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Say it ain't so, Bill
We should not let our discourse degenerate into name-calling. For approximately 40 years Bill Kendall has been a public servant. For 28 or so years, Mr. Kendall has been the superior of this reporter and a steadfast supporter of the young and impressionable school teachers. He has been our town's mayor since 1998. What a loss it is to see him no longer in that esteemed position.

Though Commissioner Kendall has been asked by some to continue his service, this writer must state that it is best for him to retreat to his land and enjoy the quiet of nature. He has served admirably in his role as the elected representative of the citizens of this county. His knowlege of the finances of this county have been invaluables. His gentle and kind manner have served us well. His dedication to our children's education and the taxpayers' rights. His support of and belief in veterans and the citizens of this county has been outstanding. His leadership on issues such as tax reform, health care, and education have been exemplary. Thank you for your service, Commissioner Kendall. We wish you many happy years in the future. If I may be so bold, I wish you a lifetime of peace and contentment.

MASON MITCHAM.....................................STAFF WRITER

SECOND STORY

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To the Editor:

I would like to thank Tom Grim and Jim Sibby for their responses to my recent letter about the cost of the actual space involved. All subscriptions must be paid in advance.

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In the short story "The Unknown

Charles Duncan....................EDITOR, ADVERTISING

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TECHNOLOGY

Herman Davis, MD

Dear Editor,

I am writing in response to Beth McEwen's letter to the editor that appeared on February 10, 2016, concerning an article about my father, Mr. Frank Johnson. Mr. Kendall's letter does not contain many pertinent details to the topic of the letter. He makes several assumptions about the past, the current context surrounding it in the classroom. The short story is about a boy, who was a victim of the war and had to witness his father die. The story is surprisingly ordinary in terms of content. The story is about a boy's survival in the world. It is not a play in nature and a part of American society.

Hannah Davis, MD

Please address your letters to: Mr. Bill Kendall, P.O. Box 304, Hiawassee, GA 30546, or email me at mitcham88@outlook.com. Please include your name, phone number and address so that we may acknowledge your letter. We welcome your letters and opinions. Letters should not exceed 300 words. Please limit your number of letters on one topic to one per month. Deadline for letters is the 15th of each month.

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