

# DURANT NEWS *by Rowena Hill*

Hearts are saddened because of the death of one of the Carr sons that lived here for many years while a young man. He passed away after a lengthy illness. He lived across from the hospital, attended school here for many years. He was a faithful member of First Baptist Church. Many in the community will remember the Carr family. They were wonderful, God fearing and loved by all.

We are glad that Barbara Kinnebrew has moved into the new addition built on to

the home of Mrs. Cynthia Bratcher and her brother, just for that purpose. The new arrangement is so that it won't be necessary for Barbara to live alone. It's good to have residents such as this in our small town.

Hope all had a wonderful Christmas. We had a really good Christmas. The house was full and all seemed to be happy. There was Shirley, Sammy and Jay; James David Wells, Sonia and children, of Clinton; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Conner, of San Antonio, Texas.

All enjoyed being together with lots of good food provided by Shirley, Sammy, Joey and Jackie mostly.

Hope all who reads this had a wonderful time with loved ones.

All are thankful Mrs. Gale Sheppard had returned from spending time with family during the school break for Christmas.

Love and prayers are for those of our community and area who aren't well. May God bless each one.

Mrs. Stacey Jones and daughter of Yazoo City visited with her parents Ed and Judy Hathcock, Saturday and attended the Aldy

family Christmas gathering.

Mr. Francis Brantley of Conway, Arkansas attended the Carr funeral Saturday in the Jackson area before driving to Durant for a visit with friends. He returned home Tuesday.

**29th December**

**ACROSS**

- 1 Nuclear reactor
- 5 Abominate
- 10 Compilations
- 15 Title pig of film
- 19 Racetrack boundary
- 20 Pitcher's target
- 21 Singer Cara
- 22 Foretoken
- 23 Ellis Island visitors
- 25 Tony Hawk's transport
- 27 Flow's partner
- 28 Supreme commander Diana
- 29 Tribal symbol
- 31 Mortar's companion
- 32 Famed chapel
- 34 Two-legged critter
- 35 Caroused
- 36 Proofs of age: abbr.
- 37 Squirrel, e.g.
- 38 Castle attendants
- 39 Brick and micro-

- wave
- 42 Pondered
- 43 Rent out again
- 44 Pitcher's wear
- 47 Closely confined
- 48 Slapstick missiles
- 49 Nip
- 50 Spider web, for one
- 52 Young feller
- 53 Give for a time
- 54 Dam builders
- 57 Blues singer Thomas
- 58 Least fleet
- 60 Battle of \_\_\_ Hill
- 61 Country's Tubb
- 63 Reporter's question
- 64 Fourth-down fellows
- 65 Force
- 66 Feast's opposite
- 68 Articulates
- 69 Many Hungarians
- 72 50-50
- 73 Big gamblers
- 75 Milliner's inventory
- 76 Craft shop purchase

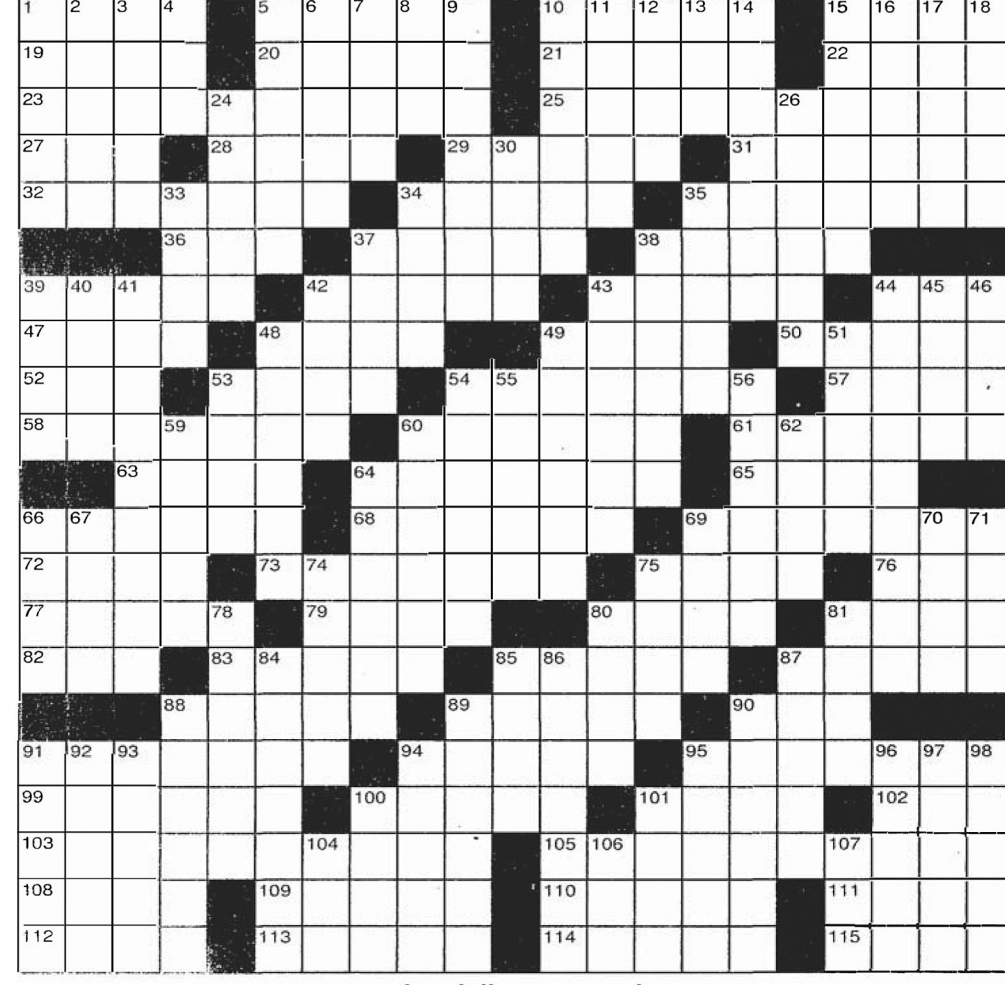
- 77 Cadences
- 79 Absquatulated
- 80 Be sunk in dejection
- 81 Flat-topped hill
- 82 Small colonist
- 83 Construe
- 85 John Walker et al.
- 87 More achy
- 88 Chilling downpour
- 89 Elements
- 90 The Red or the Black
- 91 Made kitty purr
- 94 Gem unit
- 95 Business combines
- 99 Mangled
- 100 "Laugh-In" man
- 101 Royal Crown, for one
- 102 Miniature marsupial
- 103 Bullets
- 105 Piano's ancestor
- 108 Mr. Bill's dog
- 109 Nick of "Gracepoint"
- 110 Supped
- 111 Birth of a notion
- 112 Leveret

- 113 Nenes
- 114 Used cuss words
- 115 X ratings

**DOWN**

- 1 Uses a crowbar
- 2 Metric feet
- 3 Tree projections
- 4 New Haven collegian
- 5 Pinafores
- 6 Unfazed
- 7 First name in fairy tales
- 8 Hall of Famer Mel
- 9 Nervous
- 10 First antiseptic surgeon
- 11 Incensed
- 12 Garment juncture
- 13 Kin of TBS and TCM
- 14 Basement woe
- 15 Increases
- 16 Cremona artisan
- 17 TV's Uncle Miltie
- 18 Ceased
- 24 Gratings of crossed bars
- 26 The Green \_\_\_
- 30 Unclosed, poetically

- 33 Color
- 34 Dick Smothers's instrument
- 35 More waxen
- 37 Asked for whiplash money
- 38 Diminishes, with "out"
- 39 Decides
- 40 Marsala meat
- 41 Grant
- 42 Altoid, e.g.
- 43 Hippo hangouts
- 44 Conservator
- 45 Weapons
- 46 Turf
- 48 Annoy
- 49 Anita and Josephine
- 51 Dimwit
- 53 Not fat
- 54 Tapped lightly
- 55 Sign up
- 56 Staid
- 59 Sound like a tired toddler
- 60 Benson, for the Tates
- 62 Highway trucks
- 64 Young hen
- 66 Salty Greek cheese
- 67 Connecticut town
- 69 Faces, slangily
- 70 Move up
- 71 Top banana
- 74 Killed, gangster-style
- 75 Farm tools
- 78 Soft and smooth
- 80 Screwball target
- 81 Castle encircler
- 84 Lacking
- 85 Actress Allgood
- 86 Canters
- 87 Glacial ice form
- 88 Alka-Seltzer, in water
- 89 Plains Indian
- 90 \_\_\_ solution
- 91 Pulverize
- 92 Florida cigar city
- 93 Gossip's fodder
- 94 Ornerly codgers
- 95 Blanket
- 96 Make jagged
- 97 Sophia of "Ready to Wear"
- 98 Round at Pop's
- 100 Anger
- 101 "Elder" orator
- 104 Temperature tester
- 106 The bar's bailiwick
- 107 SRO show



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**Calendar of Events**  
**DEADLINE:**  
**4 P.M., FRIDAY**

**TRINITY M.B. CHURCH**  
Trinity M.B. Church will host its annual Church Covenant Reading program on Sunday, January 7 at 11:00 a.m.

**ADDICTION HELP**  
Narconon New Life Retreat wants you to be aware to look for signs of meth addiction: hyperactivity, insomnia, weight loss, and tooth decay.

**GUIDING LIGHT**  
Revival services will convene at Guiding Light C.O.G.I.C. Lexington from Wednesday, January 10 through Friday, January 12.

Reports suspicious activities to law enforcement and keep your loved ones safe. For help overcoming addiction in you family call 1-800-431-1754.

**JSU/HOLMES ALUMNI**  
The Jackson State University - Holmes County Alumni Chapter will hold their monthly meeting on Sunday, January 7 at 5 p.m. in the former circuit clerk building in Lexington.

**HOLMES COUNTY EXT.**  
There will be a Private Pesticide Applicator training and certification on Wednesday, January 10, at the new Holmes County Extension office at 1 p.m. in Lexington. Betsy Padgett will conduct the training for those farmers and anyone else needing certification for their private use of "RESTRICTED USE" pesticides.

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per participant. If you have questions, please call the Holmes County Extension Service office at 834-2795. Please note—the Extension office

has moved to 299 1/2 Yazoo St. in the Fred's Store parking lot – it is the former Factory Connection building.

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