah Health Care. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Ziegler Funeral Home.
- **Herman A. Coleman**, age 88, of Athens died last Saturday at Starr Regional Medical Center. He was retired from Plastic Industries and served in the Navy during World War II. Later, he served in the Army during the Korean War and in the National Guard. Services will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home.
- **Rev. Robert D. Kelley**, age 85, of Niota died Sunday at Life Care of Athens. He served as pastor at several Baptist churches including First Baptist of Niota and Lakeside in Meigs County. He served in the Marines in WW II and worked at H.T. Hackney and J. Ben Forrest Furniture. Funeral services will be at 8 p.m. Wednesday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home, with visitation from 6 to 8.
- **Randal Rolen**, age 61, of Niota died last Saturday at Parkwest Medical Center in Knoxville. He had been a machinist. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday at Beulah's Chapel Church, with visitation from 5 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Ziegler Funeral Home.
- **Kevin Robinson**, age 42, of Etowah died Monday at Memorial Hospital in Chattanooga. Arrangements will be announced by Bordwine Funeral Home.
- **Michael D. Burton**, age 44, of Etowah died Sunday. Graveside services will be at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at Etowah Cemetery, with visitation from 1 to 2 p.m. Wednesday at Bordwine Funeral Home.
- **Spence Boyd Brinkley**, age 85, of Etowah died Monday. He had served in the Army and retired as a sewing machine mechanic at Morgan Manufacturing. Funeral services will be at 8 p.m. Wednesday at Bordwine Funeral Home with visitation from 6 to 8.

## RIBBON CUTTING HELD AT HOLLY HILL

The ribbon was cut recently for Holly Hill, a new events venue. In the photo: (L-R) Josh Hall & Connie Woodcock (Chamber Diplomats), Rob Preston (Chamber President/CEO), Jennie DeCock (Small Business Development), Ken Cagle (Holly Hill Events Coordinator), Becky Wattenbarger, Kim King, and Joanne Arnett (Chamber Chairman, Board Member & Diplomat)



## TODAY IN HISTORY-DECEMBER 9th

- 1608** - English poet John Milton was born. His best-known work was "Paradise Lost," based on the Biblical account of the creation, the fall of Satan, and Adam and Eve.
- 1793** - Noah Webster founded the "American Minerva," the first daily newspaper in New York City.
- 1848** - Author Joel Chandler Harris was born in Georgia. He created the popular "Uncle Remus" stories.
- 1907** - Christmas Seals went on sale at the post office in Wilmington, Delaware, to raise money to fight tuberculosis.
- 1941** - China declared war on Japan, Germany, and Italy.
- 1957** - Singer Donny Osmond was born.
- 2008** - Illinois Governor Rod Blagojevich was arrested on suspicion of scheming to sell Barack Obama's vacant Senate seat for cash or a job for himself in the new administration.