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News in Brief

Emington 3rd of July Planning Meeting

The 3rd of July planning meeting, sponsored by the Emington Community Association, will be on January 13, at 6:30 p.m. at the Roadrunner Family Restaurant. Volunteers are being accepted to fill positions.

Cemetery Gate Update

An update on the Oak Lawn Cemetery gate project started by Scott Hager is as follows:

Beautiful black granite emblems, cut into three by six slabs, in addition to four by three square tops have been ordered. They have been specially ordered from Italy, and while they have arrived, they are currently being stored indoors in Michigan. As the weather begins to get warmer, they will be shipped to Dwight and engraved, as well as laid. The Cemetery is located just west of Dwight on Rt. 17. The Cemetery has been a part of Dwight since its inception 136 years ago. The pillars, which were removed five years ago due to damage, also had to be updated to comply with new Cemetery laws.

The project is targeted to be completed in Spring.



The 2nd DTHS Athletic Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony was held January 3 in the Dwight Kresl Gymnasium. DTHS Principal Dan Kaiser congratulates 2014 inductee Henry Lund. Dwight Athletic Director, Ryan Kemp, right, spearheaded the Hall of Fame idea for Dwight.



PICTURED ABOVE are the gentlemen who continue to keep the Bingo program running at the Gardner American Legion, even in Donald Glasgow's absence. From left: Ed Christensen, Bob Thorson, Danny Anderson, Donald Glasgow (last remaining original creator), John Hollmeyer, Dennis Huston, and Paul Chase.

Follow Donald Glasgow and Become a Bingo Shark at the Gardner American Legion

by Bridget De Waard

Every Thursday at the Gardner American Legion Hall, Bingo is played promptly at 6:30 p.m., with nothing unusual happening besides the odd stroke of beginner's luck every once in a while.

But on Friday, January 3, Don Glasgow, one of the original creators of the Bingo event at the Legion, made the trip to his hometown of Gardner from Huntley to attend the group's 50th year of hosting and playing the game.

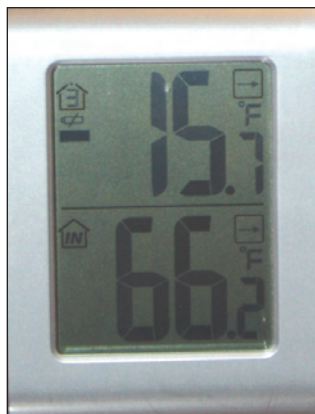
Of the original group that formed the Bingo night, Don Glasglow is the sole surviving member. Ed Kewin, Bob Kewin, John Kociss, Chuck McDonald, Glenn Wise, Hank Vignocci, George Porth, and John Holmes were all instrumen-

tal in starting the program, in addition to Donald.

"The old guys started it, and the young guys took over," Donald said with a laugh. "We've all played an important role in keeping (continued on page 8)



No matter how you look at it...
it's COLD OUTSIDE!



Temperature
Monday, January 6
-15°
Real Feel
-40°



HEROES ARE HOME! Recently, the DTHS Digital Media class had the pleasure of interviewing a local veteran, Jerry Curtis, as part of the "Heroes Are Home" project. Above, DTHS student Brandon Allen interviews Mr. Curtis as students Sage Herr and Maddie Bossert observe.



HEROES ARE HOME! Memorializes Local Veterans

by Madelyn Fogarty
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Capturing memories and learning about past experiences is an important way to not only preserve our past but, also, shape our future.

At Dwight Township High School, a new Digital Media class is partnering with the Dwight Rotary Club, VFW Post 2608, and American Legion Post 486 in a community project designed to capture the stories and experiences of local veterans who served our country at some point in their lifetime. The project, Heroes Are Home!, is the service project of current Dwight Rotary Club President, Dr. Richard Jancek.

When first kicking off

the project, Dr. Jancek met with the local VFW and American Legion to identify Dwight's oldest veterans. However, the focus of the project changed to include all local men and women who have served in the military.

"Originally, we wanted to capture the thoughts of our most senior veterans in town," Dr. Jancek told *The Paper*. "However, we decided to open up the opportunity to all of Dwight's veterans no matter their age or in which war or conflict they served."

Under the direction of DTHS Business Teacher Eric Long, students from the DTHS Digital Media class have begun interview-

ing these local veterans and asking a wide range of questions regarding their military experiences. Using audiovisual equipment purchased through donations from the Dwight Rotary Club, the interviews are being recorded, edited, and pictures will be added.

"Our class will edit the video and audio taken to produce it as professionally as possible," said Mr. Long. Once production is complete, the final product is saved to DVD as well as preserved in digital file form. Copies will be presented to the veteran / family and also made available to local learning centers such as the DTHS and Dwight Public Libraries.

Due to the Digital Media class only being one semester long, students will rotate into the project twice a year.

"I envision this project lasting several years and involving hundreds of people," said Dr. Jancek.

Local veterans, who have not already received an information packet or have questions, can contact Eric Long at 815-584-6291 or Dr. Jancek at 815-584-6216.

"I am very proud of this initiative and believe it brings a lot of people together, young and old, and will recognize and memorialize our veterans into Dwight History," said Dr. Jancek.

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by Dwight Police
December 28, 2013: Paul D. Hortenstine, 66, Shorewood, speeding (radar), 69/40.

December 30: Echo R. Fisher, 51, Bloomington, speeding (radar) 83/55.

Persons in the police report are innocent of any charges until proven guilty in a court of law.

Weekly Ambulance Runs

by Dwight EMS
December 30, 2013: Main, medical, Morris.

December 31: Union, fire; Chippewa, fire alarm; Spencer, medical, refusal; Andrew, medical, Morris; Prairie, medical, Morris.

January 1, 2014: Stonewall Road, medical, Morris; Chicago, gas odor; Main, fire.

January 2: Mazon Avenue, trauma, Riverside.

Accident Investigated of Dwight Police

Sunday, December 29, 2013, 5:20 p.m., 100 Watters Dr., Dwight – Officer Charlie Houch: A 2007 Chevrolet Tahoe being driven by Cynthia L. Aziere of Blue Springs, Missouri collided with a non-moving 2001 Toyota Avalon, with Eglend L. Manh of Tallahassee, Florida the driver.

DUI Numbers Drop, Programs Cited for Decrease

Grundy County State's Attorney Jason Helland announced that the county saw a 6.6% decrease in misdemeanor DUI arrests between 2012 and 2013. In 2012, Grundy County law enforcement officials made 181 misdemeanor DUI arrests, as compared to 169 in 2013.

"My feeling is when there is a culture of no-nonsense DUI enforcement and the laws are enforced, the community will act accordingly and DUI numbers will continue to decrease," said Helland. "If DUIs are not vigorously enforced, I would expect to see an increase in DUI numbers."

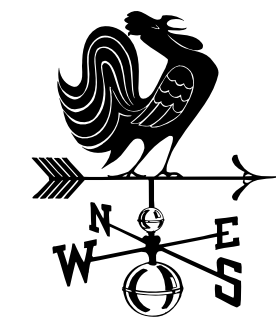
Helland credits preventative measures taken by the State's Attorney's Office and other local law enforcement agencies for the 6.6% reduction in DUIs in Grundy County in 2013.

For the first time in Grundy County, Helland implemented "No Refusal" Weekends in 2013. The first "No Refusal" Weekend was during the Super Bowl, a weekend that is known for a spike in DUI arrests.

On May 15, 2013, Helland partnered with the Alliance Against Intoxicated Motorists to bring the Drunk Buster Award program to Grundy County. This program encourages drivers with cellphones to report impaired driving to the police. "The purpose of the program is to deter people from thinking about driving a vehicle while impaired. The message we have sent to the public is simple--local law enforcement is actively looking to get impaired drivers off the road."

The State's Attorney's Office and AAIM also partnered to put on school assemblies at Morris, GSW, and Seneca High Schools to warn students of the dangers of destructive decision making. Helland plans on putting on the presentation again at Minooka and Coal City High Schools before Prom.

On October 3, 2013, Helland announced that his office was going to begin offering the Secure Continuous Remote Alcohol Monitor (SCRAM) as an alternative to jail in order to benefit



Temps, 2013-14

Dec. 26 – high 35°, low 13°
Dec. 27 – high 46°, low 22°
Dec. 28 – high 52°, low 31°
Dec. 29 – high 32°, low 2°
Dec. 30 – high 14°, low -1°
.05" precip .5" snow
Dec. 31 – high 18°, low 0°
trace snow
Jan. 1 – high 21°, low -4°
.04" precip. 3" snow
One Year Ago - Jan. 9, 2013
high 50°, low 20°



MOTHER NATURE went on a cold, snowy, rampage this past weekend, but took time out to delightfully decorate this dogwood tree early Sunday morning. Wind eventually destroyed the artistry.

Gerrymandering Under Fire

by Tom Tock

gerrymandering, ie., — the arrangement of the political divisions of a city, state, county, etc. to give one political party an unfair advantage in elections. - World Dictionary

The key word in the above definition is "unfair." Gerrymandering is unfair because voters -- all voters -- suffer from the fact that Illinois election districts have their boundaries determined by the political party that is in the majority.

This means the reigning party can determine how it will benefit the most from any boundary changes.

The party out of power can object to such boundary changes, but the majority party can overcome those objections.

Much has been written about the Democratic Party's gerrymandering of districts following the 2010 census, but it doesn't matter which party is in the majority when new districts are established; under present law that party



pendent redistricting commission... one not controlled by Republicans, Democrats, Independents, or any political party with a legislative majority.

However -- 300,000 signatures are necessary to place the initiative on the November ballot.

Petitions are presently available for signing in Dwight at *The Paper*. Other locations will be announced as the petition drive gains momentum. Signatures must be filed no later than May 4, 2014.

The Pantagraph, Chicago Tribune, Champaign-Urbana News-Gazette, Chicago Sun-Times, Pekin Daily Times, and Peoria Journal Star are among the newspapers that have endorsed the drive to amend the redistricting process in Illinois. But the most important endorsements will come from the 300,000 voters who sign a petition to place a referendum on the November ballot that could very well end gerrymandering in Illinois.

will always have the advantage of determining the boundaries of new election districts.

That stacks the deck in favor of the majority party. The gerrymandering that took place in Illinois before the 2012 election was judged to be some of the worst ever. **Yes! for Independent Maps**, a group working to put voters back in charge of redistricting, stated: "Political leaders own the process of drawing legislative maps. Behind closed doors, they rig the district boundaries to control who will be elected, leaving voters without a voice."

The solution? A referendum on the November 2014 ballot which would support the formation of an inde-

Gardner Fire Protection District Weekly Calls

December 31, 2013: Fire, semi trailer fire, I-55.

January 4: Medical, refusal, South East.

January 5: Medical, S. Lutz Road.

Change in Mental Health Board Meeting

The Livingston County mental health 708 board meeting has been changed to Thursday, January 30, at 4 p.m.

New Illinois Law Will Allow Seventeen Year Olds to Vote

Bruce Clark, Kankakee County Clerk, wishes to announce that a new Illinois law took effect on January 1, allowing 17 year olds to vote in primary elections if they will turn 18 on or before the next General Election.

A person who is 17 years old on the date of a Primary Election, and who is otherwise qualified to vote, may vote in the Primary, including voting by absentee, grace period, or early voting ballot with respect to that Primary, if that person will be 18 years old on the date of the immediately following General Election.

Individuals can register to vote at the Kankakee County Clerk's Office, 189 E. Court St., Kankakee. Registrations are also taken at the

Secretary of State Driver's License facility when applying for a driver's license or state ID card.

A mail-in registration form is available on the County Clerk's website, www.kankakeecountyclerk.com. When registering in person, two forms of identification are required; at least one must show the registrant's name and current address.

Upcoming elections in Kankakee County include the March 18 General Primary Election and the November 4 General Election. The deadline for registering to vote in the Primary Election is February 18. For more information, contact the County Clerk's Office at 815-937-2990.

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TRI-POINT NHS students represented their community at the Ford County Relay for Life in Gibson City June 1. Pictured, front row, are Lauren Mohler, Austin Buckley, Brooke Haag and Katy Haag; back row, Jared Haeme and Brandon Wilkerson.

July -

Tri-Point National Honor Society had a 5K run and two mile fun walk in Cullom Park to raise money for the American Cancer Society. They had 91 runners and 184 walkers participate in the event. In addition to the 5K run, they also raised money by having coin collection competitions amongst the classes in the lower elementary building in Kempton and upper elementary/junior high building in Piper City. As a result, the Tri-Point National Honor Society was able to donate \$6,000 to the American Cancer Society Relay for Life of Ford County.

REP Energy Solutions, an international company that has met several times with Dwight village officials concerning the reopening of the former Coils, Inc. plant on West Waupansie St., has not scheduled any further meetings.

Kiefer Kious, Dwight, won the long drive competition during the Dwight Country Club's 100th Anniversary celebration.



Kiefer Kious

The Midwest Conference released its all-conference selections on Thursday, and junior Amber Eisha, of South Wilmington and a Gardner-South Wilmington graduate, is a member of the 2013 All MWC South Division First Team as a pitcher. Eisha was also a first team all-conference pick in 2011 and 2012.

The Jim Enger Dwight Youth Baseball All Stars Tournament was held July 19 and 20 at Garrett Park. Before the final game, a plaque commemorating Jim Enger's 30+ years of service to the league and the youth of Dwight was presented to his family since Jim was unable to attend. The announcement was made to officially name the tournament the Jim Enger Invitational Tournament.

August -

ALDI Inc., Dwight Division broke ground for what will be a 100,000 square foot warehouse expansion – 60,000 additional square feet for perishable product and 40,000 additional square feet for dry goods. The expansion brought the Dwight facility's total warehouse space to 460,000 sq ft. The ALDI warehouse also



recruited to play baseball, and is majoring in Physical Education.

The Herscher Area Historical Plaza was dedicated outside the Village Hall during Labor Day festivities. Mayor Ray Schneider gave the dedication speech.

In the IVC Softball tournament Dwight 8th grade Redbirds won 1st place.

A plaque was presented to the board recognizing Dwight Grade School as a winner of a \$10,000 grant in Monsanto's second annual America's Farmers Grow Rural Education program. America's Farmers Grow Rural Education is sponsored by the Monsanto Fund to help farmers positively impact their communities by supporting local school districts. DGS has directed the money for the purchase of seven BrightLink electronic whiteboard systems.

Just over 200 contestants participated in the Harvest Days 5K Race this year on Sunday, September 22.

October -

A recommendation by the Plan Commission to approve a Special Use Permit for 118 E. Main Street to allow dwelling units on the second floor of the building was put on hold following concerns expressed by some board members regarding a secondary fire escape route from the proposed second story living area.

Patrons checked out historical exhibits and more at the Gardner Village Hall during Gardner's "Night on the Town" September 24.

The National Honor Society at GSW High School held its annual Community Food Drive. Collec-



Herscher Area Historical Plaza dedication, Sept. 2013

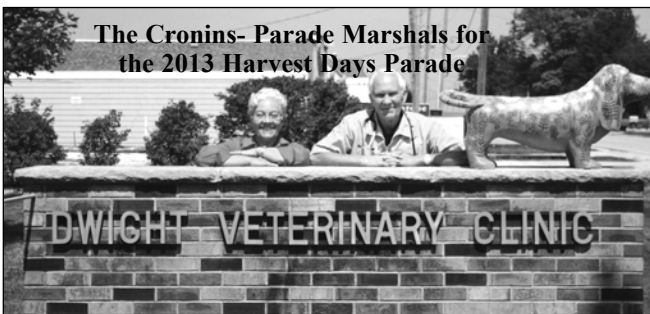
tion took place on Sunday, October 27

The Lewis University Gospel Choir gave a thunderous performance in the Garden Room of the Country Mansion. This was the choir's 26th year at Lewis.

A needed heating/cooling project for Dwight Grade School may be in the future as an opportunity to acquire some additional funding through two Illinois grant programs was announced. At the October meeting of the DGS Board of Education, Superintendent Dr. Richard Jancek outlined the grant opportunities and recommended that the board explore options by applying for the grants.

Dwight Grade School improved its financial status rating from its 2012 "Review" status to "Recognition" in 2013. In 2010, Dwight Grade School's rating was "Warning." The designation of "Recognition" is the best financial rating for school districts in the State of Illinois.

Al Lindsey, a 24 year veteran of Illinois State Police, and former Pontiac Police Chief, was chosen to complete the term Marty Meredith recently resigned from.



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IDA SCHOPP of Gardner, Grand Marshal of Sunday's Morris Corn Festival parade, points to a photo of former Gardner jeweler Walter Peck. Peck's photo was among the displays in the historical exhibits at the Gardner Village Hall during Gardner's "Night on the Town" September 24. Peck, a lover of astronomy, had a store where the Gardner Lions fountain is now located.



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What's Your Retirement Vision

When you start out in your career, you're probably not thinking much about retirement. At this point, your picture of a "retirement lifestyle" may be, at best, hazy, hidden as it is behind a veil of experiences you've yet to encounter. But as you move through the years, your view of retirement comes into clearer and closer focus — and this vision will have a big impact on your savings and investment strategies.

Consequently, to create and implement those strategies effectively, you'll need to define your retirement vision by identifying its various parts. Here are some to consider:

* **Travel** — If you're like many people, you may dream of traveling during your retirement. But what does "travel" mean to you? Do you envision taking a cruise or an international trip every year? Or is your idea of travel just a short jaunt to a popular destination, such as a lake or the mountains or the beach? The difference in costs between global and U.S.-based travel can be enormous, so you'll need to define your goals and estimate your expenses.

* **Second home** — Once you retire, you'll have to make some housing-related decisions. Should you sell your home and "downsize"? Or do you want to keep your current residence and possibly purchase a second home, such as a condominium, in another part of the country? Obviously, you'll need to factor in these choices when you think about how to invest before you retire and how to manage your withdrawals from your 401(k), IRA and other accounts during your retirement.

* **Volunteer activities** — You might think that your volunteer activities during retirement won't affect your finances much. But if you are particularly ambitious, and your volunteerism involves travel, renting space, purchasing equipment and so on, you might be looking at some large cash outlays. Furthermore, if you host people at your house, you may be incurring some types of liability risk, which you might need to address through appropriate insurance coverage.

* **Hobbies** — During your working years, you may pursue your hobbies always with the thought that you can devote a lot more time to them after you retire. However, expanded hobby activities may involve expanded costs. For example, if you're good with cars, you might decide to invest in that foreign sports car of which you've dreamed. Or, if you're fascinated by genealogy, perhaps you'll start traveling to places once inhabited by your ancestors. These types of activities can be expensive, so you'll have to evaluate your saving, spending and investing habits to determine how to accommodate your increased expenditures on your hobbies.

* **Second career** — Many people look forward to retiring from one career so they can start another — opening a small business, consulting or even taking a part-time job. Clearly, if you were to start your own business, some expenses would be involved, so you'll have to plan for them. Even if you become a consultant or work part time, you could incur various costs, including travel. And, in relation to these types of work, you may also have insurance and health care issues to address.

By identifying the various components of your retirement vision, and estimating their respective costs, you can make those saving, spending and investment choices that can help you work toward your retirement dream.

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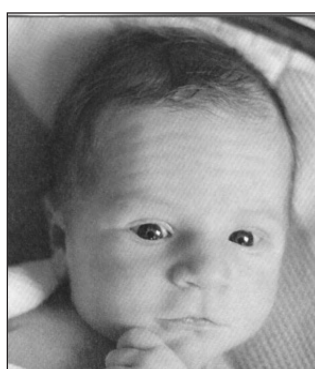
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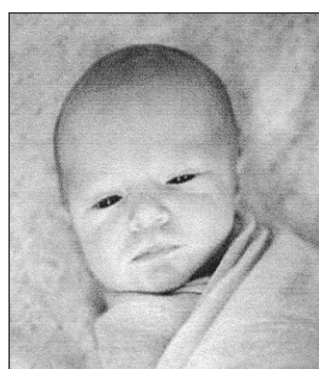
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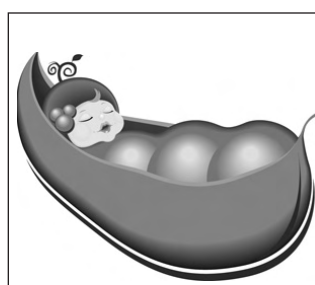
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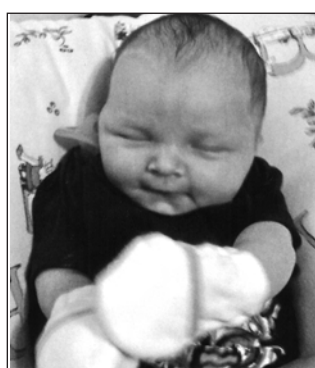
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Shawn & Elizabeth Schott



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Meg and Mike Franks



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Justin James Jardine
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Sean Jardine & Cassandra Price



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May 23, 2013
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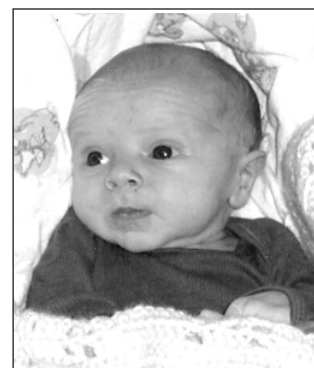
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Mathieu & Kelsey (Ferguson) Vansandt



Tinley Ann Ahart
June 29, 2013 9:03 p.m.
Cassie O'Donnell & Adam Ahart



Nolan Michael Mills
July 16, 2013 10:34 a.m.
Tyler Mills & Jessica Legner



Sawyer Anthony Nyman
August 13, 2013 7:49 a.m.
Brandon & Nicole Nyman



Macelyn Paige Longtin
August 23, 2013 9:16 a.m.
Andrea & Ryan Longtin



Scarlett Elise Miner
August 27, 2013 4:54 p.m.
Pete Miner & Shanna Peterson



Kamren Joseph Olbrot
September 11, 2013 4:02 a.m.
Katya Harris & Chris Olbrot



Hudson Sean Adams
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Ayla Renee Bunting
October 3, 2013 5:36 p.m.
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Mia Lynn Olson
October 23, 2013 10:00 a.m.
Jacob & Katie Olsen



Elsa Suzanne Golden
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Erik & Carrie Golden

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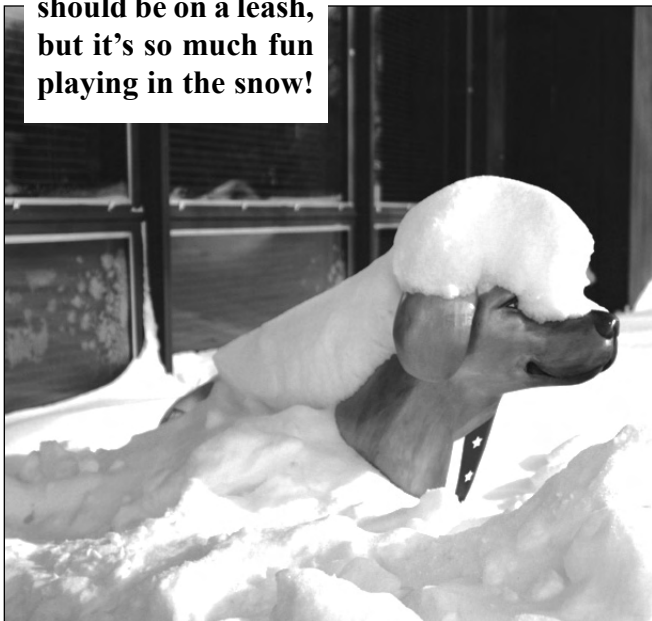
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Tri-Point FFA Alumni Auction

The Tri-Point FFA Alumni will be holding its 15th Annual Scholarship Auction on Wednesday, January 15, at the Kempton Legion Hall.

The event will begin with a complimentary meal beginning at 5 p.m. The live auction will begin at 6:30 p.m. Many silent auction items will be available beginning at 5 p.m., followed by the live auction.

The proceeds from the auction are used for scholarships and incentives for Tri-Point FFA members as well as improvements for the Tri-Point High School Agriculture Department.

Go and enjoy a delicious meal and support the local FFA members and the Alumni. Donations are still being accepted. Those with questions are asked to contact Kristine Haag, Tri-Point FFA Alumni president, at 815-689-2231 or Tri-Point Agriculture Teacher, Diana Loschen, at 815-689-2110, ext. 301.

Tri-Point FFA Annual Pork Chop Dinner

The Tri-Point FFA will be holding its annual pork chop dinner on Friday, January 17, at the high school in Cullom.

The meal, which will be served from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., will consist of butterfly pork chops, baked potatoes, green beans, applesauce, rolls, beverage and dessert.

There is a discount for purchasing tickets in advance, but there will also be tickets available for purchase at the door. Tickets may be purchased from any FFA member and carry-outs are available.

The Tri-Point boys' basketball team will be in action at home that night.

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Kankakee Quilt Makers Guild Meeting

The Kankakee Quilt Makers Guild will be holding a meeting on Thursday, January 9, at 7 p.m. The Guild meets at the Calvary Bible Church, located at 2587 E. Armour Road, Bourbonnais.

The Kankakee Quilt Makers January program

will feature local artist Natalie Seaton. Natalie paints lovely watercolors and has designed a line of fabric called "I Heart You" for "In the Beginning" Fabric Co.

She will also have some of her art work to display, and it is hoped that she will

Chatsworth Corner

by Mare Reardanz



Norma Kerber, Chatsworth Town Clerk

Chatsworth is blessed with Norma Kerber, Town Clerk. Norma is our "Go To" person in Chatsworth. She has been serving the town for almost four years now and has dedicated herself to preserving and promoting the town. New residents are first introduced to Norma by requesting their water be turned on.

She is a wealth of information on the town from when garbage pickup is, to a multitude of phone numbers to gain services in and about town. It is her friendly and accommodating voice that welcomes everyone to Chatsworth. Serving under "Red Eye" Haberkorn and the present mayor, Richard Runyon, she has seen many changes and hopes to see more. Most recently is the beautification of the downtown area. From flowers to walkways Chatsworth is getting a face lift.

"It seems like Chatsworth is waking up from a long sleep and residents are beginning to work together as neighbors like they used to years ago," Kerber said. "I remember when you knew almost everyone in this town, who kids belonged to, and even which dog lived where. Step out of line and you were sure to hear about it. Gone also are the days of the Chatsworth High School, three car dealerships, five service stations, two grocery stores, a dance hall and a movie theater. And that was only back in the late '60's and '70's!"

Chad Ledford, Superintendent of Street and Alleys, would like to see the Safe Walks to School grant continued and sidewalks replaced in many parts of town. He also would like to

continue to resolve the drainage issues that have been a problem in the past.



Chad Ledford, Supt. of Street and Alleys

Ledford was also excited about ten of the Chatsworth Fire Fighters going to Coralville, Iowa the end of January to compete in the water fights. Chatsworth's reputation locally as tough competition in water fights may bring home the trophy this year.

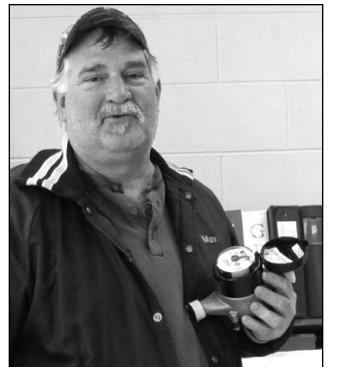
Superintendent of Water and Sewers, Steve Maxson, hopes to see the building of a new water plant and filtration system for the town. "Our present filter has been due to be replaced for the past 14 years. This can only make our already good water better," Maxson said. "There have been 400 new radio controlled water meters installed in homes already. This was a two year project that may be completed in one year with the addi-

tion of about 200 more meters installed."

Maxson would also like to see Chatsworth have its own Police Department.

Trustee Josh Bell has helped the town to move forward with many events. His particular favorite would be to organize a community sale in the spring.

Chatsworth's town employees are not just employees, but residents too. There is a deep sense of commitment to the town and the well-being of its residents.



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Dante Raymond Morales

A boy!

Loreli Holmes and Anthony Morales of Dwight are happy to announce the birth of their son, Dante Raymond Morales.

Dante was born Monday, October 7, 2013 at 10:12 a.m. at Silver Cross Hospital in New Lenox. He weighed seven pounds, two ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long.

He was welcomed home by his big sister Victoria, three.

His maternal grandparents are Geraldine and William Holmes of Dwight. Paternal grandparents are Stacy and Lou Morales of Dwight.

His maternal great-grandparents are Geraldine and Thomas Coughlin of Mokena; Jess and Patti Manos of El Cajon, California; and Lucille Holmes of Yucca, Arizona and the late Simon Holmes.

Paternal great-grandparents are Ginny and Ray Sharer of Diamond.



Jason S. Francis and Jenna M. Necessary

Jason S. Francis, Jenna M. Necessary, Engaged

Jenna M. Necessary and Jason S. Francis, both of Bloomington, are happy to announce their engagement and upcoming wedding.

The date has been set for September 6, 2014, and is planned to take place at Funk's Grove Chapel in McLean.

Parents of the bride-to-be are Sue Necessary of Bloomington and Brad Necessary of McLean. Parents of the groom-to-be are Scott and Sue Francis of Odell.

Jenna has a Bachelors of Science degree in Nursing, and was recently hired as a Pediatric Critical Care nurse at Children's Hospital of Illinois.

Jason has a Bachelors of Science degree in Political Science, and currently works as an Appliance Sales specialist at Home Depot.



Pictured above are Dan McFarlane, second from left, and Judy McFarlane, receiving his award for 1,000 wins.

Dwight Native Dan McFarlane Wins 1,000th Race as Trainer

Trainer Dan McFarlane, a Dwight native, notched career Thoroughbred training victory number 1,000 when he sent out Enter Back to capture the ninth race Monday at Turf Paradise in Phoenix, Arizona.

McFarlane, 48, has been training for 21 years and achieved his first victory at Rillito Park in Tucson, Arizona, in 1989 with Avocado Green. The Dwight native then moved to Turf Paradise to train for Jim and Dennis Weir, annually among the top owners in Arizona.

Prior to going out on his own, he worked with Quarter Horses with Owel McDaniel and John Bassett

and also did a year's work under Michael Dickinson of Da Hoss fame in Maryland in 1987.

His top horses include stakes winners Ez Dreamer, Hard Seven, Page Springs, and current stakes horses Red Zeus, Of Royalty, Az Ridge, and Smarty B.

"Nice Christmas gift," said McFarlane, currently fourth in the trainer standings. "I'm thankful to the owners who helped me get here. Obviously, I couldn't have done it without them."

Enter Back returned \$25 for the win. The McFarlanes have been in Arizona since 1972.

Country Mansion to Hold January 19 Bridal Expo

Sunday, January 19, The Country Mansion, Dwight will host a Bridal Expo from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Garden Room.

There will be a wide assortment of vendors at the event, including photographers, florists, DJs, and officiants for patrons and future brides to check out and explore. Representatives will be on hand to discuss future booking possibilities as well as answer any questions about their services. Some vendors will also have raffles.

"The entire event is set up with the Bride in mind," commented Ashley Hall, a wedding coordinator at the Country Mansion. "Everything is in one room, and the intent is to make the sometimes extremely stressful process of planning a wedding easier for the soon-to-be Bride."

There is no admission fee to attend the expo, which

takes place solely in the Garden Room at the restaurant. However, if a bride is interested in booking a wedding at The Country Mansion and would like to see the rest of the restaurant, there will be staff on hand to give tours of the grounds.

"As part of the expo, The Country Mansion will be offering specials on our packages," Ashley said. "This also includes reminding those attending the expo that our Friday and Sunday weddings are discounted year round, and are available for booking."

There will be different entrees and appetizers to sample, as well as display tables that will be set up to give future brides ideas of how different decorations and colors will look when arranged together.

For additional information or questions, contact The Country Mansion at 815-584-2345.

New Books to Check Out at Dwight Prairie Creek Library

A list of new, large print, adult fiction books available for check out at Dwight Prairie Creek Public Library is as follows:

"A Fete Worse than Death," by Claudia Bishop; "Trouble in the Tarot," by Kari Lee Townsend; "Bowled Over," by Victoria Hamilton; "The One Good Thing," by Kevin Alan Milne; "Outlaw," by Ted Dekker; "King and Maxwell," by David Baldacci; "Redemption: Track-down," by James Reasoner; "The Last Lawman," "Dark Prairie," John D. Nesbitt;

"Oodles of Poodles," by Linda O. Johnston; "Spider Woman's Daughter," by Anne Hillerman; "Dead Man's Trail," by Frank Leslie; "A Cookbook Conspiracy," by Kate Carlisle; "The Heart of a Hero," by Janet Chapman; "The Bourne Retribution," by Eric Van Lustbader; "Colter's Path," by Cameron Judd; "Bad Day at Willow Creek," by Ralph Cotton; "Blood Feather," by Don Bendell; "Dead Shot," by William W. Johnston.

The Prairie Creek Public Library is located at 501 Carriage House Lane, Dwight, and can be reached at 815-584-3061.

OBITUARIES

Robert L. Orr

EMINGTON – Robert L. Orr, 77, of Emington passed away Wednesday, January 1, 2014 at OSF St. Joseph Medical Center in Bloomington.

Robert was born June 8, 1936 in Odell to Harold and Hilda Lee Orr. He graduated from Odell High School and honorably served his country in the United States Army. He married Nancy Lugar January 22, 1961 in Pontiac. He was a lifelong farmer.

He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Nancy; a daughter, Robin Orr Webb of Elk Grove Village; two sons: Phillip (Vicki) Orr of Fairbury and William (Sherri) Orr of Reddick.

Also surviving are grandchildren: Briggett, Samantha, Sydney, Seth, Jordan, Logan and Madison Orr and Alexandra and Colin Webb; one great-grandson, Jonathan Trucks; and a sister, Shirley

Nolan of Pontiac. He was preceded in death by a sister, Donna Jean Cagley; and two brothers-in-law, Jack Nolan and William "Pete" Cagley.

Robert served on the Union Township and Farm Bureau Boards. He was an active member of the Dwight United Methodist Church. He was a loving grandfather who enjoyed attending his grandchildren's sporting events, took pleasure in his career as a farmer, and was a country music fan.

His funeral service was Sunday, January 5, at 1 p.m. in the Dwight United Methodist Church.

Burial: Union Cemetery, Emington.

Visitation was Saturday from 4 until 7 p.m. at Hager Memorial Home, Dwight.

On-line condolences at: <http://www.hagermemorial.com/>

Darlene M. Limberg

STREATOR – Darlene M. Limberg, 87, of Streator passed away Thursday, January 2, 2014 at Flanagan Rehabilitation Center in Flanagan.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m., today, Wednesday, January 8, at Grace Community Church with burial to follow at 2 p.m. in Center Cemetery, Flanagan. Her grandchildren will serve as pallbearers.

Visitation was Tuesday from 4 until 7 p.m. at the church.

Darlene was born May 27, 1926 in Flanagan, daughter of Elmer and Mabel Yordy Augsburger. She married Clarence Limberg September 25, 1948.

She is survived by her children: Larry (Lucy) Limberg of Pontiac; Tom (Ellie) Limberg of Peru; Jim Limberg of Streator; Pat (Jesse) Limberg-Shook of Seattle; Deb (Bill) Miller of Brenham, Texas; and Scott (Beth) Limberg of Streator.

Also surviving are 13 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; and 11 great-great-grandchildren; brothers: Merlin Augsburger of

Eureka; Delbert Augsburger of Flanagan; Dean (Mary Etta) Augsburger of Bloomington; Donald Augsburger and Clayton (Millie) Augsburger of Flanagan; a sister, Florence Bryant of Florida; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clarence, who passed away July 3, 1991; daughter - in - law, Norma Limberg; granddaughter, Sheryl Burfield; great-great-grandson, Petey Limberg; sisters: Mardella Kenagy and Verna Heiser; and a brother, Joe Augsburger.

Darlene attended Flanagan Grade Schools and graduated from Flanagan High School in 1944. She worked at the Streator Canning Company, G. C. Murphy and Company, and then owned and operated the 4 Corners and the Fireside Restaurant.

She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church and Grace Community Church.

Memorials may be directed to the donor's choice.

Elias Funeral Home, Streator, helped the family with arrangements.

John T. Schou

CHERRY VALLEY – John T. Schou, 78, of Cherry Valley and formerly of Rockford, died at 7:40 a.m., Saturday, December 28, 2013 in Lincolnshire Place.

He was born September 20, 1935 in Dwight, son of Niels and Hilda Davidsen Schou. He married Shirley E. Benson in Varna August 14, 1960.

He earned a Bachelor's degree from Augustana College and a Master's degree from the University of Iowa in 1960. John was a teacher in Marshalltown High School, Marshalltown, Iowa, and Guilford High School.

Working at Rock Valley College for 30 years, he was a professor of history and political science from 1966-1978; the Coordinator of Audio Visual Services from 1978-1983; and the Director of Community and Continuing Education from 1983-1995.

John also taught speed reading for many years. He served on the Winnebago County Board, representing

District 14 for 16 years; and was the Winnebago County Clerk for six years.

He was a member of Alpine Lutheran Church, where he participated in ALPS and Marriage Encounters, and was the past president of the church council. He was past president of the Kiwanis Club of Rockford, and a board member for Grand View College, Northern Illinois Area Agency on Aging, and Midway Village.

He served a term as Rock Valley College Faculty President, and was a member of the American Society of Training Directors, Zone IV Clerks and Recorders, United Way Rock River Valley, and Learning Resources Network.

John is survived by his wife, Shirley; children: Karen (John) Arce of Loves Park and Brian (Holly) Schou of Bettendorf, Iowa; grandsons: Ryan and Matthew Arce; Cooper and Jackson Schou; and one brother, Robert (Audrey) Schou of Streator.

Also surviving are sisters-in-law, Jean Ann Schou and Meletta Schou of Dwight; brother-in-law, Richard (Lois) Benson of Batavia; and several nieces and nephews.

Preceding him in death were brothers: Niels, Richard and Paul Schou; and sister, Marie McNamara.

A memorial service was held at 11 a.m., Saturday, January 4, in Alpine Lutheran Church, with Rev. Woody Knutson officiating.

A memorial visitation was from 4 until 7 p.m., Friday, at the church.

Memorials may be made to Alpine Lutheran Church or Kiwanis Charities of Rockford, P.O. Box 1573, Rockford, IL 61110.

To share a memory or condolence, visit: olsonfh.com

Arrangements were by Olson Funeral & Cremation Services, Ltd.

Smart Choice Foods Order & Distribution Dates

The Smart Choice Foods January Order Date is set for Friday, January 10, from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. Distribution Day is planned for Saturday, January 25, from 11 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

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OBITUARIES

Isabel Berrong

GARDNER – Isabel Berrong, 81, of Gardner passed away Thursday, January 2, 2014 at Presence St. Joseph Medical Center, Joliet.



She was born September 3, 1932 to Henry and Lettie Dunn Dunning. Isabel enjoyed watching NCIS, shopping at Walmart, and going out to eat. She was a very loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and great-great-grandmother.

Surviving are two sons: Delbert (Helen) Berrong of Braceville and Richard (fiance Marlana McGee) Berrong of Gardner; three daughters: Deborah Chambers, Connie Chambers, and Mary Connolly, all of Gardner.

Also surviving are 10 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; one sister,

Carroll (Randall) Sturgill of Omaha, Illinois; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Preceding her in death were her husband, Delbert S. Berrong, whom she married October 7, 1950 in Harco, Illinois; and an infant daughter, Betty Jean.

Visitation was at the R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Braidwood Chapel, Saturday, January 4, from 2 until 6 p.m. Visitation was also at the Sloan Funeral Home in Galatia Monday, January 6, from 10 a.m. until the 12 noon funeral service; Steve Dunning officiated.

Interment: Palestine Cemetery in Carrier Mills.

Memorial gifts in Isabel's name may be directed to the family.

To sign her guestbook, log onto: www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com

Nancy K. Juergens

KEMPTON – Nancy K. Juergens, 75, of Kempton passed away at 12:33 a.m., Friday, January 3, 2014 at Presence St. Mary's Hospital, Kankakee.



Cremation rites have been accorded. A private memorial service will take place later this week.

Inurnment: St. Joseph's Cemetery, Cabery at a later date.

Calvert & Martin Funeral Home, Cullom, is handling the arrangements.

Nancy was born June 23, 1938 in Bloomington, daughter of Henry and Irene Boone Naas. She married Donald W. Juergens May 23, 1959 in Bradley. He preceded her in death March 30, 1998.

Surviving are two sons: John (Alice) Juergens of Bonfield and Jeff (Cheryl) of Cullom; six grandchildren:

Karla (Josh) Schweigert; Traci (Eli) Coffman; David, Brittany, Jessica and Dylan Juergens; four great-grandchildren: Ben, Joel and Caleb Toberman; and Marceya Coffman.

Also surviving are two sisters: Maxine (Ben) Hunter and Paula (Bill) Boyd; several nieces and nephews.

She was also preceded in death by her parents; and two sisters: Laurine Lehman and Elaine Adame.

Nancy was a graduate of Bradley-Bourbonnais High School. She was an avid sports fan and loved spending time with her family and adored her grandchildren. She was employed at Campus State Bank for 50 years.

The guestbook may be signed at calvertmartinmemorial.com

Helen Fillman

MAZON – As her friends and family can attest, Helen Fillman contributed selflessly to her family, church and community. With the love of her life by her side throughout most of her life's journey, Helen was ever mindful of others and left a wonderful legacy to be carried on by the generations who follow her.

It was May 10, 1924, that a wonderful family from Madison, Wisconsin welcomed a baby girl into the fold. Helen P. was the youngest of three children born to her parents, Philip Ingebrigt and Hilma Ovidia Christianson Pederson, and was raised in the family home in a subdivision of Madison along beautiful Lake Monona. She and her older siblings, Clara and Oscar, made the most of lakeside living as the lake provided them with hours of entertainment year round.

Helen loved to dance and sing, and she even did some cowboy yodeling. It was something to see and hear when Helen broke out in her "Tarzan call." Helen was a student at local schools including Madison East High School. Shortly after graduation, she worked as a secretary at Nagle Hart Tractor Equipment in Madison.

New and exciting changes were on the horizon for Helen when she was working in the office at the USO in Madison, where the military came for relaxation during the days of WW II. When Lt. Bruce Burkhardt came back to Madison to marry Helen's sister, Clara, he brought along his good friend, John Fillman, who was highly impressed with that "younger sister, Helen."

During the days, weeks, and months that followed there were numerous trips via airplane and car to Madison until

he persuaded her to marry him. John popped the question at 5000 feet up, Helen happily agreeing to move to Mazon, Illinois and become a farmer's wife.

She set right to work in making a home for her and her new husband, and an asset to the community. It wasn't easy for a "city girl" to adapt to being a farmer's wife as there were numerous meals to prepare either for home or for the field depending on where John was working. Together Helen and John welcomed two fine sons, William and Jay, and a daughter, Kristin, into their hearts and home. Helen also jumped into life in her community. She became involved with the Junior Women's Organization, serving as its president for a time. She participated with the University of Illinois Extension and University of Illinois Mother's Club, and she served on the Morris Hospital Board of Directors during which time the hospital experienced impressive growth. Helen was the administrative secretary of the Grundy County Health Improvement Association that sponsored Blue Cross/Blue Shield in the county.

John was a member of the Flying Farmers since 1945 and Helen was honored as an Illinois Flying Farmer Queen on more than one occasion. Together Helen and John served for 15 years with the WINGS program, which provided aviation safety on behalf of the Illinois Flying Farmers.

A woman of faith, Helen was actively involved with her church, Park Street Congregational United Church of Christ. Over the years she served as the

church historian and the food service chairman, participated with annual fundraising events, sang in the choir and served in other ways.

At home, Helen always decorated for the various seasons. She enjoyed preparing delicious food, and shared her pride in her Norwegian heritage by giving Scandinavian cooking demonstrations. These culinary skills were used in preparing meals for activities and benefits at her church.

Helen and her husband quilted together with Helen assisting John in designing and color coordinating more than 150 handcrafted quilts. Upon completion, the quilts were given to family, friends, and various charities.

Helen and John had great longtime friends with whom they enjoyed playing bridge and getting together for potluck dinners. She enjoyed needlepoint, sewing, and crafts such as flower pounding. In addition, Helen enjoyed traveling, reading, and gardening as well as working her entire life as a bookkeeper.

When Helen's son, Jay, took over the farming operation later in life, she and John built a new home in Mazon. A short time later she became the village treasurer, a job she continued to hold to the present time – a span of 19 years.

Helen Fillman made an impact in the lives of those who knew her and she will be deeply missed and forever cherished.

Helen Fillman of Mazon died Sunday, December 29, 2013 at Presence Saint Joseph Medical Center, Joliet.

Her family includes three

children: William (Teresa) Fillman of Alpharetta, Georgia; Kristin (Steven) Ciesemier of Glen Ellyn; and Jay (Phyllis) Fillman of Mazon; six grandchildren: Jonathan Fillman of Breckenridge, Colorado; Adam (Sarah) Fillman of Okinawa, Japan; Emily (Adam) Pepe of Hollis, New Hampshire; Kathryn Ciesemier of Brooklyn, New York; Andrew Fillman of Morris and Peter Fillman of Boston, Massachusetts.

Also surviving are two great-grandchildren: Lucas Fillman and Sophia Fillman; sister, Clara (Bruce) Burkhardt of Morris; and one sister-in-law, Lorraine Pederson of Bradenton Florida; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

Helen was preceded in death by her parents; two children in infancy; husband, John; brother, Oscar Harold Pederson; brother-in-law, Eldon (Mary) Fillman; and sister-in-law, Wilma (Donald) Sutton.

The family received friends Thursday, January 2, from 9 a.m. until the memorial service at 11 a.m. in Park Street Congregational United Church of Christ, Mazon. Pastor Tyler Carrell officiated.

A private family inurnment: Braceville - Gardner Cemetery.

Preferred memorials in lieu of flowers may be made as gifts in Helen's memory to Park Street Congregational United Church of Christ, P.O. Box 266, Mazon, IL 60444 or M.V.K. Ambulance, 606 Front St., Mazon, IL 60444.

Friends may sign the online guestbook or send private condolences to the family by logging onto:

www.ReevesFuneral.com Arrangements were made under the direction and care of Reeves Funeral Homes, Ltd., Morris.

5 Minutes with Boma



Late Night TV

Last night all over twitter and for an extended period of time on TV, one man dominated the talk. It's been a while since a person has brought late night television to the forefront. You could argue that when Leno was in his prime that he demanded that same kind of attention and maybe even Conan to an extent, and if you went back farther than that you'd be looking at Johnny Carson, Jack Parr and Steve Allen. All of the aforementioned were great in their own right but one thing that late night has struggled with of late is maintaining the interest of the younger generation. Jimmy Fallon is single-handedly bringing late night TV back. Not that it was ever dead but I think people are genuinely excited to watch his show every night and I don't know if that can be said for some of the other late night hosts like Letterman, and Kimmel. Jimmy Fallon is just a down-to-the-core funny man, and that means making a late night TV show that's supposed to be generally funny a much easier task. They had a "Best of Jimmy Fallon" on last night and I honestly think they could have had an entire day of clips if they really wanted to. I think I laughed for a half hour straight, maybe longer. Then you throw in every time he has Justin Timberlake on the show, who is also a generally funny man, and it makes for an exceptionally great show. This column is obviously a little biased, because I like Fallon the best out of the current late night hosts; however this is also from what I've been observing: on a lot of social network sites, and the fact that he's being moved to the prime-time late night slot, replacing Leno. I think what Fallon does best is that he applies to all demographics, he keeps "kids" (I use that term vaguely) interested because he's a relatively young host, and has been in some popular movies that we've grown up with over the years as well as his time on SNL. He captures older viewers because... well his show is hilarious for any audience. Then you throw in the fact that he has the legendary Roots as his late night band and you basically have the perfect storm for a late night show. If you are not an avid watcher of late night TV Fallon would be a good place to start.

* Aaron Boma
ISU Sophomore and 2012 DTHS Graduate

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Norton Township Schedule of 2014 Meetings

The following dates are for meetings of Norton Township, which will be held at 7:00 p.m. at the Norton Township Building in Buckingham, IL

January 27
February 24
March 31
April 8 (Annual Township Meeting)
April 28
May 26
June 30
July 28
August 25
September 29
October 27
November 24
December 29

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 11TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LIVINGSTON COUNTY, PONTIAC, ILLINOIS

JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A. PLAINTIFF, -vs- DYLAN WEIKLE; DEFENDANTS 13 CH 69

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Public Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment entered in the above entitled matter on September 27, 2013;

Martin Meredith, Sheriff, 110 North Main Street, Pontiac, IL 61764, will on February 11, 2014 at 10:00 AM, at Livingston County Law and Justice Center, 110 North Main Street, Pontiac, IL 61764, sell to the highest bidder for cash (ten percent (10%) at the time of sale and the balance within twenty-four (24) hours, the following described premises situated in Livingston County, Illinois.

Said sale shall be subject to general taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate and any prior liens or 1st Mortgages. The subject property is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title or recourse to Plaintiff.

Upon the sale being held and the purchaser tendering said bid in cash or certified funds, a receipt of Sale will be issued and/or a Certificate of Sale as required, which will entitle the purchaser to a deed upon confirmation of said sale by the Court.

Said property is legally described as follows:

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Permanent Index No.: 05-05-04-378-017

Improvements:	Residential
Structure	UNKNOWN
Units	UNKNOWN
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Garage	UNKNOWN
Bathrooms	UNKNOWN
Other	UNKNOWN

The property will NOT be open for inspection prior to the sale.

The judgment amount was \$91,196.64. Prospective purchasers are admonished to check the court file and title records to verify this information.

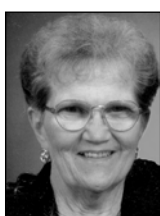
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Betty C. Colman

BOURBONNAIS – Betty C. Colman, 86, of Bourbonnais passed away at 8:45 a.m., Tuesday, December 31, 2013 at Bickford House in Bourbonnais.



Betty was born November 8, 1927 in Cabery, daughter of William and Ruth Turner Varney. She married Harold A. Colman in Cabery April 10, 1949. He preceded her in death.

Surviving are her daughter, Nancy (Mike) Larson of Bradley; two sisters: Marge Ryan of Bradley and Shirley Berger of Buckingham; five grandchildren: Andrew Peters of Bradley, Kendra and Kathryn Peters of Bourbonnais, and Shawn (Anita) Platz of Piper City; and two great-grandchildren: Tyler Jackson and Rayna Platz.

She was also preceded in death by her parents; daughter, Mary Ann Platz; and son-in-law, Ron Platz.

Betty was a graduate of

Kempton High School. She had a beautiful voice and loved to sing. She was asked to sing for many funerals and weddings. She was a former member of Bonnie Bells of Harmony.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m., Saturday, January 4, at the Cabery United Methodist Church, of which she was a member. Rev. Gene Colthurst officiated.

Burial: Colman Cemetery, rural Buckingham.

Visitation was at the church Saturday for one hour preceding the service.

Memorial contributions may be made to Kankakee Valley Hospice or Cabery United Methodist Church.

The guestbook may be signed at: calvertmartinmemorial.com

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Holy Spirit, you who solve all problems, light all roads so that I can attain my goal. You who gave me the divine gift to forgive and forget all evil against me and that in all instances in my life you are with me. I want in this short prayer to thank you for all things as you confirm once again that I never want to be separated from you in eternal glory. Thank you for your mercy towards me and mine.

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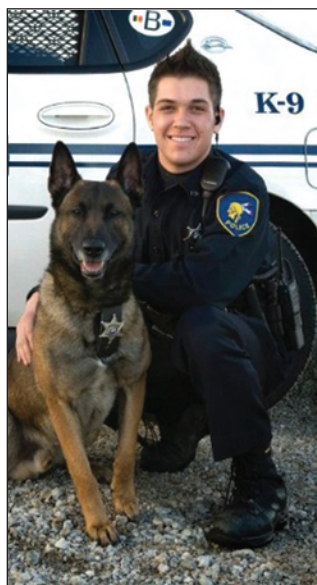
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2013 Year in Review

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Casey Kohlmeier, 1984-2013 Loss of a Role Model



November -

Twenty-nine-year-old officer Casey Kohlmeier died when an alleged drunk driver plowed into his SUV as he was taking on extra duties, action typical of this cop who had a huge future. "Casey was lost serving the people of this fine county and unfortunately with Casey going the extra mile like he always does, this is what actually has cost him his life," said Dwight Chief of Police Tim Henson.

In reports to the board, Police Chief Tim Henson announced that a Public Forum would be held in Pontiac on November 7 to discuss a proposed 25 percent 911 Telecommunications Increase to fund centralized communications.

Jason Barickman, a Champaign Republican, visited Heritage Woods in Dwight Friday and spoke with about 50 residents in the dining hall. Among the topics he covered were the now "stagnant" plans between Livingston County and the state to lease the former Dwight Correctional

Center, as well as Barickman's disappointment in the fall veto session.

On Monday, November 11, the nation honored our service men and women, thanking them for all they do, and have done, to keep this country and all of its citizens safe.

With area property values showing a decline, members of the Dwight Grade School Board of Education considered a proposal for its 2013 Tax Levy at the November 13 board session.

Small Business Saturday was celebrated across the country Saturday, November 30. Started in 2010 by American Express, this is a way of encouraging shoppers to support small local businesses.

December -

A report from the Administration Committee meeting was presented to the board along with several recommendations from the committee for approval. One of those recommendations was to support the efforts being put forth by four local organizations, all with the common goal of promoting Dwight and encouraging business, to unite as one collective organization. A proposal from IMPACT Dwight, Dwight Main Street, the Dwight Economic Development Council and



CHRISTMAS OFFICIALLY ARRIVED IN GARDNER SUNDAY NIGHT as the downtown tree lighting ceremony took place and Santa arrived to hear the special Christmas wishes of area children.

merce to join forces, along with a request for a five-year \$40,000 annual commitment from the Village, received board approval. Trustee Tim Dougherty opposed the move. IMPACT Dwight President Rodney Connor told *The Paper* that members of the four organizations "felt like there was a huge duplication of effort" and have been meeting to put a plan together with regard to combining efforts to form one united, and more efficient, organization.



Another new business, Cherry Red Roasters, opened in Dwight

Dwight's Annual Christmas Parade kicked off during a bitter cold night, turning the downtown into a festive display of Christmas Cheer, despite the Grinch's Appearance.

For the fifth consecutive year, the Dwight Village Trustees voted to not raise the Village's portion of the tax levy. At its December 16 session, the Board approved \$632,000 as the amount of revenue to be collected from taxable property within corporate limits of the Village subject to taxation for the Year 2013.

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DON'T MESS with the pros! Donald Glasgow, left, is pictured with Charlene Ferrari, who has attended the Bingo night since its inception, 50 years ago.

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this thing going for the past 50 years."

Glasgow, who grew up in Gardner and also ran the local restaurant in the town for 20 years, eventually moved to Huntley in late 2001. "When I started the program, the Legion had no money, and we used Bingo as a way to raise funds for the organization," Glasgow said. "There were several people from the Dwight VFW who helped us get started as well, and wanted to see that this program continued."

Dan Anderson, who is part of the current team of organizers who stepped up to continue the weekly Bingo night, has been a part of the program for 44 of the 50 years it's been up and running. "In the 50 years we have been doing this, we have never cancelled a game night," Anderson commented. "It may have been abbreviated, but as long as people show up, we will *always* play."

"Plus, Bingo nights here

at the Legion have become more than just the standard game," Anderson continued. "There's also raffles, pull tabs, refreshments, and several new twists on the game that make it an exciting experience each and every time you play."

When asked about any crazy Bingo stories Donald might have to share after witnessing 50 years of the game, he commented, "I don't know that I can really discuss all the details with

you," he said with a smile, "But I will say we had two different women, on two different occasions, win both \$1,000 prizes from the lightening round version of Bingo we sometimes play, which certainly caused some tension."

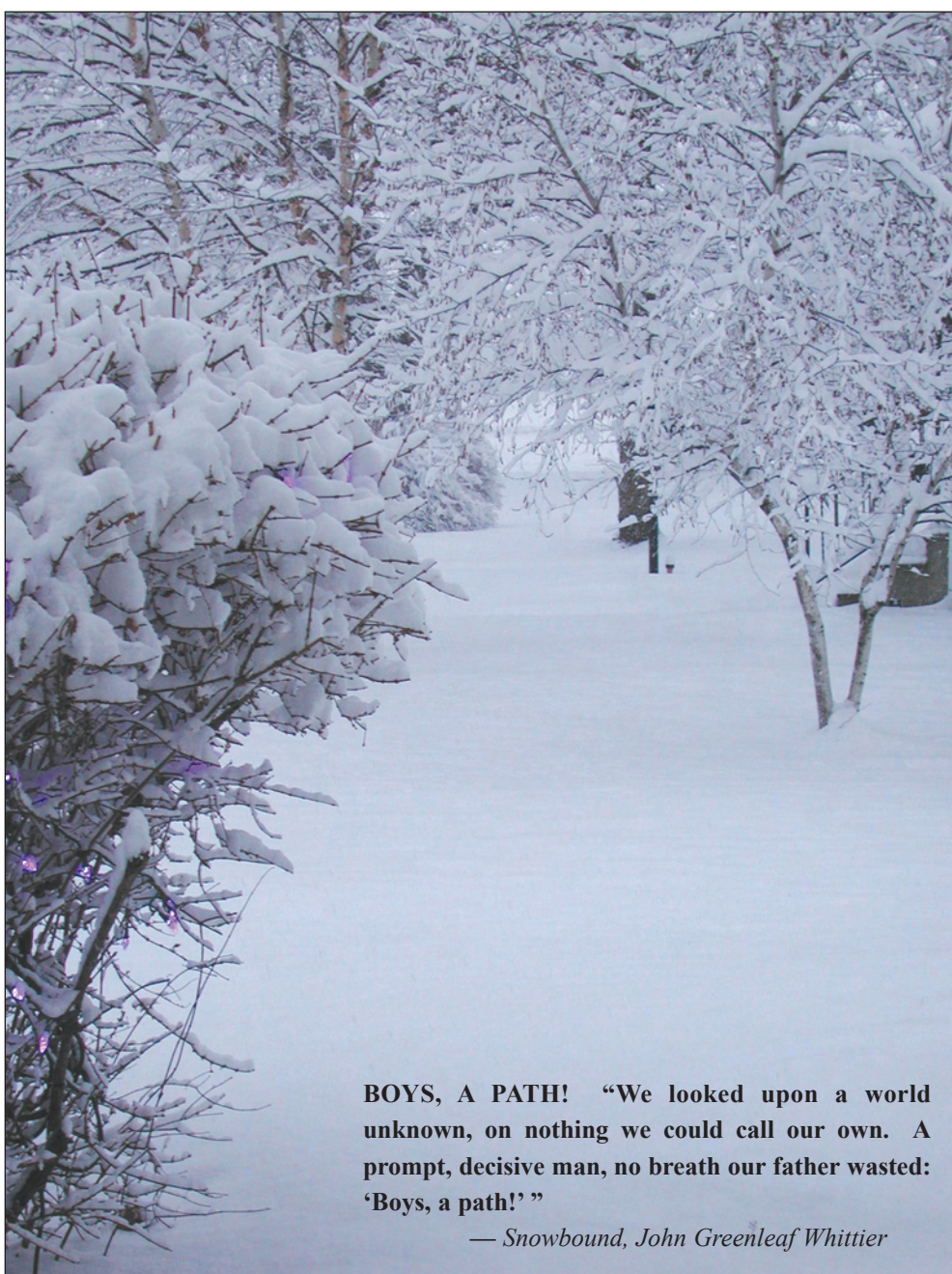
Asked if he ever played the game himself? "Over the years I had a great time," Glasgow said. "However, believe it or not, I called, but never played."

The Legion is fully licensed by the state to run the Bingo night, with 5 percent of their gross earnings funneled directly into taxes. Despite that, the program has helped support the Legion for the past 50 years, and it is hoped that it will continue to provide the necessary funds to keep the Legion running.

They play every Thursday night at the Legion, located at 426 Industry Avenue in Gardner. Doors open at 4:30 p.m. and play begins at 6:30 p.m. See you there!



FUTURE Bingo Shark in the making? Donald Glasgow, right, is pictured with Carly Seeley of Diamond, who attended Bingo on Thursday in celebration of her 18th birthday.



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SPORTS

Dwight Township HS Athletic Hall of Fame - Induction Class of 2014 -



PICTURED ABOVE and on the left are Inductees to the DTHS Athletic Hall of Fame who were honored before the Boys' Varsity home game on Friday, January 3, 2014.

Above, members of the 1962 football team able to attend are, front row, from left: Paul Zabel; John Whalen; Bill Schultz. In back, from left: Jim Finley; John Seibold; William Hooker; Gary Marx; Jerry Anderson; Jerry Olsen.

On the left are the individual inductees, who are pictured along with their plaques. They are, from left: Henry Lund; Larry Seabert, nephew of Marion Asa; Stephanie Simms-Stickel; Curt Christenson.

On Friday, January 3, Dwight Township High School held their second annual Athletic Hall of Fame induction before the Varsity boys faced off against Newark in a non-conference home game.

The first induction took place on February 1, 2013, and honored inductees Katy Koonz-Weihe, Brad Verdun, Gary Marx, Kenny Olson, John Austin, Jim Finley, and the 1980 Boys' Golf Team, which included Brian Bossert, Dan Budzius, Jeff Milbauer, Kevin Krople, Scot Banks, and Steven Trapp. The team was coached by Mr. Gross.

This years inductees included Marion Asa, Henry Lund, Stephanie Simms-Stickel, Curt Christenson, and the 1962 football team, coached by Bill Gilkey.

The purpose of the Dwight Township High School Athletic Hall of Fame is to recognize the outstanding contributions in athletics among Dwight athletes, coaches, and/or school officials.



DTHS Senior Triston Dircks was named to the Marseilles Holiday Tournament all-tournament team. The Varsity Trojans placed 3rd overall in the four-day tourney by defeating Spring Valley Hall 75-54 December 30.

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Scores from Week 17 Commercial League are as follows:
 High Scratch Game - Brandon Petry, 268
 High Scratch Series - Brandon Petry, 708
 High Handicap Game - Willy Roth, 269
 High Handicap Series - Willy Roth, 735
Standings for Week 17
 Dwight Printing, 24-8; Jackman Trucking, 20-12; Dairy Queen, 20-12; Pro Shop, 18-14; Jensens BP, 18-14; Victory Lanes, 16-16; Odell Fire Department, 15-17; A&S Exteriors, 14-18; Slammers, 7-25.



DTHS TROJANS BASKETBALL

Monday, December 30
Dwight vs. Spring Valley Hall
Marseilles Holiday Tournament
Varsity -
 The DTHS boys basketball team took third place in the Marseilles Tourney, winning 75-54 over Spring Valley.
 Stats for the game were as follows: Drew Travers, 15 points, one assist, two blocks; Triston Dircks, 13 points, three assists, one steal; Collin Irvin, 10 points,

three assists, three steals; Caleb Boma, nine points, five assists, four steals; Colton Fieldman, eight points, one assist; Devin Connolly, eight points, two assists, one steal; Ryan Gaston, six points, two steals; Jace Kennedy, two points, one steal, one block; Drew Jensen, two points; Blaine Livingston, two points; Connor Livingston, one steal.
 After the win, Dwight is 7-6 overall for the season.



Friday, January 3
Dwight vs. Newark
Varsity -
 Dwight won their home, non-conference game against Newark on Friday, January 3, 57-43.
 Stats for the night were as follows: Caleb Boma, 15 points, three assists, one steal; Triston Dircks, 12 points, five assists, two steals; Colton Fieldman, eight points, one steal, one block; Drew Travers, six points, one steal, one block; Devin Connolly, six points, one assist, one steal; Collin Irvin, five points, one assist, one steal; Ryan Gaston, five points, one assist.
 After the game, Dwight's record moved up to 8-6 overall.



Dwight Varsity Trojans Devin Connolly, left, and Jace Kennedy, above.

SPORTS Week at a Glance

WHAT	DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Dwight Boys Varsity & JV	January 10	Coal City	Coal City	5:30 p.m.
	January 11	GSW	Dwight	JV: 12:15 V: 3:15 p.m.
Dwight Boys Freshman	January 14	Pontiac	Pontiac	5:30 p.m.
Dwight Girls JV & Varsity	January 10	Coal City	Coal City	5:30 p.m.
	January 11	GSW	Dwight	JV: 11:am V: 1:30 p.m.
	January 13	Westmont	Dwight	5:30 p.m.
Dwight Girls Freshman	January 14	Pontiac	Pontiac	6:45 p.m.
Tri Point Boys JV & Varsity	January 10	St. Anne	St. Anne	6:00 p.m.
	January 11	Clifton Central	Clifton Central	5:45 p.m.
	January 14	GSW	GSW	5:45 p.m.
Tri-Point Girls JV & Varsity	January 9	Beecher	Tri-Point	5:45 p.m.
	January 11	Herscher	Herscher	11:00 a.m.
	January 13	Illinois Lutheran	Illinois Lutheran	5:45 p.m.
Gardner Boys Varsity	January 10	Illinois Lutheran	Illinois Lutheran	7:15 p.m.
	January 11	Dwight	Dwight	3:15 p.m.
	January 14	Tri-Point	GSW	7:15 p.m.
Gardner Boys JV	January 8	Iroquois West	GSW	5:45 p.m.
	January 11	Dwight	Dwight	12:15 p.m.
Gardner Girls JV & Varsity	January 9	Donovan	Donovan	5:45 p.m.
	January 11	Dwight	Dwight	JV: 11:00 a.m. V: 1:45 p.m.
	January 13	Beecher	GSW	5:45 p.m.
Dwight Boys Wrestling	January 9	Manteno & Herscher	Manteno	5:30 p.m.
Dwight Scho-Bowl	January 9	Herscher	Dwight	4:30 p.m.
	January 11	Turnabout (varsity only)	Bloomington HS	8:30 a.m.

DTHS TROJANS WRESTLING

Friday, January 3
Dwight at the New Year's Challenge Tournament
 The Trojans wrestled in the New Year's Challenge Tournament over the break.
 It is a 32 team dual team tournament held at Huff Hall in Champaign with most of the top 1A teams in Illinois competing.
 Anthony Bauer (220) and Brandon Allen (170) both went 8-0 and improved their records to 20-1 and 20-3 respectively. Jon Gallentine had a strong performance splitting matches between 145/152 and got recognized as an honorable mention in the state rankings.
 Chance Larsen returned to the lineup after being out for a month, winning six of his eight matches at 145/152 weight classes. Garrett Wardell (285) earned a huge pin against St. Thomas More.
 Also wrestling well were freshman Kyle Henson (182) and Cody Mahoney (138). The Trojans next home meet will be January 16 against Westmont and Peotone for alumni night.



DTHS Trojan #34 Colton Fieldman works to keep the ball in play Friday night against Newark.

DGS REDBIRD WRESTLING

Saturday, January 4
Coal City Invitational
12 team tournament
 On January 4 the Redbirds wrestled in the Coal City Invitational, a 12 team tournament held at Coal City High School.
 Results were as follows:
 65 lbs - Jaxson Tarnowski, Fourth Place
 75 lbs - Anthony Nelson, Fourth Place
 85 lbs - Daniel Gutierrez, Second Place
 95 lbs - Dan Muller, Second Place
 155 lbs - Ben Myzia, Third Place
 215 lbs - Kyle Gallentine, Fifth Place
 275 lbs - Camron Klingler, Second Place

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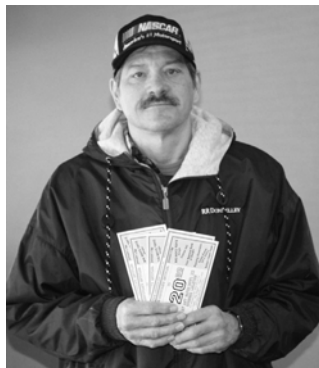
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**It Only Takes a Spark!
Week 17 Paper Bowl XII**



In the beginning of Paper Bowl, there was a name out there that was synonymous to winning. Like the Yankees or the Lakers, this name had a collection of championships to its credit. That name was Davis, Larry Davis, Larry "Flamin" Davis. In fact, as records go, Larry "Flamin" Davis still holds the hottest streak ever known to the Paper Bowl world. Davis once spent a three week span where he guessed all but three games correctly out of forty-two. Since those glory days of yesteryear, it has been harder for Davis to reclaim his dominance. The NFL is more competitively matched, as are the Paper Bowl contestants. He has added a couple champi-

onships here and there, but the flame had yet to reignite completely. This season Larry "Flamin" Davis' name has appeared in our honorable mention list a few times. He had a 13-1 effort wiped out in week eight by a perfect 14-0 score from Mazon's Steve Weteska. Is the flame about to reignite? Possibly. Davis has won week 17. This may be that spark he was looking for.

One hundred and twenty-eight entries came in on week 17. Davis tied five other swamis with 13-1 records. The tiebreaker for the week was 578. Davis captured the \$100 Paper Bowl gift certificate with a guess of 627 (+42). He was followed in order by Buckingham's Jerome Schneider 640 (+53), Dwight's Anne Martin 647 (+60), Normal's Sara Senger 651 (+73), Gardner's Tracy Horrie 696 (+89) and Dwight's Rick "Half" Nelson 699 (+121). Twenty-three swamis finished 12-2; 25 were 11-3; 24 scored 10-4 records; 21 tallied 9-5 marks; 11 were 8-6 and the remaining entries finished .500 or below.



Freshman Daly Galloway moves the ball down the floor against Coal City Saturday. The DTHS Lady Trojans came up short against the Coalers.

Three prizes remain. Your name might be on one of them. The drop locations for this week are Planning Associates, Dwight Bank, Streator Onized Credit Union, Old World Liquors and Route 66 Tire & Auto. You can enter once at each location. Don't get buried in the snow. Get your inner fire going and warm up to a \$100 Paper Bowl gift certificate. Get in today.



DTHS LADY TROJANS BASKETBALL

**Thursday, January 2
Momence Holiday
Tournament**

J.V. -
The Dwight J.V. Lady Trojans went 1-1 in the Momence Holiday Tournament.

Dwight vs. Momence

Dwight lost the opening game to Momence, 34-31, in a close game.

Leading most of the game, Momence outscored the Lady Trojans 14-9 in the final quarter to earn the victory.

Scoring for the Lady Trojans were: Mary Wiemken, 11 points; Sydney Christensen, six points; Molly Rodosky, six points; Becky Ruder, four points; Sam Carlson, two points; Daly Galloway, two points.

**Dwight vs. Kankakee
Trinity**

Dwight won the second game of the Momence Holiday Tournament, 37-20.

The Lady Trojans were down after the first quarter 8-4 and outscored Trinity 10-0 in the second quarter. The Lady Trojans were five out of six from the free throw line.

Scoring for the Lady Trojans were: Lauren Widman, 12 points; Sydney Christensen, eight points; Becky Ruder, five points; Mary Wiemken, four points; Taylor Richie, four points; Daly Galloway, two points; Molly Rodosky, two points.

The victory moves the J.V. Lady Trojans' record to 3-6 on the season.



Coal City Coalers defense swarms around DTHS Lady Trojan Freshman Sam Carlson as she looks to pass the ball.

**Sponsor Challenge
Paper Bowl XII
Tiebreaker Results**

1st National Bank 10-4 over Route 66 T&A 9-5

Sponsor Standings	
North	
*Big Boyz Toyz	11-5
zOwl	10-6
zDairy Queen	10-6
xJensen's Bp	7-9
xPlanning Assoc.	7-9
xStation 343	7-9
xBerkot's	2-14
South	
*Danko's SF	13-3
zLPL	10-6
z1st National	9-7
xRoute 66 T&A	9-7
xDwight Bank	6-10
xSOCU	6-10
xDeLong Ford	6-10

* = Clinched Division Title 1st week bye
Z = Clinched Playoff Berth
X = Eliminated From Playoffs

The Playoff schedule is set. Owl will take on Dairy Queen in the first round out of the North. The winner of that match will take on Big Boyz Toyz for a shot at the Championship match. LPL will do battle against 1st National Bank of Dwight. The winner of that match will take on the league's best sponsor of the year Jerry Danko's State Farm. Good luck to our sponsors. Check back next week to see who moves on.

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PAPER BOWL XII

Just pick the winners of this week's games featured in each ad and drop off your entry form at each of the designated drop box locations.*
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This week's entry is due **FRIDAY, JANUARY 10** by 5 p.m. Winner announced January 22.

ENTRY FORM
PLEASE FILL IN YOUR ANSWERS BELOW.

1. Who will win in FOOTBALL? A. New Orleans at B. Seattle	7. Who will win in BASKETBALL? A. Miami at B. New Jersey	12. Which QB will have a better rating? A. Peyton Manning B. Drew Brees
2. Who will win in FOOTBALL? A. San Francisco at B. Carolina	8. Who will win in BASKETBALL? A. Phoenix at B. Detroit	13. Will San Francisco final score be... A. Even B. Odd
3. Who will win in FOOTBALL? A. San Diego at B. Denver	9. Who will win in HOCKEY? A. Chicago at B. Montreal	14. Who will score more points? A. Loul Deng vs. Milwaukee B. Denver
4. Who will win in FOOTBALL? A. Indianapolis at B. New England	10. Who will win in HOCKEY? A. Edmonton at B. Chicago	Tie Breaker 1 - Total points of all four FOOTBALL games combined.
5. Who will win in BASKETBALL? A. Charlotte at B. Chicago	11. Which conference will score more points? A. NFC B. AFC	Tie Breaker 2 - Total points of all four BASKETBALL games combined.

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Fill in the number with the letter matching the winning answer.

1	6	11	Tie Breaker 1 (total XX points)
2	7	12	
3	8	13	
4	9	14	Tie Breaker 2 (total XX points)
5	10		

* Official Paper Bowl rules: One entry per drop box location per person every week. Entries only accepted at drop box locations and will not be accepted at The Paper office, unless otherwise noted. All entries must be on an official entry blank. No photocopies. Entries must be completely filled out, legible and to the drop off points by Friday at 5 p.m. each week. Judges' decisions are final. Winners will be announced each Wednesday in The Paper. Employees of The Paper and their family members are not eligible for The Paper Bowl XII.

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Elephant Sale; 3 - 5
p.m., Kids Klub; 3 - 5
p.m., REAL Youth
Group; 7 - 8:30 p.m.,
Ignite Youth Group
• JAN. 9: 6 p.m., Farm
Committee meeting;
6:30 p.m., Night-N-
Gals meeting; 7:30
p.m., Praise Band
rehearsal
• JAN. 10: 7 - 9 p.m.,
The Edge
• JAN. 11: 7 a.m.,
Men's Bible Study at
Rt. 66 and That '50s
Place
• JAN. 12: 8 a.m.,
Early Worship Service;
9:15 a.m., Sunday
School; 10:30 a.m.,
Late Worship Service;
5:30 p.m., Prayer
Group
• JAN. 13: 9 a.m.,
Memorial Committee
meeting; 6 p.m., Evan-
gelism Committee
meeting
• JAN. 14: 8:30 a.m.,
Hens Bible Study; 9
a.m., Jean Voigts Bible
Study at Heritage
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584-3433 church
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Rev. Daniel Ognoskie
Senior Pastor
• JAN. 8: 3:30 - 5:30
p.m., Weekday School;
5:30 p.m., Handbells; 6
p.m., Choir
• JAN. 11: 8 a.m., Take
decorations down; 5
p.m., Worship with
Holy Communion

• JAN. 12: Installation
of 2014 Officers,
Potluck, January Plan-
ning Meeting;
2 p.m., Heritage
Chapel
• JAN. 15: 1 p.m.,
Mary/Martha; 3:30 -
5:30 p.m., Weekday
School; 5:30 p.m.,
Handbells; 6 p.m.,
Choir

First Congregational United Church of Christ

200 W. Delaware St.
584-1260 church
• JAN. 12: 10:15 a.m.,
Service - Congrega-
tional Vote

St. Patrick Catholic Church

Mazon Ave. at Prairie
815-584-3522 rectory
Rev. Chris Haake, Pastor
• JAN. 11: 4 - 4:45
p.m., Reconciliation;
5 p.m., Mass
• JAN. 12: 8 a.m.,
Mass

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Learning/Youth Team
meeting; 5:30 p.m.,
WELCA General
Meeting at Rt. 66 Fam-
ily Restaurant
• JAN. 10: AA meet-
ing, 8 p.m.
• JAN. 12: *Baptism of
Jesus* - 8:15 a.m., HC
Worship; 9:15 a.m.,
Sunday School; 10:15
a.m., Council Minutes
meeting; 10:30 a.m.,
HC Worship with Pas-
tor Installation; 12
noon, Celebration Lun-
cheon
• JAN. 14: 7 p.m.,
Council meeting
• JAN. 15: 4 p.m.,
Social Services Team
meeting; 6 p.m., Anna
Circle

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until 4:30 p.m.) and
STATIC Youth Group
(6 - 8 p.m.) return
• JAN. 12: Sunday
Worship Service, 9:30
a.m.
• JAN. 14: United
Methodist Women
meet, 1:30 p.m.
• WALK Fit and Fel-
lowship Exercise,
Tuesdays and Thurs-
days, 9 a.m.
• JAN. 18: Soup Sup-
per and Talent Show -
supper 4 - 6 p.m.; tal-
ent show begins at 6
p.m. If you are inter-
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A Christmas To-Do List for a Better World

by John W. Whitehead

In an age of bureaucracy, overcriminalization and militarized police, it often seems as if no good deed goes unpunished. Indeed, although Charles Dickens immortalized the money-loving, Christmas-hating, bah-humbuggiest of humbugs Ebenezer Scrooge in his classic "A Christmas Carol," the world has always been plagued by Scrooges so single-minded in their pursuit of money, power and control that they exhibit few qualms about stamping out acts of kindness, compassion and true charity when they arise. Still, we must press on, despite the Scrooges of the world.

So how do we press on and make the world a better place in the face of weaponized drones, far-reaching surveillance and a government that with every passing day is coming to resemble authoritarian regimes of old?

While it's not possible to solve all of the world's problems right away, there are practical steps each of us can take to hopefully get things moving in the right direction. Here's what I would suggest for a start:

Move beyond the "us" vs. "them" mentality. Increasingly, we as a society have come to reflect the hostility at work in the world at large. Having astutely mastered the art of partisan politics, politicians frequently perpetuate a "good" versus "evil," "us" versus "them" rhetoric which pits citizen against citizen and keeps us fighting among ourselves while the politicians feed at the corporate trough. Instead of wasting time and resources on political infighting, which gets us nowhere, it's time Americans learned to work together to solve the problems before us.

Tune into what's happening in your family, in your community and your world, and get active. Read your local newspaper. Attend a school board or city council meeting. Get involved with a nonprofit that works to help others in your community. Whatever you do, reduce your intake of mindless television programs and entertainment news. The only reality programming worth taking notice of is the one playing in your home and community.

Show compassion to those in need, be kind to those around you, forgive those who have wronged you, and teach your children to do the same. Increasingly, people seem to be forgetting their p's and q's—basic manners that were drilled into older generations. I'm talking about simple things like holding a door open for someone, helping someone stranded on the side of the road, and saying "please" and "thank you" to those who do you a service—whether it be to the teenager bagging your groceries or the family member who just passed the potatoes.

Stop acting entitled and start being empowered. We have moved into the Age of Entitlement, where more and more people feel entitled to certain benefits without having to work for them. There's nothing wrong with helping those less fortunate, but as my parents taught me, there's a lot to be said for

an honest day's work.

Learn tolerance in the true sense of the word. There's no need to legislate tolerance through hate crime legislation and other politically correct mechanisms of compliance. True tolerance stems from a basic respect for one's fellow man or woman, and it should be taught to children from the time they can understand right from wrong.

Value your family. The traditional family, such that it is, is already in great disrepair, torn apart by divorce, infidelity, overscheduling, overwork, materialism, and an absence of spirituality. Despite the billions we spend on childcare, toys, clothes, private lessons, etc., a concern for our children no longer seems to be a prime factor in how we live our lives. And now we are beginning to see the blowback from collapsing familial relationships. Indeed, more and more, I hear about young people refusing to talk to their parents, grandparents being denied access to their grandchildren, and older individuals left to molder away in nursing homes. Yet without the family, the true building block of our nation, there can be no freedom.

Feed the hungry, shelter the homeless and comfort the lonely and broken-hearted. Volunteer at a soup kitchen. Take part in local food drives. Take a meal to a needy family. "Adopt" an elderly person at a nursing home. Support the creation of local homeless shelters in your community. Urge your churches, synagogues and mosques to act as rotating thermal shelters for the homeless during the cold winter months.

Give peace a chance. So far, America's global war machine has cost American taxpayers trillions of dollars, and that doesn't even begin to approach the human cost in lives lost—military and civilian—and families torn apart. The military industrial complex has a lot to gain financially so long as America continues to wage its wars at home and abroad, but you can be sure that the American people will lose everything unless we find some way to give peace a chance.

Get educated. As I illustrated in my book *A Government of Wolves: The Emerging American Police State*, most Americans know little about their rights and know even less about the fast-approaching police state. Education precedes action, and as I often say, freedom is an action word.

Start somewhere, anywhere—just start. It's not possible to solve all the world's problems single-handedly, nor do you have to solve them overnight. Little by little, you'll get there, but you have to start somewhere. It is up to each of us to do our part to make this a better world for all.

As Charles Dickens reminds us in *A Christmas Carol*, it's never too late to make things right in the world and try to be better people and, most importantly of all, pay your blessings forward.

As Dickens writes, "And it was always said of him, that he knew how to keep Christmas well, if any man alive possessed the knowledge. May that be truly said of us, and all of us! And so, as Tiny Tim observed, God bless Us, Every One!"

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Applications for the 10th annual Marjorie J. Martin Scholarships are now being accepted. Applications are available at Odell Public Library, Odell Bank, and Pontiac High School.

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Monday, Jan. 13: Spaghetti with meat sauce, herbed peas and onions, lettuce/spinach salad, pineapple, whole grain wheat.
Tuesday, Jan. 14: Roasted turkey, candied sweet potatoes, baked beans, fruit salad, dinner roll.
Wednesday, Jan. 15: Fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, mixed vegetables, whole grain wheat, fruit cobbler.
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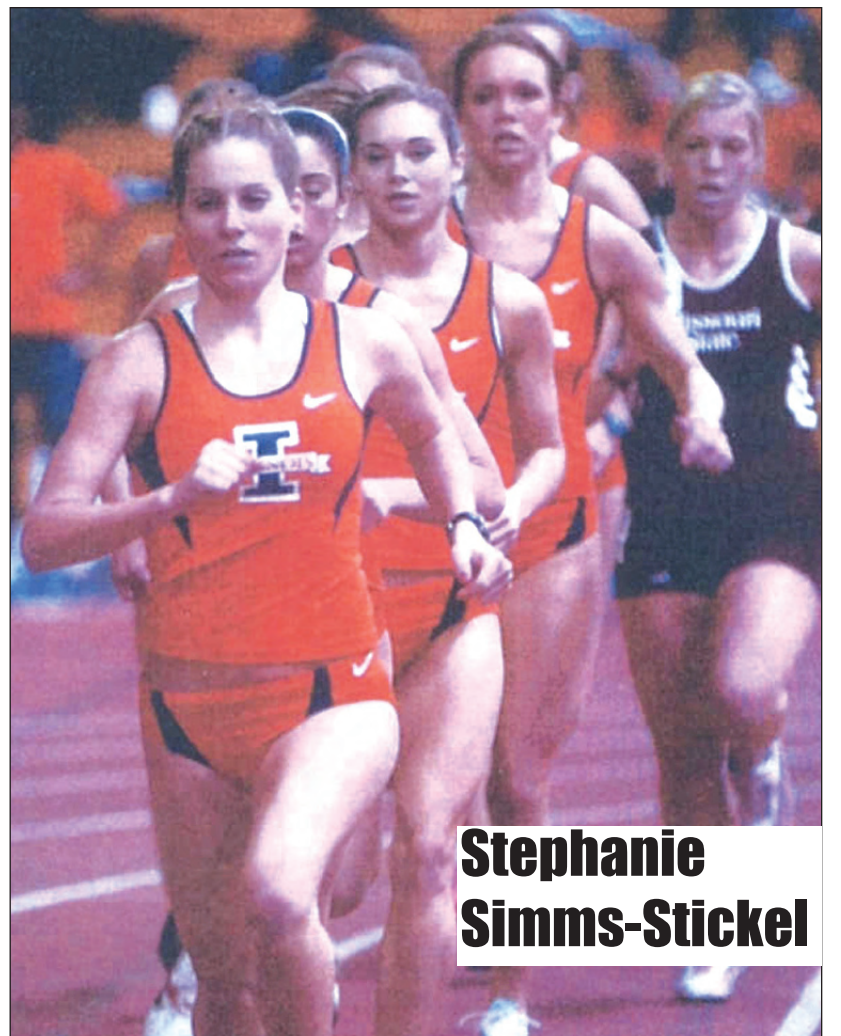
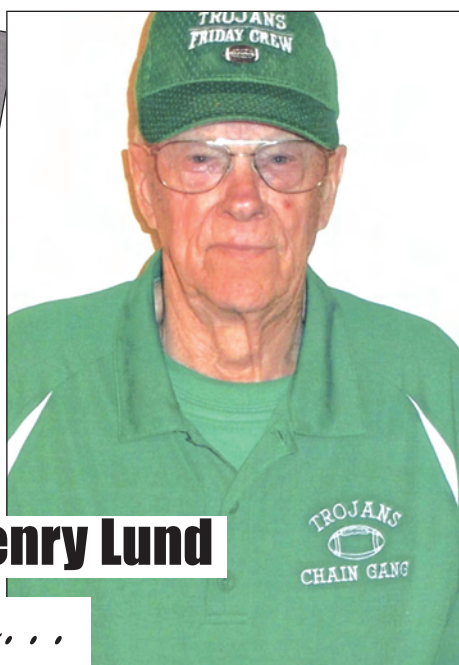
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Marion Asa



Legendary Stats...

Henry Lund



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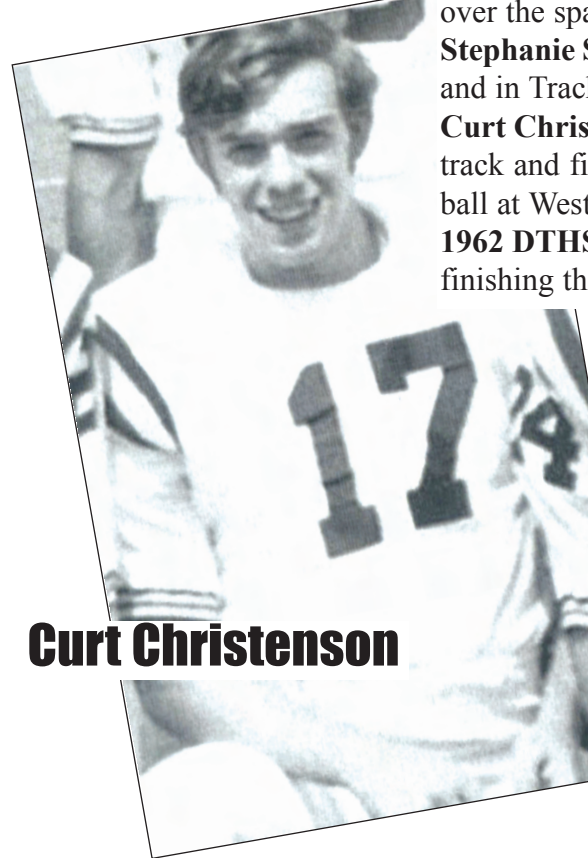
Marion Asa – 1937 DTHS graduate; Team Captain and All-Star football player at DTHS; All-Star football player at Bradley University, Peoria; Inducted into Bradley University Athletic Hall of Fame in 1950.

Henry Lund – 1948 DTHS graduate; Ticket Taker at Basketball games, has taken tickets for nearly 800 basketball games over the span of 39 years; Member of the Chain Gang for over 400 football games over the span of 41 years.

Stephanie Simms-Stickel – 2003 GSW graduate; Four year State qualifier; All-State Selection in Cross Country (at GSW) and in Track and Field (DTHS); Won the IHSA Class A State Championship in her Senior year.

Curt Christenson – 1968 DTHS graduate; All-State football selection; All-State basketball selection; Qualified for IHSA track and field meet in high hurdles, currently still school record holder in low hurdles; MVP and All-American in football at Western Illinois University; Voted into the Western Illinois University Athletic Hall of Fame.

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