



Hardware • Electrical • HVAC

- Installation & Service for all types of electrical work
 - Generac Generators Sales & Installation
 - Oxygen & Acetylene Tanks
 - Kent Pet Food Supplier





e Prairie News

PRSRT. STD. U.S. POSTAGE PAID Elmwood, Illinois Permit No. 13

Carrier Route Presort RURAL BOXHOLDER

Vol. 19, No. 46 Hot news tip? Want to advertise? Call (309) 286-2185

"The Voice of Stark and eastern Henry counties"

Serving the fine communities of Wyoming, Toulon, Bradford, Duncan, Galva, LaFayette, Stark, Speer, Castleton, Bishop Hill, Camp Grove, Princeville, Edelstein, Laura, West Jersey, Monica, Elmira, Modena, Saxon, Lawn Ridge, Broadmoor, Elmore, Lombardville, Milo and rural customers at Kewanee and Williamsfield.

More than 300 new Illinois laws take effect Jan

By PETER HANCOCK

Capitol News Illinois

SPRINGFIELD – Minimum wage workers in Illinois will see a boost in their hourly pay to \$12 per hour starting Jan. 1, while tenants in affordable housing units can keep pets.

Those are just some of the more than 300 new laws that take effect in the new year.

The minimum wage increase is actually the result of a 2019 law that phases in a state minimum wage to \$15 an hour by 2025.

This year, it will increase by one dollar to \$12 an hour.

The law allowing public housing tenants to keep pets provides that tenants of multifamily housing units that are acquired, built or renovated with money from the Illinois Affordable Housing Trust Fund may keep up to two cats or one dog weighing less than 50 pounds.

It applies to residents of housing units that are designated as affordable housing for low- and very-low-income families.



Other new laws include:

• Vehicle taxes: SB58 raises the private vehicle tax by \$75 for each model year where the purchase price is less than \$15,000 and by \$100 for vehicles priced

above that amount. However, the registration fee for trailers weighing less than 3,000 pounds will drop to \$36 instead of \$118.

• College admissions: HB226 prohibits public colleges and universities from requiring applicants to submit SAT, ACT or other standardized test scores, although prospective students may choose to submit them.

• Drug prices: SB1682 requires pharmacies to post a notice informing consumers that they may request current pharmacy retail prices at the point of sale.

• FOID card: HB562 enacts several changes to the Firearm Owner Identification card law. Among other things, it provides Continued on Page 2

NEW FOUNDATION POURED

Stark CUSD raises tax rate to 5.58 percent

By JOHN A. BALLENTINE

For The Prairie News

WYOMING – Prior to the regular school board meeting, Stark county School District 100 held a Truth in Taxation hearing. School superintendent Brett Elliott presented a "rationale for the levy and any increase."

The equalized assessed value [EAV] for 2020 was \$123,023,423 and was compared to the 2021 EAV of \$127,944,360. The actual tax rate for 2020 was 5.0792 percent compared to the 2021 rate of 5.5757 percent. The estimated increase therefore was 0.4965.

Elliott said the school district is anticipating the \$40,000 minimum salary for teachers, which will occur in the next few years, plus meeting the \$15 per hour minimum wage for noncertified employees that will be enacted in the coming years.



Work is continuing on the Stark County High School renovation project.

Webster presented a 10-year tax overview of his family's farm property and operation and requested that the board make cuts in taxes rathern tha raise them.

Also, Dale Jackson asked about local and state tax percentages. Elliott said 59.7 percent of taxes are local, 12 percent come from the state, 9 percent are federal and the remainder are from grant sourcing. date on the high school building project. Joos said a new foundation is nearly complete and walls of the and Farnsworth Group representative Scott Burge said there are supply chain issues, but steel is "on site." Also, the "budget is on

Continued on Page 2

Galva school board approves tax levy

By CAROL TOWNSEND

For The Prairie News GALVA – The Galva school board on Monday approved reducing its tax levy from \$4.84 to \$4.71 per \$100 of assessed valuation. The total levy is \$4,215,450.

In other business, the board unanimously voted to accept a bid from East Moline Glass in the amount of \$197,330 for new windows at the Galva Junior Senior High School.

The board also approved a bid from Ideal Environmental to remove 74 windows that contain asbestos containing glazing and/or caulking from 46 openings in the original 1960s building. Windows will be removed from the exterior.

The board recently attended a state school board convention and members gave a brief report on seminars they attended

Some ideas were installing UVC fixtures in the buildings to eliminate viruses and allergens, and working to get a share of tax agreements with city government for TIFs, cannibis

"It is expensive to attend, but it is well worth the taxpayers money to get new ideas," said John VanDe-Velde, board president.

The board approved the following hirings and volunteers for the 2022-23 school year:

- Krystal West as high school volleyball coach;
- Tayler Kuenneth as junior high and high school cross country coach;
- Tyler Nichols as head football coach;
- · Casey Miller and Jeff Little as assistant football coaches;
- Mike Boston as the head golf coach;
- David Trigg as assistant Continued on Page 2





HOLIDAY HOURS: Closed Dec. 24th at 12 PM and Closed Dec. 25th Closed New Year's Eve at 12 PM and Closed on New Year's Day.



In Loving Memory of Chad Colgan

To lose a Son who meant so much is difficult to bear. It just seems unbelievable so cruel and unfair.

And now that Christmas time is here it's hard to hide the pain. What would it mean to hear your voice and see you smile again.

So as we place our special gifts around the Christmas tree, it's somehow hard to understand why certain things must be.

But you'll live on forever in the hearts of those you touched for you were someone special who was loved so very much.

Missing you at Christmas, your birthday, and Always,

Mom, Dad, and family.



TOULON: Special ed coop hirings

Continued from Page 1

Board President Ann Orwig said the Henry-Stark Special Education Cooperative has hired 13 new employees, most of whom are paraprofessionals. Additionally, Stark County High School graduate Brooke Rennick will graduate in May having earned a bachelor's degree. She plans to pursue a master's degree in social work and will work for the Coop.

The board set its next meeting for Tuesday, Jan. 18, at 6 p.m. due to a Monday

After executive session, the board approved the retirement of Barbara Loane as the school district's payroll and board secretary effective June 30, 2022. Also, Elizabeth Gibson resigned as Stark County Complex supervisor and will be replaced by April Hall-Sies.

Katelyn Rumbold has resigned as high school cheer coach and is replaced by Casey Musselman. Trey Swanson resigned as junior high softball and football, coach and was hired as a varsity football assistant. Lastly, Cheryl Daum resigned as prom sponsor effective immediately.

GALVA: Board approves coaches

Continued from Page 1 coach for golf;

- Darcy Swanson as 8th grade girls basketball coach;
- Sarah Townsend as 7th grade girls basketball coach;
- Brandon Owens as junior high baseball coach;
- Brad Jackson as junior high and high

school softball coach;

- Emma Lindquist as volunteer for junior high cheerleading;
- Ellynah Olson as volunteer for junior high volleyball;
- Matthew Bersell as long-term substitute:
- Charlie Brooks as cook.

LAWS: No more SAT, ACT requirement

Continued from Page 1
for a streamlined renewal process for
FOID cards and Concealed Carry Licenses for people who voluntarily submit
fingerprint records. It also allows the Illinois State Police to issue a combined
FOID card and Concealed Carry License
to qualified applicants, and establishes a
new Violent Crime Intelligence Task
Force to enforce revoked FOID cards.

• Mental health: HB576 and SB1577 allow students in Illinois up to five excused absences to attend to their mental or behavioral health without providing a medical note. Those students will be given

an opportunity to make up any work they missed during the first absence and, after using a second mental health day, may be referred to school support personnel.

- Official flags: HB605 requires state agencies and institutions to buy Illinois and American flags made in the U.S.
- Hair styles: SB817 prohibits discrimination in schools against individuals on the grounds of wearing natural or ethnic hairstyles, which include dreadlocks, braids, twists and afros.
- Juneteenth: HB3922 recognizes June 19, or "Juneteenth," as an official state holiday.



Over 600 Units In Stock Appellequip.com

1852-2022 Established 1852 Knox and Henry County Locations

- 1. Appell Farms
- 2. Appell Pork Farms Inc.
- 3. Appell Equip. Sales (309) 932-8220
- 4. Appell Equip. Rentals (309) 932-8220
- 5. Appell Auto Recyclers (309) 932-8229
- 6. Appell Auto Sales (309) 932-9221
- 7. Appell Motorcycle
 and Trailer Sales (309) 9324

5 Generations

Family Owned and Operated by Family Members



Call Debbie Wright • (309) 883-2617 (Cell)

Broker, Realtor®, SRES®, CRS, ABR

• Licensed in Illinois

dwright@melfosterco.com

412 SW 5th Ave Galva - \$112,000

3 bedroom/ 2 bath, 1.5 detached garage.

St Have





811 NE 3rd Ave Galva - \$147,500

3 bedroom/ 2 bath Beautiful kitchen w/granite

countertops. 4 - car attached garage. Huge lot.

PUBLIC RECORD

Felonies & Misdemeanors

12-13 - Criminal Misdemeanor -Daphne F. King - Domestic battery. Incidents & Accidents

Stark County

12-17 - A deer-related vehicle accident occurred on Route 91 approximately one mile west of 750E. The driver involved was Sandra J. Phillips, 63, of Toulon. No injuries were reported but the vehicle sustained estimated damages over \$1,500.

12-13 - Daphne F. King, 20, Wyoming, was arrested for domestic battery. On Dec. 14, she was released with a notice to appear in court.

12-13 - Luke A. Washburn, 23, Kewanee, was arrested on a Henry County warrant for failure to appear on the original charge for driving on a suspended license. He was released the following day with a notice to appear.

12-15 - A 14-year-old Toulon teen was reported missing to authorities. The minor was later located and released to a family member.

12-17 - Daphne F. King, 20, Wyoming, was arrested on an outstanding Henry County warrant.

12-17 - Patricia A. Grant, 61, of Wyoming, was arrested on an outstanding Henry County warrant for failure to appear on the original charge of driving while under the influence of alcohol. She later posted \$300 cash bond and was released with a new court date.

12-18 - A 16-year-old Chillicothe girl was arrested by the Stark County Sheriff's Office on an outstanding Woodford County warrant. She was later released with a court date to appear.

12-18 - Brandon M. Magnussen, 49, Wyoming, was arrested on a Henry County warrant for failure to appear on two charges of driving on a suspended license. He was released with a notice to appear.

12-19 - The Stark County Sheriff's Office received a report of several sheds and campers that were broken into at the Allendale Conservation.

Galva Report

Officer dispatched:

12-13 - to NE 2nd St. for a welfare check. The subject was fine.

12-13 - to attempt to locate an intoxicated and suicidal subject who



ran from the 1000 block of SE 2nd St. Officers, along with the Galva K9 searched but were unable to locate. A family member called two days later and said the subject was fine.

12-14 - to the 400 block of North Center Ave. for two 911 calls. A male subject spoke to dispatch, but would not answer the door for the officer.

12-14 - to the railroad crossing on SW 6th Ave. for a crossing arm that had been struck and damaged. BNSF was contacted for repairs.

12-14 - to NW 1st Ave. for an outof-control juvenile complaint. A juvenile was taken from the home and released to Bethany social services.

12-14 - Officer drove the ambulance during a medical emergency at a residence on NW 1st Ave.

12-14 - to the 900 block of NW 5th Ave. for an injured opossum.

12-15 - to meet with a subject at the Galva Police Department to pick up property that had been found.

12-15 - to Wiley Park to check on a suspicious vehicle.

12-15 - to Sentry Estates to attempt to locate a wanted subject. As a result, Nicholas Davis, 38, Galva, was arrested on a Henry County warrant for failing to appear on the charge of driving while license suspended. He was released with a court date.

12-15 - to a two-vehicle accident with damage only in the 200 block of NW 2nd Ave.

12-15 - to Sentry Estates for a child custody dispute.

12-15 - to the 900 block of West Division St. for a loose dog complaint.

12-15 - to remove a large limb that fell in the 600 block of North Center Ave. during a storm.

12-15 - to Wallace St. for a power wire that was sparking. Ameren was contacted.

12-15 - to the 1000 block of SE

Tree Pruning

Tree Removal

Shrub Shearing

Stump Grinding

Snow Removal

2nd St. for an activated panic alarm. It was caused by a storm.

12-16 - to the intersection of SE 3rd Ave. and SE 2nd St. for a large tree limb that fell in a wind storm.

12-16 - to the 00 block of NW 2nd St. for a utility wire down across the roadway. It was determined to be a phone line. Frontier was notified.

12-16 - to meet with a subject at the police department in reference to a child custody exchange. Officer went to a residence and the child was returned to the other parent.

12-16 - to a residence on NE 1st Ave. to assist the Illinois DCFS. During the standby, the officer arrested John Podgorski, 28, Galva, on a Woodford County warrant for failing to appear on the charge of battery causing bodily harm. He posted bond and was released.

12-17 - to the 200 block of SE 4th Ave. for a complaint involving an unwanted subject.

12-17 - Officer located a wanted subject walking in the 300 block of SE 2nd St. As the result, Madison Palmer, 20, Galva, was arrested on a Henry County warrant for failing to appear on traffic charges. She was released with a new court date.

12-17 - to a residence in the 100 block of SE 3rd St. to attempt to locate a wanted subject. As the result, Dylan Hopkins, 25, Galva, was arrested on a Henry County warrant for failing to appear on traffic charges. He was released with a court date.

12-17 - to the 100 block of NE 7th St. for an aggressive dog.

12-18 - to the 200 block of SE 4th Ave. to remove an unwanted subject. As the result, Leianne Fabry, 61, Galva, was arrested for criminal trespass to property. She was released with a notice to appear.

12-18 - to the 800 block of NW 4th St. for a verbal domestic dispute involving a juvenile.

12-18 - to the 1000 block of North Center Ave. for a traffic complaint involving a possible impaired driver. The suspect vehicle was stopped for a minor traffic violation. Report unfounded.

12-19 - to the 00 block of NW 4th St. for a suspicious person complaint. Officer checked the area but was unable to locate anyone.

BO/GAR **ENTERPRISES** INC.

401 South Main Wyoming, IL 61491

Page 3

NOW HIRING

ALL POSITIONS

4 Day Work Week 3 Day Weekend!!! 100% Paid Healthcare

Please apply in person Monday thru Friday.



 Join us Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m. at the Toulon Methodist Church and we will hear the Words of Jesus say; "Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; life does not consist in an abundance of possessions." Luke 12:15

Newly Renovated

1 and 2 Bedroom units from \$449 - \$550 Appliances • A/C • Water Included

Washer/Dryer Hook-Ups • Fresh Paint New Kitchen Cabinets & Flooring • Tiled Bath

Pin Oak Apartments Call (309) 453-3769

FOR RENT

One & two bedroom apartments in Wyoming. Appliances fur nished. Laundry room on site. Rental assistance available.

WYOMING PARK APARTMENTS Ph. (309) 357-9732

This institution is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

FARMERS • LANDOWNERS

Quality Service - Quality Products - Quality Connections



GPS Mapping

Laser Controlled

WESTON STAHL

16351 Twp. Rd. 1150N - Bradford, IL (309) 897-8256 Home • (309) 238-3291 Mobile







I follow three rules: Do the right thing, do the best you can, and always show people you care. Lou Holtz

CryptoQuote



Bob Baer

Certified Arborist

(309) 657-0571

mybackyard2@gmail.com

Seasons Greetings

Joy resounds in the hearts of those who believe in

the miracle of Christmas! Wishing you all

Scott Caravello, RPh • 309.932.3440 Your "Hometown" Full Service Pharmacy! Over-the-Counter Remedies * Natural/Herbal Remedies CBD Products • Paper Products • Gift Items • Yarn Fannie Mae Candies + Snacks + Fax Service + Greeting Cards

Digital Prints • Photocopies • Party Goods/Balloons • School Supplies Galva Pharmacy – Where Service is a Tradition!

AG-LAND

Full Time Operations Lead at Ag Land FS Grain Elevator Adding 3-4 Fall Harvest Helpers

Duties include general maintenance, running grain dryers, loading and unloading trucks. Previous experience is preferred, must be a self-starter and be dependable. Must have reliable transportation.

Night time drying. Duties include taking moisture samples and operating the dryer overnight. Must have reliable transportation and be very dependable.

Please apply in person at the Elmwood Office. For questions call 1-309-742-2711 office or Clay's Cell 1-217-652-2021.

The Voice of Stark and eastern Henry Counties

The Prairie News

The Prairie News is published every Friday (except the last week of December and a week in July) by Lampe Publications LLC, 115 W. Main St., Elmwood, IL 61529.

- Publisher Jeff Lampe news@prairie-news.com
- Advertising Manager -Pam Wulf
- ads@prairie-news.com Ad & Graphic Designer -
- Ken Black
- graphics@prairie-news.com Chief Correspondent -
- John Ballentine
- Bradford Correspondent -Angie Stange
- Galva Correspondent -Carol Townsend

The Prairie News is located at 101 West Main Street, PO Box 240, Toulon, Illinois 61483. Office hours are Mon. to Thurs., 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(309) 286-2185 ads@prairie-news.com

Deadlines - News due Tuesdays by 3 p.m. Ads due Mondays by 3 p.m. The Prairie News encourages readers to submit news for publication. Email to: news@prairie-news.com

The Prairie News assumes no financial responsibility for typographical errors, but will reprint that part of an ad in which the error occured.

The Prairie News is a member of the Illinois Press Association.

Underground Directional Boring

Water Lines, Gas Lines, Power Lines Communications Lines, Drains 309-303-7237

FOR SALE Apples, Including **Honey Crisp**

& APPLE CIDER.

R.E. Arends Orchard

2 miles North of Laura on Rte. 78 **OPEN 8 AM - 5 PM DAILY** (309) 446-3034

DOOR COMPANY



Sales • Service Installation

ectional Steel Doors & Openers Service On All Makes ring & Section Replacement 24 Hour Emergency Service Free Sales Estimates

RAYNOR

856-8041

Toll Free 877-324-9517 Visit Our 1319 W. 6th St. Showroom Kewanee, III.

www.sullivandoor.com

FOR SALE

158.18 Acres, M/L - Bureau County, IL

Located Near Henry, IL 110.90 Crop acres with 130.1 PI Highly Productive Farm \$9,250/ac

> Geneseo • 309-944-2184 www.Hertz.ag

CB Excavating & Rock, LLC

Trenching, Excavating, Bulldozing, Demolition, Rock Services & More.

Chris Baumann Toulon, IL 309-238-0665





Central Illinois Pest Management Inc.

Termite and Pest Control Experts

309-267-PEST (7378)

BRIEFS

Galva Chamber seeks Citizen of the Year

GALVA - The Galva Chamber of Commerce is seeking names for the Citizen of the Year and Friend of the Chamber. The deadline for submitting names is Jan. 7.

Please mail your nominations to: Galva Chamber of Commerce, PO Box 112, Galva, IL 61434. You may also email Stacy Hanks, the Chamber of Commerce President, at SHanks@commstatebank.com or facebook Galva Chamber of Commerce's facebook page.

COVID vaccine clinic scheduled in Galva

GALVA – The Illinois Department of Public Health will hold a free COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic for all persons 12 years of age and older at the First Baptist Church of Galva on Tuesday, Dec. 28, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. All three vaccines and boosters will be offered.

Please call Pam Konstanty at the church at (309) 932-2713 to pre-reg-



Pictured is part of the group of Lions Club members, River Valley employees and community members who helped with the assembly and delivery of the Christmas food baskets. Approximately 130 food baskets were delivered to Galva families on Saturday. The Elementary school children collected food and 2 pick-up loads were collected. The Junior High and High school also collected food items and 4 pick-up loads were hauled to River Valley where the baskets were put together. This is the 2nd year that River Valley Co-Op has partnered with the Galva Lions Club for the project. Photo by Carol Townsend.

ister by Dec. 23.

The church needs 40 people to register or the event will have to be rescheduled. Walk-ins are also welcomed. The church is located at 211 NW 4th Ave., Galva.

Et cetera

• GALVA – First Baptist Church of Galva, 211 NW 4th Ave., will have a candelight worship service on Christmas Eve at 7 p.m. The service will feature Christmas carols, scripture readings, choir music, a homily by Pastor Bryan Griem, and a singing of "Silent Night" by candle light.

 The Red Cross Blood Drive will be held Tuesday, Jan. 4, from 1-6 p.m. at Galva's First United Methodist Church's Epworth Hall. Call (800) 733 2767 or visit redcrossblood.org.





21 Chester Street

GALVA

Phone: 932-2008

Ron's Cuts

HOURS:

SUNDAY - CLOSED MONDAY - CLOSED TUESDAY - 9 TO 6 PM WEDNESDAY - 9 TO 6 PM THURSDAY - CLOSED FRIDAY - 9 TO 1 PM SATURDAY - 9 TO 1 PM

ALL HAIRCUTS \$12.00

TESTING FOR TELECOMMUNICATOR

The Henry County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for Telecommunicator and Lateral Transfer until January 13, 2022 at 4:00 p.m.

Three primary job duties are receiving incoming calls/radio traffic, prioritizing the collected information, and dispatching the appropriate services.

Annual starting salary of \$42,411.20 (\$20.39/hour) and offers employee health, dental, & life insurance, annual & contractual raises, paid holidays, paid vacation, and

Applications may be obtained in person at the Henry County Sheriff's Office, 311 W. Center St, Cambridge, IL. or download the application from: www.henrycty.com (Click Sheriff's Office, then employment).

Testing for applicants is required on January 20, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. at the Henry County OEM (use door at ail entrance), 311 W Center St, Cambridge, IL. For questions, call 309-937-3614.

Henry County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

REQUEST FOR BIDS MOWING AND TRIMMING. TOULON CEMETERY

The City of Toulon is accepting bids for mowing and trimming of Toulon Cemetery for mowing season of 2022.

This is bid for mowing the complete cemetery grounds. Grass around headstones will be trimmed, rather than killed with Round-Up herbicide. Experience in the past shows that the trimming around the headstones should be done, on the average, at least every other mowing.

For other expectations and questions, may call City Hall, 309-286-5042, Monday-Friday, 8:30-12 and 1-4:30.

Bids are to be mailed to Toulon City Hall, P.O. Box 597, Attn: Larry Hollis - Mowing Bids, Toulon, IL 61483. Bids will be opened at the January 10th city council meeting.







Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!



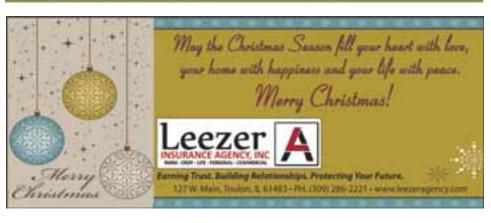


Our thoughts are with the Men & Women in the military & their families, serving all over

the world this Holiday Season. Wyoming American Legion Post #91

RRY CHRISTMAS!







May the love of home and family be yours

to cherish at the miracle of

Christmas. WYOMING MONUMENT COMPANY



Equal Housing Lender | Member FDIC



Blessings .for all our friends.

FARM KING KEWANEE



We are looking forward to the New Year with your continued friendship & support We appreciate your kind patronage

A Few of My Favorite Things 110 S 7th St Wyoming



Page 5



HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

7417A IL-17 **TOULON, IL 61483**

DON'T FORGET!

YOU MAY REDEEM THEM AT ANY PARTICIPATING **GALVA BUSINESS!**



Contact Stacy (shanks@commstatebank.com) or the Galva Area Chamber of Commerce Facebook Page to see your business here!

Spoon River Bowl

115 E. Williams • Wyoming (309) 695-2695 Thank you for your patronage. **Merry Christmas!**





HAVE A SAFE AND HAPPY **HOLIDAY SEASON!**

Kewanee Shawn Roman Scott Stauffer (309) 856-6080

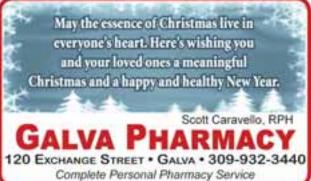
Galva Mike Yepsen Nancy Turner (309) 932-2130

707AL HOME **SERVICES**

MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Interior/Exterior Painting Wallpapering - Woodwork Finishing Floor Sanding - Ceramic Tile

309-286-7220





Kevin Thomson

President/CEO

PO BOX 166
GALVA, IL 61434
Office: 309.761.4335 x125
Email: kthomson@dixline.com

Since 1924
Solutions for your Part Finishing Needs
PVD Metalizing, Electroplating,
Plating on Plastic (POP), EMI Shielding
Also available:
On-Site Plastic Injection Molding,
Steel Stamping & Zinc Die Casting.



Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!

Wapelhorst Chiropractic

Dr. Kevin J. Wapelhorst, D. C. Chiropractor

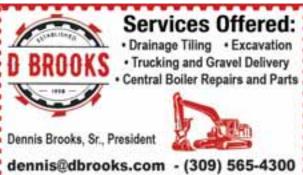
19 SE 1st Ave Galva, IL 61434 Phone: (309) 932-3697 Fax: (309) 932-3698 kwapdc@gmail.com





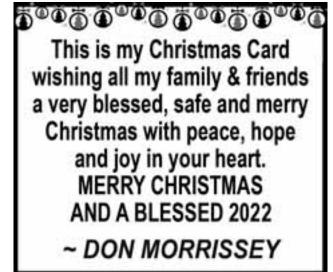












The Greatest Story Ever Told

St. Luke, Chapter 2, Verses 1-20

- And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed.
- 2. And this taxing was the first made when Cyrenius was governor of Syria.
- 3. And all went to be taxed, everyone into his own city.
- And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem (because he was of the house and lineage of David);
- 5. To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.
- And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered.
- And she brought forth her first-born son and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.
- And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night.
- And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid.
- And the angel said unto them, Fear not; for, behold, I bring you good tidings
 of great joy, which shall be to all people.
- 11. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, which is Christ
- And this shall be a sign unto you; ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.
- And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and Saying.
- 14. Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.
- 15. And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known to us.
- And they came with haste, and found Mary and Joseph and the babe lying in a manger.
- And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this child.
- And all they that heard it wondered at those things which were told them by the shepherds.
- But Mary kept all these things and pondered them in her heart.
- 20. And the shepherds returned glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, as it was told unto them.



Merry Christmas TATE BANK of TOULON

www.statebankoftoulon.com

Member State Bank of Toulon FDIC (309) 286-2861 Galva Banking Center (309) 932-2131 Kewanee Banking Center (309) 852-3366









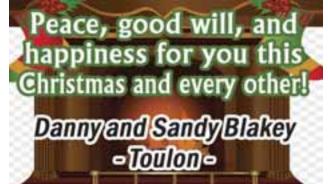






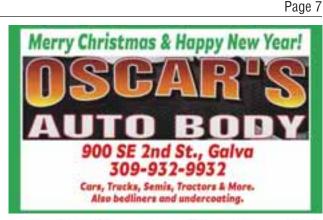












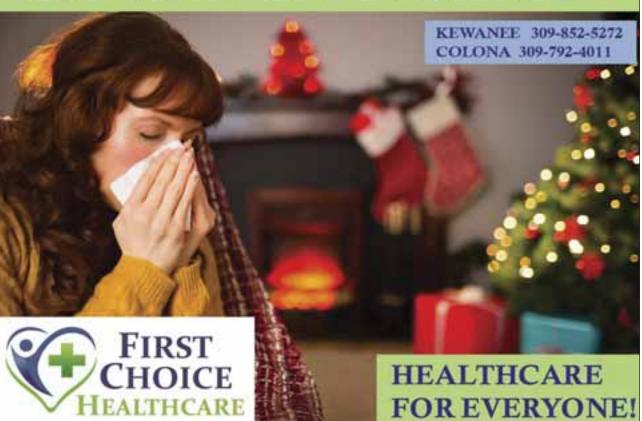








SICK VISIT APPOINTMENTS



















COMPLETE Hours: MON - FRI AUTO REPAIR 8AM - 5PM





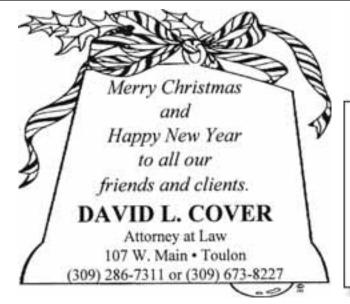














Streitmatter Land Improvement Wyoming

NEED A NEW FURNACE?

Woltil's 852-2890

We Have **Great Pricing!** for a free estimate on the installation of a brand new GAS FURNACE only

WE HAVE 24 HOUR EMERGENCY SERVICE

Give Us A Call!

95.5% Efficiency Furnace \$2,800 Installed

Guardian (By York) 13 Seer Central Air \$2,500 Installed

Furnace & Central Air Package \$4,695 Installed

Heating & Air Conditioning

1101 W. Prospect St. • Kewanee • (309) 852-2890

SUPER CROSSWORD Brought to you by...

SKELI Funeral & Cremation Services

Family Serving Your Family'

Bert L. Haskell, Jr. - Owner/Funeral Director • Nicole Reed - Funeral Director (309) 385-4414 • haskellfuneral.com

ACROSS

Answers on Page 3 _Super Crossword

NFLer Mento

in a chase 14 Alphan

68 16-Down, to 22 104 Blas

23 EW 71 Bit of posts that's neaty hard to find? 77 Bodily pouch 79 Spanish for "that" 25 Male flower 26 Earth lighter 27 Authority chil 80 thig pet hoof brand

95 More hideox 97 — iver (me product) 100 Harvestatile 104 Work tayoff, sizoroly

104

131 134

58 Indian city on 105 Dive to attack the Yamuna with perfect 11 College to in North 113 % doubled

114 GMC pickus 115 Decide on 13 Quartity in a narc's bust 122 Taylor of

124 Los An ntay NYC fundrations Plays — fle 125 Regular practices 126 Botching an April 1 prem

April 131 Crops up 132 lokly stoky

The screen

31 "— so you!"

32 Hern, e.g.

33 Littled systable

35 Profs deg.

36 United

39 Israel's Abbs. 44 Close, as a (casino option) \$ Grain bea 6 Up to, informally 7 Paradise

50 Profe with 51 And not 52 First wash

54 Noted Deco 55 Furry trust 57 Plochet pe 109 Bully's threat

112 Hardy lidy 66 Trump 72 Thief's b 116 Celestial 117 Oth Florado

118 Fro

123 Brorum d 127 Olive of

93 Lyric pe 128 LL's inferior 129 'Despiciable Me' villan 130 Dewy, e.g.

18 10



We would like to join our entire staff in wishing everyone a very Happy Holiday season.



Mike Morris, Wyoming 309-286-7053



Merle Hall, Kewanee 309-852-2121



Zach Wise, Wyoming 309-286-7053



Dan Kniss Agency Manager 815-221-3075

CLASSIFIED ADS Call (309) 286-2185

FOR SALE

· GRASS HAY: No rain, on

wagons, \$4 bale, (309) 635-4575. • TRUCK: 2003 Ford F250, 4x4, diesel, have \$12,000 in it, lots of new parts, need to sell quick, \$5,000. (309) 657-7155.

• IRRIGATION PIPE: 3" irrigation pipe with 3' tall nozzle head and fittings. (309) 635-4575.

 CATTLE EQUIPMENT: Catching chutes, gates, hay-silage wagon, hay feeder ring, multiple of all items, call (309) 362-2119 or (309) 224-1733 and leave message.

• FOR SALE: Recliner, like new, \$100; Cannon ExMark Printer, \$25; A lot of bicycle parts, tires, tubes etc., free. Call (309) 883-

FOR RENT

• STUDENTS WANTED! Rental in Toulon available immediately! 1 bedroom, 1 bath shared home available for rent. All utilities and internet included. We have your choice of upper level or main level rooms. Each level has a shared bathroom and kitchen, Laundry available with washer/ dryer supplied. Don't miss this opportunity. \$450 per month/ \$450 deposit. Lease agreement flexibility. Please call 309-258-3107 or go to apartments.com for more details.

SERVICES

• MORE HEAT. LESS WOOD: Classic Edge Titanium HDX EPA certified OUTDOOR WOOD FUR-NACE. 26% Tax Credit. Prices start as low as \$9,525! Call today (309) 565-4300.

• REMODELING & REPAIR: All

Types of home re-modeling and repair. No job too small! Carpentry, drywall, electrical, ceramic & vinyl, windows & doors, paintindg. Call Jeff Woith (309) 995-3825

• REMODELING & REPAIR: Most types of quality home remodeling and repairs including doors, thermopane vinyl replacement windows, interior painting and electrical, by Denny Miller. Over 25 years of experience. We also do kitchens, baths, decks, steps and more. Small jobs welcome! Call me at (309) 995-3364, LaFay-

• SALVAGE: Buying junk autos & farm equipment. Total farm clean up. Call Doug Lofgren at Spoon River Salvage (309) 299-8531.

I have had several Stark County Citizens ask me why Peoria City will be doing our dispatching for

This is not true, to get E911 Stark County had to join an ETSB Board (Pecria County and Stark County have come to an agreement, that Stark County will have 2 seats on Pecria County's ETSB. ETSB is Emergency Telephone System Board).

With Stark County on their board, we will have our own PSAP. (Public Safety Answering Point) which E911 will get dispatched from our dispatchers.

The equipment we will need for the PSAP will come from a grant to pay for the equipment from the

State of Illinois Stark County Citizens will not be taxed more for this project.

The reason we must be on an ETSB Board is that Stark County had to have an ETSB Board by the

end of 2015. Stark County didn't start talking about the ETSB until January 2016 and at that point we had to join an ETSB Board.

Peoria County will do all the grant writing for Stark County and the E911 coordinator for the State of Illinois has been faritastic to work with and Peoria County has been great to work with. It will probably take 1 1/2 years to get the E911 up and running. With the E911 we will know exactly where you are calling from, which will make our response time quicker. With the E911 we will have all places in the county mapped out, even if it is a grain bin. If anyone has a question, please feel to call the Stark County Sheriff's Office (309-286-2541).

Sheriff Steven V. Sloan 12/02/2021



SHERIFF'S LETTER TO STARK COUNTY CITIZENS

Dear Stark County Citizens,

OBITUARIES

Robert C. DeSchepper

ANNAWAN - Robert C. "Bob" DeSchepper, 85, of Annawan, passed away on Saturday, Dec. 18, 2021, at his home. A Funeral Mass celebrating his life was to be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 23,

at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Annawan. Father S. Stephen Engelbrecht was to be celebrate. Burial will be in the Sacred Heart Cemetery, Anna-

wan, with military



DeSchepper

honors. Visitation was from 10-11 a.m. Thursday, at the church.

Memorials may be made to the Toulon American Legion or the Annawan/Alba Fire District. Stackhouse-Moore Funeral & Cremation Services, Annawan, is assisting the family with the arrangements.

Robert Charles DeSchepper was born July 21, 1936, in Mineral Township, Bureau County, Ill. the son of Charles and Irene Christian DeSchepper. He was educated in Neponset schools and graduated from high school there in 1954. His marriage to Darlene VanDeRostyne took place

on Sept. 12, 1959, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Annawan. They spent their first two years of married life in Germany from 1959 to 1961 while Bob served in the U.S. Army. Their first child, Michael, was born

Bob continued his inactive reserve status until being discharged in September of 1965, at the official start of the Vietnam War. After returning home, they lived in Kewanee and Neponset before moving to Toulon to raise their family. Upon retirement they move to Annawan. She passed away on Feb. 16, 2017.

He worked for Martin Engineering, Kraft Cheese Company, Pearson Bros., IME, Pine's Trailer and Mutual Electric. Bob was the Toulon Township road commissioner from 1983 to 2005, farmed, and volunteered for several community organizations, including membership with the Old Settlers, Boy Scouts of America for over 30 years, earning the honorary award of Silver Beaver, Lions Club (president) and served as pancake breakfast chairman, Toulon American Legion, and was part of the color guard, and helped run several pedal tractor pulls, big wheel races and soap box derbies. He enjoyed camping with family, going to craft shows, and restoring his '47 Studebaker, which won several car show awards. He also liked to take Rich's Case SC tractor on rides and in parades. He thoroughly enjoyed watching Andrew's figure 8 races.

Those surviving are five children, Michael (Laurie) DeSchepper, Dixon, Julie (Gary) Frail, Toulon, Douglas (Chris) DeSchepper, Davis, Richard (Beth) DeSchepper, Altona, and Todd (Jodie) DeSchepper, Kewanee. Other survivors include 11 grandchildren, Larissa (Adam) Frantz, Kelsey (Andrew) Sarver, Sarah (Jerry) Ehrnthaller, Emily and Andrew DeSchepper, Kaitlyn (Renee) DeSchepper, Kiley DeSchepper, Kyra DeSchepper, Olivia Frail, Abigail and Nathaniel DeSchepper; and 5 great grandchildren, Ben and Lucas Johnson, Addison Frantz, Chloe Ehrnthaller and Kinsley Sarver.

His parents, his wife, Darlene, a sister Elaine Carr, and several close extended family preceded him in death.

Online condolences may be ex-

pressed at stackhousemoore.com.

LEGAL ADS

	•••		April 30, 2020	\$5,324.46			
Village of LaFayette			Nora Williar	ns, Treasur			
P.O. Box 116			Water Department Account				
LaFayette, IL 61449			May 1, 2019 thru April 30, 2020				
Bond Interest and Reserve Account			Beginning Balance				
May 1, 2019 thru April 30, 2020			May 1, 2019	\$26,649.28			
	Beginning Balance		Receipts:				
	May 1, 2019	\$11,749.05	Water:	\$51,622.25			
	Transfers:	0.00	Trash:	8,401.25			
	Interest:	11.79	Returned Checks	(71.50)			
	Total Cash to Account:	0.00	Interest:	34.89			
	Disbursements:	0.00	Total Cash to Account:	59,986.89			
	Ending Balance		Disbursements:				
	April 30, 2020	\$11,760.84	Salaries:	\$8,375.00			
	Nora Willia	ms, Treasure	Electricity:	5,308.87			
	Motor Fuel Tax	Fund	Insurance:				
May 1, 2019 thru April 30, 2020			Supplies & Chemicals: 3,910.33				
	Beginning Balance		Equip. Repairs:	205.68			
	May 1, 2019	\$32,972.29	Office Supplies:	450.76			
	Receipts:	\$8,061.26	Legal Fees:				
	State of Illinois		Water Tower:	4.048.42			
	Interest:	\$ 36.89	Depreciation:	1,200.00			
	Total Cash to Account:	<u>8,098.15</u>	FICA:	1,324.68			
	Disbursements:	\$.00	Medicare: 309.85				
	Ending Balance		Unemployment:	265.59			
	April 30, 2020	<u>\$41,070.44</u>	Federal W/Holding:	113.03			
	Nora Williar	ns, Treasurer	State W/Holding:	260.44			
	Depreciation Ad	ccount	Misc.:	322.20			
	May 1, 2019 thru Ap	ril 30, 2020	Trash:	8,748.00			
	Beginning Balance		Water Analysis:	3,344.50			
	May 1, 2019	\$4,119.68	Improvements:	826.04			
	Transfers:	\$1,200.00	Bank Loan – Hydrants	: 2,605.44			
	Interest:	4.78					
	Total Cash to Account:	<u>1,204.78</u>	Total Disbursement	s from Casl			
	Disbursements:	<u>\$.00</u>		<u>\$41,618.8</u>			
	Ending Balance		Ending Balance April 30), 2020			

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, STARK COUNTY, ILLINOIS CAUSE NO. 2019TX1 TO THE FOLLOWING NAMED PERSONS (AND IF DECEASED, TO THEIR UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES), AND TO THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, AND TO ALL INTERESTED DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES THEREOF, INCLUDING AMONG OTHERS ILLINOIS TORNEY GENERAL, ILLINOIS DEPTOF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY, ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, STATE OF ILLINOIS DEPT OF HEALTHCARE & FAMILY SERVICES (PUBLIC AID) GENERAL COUNSEL AND STARK COUNTY CLERK, STARK COUNTY TREASURER, CITY OF TOULON, STARK COUNTY STATE'S ATTORNEY, AND TO OCCUPANTS, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND PARTIES INTERESTED IN THE PARCELS HEREINAFTER NAMED:

Parcel Number	Parcel Number Owners/ Parties Interested		Street Or Common Address		
02-26-206-003	WOLFORD, PATRICIA	201800009	301 ARBOR ST.		
02-26-206-003	WALL, TIFFANY	201800009	301 ARBOR ST.		
02-26-206-003	WOLFORD, TROY	201800009	301 ARBOR ST.		
04-19-303-013	DAILEY, RICHARD R	201800031	223 E. GREENWOOD ST.		
04-19-303-013	CITY OF TOULON	201800031	223 E. GREENWOOD ST.		
04-19-303-013	DAILEY, SAMANTHA	201800031	223 E. GREENWOOD ST.		

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE ABOVE SAID PARCELS WERE SOLD ON OCTOBER 22, 2019, FOR GENERALTAXES FOR THE YEAR 2018 AND PRIOR YEARS, AND THAT THE PERIOD OF REDEMPTION FROM SUCH SALE EXPIRES JUNE 1, 2022. TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT A PETITION FOR ORDER DIRECTING ISSUANCE OF TAX DEEDS HAS BEEN FILED IN THE ABOVE SAID CAUSE AS TO THE ABOVE-NAMED PARCELS BY STADIC COUNTY AS TRUCKED OF TAX DECEMBER OF TAX DESCRIPTION O PARCELS BY STARK COUNTY, AS TRUSTEE, AND THAT ON JUNE 24, 2022 AT 9:00 AM, SAID PETITIONER WILL APPLY FOR AN ORDER THAT A TAX DEED ISSUE AS TO EACH ABOVE SAID PARCEL NOT REDEEMED ON OR BEFORE JUNE 1, 2022. /S/ STARK COUNTY AS TRUSTEE, PETITIONER.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT THE COUNTY CLERK ADDRESS: 130 WEST MAIN, TOULON, IL 61483 TELEPHONE: (309) 286-5911

\$45,017.34 Nora Williams, Treasurer General Funds Pool/Special **Project Account** May 1, 2019 thru April 30, 2020 Beginning Balance May 1, 2019 \$11,014.34 Interest: 2.91 Total Cash to Account: 2.91

Disbursements: \$10,917.00 **Ending Balance** April 30, 2020 \$100.25 Nora Williams, Treasurer **General Funds Account** May 1, 2019 thru April 30, 2020 Beginning Balance

May 1, 2019 \$28,140.47 Receipts: \$10.983.47 Insurance: 10.917.00 Park Expenses: FICA/Medicare: 1,597.68 5.021.93 Audit: State Income Tax: 9.654.85 PPRT. 278.68 Real Estate Tax: 16,452.23 Sales Tax: 359.35 5,972.32 Use Tax: Road & Bridge: 1,084.72 Corporate Tax: 2,144.50 Street Lights: 990.00 Interest: 32.91 Total Cash to Account: 66,209.64

Disbursements: \$3,357.36 Street Lights: Insurance: 8,685.78 Salaries: 7,144.22 Office Supplies: 1,011.14 Legal Fees: 3,093.25 112.50 Garbage: Advertising: 609.00 Street Repairs: 15,030.00 Park Expenses: Bldg. Maintenance: 286.97 5,807.86 3,600.00 Snow Removal: 290.63 4,000.00 Library: **Equipment Repairs:** 290.46 Truck/Plow Loan: 325.16 Tree/Brush Removal: 1,882.86 Ditch/Culvert Repair: Total Disbursements from Cash:

\$56,269.70 **Ending Balance** April 30, 2020 \$37,947.01 Nora Williams, Treasurer

Village of LaFayette P.O. Box 116 LaFayette, IL 61449 CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, Nora Williams, Treasurer of the Village of LaFavette, Illinois, hereby certify that the foregoing Treasurer's Report is a true and accurate report of the receipts and disbursements relating to General Funds of the Village of LaFayette, Motor Fuel Tax Funds, Water Collection Account, Depreciation Account and Bond Interest & Reserve Account and Special Project Account for the period beginning May 1, 2019 thru

April 30, 2020.

Date: December 15, 2021 Nora Williams, Village Treasurer Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of December. 2021 Notary Public

Published 12/24/21

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT STARK COUNTY, ILLINOIS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

MERLE E. WALKER Case No. 2021-P-22 Deceased. WILL NOTICE AND CLAIM NOTICE NDEPENDENT ADMINISTRATION

Notice is given of the death of MERLE E. WALKER of Stark County, Illinois. Letters of Office were issued on December 10th 2021 to PATRICIA K. WALKER as Independent Representative, whose attorney is The Rennick Law Firm, P.C., Box 430, Toulon, IL 61483.

Notice is given to all interested parties, heirs or legatees who are named in a petition filed in the above proceeding to probate a will and whose names or addresses are not stated in the petition to admit the will to probate, including, but not limited to, the unknown heirs at law, if any, of the deceased in the above named estate proceeding, that an order was entered by the court on December 10th 2021, admitting the will to probate. Within 42 days after the effective date of the original order of admission you may file a petition with the court to require proof of the will by testimony of the witnesses to the will in open court or other evidence, as provided in Section 6-21 of the Probate Act to contest the validity of the will by filing a petition with the court within 6 months after admission of the will to probate.

Claims against the estate may be filed in the Office of the Stark County Circuit Clerk, Stark County Courthouse, 130 West Main, Box 426, Toulon, IL 61483, or with the representative's, on or before the later of 6 months from the first date of publication in this estate, to wit: June 17th 2022, or 3 months from the date of mailing or delivery of notice of death and the names and addresses of the representative's and their attorney of record and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within 10 days after it has been filed.

The estate will be administered without court supervision, unless under Section 28-4 of the Probate Act of 1975 (IL Rev. Stat., Ch 755 ILCS 5/28-4) any interested person terminates independent administration at any time by

Continued on Page 11

CHURCH DIRECTORY Toulon United Methodist Church

Rev. Leon D. Pomeroy 229 W. Main St., PO Box 538, Toulon, IL 61483 (812) 698-9294

Sunday School: 9:15 a.m., All Ages. Sunday. Worship: 10:30 am Check us out on Facebook @ Toulon United Methodist Church

Elmira United Presbyterian Church

Rev. Art Blegen 7874 State Route 93, Toulon, IL 61483 (309) 896-3481 Services each Sunday at 9:00 a.m. https://www.facebook.com/Elmirachurch1852

The Gathering Church

Location: 105 N. 7th St., Wyoming, IL 61491 Sunday mornings @ 10:30 a.m. Mail: PO Box 322, Wyoming, IL 61491 email: info@thegathering.life web: https://www.thegathering.life/ https://www.facebook.com/thegatheringchurch.life

1st Congregational Church of Toulon

Pastor Dan Wright, Youth Leader Michelle West 218 N. Henderson St., Toulon (309) 286-4901, Leave Message. Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m. in-person or watch us live at https://facebook.comfcctoulon

Galva Congregational Church

Pastor Josh Ryner 211 N.W. 3rd Avenue, Galva, Illinois 61434 (309) 932-3733 Service Time 10 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

"faith in truth"

211 NW 4th Ave GALVA Main Service: Sun 10:30 New Preacher! Bryan Griem (309) 932-2713 • GalvaBaptistChurch.com

Wyoming Nazarene Church

517 N Madison Ave. Wyoming, IL 61491 309-695-4523 leave message Sunday School: 10:00, All ages Sunday Worship: 11:00 Wednesday Night TBD Check us out on Facebook: Wyoming Naz

First Congregational United Church of Christ

Pastor Ross Wyman 204 N. 7th St., PO Box 35, Wyoming, IL 61491 (309) 695-4091 Sunday Worship 10 a.m. Check us out on Facebook First Congregational UCC of Wyoming, Illinois

Toulon First Baptist Church

110 W. Jefferson St. Toulon (309) 286-4611 Sunday School 9 a.m. • Worship 10 a.m. Sunday Youth Group 5-7 p.m. Wednesday Kid's Club 5:30-7 p.m. Wednesday Virtual Prayer Meeting 7 p.m. Email: pastor@toulonbaptist.com www.ToulonBaptist.com www.facebook.com/FirstBaptistChurchToulon Call us for Salvation Army Assistance

Hill Church

Casual • Family-friendly • Jesus-centered 107 N. Main St., Kewanee (between Good's and Florist) Sundays 9am • 10:30am (In-person and Streaming on Facebook) HillChurchFamily.org Facebook.com/hillchurchfamily.org

Pastor: Dr. David W. Pendergrass

St. Timothy Lutheran Church

Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m. Rev. Linda Strader 16883 State Route 17, PO Box 158 - Wyoming, IL 61491 threesaints.org

LIST YOUR CHURCH HERE

Join the directory for \$150 per year. For just \$3 per week, put your information in 7,000 newspapers every Friday. In addition, if you run ads you will automatically be given the lowest rate of \$4.25 per column inch. Please email information to: ads@prairie-news.com or mail it (with a check made out to Lampe Publications LLC) to: The Prairie News; PO Box 240; Toulon, IL 61483-0240.



FABULOUS TWO DAY NEW YEARS ESTATE AUCTION

The LIVE IN PERSON & On-Line Auction to be held at the Tumbleson Auction Center, 1635 North Main Street, Princeton, IL, Located 100 miles West of Chicago. Il just off INT 80, Exit 56, South on Rt. 26. on:

SATURDAY, JANUARY 1 & **SUNDAY, JANUARY 2, 2022** TIME: 10:00 A.M.

(Preview: 8:00 A.M.) Each Day **PREVIÈW OF BOTH DAYS: FRIDAY, DEC. 31st TIME: 4:00-6:00 P.M.**

View FULL Listing, Photos, and Absentee

On-Line Bidding on www.tumblesonauction.com OR BID LIVE THRU PROXIBID

Great Collection of Antique/Primitive Furniture Including Baker, Great Collection of Moser Glass, Fine Quality Glassware, Lladro, Collectibles, Great Collection of Gouda Art Nouveau of Holland, Lg. Royal Dux, Statues, Stoneware, Pottery, Several Art Deco Lamps, Artwork, Adv., Postcards, Books, Dolls & Jewelry.

CARROLL ESTATE, MENDOTA, IL & OTHERS **SUNDAY, JANUARY 2, 2022**

LG. MALLARD DUCK CLUB SIGN, GREAT COLLECTION OF ARROWHEADS, DUCK DECOYS & RELATED ITEMS, COINS & PAPER CURRENCY GROUP OF APPROX. 30 FIREARMS & RELATED ITEMS. LG. COLLECTION OF OLD LIONEL TRAINS, TOYS, JOHN DEERE & BLACK HAWK JERSEYS

PRIMITIVES & ADV: LIGHTNING RODS STANDS & GLOBES; OLD RADIOS; BENCHES; MILK BOTTLES; PRIMITIVES; OLD MAPS; SEVERAL PATRIOTIC MAG. COVERS; FRAMED & UN-FRAMED VICTORY WAR BOND POSTERS & MANY ADV. PCS

ESTATE ITEMS FROM EINER & CONRAD SWENSON-LORAINE OAKES-SELLER & OTHERS ABSENTEE BIDDING, PHONE BIDDING & PROXIBID AVAILABLE FOR BOTH AUCTIONS!!!

PLEASE NOTE: THIS IS A VERY LARGE QUALITY AUCTION W/ MANY ITEMS TOO NUMEROUS TO LIST!!

Tumbleson Auction Co. PRINCETON, IL

E-MAIL: ttauction@yahoo.com or Phone 815-872-1852

AUCTIONEERS: TOM & MARY TUMBLESON

Lic. #040000396-397 & TIFFANY FOES, Lic. # 041.001601 TERMS: 10% Buyer's Premium/Cash or Check/ CC Accepted

with 5% Fee

AD STORAGE COMPANY

· EASY ACCESS · LOW MONTHLY RENT · WELL-LIT · SECURITY

FACILITIES IN: Bradford - 897-8243 * * * Lacon - 696-9281 * * * Hanna City - 565-7677 "Store Your Stuff With Us"

Call 385-1715

AD STORAGE CO. + PO BOX 415 + PRINCEVILLE, IL 61559

W.Y.A.P. Soccer Sign-Up Four year olds thru 8th grade

(Must be 4 years old by April 1)



Saturday, Jan. 22 & 29 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. Better Banks • Wyoming

\$15 for (1) player • \$25 for (2) players 535 for (3) players • 540 for (4 +) players

For more information: Call Nora Williams at 309-948-3519 Mask required inside bank per their guidelines



The Rock Shoppe

FARM DRAINAGE

Call Wes for all your white rock or river rock needs. Pick-up In Osceola or delivery available

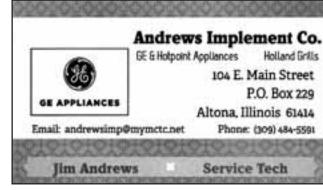
by dump truck or semi-loads.

I also do some small backhoe jobs. FREE ESTIMATES AND PRICES. THANK YOU FOR YOUR BUSINESS.

361-8453

Marshall-Stark Public Transportation

Call 309-364-2287 for regular schedule or to arrange individual transports. Operated by MSW Projects









Amber Waves









LEGAL ADS

Contindued from Page 10 mailing or delivering a petition to terminate to the clerk. You may obtain a copy of a Petition to Terminate Independent Administration form from the Clerk of Court at the above address.

E-filing is now mandatory for documents in civil cases with limited exemptions. To e-file, you must create an account with an e-filing service provider. Visit efile.illinoiscourts.gov/serviceproviders.htm to learn more and to select a service provider. If you additional help or have trouble e-filing, visit www.illinoiscourt.gov/faq/gethelp.asp, or talk with your local circuit clerk's office.

Dated this 10th day of December, 2021.

PATRICIA K. WALKER, (Independent Representative) By /S/ Robert H. Rennick, Sr.

THE RENNICK LAW FIRM, P.C. P.O. Box 430 Toulon, Illinois 61483 Telephone: (309) 286-5921 Facsimile: (309) 286-59721 Published 12/17, 12/24/21, 1/7/22

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT HENRY COUNTY, ILLINOIS

VILLAGE OF WOODHULL an Illinois municipal corporation, Plaintiff,

Case No. 2021-MR-243

MIGUEL GARCIA,

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION YOU, MIGUEL GARCIA, ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that this case has been commenced and is pending against you seeking to demolish the nuisance property at 240 W. 4th Ave, Woodhull, IL, and other relief.

UNLESS YOU FILE YOUR ANSWER or otherwise file your appearance in this case in the office of the Clerk of this Court, in the Henry County Courthouse at 307 West Center Street, Cambridge, Illinois, on or before January 17, 2021, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF ASKED IN THIS COMPLAINT

/S/ Terilyn Motley Clerk of Court Published 12/17, 12/24, 1/7/21

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT STARK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

• • •

Case Number 2021MR12

Public Notice is hereby given that on Feb. 4, 2022, at 9 a.m. in Court Room No. 1 at Stark County Courthouse, 130 W. Main St., Toulon, IL, 61483, I will have my petition heard in the said Court for the change of my name from Allysah Le-Ann Morris to that of Vaerminah Zhataea Shakur pusuant to the statute.

Dated December 14, 2021 at Toulon,

/S/ Allysah Le-Ann Morris

Published 12/24, 1/7, 1/14/21 ...

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT HENRY COUNTY, ILLINOIS Estate of

Aaron Eugene DeMay, deceased No. 2021-P-178

Notice is given of the death of Aaron Eugene DeMay. Letters of Office -Independent Administrator were issued on December 14, 2021, to Steve G. DeMay of 24299 East 2900 Street, Prophetstown, IL 61277, as Independent Administrator, whose attorney is Michael E. Massie, of Massie & Quick, 115 NW 3rd Avenue, Galva, IL 61434.

Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Henry County Circuit Clerk, Courthouse, Cambridge, Illinois 61238, or with the representative, or both, within six months from the date of first publication, the Bar date, and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within ten days after it has been filed.

Massie & Quick, LLC Attorneys for Estate 115 Northwest Third Avenue Galva, IL 61434 Telephone: (309) 932-2168 Published 12/24, 1/7, 1/14/21

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

		2		4		8		
	5		3			-		2
4		1			7		1	
	9			5				4
1			2				3	Г
		8			4	1		Г
= 1	4			6		7		Г
		7			5			9
9			8				2	

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: • • •

FOR ANSWERS **SEE PAGE 14**

CryptoQuote

AXYDLBAAXR

EZSBIV ZG. TFY BFWU LPTL XL'N JWXFJ LW EV T LCVHVFYWZN THWZFL WR UWCB, EZL

VHECTSV XL. - LWCQ EZCSP

1. SCIENCE: How long does it take for

light to travel from the Sun to Earth? 2. TELEVISION: Which correction used the catchohrase 'one ringle dingle, two ingle dingles' in a TV character 3. MEASUREMENTS: How many centimeters are equivalent to 100 inches? 4. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Who is the only

president to serve nonconsecutive 5. LANGUAGE: How many languages are spoken in the world today? 6 GOVERNMENT: Which branch of

making laws?
7. SPORTS: Which famous basepall

B. FOOD & DRINK: What type of food do the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turties love? 9. GEOGRAPHY: Which ocean does.

10. MATH: What is a prime number?

1. Eight minutes, 20 seconds Lily Tomin, as telephone operator Ernestri 3, 254

4. Grover Cleveland More than 7,000

6. The legislative branch - U.S. House and Senate

Whitey Ford Pizza

10. A number that is only divisible by itself and 1

2021 King Festows Sund., Inc.

TOP 10 MOVIES

1. Ereatto (PG)

2. Ghostbusters: Atteritte (PG-13) 3. House of Gucci (R)

4. Christmas With the Chosen: (NR) 5. Etentats (PG-13)

6. Resident Evil; Racoon City (R) 7. Dune: Part One (PG-13)

B. Clifford the Big Red Dog (PG)

9. King Richard (PG-13)

10. Sword Art Online: Progressive

Aria of a Starress Night (NR)

2021 King Feature Synd, Inc.

The Prairie News Sports

Holiday hoops ahead

Teams travel across state for post-Xmas games

By JEFF LAMPE

For The Prairie News

The Stark County boys basketball team struggled on the road last week, dropping a pair away from home. The Rebels (5-4) sandwiched a Dec. 18 home win over North Fulton (82-43) between losses at Brimfield on Dec. 15 (51-25) and Elmwood (72-47) on Tuesday.

Junior post player Joey Harmon had 23 points against North Fulton and Blake Orwig added 11 as SC dominated inside and had five players in double figures.

"I was very pleased with our scoring. We did not shoot 3-pointers well, but found other ways to score," Coach Dustin Browning said.

Harmon led against Elmwood with 10 points, but the Rebels gave up 34 points to Elmwood senior Andrew Marincic.

The loss at Brimfield came in the Indians' first game back in action since senior player Jacob Look died in a tragic drowning accident.

The Rebels play at the Cliff Warkins Memorial Classic tournament in Erie Dec. 27 and 29. SC plays two games on Dec. 27: facing Morrison at 1 p.m. and then playing against Fulton at 4 p.m. Games on Wednesday, Dec. 29, depend on how well the Rebels do in pool play on Dec. 27.

Galva Boys Basketball

The Wildcats lost to Sherrard last Saturday at the Great Western Shootout, 63-25, and then fell to Bureau Valley on Tuesday, 67-50

Galva is back in action at the Princeville Holiday Tournament as the No. 8 seed. The first game is Monday, Dec. 27, at 6:30 p.m. vs. top-seed Midland. Play continues Tuesday, Dec. 28.

Stark County Girls Basketball

The Lady Rebels (1-10) dropped a 53-42 decision at Lewistown on Monday.

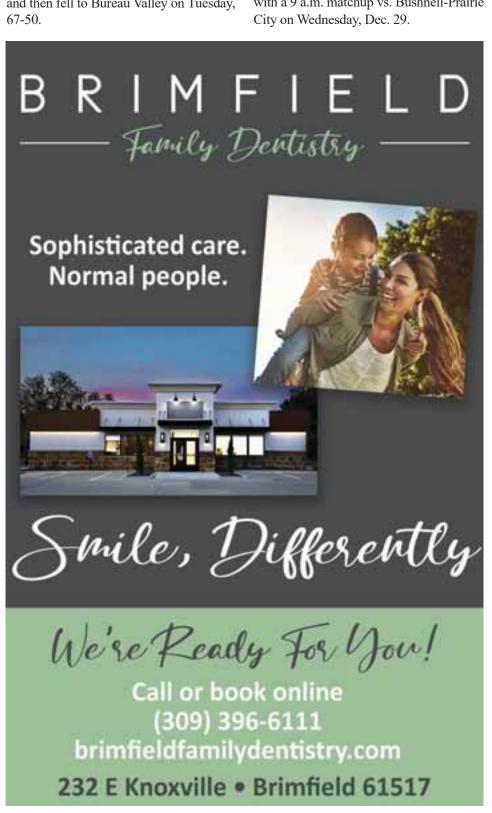
Stark County was to play Peoria Manual at home on Wednesday. The girls resume play Dec. 27-29 in Monticello at the Holiday Hoopla tournament, which was cancelled last year due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Stark County plays Monday, Dec. 27, at 3:30 p.m. vs. Tuscola and then has a doubleheader on Tuesday, Dec. 28: vs. Paxton-Buckley-Loda at 10 a.m. and vs. Ridgeview at 7:30 p.m. The game on Wednesday, Dec. 29, is determined by standings during pool play, with games starting at 10 a.m. and ending at 7:30 p.m.

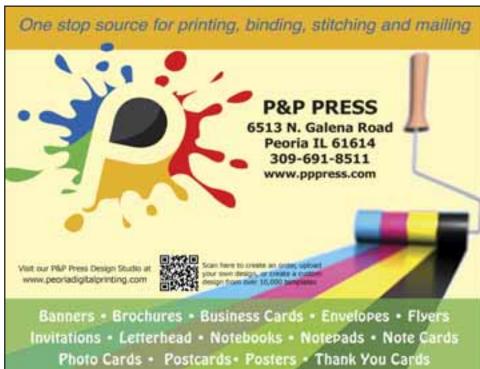
Galva Girls Basketball

After having several games cancelled, Galva resumed play on Monday with a win over DePue at home.

Galva will be back in action starting Monday, Dec. 27, vs. Midland in Princeville at the Lee Westerman Tournament. Galva plays two games on Tuesday, Dec. 28: vs. Elmwood at 9 a.m. and vs. Tremont at 4:30 p.m. Galva ends tourney play with a 9 a.m. matchup vs. Bushnell-Prairie City on Wednesday, Dec. 29









Minimum deposit of \$1,000 to open a CD. Pensity will be imposed for early withdrawal. Interest compounded monthly. Annual Percentage Yields accurate as of December 7, 2021

FDIC