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THE COMMEMORATIVE VOLLEY OF SHOTS by members of the Dwight Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Dwight American Legion took place Monday, Veterans Day, at the VFW Post on Old Route 66, Dwight.



FOUR-HUNDRED-THIRTY-TWO flags with the names of Armed Forces servicemembers graced the grounds of Dwight Common School during the past weekend. Sam Beier led other grade school staff and students with presenting the display.

Taylor Bartels Earns DAR Good Citizen Award



Taylor Bartels

Taylor Bartels was honored with the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) Good Citizen Award for Gardner-South Wilmington High School.

She is the daughter of Robert and Patricia Bartels of Braceville.

The DAR Good Citizen Award honors an outstanding senior who exhibits the qualities of dependability, leader-

ship, service, and patriotism. The selection was voted on by the faculty and staff.

Taylor serves as the president of the National Honor Society and is a Student Ambassador, Peer Tutor, and Crew Trainer at McDonald's where she works. She was named the 2018 Student of the Year at GSW and has had perfect attendance all four years. Bartels is involved with the Math Team, Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD), Youth Philanthropy, and Pantherette Spiritline.

Being the recipient of the DAR Good Citizen Award, Taylor has completed an essay that will have the opportunity to advance through state and national levels of judging. The DAR Good Citizens program and scholarship contest is sponsored by the Illini Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Dwight's Addison Bean Selected as DAR Winner



Addison Bean

Dwight Township High School senior Addison Bean was selected as the DAR Good Citizen Award winner for the 2019-2020 school year.

The Daughters of the Amer-

ican Revolution Good Citizen program and scholarship contest is intended to encourage and reward the qualities of good citizenship. The male or female student selected as the school's DAR Good Citizen must have the qualities of dependability, service, leadership, and patriotism to an outstanding degree.

Addison was selected by the DTHS faculty for this distinction. She will have the opportunity to enter into the scholarship contest where she could potentially receive anywhere from \$250 to \$5,000 to use toward her post-secondary educational plans.

Addison is the daughter of Todd Bean and Tracie Wargo.

Heritage Woods of Dwight Celebrates a Decade of Service to the Community

Heritage Woods of Dwight celebrated its 10th anniversary Thursday, November 7, with residents, families and special guests.

And after a decade of service to the community, Heritage Woods may be expanding.

Brandy Scheer, administrator of Heritage Woods, said the state has approved the facility for a new dementia care site.

According to a press release from the Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services, 40 new dementia care sites were approved through the state's Supportive Living Program — and Dwight's Heritage Woods is one of them.

Nearly 1,600 Medicaid members with dementia will have the opportunity to live in newly expanding settings that offer the services and safety they need.

"With these settings, those facing a truly difficult challenge can get the right kind of care and protection to help them lead safe and healthy lives," said Theresa Eagleson, director of HFS. "These settings also help to bring vital peace of mind to their loved ones."

Units will start becoming available over the next three years, although it's unclear when Dwight's facility will open. Scheer said it's still in the planning stages, and representatives from Gardant Management Solutions, Heritage Wood's parent company, were not available for comment.

The Paper will have more



HERITAGE WOODS OF DWIGHT ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM at the Anniversary Celebration held November 7 at the facility. Pictured, left to right, Mike Stevens, Maintenance; Denise Nemeth, Resident Service Coordinator; Krysta Davis, Director of Nursing; Grace Spires, Marketing; Sharon Russell, Business Office; Annette Patchett, Dietary Manager; and Brandy Scheer, Administrator.

information next week.

Meanwhile, staff and family at Heritage Woods celebrate their recent milestone.

"Since the beginning, Heritage Woods of Dwight has established itself as the premier affordable assisted lifestyle community," said Rod Burkett, CEO of Gardant Management Solutions, the company that manages the community. "With the opportunity for seniors to live with dignity in their own apartments and receive the assistance they need, we are proud to say we continue to set the standard for assisted living in the Dwight area."

Over the past decade, Heritage Woods has spent countless hours providing

compassion and care for residents. They also have had a significant impact on the local economy and employ 40 people.

Special guests for the anniversary celebration included Dwight Mayor Jared Anderson, and representatives from the Dwight Economic Alliance and the offices of Sen. Jason Barickman and Rep. Thomas Bennett.

Beth McCleary entertained guests as she played the piano during the celebration.

Heritage Woods combines residential apartment home living with the availability of personal assistance, help with medications and a variety of convenience and support serv-

ices. "We provide a wonderful alternative to a nursing home or to struggling alone at home," Scheer said.

Residents live in private apartments that they furnish and decorate to their tastes. Each of the studio and one-bedroom floor plans includes a kitchenette, spacious bathroom with shower and grab bars, individually controlled heating and air conditioning, and emergency alert system.

Certified nursing assistants, working under the direction of a licensed nurse, are on-duty 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Meals, housekeeping and laundry are among the included services.



FAMILY AND RESIDENTS of Heritage Woods of Dwight socialize during the 10th Anniversary Celebration.

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FOR THE RECORD

Tickets Issued by Dwight Police
October 31: Ty L. Mowrey, 55, Milford, driving 21-25 MPH above limit; Kerry N. Lundberg, 71, Odell, operate uninsured motor vehicle, transp./carry alc. liq./driver.
November 2: Dan M. Perkins, 59, Custer Park, driving 21-25 MPH above limit.
November 4: Christalle M. Shepley, 28, Bradley, speeding 26-34 MPH over limit.

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

6 Written Warnings
Expired registration – 1; no registration, plate light – 1; speeding – 4.

Dwight Police Blotter
November 3: 1:02 p.m., Dwight Police were dispatched to the 300 block of W. Chippewa for a family disturbance.

Accident Report
Monday, November 4, 8:00 a.m., an accident was reported at E. South and S. Franklin involving a 2001 Chrysler Seb., driven by Ethan Carman, Dwight, who failed to yield to a 2016 Ford Sedan, driven by

Cheryl Wardell, Dwight, striking the unit.
Wednesday, November 6, 3:02 p.m., an accident was reported at 324 W. Delaware St. involving a 2019 Ford Transit, driven by Joshua Snowden, Morris, who struck a parked/unoccupied 2017 Volkswagen Pas.



Weekly Ambulance Runs by Dwight EMS
November 1: Mazon, medical, Riverside; Mazon, medical, Morris; Mazon, medical, St. James.
November 3: Waupansie, medical, Morris; Rt. 47, trauma, refusal, mutual aid to MVK.
November 4: Dewitt, COQ, mutual aid – Coal City; Franklin, trauma, refusal; Spencer, medical, Morris.
November 5: John St., medical; Johnny Run, medical, Morris; John, medical, refusal; North, trauma, refusal.
November 6: Seminole, medical, Morris; Waupansie, trauma, Morris; Prairie, medical, refusal.
November 7: Watters, medical, St. James.

Temps - 2019
Oct. 31 – high 30°, low 22° 2” snow
Nov. 1 – high 45°, low 23°
Nov. 2 – high 43°, low 27°
Nov. 3 – high 55°, low 33°
Nov. 4 – high 51°, low 30°
Nov. 5 – high 43°, low 26°
Nov. 6 – high 56°, low 26°
One Year Ago – Nov. 13, 2018
high 42°, low 24°

Free Food to Be Distributed November 20
Free food will be distributed to qualifying households in Dwight Township Wednesday, November 20, at 1:00 p.m. at the Pioneer Gothic Church, 201 N. Franklin, Dwight.
The pantry is provided by the Dwight Ministerial Association and Dwight Township.

Godley Resident Involved in Multi-Vehicle Crash
Illinois State Police (ISP) responded to a multi-vehicle fatal crash, which occurred on Interstate 55 – northbound at Lorenzo Road, at 9:30 a.m. December 7.

According to preliminary investigations, a 2012 Ford Passenger vehicle – driven by Jessica Kirkland, 20, of Godley, a 2014 Honda Civic – driven by Kenneth Bloor, 34, of St. Peters, MO, a 2018 Freightliner – driven by Christopher Neale, 54, of Lenoke, AR, and a 2018 Volvo Truck Tractor Semi-Trailer – driven by Georgi Nikov, 50, of Rolling Meadows, were at a stop in the construction zone at the aforementioned location. A 2017 Dodge Volvo Truck Tractor Semi-Trailer – driven by Shabbir Patel, 46, of Brampton, ON, failed to yield, causing a chain reaction crash with the four other vehicles.
Patel and Bloor were transported to an area hospital. Bloor was pronounced deceased at the hospital. Kirkland was seriously injured and airlifted to an area hospital.
Patel was charged with Following Too Closely and Failure to Reduce Speed to Avoid an Accident.
The ISP is investigating this crash and no further information is available at this time.

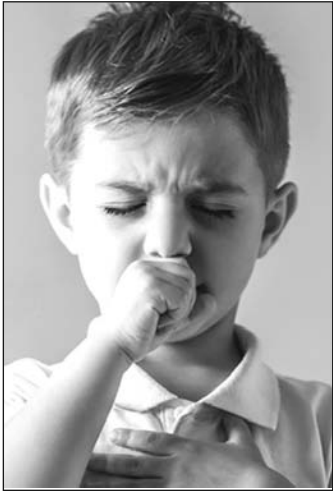


THE NEW ROMANETTO WAREHOUSE, between the Cardiff memorial in the foreground and the welding shop in the background.

Romanetto’s Welding Expanding in Cardiff
by Jim Ridings
Cardiff, the legendary “ghost town” between Dwight and Herscher, is having a building boom.
An expansion of Romanetto’s Welding is underway in the former village that has a few dozen residents today.
A 40-by-60-foot building, between the main welding shop and the historical memorial, will house storage and production facilities.
The company produces valves that are shipped all over the world. Recent work has gone to Saudi Arabia, Mexico, Ukraine, Brazil, China, and Australia.
“We have shipped to every continent in the world, except Antarctica,” said Mike Romanetto.
The valves are used for various pipelines, not just gas and oil, but also in the production of acids. The valves withstand corrosives and heat up to 2,400 degrees.
Valves are manufactured in a number of sizes, all the way up to 101 inches in diameter, Romanetto said.

Edward Hines VAMC Continuing to Educate, Support Grundy Cty. Veterans
The Big Picture of Diabetes from the Center for Disease Control and Prevention:
More than 30 million people in the United States have diabetes, and 1 in 4 of them don’t know they have it.
More than 84 million US adults—over a third—have prediabetes, and 90% of them don’t know they have it.
Diabetes is the 7th leading cause of death in the United States (and may be underreported).
Type 2 diabetes accounts for about 90% to 95% of all diagnosed cases of diabetes; type 1 diabetes accounts for about 5%.
To learn more about diabetes and what the Veterans Health Administration can do for veterans please visit one of the outreach clinics during November:
• Monday November 18th in Coal City at the Coal City American Legion, 1752 E Division Street, Diamond from 9 AM to 2 PM.
• Monday November 25th in Dwight at Heritage Woods of Dwight at 701 E Mazon Ave., Dwight from 10 AM to 1 PM.
Flu shots are currently available during these clinics and at Hines Hospital and the community clinics. The Outreach Team can also help veterans with eligibility, enrollment, and minor health screenings and medication reconciliation. To enroll, take bring a copy of your military discharge.

Vaccination is Best Defense Against Pertussis Outbreaks
Outbreaks of the highly contagious disease pertussis, or whooping cough, occur every few years and should be taken seriously. The Illinois Department of Public Health reports a recent increase in cases, especially in young children and adolescents. The infection can cause serious illness in people of all ages, but can be particularly life-threatening to infants.
Morris Hospital Infectious Disease Specialist Dr. John Bolden said pertussis affects the cilia in the upper respiratory tract and causes violent, uncontrollable coughing. The coughing spasms can be lengthy, followed by deep gulps of air. It’s the swollen respiratory passages that make the deep inhalations sound like a high-pitched whoop that give the disease its name.
The coughing is so severe that it can break ribs or cause a person to pass out.
Pertussis is caused by the bacterium Bordetella pertussis, which spreads easily from person to person when it becomes airborne in droplets from coughs and sneezes. It can even be picked up just by spending time in the breathing space of a person who is infected.
The early symptoms of pertussis are the same as the common cold – a runny nose, perhaps with a mild cough, low fever and malaise. The characteristic whooping sound typically doesn’t occur until several days into the disease and several days of being contagious. Complications of pertussis can include pneumonia, convulsions, and death.
The best way to avoid becoming infected is vaccination, according to Dr. Bolden, especially for children and pregnant women.
Children begin a series of immunizations beginning at age two months with the DTaP shot, a combination vaccine that includes protection for diphtheria, tetanus, and pertussis.
Immunizing pregnant women for pertussis is done early in the third trimester. This not only helps the mother avoid the disease, but the antibodies she makes help protect the baby until it can receive immunization.
In addition to children and pregnant women, Dr. Bolden recommends adults receive a booster vaccine, especially if they are around small children, pregnant women, and those who have weakened immune systems.
Dr. Bolden recommends making sure vaccines are up to date and knowing the symptoms, especially for those who have been exposed to pertussis.
For those who are not aware that they have been exposed, Dr. Bolden recommends a visit to the doctor if cold-like symptoms do not get better within one week.
Dr. Bolden is an infectious disease physician with Morris Hospital Infectious Disease Specialists and he is chairman of infection control at Morris Hospital & Healthcare Centers. He sees patients at his office at 425 E. U.S. Route 6 in Morris.
For more information about pertussis or to make an appointment, contact Dr. Bolden at his office at 815-513-3074 or visit www.morrishospital.org/infectiousdisease.



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As Thanksgiving approaches, it’s meaningful to reflect on the origin of the holiday –Native Americans and pilgrims sharing their bounty of food with each other. As you gather with your loved ones this year, perhaps you can think of ways to share not only your dinner, but also your financial bounty.
In terms of bounty-sharing, here are some suggestions you may find helpful, no matter your age or that of your children:
Make appropriate gifts. If you have young children, you may want to get them started with a savings account to help them develop positive financial habits. You could even make it a Thanksgiving tradition to measure how their accounts have grown from year to year. But you can go even further by starting to fund an education savings vehicle such as a 529 plan. This account can provide valuable tax benefits and gives you total control of the money until your children are ready for college or trade school. If you have grown children, you could still contribute to a 529 plan for your grandchildren.
Develop – and communicate – your estate plans. While you may want to be as generous as possible to your loved ones during your lifetime, you may desire to leave something behind as part of your legacy. And that means you will need to develop a comprehensive estate plan. Such a plan will allow you to express your wishes about where you want your assets to go, who will take care of your children if something happens to you, how you want to be treated should you become incapacitated, and other important issues. Your estate plan will need to include the appropriate documents and arrangements – last will and testament, living trust, power of attorney, health care directive, and so on. To create such a plan, you may need to work with a team of professionals, including your financial, tax and legal advisors.
Solicit suggestions for charitable giving. Sharing some of what you have with charitable or community organizations will also help fulfill the spirit of Thanksgiving. And you can make it a family affair by asking your loved ones which groups they would like to support. Not only will you be helping a worthy cause, but you’ll also be teaching your children about the value of money – in this case, the ability to use money you’ve saved to help make a positive contribution to society.
By sharing your bounty with your loved ones and your community on Thanksgiving, you’ll help create a more memorable holiday for everyone. So, be generous, be creative – and be prepared for how much satisfaction you can get from your actions.

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Hennessy, Ashley to Represent GSW HS at 2020 HOBY Leadership Seminar



Claire Hennessy

Claire Hennessy and Easton Ashley, Gardner-South Wilmington High School sophomores, have been selected to represent GSW at the 2020 HOBY Leadership Seminar – designed for high school soph-



Easton Ashley

omores to recognize their leadership talents and apply them in becoming effective, ethical leaders in their home, schools, work place, and community. The students will participate in hands-on leadership activi-

ties and meet state leaders in such areas as business, government, education, media, and the non-profit sector. Each September, every accredited public, private, and charter school in the country is invited to select and register outstanding sophomores as representatives to their local state seminar. Currently, nearly 9,000 sophomores, representing as many high schools nationwide, attend HOBY Leadership Seminars annually. Claire Hennessy is the daughter of Bryan and Betsy Hennessy of Gardner, and Easton Ashley is the son of Michael and Kristen Ashley of South Wilmington. All GSW High School students were invited to pick up applications and submit essays for the opportunity to attend this seminar.

Patrick Joyce Accepts Appointment to IL Senate, 40th District

Patrick Joyce of Essex has announced his appointment as Illinois State Senator of the 40th District – which includes portions of Cook, Grundy, Kankakee, and Will Counties. Joyce replaces State Senator Toi Hutchinson, who has stepped down to take on her new role as Illinois’ Cannabis Regulation Oversight Officer.

“I am incredibly honored to accept the appointment to State Senator for the people of Illinois’ 40th district,” stated Joyce. “I want to thank Toi

Hutchinson for her nine years of strong leadership and I wish her great success in her new role. I will serve with honesty, integrity, and civility. We are a very diversified district with urban, suburban, and rural communities. I plan to work closely with each of these communities to find out what issues taxpayers feel most strongly about. I am here to listen and learn about the concerns of working families. I look forward to the challenges ahead and will fight to help the people of this district.”



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Our Patriots Receives \$1,500 Operation Helping Heroes Donation

COUNTRY Financial Agent Dave Scoggin has announced Our Patriots as a 2019 recipient of a \$1,500 COUNTRY Financial Operation Helping Heroes Donation.

Dave presented the donation to Ken Buck, treasurer of Our Patriots, to assist the organization with funding for veterans to meet their unmet needs.

Buck is also the director at the Grundy County Veterans Assistance Program (GCVAC) – an independent county commission that is operated by and for veterans for the purpose of promoting welfare of honorably discharged veterans of military service, and their families.

Businesses or individuals interested in donating to Our Patriots, NFP, are encouraged to contact Ken at 815-941-3152. Donations are always welcomed and appreciated.

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LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation,
Plaintiff,
vs.
CHRISTY STANTON, and unknown owners and
non-record claimants,
Defendants.
No. 19-CH-54
NOTICE

Notice is given you Defendants, unknown owners and non
record claimants, that this action has been commenced in the Cir-
cuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County,
Illinois, praying that a Judgment of Foreclosure be entered against
real estate legally described as follows:

Lots 1, 2 and 3 in Block 9 in D.S. Myers’ First Addition to
the City of Pontiac, and a parcel of land in Lot 1 in Block 1, in
E.M. Schrock’s Addition to the City of Pontiac, described as fol-
lows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of said Lot 1, thence ex-
tending South along the West line of said Lot 1 to the North line
of the first alley South of Wabash Street, thence East to the line
of the right-of-way of the Wabash Railroad, thence Northwest
along the line of the right-of-way of the Wabash Railroad to the
Place of Beginning, all situated in Livingston County, Illinois.

PIN: 15-15-487-017

Commonly known as: 1228 N. Walnut St., Pontiac, IL 61764

The title holder of record to the above described real estate
is CHRISTY STANTON. The mortgage sought to be foreclosed
is a mortgage executed on June 13, 2018 and recorded on June
14, 2018 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds
in Livingston County, Illinois as document No. 2018R-02334.
The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, BANK OF PON-
TIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendants
in Case No. 19-CH-54 is currently pending. The attorney for the
Plaintiff is Donald R. McClarey, McClarey Law Firm, 313 S.
Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

Consequently, unless you, unknown owners and non record
claimants, file your answer to the complaint in this action or oth-
erwise enter your appearance in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh
Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, held in the Law &
Justice Center in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before No-
vember 29, 2019, a default may be entered against you at any time
after that date and a judgment entered in accordance with the
prayer of the Complaint.

LeAnn Dixon, Circuit Clerk
Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial
Circuit Livingston County, Illinois

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
LIVINGSTON COUNTY, PONTIAC, ILLINOIS
First Guaranty Mortgage Corporation,
PLAINTIFF,
vs.
Richard W. Higbie Jr. a/k/a Richard Warren Higbie Jr.; et. al,
DEFENDANTS.
No. 2019CH19
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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a
Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on
10/18/2019, the Sheriff of Livingston County, Illinois will on De-
cember 18, 2019 at the hour of 10:00 AM at New Law & Justice
Center 110 N. Main Street Pontiac, IL 61764, or in a place oth-
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dition. 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 as-
sessment 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 Pur-
chaser 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
receive a Certificate of Sale, which will entitle the purchaser to a
Deed to the real estate after Confirmation of the sale. The suc-
cessful purchaser has the sole responsibility/expense of evicting
any tenants or other individuals presently in possession of the sub-
ject 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 ver-
ify all information.

IF YOU ARE THE MORTAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU
HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30
DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN
ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-170(C) OF THE ILLI-
NOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW.

For information: Examine the court file or contact Plain-
tiff’s attorney: Codilis & Associates, P.C., 15W030 North
Frontage Road, Suite 100, Burr Ridge, IL 60527, (630) 794-
9876. Please refer to file number 14-19-03620.

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Family Reading Night Nov. 21

Prairie Creek Library Teams Up With Dwight Common School

Prairie Creek Library will partner with Dwight Common School to host a Family Reading Night Thursday, November 21, from 6:00-7:30 p.m. at the library, 501 Carriage House Lane, Dwight.

Children are invited to go in their pajamas, accompanied by their favorite stuffed animal. From there, they will move to various stations every 15 minutes. Stations will include a bear with puppet show, a bed-

time routine craft, a snack of hot chocolate and cookies, and yoga. Gift baskets will be raf- fled off.

This is a family event, so children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Registration is required for this event. Children need to be registered by Friday, Novem- ber 15. This can be done at the school or at the library by stop- ping at the main circulation desk or calling 815-584-3061.



Upcoming Events at Limestone Library

Limestone Township Li- brary District, 2701 W. Tower Rd. in Kankakee, is hosting the following upcoming events:

• **Cookies and Canvas – Thursday, November 14, 5:30-7:30 p.m.** It’s adults painting night out at the library. Join for an evening of giggles and paint with an instructor as they create artwork for their home or as a gift.

• **Family Movie Day! – Satur- day, November 16, 11:00 a.m.** Go to the library for a screen- ing of Toy Story 4, as Buzz and Woody set off on another ad- venture, meeting new friends along the way. There is no fee for this program. Popcorn and lemonade will be served. To In- finity and beyond.

• **Monarch Book Club – Monday, November 18, 6:30-7:30 p.m.** Kids in first through third grades have their own book club and will read the award-winning or nominated book at their gathering time and have a crafting session.

• **Storytime – Tuesday, No- vember 19, 10:15-11:00 a.m.** Enjoy a mix of crafts, stories, and music to help young chil- dren develop a love for read- ing. This program is for children six-months to five- years old with their parents and/or guardians.

• **National Family Reading Night – Tuesday, November 19, 6:00-7:00 p.m.** Kids from pre-k and up are invited to join for fun activities as they cele- brate the joy of families read-

ing together. There will be games, crafts, and story time.

• **Makerspace Drop-In! – Space Exploration – Satur- day, November 23, 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** Kids in second through sixth grades can join for drop-in makerspace time as they use STEAM to explore space through games and activ- ities.

• **Bluestem Book Club – Monday, November 25, 6:30-7:30 p.m.** Kids in third through fifth grades will meet each month to discuss a book from the Bluestem Award Nominee list and have their own book club.

• **Storytime – Tuesday, No- vember 26, 10:15-11:00 a.m.** Enjoy a mix of crafts, stories, and music to help young chil- dren develop a love for read- ing. This program is for children six-months to five- years old with their parents and/or guardians.

The Library will be closed Thursday, November 28, and Friday, November 29, in obser- vance of the Thanksgiving hol- iday. They will re-open Saturday, November 30, at 10:00 a.m.

Registration for programs is required prior to the day of the event. For more information or to register for any programs, stop in at the library, call them at 815-939-1696, or visit www.limestonelibrary.org to see a listing of all program- ming.

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We welcome your thoughts.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Monitoring Requirement Not Met for Braceville, IL. System: IL0630050

We are required to submit raw water and distribution water samples on a monthly basis to be tested for bacteria (E. Coli) and chlorine levels. These samples are taken to ensure there is no bacteria present in our water system and chlorine levels are within established EPA guidelines. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not your drinking water meets IL EPA drinking water standards. During the September 2019 compliance period, samples were collected according to EPA standards but did not get delivered to ARRO Labs located in Cresthill, IL. As a result, a monitoring violation was issued by the Illinois EPA for not getting the samples tested as required and the results made available to the public in the required time frame. Our system failed to submit samples as required for the September 2019 compliance period. Although public health was not impacted, as our customers, you have the right to know what happened and what we have done to correct the situation.

What Should I Do?

There is nothing you need to do at this time. You do not need to boil your water or take other actions. All samples taken prior to this compliance period have come back negative for E. Coli bacteria. Chlorine levels have never exceeded the levels permitted by the EPA.

What is Being Done?

While we did not submit monthly samples for the September 2019 compliance period, this is an isolated event that has never occurred before. Monthly samples for bacteria and chlorine levels have been submitted as required by the EPA for every month prior to this event and every month since. We have established new procedures that will ensure this never happens again. We are no longer in violation.

Can I Get Additional Information?

For more information, please contact Randy Berry at 815-237-8655 or speak with someone at the Village hall: 300 Mitchell St., Braceville, IL. 60407. Please feel free to share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

This notice is being published by the Braceville Water System. State Water System ID#: IL0630050.

National Epilepsy Awareness Month

Seizure & Epilepsy Overview

What is epilepsy?
Epilepsy is a neurological disease that causes people to have recurrent seizures. A seizure is a brief disruption of electrical activity in the brain.

- Epilepsy is not contagious.
- Epilepsy is a medical condition, like asthma and diabetes.
- Epilepsy is a developmental disability when it starts before age 18.
- Often seizures are the main problem for people with epilepsy, but other neurological or developmental problems can be seen too.

What causes epilepsy?
More than half the time, the cause is unknown. When a cause can be found, it is often one of these:

- Head injury
- Infection of the brain
- Stroke
- Brain tumor
- Alzheimer's disease
- Malformation of an area of the brain
- Genetic factors

Who has epilepsy?
In the United States, 3.4 million people live with epilepsy, and over 150,000 new cases are diagnosed each year. **One in 26 people** will develop epilepsy at some point in their life. Epilepsy doesn't discriminate. It affects children and adults, men and women, and people of all races, religions, ethnic backgrounds, and social classes. While epilepsy is most often diagnosed either in childhood or after the age of 65, it can occur at any age.

How is epilepsy diagnosed?
• A good description of the event and ideally an eyewitness account or video recording is key to determining if the event was a seizure and what kind.

- A medical history, physical and neurological exam, blood work, and other tests are important. These help diagnose epilepsy and look for other

conditions or causes.

- An EEG is one of the most important tests. It records the brain's electrical activity. Some patterns of activity are unique to certain types of seizures.
- Imaging tests (like a CT, MRI, or PET scan) look at the structure and function of the brain. An MRI is needed for anyone with new onset of seizures. PET scans or other advanced imaging may be done later.

How is epilepsy treated?
Medication – Drugs used to treat epilepsy are called anti-

tried, they should be seen by an epilepsy specialist.

- Options beyond medicines may be possible.

Surgery – Certain types of surgery may be used for people whose seizures do not respond to medication. Surgery may be recommended when a seizure focus can be found and removed without hurting vital functions like speech or movement. For other types of surgery, visit epilepsy.com/surgery.

Vagus Nerve Stimulation (VNS) – A small device (gen-

prove over time. For example, about 45% of people have seizures decreased by 50% or more within one to two years.

Responsive Neurostimulation (RNS) – This is another device to treat seizures. It is implanted under the scalp in a small area of the skull or bone surrounding the brain. One or two wires from the device are placed under or on the surface of the brain where seizures start. The device is able to sense a seizure and sends small pulses of electrical current through the wires to help stop or lessen seizures. RNS also may help people who can't have surgery or when surgery doesn't work well enough. Like the VNS, the RNS does not cure epilepsy and it may not work right away. Yet it can help stop or lessen the number of seizures a person has by 40-60% after one to three years.

Deep Brain Stimulation (DBS) – DBS is a new type of device that also helps control seizures when surgery doesn't work or cannot be done. Electrode wires are placed in a specific area of the brain. The device is programmed, like VNS, to give stimulation to interrupt or stop seizures.

Dietary Therapies – Dietary therapies can help control seizures in both children and adults. They are usually used when seizures do not respond to medicine. The most common diet therapy is the ketogenic diet. This is a medically supervised high fat and low carbohydrate diet. There are three other diets that also help control seizures in some people. Most people who use a diet therapy continue taking medicine.

the corner

by Tom Tock

It was a good day for a walk, I decided a week ago Sunday, 50 degrees or so, windy, but still a day that led me onto Pinecone Path (Rotary Park) in the woods between Columbia and Franklin Streets -- (in my opinion the best meditation path around.)

The path was covered in many places with a sea of leaves. I almost had to use the benches as guideposts to the path through some of the leaves, but it was fun trespassing on one of nature's change of season tricks.

Speaking of benches -- my suggestion several weeks ago that Dwight form a Friends of the Parks committee -- to care for the benches in Pinecone and Renfrew if nothing else -- brought forth only a couple of responses.

The need remains -- Renfrew Park benches will definitely need repainting next year -- so I may have to resort to recruitment.

Family be warned.

Another Veterans Day has come and gone but I would be remiss if I didn't mention former Staff Sergeant David Bellavia, whose acceptance speech of the Medal of Honor was featured in the September issue of Legion Magazine and elsewhere.

Bellavia is the first living recipient from the Iraq war to receive the Medal of Honor.

His entire acceptance

speech is easily found on the internet, or one can call up the official U. S. Army website: *Staff Sergeant David Bellavia/Medal of Honor Recipient*

I think you will find his story gripping.

Most of us realize Illinois' problems have existed for a long time, and most also realize solutions will take lots of time to solve. Five years?


The governor is attacking our state's problems on many fronts with lots of money and a five-year plan for economic recovery that was announced in October, concentrating on investments in agribusiness/ag tech, energy, information technology, life sciences and health care, manufacturing and transportation and logistics.

The state has been divided into 10 economic regions. Livingston County is in the North Central, where employment in energy and manufacturing is paramount.

Five years ago, James Nowlan and J. Thomas Johnson wrote in their book, *Fixing Illinois*—

"Downstate Illinois is like a lumbering ship about to slip beneath the far horizon. It is fading from the view of our urban residents and certainly from the sight of the larger world."

Prophetic? Or challenging.



Epilepsy Awareness Month

5+ MILLION
have seizure disorders in the U.S.

150,000
annual new cases

1 in 20
children have epilepsy

Heavy metal toxicity is linked to seizure disorders, including epilepsy.

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seizure medication.

- More than 30 anti-seizure medications are currently approved to treat epilepsy.
- About 6 in 10 people may control their seizures with the first or second medicine they try.
- Yet a survey of adults in the community found that 56% still have seizures.
- Regardless of the numbers, if a person does not get control of seizures in the first year or after the first 2 or 3 medicines are

erator) is implanted under the skin in the left side of the chest. A small thin wire or electrode goes from the generator and is attached to the vagus nerve in the neck. VNS may be an option if surgery doesn't work or is not right for you. The benefits of the VNS appear to im-

Morris Hospital Earns “A” Grade for Patient Safety

Morris Hospital & Healthcare Centers is among the 33% of hospitals in the nation that received an “A” grade on the autumn 2019 Leapfrog Hospital Safety Grade that was released November 7. This national distinction recognizes Morris Hospital's achievements in protecting patients from harm and providing safer health care.

Twice a year, the Leapfrog Group assigns an A, B, C, D, or F grade to hospitals across the country based on their performance in preventing medical errors, injuries, accidents, infections, and other harm to patients in their care.

Developed under the guidance of a national expert panel, the Leapfrog Hospital Safety Grade uses 28 measures of publicly available hospital safety data to assign grades to

more than 2,600 U.S. acute-care hospitals twice per year. The data used to calculate the Autumn Hospital Safety Grade covers a time period ranging from July 2016 to September 2018, depending on the measure.

Of the 103 Illinois hospitals that were assessed on the autumn report, 46 received A's, 19 received B's, 34 received C's, and four received D's.

Kimberly Landers, Vice President of Patient Care and Chief Nurse Executive at Morris Hospital & Healthcare Centers says Morris Hospital's A is a result of a continuous and relentless commitment on behalf of the leaders, staff, physicians, and volunteers, who strive to make Morris Hospital one of the best in the country for patients to receive care.

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

PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,
Plaintiff,
vs.
VICKIE S. SPORRER A/K/A VICKIE S. PETRI; AND UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS.
Defendants,
No. 18-CH-57

NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause Inter-county Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, December 11, 2019, at the hour of 2:00 p.m. in Livingston County Abstract Company, 309 North Mill Street, Pontiac, Illinois 61764, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described mortgaged real estate:

THE SOUTH 60 FEET OF THE WEST HALF OF LOT 2 AND THE SOUTH 60 FEET OF LOT 3, ALL IN BLOCK 1 IN M.E. COLLIN'S ADDITION TO THE CITY OF PONTIAC, LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

PIN: 15-15-27-226-002.

Commonly known as: 606 S. Main St., Pontiac, IL 61764.


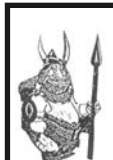
The improvement on the property consists of a single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgage shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act.

Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.

For information call Ms. Kimberly S. Reid at Plaintiff's Attorney, Marinosci Law Group, PC, 134 North LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602. (312) 940-8580.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation,
Plaintiff,
vs.
FRED KESLER, MARSHA KESLER,
and unknown owners and non-record claimants,
Defendants.
No. 19-CH-57
NOTICE

Notice is given you Defendants, unknown owners and non record claimants, that this action has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, praying that a Judgment of Foreclosure be entered against real estate legally described as follows:

Lot 5 and the South Half of Lot 6 in Block 4 in Babcock and Murphy's Addition to the City of Pontiac, Livingston County, Illinois; and Part of Lots 3 and 4 in said Block 4, Beginning 3 feet East of the Southeast corner of Lot 5, thence Northeast to a point 6 feet East of the Northeast corner of the South half of Lot 6; thence West 6 feet; thence South 90 feet; thence East 3 feet to the Point of Beginning.

PIN: 15-22-232-009

Commonly known as: 904 N. Chicago St., Pontiac, IL 61764

The title holders of record to the above described real estate are FRED KESLER and MARSHA KESLER. The mortgages sought to be foreclosed are a mortgage executed on November 30, 2009 and recorded on December 1, 2009 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois as document No. 598560, and a modification of mortgage executed on August 12, 2016 and recorded on August 16, 2016 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois as document No. 2016R-03245. The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendants in Case No. 19-CH-57 is currently pending. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Donald R. McClarey, McClarey Law Firm, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

Consequently, unless you, unknown owners and non record claimants, file your answer to the complaint in this action or otherwise enter your appearance in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, held in the Law & Justice Center in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before November 29, 2019, a default may be entered against you at any time after that date and a judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of the Complaint.

LeAnn Dixon, Circuit Clerk
Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit,
Livingston County, Illinois



The Dwight Lions Club would like to thank the community for making this past Pancake Breakfast and Raffle a huge success! Your continued support of the Lions Club goes toward helping the Sight and Hearing impaired in the immediate area and beyond. Thank you for continuing to make this possible!

The Dwight Lions Club would also like to thank those who donated items to the raffle including, Hoffman Trucking, Rodosky Accounting, Tim & Diana Henson, Eagle Ridge Resort (Galen), Dwight Country Club, Wolf Creek Golf Course, Weller/Hooker Insurance Agency, Just Kidding Around, Planning Associates, Nutrien Ag Solutions, Tech-Ni-Kolor, Willy's Pub, Old World Liquor, Classic Inn, DeLong Ford, Krug Lawn Care, Ace Hardware, State Farm, PNB Dwight, Schwartz Mobile Detailing, Aly Anne's, Euclid Beverages, Harvest Days, All About You Limo Services, Casey's Pizza, Dwight Pizza, Rt. 66 Family Restaurant, Dairy Queen, Subway, Victory Lanes, Geo's Pizza, Station 343, Cherry Red Roasters, Arby's, Berkot's, Loves Travel Stop, Jensen's BP, Circle K, Route 66 Tire and Auto, Deb and Alan Karch, and D Construction. Your donations and support make our community a better place to live and help countless people who are in need!

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS
STATE BANK OF GRAYMONT, an Illinois Banking Corporation, Plaintiff,
vs.
AMBER R. WATTERS, and unknown owners and non-record claimants, Defendants.
No. 19-CH-53

NOTICE

Notice is given you Defendants, unknown owners and non record claimants, that this action has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, praying that a Judgment of Foreclosure be entered against real estate legally described as follows:

Lots 10 and 11 in Block 27 in the Village of Odell, Livingston County, Illinois.
PIN: 10-10-179-007
Commonly known as: 418 E. Vermillion St., Odell, IL 60460

The title holder of record to the above described real estate is AMBER R. WATTERS. The mortgage sought to be foreclosed is a mortgage executed on July 21, 2016 and recorded on July 22, 2016 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois as document No. 2016R-02850. The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, STATE BANK OF GRAYMONT, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendants in Case No. 19-CH-53 is currently pending. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Donald R. McClarey, McClarey Law Firm, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

Consequently, unless you, unknown owners and non record claimants, file your answer to the complaint in this action or otherwise enter your appearance in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, held in the Law & Justice Center in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before November 29, 2019, a default may be entered against you at any time after that date and a judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of the Complaint.

LeAnn Dixon, Circuit Clerk
Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial
Circuit Livingston County, Illinois

Shoppers Needed for Dwight Christmas for Kids

The Christmas for Kids program in Dwight needs volunteers to shop for the children using their “Wish Lists” and funds from the Christmas for Kids Committee.

To become a shopper, you may go to Dwight United Methodist Church, 701 S. Columbia St., between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Thursday, November 14, to pick up a list.

If you have any questions, contact the Christmas for Kids Committee at 815-584-2179.

Cullom ALA Unit 122 Breakfast November 16

The American Legion Auxiliary of Skinner Trost Unit 122 of Cullom is sponsoring a Breakfast Saturday, November 16, from 7:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the American Legion Post Home on Rt. 116 in Cullom.

The menu includes biscuits and gravy, pancakes, sausage, and eggs made to order.

Carry-outs will be available. Kids ages five to ten receive a discount, while children ages four and under eat for free.

This is open to the public.



CONKLIN PLAYERS’ OWN Mary Simon, Dave Windsor, Tamra Challacombe, Dan Challacombe, and Pat Gaik in a photo op from the original Barn Holiday revue, “We Need a Little Christmas,” from 2009.

Conklin Players Come Home for Christmas

The new Barn III Dinner Theatre and Event Centre is celebrating its first holiday season back in the **new** barn.

Opening November 14, “The Best of the Barn Christmas” will wrap up the inaugural season of 2019 shows in the new facility.

“The Best of the Barn Christmas” is a retrospective holiday revue of the audience’s favorite holiday songs, sketches, and audience participation from the last ten years of the holiday revues presented by the Conklin Players at the Old Barn and during their time at Five Points Washington.

The show will run on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday evenings, as well as Sunday brunches through New Year’s Eve. Some Wednesday evenings will also be added in December. There will be no performances on November 28, Thanksgiving, or December 11, 25, 26, or 27. A special New Year’s Eve performance is also planned, which includes dancing and balloon drop.

The Conklin Players company, including April Bieschke, Dan Challacombe, Tamra Challacombe, Sagan Drake, Pat Gaik, Chad Kirvan, Abby Reel, Dave Windsor, and – at select performances – Jimmy LaHood and Mary Simon, will bring back musical numbers and comedy routines from ten years’ worth of Barn holiday shows. The show will feature both sacred and secular music, including the troupe’s popular renditions of several classics from the Gaither Vocal Band.

The production is directed by Mary Simon and produced by Abby Reel. Tamra Challacombe provides choreography for the revue. Musical Direction is by Chard Kirvan, who will also act as accompanist, with Zach Wakid on drums. Technical Director for the production is by April Bieschke, sound design is by Jimmy LaHood, and publicity is by Pat Gaik.

A handling fee will be added to each ticket purchased and the ticket price includes dinner sales tax. Tickets can be purchased online at www.thebarniii.com or by phone at 309-965-2545 from the box office, which is open from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Wednesdays, and 1:00-5:00 p.m. on Thursdays and Fridays. The same renowned buffet dinner will be available, and the new Barn offers a full service bar. Outside alcohol is no longer allowed.

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DWIGHT VETERANS DAY crowd filled VFW Post 2608 for the Veteran’s Day program. Speakers, the Dwight School’s Bands and Choir and members of the Dwight VFW and Dwight American Legion participated.



Mobile Food Pantry in S. Wilmington November 18

On Monday, November 18, at 4:00 p.m., Catholic Charities’ Mobile Food Pantry will be distributing food at St. Lawrence Church (135 Rice Rd. in South Wilmington) in the church parking lot (snow, rain, or shine). Catholic Charities and the Northern Illinois Food Bank have partnered to deliver nutritious food (meat, produce, and nonperishable items) to people in need. Participants are asked to

take bags, laundry baskets, or boxes to transport food and grocery products to their vehicles. Shopping carts will be available. A representative from Catholic Charities will be available at this event to explain additional services provided by the agency.

You do not have to be Catholic to participate. For more information about Catholic Charities, visit catholiccharitiesjoliet.org.

Limestone Library’s Evening with Santa Dec. 9

Limestone Township Library is inviting community members to enjoy their annual Evening with Santa in the Peterson School house Monday, December 9, with two separate sessions from 5:45-6:30 p.m. and 6:45-7:30 p.m. There will be a storytime,

crafts, and a special time with Santa. Pre-registration is required. There is no fee for this event. For more information, stop in at the library, 2701 W. Tower Rd., call them at 815-939-1696, or visit www.limestonelibrary.org.

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OBITUARY

Karla Jeanne Behounek

SUGAR HILL, GEORGIA – Karla Jeanne Behounek, 76, of Sugar Hill, Georgia and formerly of Dwight, died Thursday, October 24, 2019. She passed away peacefully in the care of Hospice.

Her memorial service will be Saturday, November 16, at 1 p.m., in Sugar Hill United Methodist Church with Pastor Jeff Coleman officiating.

Karla was born April 7, 1943 in Berwyn, Illinois, the daughter of Peggy and Ellis Wester. She married Ed Behounek February 5, 1966 in Berwyn. She was preceded in death by her husband.

Surviving are her children: son, Jeff (Shannon) of Billings, MT.; son, Vien (Kim) of Bloomington, IL; and daughter, Christine (Rob) of Sugar Hill, GA; brother, John (Linda) Wester of Denton, TX; and nine grandchildren: Jeremiah Behounek; Noah and Eva Coate; and Ryan, Bryant, Kevin, Kathleen, Phillip and

Stefanie Nguyen.

Her parents preceded her in death.

Karla had a bachelor’s and master’s degree from Illinois State University. She was a teacher for 30 years at Dwight Elementary School. She retired from teaching in 2001. Karla had a women’s Bible Study called the Hens in Dwight for many years.

After her husband passed away, Karla moved to Sugar Hill, Georgia to be near family. There, she became a member of Sugar Hill United Methodist, where she continued teaching – another Bible Study for women.

She was a teacher, an artist, a devoted wife, a mother, a grandmother, and a devoted friend. Her greatest passions in life were her family, teaching, church, and helping others.

Donations may be directed to Sugar Hill United Methodist Church, 4600 Nelson Brogdon Blvd., Buford, Georgia 30518, www.sugarhillumc.org

Beverly Webster

ANGOLA, INDIANA – Beverly Webster, 84, of Angola, Indiana and formerly of Dwight, passed away Wednesday, November 6, 2019 at Parkview Randalia Hospital in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Beverly was born to Donald and Lois Mason March 7, 1935. She married Ben Webster October 26, 1953 in Colchester, Illinois.

Surviving are her children: Jan (Dave) McDevitt of Angola, with whom she lived for the past two years; Dave (Charlesetta) Webster of Decatur; and Teresa (Paul) Newhall of Reynolds, Illinois; six grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and sisters, Mary Burton and Lynda (Larry) Roberts, both of Peoria.

She was preceded in death by her parents; brothers, Gene Mason and Don Mason, Jr.; and her husband, Ben.

Beverly was a homemaker and babysitter prior to being diagnosed with Lewy Body dementia.

Cremation rites have been accorded. A celebration of life service will be held at a later date.

Memorial contributions may be made to Steuben County Council on Aging, 317 S. Wayne St., Ste. #1-B, Angola, Indiana 46703.

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McDonald’s Menu

I opened up the internet today, and I found that McDonald’s is launching a new food item. They obviously launch different foods from time to time in that they’re a restaurant, but this one caught my eye because it’s a little off the path McDonald’s usually heads down.

McDonald’s is usually burgers, fries, and sometimes some chicken mixed in as well.

They’re launching the McCafe Donut Sticks. Which doesn’t take too much imagination to realize that they are donuts in the shape of sticks.

They have something that just visually looks similar to this in the form of some cinnamon rolls, (that are delicious, I might add) so they’re just expanding upon their breakfast spread.

Now, I haven’t looked up the nutrition facts on this food item(s) but I would assume given that it’s a donut that it’s probably not great for you. With that being said, I’m 100% going to try it at least once, and probably twice.

Now, they’ve definitely had some failed attempts: they had hot dogs at one point, they even tried to roll out pizza, so they’re not without their fails with attempted food rollouts. They also have seasonal items like their holiday hot pies, and for whatever reason they always roll out the McRib once or twice a year.

I have a theory on the McRib that it’s actually really bad, but when they only bring it back for short spurts, then remove it again before people actually realize that it’s not good.

I hope the donut sticks live a long and prosperous menu life at McDonald’s, I’m rooting for them, I’m a big fan of McDonald’s breakfast, and wish them nothing but success. I think it will be tough to crack the rotation for McDonald’s menu items, but I really hope it does.

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CLAIM NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of the death of ARDEN L. RIEKE, 300 Scott Drive, Dwight, Illinois, who died October 02, 2019, at Morris Hospital, Morris, Illinois.

Letters of Office were issued to the following person as Independent Executor, namely: Patricia M. Rieke, 300 Scott Drive, Dwight, Illinois, whose attorneys are CAUGHEY, LEGNER, FREEHILL, EHRGOTT & MANN, LLP, 204 North Main Street, Pontiac, Illinois 61764

Claims may be filed on or before the 30th day of April, 2020. Any claim not filed on or before that date is barred. Claims may be filed in the Office of the Clerk of this Court at Livingston County Law & Justice Center, Pontiac, Illinois 61764, or claims may be filed with the Personal Representative or both. If filed with the Clerk, the claimant must, within ten (10) days, mail or deliver a copy of the claim to the Personal Representative and to his attorney and file with the Clerk proof of such mailing or delivery.

Date: October 30, 2019

PATRICIA M. RIEKE

300 Scott Drive

Dwight, Illinois 60420

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Rep. Tom Bennett Reports

Pension Consolidation Possible

Legislation introduced for pension consolidation. Legislation has been filed to consolidate more than 600 police and firefighter pension funds in Illinois. The legislation, Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 616, came about after Governor Pritzker’s pension consolidation task force released its report last month.

A larger share of the property taxes paid to local governments are going to these pension funds each year. Down-state police and fire pension funds (defined as all those outside of Cook County) have a combined \$11 billion shortfall, but the Governor’s office claims that consolidation would generate investment returns of anywhere from \$800 million to \$2.5 billion each year if it were to be enacted.

The proposal was immediately met with reservations. One of the largest police advocacy groups in the state announced its opposition, citing concerns about protecting current benefits and potential bailouts of badly managed pension funds. Senate leaders expressed their intention to find an agreement with the police group before advancing the bill, though they would like to do so before the fall session adjourns next week.

As I wrote a few weeks ago, Illinois did not get into its current pension mess overnight, and it won’t get out of it quickly either. Skipping payments and borrowing from the

pension fund over the decades have left us with a tremendous debt which we have been forced to keep up with by shortchanging other aspects of the state budget. The idea of some kind of consolidation has been around for decades, so this is not a new issue. I expect we will see more developments on this in the coming days.

How much do we owe? As of the time of this writing, the State of Illinois owes \$6,475,556,660 in unpaid bills to state vendors. One year ago, the backlog stood at \$7.5 billion. This figure represents the amount of bills submitted to the office of the Comptroller and still awaiting payment.

Remembering victims of communism. This week sees two important historical milestones: November 7 was Victims of Communism Memorial Day in Illinois, and November 9 marks the 30th anniversary of the fall of the Berlin Wall. Each of these stand as tributes to the victims of the most murderous and destructive ideology the world has ever known.

I sponsored the resolution to declare November 7 as Victims of Communism Memorial Day to bring attention to the importance of never forgetting the tragic suffering which communism has wreaked upon the globe for over a hundred years, and which we continue to see in some parts of the world today.

As the resolution states, communism has proven in-

compatible with the ideals of liberty, prosperity and dignity of human life, and has given rise to some of the most brutal dictators in world history. It has caused the death of over 100 million people worldwide, of many different ethnicities, creeds and backgrounds. These regimes have robbed their own citizens of the rights of freedom of religion, freedom of speech and freedom of association through coercion, brutality, fear and other human rights abuses. Some continue to do so today.

Saluting our nation’s veterans. I offer my thanks to all those who serve our nation, in peacetime and wartime, close to home or far overseas, as well as the families of servicemembers who have sacrificed so much in their own right. We live in the greatest nation in the world. It is only possible for us to do so because of those who have served and protected it for over 200 years.

Did You Know? November 10 is the birthday of Illinois poet Vachel Lindsay. Lindsay traveled the nation on foot in the early 20th century, sharing his poems in exchange for food and lodging. He became famous when his 1913 poem, “General William Booth Enters Into Heaven,” was published in Poetry Magazine. He is perhaps best remembered for his 1914 poem, “Abraham Lincoln Walks At Midnight.” His home in Springfield is a state historic site.

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DWIGHT BOYS AND GIRLS GOLF AWARDS night was held November 4 at Dwight Country Club. Receiving awards, pictured, from left, were Mason Tjelle – MVP, Kelly Deterding – Co-MIP, Isabelle Schultz – MVP, Kendahl Weller – Co-MIP, and Brody Hoegger – MIP.



GSWB VARSITY CLUB HOSTED MAKENNA EMERSON on November 6. Makenna was a standout three-sport athlete at Coal City High School and continued her career playing softball at Olivet Nazarene University – where she is currently a senior. She believes playing volleyball, basketball, and softball in high school helped her recruiting process while in high school. While at CC HS, she was also involved in many other clubs outside of athletics, which made her more well-rounded and helped boost her resume. Makenna let the students she spoke to know it was a big commitment to play at the next level. She said her biggest struggle was academics and managing her time. Her team has study tables each week in which the players are required to meet and get homework done to help. At times, she had to put in extra work and effort to complete her work successfully and stay on track. It is also important in high school and college to maintain good grades, as it can give additional scholarship money to help pay for school. Outside of the classroom, it is important to put in extra time to get better outside of practice on her own time. Even if nobody is watching or requiring work to be done, Emerson noted she is constantly in the weight room, in the cages, and improving in any way possible. The student-athletes she spoke to were curious about day-to-day life as the season starts, and traveling/flying to other schools to compete. As a junior at ONU, Emerson’s team won the Chicagoland Collegiate Athletic Conference (CCAC). Because they won the regular season and conference tournament, they advanced to the NIAA National Tournament – finishing their season with a record of 40-10. As her senior year approaches, she has high expectations for herself and the Lady Tigers to have another successful season.



PTHS INDIANS SWIM TEAM

Tuesday, November 5
Pontiac vs. Lincoln

Pontiac defeated Lincoln 130-32 in swim action November 5. Individual results are as follows:
200 medley relay: Ava Nollen, Mary Hilt, Emma Nelson, Hannah Grove, 1st, 2:27.00; Regan Krause, Alana Christianson, Anneke Esposito, Brooke Collins, 2nd, 2:45.03.
200 free: Julia Trembley, 1st, 2:39.97; Emma DeWald, 2nd, 2:44.67.
200 IM: Nelson, 1st, 2:59.19; Camryn Mies, 2nd, 3:03.34.
50 free: Grove, 1st, 31.40; Christianson, 2nd, 36.55; Collins, 3rd, 37.21.

1m diving: Esposito, 1st, 185.00.
100 fly: Nelson, 1st, 1:23.19; Hilt, 3rd, 1:44.82.
100 free: Nollen, 1st, 1:07.58; Mies, 2nd, 1:15.43; Krause, 3rd, 1:19.96.
400 free: Trembley, 1st, 5:38.59; Esposito, 2nd, 6:14.33.
200 free relay: DeWald, Hilt, Mies, Grove, 1st, 2:12.79; Collins, Christianson, Krause, Trembley, 2nd, 2:22.06.
100 back: Nollen, 1st, 1:19.57; Collins, 2nd, 1:40.70.
100 breast: Hilt, 1st, 1:35.83; DeWald, 2nd, 1:38.72; Christianson, 3rd, 1:44.14.
400 free relay: Grove, Mies, Nelson, Nollen, 1st, 4:55.84; Trembley, Krause, Esposito, DeWald, 2nd, 5:11.04.

Winter Sports Preview 11.27

Gas Prices For This Week

The subtle increase in gas pricing is due to the domestic stocks of gasoline which decreased for the sixth consecutive week. At 217.2 million bbl, current stock level is 10.8 million bbl lower than last year at this time. Reduced stock levels along with robust demand have helped to push the national gas average price higher this week.
Kankakee is the highest price in the area this week with Morris being the lowest price.
Stay warm and safe driving.

City/Village	Nov.13	Nov.6
Dwight	\$2.48	\$2.49
Kankakee	\$2.70	\$2.45
S. Wilmington	\$2.58	\$2.58
Streator	\$2.51	\$2.43
Odell	\$2.55	\$2.55
Pontiac	\$2.49	\$2.54
Gardner	\$2.55	\$2.56
Braceville	\$2.54	\$2.57
Morris	\$2.47	\$2.51
Herscher	\$2.65	\$2.55
Chicago	\$3.00	\$3.09
Illinois	\$2.68	\$2.66
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2018 GSW PANTHERETTES: back row, left to right, Katelyn Farris, Coach Nicole Leigh, Molly Conger, Kayleigh Wells, Abbey Granger, Abigail Ozee, Katy Wallerich, Coach Devin Fisher, Ella Sandeno. Front row, left to right, Emma Fisher, Avery Lenzie, Paige Patterson, Taylor Bartels, Ashlyn Wallerich, Dezarie Wampler.

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Week 9 Paper Bowl Recap

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Michael Forgarty
Michael Edward Dwyer
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Commissioners of Said District

Church
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League

The Church Dartball League results from the November 4 match-ups are as follows:

	W	L
Church of Hope	1	2
New Life Assembly/God	2	1
Essex	1	2
Dwight Meth.	2	1
Herscher Luth.	2	1
St. Peter's Luth.	1	2
Dwight Cong.	2	1
Trinity Luth.	1	2
Emmanuel Luth.	3	0
Mazon Cong.	0	3

Current League Standings

	W	L
New Life Assembly/God	7	2
St. Peter's Luth.	6	3
Dwight Meth.	6	3
Trinity Luth.	5	3
Essex	4	4
Emmanuel Luth.	6	3
Church of Hope	3	6
Dwight Cong.	4	5
Herscher Luth.	3	6
Mazon Cong.	1	8

Schedule for November 18, at 7:00 p.m.

- Mazon Congregational at St. Peter's Lutheran
- Dwight Congregational at Essex
- Church of Hope at Herscher Lutheran
- Trinity Lutheran at Emmanuel Lutheran
- New Life Assembly of God at Dwight Methodist



DCS REDBIRDS BASKETBALL

Monday, November 4
Dwight vs. GSWB
6th Grade -

Dwight's sixth graders opened their season with a big win over GSWB, 43-8.

Leading the balanced attack was Evan Cox with 11 points, nine steals, and three boards. Joey Starks scored nine points to go with six rebounds and two steals. Asher Kargle had seven points, four steals, while Christian Kennon provided six points, three boards, and a steal. Jake Wilkey added four points, five rebounds, and three steals. Jackson Launius put up two points and three rebounds, with Jack Statler contributing two points and three steals. Garrett Leach snagged two rebounds.

“B” -

In the “B” game, the Redbirds won 32-1.

Zander Tarnowski led with 14 points, three rebounds, and three steals. Maddox DeLong followed with six points, nine steals, and a rebound. Jake Wilkey added six points, four steals, and three rebounds, with Christian Kennon had two points, eight rebounds, and five steals. Jackson Launius had two points, six steals, and one rebound.

7th Grade -

The Redbirds picked up a big 33-6 win over GSWB in the first game of the seventh graders' season.

Leading the way for Dwight was Larkin with ten points, 12 rebounds, and three steals. Dunlap (4 steals) and Gallet (10 rebounds, 8 steals, 1 assist) had six points each. Brown added five points, two boards, while Jensen (8 rebounds, 2 steals, 2 assists) and Nelson (2 rebounds, 6 steals, 1 assist) scored two points each. Anderson (4 rebounds, 3 steals) and Woods (1 assist) each made a free throw.

8th Grade -

Dwight's eighth grade squad began the 2019-20 season with a 43-40 win over their rivals from GSWB.

Connor Telford was high scorer with 21 points to go with seven steals and four rebounds. Jack Groves added 11 points, two steals, and a rebound. Tristan Chambers provided four points, six boards, and a steal, while Terry Wilkey added three points and five rebounds. Tyler Cox (2 rebounds) and Jacob Weissmann (3 rebounds, 1 steal) scored two points each. Ryan Hilt grabbed four boards and had three swipes.

Tuesday, November 5
Dwight vs. Ottawa Central
6th Grade -

The sixth grade Redbirds traveled to Ottawa Central November 5, coming home with a 30-9 victory.

Evan Cox led the team with 13 points, seven rebounds, and five steals. Joey Starks added nine points, five boards, three assists, and one blocked shot. Jake Wilkey chipped in with eight points, five rebounds, and five steals. Christian Kennon provided four rebounds and three steals. Asher Kargle contributed four steals and dished two assists.

“B” -

Dwight's “B” team fell 16-10.

Zander Tarnowski led with four points, three rebounds, and three steals. Maddox DeLong had two points, two boards, and five steals. Jack Statler added two points, a rebound, and a steal, while Gavin Leach scored two points to go with one steal. Jackson Launius snagged four rebounds, with Kennon adding three rebounds and two steals. Ethan Pakula had three boards and a steal.

Thursday, November 7
Dwight vs. Reed-Custer
6th Grade -

The Redbirds hosted Reed-Custer November 7, getting a big 46-5 “W.”

Evan Cox led Dwight with 12 points, five steals, and three rebounds. Christian Kennon (2 rebounds) and Joey Starks (8 rebounds, 2 steals) each scored ten points. Jake Wilkey provided six points, four swipes, and a rebound, with Ethan Pakula, Jack Statler, Zander Tarnowski, and Asher Kargle all scoring two points each.

“B” -

Dwight's “B” team defeated R-C 37-8.

Jackson Launius led with ten points, three steals, and two rebounds. Jack Statler contributed nine points, followed by eight from Gavin Leach. Zander Tarnowski added six points, five steals, while Ethan Pakula put up two points and two steals. Mike Groves had two points and three boards.

7th Grade -

Dwight picked up a 29-15 win over Reed-Custer in the seventh grade game.

“A big second quarter carried us to victory,” stated Coach Conroy.

Larkin led with 14 points, 12 boards, and five steals. Dunlap provided eight points, five steals, three assists, and two rebounds. Gallet chipped in with five points, nine boards, four assists, and two steals. Statler had two points and two steals, with Nelson pulling down three rebounds and dishing one assist.

8th Grade -

Dwight's eighth graders snuck a 32-29 decision past Reed-Custer, in a tough, physical match-up.

Connor Telford led the Redbirds with ten points, seven steals, and four rebounds. Jack Groves came up with six points, four boards, and a steal. William Trainor added five points, two rebounds, and one steal. Ryan Hilt (2 rebounds, 1 steal) and Terry Wilkey (5 rebounds) each scored four points. Jacob Weissmann contributed three points and four rebounds.

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DCS Lady Redbirds Basketball

**Monday, November 4
Dwight vs. Woodland
7th Grade -**

The seventh grade Lady Redbirds were defeated by non-conference foes, Woodland, November 4, 31-14.

Sophie Buck led with five points, while Ellora McCullough chipped in with four. Ella Legner and Taylor Heath had three and two points, respectively.


Dwight falls to 6-12 after the loss.

8th Grade -

Dwight earned a non-conference victory over Woodland, 31-13, on November 4 – moving the Lady Redbirds to 13-6 on the season.

Dwight found themselves down 7-4 at the end of the first quarter, but turned up the defensive pressure and outscored the Warriors 27-6 over the final three quarters to put the game away.

Sophie Crutchfield was leading scorer with ten points. Kassy Kodat had seven points, while Njomza Asllani had five points, including a three-pointer. Mia Buck had four points, going 2-2 from the line. Kaedyn Gonzalez and Lily McKelvey added two points each. Murphy Connolly put in a free throw.



GSWB Lady Tigers Basketball

**GSWB vs. Ransom
7th Grade -**

The seventh grade Lady Tigers lost to Ransom 16-12.

Nina Siano led the offense, putting in eight points. Hannah Balcom and Madison Wright each scored two points.

8th Grade -

In the eighth grade game, GSWB beat Ransom 24-13.

Addi Fair led with 12 of the Lady Tigers’ points, followed by Mary Clare Phillips with five. Lana Lomalie contributed three points, with Addy Serena and AJ Pumfrey each scoring two points.

**GSWB vs. Coal City
7th Grade -**

In basketball action against Coal City, GSWB was beaten 21-4.

Nina Siano and Hope Rich had two points each for the Lady Tigers, pulling down four rebounds each. Grace Olsen added four steals.

8th Grade -

GSWB’s eighth grade girls fell 27-25 to Coal City.

Addi Fair dominated with 17 points, going 8-10 from the charity stripe. Mary Clare Phillips, AJ Pumfrey, Addy Serena, and Bri Graefen had two points each.

**GSWB vs. Reed-Custer
7th Grade -**

The Lady Tigers faced Reed-Custer, falling 6-3.

Hope Rich was the lone scorer for GSWB with all three points to go with 11 rebounds. Hannah Balcom grabbed seven rebounds.

8th Grade -

It was 8th Grade Night at home against Reed-Custer, and the Lady Tigers played a neck-and-neck game – but came up short, 31-29.


Addi Fair led with 17 points, while Eva Henderson added five. Bella Vyce chipped in three points, with Mary Clare Phillips and AJ Pumfrey scoring two points each.

Victory Lanes.
Dwight
Bowling
League Results

Sportsman League Bowlers			
HSG/HHG:	Bosco Gassman,	300.	HSS/HHS: Bosco Gassman,
HSG/HHG: Victory Lanes,	1135.	HSS/HHS: Victory Lanes,	3247.
League Standings	W	L	
Victory Lanes	8	0	
KWM Gutterman	7	1	
Rury’s Tap	6	2	
Carl’s Pro Band	4	4	
Willy’s Pub	4	4	
Star Trucking	3	5	
Jensen BP II	3	5	
Jeremy’s Barber	3	5	
Jensen’s I	1	7	
DeLong Ford	1	7	


Commercial League Bowlers			
HSG:	Doug Gassman,	279 – Jackie Oelschlager,	201.
HSS:	Bob Bobczak,	699 – Stephanie Coleman,	463.
HHG:	Bob Bobczak,	289 – Jackie Oelschlager,	255.
HHS:	Bob Bobczak,	729 – Stephanie Coleman,	625.
HSG/HHG:	Mike’s,	1181.	HSS/HHS: Mike’s,
3185.	League Standings	W	L
Mike’s	4	0	
Dwight Printing	4	0	
Coleman/Son	4	0	
Victory Lanes	3	1	
Pinkie’s Out	3	1	
Freaksters	3	1	
Willy’s Pub	1	3	
Brannan Roof.	1	3	
Gaston Cons.	1	3	
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Whiskey Cavs	0	4	
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REVENUE SUMMARY: PROPERTY TAX \$44,411.45 - UTILITY TAX \$47,112.60 - LIQUOR LIC/NEV PERMITS \$1,650.00 - FRANCHISE LICENSES \$8,168.75 - BUILDING PERMITS \$276.00 - STATE INCOME TAX \$101,555.13 - REPLACEMENT TAX \$6,478.93 - PHOTO TAX \$26,631.60 - LOCAL SHARE VIDEO GAMING TAX \$12,779.07 - SALES TAX \$75,405.51 - ROAD & BRIDGE TAX \$8,907.49 - TELECOMMUNICATIONS TAX \$15,704.23 - FINES - COURT/OTHER \$3,672.66 - GARBAGE PENALTIES \$11,574.00 - GARBAGE SALES \$75,659.50 - INTEREST INCOME \$8,258.96 - DONATIONS RECEIVED \$4,587.00 - MISCELLANEOUS INCOME \$7,587.61 - PROPERTY TAXES \$29,131.06 - TRAILS GRANT REIMBURSEMENT \$19,762.72 - RECEIPTS/MDSE SALES \$46,241.48 - WATER SALES \$139,190.23 - TURN ON FEES \$200.00 - FARMER METER \$9,422.50 - INFRASTRUCTURE FEE \$62,152.08 - WATER DEBT FEE \$8,982.59 - TOTAL REVENUES: \$775,503.15.

COMPENSATION SUMMARY: UNDER \$25,000.00 BULLARD, JOAN - HOGAN, NATHAN P - LAMBERT, LISA J - MCPEEK, JAMIE E. - WYKES, GARY L - TISSIERE, MARK D. - VERDUN, BRIAN E - GRAVES, COLT D - REBHOLZ, JAMES E - VERDUN, CATHERINE - GRIEFF, EDITH A - BRANZ, EILEEN M - MILLS, BRIAN K. - RIBORDY, RICHARD J. - THORNE, IRIS A - BOLEN, JOE T - Between \$25,000.00 and \$49,999.99 LEENDERS, JENNIFER A. - BIERNAT, RYAN M - Between \$50,000.00 and \$74,999.99 ARMOUR, GROVER T - TOTAL COMPENSATION: \$178,164.70.


EXPENDITURE SUMMARY: ACE HARDWARE \$1,474.07 - ACE IN THE HOLE, INC \$8,601.60 - AIR DIFFUSION SYSTEMS \$3,795.92 - ANDREWS ENGINEERING, INC \$3,637.27 - AUTOMATIC SYSTEMS CO \$1,033.55 - IRS FINANCIAL AGENT \$13,779.06 - ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL RETIRE \$11,108.42 - STOCK & FIELD \$1,893.11 - BOHM'S PST \$724.22 - BANK OF PONTIAC \$5,358.15 - BP \$4,875.45 - BRENNTAG MID-SOUTH, INC \$4,211.90 - THE BUSINESS CONNECTION I \$900.00 - CHIEF REDI-MIX, INC \$1,640.06 - CAUGHEY, LEGNER & FREEHIL \$11,634.56 - COMED \$51,075.41 - CONTECH ENGINEERED SOLUTI \$670.00 - CORE & MAIN LP \$28,191.72 - DITCH WITCH SALES, INC \$4,098.74 - DN TANKS, INC \$47,309.14 - DONNELL'S PRINTING \$1,165.93 - DRISCOLL MOTOR CO, INC \$699.32 - FARNSWORTH GROUP \$4,173.50 - FRONTIER \$5,427.64 - EVERGREEN FS, INC. \$5,935.21 - GRIEFF'S PRECIOUS MONUMEN \$760.00 - GRAY'S GARAGE \$3,531.66 - HARN R/O SYSTEMS, INC. \$5,122.74 - LS BUILDING PRODUCTS \$4,355.82 - ILLINOIS DEPT OF REVENUE \$3,124.00 - ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PR \$4,911.09 - ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL LEAGUE \$27,457.18 - JENSEN'S BP \$1,343.61 - KELLY ELECTRIC \$25,370.23 - TREASURER LIVINGSTON COUN \$2,146.84 - LGHP - SHARED SERVICES CE \$42,025.00 - LIVINGSTON COUNTY SHERIFF \$19,999.99 - LOCIS \$2,256.75 - LOVELL EXCAVATING \$8,437.00 - MASSIE JET VAC SERVICES \$4,015.00 - MEDIACOM LLC \$929.40 - MICKEY'S LINEN & TOWEL SU \$1,027.69 - MONROE TRUCK EQUIPMENT, I \$610.57 - MOTHERROAD DISTRIBUTORS, \$882.00 - MUG-A-BUG \$3,421.52 - NICOR GAS CO. \$3,764.32 - OFFICE DEPOT \$1,873.85 - THE PAPER \$895.00 - PDC LABORATORIES INC. \$1,680.05 - PHILLIPS & ASSOCIATES, CP \$5,611.20 - RAMSON'S IMPORTS, INC \$1,969.50 - DESTINATION PRODUCTS, L.L \$7,601.44 - REPUBLIC SERVICES #366 \$71,335.68 - RAILROAD MANAGEMENT , CO. \$3,051.33 - ROUTE 66 ACCESSORIES ATTN \$3,403.67 - DANIEL RENTZ \$1,489.19 - STATE BANK OF GRAYMONT \$59,999.98 - STRATEGIC MARKETING SERVI \$775.00 - STOLLER INTERNATIONAL \$3,862.67 - STEVE L KERN \$1,270.00 - T.A.W. PROMOTIONS \$1,008.53 - TREETOP PRODUCTS CONSOLID \$6,727.94 - TRIPLE T SALES & SERVICE \$654.87 - AL TROST TREE EXPERTS \$6,650.00 - RICK A TUCKER \$1,439.00 - UNIVAR \$10,188.04 - USA BLUEBOOK \$2,476.42 - U.S. POST OFFICE \$2,081.58 - VALLEY VIEW INDUSTRIES \$3,172.58 - VERIZON \$957.97 - VILLAGE OF ODELL \$12,222.03 - All other disbursements Less Than (\$99) \$13,903.47 - TOTAL VENDORS: \$615,207.35.

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF CONDITION						
	GENERAL FUND	MFT MONEY MARKET	I.M.R.F. FUND	ODELL TOURISM	WATER IMPROVEMENTS STATE GRANT F	WALKING/BIKING DEBT CASH ACCT
Beginning Fund Balance						
Retained Earnings	\$559,546.49	\$68,036.52	\$4,670.41	\$26,119.62	\$.00	\$.00
Revenues	\$416,546.41	\$28,195.44	\$29,131.06	\$50,846.56	\$.00	\$19,762.72
Expenditures	\$364,014.92	\$19,074.58	\$24,018.94	\$38,518.12	\$.00	\$21,332.92
Other Financing Sources	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$5,337.21CR	\$.00	\$5,337.21
Uses	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00
Ending Fund Balance						
Retained Earnings	\$612,077.98	\$77,157.38	\$9,782.53	\$33,110.85	\$.00	\$3,767.01

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SUMMARY STATEMENT OF CONDITION						
	CDAP GRANT #07-242029	DCCA GRANT FUND	G.O. BONDS	WATER DEBT CASH ACCOUNT	WATER FUND	SEWER FUND
Beginning Fund Balance						
Retained Earnings	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$806,358.31	\$581,449.23
Revenues	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$170,244.42	\$60,776.54
Expenditures	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$135,337.22	\$77,485.66
Other Financing Sources	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00
Uses	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$58,490.00	\$65,866.00
Ending Fund Balance						
Retained Earnings	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$.00	\$782,775.51	\$498,874.11

	GENERAL FIXED ASSETS	GENERAL LONG TERM DEBT
Beginning Fund Balance		
Retained Earnings	\$.00	\$.00
Revenues	\$.00	\$.00
Expenditures	\$.00	\$.00
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Uses	\$.00	\$.00
Ending Fund Balance		
Retained Earnings	\$.00	\$.00



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LIVINGSTON COUNTY,
PONTIAC, ILLINOIS

First Guaranty Mortgage Corporation,
PLAINTIFF,
vs.

Richard W. Higbie Jr. a/k/a Richard Warren Higbie Jr.; et. al,
DEFENDANTS.
No. 2019CH19
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 10/18/2019, the Sheriff of Livingston County, Illinois will on December 18, 2019 at the hour of 10:00 AM at New Law & Justice Center 110 N. Main Street Pontiac, IL 61764, or in a place otherwise designated at the time of sale, County of Livingston and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

PIN: 07-07-04-355-005

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COUNTY OF LIVINGSTON –
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PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,
Plaintiff,
vs.

VICKIE S. SPORRER A/K/A VICKIE S. PETRI; AND UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS.
Defendants,
No. 18-CH-57
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 Wednesday, December 11, 2019, at the hour of 2:00 p.m. in Livingston County Abstract Company, 309 North Mill Street, Pontiac, Illinois 61764, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described mortgaged real estate:

PIN: 15-15-27-226-002.

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TO SELL \$750,000 WORKING
CASH FUND BONDS**

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Township High School District Number 73, Grundy and Kankakee Counties, Illinois (the "District"), will hold a public hearing on the 20th day of November, 2019, at 7:00 o'clock P.M. The hearing will be held in the High School Board Room, 500 East Main Street, Gardner, Illinois. The purpose of the hearing will be to receive public comments on \$750,000 for the purpose of increasing the working cash fund of the District.

By order of the President of the Board of Education of Township High School District Number 73, Grundy and Kankakee Counties, Illinois.

DATED the 16th day of October, 2019.

Carla Huston
Secretary, Board of Education
Township High School District Number 73,
Grundy and Kankakee Counties, Illinois

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3-4-Years Category 1) Gwen and Abigail Sientop; 2) Henry Snyder; 3) Eileen Scheuer; 4) Nathan Kilmer; 5) Brooklynn Coyle.



5-Years – 1st Grade Category
1) Christopher Schaumeenn; 2) Lilliana Noriega; 3) Isabella Pittenger; 4) Alexa Rodrigez; 5) Sadie Burke.

Dwight Lions Club Halloween Costume Winners

Dwight Lions Club held its annual Halloween Costume Contest November 1, with the following winners being announced



2nd-3rd Grades Category
1) Dalton DeLong; 2) Cara Wilson; 3) Addy Pittenger and Kenzie Livingston; 4) Esbon Scheuer; 5) Libby Stipanovich.



4th-5th Grades Category
1) Claire and Carson Sandeno; 2) Ethan Holte; 3) Jonathan Salamone; 4) Cadence Murphy; 5) Mia Franklin.

Gardner Grade School Halloween Fun



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Pastor: Michael Ebersohl
• NOV. 13: 8:30 a.m., UMW meeting; 2 p.m., Kids Klub/Real Kids; 6:00 p.m., Choir practice; 7 p.m., Cantata practice; REAL & IG-NITE.
• NOV. 14: 9 a.m., Bible Seekers; Dist. Clergy meeting; 10 a.m., Christmas for Kids' wish list distribution; 5:30 p.m., Praise Band rehearsal.
• NOV. 16: 7 a.m., Men's Bible Study at Route 66, Dwight, and Cafe 110, Odell; 9 a.m., AA meeting.
• NOV. 17: 8 a.m., Early Worship; 9:15 a.m., Sunday School; 9:30 a.m., Praise Band rehearsal; 10:30 a.m., Late Worship.
• NOV. 18: 9 a.m., UMW Executive Board meeting; 6 p.m., Scouts #4877; 6:30 p.m., Bible Warriors; 7 p.m., Dartball vs. New Life Assembly.
• NOV. 19: 8:30 a.m., Hens Bible Study; 6 p.m., Scouts #1505; 7 p.m., Scouts #4877 committee meeting.
• NOV. 20: 2 p.m., Kids Klub/Real Kids; 6:00 p.m., Choir practice; 7 p.m., Cantata practice; REAL & IGNITE.
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325 E. Mazon Ave.
584-3433 church
584-1291 fax
Rev. John F. Mueller, Pastor
• NOV. 13: 4:00 - 5:15 p.m., Catechism classes; 4:15 p.m., Choir; 5:00 p.m., Hand Bells; 6:00 p.m., Wednesday Devotions with Holy Communion.
• NOV. 16: 10 a.m., Joyful Lutheran Women.
• NOV. 17: 9 a.m., Sunday School/Adult Bible

First Baptist Church
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815-584-3182
Home of Dwight's Christian Radio Station WGVJ 97.3 FM
Pastor Dan Woodward
• NOV. 13: Wednesday Evening Service & King's Kids Children's Program, 7 p.m.
• NOV. 17: Sunday School for all ages, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday Morning Service, 10:45 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 6 p.m.
• NOV. 20: Wednesday Evening Service & King's Kids Children's Program, 7 p.m.
First Congregational United Church of Christ
200 W. Delaware St.
584-1260 church
Rev. Grant Speece
• NOV. 17: Worship, 10:30 a.m. — Ed Voss preaching.
Holy Scripture Readings:
Isaiah 65: 17-25
2 Thessalonians 3:6-13
Luke 21:5-19
* “Feed the Kids” program — Donations welcome.
New Life Assembly of God
903 S. Old Route 66
Victor J. Randle Jr., Pastor
• NOV. 13: 7 p.m., Bible Study.
• NOV. 14: 7 p.m., Worship practice.
• NOV. 16: 5 p.m., Volunteer Thank You Dinner.

Class; 10 a.m., Worship with Holy Communion; Annual Congregational Voters meeting.
• NOV. 18: 7 p.m., Dartball here vs. Trinity Lutheran.
• NOV. 19: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., “Sew Blessed.”
• NOV. 20: 4 - 5:15 p.m., Catechism Classes; 4:15 p.m., Choir; 5 p.m., Handbells; 6 p.m., Wed. Devotions with Holy Communion.

• NOV. 17: 9 a.m., Life Lesson Study; 10 a.m., Main Service; Kids Church, ages 3-11, and nursery; 2 p.m., Heritage Health Ministry; 5 p.m., X-treme Youth Group.
• NOV. 18: 7 p.m., Prayer Night.
• NOV. 19: 7 p.m., Celebrate Recovery.
• NOV. 20: 7 p.m., Bible Study.
• NOV. 21: 7 p.m., Worship practice.

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• NOV. 16: 9:00 - 10 a.m., Reconciliation; 4:30 p.m., Mass.
• NOV. 17: 10:30 a.m., Mass.

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815-584-1199
Pastor Chrissy Salser
email: chrissytherev@att.net
• NOV. 15: 9:30 a.m., Women's Bible Study at Hudelson's in Pontiac; 8 p.m., AA; Carlinville Youth Gathering.
• NOV. 16: Carlinville Youth Gathering.
• NOV. 17: Christ the King Sunday / Carlinville Youth Gathering; 9:15 a.m., Fellowship Breakfast; 9:30 a.m., Faith Development for all ages; 10:30 a.m., HC Worship; Community Lutheran “Homecoming” Service.
• NOV. 18: 7 p.m., Men's Dartball — St. Peter's here vs. Mazon Congregational; Monthly Epistle articles due.
• NOV. 19: Pr. Text Study; 4 - 6 p.m., Salvation Army/ Compassion Ministry.
• NOV. 21: 12 noon, Women of St. Peter meet in Odell at Cafe 110.
• NOV. 22: NO Bible Study; 8 p.m., AA.

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Pastor Karen Fabian
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North American Lutheran Church
Pastor: Gaberal Baumgardner
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EMINGTON Emington Congregational United Church of Christ
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• NOV. 10: Worship, 8:45 a.m. — Ed Voss preaching.
Holy Scripture Readings:
Isaiah 65: 17-25
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MAZON Mazon United Methodist Church
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815-448-5677 Church
815-483-9343 Cell
mazonmethodist.com
Pastor Karen Fabian
• Sunday Service, 9 a.m.

ODELL St. Paul Catholic Church
200 S. West St.
Father Chris G. Haake, Pastor
• NOV. 13: Reconciliation following 8:15 a.m. Mass.
• NOV. 17: 8 a.m., Mass.
• NOV. 20: Reconciliation following 8:15 a.m. Mass.

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Large Solar Farm Could Be Built in Grundy

A proposed 300 megawatt solar farm in Grundy County, northeast of Dwight, was described to the Grundy County Tax Committee last week by Nancy Norton of the Grundy County Economic Development Council.

Norton said the farm would produce 300 megawatts of electricity.

Renewable Energy Services, the largest privately owned energy service in the world, reportedly has 2,670 acres in Garfield and Goodfarm Townships under contract for the solar farm.

Norton, on WCSJ News, stated the farm would produce enough electricity for 65,000 homes. The power produced by the solar farm would be sold directly to Commonwealth Edison, or buyers such as Facebook, Google, Amazon, etc. Amazon has announced that it plans to be “all green” by 2040.

There would be an estimated 200 jobs available during the construction phase of the project.

No action was taken by the Grundy County Board.

42 Days Until Christmas!

Dwight Woman’s Club Festival of Trees, Cookie Sale December 7

A wide variety of themed trees, wreaths, and decorations are being readied to transform the gym at Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Dwight, into a winter wonderland.

Plan on attending Dwight Woman’s Club 11th Annual Festival of Trees Saturday, December 7, from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., and enjoy the seasonal fun, stock up on cookies for the holidays, and support charities and not-for-profits.

Even Mrs. Santa will be there, hosting a craft workshop

for little visitors.

When you purchase raffle tickets for a chance to win the displayed items, all proceeds benefit the designated charities and not-for-profits. The drawings for the Christmas items will take place at 2:00 p.m.

In addition, DWC will sell 50/50 split the pot raffle tickets, with proceeds benefiting the

DWC Scholarship Fund.

If any club, individual, business, or organization is interested in decorating a tree or wreath to benefit a favorite charity/not-for-profit, there is still time to be part of this event. For details, contact Lisa Marsh at 4dwightwomensclub@gmail.com.



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