No one wants to air their dirty laundry in public, but let’s be honest: how many of us wash our mattress pads every month and our sleeping pillows every six months?

When it comes to doing your laundry, do your washing habits measure up to those set by the Cleaning Lab at the Good Housekeeping Institute?

How often is often enough, when it comes to certain items in your house? If you wash too infrequently, your clothes and linens will get covered in bacteria, mold or mildew; wash too often and some of your clothes won’t last very long.

Here’s advice from the GH Cleaning Lab, about some of our most common laundry items:

**Sheets — wash every week or two**

Every night, you and your bed partner contribute to the build-up of germs, sweat and body oils on your sheets. The Cleaning Lab says every week is best, but every two weeks will do. They advise you to use hotter water to kill even more germs.

**Pillows – wash every six months**

You probably wash your pillowcases as often as your sheets, but what about the pillows themselves? They need a deep clean once in awhile, especially when you think about all the oil, sweat and makeup on your face and hair.

More than 75 percent of household dish sponges and rags carry bacteria such as salmonella and E. coli ...

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# How often should I wash this?

Towels, sheets, jeans, pajamas, pillows and more

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Would you be prepared?

The television coverage last week of Hurricane Michael in the Florida panhandle has been riveting. I can’t even imagine what it is like to go through a nightmare hurricane like that.

As was the case with Hurricane Florence a few weeks ago, when Michael reared his ugly head people were warned several days in advance to evacuate. In fact, evacuation was mandatory in many cases before both hurricanes. Before Florence hit they even made both sides of the highway one way so people had a chance to get out.

Despite all of the warnings, people still stayed put. Why? Because they literally can’t leave. They simply don’t have the financial means to get up and go when a storm is brewing. Or they have elderly loved ones that refuse to go so they have to stay, too. Half the time those storms turn out to be far less dangerous than originally predicted so they think it’s worth the gamble — until it isn’t.

I started thinking, what if that was me and my family? Would we be able to survive a hurricane? To be honest, we would have a problem and the problem would not involve finances, it would involve me not being prepared.

The people in Florida impacted by these hurricanes have lost power, which could last for weeks. What happens to the food in their refrigerators and freezers? They can’t take it all outside and stick it in the snow like we can in the winter. They probably can’t run down to the store and get some ice because by that time the store has sold out, that is if the store is still there and open for business.

I wonder about cell phones. What do you do if you don’t have power? I don’t know how a generator works but I’m thinking generators may not be too helpful after they’ve been floating in 10 feet of water for awhile.

The people in Florida do not all live the “lifestyle of the rich and famous” because they happen to live near the ocean. Like the rest of the country, too many of them live paycheck to paycheck. It’s easy to say pack up your car and evacuate. But if they don’t have the money for gas, food for the road and somewhere to go, some kind of lodging, hunkering down at home may be the only option.

I can think of a hundred ways I would be in big trouble if I lived in a state where hurricanes were even remotely possible.

But I do live in an area where tornados are possible, as are snowstorms. I need to be more prepared. We have plenty of candles in the house, but I couldn’t tell you where the nearest flashlight is located, or even if we have any (I’m sure we must?). Batteries? Do we have enough batteries to power a flashlight, or the laptop or whatever else we normally “plug in?”

We have a nice fireplace and plenty of firewood so staying warm is not usually a problem. We have enough books to open my own library. During a power outage, reading will keep me occupied while the guys chop wood and do other guy stuff, whatever that is.

Yes, winter is coming and there is still so much for me to do — I better get to it.

WASH

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Feather pillows: You can throw them in your own washing machine. Launder two at a time and use a small amount of detergent on the delicate cycle, followed by a second wash. Tumble in a no-heat or air-only dryer setting for 20 minutes. Mattress pad — wash every month

We’re talking about the protective cover over your mattress, not a pillow-top foam version. Wash in warm water and tumble dry low.

Bath mat — wash every week

You step out of your bath or shower every day onto this mat, so wash it often. If it’s made of cotton or synthetic fibers, wash it with other towels. If it’s rubber-backed, wash it on a gentle cycle in cold water and wash less frequently so the rubber backing holds up longer.

Bath towels — wash every three uses

Wash these in hot water. Don’t use fabric softener, which can hamper the absorption qualities of the towel.

Hand towels and wash cloths — wash after each use

Jeans — this is a controversial issue

Did you cringe when jeans maker Levi Strauss CEO Chris Bergh came out and said you should never wash your jeans, just spot clean them and put in the freezer to kill germs?

That announcement made headlines everywhere, but most people seem to disagree with that idea. The GH Cleaning Lab suggests washing pants, including jeans, after about three wears. Esquire magazine advises washing jeans every five to 10 wears, turning them inside out and washing in cold water to preserve the color and texture of the denim.

Shirts — wash after every wear

The GH Cleaning Lab suggests washing shirts after each wear, but you may have a little leeway if you wear T-shirts under a shirt.

Sweaters — wash after two to five wears

Here are some specific guidelines from Real Simple magazine: wash cotton, silk and linen after two to three wears, because these pieces are more delicate. Wool and durable man-made blends, such as acrylic and polyester, can withstand five wears. Wool naturally repels dirt, dust and liquids.

Dresses, skirts and pants — wash after three wears

The Cleaning Lab suggests drying lightweight clothes like T-shirts separate from heavier clothes, like jeans and jackets. Otherwise, the more delicate clothes will spend too much time in the dryer.

It takes a community to keep a newspaper healthy.

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Times
You’ve got to be ‘sheeting’ us

Rebecca said her boyfriend sweats a lot when he sleeps. Like, walking through the desert for a day kind of wet, sweaty grossness. She tells him he has to wash the sheets. But when she got home from work, she sees him working on the computer since he works at home. She said, “Hey, did you do the laundry?” He replies, “No, I didn’t have time to go today.” And I say, “THE SHEETS ARE DISGUSTING.” However, he grabbed her by the arm and says, “Well I think I have a temporary solution for now.” He brings her into the bedroom and lifts up the sheets and shows her about 10 dryer sheets he had laid down between the mattress and the sheet and smiles.

Sort and divide, dude ➡️

A New Mexico mom thought that her 15-year-old son would be able to manage his own laundry, but got a big surprise passing the laundry room door and hearing the sound of a lot of running water. Her son had stuffed “practically everything he owns” into their front-loading washer and a waterfall was gushing out the door, snaking its way across the floor. So jammed, it was unable to move into the spin cycle, so the washer simply spewed out all of the water. It was a soggy lesson learned for her son, who had to clean the mess before starting over and laundering three new separate loads.

There they are!

There is a secret compartment where your lost socks go. Baffled sock owners have been claiming their dryer gobbles odd socks for years, but it’s been dismissed as a popular urban myth. But, if your appliance has a panel at the bottom, you may be about to be proven right. Bored Panda, property manager Cathy Hinz revealed her husband had taken apart a washer dryer which wasn’t working properly in the laundry room of one of their blocks of apartments. He started with the bottom panel, which was stuffed full of odd socks — and even a credit card.

Pretty in pink ➡️

Perry from Massachusetts said when he first became a single dad to his 8-year-old daughter, no one had ever told him to separate whites and deep colors. He had been taking dress shirts and slacks to the dry cleaner. Suddenly, he could not afford such luxuries so he crammed everything into a single machine. Result: he wore pink briefs for a looooolong time.

Oh no, shrinkage! ➡️

Then there’s the story of a California man, Hugo, who said the worst thing that ever happened was during sophomore year at college. He volunteered to do the laundry for a girl he had a crush on. She gave him explicit instructions that her sweaters were to be washed and hung out to dry — yet he threw them in the dryer, too. He ended up buying her three new sweaters.
BY THE FBI, have no defense against

WHO remembers correctly, evidence showed

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Township Board of the Township of Argentine, Genesee County, Michigan, has resolved its intention to make certain public improvements (the “Public Improvements”) consisting of the following:

The repaving and improving Pineview Lake Estates #1, 2, 3, Pineview Lake Drive, Pineview Lake Court and Pineview on the River subdivisions in the Township.

The Public Improvements shall be located in the Township, as follows:

Pineview Lake Estates #1, 2, 3 and Pineview on the River subdivisions within or adjacent to the Special Assessment District.

The Township has made its final determination of the Pineview Lake Estates #1, 2, 3 and Pineview on the River Special Assessment District (the “Special Assessment District”) to consist of lots and parcels of land and against which a portion of the cost of the improvements shall be specially assessed:

Property located in the Township of Argentine, Genesee County, Michigan, and described by attached Exhibit A.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Supervisor of the Township of Argentine has made and certified a special assessment roll for the Special Assessment District, which roll sets forth the relative portion of the cost of the Public Improvements that is to be levied in the form of special assessments against each benefited lot and parcel of land in the Special Assessment District. The latest cost estimate for construction and administrative costs is $738,000.00, not including interest, and the estimated per lot assessment is approximately $5,260.00 per residence (Multi-Family Residential buildings are assessed 50% per residential unit, or $23,260.00 per building.) The proposed term of the assessment is ten years, and the total per lot assessment may be paid in full by a date determined by the township board, or in ten annual installments with applicable interest.

HEARING

TAKE NOTICE that the Township Board of the Township of Argentine will hold a public hearing on Monday, October 29, 2018, at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Hall located at 9048 Silver Lake Road, Linden, Michigan, to review the special assessment roll and to hear and consider any objections thereto.

TAKE NOTICE that appearance and protest at the public hearing is required in order to appeal the amount of the special assessment to the state tax tribunal.

TAKE NOTICE that an owner or party in interest, or his or her agent, may appear in person at the hearing to protest the special assessment, or may file his or her appearance or protest by letter, on or before the close of the hearing.

TAKE NOTICE that any person objecting to the assessment roll is requested to file written objections thereto with the Township Clerk before the close of the hearing.

TAKE NOTICE that an owner or any person having an interest in the real property may file a written appeal of the special assessment with the State tax tribunal within thirty (30) days after the confirmation of the special assessment roll, if the owner or person having an interest in the real property protested the special assessment roll at the hearing, or in writing prior to the close of the hearing.

Appeals must be filed with:

Michigan Tax Tribunal
Ottawa Building
611 W. Ottawa, 4th Floor
P.O. Box 30232
Lansing, Michigan 48909

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the special assessment roll as prepared has been reported to the Township Board and is on file with the Township Clerk for public examination.

Argentine Township will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed material by the FBI, have no defense against sexual harassment claims.

TO THE ‘NOT’ happy with Trump? Hot-liner in the Times. If money is the most important thing in your life, I’m sure you pretty happy. For the rest of us, the character of a man is more important, along with honesty, integrity, respect and a number of other things this man is missing.

THE KING ASKS why so angry? Just a few. A President who can’t go a whole day without lying. Who treats our allies like enemies. Who ignores science about global climate change? Cuts taxes but increases military spending? Only if money is your only priority should you be happy.

TO ‘INNOCENT’ until proven guilty? If you remember correctly, evidence showed that Hillary Clinton is guilty.

UP UNTIL NOW we’ve only had to suffer a political Supreme Court. Now, with the addition of Kavanaugh honesty has become an added burden.

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**Classified Department: 810-433-6787**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2018**

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Report errors immediately. The Tri-County Times will only be responsible for the first day of incorrect publication.

**SIGN UP** for Text blasts to receive local coupons. Text localcoupons to 810-475-2030.

- **Be patient until the Lord comes. Be patient and listen; ask the Lord what he wants of you.** (James 5:7-10)

**Help Wanted**

- **General Laborer Needed**
  - Part-time at McIntyre Soft Water
  - Please inquire within at 1014 N. Bridge St., Linden
  - No phone calls please.

- **Tri-County Times**
  - is looking for reliable drivers to deliver the Weekend Edition of the newspaper in the Fenton area. Requirements: Must be at least 18 years of age, valid driver’s license, dependable vehicle, proof of auto insurance. All papers are to be picked up in the warehouse and delivered by 7 p.m. every Saturday. Please contact Jill for more information. (810) 433-6797 or email circulation@tctimes.com

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- **On-Site Estate Auction**
  - Saturday, October 20th at 10:00 a.m.
  - The Estate of Bernie Beaton
  - 1413 W. Cohoctah Rd., Cohoctah, MI
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  - 3 Auction Rings!
  - Preview after 9:30 a.m. only.
  - Watch for updates!

**SUNDAY PIG ROAST**

- by Cohoctah Cook’n!

**Miscellaneous Wanted**

- **WANTED TO BUY**
  - Classic VW Beetle restored, convertible or sunroof, cash. Call 810-735-1879 or 810-410-6847.

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**Classifieds**

**REAL ESTATE | GARAGE SALES | JOB OPENINGS**

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**NOTICE OF HYDRANT FLUSHING**

**CITY OF LINDEN**

City of Linden residents are advised to check their water before using for laundry, etc. on Monday, October 22nd, 2018 through Saturday, October 27th, 2018. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

**THE LINDEN DPW WILL BE FLUSHING HYDRANTS ON THESE DAYS.**

- Scott Fairbanks,
  - Public Works Department

**Miscellaneous Wanted**

- **LOOKING FOR GARAGE SALES? TURN TO PAGE 8B**
  - www.tctimes.com

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GARAGE SALES

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**Midweek Sudoku, Crossword Puzzle and Jumbles are located in the last Midweek’s issue. All other puzzles are located throughout this edition of the Tri-County Times.**

**Puzzle Answers**

**Midweek Sudoku Answers**

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**Weekend Scrambler Answers**

Scramblers: ESCORT, CORNER, THEORY, SCRABL

Answer: CHOCOLATE

**Weekend Jumble Answers**

Jumbles: G2MO, TROLL, MUTNY, FOSSIL

Answer: If you asked Tolstoy why “War and Peace” had 1,225 pages, he’d say it was a —

**Weekend Word Search Answers**

Solution: 25 min.

**Weekend Crossword Answers**

Solution: 25 min.
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Find it in the Times
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Weekend Scrambler

Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words.

Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

Answers in this edition of the Tri-County Times

“Had a very happy childhood”

was much cheaper then!”

I had a very happy childhood

GROSS

CRAWLS

TODAY’S WORD

Holiday

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Books

TODAY’S WORD
NOTICE- FAIRVIEW CEMETERY  
CITY OF LINDEN
Anyone wishing to salvage flowers, wreaths, etc. from Fairview Cemetery should do so by Monday, October 15th, 2018. After that date, they will be removed and disposed of by the sexton of the cemetery.
Scott Fairbanks
Sexton of Fairview Cemetery

CITY OF FENTON  
DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY  
ANNUAL REPORT  
FYE 06/30/2018

REVENUE:
Property Taxes Captured $1,483,663
Bond Proceeds $0
Miscellaneous Revenue $0
Donations $7,327
Interest $4,227
Total: $1,495,217
Bond Reserve (Fund Balance) $1,579,270

Expenditures:
Community Development Plan #1 $926,428
DDA Refunding Bonds Principal $420,000
Interest $52,800
Bond Fees $750
Total: $473,550
911 Dispatch Equipment Principal $26,000
Interest $3,510
Bond Fees $0
Total: $29,510
2014 DDA Bonds Principal $135,000
Interest $102,869
Bond Fees $500
Total: $238,369
2016 DDA Bonds Principal $55,000
Interest $21,105
Bond Fees $500
Total: $76,605

OUTSTANDING BONDED INDEBTEDNESS:  
DDA Refunding Bonds Principal $1,340,000
Interest $81,150
Total: $1,421,150
911 Dispatch Equipment Principal $104,000
Interest $7,020
Total: $111,020
2014 DDA Bonds Principal $3,250,000
Interest $845,108
Total: $4,095,108
2016 DDA Bonds Principal $895,000
Interest $153,360
Total: $1,048,360

INITIAL ASSESSED VALUE  
Ad Valorem Homestead $734,819
Ad Valorem Non-Homestead $21,346,781
Total: $22,081,600

CAPTURED VALUE  
Ad Valorem Non-Homestead $76,883,376
Total: $76,883,376

TAX INCREMENT REVENUES RECEIVED  
From Schools $0
From County $665,400
From District Library $75,619
From City $434,836
From Community College $150,751
From MTA $92,818
From MT Parks $27,514
From Airport $36,725
Total: $1,483,663
OBITUARIES

Jamie V. Boyer

William J. Judson

David Doering

Frances Creager

Frances Marino

Gloria Ziegler

Jack Blakemore

Jessie Withorn

Jackie Blakemore

Thomas Palmer

Walter Wagoner

Carletta Smith

Robin Jill Hartsell

Joseph Toporek

Robert McEntire

John Paul Cantea

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Noreen Kasle

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OBITUARIES

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Craig Patrick Mitchell
Craig Patrick Mitchell - age 57, of Fenton, died Monday, October 8, 2018. Private services will be held at a later date.

Contributions may be made to Adopt-A-Pet or American Heart Association. Craig was born May 22, 1961 in Flint, the son of John Burton and Shirley Pauline (Shepherd) Mitchell. He was a 1979 graduate of Lake Fenton High School and received an associate degree from Mott Community College; he also received a Barber’s Degree and a certificate of Mixology and Bartending. He had resided in the Fenton area his entire life. He had been employed by Art Van Home Furniture Store, where he had been a top salesmen; he also had worked for Sears and Lazy Boy. Surviving are: his mother, Shirley P. Mitchell of Fenton; sister, Paulette Edwards of Fenton; brother, Gary James (Vicki) Mitchell of Fenton; niece, Rachele (Greg) Davidson of Grand Rapids; nephews, Eric (Patty) Edwards of Clarkston; grand-nieces and grand-nephews, Evan, Olivia, Trevor, Karla, and Liliane. He was preceded in death by his father, John Burton Mitchell, brother-in-law, Harry John Edwards; nephew, Gary James (Vicki) Mitchell II. Online tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

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Exploring holistic veterinary care

Just as many people have turned to alternative treatments to manage their health and treat illnesses, so, too, are pet owners seeking other methods of care for their pets. Holistic and natural applications are now sought-after choices for veterinary care.

Both traditional and alternative medicine can be helpful in promoting pet health. In fact, many veterinarians are now embracing an integrative approach to animal patient wellness and even attending training sessions in various holistic applications.

Western medicine is built on the concept of identifying the disease and treating it directly until the patient gets better. Western approaches include pharmaceutical and surgical care. Alternative medicine is largely geared around boosting the body’s natural ability to heal itself. Many components include traditional Chinese medicine, nutritional supplements, and some high-tech rehabilitation, according to WebDVM.

Pet owners can discuss the various alternative treatments with their pets’ veterinarians. Many vets are now trained to offer advice in such areas as herbal supplementation, food therapy and physical rehabilitation.

Holistic treatments also may complement religious beliefs or medical philosophies. Holistic therapies often can be customized to meet a person’s beliefs as religious beliefs or medical philosophies. Holistic therapies often can be customized to meet a person’s beliefs as well as budget in regard to pet care.

One advantage to alternative approaches is greater geographical range. While many traditional treatments are geared around physical examinations and lab work before making a diagnosis or prescribing pharmaceuticals, alternative medical counseling may be achieved over the phone or via email correspondence. Therapies can be suggested to benefit the pet.

According to the pet resource Dogs Naturally, holistic therapy can be beneficial to pets that have been diagnosed with cancer. According to Dogs Naturally, half of adult dogs today will get cancer and many of the deaths to dogs over the age of 10 are cancer-related. Rather than bombard sick pets with tests and harsh treatments that can further weaken their already compromised bodies, holistic approaches focus on strengthening foods and tools that revive the pet’s body and weaken the power of the cancer. This can extend and also improve the pet’s quality of life.

Pet owners who are interested in exploring alternative approaches to pet healthcare can research homeopathic and alternative veterinary practitioners in their areas. Some online consultations may lead to referrals to someone closer to home. It’s important to always get professional advice regarding natural treatments to ensure efficacy and safety for the pet.

RANBERRY NUT BREAD

A moist quick bread with a faint hint of orange flavor, and the tang of bits of cranberries

INGREDIENTS

• 2 cups all-purpose flour
• 3/4 cup white sugar
• 3/4 teaspoon salt
• 1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
• 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
• 1 cup chopped cranberries
• 1/2 cup chopped walnuts
• 1 egg
• 2 teaspoons vegetable oil
• 3/4 cup orange juice
• 1 tablespoon orange zest

DIRECTIONS

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F (175 degrees C). Grease a 9x5 inch loaf pan. Combine the flour, sugar, salt, baking powder, and baking soda. Add the cranberries and walnuts, and stir to coat with flour. Mix together the egg, orange juice, and orange zest. Pour the egg mixture into the flour mixture, and stir until just blended. Spoon the batter into the prepared pan.

Bake for 50 minutes in the preheated oven, or until a toothpick inserted near the center comes out clean. Cool in pan for 10 minutes, then remove to a wire rack, and cool completely.

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