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Few contested races locally for November election

By **JEFF LAMPE**
 For The Weekly Post

While Presidential campaigns grab headlines hourly, there's not so much buzz for the handful of contested local races as the Nov. 5 election draws closer.

The highest-profile race impacting local voters is in the 17th Congressional District between Democratic incumbent Rep. Eric Sorensen and Republican challenger Joe McGraw (see story below right).

State's attorney and coroner races are also scheduled for this election cycle and offer some



contests.

In the Peoria County state's attorney race, Democratic incumbent Jodi Hoos is facing challenger Robert W. Boucher, a Republican.

Hoos is seeking a second full term after being appointed to replace the late Jerry Brady in 2019.

Boucher is a trial attorney who grew up on the south side of Peoria and said one of his primary focuses is on crime and safety.

The coroner position is being contested in Knox and Fulton counties. In Knox County, voters will pick a successor to Coroner Mark Thomas, who opted not to run after 20 years in the position. Democrat Douglas A. Sampson is running against Republican Jacque Dare.

Sampson, 52, of Abingdon was a Knox County Sheriff's deputy from 1995-2017, has been a part-time police officer in Yates City

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and was EMS coordinator for Galesburg Cottage Hospital from 2017 until its closing in 2022.

Dare, of Galesburg, has worked as a patrol officer for the Knox County Sheriff's Office for the past 19 years.

In Fulton County, Cole Murphy

is the Republican challenger for coroner and is a longtime funeral director and embalmer with Sedgwick Funeral Homes.

Austin Rhodes was appointed as Fulton County coroner in August 2023 after the retirement of Steve Hines. Rhodes worked under Hines as deputy coroner and still serves as a part-time paramedic with the Fulton County Emergency Medical Association in Canton.

Four candidates are vying for two seats in District 3 of the Fulton County Board. Republican

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BUMPER CROP

Harvest is great, but not prices

By **JEFF LAMPE**
 For The Weekly Post

Harvest is going very well across central Illinois.

Dry conditions and mature crops have many farmers well ahead of the normal pace. Yields have so far been generally good, with most of the state's corn and soybean crop rated good or excellent.

But as is often the case in agriculture, there's always something to foul up a perfect fall. This year that something is low commodity prices, with typical per-bushel cash payments on Tuesday around \$3.90 for corn and \$9.85 for soybeans delivered to an elevator.

That's a far cry from the \$7 per bushel of corn back in 2022. But



As the sun set Monday, a farmer south of Williamsfield was still busy harvesting soybeans in Knox County. Photo by Jeff Lampe.

while prices for commodities have dropped in the past two years, the same is not true for inputs such as fertilizer, seed and chemicals.

"The price of inputs is up and the price of the crop is low," Tom Shissler of Elmwood said Tuesday while combining beans in Mason County. "You've got about four bucks in the crop in corn (per

bushel) and right at \$10 in beans. If you're cash renting, you've got all of that in it. If you own the ground, it's a little different."

That combination has farmers lamenting what shapes up as a difficult year despite a strong crop that should be out of the field in a timely manner — unless storage

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Congressional race

Incumbent Sorensen faces challenge

By **NICK VLAHOS**
 For The Weekly Post

Competitive races for the 17th Congressional District seat are typical. This year appears no different, despite an incumbent being one of the candidates.

U.S. Rep. Eric Sorensen is running for a second two-year term in the House. The Democrat from Moline is facing Joe McGraw, a Republican from Rockford who is a retired judge and former prosecutor.

The C-shaped 17th District extends from Rockford to the Quad Cities, then south to Galesburg before it snakes to Peoria and Bloomington-Normal. Local communities in the district include Elmwood, Farmington, Galva, Oak Run, Williamsfield and Yates City.

Sorensen first won election in 2022, when he defeated Republican Esther Joy King 52% to 48%. Close margins are typical in the 17th, which was re-configured after the 2020 U.S. Census. Sorensen's 10-year predecessor, Cheri Bustos, beat King by a similar result in 2020.

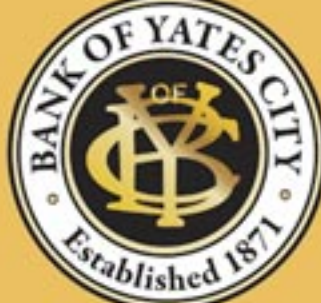
In 2024, The Cook Political Report and Sabato's Crystal Ball rate the 17th District race as leaning Democratic. That means the Democrats have a small edge, but the race is competitive. It's among about 40 races the National Republican Congressional Committee has targeted.

Before he became a Congressman, Sorensen was a television meteorologist in Rockford and the Quad Cities.

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CONGRESS: McGraw retired as judge in 2023

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"I earned the trust of my neighbors by telling the truth every day and keeping our communities safe from severe weather," Sorensen told WTTW-TV in Chicago. "I am running for re-election to continue to be a trusted voice for my neighbors on the issues that impact their everyday lives."

Among first-term accomplishments Sorensen cited were working to help re-open the Chrysler Belvidere Assembly Plant. He supported legislation to preserve jobs at the Rock

Island Arsenal and to increase funding for local law enforcement and substance-abuse treatment.

Sorensen also supports national abortion-rights legislation and increases in Social Security benefits for senior citizens. He serves on the House Agriculture Committee and the Science, Space and Technology Committee.

Referred to in his campaign materials as "Judge Joe," McGraw served 20-some years on the felony division of the Illinois 17th Judicial Circuit Court. He retired in 2023.

"Instead of going to Florida, like a lot of other Illinoisans, I decided to stick around and fight the fight in the 17th," McGraw told WQAD-TV in Moline. "Being on the bench all those years, I saw lots of the effects of the Biden open-border policy – worse each year."

Efforts to build a border wall and expand border controls are among McGraw's priorities. He also supports banning legislators from becoming lobbyists, as well as a more aggressive policy toward China. He opposes a national right-to-work law; he believes that is a state issue, not a federal one.

McGraw and his wife, Gail, have five children.

According to his website, McGraw's endorsees include Knox County Sheriff Jack Harlan, Fulton County Sheriff Jon Webb, Elmwood Police Chief Aaron Bean and Farmington Mayor Kenn Stufflebeam.

In the neighboring 16th District, incumbent U.S. Rep. Darin LaHood is running unopposed for his fifth two-year term. LaHood is a Republican from Peoria.

The 16th District extends from the far-north end of Peoria to the Wisconsin border and east-northeast to the Pontiac area. Local communities in the district include Brimfield, Princeville, Kickapoo, Toulon and Wyoming.

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THE WEEK AHEAD

This Week's Hot Picks

- **Sausage Dinner** – St. Mary's of Kickapoo has its sausage dinner on Sunday, Oct. 6, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. All-you-can-eat buffet or carry out.
- **Spoon River Drive** – The annual Spoon River Scenic Drive is Oct. 5-6 and 12-13 at various stops in Fulton County along a 100-mile route. Those spots include two locations in Farmington (Reed Park and the Farmington Moose Lodge), and 22 other locations that range from Smithfield, Canton, Lewis-town, Duncan Mills, Ipava and Astoria to Bernadotte. The drive dates back to 1968.

This Week's Events

- **Book Group** – Book group meets today, Oct. 3, at 6:30 p.m. at Morrison & Mary Wiley Library in Elmwood to discuss "My Friend Anne Frank: by Hannah Pick-Goslar.
- **Stoller Staff** – State Sen. Win Stoller's staff will visit Lillie M. Evans Library in Princeville on Monday, Oct. 7, from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. to assist people with state-government matters.
- **Community Luncheon** – Union Church of Brimfield has its community luncheon on Tuesday, Oct. 8, serving ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, drink and dessert. \$7. Menu changes monthly.
- **Yoga** – Yoga classes Thursdays, 6 p.m. in Brimfield Library Activity Room. \$4. Classes also on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9:30 a.m. at Princeville's Lillie M. Evans Library.

Future Events

- **Pottery Festival** – Bishop Hill Pottery Festival is Oct. 12 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the north side of the park. Call Jeff at (309) 883-1035.
- **Food Pantry** – Farmington has a drive-thru food pantry the third Wednesday each month, 12:30-1:30 p.m. at New Hope Fellowship Church on Illinois Route 78. Call (309) 231-8076.
- **Harvest Home** – Harvest Home fundraiser dinner is Oct. 17 at Yates City Community Center, 4:30-6:30 p.m. Beef and noodles, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, roll, dessert and drink. \$13. Dine in or carry out.
- **Food Pantry** – Elmwood United Methodist Church has a food pantry the last Friday each month, 10-11 a.m.
- **MANNA Meal** – The monthly MANNA meal at Elmwood United Methodist Church, 821 W. Main St., is the last Thursday of each month at noon.

The Weekly Post Seven-Day Forecast

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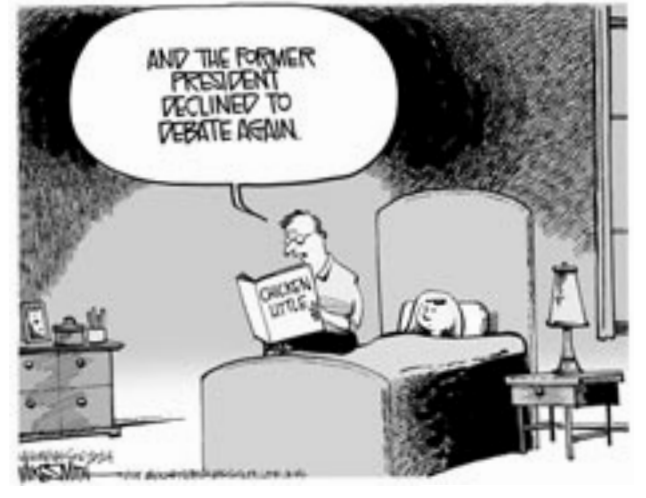
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-Otto von Bismarck

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GUEST VOICES



Voting red is the best way to go this year

To the Editor:

This is response to George Tanner's letter to the editor printed in the Sept. 26 edition.

George, I have read your editorial and with that being said, perhaps "Make America Affordable Again" would be a good red- or blue-hat slogan. I too have been a Democrat in the past. It is my belief right now in America there is very little difference in who is red or blue.

I also believe most of our government and three-letter agencies are all corrupt and hopefully we will see proof of that soon.

But ... having Kamala Harris as our leader is not the answer.

I agree that Donald Trump is most likely a narcissist and no, I'm not fond of hearing him brag over and over about himself. But the man did not hurt our economy, employment, oil prices or cost of living in general. We did not send our young people off to fight non-sensible wars like in the past.

And we should never, ever shut our country down again as we watched businesses go under, our youngsters being locked away from learning, socializing and all of the things that make America great.

It is not my intention to argue who you like or dislike, it is about



leadership, and I think red is the best choice this November.

- Jane Clark, Yates City

Sometimes it's all just how you spin things

To the Editor:

We live in a world where groups accuse each other of stating falsehoods. Many times they are omissions of pertinent materials to make the information fit the needs of the writer/speaker. I offer Tale A and Tale B about a man I know well.

Tale A

An octogenarian occupies the second floor of a two-level home in Elmwood. He must climb 16 stairs to reach his living area. His home has two bedrooms, one-and-a-half baths, kitchen, dining and living area - it is not small.

He owns two cars - a 1998 with 132,000 miles and a 2007 that will soon pass 278,000 miles.

He works most weeks Monday

through Friday, has a pension and collects Social Security, is healthy and prepares 90% of his meals each month.

He enjoys adult beverages.

Tale B

An 83-year-old man owns and lives in a large home in Elmwood. He mostly occupies the upstairs area and he must climb 16 stairs to get from the driveway to his living area.

He walks almost one-and-a-half miles every morning when it is not slick out, and he chooses to work Monday through Friday most weeks when he is not traveling. He owns two cars - a 1998 Mercedes Benz SLK 230 Roadster and a 2007 Mercedes Benz E350 Sedan.

He is financially solvent. He chooses to cook 90% of his meals each month. He drinks more than is recommended by most medical people.

I know this man well. Everything said about A and B is true. It just depends on what you choose to tell to make your point. It is selective, not lying.

There rarely is one "truth."

- Dimitri Beres, Elmwood

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ELECTION: Judge race contested in Peoria Co.

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 candidates are Andy Steck and Susie Berry. Democrats are Meredith Hinchee and Lisa Thompson, who is currently on the county board.

Knox County also has contested races for the county board. In District 5, Democrat Paul Steenis is running against incumbent Republicans Ricardo "Rick" Sandoval and Patty Boone for two spots.

In District 4, Democrat Oscar Riley Jr. is running against the incumbent, Republican Joshua E. Kramer, for one spot.

Another contested race in Peoria County pits Democrat John M. Spears against Frank W. Ierulli to fill the vacancy left by Michael D. Risinger as a judge of the circuit Court of the 10th Judicial Circuit.

Early voting in Peoria County

PEORIA – Early voting is being offered through Nov. 5 at the Peoria County Election Commission, 4422 Bradywine Dr. Other early-voting locations include (all times 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.):

- Oct. 21 at Princeville's Lillie M. Evans

Ierulli has served as a circuit judge since being appointed to replace Risinger on Dec. 1, 2022.

Ierulli has been an associate judge in the 10th Judicial Circuit since 2016.

Spears has been an assistant public defender in Tazewell County since 2021 and was assistant state's attorney in Peoria County from 2015-21.

Voters will also have a

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- Oct. 22 at Hanna City United Methodist Church.
- Oct. 23 at Brimfield Public Library.
- Oct. 28 at Elmwood United Methodist Church.
- Oct. 29 at Kickapoo Township Hall.

chance to voice opinions on three statewide advisory questions. Under state law, there can be three questions placed on the ballot each election cycle. No matter how the vote goes, the questions do not guarantee any future legislation and lawmakers do not have to pass bills approved via advisory questions.

Here are the three questions:

- Should any candidate appearing on the Illinois ballot for federal, state or local office be subject to civil penalties if the candidate interferes or attempts to interfere with an election worker's official duties?

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••• IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT PEORIA COUNTY, ILLINOIS

LAKEVIEW LOAN SERVICING, LLC,
PLAINTIFF,
VS.

ANNA L PARKER A/K/A ANNA LYNN
PARKER A/K/A ANNA LYNN HAM
A/K/A ANNA PARKER A/K/A ANNA L
HAM; BUSEY BANK; ILLINOIS
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT AU-
THORITY; UNKNOWN OWNERS
AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS,
DEFENDANTS.

NO. 24 FC 000037
2608 WEST WESTMINISTER AVENUE
PEORIA, IL 61604

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO
JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE
UNDER ILLINOIS MORTGAGE
FORECLOSURE ACT

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment
of Foreclosure and Sale entered by
the Court in the above entitled cause
on June 5, 2024, will on October 28,
2024, in ROOM 203 OF THE
COURTHOUSE, 324 MAIN STREET,
PEORIA, IL 61602, at 8:30 AM, sell
at public auction and sale to the
highest bidder for cash, all and sin-
gular, the following described real
estate mentioned in said Judgment,
situated in the County of Peoria,
State of Illinois, or so much thereof
as shall be sufficient to satisfy said
Judgment:

TAX NO. 14-31-378-001
COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 2608
West Westminister Avenue
Peoria, IL 61604

Description of Improvements: The
property is a single family. The
property has a one car garage. The
garage is attached. The exterior is
vinyl siding. The color is tan. The
property does not have a fence. The
property is occupied.

The Judgment amount was
\$52,453.36.

Sale Terms: This is an "AS IS" sale
for "CASH". The successful bidder
must deposit 10% down by certified
funds; balance, by certified funds,
within 24 hours. NO REFUNDS.
The subject property is subject to
general real estate taxes, special as-
sessments or special taxes levied
against said real estate, water bills,
etc., and is offered for sale without
any representation as to quality or
quantity of title and without recourse
to plaintiff. The sale is further sub-
ject to confirmation by the court.

Upon payment in full of the bid
amount, the purchaser shall receive
a Certificate of Sale, which will en-
title the purchaser to a Deed to the
real estate after confirmation of the
sale.

The property will NOT be open for
inspection. Prospective bidders are
admonished to check the court file
to verify all information.

The successful purchaser has the
sole responsibility/expense of evic-
ting any tenants or other individuals
presently in possession of the sub-
ject premises.

If this property is a condominium
unit, the purchaser of the unit at the
foreclosure sale, other than a mort-
gagee shall pay the assessments
and the legal fees required by The
Condominium Property Act, 765
ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4).

IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR
(HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE
RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION
FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN
ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN AC-
CORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-
1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW.

For Information: Visit our website
at <http://ifforeclosuresales.mrpllc.com>.

Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only -
McCalla Raymer Leibert Pierce, LLC,
Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 N. Dearborn
St., Suite 1200, Chicago, IL 60602.
Tel. No. (312) 346-9088. Please
refer to file# 22-10347IL

PURSUANT TO THE FAIR DEBT
COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT, THE
PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY IS
DEEMED TO BE A DEBT COLLEC-
TOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A
DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION
WILL BE USED FOR THAT PUR-
POSE.

Plaintiff's attorney is not required
to provide additional information
other than that set forth in this no-
tice of sale.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
PEORIA COUNTY, ILLINOIS
WILMINGTON SAVINGS FUND SO-

CIETY, FSB, NOT IN ITS INDIVID-
UAL CAPACITY BUT SOLELY AS
OWNER TRUSTEE OF THE ASPEN G
TRUST, A DELAWARE STATUTORY
TRUST,
PLAINTIFF,
VS.

MONICA PATTON; RONALD E
DOUGLAS A/K/A RONALD DOUG-
LAS; NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE
LLC; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND
NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, DEFEN-
DANTS.

NO. 23 FC 0000242
19205 PRINCEVILLE JUBILEE
ROAD PRINCEVILLE, IL 61559

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO
JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE
UNDER ILLINOIS MORTGAGE
FORECLOSURE ACT

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment
of Foreclosure and Sale entered by
the Court in the above entitled cause
on July 3, 2024, will on October 28,
2024, in ROOM 203 OF THE
COURTHOUSE, 324 MAIN STREET,
PEORIA, IL 61602, at 8:30 AM, sell
at public auction and sale to the
highest bidder for cash, all and sin-
gular, the following described real
estate mentioned in said Judgment,
situated in the County of Peoria,
State of Illinois, or so much thereof
as shall be sufficient to satisfy said
Judgment:

TAX NO. 02-24-300-007
COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 19205
Princeville Jubilee Road
Princeville, IL 61559

Description of Improvements: The
property is a single family. The
property has no garage. The exterior
is vinyl siding. The color is gray. The
property does not have a fence. The
property is occupied.

The Judgment amount was
\$43,095.30.

Sale Terms: This is an "AS IS" sale
for "CASH". The successful bidder
must deposit 10% down by certified
funds; balance, by certified funds,
within 24 hours. NO REFUNDS.

The subject property is subject to
general real estate taxes, special as-
sessments or special taxes levied
against said real estate, water bills,
etc., and is offered for sale without
any representation as to quality or
quantity of title and without recourse
to plaintiff. The sale is further sub-
ject to confirmation by the court.

Upon payment in full of the bid
amount, the purchaser shall receive
a Certificate of Sale, which will en-
title the purchaser to a Deed to the
real estate after confirmation of the
sale.

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ting any tenants or other individuals
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ject premises.

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foreclosure sale, other than a mort-
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and the legal fees required by The
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ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4).

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE
10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
PEORIA COUNTY
PEORIA, ILLINOIS

NewRez LLC d/b/a Shellpoint Mort-
gage Servicing
PLAINTIFF

Vs.
Bobby Edwards; et. al.
DEFENDANTS
No. 2024-FC-0000011
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF
REAL ESTATE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment
of Foreclosure and Sale entered in
the above cause on 07/24/2024, the
Sheriff of Peoria County, Illinois will
on November 6, 2024 at the hour of
1:00 PM at Peoria County Court-
house 324 Main Street, Courtroom
203 Peoria, IL 61602, or in a place
otherwise designated at the time of
sale, County of Peoria and State of
Illinois, sell at public auction to the
highest bidder for cash, as set forth
below, the following described real
estate:

PIN 17-25-126-013
Improved with Residential
COMMONLY KNOWN AS:
5907 S Monroe Ave
Bartonville, IL 61607

Sale terms: 10% down of the
highest bid by certified funds at the
close of the auction; The balance, in-
cluding the Judicial sale fee for
Abandoned Residential Property
Municipality Relief Fund, which is
calculated at the rate of \$1 for each
\$1,000 or fraction thereof of the
amount paid by the purchaser not to
exceed \$300, in certified funds, is
due within twenty-four (24) hours.
The subject property is subject to
general real estate taxes, special as-
sessments, or special taxes levied
against said real estate and is of-
fered for sale without any represen-
tation as to quality or quantity of title
and without recourse to Plaintiff and
in "AS IS" condition. The sale is
further subject to confirmation by
the court.

If the property is a condominium
and the foreclosure takes place after
1/1/2007, purchasers other than the
mortgagees will be required to pay
any assessment and legal fees due
under The Condominium Property
Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and
(g)(4).

If the property is located in a com-
mon interest community, pur-
chasers other than mortgagees will
be required to pay any assessment
and legal fees due under the Condo-
minium Property Act, 765 ILCS
605/18.5(g-1).

If the sale is set aside for any rea-
son, the Purchaser at the sale shall
be entitled only to a return of the de-
posit paid. The Purchaser shall have
no further recourse against the
Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the
Mortgagee's attorney.

Upon payment in full of the
amount bid, the purchaser shall re-
ceive a Certificate of Sale, which will
entitle the purchaser to a Deed to
the real estate after Confirmation of
the sale. The successful purchaser
has the sole responsibility/expense
of evicting any tenants or other in-
dividuals presently in possession of
the subject premises.

The property will NOT be open for
inspection and Plaintiff makes no
representation as to the condition of
the property. Prospective bidders
are admonished to check the Court
file to verify all information.

IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR
(HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE
RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION
FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN
ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN AC-
CORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-
1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW.

For information: Examine the court
file or contact Plaintiff's attorney:

Codilis & Associates, P.C., 15W030
North Frontage Road, Suite 100,
Burr Ridge, IL 60527, (630) 794-
9876. Please refer to file number 14-
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE
10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
PEORIA COUNTY
PEORIA, ILLINOIS

NewRez LLC d/b/a Shellpoint Mort-
gage Servicing
PLAINTIFF

Vs.
Megan McCully; et. al.
DEFENDANTS

No. 2023-FC-0000262
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF
REAL ESTATE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment
of Foreclosure and Sale entered in
the above cause on 07/24/2024, the
Sheriff of Peoria County, Illinois will
on November 6, 2024 at the hour of
1:00 PM at Peoria County Court-

house
324 Main Street, Courtroom 203
Peoria, IL 61602, or in a place other-
wise designated at the time of sale,
County of Peoria and State of Illi-
nois, sell at public auction to the
highest bidder for cash, as set forth
below, the following described real
estate:
PIN 05-20-155-014

Improved with Residential
COMMONLY KNOWN AS:
1408 N Wilson Ave
Chillicothe, IL 61523

Sale terms: 10% down of the
highest bid by certified funds at the
close of the auction; The balance, in-
cluding the Judicial sale fee for
Abandoned Residential Property
Municipality Relief Fund, which is
calculated at the rate of \$1 for each
\$1,000 or fraction thereof of the
amount paid by the purchaser not to
exceed \$300, in certified funds, is
due within twenty-four (24) hours.
The subject property is subject to
general real estate taxes, special as-
sessments, or special taxes levied
against said real estate and is of-
fered for sale without any represen-
tation as to quality or quantity of title
and without recourse to Plaintiff and
in "AS IS" condition. The sale is
further subject to confirmation by
the court.

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and the foreclosure takes place after
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mortgagees will be required to pay
any assessment and legal fees due
under The Condominium Property
Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and
(g)(4).

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mon interest community, pur-
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and legal fees due under the Condo-
minium Property Act, 765 ILCS
605/18.5(g-1).

If the sale is set aside for any rea-
son, the Purchaser at the sale shall
be entitled only to a return of the de-
posit paid. The Purchaser shall have
no further recourse against the
Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the
Mortgagee's attorney.

Upon payment in full of the
amount bid, the purchaser shall re-
ceive a Certificate of Sale, which will
entitle the purchaser to a Deed to
the real estate after Confirmation of
the sale. The successful purchaser
has the sole responsibility/expense
of evicting any tenants or other in-
dividuals presently in possession of
the subject premises.

The property will NOT be open for
inspection and Plaintiff makes no
representation as to the condition of
the property. Prospective bidders
are admonished to check the Court
file to verify all information.

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(HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE
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FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN
ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN AC-
CORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-
1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW.

For information: Examine the court
file or contact Plaintiff's attorney:

Codilis & Associates, P.C., 15W030
North Frontage Road, Suite 100,
Burr Ridge, IL 60527, (630) 794-
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
COUNTY OF Peoria
Peoria, ILLINOIS

FREEDOM MORTGAGE CORPORA-
TION
Plaintiff

vs.
THOMAS P. DOERING SR; DARLA
G. DOERING; THOMAS P. DOE-
RING, JR; UNKNOWN OWNERS
AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendant

23 FC 173
CALENDAR

NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS hereby given
that pursuant to a Judgment of Fore-
closure entered in the above entitled
cause Intercounty Judicial Sales Cor-
poration will on November 6, 2024,
at the hour 9:00 a.m., Miller, Hall &
Triggs, LLC, 416 Main Street, Suite
1125, Peoria, IL 61602, sell to the
highest bidder for cash, the following
described mortgaged real estate:

P.I.N. 09-02-251-006.
Commonly known as 15823
McCabe Dr., Chillicothe, IL
61523.

The real estate is: single family res-
idence. If the subject mortgaged real

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detached garage with automatic doors and concrete
floor, vinyl siding, beautiful original woodwork are all
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condition without any warranties expressed or
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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- The successful bidder shall be required to enter into a standard purchase agreement with 10% of the purchase price due on or before 30 days from the date of the sale, when possession will be given.
- The seller shall provide a title insurance policy in the amount of the purchase price of the real estate.
- Real estate taxes will be prorated to the date of possession.
- All announcements made the day of the sale take precedence over any previously printed advertised terms or conditions.
- The subject real estate and improvements are being sold in strictly: AS IS, WHERE IS condition without any representation of warranties expressed or implied.
- This information is believed to be accurate. However, we strongly urge all prospective buyers to thoroughly research all pertinent data and to draw their own conclusions.

LaFayette Methodist Church - Seller
Larry Meaker Chairman of Trustees
Reynolds "Rip" Everett Sr. Attorney for Seller Barash & Everett LLC
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other than a mortgagee shall pay the
assessments required by subsection
(g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condo-
minium Property Act. Sale terms: At
sale, the bidder must have 10%
down by certified funds, balance
within 24 hours, by certified funds.

No refunds. The property will NOT be
open for inspection. Prospective bid-
ders are admonished to check the
court file to verify all information.

For information call Sales Depart-
ment at Plaintiff's Attorney, Robert-
son, Anschutz, Schneid, Crane &
Partners, PLLC, 205 North Michigan
Avenue, Suite 810, Chicago, Illinois
60601. (708) 668-4410 ext. 52109.
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
COUNTY OF Peoria
Peoria, ILLINOIS

PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIA-
TION
Plaintiff

vs.
S. LINN PERKINS, AS SPECIAL
REPRESENTATIVE FOR CAROLA
JAMES, MICHAELS. HAMILTON,
LANIE HAMILTON, ZACHERY HAM-
ILTON, UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEG-
ATEES OF CAROLA JAMES,
UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-
RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendant

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
COUNTY OF Peoria
Peoria, ILLINOIS

PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIA-
TION
Plaintiff

vs.
S. LINN PERKINS, AS SPECIAL
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LANIE HAMILTON, ZACHERY HAM-
ILTON, UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEG-
ATEES OF CAROLA JAMES,
UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-
RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendant

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000 Evans Mill Rd, Edwards, IL 61528
 This parcel of land includes a farm with mostly warsaw loam and proctor silt loam soils. This farm offers 50 +/- acres of tillable ground with a PI of 120.8. Also offered on this property is world class whitetail hunting along with turkey hunting. With Kickapoo Creek access as well, this is an amazing property that has great return. **\$745,056**

000 Knox Rd 750 E, London Mills, IL
 Located just west of London Mills, these two tracts add up to 99.08 +/- acres of tillable land. West tract is 47.08 acres and a PI of 132.4. East tract is 52 acres and a PI of 124.5. The 2 tracts can be separated. **\$1,337,680**

000 90th St, Monmouth, IL 36.49 acres consisting of 14 acres tillable, pasture ground and timber. This property offers a little bit of everything. The layout of this property would make for a great building site, while allowing income from row crops or cattle. **\$251,781**

000 Knox Rd 1350 E, Dahinda, IL 61428 PRICE REDUCED
 10 acres consisting of grass and timber with 2 buildings already on property. Great property to build a home and enjoy everything the outdoors have to offer. **\$230,000**

000 Bartholomew LN, Elmwood, IL PRICE REDUCED
 Great sloping pasture offers great build sites with opportunity to make an income with hay or livestock. Lake on property offers water year round that had been used for bird hunting in the past. **\$777,443**

000 N. RT. 8 & RT 78, Elmwood, IL 13.61 acres bordering the Elmwood Country Club. Parcel subdivided into 18 separate lots for a subdivision offering country feel along the golf course. **\$220,000**

2515 US HWY 67, Monmouth SOLD

000 Whittaker Rd, Brimfield PENDING

12325 N Deford Rd, Dunlap PENDING

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LANDGUYS
 Andrew Huber 309-403-1183
 Don Wagner 309-335-2894
 Andrew@landguys.com

PUBLIC RECORD

NOTE: Charges are merely an accusation. All suspects are presumed innocent until proven guilty.

Police reports

• **PEORIA** – A fugitive who sparked a massive manhunt in northern and western Peoria County last month returned Monday, this time under arrest.

Victor E. Farris, 45, of Cincinnati was booked into the Peoria County Jail shortly before 10 p.m. He is accused of aggravated vehicle hijacking, kidnapping and unlawful possession of a stolen motor vehicle.

Peoria County Sheriff's Office representatives traveled Monday to Albia, Iowa, to take Farris into custody. Farris was arrested Sept. 16 in Albia after he fled the Peoria area, where he was accused of stealing a vehicle in which a child was riding.

Sheriff Chris Watkins wasn't sure when Farris might appear in Peoria County Circuit Court. He also is wanted by law-enforcement authorities in Woodford County and in Hendricks County, Ind.

• **OAK RUN** – Almost \$600 raised to benefit a youth-softball team was reported stolen. The alleged theft from an Oak Run-area woman took place between Sept. 6 and about 10:45 a.m. Sept. 9, according to a Knox County Sheriff's Office report. Missing from separate envelopes was \$555 in cash and a \$10 check.

According to the victim, a folder that contained the envelopes was found on a gravel road near Gilson, where she had been Sept. 6. The victim retrieved the folder, but the money was not inside the envelopes. The victim mentioned a possible suspect, but no arrest had been made.

• **WILLIAMSFIELD** – A two-vehicle crash in Williamsfield resulted in an Elmwood woman receiving multiple citations.

Shortly after 2 a.m. Sept. 15, Jenna M. Smith, 32, was driving a 2019 Jeep Wrangler north on Oak Street when at Gale Street it struck the front of an eastbound 2002 Buick Park Avenue. Dylan B. Tucker, 20, of Williamsfield was the other driver. The Wrangler had not stopped as marked at the intersection.

The Wrangler then turned east on Gale Street, according to Knox County Sheriff's Office reports. Tucker followed the vehicle.

Both vehicles stopped at Knox Highway 18 and Knox Road 2100 East. Tucker exited his vehicle and attempted to speak with Smith. She did not respond, then drove away at high speed, according to a report. A deputy located Smith a few hours later at her residence.

Smith was cited for improper turning and for failure to remain at the scene of an accident. Neither driver required medical attention, and neither vehicle required a tow.

• **GALESBURG** – A Williamsfield-area man was accused of possessing cannabis illegally, among other offenses.

Johnathon C. Whiffen, 20, was driving a 2018 Ford Fiesta when a Knox County Sheriff's Office deputy stopped it shortly before 11:30 p.m. Sept. 11 in the 300 block of Lombard St. in Galesburg. The deputy saw Whiffen make an illegal U-turn and fail to use a turn signal.

The deputy noticed a raw-cannabis odor emanating from the vehicle, a sheriff's-office report stated. A search revealed a baggie of pot in the vehicle center console, as well as a glass smoking pipe and a glass jar that contained an orange, sticky substance suspected to be THC.

Whiffen was cited for illegal possession of less than 30 grams of cannabis, failure to signal when required, making an illegal U-turn and operating an uninsured motor vehicle. The vehicle was impounded.

• **KICKAPOO** – An Iowa man acknowledged he failed to pay for gasoline at a Kickapoo-area station. He promised to make restitution.

The incident was reported about 9:30 a.m. Sept. 10 at Fast Stop, 7116 N. Kickapoo-Edwards Rd. An attendant there said a customer split his fuel purchase into two transactions but failed to pay for the second one, according to a Peoria County Sheriff's Office report.

Security video revealed the man paid for the first purchase, then returned to his 2019 Ford F-350 pickup truck to pump more gas, then left after a visit to the restroom. When contacted later, the driver said a cell-phone conversation distracted him. The fuel was valued at \$62.80.

• **DAHINDA** – A Williamsfield woman reported her Dahinda-area boyfriend punched her and knocked her to the ground, authorities said.

The alleged incident happened about 8 p.m. Sept. 10 at a residence in the 2000 block of Knox Road 1400 North. The 40-year-old victim said the 41-year-old suspect had asked her to remove her property from his residence. A verbal altercation ensued, then an apparent physical one.

A deputy noted the victim had a swollen left hand and bruises around both eyes, as well as scratches on her face and red marks on her neck. The deputy photographed the apparent victim and recommended the Knox County State's Attorney's Office consider charges against the man.

• **YATES CITY** – A Yates City woman who was an unwanted guest at a local residence apparently was wanted by authorities.

Knox County Sheriff's Office deputies were summoned about 12:15 a.m. Sept. 6 to the 400 block of S. Dixon St. The 57-year-old resident said an intoxicated woman identified later as 34-year-old Megan E. Melton visited him earlier. He knew her only as the girlfriend of another man, according to a report.

A search of the resident's property didn't turn up Melton, who deputies discovered was wanted in Knox County for an unspecified crime. She

was later located at Main and Union streets and was taken into custody.

• **WILLIAMSFIELD** – A Williamsfield-area man was accused of hitting his mother in the back of her head and throwing her to the ground.

Dallas R. Hulse, 27, was arrested about 12:15 a.m. Sept. 5 at a residence in the 2000 block of Knox Road 2150 East. According to a Knox County Sheriff's Office report, Hulse and the 56-year-old victim were arguing because he accidentally set afire a table.

Hulse admitted to grabbing the victim by the neck and striking her. He was charged with domestic battery and transported to the Knox County Jail in Galesburg.

• **YATES CITY** – Various items, including tools and miniature collectible vehicles, were reported stolen from garages in Yates City and Douglas. The same person, a 57-year-old man, owns both garages, according to a Knox County Sheriff's Office report. Missing from a garage in the 400 block of S. Dixon St. in Yates City were the toy-sized vehicles.

Missing from a garage in the 400 block of Third St. in Douglas were a Sears riding lawnmower, a Cub Cadet mower and two Craftsman tool boxes, among other things. The overhead garage door also was damaged. The incidents were reported about 3:15 p.m. Sept. 4.

No dollar value regarding the missing items was reported. The victim identified a suspect, but no arrest had been made.

• **PRINCEVILLE** – A driver swerved to avoid an animal, but his vehicle ended up destroying a mailbox in front of a residence south of Princeville.

Andrew J. Hubbard of Norwood was driving south in his work vehicle, a 2019 Ford Transit van, shortly after 12:30 p.m. Aug. 17 in the 13200 block of N. Princeville-Jubilee Rd. when the unidentified animal ran onto the pavement, according to a Peoria County Sheriff's Office report.

Hubbard wasn't injured. The vehicle sustained damage to its passenger-side front bumper but was drivable.

• **FARMINGTON** – Jeffrey L. Sale Jr., 53, of Farmington was arrested shortly before 6 p.m. Sept. 4 on an outstanding Fulton County warrant for failure to appear in court regarding a disorderly-conduct charge, according to a Farmington Police Department report. Sale was transported to the Fulton County Jail in Lewistown.

• **EDWARDS** – George W. Morefield, 55, of Edwards was arrested shortly after 11 a.m. Sept. 27 and accused of failure to appear in court, according to the Peoria County Sheriff's Office.

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There are various tools and ideas available for organizations, business owners, government officials and local citizens to use that can help rural communities boost their tourism.

Join University of Illinois Extension, the City of Elmwood and the Elmwood Development Association on Oct. 15 at 6 p.m. at Elmwood High School for a workshop designed to help local communities better market their tourism asset.

Rural tourism activities have been shown to foster local entrepreneurship, reverse the outmigration of young adults, provide local workforce opportunities and expand economic opportunities in rural communities.

Furthermore, a recent

study indicates that “recreation-dependent counties grew more than twice as fast as the nation overall and the Midwest’s recreation counties mirrored this trend.

Leading the discussion will be Pam Schallhorn, an extension specialist in community and economic development. She will discuss ways to create effective tourism marketing campaigns that reach different generations as well as provide insights into identifying target markets and the importance of dig-

ital marketing.

Richard Proffer, and extension educator in community and economic development, will introduce a recent study completed by University of Illinois and Illinois Extension: “I-Rural: Reimagining Illinois Rural Tourism.”

Resources handed out at the meeting will include the rural tourism toolkit that allows communities and organizations to better understand and promote their communities, as well as an updated grant re-

source guide.

Register for the event at go.illinois.edu/Marketing-Tourism.

There is no charge to attend this session. A networking session will be held at the high school immediately following the workshop. For questions about the program, contact Schallhorn at pscha2@illinois.edu.

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Knox Co. to auction 115 properties

GALESBURG – Knox County will offer approximately 115 properties through a sealed-bid auction.

Knox County, acting as trustee, has completed its tax deed proceedings on real estate properties that were delinquent for 2020 and prior real estate taxes. As a result, those properties will now be offered for sale to the general public.

All sealed, written bids are due by the close of business on Oct. 25 in the Knox County Treasurer's Office, located in the Knox County Courthouse, 200 S. Cherry Street.

All online bids must be submitted via www.iltax-salebids.com no later than the close of business on Oct. 25.

County officials hope the sale of these lots will benefit benefit taxing districts and neighboring property owners. By eliminating abandoned properties, the appearance of the neighborhood should improve and the value of adjoining properties should increase.

The required minimum bid is \$832 per item. All items will be sold to the highest sealed bid received on or before Oct. 25.

Complete bidder's packets and sale catalogs are now available at the

Knox County Treasurer's Office or online at www.iltaxsale.com.

For more sale information, contact the auction sale department of the Knox County Tax Agent's

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OBITUARIES

Gregory G. Perham

EDELSTEIN – Gregory Gene “Greg” Perham, 70, of Edelstein, ended his hard-fought eight-year battle with cancer at 6 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 26, 2024, at Carle Health Methodist Hospital in Peoria, at which time he entered into eternity with his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. He was surrounded by family.



Perham

He was born on Feb. 24, 1954, the oldest son of David Lee Perham and Wilma Jean (Baer) Perham. Greg married Christine “Chris” Crull on Aug. 30, 1975, in Peoria. She survives.

Greg is also survived by his three children, Matthew (Jennifer) Perham of Laura, Faith (Steve) Gray of Glasford and Joni (David) Chenault of Chillicothe; 10 grandchildren, Autumn, Xander, Cash, Ryker, Cole, Wyatt, Kiah, Zeke, Dollar and Strider; two brothers, Roger (Lisa) Perham of Chillicothe and Daniel (Jessica) Perham of Peoria; and many nieces and nephews.

Greg was preceded in death by his parents and one granddaughter, Evyne Faith Chenault.

He was a graduate of Illinois Valley Central High School, Class of 1972.

Upon graduating, he moved to Wyoming and cowboied on the XH Ranch and led hunting expeditions in the winters. His son followed in his footsteps 25 years later.

After moving back to Illinois and

marrying Chris, Greg worked a variety of jobs before settling into a career as a welder for Chillicothe Metal Company, Inc. in 1991, retiring in 2019. He also held secondary jobs as a flooring installer and cut and delivered firewood. His years of hard work and determination steered him for the long cancer battle that he bravely fought until the end.

Greg loved to hunt, fish, manage his hobby farm and keep an eye out for rural garage sales. He was well liked by most people because of his calm and caring nature. He regularly checked in on his kids and grandkids and kept up on all their accomplishments.

Greg looked to God through prayer for wisdom and relied on the guidance in the Bible his entire adult life. As his family grew, he pointed his kids and grandkids toward a relationship with Christ and the importance of trusting God’s Word. That is the most important legacy he leaves behind for his family and the future generations.

A visitation for Greg was held Sept. 30, 2024, at Davison-Fulton-Woolsey-Wilton Funeral Home in Peoria. Greg’s funeral service was Oct. 1, 2024, at Woodland Baptist Church in Peoria. Burial was to be in Prospect Cemetery (within eyesight of his old home) in rural Dunlap immediately following the funeral service.

Memorials may be made to the Illinois CancerCare Foundation at <https://illinoiscancercarefoundation.org/donate/>. Online condolences may be shared with Greg’s family at www.Woolsey-Wilton.com.

Valda M. Gehrt

SPEER – Valda M. Gehrt, 71, of Speer, passed away at 9:23 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, 2024, at her home. Born on Sept. 14, 1953, in Peoria, she was the daughter of the late Guy and June (Lowery) Trent. On Oct. 30, 1976, she married Glenn Gehrt; he survives.



Gehrt

Further surviving is a sister-in-law, Judy Trent; niece Bethanie Trent; nephews Jason and Rian Trent; brother-in-law David (Alberta) Gehrt; nephews David Gehrt Jr. and Troy Gehrt; and many great-nieces and nephews. Also preceding her in death are two siblings, Dan Trent and Carol Trent.

Valda was a secretary for many years for Pearce Community Center and RLI. She was active in dog-obedience training and showing. She was a member of the Edelstein Community Church, where she had run their youth group. Most of all, Valda enjoyed spending time at home with her animals.

Private services were held. Memorials can be made to Edelstein Community Church. Haskell Funeral and Cremation Services in Princeville is assisting with arrangements.

To leave condolences for Valda’s family, please visit www.haskellfuneral.com.

Patricia Plotner

RIO, Wis. – Patricia Plotner, 86, of Rio, Wis., passed away Sunday, Sept. 8, 2024, at Aspirus Divine Savior in Portage, Wis. She was born Aug. 1, 1938, in Canton, Ill., to Louis and

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OBITUARIES

Carrie Simpson. Carrie passed away when Patricia was very young and she was raised by Wayne and Elizabeth (Betty) Simpson, whom she called her parents.

A celebration of life will be held Friday, Oct. 11, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Underground BBQ, 118 E. Main St., Elmwood, Ill.

Patricia married Clair Plotner on Nov. 23, 1957, in Elmwood. She graduated from Elmwood High School and continued on to receive her associate's degree in agriculture farming from Black Hawk College. She was devoted to caring for her three children until they left the nest. Then she became the county clerk.

She was a member of the Toulon Baptist Church and later Galva Baptist Church. She moved to Rio and became a part of Living Gospel.

Patricia is survived by her son Mark (Sarah) Plotner and daughter Connie (Don) Hessler; 13 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; 10 great-great-grandchildren; siblings Jim (Flo) Simpson, Phil (Kathleen) Simpson, Leah (John) Hall and Cathy (Bob) Bowen; and sister-in-

law Mary Nell Simpson.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clair Plotner; brothers Curtis Simpson and John Simpson; sisters-in-law Peggy Simpson, Connie Simpson and Pat Simpson; daughter Doris (David) Quick; parents Wayne and Elizabeth (Betty) Simpson and Louis and Carrie Simpson; and one great-grandchild.

Roger G. Newton

DUNLAP – Roger G. Newton, 74, of Dunlap, passed away Sept. 25, 2024, at Carle Health Methodist Hospital in Peoria.

Born on April 15, 1950, in Kewanee, he was the son of the late Gene M. and Pauline (Meaker) Newton. On Feb. 23, 1980, he married Karen Rose in Las Vegas; she survives.

Further surviving are two children, Stephanie (Michael) Senn and Matthew (Leah) Newton, both of Princeville; and five grandchildren, Bradin and Landin Senn, and Michael, Johnny and Calin Newton. He was also preceded in death by a sister, Judith Young.

Roger worked for Caterpillar Inc. and then for Mitsubishi in the paint department for many years. He was an avid sports fan of the St. Louis Cardinals, University of Illinois, San Francisco 49ers and coached his son's sporting events. He loved golfing at Oak Run with friends and

traveling to Florida. Roger was proud to be a veteran of the U.S. Air Force and served during Vietnam. He was an active member of the Dunlap American Legion Post 1078.

A private burial will take place in Wyoming Cemetery, with military honors.

Online condolences can be left at www.haskellfuneral.com.

Stephen D. Fleming Sr.

FARMINGTON – Stephen Dalton Fleming Sr., 76, of Pekin, formerly of Farmington, passed away Sept. 27, 2024, at his residence.

He was born April 20, 1948, in Canton, a son of John M. and Dorothy (Dalton) Fleming. They preceded him in death. Also preceding him in death is a sister, Rebecca Agnoletti.

Surviving are his children, Jennifer L. Fleming of Pekin and Stephen D. Fleming Jr. of Creve Coeur.

Per Stephen's wishes, cremation rites will be accorded through Anderson-Sedgwick Funeral Home in Farmington. Private family burial of ashes will take place in Oak Ridge Cemetery in Farmington at a later date.

Condolences can be left online at www.sedgwickfuneralhomes.com.



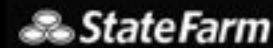
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(309) 446-3233
Sunday
9:30 a.m. Divine Service
10:55 a.m. Bible Class
Wednesday
6 a.m. Christian Movie Night
The Lord bless your day.
Brimfield E-Free Church
Pastor Donald Blasing
11724 Maher Road
Brimfield IL 61517
(309) 446-3571
brimfieldefree.org
Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
AWANA: Wed. 6:15 p.m. ages 3-12
Union Church at Brimfield United Church of Christ
Pastor Stephen Barch
105 W. Clay Street Brimfield
(309) 446-3811
brimfieldunionchurch.org
Sunday Worship: 9 a.m.

-BIBLE TRIVIA
1. Is the book of Philemon (KJV) in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. In Matthew 8, which prophet's words did Jesus claim to be fulfilling, as He was healing people? Iddo, Esaias, Gad, Medad
3. Who wrote, "Neither shall any priest drink wine, when they enter into the inner court"? Ezekiel, Isaiah, Daniel, Hosea
4. From Genesis 19, in addition to fire, what did God rain down upon Sodom and Gomorrah? Hail, Lightning, Brimstone, Mud

Tuesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm
• First Sunday each month is Communion Sunday (gluten-free communion offered)
• Grief & Loss Group meets Tuesday afternoons 3-4:30 p.m. until further notice.

DAHINDA
Dahinda United Methodist Church
Pastor Zoila Marty
1739 Victoria St. P.O. Box 14
Dahinda IL 61428
Sunday Worship: 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School during worship Church: (309) 639-2768
Pastor's Office: (309) 639-2389
Email: williamsfielddahindaumc@yahoo.com

DOUGLAS
Douglas United Methodist Church
Pastor Kristine McMillan
484 3rd St.
Yates City IL 61572
(NOTE: Church is in Douglas)
Sunday Worship: 8 a.m.
(Maquon worship: 11 a.m.)
Facebook Live is 11 a.m. at Maquon UM Church page

5. Whose grave was marked by a pillar erected by her husband, Jacob?
Abigail, Lillith, Puah, Rachel
6. From Judges 16, who slept through a haircut? Manoah, Samson, Adam, Uriah
ANSWERS: 1) New, 2) Esaias, 3) Ezekiel, 4) Brimstone, 5) Rachel, 6) Samson. Visit www.TriviaGuy.com.
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EDWARDS
Bethany Baptist Church
7422 N. Heinz Ln. Edwards
(309) 692-1755
bethanycentral.org
Sun. Worship: 9 & 10:30 a.m.
In person and livestream (Coffee pastries 8:30-10:30 am)
Wed: 6:15 pm AWANA & youth group

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Father James Pankiewicz
9910 W. Knox St. Edwards
(309) 691-2030
stmaryskickapoo.org
Sat. Confession: 3-3:45 p.m.
Sat. Mass: 4 p.m.
Sun. Masses: 7 & 11:00 a.m.
Daily Masses (Mon. Wed. Thurs. Fri.): 8 a.m.

ELMWOOD
Crossroads Assembly of God
Pastor Don Nuttall
615 E. Ash St. Elmwood
(309) 245-6409
crossroadselmwood.org
Wed. Bible Study: 7 p.m.
Sun. Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Elmwood Baptist Church
Pastor Bill Cole
701 W. Dearborn St. Elmwood
(309) 742-7631 642-3278

Sun Worship: 10:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.

First Presbyterian Church of Elmwood
Reverend Marla B. Bauler
201 W. Evergreen Elmwood
(309) 742-2631
firstpresbyterianofelmwood.org
Sun. Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Sun. School: 9:30 a.m.

St. Patrick's Catholic Church
Father James Pankiewicz
802 W. Main St. Elmwood
(309) 742-4921
Sat. Mass: 5:30 p.m.
Sun. Mass: 9 a.m.
Tues. Mass: 8 a.m.
Tues. Confession: After mass.

United Methodist Church of Elmwood
Pastor James Pernell Sr.
821 W. Main St. Elmwood
(309) 742-7221
elmwoodumc.org
Sunday Worship: 10 a.m.
Youth Sunday School: 10 a.m.

FARMINGTON
Farmington Bible Church
Pastor Tony Severine
497 N. Elmwood Rd.
Farmington
(309) 245-9870
Sunday School: 9:30
Worship Service: 10:30
Farmington Methodist Church
Pastor Rick Atchley
187 W. Fulton St.
Farmington
(309) 245-4310
farmingtonmethodist61531@gmail.com

Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
First Presbyterian Church of Farmington
Pastor Cindy Bean
83 N. Cone Street Farmington
(309) 245-2914
firstpresfarmington.com
Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.
Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Live on Facebook also
Fellowship: 11:30 a.m.

New Hope Fellowship Assembly of God
Pastor Tom Wright
1102 N. Illinois Route 78
Farmington
(309) 231-8076
Sun. Worship: 10 a.m.
Wed. Worship: 7 p.m.

PRINCEVILLE
Princeville United Methodist Church
Pastor David Pyell
420 E. Woertz Princeville
(309) 385-4487
princevilleumc@mediacombb.net
Sun. Worship: 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

St. Mary of the Woods Catholic Church
Father Corey Kregiel
119 Saint Mary St. Princeville
(309) 385-2578
Sat. Confession: 3-3:45 p.m.
Sat. Mass: 4 p.m.
Sun. Confession: 8-8:45 a.m.
Sun. Mass: 9 a.m.
Tues. Thurs. Sat. daily Mass: 8 a.m.

TRIVOLI
Brunswick Community Church
4027 S. Stone School Rd, Trivoli
Pastor Terry England
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

Sunday Worship: 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7:00 p.m.
(309) 403-4626

Zion-Penn Ridge Lutheran Church (LCMC)
18015 W. Smithville Rd., Trivoli
Pastor Mark Schoenhals
Pastor Jay Johnson
(309) 696-1300
zionpenridgelutheranchurch@gmail.com

Sunday Worship: 9:00 a.m.
4th Sunday of month Worship: 8 a.m. with communion

WILLIAMSFIELD
St. James Catholic Church
Father Deogratias Mpewo
Legion Road Knox Road 1450 N
Williamsfield
(309) 446-3275
stjameswilliamsfield.org
Sun. Confession: 7:30-8 a.m.
Sun. Mass: 8:30 a.m., Still Open!

Williamsfield United Methodist Church
Pastor Zoila Marty
430 N. Chicago Ave.
Williamsfield
(309) 639-2389
Sun. School: during worship
Hospitality (coffee & finger foods): 10:30 a.m.
Sun. Worship: 11 a.m.

YATES CITY
Faith United Presbyterian Church
Reverend Marla B. Bauler
107 W. Bishop St. Yates City
(309) 358-1170
Worship: 9 a.m.
Sun. School: 10:15 a.m.
Thurs. Choir: 7 p.m.

LEGAL ADS - Call (309) 741-9790

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

LAKEVIEW LOAN SERVICING, LLC, PLAINTIFF, VS.

ANNA L PARKER A/K/A ANNA LYNN PARKER A/K/A ANNA LYNN HAM A/K/A ANNA PARKER A/K/A ANNA L HAM; BUSEY BANK; ILLINOIS HOUSING DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, DEFENDANTS.

NO. 24 FC 000037 2608 WEST WESTMINISTER AVENUE PEORIA, IL 61604

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE UNDER ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE ACT

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered by the Court in the above entitled cause on June 5, 2024, will on October 28, 2024, in ROOM 203 OF THE COURTHOUSE, 324 MAIN STREET, PEORIA, IL 61602, at 8:30 AM, sell at public auction and sale to the highest bidder for cash, all and singular, the following described real estate mentioned in said Judgment, situated in the County of Peoria, State of Illinois, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said Judgment:

LOT 114 IN THE NEWMAN PARKVIEW EXTENDED SECTIONS III AND IV, A SUBDIVISION IN THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 31, TOWNSHIP 9 NORTH, RANGE 8 EAST OF THE FOURTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED JANUARY 16, 1956 IN PLAT BOOK "V", PAGE 92, IN PEORIA COUNTY ILLINOIS.

TAX NO. 14-31-378-001 COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 2608 West Westminister Avenue Peoria, IL 61604

Description of Improvements: The property is a single family. The property has a one car garage. The garage is attached. The exterior is vinyl siding. The color is tan. The property does not have a fence. The property is occupied.

The Judgment amount was \$52,453.36.

Sale Terms: This is an "AS IS" sale for "CASH". The successful bidder must deposit 10% down by certified funds; balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. NO REFUNDS.

The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate, water bills, etc., and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to plaintiff. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court.

Upon payment in full of the bid amount, the purchaser shall receive a Certificate of Sale, which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information.

The successful purchaser has the sole responsibility/expense of evicting any tenants or other individuals presently in possession of the subject premises.

If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4).

IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW.

For Information: Visit our website at http://ilforeclosuresales.mrpllc.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only - McCalla Raymer Leibert Pierce, LLC, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 N. Dearborn St., Suite 1200, Chicago, IL 60602. Tel. No. (312) 346-9088. Please refer to file# 22-131951L

PURSUANT TO THE FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT, THE PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY IS DEEMED TO BE A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Plaintiff's attorney is not required to provide additional information other than that set forth in this notice of sale.

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

WILMINGTON SAVINGS FUND SOCIETY, FSB, NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY BUT SOLELY AS OWNER TRUSTEE OF THE ASPEN G TRUST, A DELAWARE STATUTORY TRUST, PLAINTIFF, VS.

MONICA PATTON; RONALD E DOUGLAS A/K/A RONALD DOUGLAS; NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, DEFENDANTS.

NO. 23 FC 0000242 19205 PRINCEVILLE JUBILEE ROAD PRINCEVILLE, IL 61559

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE UNDER ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE ACT

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered by the Court in the above entitled cause on July 3, 2024, will on October 28, 2024, in ROOM 203 OF THE COURTHOUSE, 324 MAIN STREET, PEORIA, IL 61602, at 8:30 AM, sell at public auction and sale to the highest bidder for cash, all and singular, the following described real estate mentioned in said Judgment, situated in the County of Peoria, State of Illinois, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said Judgment:

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF PEORIA, IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS TO WIT: A PART OF THE NORTH HALF OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 24, TOWNSHIP 11 NORTH, RANGE 6 EAST OF THE FOURTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, MORE PARTICULARLY BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTH HALF OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 24; THENCE WEST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF THE NORTH HALF OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 24, A DISTANCE OF 544.65 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE NORTH 104.38 FEET TO AN IRON ROD. SAID IRON ROD BEING THE POINT OF BEGINNING FOR THE TRACT DESCRIBED: THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 104.37 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE EAST 375.2 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE SOUTH 38 DEGREES 34 MINUTES WEST ALONG THE NORTH-WESTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF COUNTY HIGHWAY ROUTE NO. 5, SAID RIGHT OF WAY LINE BEING 33 FEET NORTHWESTERLY OF AND PARALLEL WITH THE CENTER LINE OF SAID COUNTY HIGHWAY ROUTE #5, A DISTANCE OF 133.5 FEET, THENCE WEST 292.0 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, SITUATED IN PEORIA COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

TAX NO. 02-24-300-007 COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 19205 Princeville Jubilee Road Princeville, IL 61559

Description of Improvements: The property is a single family. The property has no garage. The exterior is vinyl siding. The color is gray. The property does not have a fence. The property is occupied.

The Judgment amount was \$43,095.30.

Sale Terms: This is an "AS IS" sale for "CASH". The successful bidder must deposit 10% down by certified funds; balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. NO REFUNDS.

The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate, water bills, etc., and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to plaintiff. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court.

Upon payment in full of the bid amount, the purchaser shall receive a Certificate of Sale, which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information.

The successful purchaser has the sole responsibility/expense of evicting any tenants or other individuals presently in possession of the subject premises.

If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Con-

dominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4).

IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW.

For Information: Visit our website at http://ilforeclosuresales.mrpllc.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only - McCalla Raymer Leibert Pierce, LLC, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 N. Dearborn St., Suite 1200, Chicago, IL 60602. Tel. No. (312) 346-9088. Please refer to file# 22-103471L

PURSUANT TO THE FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT, THE PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY IS DEEMED TO BE A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

CLAIM NOTICE IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF ILLINOIS

In Re ESTATE OF NORMA ANDERSON SMITH, Deceased. CC 2024-PR-0000245

NOTICE is given to creditors of the death of NORMA ANDERSON SMITH on August 21, 2024. Letters of Office were issued by the above entitled Court to JEFFREY L. WILLIAMS, of 5322 Karen Street, Danvers, Illinois 61732, as Administrator with Will Annexed, whose attorneys of record are WHITNEY & POTTS, LTD., 118 West Main Street, P. O. Box 368, Elmwood, Illinois, 61529-0368. Claims against the Estate may be filed in the Circuit Clerk's Office, Peoria County Courthouse, Peoria, Illinois, or with the representative or both on or before the 28th day of March, 2025, or if mailing or delivery of a Notice from the representative is required by Sec. 18-3 of the Probate Act of 1975, the date stated in that Notice. Every claim filed must be in writing and state sufficient information to notify the representative of the nature of the claim or other relief sought. Any claim not filed on or before that date is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered by the claimant to the representative and to the attorney within ten (10) days after it has been filed and the claimant shall file with the Court, proof of any required mailing or delivery of copies.

E-filing is now mandatory for documents in civil cases with limited exemptions. To e-file, you must first create an account with an e-filing service provider. Visit http://efile.illinoiscourts.gov/service-providers.htm to learn more and to select a service provider. If you need additional help or have trouble e-filing, visit http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/FAQ/gethelp.asp.

DATED this 11th day of September, 2024.

JEFFREY L. WILLIAMS, Administrator with Will Annexed of the Estate of NORMA ANDERSON SMITH, Deceased.

ROBERT L. POTTS, Esq. WHITNEY & POTTS, LTD. Attorneys for Administrator 118 West Main Street P. O. Box 368 Elmwood, IL 61529-0368 Telephone: (309) 742-3611 becky@whitneyandpotts.com Published 9/19, 9/26, 10/3/24

Sale terms: 10% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in certified funds, is due within twenty-four (24) hours.

The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court.

If the property is a condominium and the foreclosure takes place after 1/1/2007, purchasers other than the mortgagees will be required to pay any assessment and legal fees due under The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4).

If the property is located in a common interest community, purchasers other than mortgagees will be required to pay any assessment and legal fees due under the Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4).

If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagee's attorney.

Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser shall receive a Certificate of Sale, which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the real estate after Confirmation of the sale. The successful purchaser has the sole responsibility/expense of evicting any tenants or other individuals presently in possession of the subject premises.

The property will NOT be open for inspection and Plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the Court file to verify all information.

IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW.

For information: Examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: Cordilis & Associates, P.C., 15W030 North Frontage Road, Suite 100, Burr Ridge, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-24-00149.

IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW.

For information: Examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: Cordilis & Associates, P.C., 15W030 North Frontage Road, Suite 100, Burr Ridge, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-24-00149.

NOTICE OF SALE of Property Owned by the City of Farmington, IL and Invitation to Bid Thereon 99 E Vernon St., Farmington, IL 61531

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT the Mayor and City Council of the City of Farmington, IL will receive sealed bids for the purchase, under the successful bid, of the fee simple interest in the following real property:

Lot 2 of Chapman Reeds Addition, being in the City of Farmington, Fulton County, IL

which property is generally located at 99 E Vernon St., Farmington, IL and is currently a vacant lot.

Bids for the purchase of the aforesaid interest in the above-described property are hereby invited and will be received by the City Administrator through October 7, 2024 at 4:00 p.m. for the opening of bids. Said proposals shall be addressed to:

City Council City of Farmington c/o City Administrator 322 E. Fort St. Farmington, IL 61531

and shall bear the legend "PROPOSAL - SALE OF 99 E Vernon St." and the name and address of the bidder.

Property is currently vacant residential lots zoned R-1. All bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud at the regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Farmington at 6:00 p.m. on October 7, 2024.

A contract may be awarded to the highest bidder whose bid is found to be in the best interests of the City. The Mayor and City Council reserve the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bidding. The Mayor and City Council further reserve the right to review and study any and all bids and to make a contract award within 30 days after the bids have been opened and publicly read.

Copies of the bidding documents may be obtained at the office of the City Clerk.

/s/ Bettina Bohanan City Administrator

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT PEORIA COUNTY PEORIA, ILLINOIS

NewRez LLC d/b/a Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing PLAINTIFF

Vs. Megan McCully; et. al. DEFENDANTS

No. 2023-FC-0000262 NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on 07/24/2024, the Sheriff of Peoria County, Illinois will on November 6, 2024 at the hour of 1:00 PM at Peoria County Courthouse

324 Main Street, Courtroom 203 Peoria, IL 61602, or in a place otherwise designated at the time of sale, County of Peoria and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

LOT 28 IN WILSON'S SECOND ADDITION TO THE VILLAGE OF NORTH CHILLICOTHE, COUNTY OF PEORIA, STATE OF ILLINOIS. PIN 05-20-155-014

Improved with Residential COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 1408 N Wilson Ave Chillicothe, IL 61523

Sale terms: 10% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in certified funds, is due within twenty-four (24) hours.

The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court.

If the property is a condominium and the foreclosure takes place after 1/1/2007, purchasers other than the mortgagees will be required to pay any assessment and legal fees due under The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4).

If the property is located in a common interest community, purchasers other than mortgagees will be required to pay any assessment and legal fees due under the Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS

605/18.5(g-1). If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagee's attorney.

Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser shall receive a Certificate of Sale, which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the real estate after Confirmation of the sale. The successful purchaser has the sole responsibility/expense of evicting any tenants or other individuals presently in possession of the subject premises.

The property will NOT be open for inspection and Plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the Court file to verify all information.

IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT PEORIA COUNTY PEORIA, ILLINOIS

NewRez LLC d/b/a Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing PLAINTIFF

Vs. Jeffrey Clarke; Cynthia Clarke; Westwood Homeowners Association; Unknown Owners and Nonrecord Claimants DEFENDANTS

No. 2024-FC-0000145 NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

NOTICE IS GIVEN TO YOU: Cynthia Clarke Unknown Owners and Nonrecord Claimants

That this case has been commenced in this Court against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit:

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 4721 N Westbrook Dr Peoria, IL 61614 and which said Mortgage was made by:

Jeffrey Clarke

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Cynthia Clarke
the Mortgage Registration Systems, Inc., as mortgagee, as nominee for American Pacific Mortgage Corporation, as Mortgagee, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Peoria County, Illinois, as Document No. 2022013967; and for other relief, that summons was duly issued out of said Court against you as provided by law and that the said suit is now pending.

NOW, THEREFORE, UNLESS YOU file your answer or otherwise file your appearance in this case in the Office of the Clerk of this Court, Robert M. Spears
Peoria County Courthouse
324 Main Street, Room G-22
Peoria, IL 61602
on or before October 28, 2024, A DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU AT ANY TIME AFTER THAT DAY AND A JUDGMENT MAY BE ENTERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRAYER OF SAID COMPLAINT.

CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C.
Attorneys for Plaintiff
15W030 North Frontage Road, Suite 100
Burr Ridge, IL 60527
(630) 794-5300
DuPage # 15170
Winnebago # 531
Our File No. 14-24-04190
NOTE: This law firm is a debt collector.
I3252367
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COUNTY OF Peoria Peoria, ILLINOIS
FREEDOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION
Plaintiff
vs.
THOMAS P. DOERING SR; DARLA G. DOERING; THOMAS P. DOERING, JR; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendant
23 FC 173
CALENDAR
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause Intercounty Judicial Sales Cor-

STATE OF ILLINOIS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
PEORIA COUNTY — IN PROBATE
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

2024-PR-0000191
RICHARD G. THREW, DECEASED
NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE

Notice is given to creditors of the death of RICHARD G. THREW. Letters of office were issued on July 9, 2024, to PAMELA THREW of 1407 N. Jones Hollow Road, Peoria, Illinois 61604, as Independent Executor, whose Attorney of record is Nancy A. Schell, Froehling, Weber & Schell, LLP, 167 West Elm Street, Canton, Illinois 61520, Phone #309/647-6317, Fax #309/647-6350.

Administration of this estate will be without court supervision, unless an interested party requests supervised administration pursuant to a petition filed under 755 ILCS 5/28-4.

Claims against the estate may be filed in the Office of the Peoria County Circuit Clerk, 324 Main Street, G22, Peoria, Illinois 61602, or with the Representative, or both, on or before a date no less than six (6) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or if mailing or delivery of a notice from the Representative is required by Section 18-3 of the Probate Act of 1975 (755 ILCS 5/18-3), the date stated in that notice. Filing with the Clerk is to be in accordance with Illinois Supreme Court Rule 9, which makes electronic filing mandatory for documents in civil cases with limited exemptions.

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Dated this 27th day of September, 2024.
PAMELA THREW, as Independent Administrator of the Estate of RICHARD G. THREW, deceased
/s/ Nancy A. Schell
Nancy A. Schell, Attorney

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poration will on November 6, 2024, at the hour 9:00 a.m., Miller, Hall & Triggs, LLC, 416 Main Street, Suite 1125, Peoria, IL 61602, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described mortgaged real estate: LOT 4 IN MCCABE ROME WEST SUBDIVISION, A PART OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 10 NORTH, RANGE 8 EAST OF THE FOURTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED ON

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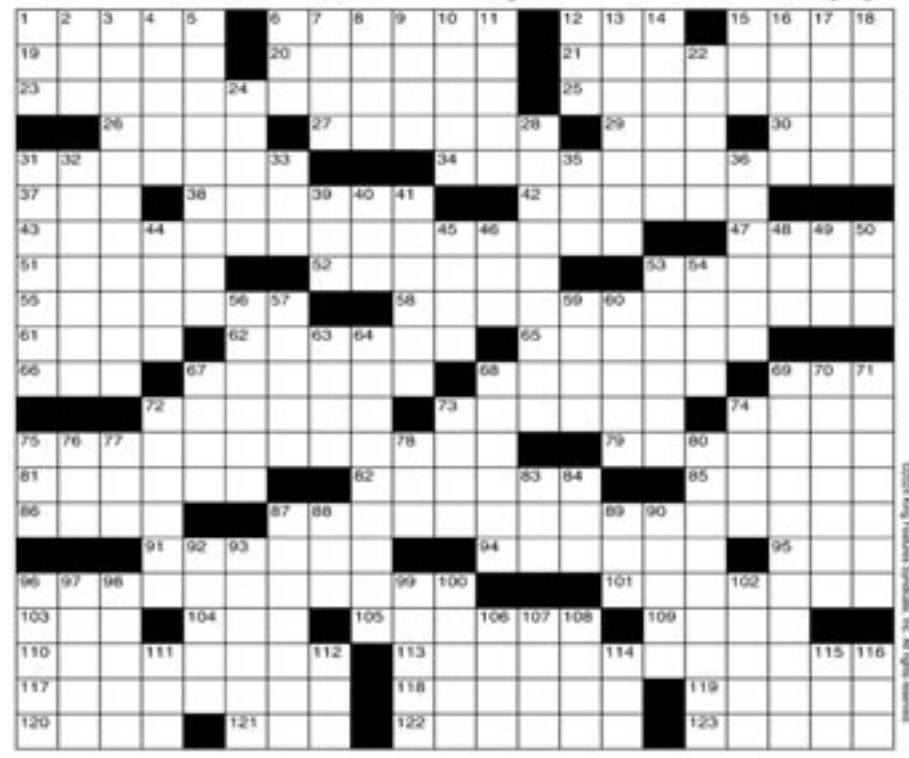
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Super Crossword

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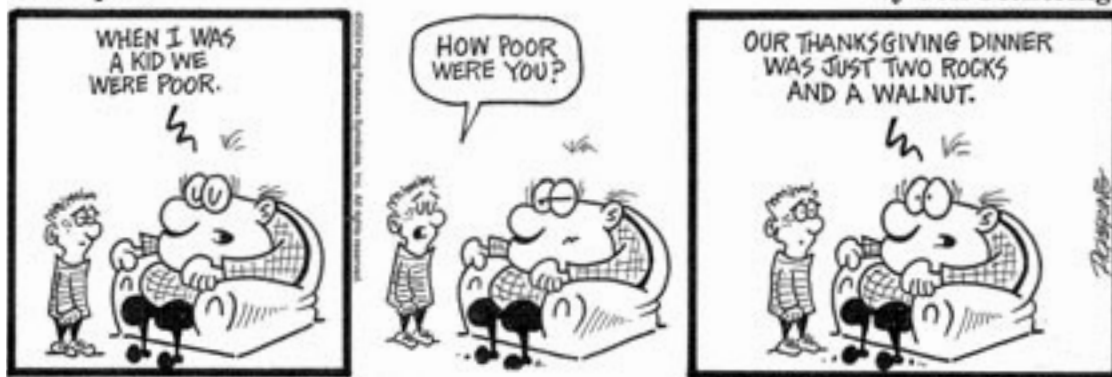
- ACROSS: 1 U.K. equivalent to an Oscar; 6 Trinidad and ...; 12 Baggage screeners' org.; 15 Moose kin; 19 American poet ...; 20 Basra natives; 21 Balloon pilot; 23 Upon initial sight; 25 Twilight time, to poets; 26 Diplomacy; 27 Performs an axel, e.g.; 29 Arizona-to-Kentucky dr.; 30 Mauna ...; 31 Square-cut building stones; 34 Glossy fabric with an elaborate floral pattern; 37 Rule, in brief; 38 Atomic cores; 42 Playpen toy; 43 Baby's breath and coherb are members of it; 47 'Gung Ho' actress Rogers; 51 Sondheim's 'Everybody Ought to Have ...'; 52 Like a laundromat washer, for short; 53 Closer to now; 55 Swim some pool lengths; 58 Florida city near Miami; 61 Bits of land in eau; 62 Material on a Q-tip; 65 Person howling; 66 — Lingus; 67 Ancient Palestine; 68 Bamboo eaters; 69 Jackson 5 #1 hit of 1970; 72 — and peste; 73 Wage recipients; 74 Leg midpoint; 75 Alternative to apple pie; 79 Jewish villages of old; 81 Debonair; 82 Greasier; 85 French cathedral city; 86 Burger meat; 87 Crispy-skinned fish dish; 91 'Oz' co-star Walker; 94 Having a saintly ring; 95 '— minute!'; 96 Noted presidential matriarch; 101 Many KFC pieces; 103 Singer; 104 Squeal (on); 105 Papal crowns; 109 Job honcho; 110 Cubic —; 113 What seven key words in this puzzle are; 117 Native of Fiji or Nauru; 118 Well-reasoned; 119 Four-page sheet; 120 Lease topic; 121 Green prefix; 122 Auditory stimu; 123 Lieu; 1 Nanny's cry; 2 Qty.; 3 10-year-old student, often; 4 Court hearing; 5 Carrier with a Toronto hub; 6 — for tat; 7 Round bodies; 8 Hesitate like a mule; 9 Blue-green; 10 Main points; 11 Actor Milo; 12 — Bo; 13 Fourteen times five; 14 Philosopher; 15 Sinus doc; 16 Boxer Ali; 17 'Congrats!'; 18 Rib-eye, e.g.; 22 Actor Ryan; 24 Walk cockily; 28 Peel off; 31 Site of rural peace; 32 Mariner's distance unit; 33 — 5 flick; 35 Suffix with resident; 36 Michelle Obama's 'Becoming,' e.g.; 39 Site: Abbr.; 40 Brian of rock; 41 Promiser's qualifier; 44 Guitarist; 45 Strong as —; 46 Country of NW Afr.; 48 Tavern; 49 Actress; 50 1040 org. for leap day babies; 53 Showy debut, perhaps; 54 Tram rocks; 56 'Memento' star Guy; 57 — Domingo; 59 Narrow road; 60 Agrees (with); 63 Broccoli —; 64 Native American leathered headdress; 67 Singer Marc; 68 Shunned one; 69 Destroying Scuds, say; 70 Triple Crown venue; 71 Some light planes; 72 VirusScan company; 73 Brazilian soccer hero; 74 Ship's spine; 75 Tavem; 76 Before; 77 Prez Lincoln; 78 Fleur-de- —; 80 Results of compromises; 83 Notable time; 84 Cath., e.g.; 87 Fiero or GTO; 88 Raggedy —; 89 Feb. 29, for leap day babies; 90 — Croatian; 92 Goodyear's home city; 93 Malicious sort; 96 Schick item; 97 In reserve; 98 IT's stop traffic; 99 Frisbees, e.g.; 100 Big internet portal; 102 In — (stuck); 106 Pasta sauce brand; 107 Yemen port; 108 Mail in, e.g.; 111 Meowing pet; 112 'I'll take that as —'; 114 Aves.; 115 Vardalos of the screen; 116 Walkoped in a boxing ring



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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle
A 9x9 Sudoku grid with some numbers filled in. Below the grid, it says '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: ♦
♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging
♦♦♦ HOO BOY!
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Trivia test by Tim Rodriguez

- 1. MOVIES: Which animated film was the first to be nominated for an Academy Award for Best Picture?
2. SCIENCE: What is a common name for the Aurora Borealis?
3. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Who was the third U.S. president?
4. GEOGRAPHY: Where are the Maldives (islands) located?
5. MUSIC: Who was the first woman inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame?
6. TELEVISION: What is Dorothy's job on 'The Golden Girls'?
7. MATH: Which number doesn't have a Roman numeral equivalent?
8. LITERATURE: In the Harry Potter series of novels, what was Lord Voldemort's name before he changed it?
9. ANIMAL KINGDOM: Which dog breed doesn't 'bark'?
10. FAMOUS QUOTES: Who wrote the poetic line about fall, 'Nature's first green is gold'?
Answers
1. 'Beauty and the Beast.'
2. Northern Lights.
3. Thomas Jefferson.
4. Indian Ocean.
5. Aretha Franklin.
6. Substitute teacher.
7. Zero.
8. Tom Marvolo Riddle.
9. Basenji.
10. Robert Frost, 'Nothing Gold Can Stay.'

FOR ANSWERS SEE PAGE 17

CryptoQuote
AXYDLBAAXR is LONGFELLOW
One letter stands for another. In this sample, A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each week the code letters are different.
IR JMM ZE UVDLH, OVI KUJH
IUJ JMLEJM KJLME RVI
LUJLC RO IUJ NJHGZF,
SRV'MJ RBJMCRZHA ZI,
— TREU TJHPZHE
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TOP 10 MOVIES

- 1. Beetlejuice Beetlejuice (PG-13)
2. Transformers One (PG)
3. Speak No Evil (R)
4. Never Let Go (R)
5. Deadpool & Wolverine (R)
6. The Substance (R)
7. Am I Racist? (PG-13)
8. Reagan (PG-13)
9. Jung Kook: I Am Still (NR)
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COUNTY OF PEORIA Peoria, ILLINOIS
PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION Plaintiff vs. S. LINN PERKINS, AS SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE FOR CAROLA JAMES, MICHAELS. HAMILTON, LANIE HAMILTON, ZACHERY HAMILTON, UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF CAROLA JAMES, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS Defendant
22 FC 45 CALENDAR

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT PEORIA COUNTY PEORIA, ILLINOIS
Freedom Mortgage Corporation PLAINTIFF vs. Zachary Wilson; Aloha Construction, Inc.; Unknown Owners and Nonrecord Claimants DEFENDANTS
No. 2024-FC-0000149
NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
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NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on November 6, 2024, at the hour 9:00 a.m., Miller, Hall & Triggs, LLC, 416 Main Street, Suite 1125, Peoria, IL 61602, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described mortgaged real estate:
ALL THAT CERTAIN PARCEL OF LAND SITUATED IN COUNTY OF PEORIA, STATE OF ILLINOIS, BEING KNOWN AND DESIGNATED AS: LOT 244 IN OAKLAWN SUBDIVISION OF LOT 2 OF THE SUBDIVISION OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 34, IN TOWNSHIP 9 NORTH, RANGE 8 EAST OF THE FOURTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF PERORIA AND STATE OF ILLINOIS.
P.I.N. 14-34-127-035.
Commonly known as 1121E WILLCOX AVE., PEORIA, IL 61603.
The real estate is: single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act. Sale terms: At sale, the bidder must have 10% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information.

That this case has been commenced in this Court against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit:
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NOW, THEREFORE, UNLESS YOU file your answer or otherwise file your appearance in this case in the Office of the Clerk of this Court, Robert M. Spears Peoria County Courthouse 324 Main Street, Room G-22 Peoria, IL 61602 on or before November 4, 2024, A DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU AT ANY TIME AFTER THAT DAY AND A JUDGMENT MAY BE ENTERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRAYER OF SAID COMPLAINT.
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Sennett second at Kewanee Boiler XC Invite

By **JEFF LAMPE**
For The Weekly Post

KEWANEE – In an otherwise slow week for local cross country teams, Princeville’s Bethany Sennett was second Saturday at the Kewanee Boiler Invite.

Knoxville junior Alyssa Higgins finished first in 18:46 to place ahead of sophomore Sennett, who finished in 19:59 at the girls-only invite.

Chillicothe IVC won the team competition with 33 points.

In other action, ROWVA-Williamsfield competed at the Augustana College High School Invitational at Saukie Golf Course in Rock Island.

The R-W boys placed sixth and top finisher was Jonas Carlson, who placed 18th in 18:08.9. Winning boys team was East Moline United.

The R-W girls placed seventh overall and top finisher was Emily Hilman in 22:32.8. Stark County won the girls race.

Princeville was at the El Paso-Grid-

ley Invitational on Tuesday.

Elmwood-Brimfield and Farmington were at the Prairieland Conference meet Tuesday at Farmington.

Local teams will also be competing Saturday at the Elmwood Invitational at Maple Lane Country Club. Froshoph boys are scheduled to run at 9:30 a.m., varsity girls at 10:15 and varsity boys at 11.

Statewide rankings as of Sept. 25 had the E-B boys at No. 8 in MileSplitIllinois and the girls were No. 24.

ALL-SPORTS ROUNDUP

Hannam ties for first at ICAC; Princes win regional

For The Weekly Post

CUBA – Landon Hannam of ROWVA-Williamsfield finished in a three-way tie for first on Sept. 24 at the ICAC Conference golf tournament at Wee-Ma-Tuk Hills Country Club.

Hannam shot a 3-over round of 75 on the par-72 layout and birdied the 18th hole. Based on a scorecard playoff, Hannam received a third-place medal.

R-W (343 strokes) was fourth among boys teams. Delavan’s 319 was best. Brimfield (351) was fifth and Elmwood (391) was eighth).

Other scorers for R-W were Preston Lafary (84), Kaden Dewitt (92) and Trent Stiers (92).

Scorers for Brimfield were Dan Fagerburg (86), Westin Smith (87), Kaeden Schatsiek (89) and Alex Jenkins (89).

Scorers for Elmwood were Kuper Bolton (87), Quinton Johns (99), Rory Conklin (101) and Logan Howard (104).

Illini Bluffs won the girls title with 378 strokes. Elmwood (425) was second, Brimfield (428) was third and R-W (436) was fourth.

Addi Powers and Addi Thrasher shot 102 to lead Elmwood, whose other scorers were Emily Anderson (110) and Corinne Colgan (111).

Brimfield’s scoring golfers were Nicole Detmers (93), Rachel Fell (93), Ellie Barnes (119) and Maddie Rust (123).

R-W’s scorers were Ella Erlacher (101), Lauren Johnson (111), Ava Johnson (111) and Bella Dennis (113).

Girls regionals were to start Tuesday, with Brimfield, Elmwood and Farmington at Wee-Ma-Tuk and Princeville and R-W at Valley View Club in Cambridge.

The boys were to play in regionals on Wednesday. Elmwood, Brimfield and R-W are at Valley View Club; Farmington is at Jacksonville Country

Club; and Princeville is at Spring Creek Golf Course in Spring Valley.

• **Elsewhere** – The R-W boys placed fourth with 371 strokes at the Lincoln Trail Conference tournament on Sept. 26 at Lake Bracken Golf Course. Monmouth United won with a score of 344.

On Monday at Maple Lane Country Club, the Elmwood boys and girls both won, the boys topping Havana and Peoria Heights, the girls downing Havana. Addi Powers shot 47 and was girls medalist. Kuper Bolton shot 42 to lead the boys.

• **IESA baseball** – Princeville (15-2) won an IESA Class 1A regional cham-



Princeville’s regional champion IESA baseball team includes, Front row (left to right): Brewer Allen, Tyler Musselman, Dylan Carruthers, Kip Lauber, Channing Palmer and Filippo Arnett. Second row (l to r): Brenner Cowser, Kellen Duckworth, Logan Reuber, Colson Cowser, Michael Noonan, Aaron Bowers and Austin Hess. Back row (l to r): Coach Andrew Arnett, Aiden Dwyer, Dawson Freres, Camdin Wilson, Broden McGinn, Ty McFarland, Coach Greg Down and Coach Bret Williams.

pionship on Saturday, topping Peoria Christian 9-4 at Brimfield.

The Princes lost their sectional game at Roa-

noke-Benson against the host team, 14-1. Roanoke-Benson (18-6) had topped Washington St. Patrick in a regional final, 5-4.

PUZZLE ANSWERS

Super Crossword

Answers

BAFTA	TOBAGO	TSA	ELKS
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ATFIRSTBLUSH	EVENTIDE		
TACT	SKATES	ENE	LOA
ASHLARS	SATINDAMASK		
REG	NUCLEI	RATTLE	
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AMAID	COINOP	SOONER	
DIDLAPS	CORALS	SPRINGS	
ILES	EARWAX	WAILER	
AER	CANAAN	PANDAS	ABC
MORTAR	PAYEES	KNEE	
PEACHCOBBLER	SHTETLS		
URBANE	OILIER	REIMS	
BEEF	PANSEARED	SALMON	
EAMONN	HALOED	INA	
ROSEKENNEDY	BREASTS		
ANI	RAT	TIARAS	BOSS
ZIRCONIA	SHADES	OFFPINK	
OCEANIAN	COGENT	FOLIO	
RENT	ECO	SOUNDS	STEAD

CryptoQuote

answer

To err is human, but when the eraser wears out ahead of the pencil, you’re overdoing it.
— Josh Jenkins

Weekly SUDOKU

Answer

8	1	6	2	4	9	5	3	7
5	7	4	8	1	3	2	9	6
9	3	2	5	6	7	1	8	4
3	5	8	4	2	1	7	6	9
4	2	9	7	3	6	8	5	1
7	6	1	9	5	8	4	2	3
6	4	5	3	7	2	9	1	8
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FARMINGTON: Unbeaten Macomb visits Farmington on Friday

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 attack that had been grinding opponents through four games could not sustain drives vs. Farmington's rotation of six players for three defensive-line spots. Most of those linemen did not play on offense, according to Vallas, who said the rotation is a benefit of a deep roster.
 "We were worried about defense (coming into the game)," Vallas said. "Well, we had given up three rushing touchdowns. Two of them were penalties that put people at the 1 and one was

a long run against Bureau Valley where we blew an assignment.
 "So then we thought, 'Well, we think we're going to be OK against it, but we'll find out.'
 The answer was yes, as E-B finished with 210 yards on 46 carries. Senior Bo Windish, who injured his ankle last week against Decatur St. Teresa, led E-B with 78 yards on 17 carries, but "did not look like himself," according to Vallas.
 Matthew Glenn, E-B's other top runner, ran for 96 yards on 18 carries.

The E-B defense also did a good job of stuffing the run. But while Farmington was limited to 62 rushing yards on 25 carries, Wheelwright was 15-for-25 passing for 311 yards, four scores and one interception. Aside from Gronewold, one TD went to Landon Crawford for 36 yards on fourth-and-12.
 "We're a very talented team," Vallas said. "But when they play hard and are focused like that, I think the sky is the limit."
 Farmington will get another test Friday at home against un-

beaten Macomb (5-0, 4-0).
 Macomb quarterback Braden Holthaus passed for 114 yards and one score and ran for 104 yards and two TDs in a 29-20 win over Breese Mater Dei (2-3) last week.
 Mater Dei did score on passes of 83, 76 and 74 yards.
 E-B travels to face league newcomer Bureau Valley (3-2, 2-1), which comes off a 46-13 win at Knoxville (1-4, 1-3).
 The Storm scored on their first five possessions, went 2.5 quarters without punting, ran for

four TDs and 239 yards (including 126 from Elijah Endress) and saw QB Bryce Helms pass for 126 yards and three TDs.
 "We tried to be a little more balanced – and not so much run and pass, but balanced as in how many touches each kid gets with the ball," BV Coach Mat Pistole said. "We really tried to spread it out, and the kids really executed."
 • **Elsewhere** – Illini West (2-3, 1-3) won its second straight game, routing LVC (0-5, 0-4) 50-16.

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PRINCEVILLE: United held to 111 yards

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 sional instead of one-dimensional really opens it up," Carruthers said. "Last year, we had to pass the ball to open up our run. Now we won't have to do that. We feel comfortable rushing the ball and comfortable passing the ball. Last year we had to pass to spread out the defense a little bit."
 The Princeville defense was no slouch last week, either. United managed only 111 total yards. Carruthers cited the efforts of Collin Carruthers, Robert Garza, Collin Lowery and Kaiden Sarnes, among others. They helped minimize the losses of the injured Ethan Cunningham and Jack Lied.
 "They just played really sound defense," Coach Carruthers said. "We've gotten back to our defense that we used when we were one of the top teams in the conference. It's been a while. That's the defense I'm most comfortable with and enjoy calling."

South Fulton 36 ROWVA-Williamsfield 34 (OT)
 TABLE GROVE – ROWVA-Williamsfield had become accustomed to escaping some tight spots this season. But last week against South Fulton, the Cougars' good fortunes faded.
 R-W came back to tie South Fulton in the second half but missed a field goal at the end of regulation and a two-point conversion in overtime as the hosts (1-4, 1-3) won in a LincolnLand small-division upset.

"That was a tough one," R-W Coach Grant Gullstrand said.
 The loss was the second in a row for R-W (3-2, 2-2), which plays Friday night in Wyoming against undefeated Stark County. Although R-W has beaten Stark County in three of their last four meetings, including twice in the playoffs, the timing of this one probably isn't ideal for the Cougars.
 Gullstrand said his team's defense needs to be stouter, among other issues.
 "We're struggling right now to make tackles. They had a couple of big plays that we had some blown assignments on," Gullstrand said regarding South Fulton. "We kept them in the game."
 "Our battle right now is against ourselves, and not making enough plays to win. Winning football games is hard. We're finding that out."
 Things looked easier earlier this season, when two last-minute victories propelled R-W to a 3-0 record. Against South Fulton, R-W led 22-14 at halftime. But the Rebels went ahead before the Cougars tied it at 28 with about five minutes left in the game. R-W missed the extra-point kick.
 After R-W stopped a South Fulton drive at about the Cougars' 6-yard line, Jack Cordle had a big run to help his team get to about the same spot on the Rebels' side of the field. But a bad snap on the R-W field-goal attempt led to OT.

"Sometimes when the game stays tight, sometimes they make plays you normally wouldn't think they would," Gullstrand said. "They had a couple of kids who played really hard, and they played really good."
 "We had our fair share of chances, and unfortunately, we did not capitalize."
 • **Elsewhere** – Stark County (5-0, 4-0) remained perfect on the season with a 39-14 win at West Hancock (0-5, 0-3) in a LincolnLand cross-over game. The Rebels ran for 334 and averaged 9.8 yards per carry. Nolan Orwig ran for 151 yards and two touchdowns and QB Dillon Steelman ran for 133 yards and one score. Chris Barnwell also ran for scores on both of his two carries. West Hancock ran for 111 yards and was 27-for-46 passing for 208 yards and two interceptions.
 ... Annawan-Wethersfield (3-2, 3-2) routed Abingdon-Avon (1-4, 1-4) for a 36-0 homecoming victory. Titans quarterback Maddox Heitzler threw for one touchdown and ran for two and Nic Thurston ran for two scores and caught one for a TD.
 ... In a 38-31 win over Havana (1-4, 1-4), Rushville-Industry (4-1, 4-1) ran for 419 yards and five scores, including 172 yards and three TDs from Jordan McGinnis. Ryan Reimolds ran for 139 yards and a TD and Brady Downs tacked on 106 and one score. For Havana, Cayden Green ran for 205 yards and scored twice.

SCOREBOARD

Farmington 40 Elmwood-Brimfield 0			Princeville 40, United 8		
Farmington 12 14 8 8 - 40	Elmwood-Brim. 0 0 0 0 - 0	Receiving: F: Gronewold 9-221, Smith 1-(minus-2), Crawford 2-66, Lambin 1-15, Utt 1-11. EB: Windish 1-12.	Princeville 7 14 7 12 - 40	Mon. United 0 0 0 8 - 8	Tackles - F: Lambin 9, Gronewold 6, Crusen 5.5. EB: Glenn 7.
Scoring Summary			Scoring Summary		
First Quarter			First Quarter		
F - Gronewold 49 pass from Wheelwright (run failed)			P - Williams 1 run (Ahten kick)		
F - Wheelwright 1 run (run failed)			Second Quarter		
Second Quarter			P - Geiger 4 run (Ahten kick)		
F - Gronewold 91 pass from Wheelwright (Wheelwright run)			P - Benningfield 2 pass from Williams (Ahten kick)		
F - Utt 11 pass from Wheelwright (run failed)			Third Quarter		
Third Quarter			P - Johnson 84 pass from Williams (Ahten kick)		
F - Crawford 36 pass from Wheelwright (pass failed)			Fourth Quarter		
Fourth Quarter			P - Johnson 74 pass from Williams (conversion failed)		
F - Gronewold 23 pass from Wheelwright (Fleming pass from Wheelwright)			P - Geiger 4 run (conversion failed)		
Team Statistics			MU - Boone 16 run (conversion good)		
Rushes-Yds	25-62	46-209	Rushes-yds	42-191	32-46
Yds per carry	2.5	4.5	Yds per carry	4.5	1.4
Comp-Att-Int	14-25-1	1-9-3	Comp-Att-Int	10-19-1	4-13-0
Passing yds	311	12	Passing yds	283	65
Individual Statistics			Individual Statistics		
Rushing - F: Wheelwright 13-35, Utt 10-18, Smith 1-14, Fleming 2-9. EB: Windish 17-78, Glenn 18-96, Ramirez 1-3, Johnson 4-14, Kline 4-16, Estes 1-2.			Rushing - P: Geiger 19-95, Williams 9-50, Christianson 12-47. MU: Olson 3-38, Giddings 12-23, Boone 8-16, Stewart 1-2, Clark 1-(minus-2), Jenks 7-(minus-31).		
Passing - F: Wheelwright 14-21-1 291. EB: Ramirez 1-8-2 12, Windish 0-1-0.			Passing - P: Williams 10-19-1 283.		

LincolnLand - Large					LincolnLand - Small				
Overall		Conf			Overall		Conf		
W	L	W	L	W	L	W	L	W	L
Farmington	5	0	4	0	Princeville	5	0	4	0
Macomb	5	0	4	0	Stark County	5	0	4	0
Elmwood-Brim.	4	1	3	1	Rushville-Industry	4	1	4	1
Bureau Valley	3	2	2	1	Annawan-Weth.	3	2	3	2
Illini West	2	3	1	3	ROWVA-Williamsfld	3	2	2	2
Knoxville	1	4	1	3	South Fulton	1	4	1	3
West Hancock	0	5	0	3	Abingdon-Avon	1	4	1	4
LVC	0	5	0	4	Havana	1	4	1	4
Last Week					Last Week				
Farmington 40, Elmwood-Brim. 0					Princeville 40, United 8				
Stark County 39, W. Hancock 14					Stark County 39, W. Hancock 14				
Bureau Valley 46, Knoxville 13					Annawan-Weth. 36, Abingdon-A. 0				
Macomb 29, Breese Mater Dei 20					South Fulton 36, ROWVA-Will. 34				
Illini West 50, LVC 16					Rushville-Industry 38, Havana 31				
Friday, Oct. 4					Friday, Oct. 4				
Elmwood Brim. at Bureau Valley (in Manlius), 7 pm					South Fulton at Princeville, 7 pm				
Macomb at Farmington, 7 pm					ROWVA-Will. at Stark County, 7 pm				
Knoxville at Illini West, 7 pm					Annawan-Weth. at Havana, 7 pm				
LVC at West Hancock, 7 pm					Mon. United at Abingdon-A, 7 pm				
MU: Boone 1-2-0 55, Jenks 3-10-0 10, Clark 0-1-0 0.					Heyworth at Rushville-Industry, 7 pm				
Receiving - P: Johnson 4-187, Benningfield 3-50, Day 2-41, Blunier 1-5.					Rushing - SF: Adkins 19-99, Essex 10-39, Fawcett 9-23, Martin 1-3.				
MU: Stewart 3-58, Sperry 1-7.					Passing - SF: Fawcett 3-8-0 81.				
Tackles - P: Lowery, Sarnes 9.					Receiving - SF: K.Foglesong 2-78, Martin 1-3.				
South Fulton 36 (OT) ROWVA-Williamsfield 34					Tackles - SF: R.Foglesong 11, Carruthers 9.				
Individual Statistics									

Farmers win Fulton Co. tourney

By PHIL JOHNSON

For The Weekly Post

Surging Farmington swept through the Fulton County volleyball tournament on Saturday, topping North Fulton, Canton, Lewistown and South Fulton.

Alayna Keefer led the Lady Farmers (12-7) in the tournament with 38 kills, 10 ace serves and 20 assists. Kayleigh Toombs blocked 10. Claire Hanlin dug 33 off the floor.

FHS won at South Fulton last Thursday, 25-14, 25-22. Keefer was busy with six kills, four aces and nine assists. Meaghan Carpenter recorded five blocks. Bella Archdale was the digs leader, with 10.

The Lady Farmers swept Midwest Central 25-21, 25-15 in a nonconference matchup on Sept. 24. Keefer set 11 assists to go with nine kills. Four players recorded two blocks each: Archdale, Toombs, Carpenter and Jessamin Albritton. Hanlin hit the floor for six digs.

Farmington is home on Monday vs. Lewistown.

• **Brimfield** – Brimfield (16-2-1) placed third last Saturday at the Knoxville Invite, defeating Ridge-wood (25-17, 25-13) and Kewanee Wethersfield (25-17, 25-21). BHS tied Kewanee and fell to Knoxville (25-23, 26-24).

Chloe Fabry and Anja Nelson were named to the all-tournament team.

“Anja Nelson has surpassed 500 varsity digs as a sophomore,” Coach McKenna Weaver said.

Kennedy Teubel led Brimfield in kills with 37 for the tournament. Nelson saved volleys with 48 digs on the day. Ava Heinz defended with eight blocks. Kylie Frail set for 47 assists on the day. Chloe Fabry shot 10 ace serves at the tournament.

The Lady Indians won at Illini Bluffs last Thursday, 25-12, 16-25, 25-18.

Fabry collected seven kills, two blocks and one ace. Teubel scored on seven kills. Frail set for 13 assists. Nelson dug 20.

BHS is at Lewistown today (Oct. 3).

• **Elmwood** – Elmwood (7-16) downed Bushnell-Prairie City at home on Monday, 25-15-, 25-11.

The Lady Trojans lost to North Fulton in a close match (26-24, 25-23) last Thursday at home.

Cheyenne Burge was a big scorer on the night, with 19 kills and two aces. Payge Ryan had 24 assists and two aces. CeCe Conklin also served two aces. Gianna Ramirez added six kills.

“The girls played well in both of these sets. They have been hustling and doing better coverage,” Coach Chelsea Brown said. “Our recent losses have been very close sets.”

Elmwood battled to a 25-21, 25-22 sweep over West Prairie at home on Sept. 24. Burge and Ramirez each scored six kills. Ryan paced the Lady Trojans in assists. Sami Centers served two aces.

EHS is at Knoxville today.

• **Princeville** – The Lady

Princes (7-14) swept Galva 25-18, 25-16 on Monday on the road.

Jameson McGinn recorded nine kills, Harper Francis served three aces and Mazie Streitmatter recorded 17 assists.

Princeville lost at home to Annawan 25-23, 25-18 on Sept. 25. Francis had four kills and three blocks, Sahara Streitmatter served two aces and Mazie Streitmatter set 10 assists.

PHS is at Peoria Christian today.

• **ROWVA-Williamsfield** – The Lady Cougars (11-6) won at Stark County 25-11, 25-9 last Thursday. Sawyer Secrist recorded five kills, one block and five digs. Addie Byrd came up with four kills. Riley Smith blocked one. Ella Rigg dug five. Tori Trotter assisted on 13 scores.

The Lady Cougars traveled to Roanoke-Benson on Sept. 24 for a three-set win (25-17, 20-25, 25-13).

Secrist was very busy, with 15 kills and seven digs. Trotter led in assists, with 31. Rigg recorded seven digs. Olivia Cokel defended with three blocks.

R-W is at Galva on Monday.

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Farmers rout E-B

40-0 win 10th straight for Farmington

By **JEFF LAMPE**
For The Weekly Post

ELMWOOD – You will not beat this year’s Farmington football team if you repeatedly take penalties.

Or if you can’t stop the pass.

Of if you can’t find a way to overcome the Farmers’ defensive-line depth.

Failure in those three areas played a role in the lopsided nature of No. 2 ranked Farmington’s

40-0 LincolnLand Conference large-division win over previously unbeaten Elmwood-Brimfield last Friday at Whitney Field.

The win may not have been a surprise in a series that has seen the Farmers (5-0, 4-0) win 10 straight and 12 of the last 16. The margin was, even for Farmington coaches.

“I thought what everybody else thought ... it was going to be a higher-scoring game,” Farmington Coach Toby Vallas said.

“And I thought it would be back and forth.”

For a few series, there was give and take. But the Farmers struck first, with 5:01 left in the first quarter on a 49-yard bomb to Jack Gronewold from Lane Wheelwright.

A junior, Gronewold was arguably the best player on the field. He would later haul in 91- and 23-yard touchdown passes, finished with nine catches for

207 yards, grabbed two interceptions and dealt out several hard hits.

“I think he’s a stud,” Vallas said.

Not long after its first touchdown, Farmington blocked a punt by E-B (4-1, 3-1) to set up Wheelwright for a 1-yard scoring plunge with 2:02 left in the opening quarter.

Farmington’s first drive of the second quarter resulted in the 91-yard pass to Gronewold for a 20-0 lead.

Did you know?

Farmington is 12-4 against Elmwood-Brimfield since the teams resumed their rivalry in 2010.



Bo Windish of Elmwood-Brimfield and Carter Lambin of Farmington square off last Friday. Photo by Collin Fairfield.

Then, after a personal foul penalty on E-B got the Farmers out of a potential long fourth down, Wheelwright passed to Logan Utt for an 11-yard score.

“You look at the first half, there were a few penalties and about three big plays, and that’s kind of the tale of the game, I think,” E-B Coach Todd Hollis said. “The team that can capitalize on big

plays ... they have guys that can get out and run, and their quarterback can really throw the ball well. And that makes you dangerous.”

Trailing 20-0 at halftime was bad news for the run-oriented Trojans, who never got the ground game going and finished 0-for-7 passing, with three interceptions.

A two-headed running *Continued on Page 18*

Princes perfect, but not celebrating yet

By **NICK VLAHOS**

For The Weekly Post
MONMOUTH – For the second consecutive year, Princeville has put itself in position to play in the football postseason. But Princeville Coach Jon Carruthers isn’t quite ready to celebrate.

If the Princes win Friday night (Oct. 4) at home against South Fulton, they’ll be 6-0 and assured of a state-playoffs berth. Princeville became playoff eligible Sept. 27, when it beat Monmouth United 40-8 to go to 5-0 overall and 4-0 in the LincolnLand Conference small-school division.

But South Fulton’s first victory of the season, which came that same night against a highly regarded ROWVA-Williamsfield squad, did not go unnoticed in Princeville.

“That was a huge upset. I think that got the kids’ attention,” said Carruthers, whose team is tied with Stark County for first place in the league. “It’ll defi-

nitely help me assure them the need to buckle down this week.

“I’ve had teams that were 5-0 before and not win another game all season. I reminded the kids of that. You haven’t clinched a playoff spot. Until we clinch something, it’s still not there. We really want to get that sixth win, get that tied down and then we can worry about everything else from there.”

Worries were few against winless United, which didn’t score until 26 seconds were left in the game.

Princeville gained 474 yards of total offense, including 283 yards passing from Jake Williams. His second-half touchdown passes to Hunter Johnson went for 84 and 74 yards.

Johnson finished with 187 yards on just four pass receptions. Jett Benningfield also caught a pass for a touchdown that gave Princeville a 21-0 lead 1:14 before halftime.

“Just being two-dimen- *Continued on Page 18*

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