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HONOR TO WHOM HONOR ... OUR LAW ENFORCEMENT

There has been much written and said about the "Thin Blue Line", but enough can not be said regarding our support and appreciation of them. We do thank those of you who put your lives on the line to serve and protect us. Some lost their lives in the line of duty. I dedicated Volume 113 of the newsletter to the following. **JAMES MONROE DEDMAN III, WILLIAM BRIAN DEDMON, PAUL HILTON, CHRISTOPHER BAILEY, ELLIOTT DEDMON, JOSEPH DEDMAN JR, RYAN DEDMON, RICHARD DEDMON, CHRISTY JO DEDMAN, EDWARD LAVERNE DEDMON, WALLY JOHNSON, MATT DEDMAN, TRISTEN LAMBERT, DAVID DEDMON, SHARRY A. DEDMAN-BEARD, DERRY DEDMON, AND LEROY PICKNEY DEDMON.** As I receive new information, I will feature them, so please let me know of family who are in law enforcement.

Kyle Alexander Dedmon

Kyle is a 2015 graduate from Francis Scott Key High School in Union Bridge, (Carroll County) MD. Kyle entered into Public Safety in 2016, as a emergency communication specialist at the the Carroll County emergency Communication Center . (911 services)



Kyle has been supporting his local fire department and Community as an EMT and firefighter for over 9 years. Kyle graduated from the Carroll County Sheriff's office training academy on March 22, 2019. Kyle is the son of Donald Wayne and Angela Fay Dedmon. Public service is not a stranger to this family as Donald's brother, David, served in law enforcement in Carroll County, MD for about three years and served as a law enforcement officer in Ravalli County, MT, for 10 years. Also, Kyle's great uncle, Everett Lee Dedmon, served as a Maryland state trooper for at least 28 years in Carroll County. I plan to feature

him in a latter edition of the newsletter. In Volume 113, I featured Leroy Pickney Dedmon, who served as a Baltimore police lieutenant for 30 years and is listed in the Baltimore Police Department Hall of Fame. He is a first cousin to Kyle's grandfather. Thanks to Donald Dedmon for supplying the information for this article.



"Here is your badge and gun sir", be careful out there and make us proud.



This month I will keep "Down Memory Lane" on the lighter side. I found these 2 old stories that gave me a real laugh, maybe they will you as well.

OLD MAN HELD ON TO HIS WHISKERS

Lexington, Ky., July 26, 1910

Refusing to part with his long flowing whiskers, whited with the time that has elapsed since a couple of years before Lea surrendered at Appomattox, Robert Dedman, aged eighty-six, stood off a corps of surgeons at a local hospital who desired to remove his beard in order to perform an operation upon Mr. Dedman's eye.

Mr. Dedman, who is a wealthy resident of Lawrence, Ky., was brought to the local hospital some days ago for treatment. Explaining to the surgeons his reasons for refusing to be shaved, he said:

"When the war broke out I was an ardent sympathizer with the Southern cause. I came into contact with a bunch of Yankees and, as young men sometimes do, I talk to much, with the result that they chased me ten miles and, in addition to shaving me, gave me a sound thrashing. I swore right then that a razor should never touch my face again till the South had won her cause. There doesn't seem to be much chance of the latter coming true, so I reckon you will have to get along without shaving me this time"

The surgeons gave in and the operation was performed, leaving the long braids.

**The Ogden standard., July 26, 1910..
Ogden City, Utah**

SENDS HEARSE AFTER MAN NAMED DEDMAN

*Blunder of Telegraph Operator
Causes a Queer Mix Up in Oregon
Special Dispatch to The Call*

PORTLAND, Oregon, May 25, 1905..

W. H. Dedman, proprietor of a local cigar store, sometimes goes on the road. Yesterday he asked a friend to wire ahead for a conveyance. The friend complied, sending the following: "Meet Dedman at train 3:30 to-day, sure." At Eugene the salesman found no outfit suitable for the journey, and walked quickly to the stable. "Where is Robinson, the owner?" he inquired. "He is in the back unhitching, and he is very 'sore.' Better leave him alone".." "Why, what's wrong?" "Why, some fool telegraphed us to meet a corpse and Robinson took the hearse down to the train. There wasn't any corpse." Dedman asked to see the dispatch. The operator had received it: "Meet dead man at train 3:30 to-day, sure."

**The San Francisco call., May 26, 1905
San Francisco, California**

Here are a few words woman to woman. There is no theory about this letter. There is nothing about it that cannot be readily proven. It is a voluntary statement from a woman who has been restored to health and strength, and who wishes that her own experience may be duplicated by the experience of others.

"WOMAN TO WOMAN"

Mrs. L. Dedmon, of Fair Grove, Greene Co., Mo., writes: "In July 1895 I was confined. My confinement was premature. About six weeks after, I was taken with severe flooding. I had the best doctor the country afforded. I took medicine for about two months but got no better. I was very weak-could not do any of my work. Could scarcely lift a chair. Suffered with pain in my back and hips and had soreness deep low down across me. I had inflammation and ulceration-so the doctor said.

I concluded I would consult Dr. R. V. Pierce. I wrote to you giving you a full description of my case. You advised me to take your 'Favorite Prescription.' I began taking it at once. In three days I could feel a chance. I took three bottles and the result was a complete cure. It has been six months since I used your medicine, and I feel no return of the disease at all. I wish also to say I had not been strong for many years. I had taken patent medicines and been attended by doctors but got no better. Today there is not a stronger woman in the country than I am. I suffer no pain at all, can work all day and not be tired at night, I can cheerfully say that I believe I owe my health to the use of your valuable medicine and your good advice."

Mrs. L. Dedmon

If a copy of Dr. Pierce's "Common Sense Medicine Adviser" was in every house in the United States, half the sickness in the country could be prevented. This great work over a thousand pages is completely illustrated with over three hundred pictures. It contains many simple inexpensive receipts for curing the common ailments which arise in every family. By following its advice, simple home treatment may be given for many little ailments. Serious sickness may be prevented and many doctor bills saved. Nearly 700,000 copies have been sold at \$1.50 per volume, and now an edition, paper-bound, of a half a million is being distributed absolutely free. It will be sent post-paid to anyone who will send 21 one-cent stamps, to pay the cost of mailing only, to the; World's Dispensary Medical Association, No. 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y. If you want French cloth binding, send 10 cents extra, 31 cents in all.

The sun., May 19, 1897 (New York [N.Y.]



OUR FAMILY BUSINESS
Our family has always been involved in business adventures and I found these advertisements very interesting. If you have additional information on these or others, please share with us.

Coming Attractions **PARIS GRAND AND ALAMO**

<p>FRIDAY</p> <p>Wm. Dedman in "Teddy O'Harra" a Triangle K. B. production.</p> <p>Popular Players in a Triangle Comedy, 'Her Finishing Touch' Pearl White in tenth episode of "Pearl of the Army."</p>	<p>SATURDAY. "The Black Mantillo," Gold Seal drama "Roped Into Scandal" L. K. O. comedy in two parts, "Chumps and Chances, Bfg V. comedy, Alamo afternoon and Grand evening. Sir George Alexander and Hilda Moore in "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray," Vitagraph Blue Ribbon feature at Alamo in the evening.</p> <p>MONDAY. Kathlyn Williams and Theodore Roberts in 'The Cost of Hatred' Lasky production on Paramount program. Also Paramount Pictograph and a Klever Comedy.</p>
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Hours—Alamo, 2 to 5:30; Paris Grand, 7 to 10:30. Admission 5 and 10c.

The Bourbon news., August 31, 1917. (Paris, Ky.)

PULL-FORD TRACTORS

\$135.00
F. O. B. FACTORY.

Responsible Agents Wanted In
Every Part Of This County.

Homer J. Farr
COUNTY DISTRIBUTOR

Dedman, :: New Mexico

The Clayton News, June 30, 1917.
(Clayton, N.M.)

Our Representative

Mr. C. W. King
Of Cincinnati

Will be with us from Saturday of this week until Wednesday of next week.
You are invited to call and see the superb line of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS

Whether you wish to purchase or not :- :- :-

Looney & Dedman

The Columbia Herald, March 28, 1913 (Columbia, TN)

Golden North Hotel

GEORGE R. DEDMAN, Proprietor
"Best In The North"

WE ARE MAKING SPECIAL RATES FOR HOTEL SERVICE FOR THE WINTER

SEVERAL COMFORTABLY FURNISHED COTTAGES FOR RENT FOR THE WINTER

These cottages make an ideal winter home, as they all have electric light, city water, baths, and are furnished completely for the housekeeper.

The daily Alaskan, October 24, 1922.
(Skagway, Alaska)

CORNER SALOON

M. L. DEDMAN, Proprietor.

The best quality of Wines, Liquors and Cigars kept at this Saloon, and also Lager Beer in kegs on Ice. Polite attention guaranteed.

Monroe August 1, 1883.

The Daily telegraph., October 04, 1883, (Monroe, La.)

URINARY TROUBLE!

The son of a prominent Tennessean finds a quick cure after many things fail.



If the Kidneys are strong and healthy there can be no bladder trouble. Frequently the Kidneys do not dissolve the waste matter that enters them and the particles form into a solid mass in the bladder. This mass, or stone, obstructs the passage of urine from the bladder, and if this is allowed to continue the important function of urination may be permanently interfered with. The only thing to do is to get a reliable remedy that will dissolve this stone in the bladder and force it out of the system, and to accomplish this it is not necessary to have a surgical operation performed, as used to be the case. All you need in any case of Kidney or bladder trouble is SMITH'S SURE KIDNEY CURE, and Mr. Dedman of Memphis can give evidence to this effect in the case of his own son. Mr. Dedman writes:

My son has suffered with stone in the bladder eight years. I have taken him to several watering places, also to Cincinnati, New York, Chicago and Nashville; where he was put under eminent physicians with no improvement; on the contrary it was gradually getting larger, until I lost all hope of getting him cured, when I was told of **Smith's Sure Kidney Cure**. I had him try it, and to my surprise he began to improve at once, and he was cured with two bottles. His general health has improved wonderfully.

JOHN E. DEDMAN, Memphis, Tenn.

Price 50 cents and \$1.00 per bottle at Druggists, generally, or direct from the Manufacturers.

FREE SAMPLE SENT ON APPLICATION.

Smith Medical Co., St. Louis, Mo.

The Columbia herald., March 28, 1913.(Columbia, Tenn.)

M. L. DEDMAN.

F. G. HUDSON

ED. L. BALI.

**M. L. DEDMAN & CO.,
ICE MANUFACTURERS**

MONROE, LOUISIANA.

Ice will be sold at the Factory, or delivered, in any portion of Monroe, in small quantities, at 1½ cents per pound; 100 lbs. or more at 1 cent per pound. Office at the Factory.

Special prices to dealers in ice. Ice tickets kept on hand. Call on, or address

**M. L. DEDMAN, & CO.,
Monroe, La.**

The Ouachita telegraph., February 28, 1886.(Monroe, La.)

EDWARD FORMAN

GEO. R. DEDMAN

Golden North Hotel

SKAGWAY, ALASKA

REGULAR MEALS

THE BEST IN THE CITY

SERVED EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR

60 All Daylight Rooms.

16 Rooms with Private Bath

... Only hotel in Skagway with Hot and Cold running water.

Large Office and Parlor

American and European Plan

The daily Alaskan., November 24, 1913.(Skagway, Alaska)

BURTON ROBERTS, Pres.

C. B. PAYNE, Mgr.

Richmond Buick Company

Offer To The Auto Trade
The Services Of

Mr. Mat Baxter

In Charge Of The Mechanical Department
Assisted By Able Mechanics

Mr. Archie Dedman

Battery Expert

We Carry A Complete Line Of
Tires And Accessories
We Have The Agency For The
Famous

Buick Cars

Come Down And See These Cars
Demonstrated

Rear Hotel Glyndon

South Third Street

Richmond daily register,

February 19, 1920

(Richmond, Madison County, Ky.)

You May Wish to
Drive Out to the
Country to-day to
Eat Your

Turkey.

And, if such you do,
You should be very

Thankful

that there is a **Livery Barn**
in the town with the horses
and conveyances that we have.
We await your order to hitch
up and send a rig to you.

R. L. DEDMAN.

November 27, 1902,

(Lawrenceburg, Ky.)



(Back in the 1800s there was a story written about "Nancy Dedman". It was a work of fiction printed in MacMillan's magazine, perhaps serialized; but it was later produced in newspapers. It is basically typed as is, spelling corrections are attempted, but not the grammar construction. This is the conclusion, and it begins in Volume 158, if you missed it.)

NANCY DEDMAN (Continued from Volume 160)

There was an inquiry, but naught came of it. Old Dedman had another fit and died, and Dick went over the seas, they said. Farmer Kemp, young Jim as was, never come back to settle. He sold up, and nobody would have know'd a word about it only he come once, when he was getting in years, to look at Nancy's grave to Haslemere.

He told all he knowd to the sexton, Mr. Keeling, and years after Dick came as a stranger and asked for the grave of one Nancy Dedman, as he had a fancy to see. Though he was an old gray man much beshaken? and with naught about be to speak of murder, Mr. Keeling, as was always one with two pair of eyes, determined on seeing justice done, and he tracks the man to the inn and brings the parson, who was magistrate into the bargain. But the parson found a broken-down old man, and he would not make any bestir; it were too long ago, he said. And afore Dick Dedman died he and the parson were the best of friends, and from Dick parson had it all. After Dick died he telled Mr. Keeling, who fitted in his part, and so it was told and told again, and the tale was well known when I was a boy, though nobody speaks of it now.

-Macmillan's Magazine.

Thanks, Jim, for sharing this story with us and I hope all enjoyed it as much as I did. If you would like this story in either a PDF format, text file or the original newspaper article, just let me know and I will be glad to share it... -Leroy

On another note **DEDMAN AND DEADMAN** **SURNAME**

This interesting surname DEDMAN, of English origin with variant spellings Debnam, Deadman, etc., is a dialectal variant of the locational name Debenham in Suffolk, deriving from the Old English pre 7th century river name "Deopa" meaning "Deep plus "ham" "homestead". The surname dates back to the late 13th Century, (see below). Church recordings include one Rachell Deadman who married Thomas Pope on September 12th 1580, at St. Dunstan's, Stepney, Andrew son of Andrew and Ellin Dedman, was christened in 1637, at St. Botolph without Aldgate, London, and Frances Dedman was christened on August 1st 1638, at St. Margaret's, Westminster. John, son of Richard Dedman, was christened on April 22nd 1649, at St. Swithin's, London - Stone, and Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Dedman, was christened in 1707, at Puttenham, Suffolk.

In spite of its rather sinister appearance, the English surname, DEADMAN, of early medieval origins, has absolutely nothing to do with any death or destruction. It is locational and one of a number of dialectal corruptions of the Norfolk village name of Debenham, near the city of Norwich. It is true that there are a number of places such as Deadwin Clough, Deadmans Croft, and Deadmans Coppice, found in the counties of Lancashire, Yorkshire and Gloucestershire respectively, which are grim recordings of some foul deed in ancient times, but no evidence exists to suggest that any of them gave rise to a later surname development. In this case the name development leading to the modern surname spellings, are well documented and have followed the path of de Debenham to Debenham, to Dedman, Debnam, and Deadman, all versions which are still to be found in modern times. Examples of the recordings include Edward Debnam at St Michael's church, Cornhill, London in 1669, Robert Debnam of Suffolk in 1674, and Martha Harris, given as being the sister of Samuel Deadman, buried at the church of St Dionis Backchurch, city of London, in 1688.

The first recorded spelling of the family name is shown to be that of John de Debenham, which was dated 1273, in the "Hundred Rolls of Huntingdonshire", during the reign of King Edward 1, known as "The Hammer of the Scots", 1272-1307. Surnames became necessary when governments introduced personal taxation. In England this was known as Poll Tax. Throughout the centuries, surnames in every country have continued to "develop" often leading to astonishing variants of the original spelling.

GOLDIE ALICE DEADMON

KEOTA, OK- Goldie Alice Arnold Scoggins Deadmon, 90, of Keota died Monday, Jan. 24, 2000, in Stigler. She was a homemaker and a member of Lone Elm Free Will Baptist Church of Keota. She was the widow of Hal Deadmon.

The funeral will be 2 p.m. Wednesday in Mallory Funeral Home Chapel of Stigler with burial at Keota Cemetery.

She is survived by four sons, Dewey L. Scoggins of Lawton, Okla., Arnold M. Scoggins of Fort Worth, Texas, David M. Scoggins of Oklahoma City and Doug Scoggins of Purcell, Okla.; one sister, Delia Mosby of Keota; two brothers, Louie Arnold of Keota and Floy Arnold of Broken Arrow, Okla.; 12 grandchildren; and numerous great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

The body may be viewed at Mallory Funeral Home of Stigler.

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MR. NORMAN BOZE



Mr. Norman Edward Boze, of Cleveland, Texas, died Sunday, December 6, 2009, at his home. Mr. Boze was 75 years old. He was a 1951 graduate of Fort Smith High School; a retired Houston Chronicle employee; and attended 1st Baptist Church of Cleveland, TX.

Mr. Boze is survived by his wife: **Melba Lucille Dedmon Boze**; two daughters: Carol LeCroy and Jerrann Darnell; 5 grandchildren; a great-grandchild; and a host of friends. Mr. Boze was laid to rest at the United States National Cemetery in Fort Smith, Arkansas.

The Times Record Obituary.
Fort Smith, AR. 17 Feb 2010.
Find A Grave Memorial
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MARY DEDMON NATION



Mary Marie Dedmon Nation, 91, of Spiro, OK, formerly of Fort Smith, passed away peacefully Wednesday December 2, 2015. Marie was born January 26, 1924 in Liberty, OK to Ola and Jennie Brooks of Roland, OK.

Marie was a member of the Baptist Church and a lifetime member of the Order of the Eastern Star Chapter in Muldrow, OK. She worked first for Wards Furniture Manufacturing and then, as a secretary of their union until their closing of the plant. Then, she worked for Decent Control until her retirement in her 70's.

Marie was preceded in death by her father, Ola Brooks; mother, Jennie Sutton Brooks; four sisters, Ada Redden, Mae Buffington, Majoria "Doy" Allen and Jane Coppler and two brothers, Bill Brooks and Edgar "Dunk" Brooks; a special niece and caregiver, Lisa Brock and her two husbands, Theron Dedmon, Sr. and Theil "Buster" Nation.

Survivors include her son, Theron Dedmon, Jr. and wife Sheila; two grandsons, Brian Dedmon and wife Connie and Bradley Dedmon and wife Danielle; two great grandchildren, Blake Dedmon and Garon Dedmon all of Spiro, OK; one sister, Glenna Hicks of Fort Smith, AR; one brother, Andrew Brooks of Roland, OK and a host of nieces, nephews and friends that she loved dearly.

She was a loving devoted Mother, Grandmother, Great Grandmother, Sister, Aunt and Friend. With each tender memory of our hearts nothing can take away the beauty we have known, for love remains a part of us forever.

Funeral service will be 10:00 AM Saturday at Edwards Funeral Home Chapel in Fort Smith with burial to follow at Roland City Cemetery in Roland, OK. Arrangements are under the direction of Edwards Funeral, 201 North 12th Street, Fort Smith, AR.

The family will visit with friends Friday evening from 6:30 PM-7:30 PM at Edwards Funeral Home.

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ALMAN EAGLING



Alman Eagling, 98, of Lachine, Michigan, passed away at home on February 8, 2010. Alman was born in Green Twp., Michigan, to the late John Eagling and Rhoda (Adams) Eagling on April 24, 1911. On September 1, 1932 he married Lois Deadman in Fairview; Lois preceded him in death on July 4, 1975. In October of 1976 he married Rose Chabot, and Rose passed away November 25, 2000. Mr. Eagling retired in 1976 as Superintendent with the County Road Commis-

sion, where he had been employed for 17 years. He was a member of Grace Episcopal Church. Surviving were 2 sons, John A. and Marianne of Delaware, Gary L. of Maryland; and 6 grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Barbara Wilke on March 18, 1994; 6 brothers, Earl Eagling, Lloyd Eagling, Raymond Eagling, Percy Eagling, Russell Eagling, Leuen Eagling; and 2 sisters, Martha and Ida.

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