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New museum board for 2023-24

The DeWitt County Museum Association Board of Directors recently elected officers to serve during the 2023-2024 term. Pictured, left to right, are DCMA Board of Directors Steve Perring, Karen Steward, Jim Morris, Juanita Morris (Parliamentarian), Terry Ferguson (First Vice President), Camille Redman (Recording Secretary), Nathan Lippert, Chet Walters (President), Jane Tedrick (Co-Treasurer), Alaina Russell, Kelbey McMath, Logan Redman (Second Vice President) and Kiresten Goff. Other DCMA board members not pictured here are Kim Toohill, Parker Toohill, Barbara McMath (Co-Treasurer), Leon Owens, Katherine Ferguson (Corresponding Secretary), and B.A. Nelson. To learn more about becoming a museum member, contact the museum by calling (217) 935-6066 or send an email to chmoore.homestead@gmail.com.

No plans by county to terminate animal control agreements

County will honor agreements as it looks for new animal control administrator and solicits help

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CLINTON — The county will continue animal control services to Clinton, Farmer City and Wapella as it works to find a new animal control administrator.

A motion listed on the county board’s Jan. 19 meeting agenda, if approved, would have terminated the county’s intergovernmental agreements with the three municipalities. But, it was made clear at the meeting the county

did not intend to take such action. “We’re not going to bring that forward,” said board chairman Dan Matthews.

Matthews said he talked to Megan Myers, chairman of the board’s public safety committee, and other board members as well as Sheriff Mike Walker and Clinton Police Chief Ben Lowers.

“How this came about was our inability to hold up our end of the agreements,” Matthews said.

Since the county is currently without an animal control officer, there was concern those duties

could not be performed.

“We don’t have anyone to go out on calls,” Matthews said. “So, we thought, can we suspend the agreement? How do we handle it so we hold up our part of the agreement?”

Matthews said the county was searching to find a new animal control administrator.

“Hopefully we find somebody who is capable, willing to do the job,” he said. “We want to get them trained as quickly as possible.”

Matthews said he did not know

how long it would take to fill the position, “but, there will probably be some situations we can’t handle right away.” He said they were seeking help and looking for some flexibility with the agreements until they hire someone.

“It certainly is not our intention to terminate those agreements,” Matthews said.

In fact, he said the county plans to work toward improving the agreements when they come up for renewal.

Governor signs bill that includes new regulations for wind farms

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SPRINGFIELD — Gov. J.B. Pritzker last week signed Illinois House bill HB 4412, which, among other items, includes new state regulations for establishing and regulating sites for wind energy facilities.

For some counties, the bill will relax some wind regulations implemented by those counties. In some cases, counties have more restrictive regulations governing wind and solar energy projects, and fear loss of local control over project site approval. The bill sets statewide site standards for renewable energy

projects, such as wind and solar, as well as a protocol for downstate relief of energy rates. The bill also limits counties in their authority to regulate commercial wind and solar energy generating facilities.

Seventy-eight Illinois counties, in addition to DeWitt County, passed resolutions objecting to

losing local control over wind and solar site approval.

The Illinois Farm Bureau also opposed the bill, giving testimony the bill would not provide sufficient protections for property owners who were not leaseholding participants of wind energy facilities.

Soil & Water Conservation District annual meeting February 17

CLINTON — The DeWitt County Soil & Water Conservation District’s 79th Annual Meeting & Celebration has been set for Friday, February 17, at The Georgia Jill, in Clinton. Registration will begin at 7:30 a.m. with a buffet breakfast,

served at 8 a.m.

“The SharkFarmer,” Rob Sharkey, is scheduled as guest speaker. Sharkey hosts his SharkFarmer show on the RFD channel and a second show on WTVP PBS, “A shot of Ag.”

Sharkey also is on Sirius XM

Radio, where he has a daily show and “SharkFarmer Weekend Edition” on Saturdays.

A short business meeting will be held. Two people will be elected for two-year terms as members of the board of directors. There will be no charge for attendance,

but donations will be accepted at the door to help support the district’s annual college scholarship fund.

RSVP is required. Phone the District at (217) 935-2181, ext. 3, by Wednesday, February 10, to make reservations.

State sets DeWitt County multiplier

Special to the Clinton Journal

SPRINGFIELD — DeWitt County has been issued a tentative property assessment equalization factor of 1.0000, according to David Harris, Director of the Illinois Department of Revenue.

The property assessment equalization factor, often referred to as the “multiplier,” is the method used to achieve uniform property assessments among counties, as required by law. This equalization is particularly important because some of the state’s 6,600 local taxing districts overlap into two or more counties (e.g. school districts, junior college districts, fire protection districts).

If there were no equalization among counties, substantial inequities among taxpayers with comparable properties would result.

State law requires property in Illinois to be assessed at one-third (1/3) of its market value. Farm property is assessed differently, with farm home sites and dwellings subject to regular assessment and equalization procedures, but farmland and farm buildings are assessed according to standards that are based on productivity.

The equalization factor is determined annually for each county by comparing the sales price of individual properties sold over the past three years to the assessed value placed on those properties by the county supervisor of assessments/county assessor.

If this three-year average level of assessment is one-third of market value, the equalization factor will be one (1). If the average level of assessment is greater than one-third of market value, the equalization factor will be less than one (1). And, if the average level of assessment is less than one-third of market value, the equalization factor will be greater than one (1).

Assessments in DeWitt County are at 33.68 percent of market value, based on sales of properties in 2019, 2020, and 2021.

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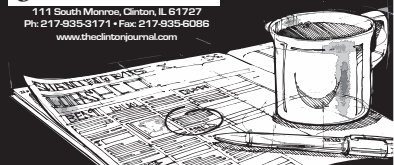
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The assessed value of an individual property determines what portion of the tax burden a specific taxpayer will assume. That individual's portion of tax responsibility is not changed by the multiplier.

To see if you are eligible to participate in the program, producers should contact their local NRCS field office or visit the Illinois NRCS website at www.il.nrcs.usda.gov.

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NEWS

Teresa K. Short

KENNEY — Teresa K. Short, 59, of Kenney, passed away at 9:07 a.m. on Thursday, January 26, 2023, at Carle BroMenn Medical Center, Normal.

A celebration of Teresa's life will be held at a later date. Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, assisted the family with cremation rites.

Memorials may be directed to the Teresa Short memorial fund.

Teresa was born on April 18, 1963, in Clinton, the daughter of Patsy (Clary) Barclay. She married Curt Short pn August 16, 1989, in Lane.

Survivors include her husband, Curt Short, Kenney; children, Krystal Workman, Maroa, and KayLynn Rybolt, Kenney; four grandchildren, Cadence Rybolt, Landon Rybolt, Trey Buggar, and Harlee Buggar; siblings, Jerry (Kim) Turner,



Braidwood, Ill.; Karen (Rick) Campbell, Decatur, Ill.; Danny Barclay, Kenney; and Bobbi (Rod) Morse, Kenney.

She was preceded in death by her mother.

Teresa was known as a "jack-of-all-trades." She enjoyed spending time with her family and friends, but she especially loved being with her grandchildren.

Online condolences may be made at www.calvertmemorial.com

Kacie Jo Shepherd

CLINTON — It is with heavy hearts that we announce the tragic passing of Kacie Jo Shepherd, who left us unexpectedly in the early morning hours of Sunday January 22, 2023, at her home in Clinton.

Kacie was one of the most generous and caring people and will be painfully missed by all of those whose lives she touched.

At the age of 34, Kacie leaves behind father, Terry Shepherd; mother, Lori Shepherd; younger brother, Marshal Shepherd; nephew, Ryker Shepherd; and grandmother, Pat Shepherd.

Born on March 21, 1988, Kacie was an artistically talented student who cared deeply for those around her from an early age. She went on to receive her nursing degree and worked for 11 years caring for the elderly of our community at Liberty Village of Clinton, always putting the needs of others before herself.

Kacie found absolute joy in her nephew, Ryker; her "Rik-Rok." She adored her furbabies, Emmy and



Memphis.

When not caring for those around her, Kacie enjoyed traveling and experiencing new places. She was a regular visitor to Destin, Fla., where she kept a condo.

Loss can remind us that life itself is a gift, we invite you to celebrate the gift that Kacie's life was to us all on Sunday February 5, 2023, from 1-4 p.m. at the Clinton American Legion, 219 N. Elizabeth Street.

The family wishes memorial contributions be made to her mother to distribute in Kacie's name to animal rescues that Kacie supported for several years: Lori Shepherd, 721 E. Washington St., Clinton, IL 61727

William D. 'Bill' Conn, Jr.

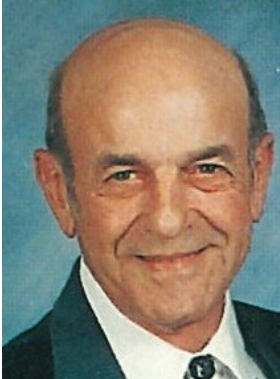
CLINTON — William D. "Bill" Conn, Jr., 88, of Clinton, passed away at 9 a.m. on Thursday, January 26, 2023, at his family residence, Clinton.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, February 1, 2023, at Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with Scott Marsh officiating. Burial will follow Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Kenney. Visitation will be held from 5-7 p.m. on, Tuesday, January 31, 2023, at the funeral home.

Memorials may be directed to Illinois CancerCare, Bloomington, Ill.

Bill was born on March 2, 1934, in Weldon, the son of William D. and Mildred (Peterson) Conn, Sr. He married Mary Jane Abbott on August 29, 1953, in Peoria.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Jane Conn, Clinton; children, Billy Conn, Rifle, Colo.; Chris Conn, Clinton; Chris Conn, Clinton; Carole (Mark) Abbinanti, Chicago; and Mitch (Jenny) Conn, Plainfield, Ill.; 11 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren;



and sisters, Audrey Beck, Cottonwood, Ariz., and Marlene Seguire, Clinton.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two sisters and two brothers.

Bill was a self-employed building contractor for over 40 years. He was a founding member of the Midwest Coin and Antique Club, in Clinton, as well as a member of the Exchange Club. For 30 years, Bill coached and was a board member of Khoury League, in Clinton. He was also a member of the Kenney United Methodist Church. Bill was a lifelong St. Louis Cardinals fan and will be remembered as a collector of everything.

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Ways to train your brain

There are several "brain support" online programs out there, but many cost more than we'd like to pay.

Lumosity (lumosity.com) comes in seven languages and has games that promote memory, attention, flexibility, problem-solving and more. After you sign up, you'll get three free games per day, and the Brain Performance Index monitors your progress. There is a subscription plan, of course, if you want access to more areas of the site, and you can pay by the month or the year. Test the free version first to see if you like it.

BrainHQ (brainhq.com) is another cognitive training program that you can access online. Their exercises explore brain speed, memory, attention and more. And you can design your own program. Their goals are to help you think faster, focus better and remember more. You can try it out by subscribing to their email newsletters, which have free daily exercises

SENIOR NEWS LINE

by Matilda Charles

to sample.

As for me, I've found books that don't cost much and are good at putting my brain through its paces on a daily basis. The New York Times series of puzzle books begins with the Monday editions, which are the easiest of the week. (The crossword puzzles get increasingly difficult as the week progresses.) I found the whole series of spiral-bound puzzle books (50 to a book) on Amazon.

Then there are the online jigsaw puzzles at TheJigsawPuzzles.com. The puzzles (a new one every day) can be set in any number of ways, including the number of pieces in a puzzle. I've found that the 100-pieces level is plenty challenging when viewed on a computer monitor.

And then there is online chess, for those of us who used to play back in the day but would be embarrassed to lose to a small child now without serious brushing up of our skills. Try this for free at www.chess.com and play against their computer.

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Social Security district manager, Bloomington



This Valentine's Day, take time to remind your loved ones that Social Security helps people in all stages of life. We provide easy and convenient ways to learn about and apply for benefits. Using our online services, you can assist friends and family members to:

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1869 - Edwin Booth opened his new theatre in New York City. The first production was “Romeo and Juliet”.

1874 - A patent was issued to Samuel W. Francis for the spork.

1900 - In Frankfort, KY, gubernatorial candidate William Goebels died from an assassin’s bullet wounds. On August 18, 1900, Ex-Sec. of State Caleb Powers was found guilty of conspiracy to murder Gov. Goebels.

1913 - The 16th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution was ratified. It authorized the power to impose and collect income tax.

1916 - In Ottawa, Canada’s original parliament buildings burned down.

1917 - The U.S. broke off diplomatic relations with Germany, which had announced a policy of unrestricted submarine warfare.

1918 - The Twin Peaks Tunnel began service. It is the longest streetcar tunnel in the world at 11,920 feet.

1927 - The Federal Radio Commission was created when U.S. President Calvin Coolidge signed a bill.

1941 - In Vichy, France, the Nazis used force to restore Pierre Laval to office.

1946 - The first issue of “Holiday” magazine appeared.

1947 - Percival Prattsbecame the first black news correspondent admitted to the House and Senate press gallery in Washington, DC. He worked for “Our World” in New York City.

1951 - The Tennessee Williams play, “The Rose Tattoo”, opened on Broadway in New York.

1966 - The first rocket-assisted controlled landing on the Moon was made by the Soviet space vehicle Luna IX.

1969 - At the Palestinian National Congress in Cairo, Yasser Arafat was appointed leader of the PLO.

1972 - The first Winter Olympics in Asia were held at Sapporo, Japan.

1989 - South African politician P.W. Botha unwillingly resigned both party leadership and the presidency after suffering a stroke.

1998 - Texas executed Karla Faye Tucker. She was the first woman executed in the U.S. since 1984.

2009 - Eric Holder was sworn in as attorney general. He was the first African-American to hold the post.

2010 - The Alberto Giacometti sculpture L’Homme qui marche sold for \$103.7 million.

2015 - The British House of Commons voted to approve letting scientist create babies from the DNA of three people.

Amber Waves



Observations of the week

CLINTON SCHOOLS—A few things caught my attention this week, and we will start with the school.

Superintendent Curt Nettles was interviewed by the Lincoln Daily News regarding proposed sex education mandates. Nettles voiced his concern/dislike for state mandates. Nettles stressed parental desires and local control. That is a voice of reason.

Clinton has been blessed with a very positive school board and administration. Supt. Nettles, Ass’t Supt Goebel and the school board have all demonstrated a common sense approach to education and watching the public purse.

We need more of their input and less of Springfield mandates. Next time you see any of the school board or the school administration tell them thanks for their efforts on behalf of the children of this community.

POWER BILLS—Previous contracts with the power suppliers are

expiring. My utility bills are going up and most probably yours are too. It was five degrees when I woke up this morning. I detest the cold and then I think of the fuel cost to heat the house and my blood boils. I guess that does provide some warmth, but not in a pleasant way. When you pay that power bill, think government control.

Efforts to support clean energy are wonderful and should be encouraged in the market place. Efforts to curtail energy production by government blockage of fossil fuels is simply cost prohibitive. Fuel prices are up because oil and coal producers are being forced out of the market place by government oversight.

Government is playing with the markets. Supply has been reduced and cost are now up. It is basic economics 101. Let’s stop playing politics with our fuel bills and let the markets work openly. A free market system always finds the most economical solution to the problem.



If you like all this over regulation, then don’t complain about that power bill.

MEDICAL BLUES—We have some of the best medical care in the world, but it can be frustrating. My bout of prostate cancer treatment comes with some very good doctors at Barnes. I also see my local doctors here at home. They are usually on the same page, but not always.

My cancer treatment came with the caveat that I would gain weight. My docs here are telling me to lose weight if I want to have my knees surgically repaired. Now, this fat boy loves a good steak and baked potato. He would also like a few more years on this earth, preferably without painful knees.

I am blue, but both docs are getting my gold. For

whatever it is worth, I have lost 20 pounds over the past several months. I still love that steak, but a salad now and then has become more agreeable.

C O M M O N COURTESY—I rely heavily on a cane to walk. My mother hammered into my head that boys were to open door for ladies and especially older ladies. I believe I learned the lesson well, but times have changed and courtesy is not as present as it used to be, or so I thought. I cannot tell you the number of times a young lady has held a door open for this old fat boy. I am violating my mother’s directive, but I certainly appreciate it.

The mere holding open of a door by a young person for an older person has renewed my faith in the future generations. I may not like the music or styles of our youth, but I have come to truly appreciate their courtesy to a senior generation.

Try and stay warm during this cold season and have a great week.

Get your free PACT Act screening

As of the first week of 2023, the Department of Veterans Affairs had screened 1 million veterans for exposure to toxins. As part of the PACT Act, signed last summer, they pulled out all the stops to get this done.

If you’re one of the million who stepped up to get your screening, well done. If you haven’t, don’t let this opportunity pass by.

The PACT Act expands benefits for veterans who were exposed to toxins from Agent Orange and other chemicals, as well as from burn pits, Camp Lejeune water, radiation

and others. The damage from those can take years to surface in your health.

You might have been turned down in the past if you filed a claim, but the PACT Act opens a big new door: You no longer have to prove that your illness was caused by toxic chemicals. It will be assumed that it was based on your service in that location. The PACT Act adds to the list of presumed medical conditions, called “presumptives.”

If you’ve never received VA health care, you can still qualify for this screening. Call them. They’re doing screenings at VA facilities across the



country, and it takes about 10 minutes. It’s better to get going with the VA now rather than wait until down the road when a health issue might crop up. Get the screening; get your information on file. Benefits will be backdated to the time the bill was signed, so don’t delay.

Survivors of a veteran also might be eligible for the benefits -- either a monthly payment or a one-time payment -- for a surviving spouse,

dependent child or dependent parents.

To learn more about the PACT Act, go to www.va.gov/resources/the-pact-act-and-your-va-benefits. At that link you can apply online for disability compensation with Form 21-526EZ. You can also call them at 800-698-2411. Or call 800-827-1000 for help applying online. Look for Form 10-10EZ to apply for VA health care or to check the status of an application you already submitted.

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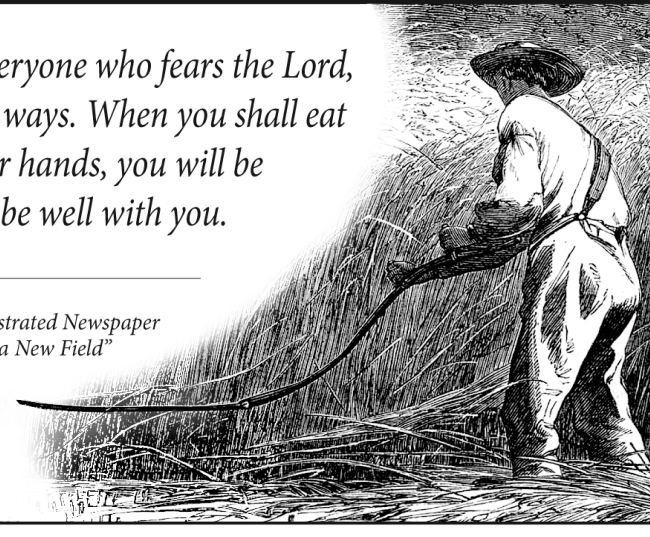
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Clinton Presbyterian Church
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First Christian Church
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Worship Services: 9:30 a.m.
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7 p.m.-Wednesday mid-week service

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213 W. Benjamin Street, Kenney
(217) 944-2275
Ernie Harvey, minister
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(217) 935-2557
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200 S. Alexander Street, Clinton
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10 a.m.-AMPED Jr. (birth-K)
7 p.m.-AfterShock teen church, 6th-12 grades
6 p.m.-Wednesday, Strategic Disciple
6:30 p.m.-Thursday, DIVE teen Bible study
7 p.m.- Thursdays, 1st & 3rd, Empowered Women / 2nd & 4th, Frontline Men

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church
502 N. Monroe Street, Clinton
(217) 935-3727
Rev. James Owusu-Yeboah, pastor
4 p.m.-Saturday mass
8:30 a.m.-Sunday mass

St. Patrick Catholic Church
308 S. Locust Street, Wapella
(217) 935-8510
Office hours: 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Thurs.
Father Geoff Horton, administrator
9 a.m.-Sunday mass

Texas Christian Church
8301 Texas Church Road, Clinton
(217) 454-6846
www.Texaschristian-church.org
Scott Marsh, minister
9 a.m.-Sunday school
10 a.m.-Sunday worship
6 p.m.-Sunday evening worship
6 p.m.-Wednesday prayer meeting

The Blessed Hope Seventh-Day Adventist Church
112 N. Monroe St., Clinton
(217) 731-4005
9:30 a.m.-Saturday, Sabbath school
11 a.m.- worship with pot luck afterwards
6 p.m.-Wednesday, prophecy meetings

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Psalm 24:1-2

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S A E S S G

More on market psychology

Welcome to my little corner of culinary delights. In the previous article, we learned about shrinkflation. From this, we learned how the manufacturers inflate food prices without us even realizing it.


There are no visual indicators. In one example, the box and price did not change, but the amount hidden inside was less. In another case, the cans were all the same right down to the weight, but hidden inside was various amounts of water. Even the psychological effect that dried produces would be cheaper proved false. Now we venture from the manufacturer to the club.

Most of us know what a co-op is. Co-op catered to specific needs of a certain group of people. The earlier ones were for farmers. Co-ops were the precursor to the purchaser's club. You know the type. Some require a membership before they allow the person the privilege of giving them money to buy things.

Purchasing a membership presumes the "privilege" of buying from them. This concerns me. I have had a few such memberships. My first one was in 1971. What is the psychology behind it?

First, to pay for a membership presumes one will get better prices. And, if so, one needs to purchase enough to offset the annual membership fees. Does it? How can one know?

I have had a membership with a nationwide buying club. I found that they charged retail prices or above on many of their items. Items generally stocked are high volume items. This limits your choices generally to one brand. Any bargain prices



The Culinary Corner
By Chef Roger Joss

given are mainly large bulk items that cater to high volume restaurants and businesses.

Another psychological effect deals with the "overhead conception." This deals with the way products are presented. One might feel they are entering a warehouse. "Warehouse" sales in the past were clearance sells. Thus, the warehouse appearance gives that perception of "bargain prices."

To buy products directly out of the shipping crates and boxes on pallets adds to this impression. It reduces labor for stocking shelves. It is assumed the savings would be passed on to the member. If products are sold at or near retail prices, do not expect any savings for yourself. You might do as well, if not better, at a retail store.

Purveyors have quality levels on produce. Most of your grocery stores will pay a little extra for your fresh and higher quality produce. Other stores that presume to give the better deal, might have the policy of purchasing the cheaper quality produce. It will have a short shelf life and some of it is at the point of being composted.

Recently at such a place, I noticed indentation on some watermelons. This indicates the melons are rotting. If you press your thumb on the spot, it most likely will puncture the rind. Regarding peaches, they could smell ripe and yet be rotting at the center.

This is only two examples of incompetent management.

Until next time, peace to all.

BIBLE TRIVIA
By Wilson Casey

1. Is the book of Ruth (KJV) in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. From 2 Samuel, who commanded the rebel army when Absalom rebelled against David? Arioch, Abner, Abishai, Amasa
3. In the Old Testament who said, "Speak, Lord; for thy servant heareth"? Noah, Isaiah, Samuel, Adam
4. Who wrote most of the Proverbs? David, Solomon, Paul, Isaiah
5. What's the Sea of Galilee called in John 6? Tiberias, Dead, Jordan, Geneva
6. Who was the mate of Zipporah? Hosea, Amos, Moses, Malachi

ANSWERS: 1) Old, 2) Amasa, 3) Samuel (1 Samuel 3:9), 4) Solomon, 5) Tiberias, 6) Moses

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Clinton Otter breaks YMCA 100-yard breaststroke record

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Clinton YMCA Swim Team - II.						1/21/2023 Results - Clinton vs Danville		1/22/2023 Page 1	
Event 1 Girls 11-12 200 Yard Freestyle									
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points				
1 McConkey, Sophia	43.30	10 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	3:17.14	3:20.57	20				
			3:20.57 (48.53)						
Event 2 Boys 11-12 200 Yard Freestyle									
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points				
1 Beck, Brody	34.28	11 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	2:34.27	2:31.26	20				
2 Lamar, Lucas	36.80	12 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	2:54.81	2:47.10	17				
			2:03.57 (44.03)	2:47.10 (43.53)					
Event 3 Girls 13-14 200 Yard Freestyle									
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points				
1 Moser, Abi	35.94	14 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	3:08.50	2:41.82	20				
2 Penny, Madi	34.18	13 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	2:49.30	2:46.67	17				
3 Lynch, Kahlia	38.26	13 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	2:55.57	2:52.89	16				
			2:22.44 (44.18)	2:10.28 (47.84)	2:52.89 (42.61)				
Event 4 Boys 13-14 200 Yard Freestyle									
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points				
1 Medlin, Charles	25.35	14 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	1:56.71	1:58.16	20				
2 Patton, Charlie	36.92	13 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	2:47.06	2:51.48	17				
			1:21.73 (44.81)	2:07.52 (45.79)	2:51.48 (43.96)				
Event 6 Boys 15 & Over 200 Yard Freestyle									
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points				
1 Sokoloski, Liam	33.83	17 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	2:34.68	20				
2 King, Ian	31.91	17 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	2:52.48	17				
3 Bledsoe, Parker	38.74	17 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	3:05.43	16				
			1:26.43 (47.69)	2:18.57 (52.14)	3:05.43 (46.86)				
Event 7 Girls 8 & Under 100 Yard Medley Relay									
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points					
Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	A	1:32.30	1:33.95	40					
1) Houser, Aubrey 6		2) Sprague, Lucah 8		3) Mitchell, Lily 8		4) Ferguson, Lydia 8			
52.40		1:33.95 (41.55)							
Event 8 Boys 8 & Under 100 Yard Medley Relay									
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points					
Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	A	2:06.76	2:15.40	40					
1) Houser, Lucas 4		2) Deleon, Cruz 7		3) Robinson, Grant 8		4) Douglas, Emmitt 6			
1:17.88		2:15.40 (57.52)							
Event 11 Girls 11-12 200 Yard Medley Relay									
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points					
Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	A	3:11.57	3:10.68	40					
1) Davis, Eva 9		2) Courson, Jessica 11		3) Wilson, Cooper 11		4) Stefaniak, Adalynn 10			
59.11		1:47.09 (47.98)		2:29.12 (42.03)		3:10.68 (41.56)			

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Event 12 Boys 11-12 200 Yard Medley Relay					
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points	
1 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	A	2:31.78	2:28.47	40	
1) Clodfelter, Adam 11	2) Beck, Brody 12	3) Bass, Kiefer 12	4) Lamar, Lucas 12		
	40.45	1:19.96 (39.51)	2:28.47 (31.89)		
Event 14 Boys 13-14 200 Yard Medley Relay					
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points	
1 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	A	2:36.62	2:24.41	40	
1) Patton, Charlie 13	2) Patton, Owen 13	3) Goar, Oliver 14	4) Moore, Daniel 13		
	42.60	1:25.38 (42.78)	2:24.41 (29.16)		
2 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	A	3:44.75	3:21.33	34	
1) Medlin, Charles 14	2) Dwyer, Chase 11	3) Dwyer, Brady 13	4) Omilor, Noah 8		
	29.42	1:44.55 (1:15.13)	3:21.33 (58.36)		
Event 15 Girls 15 & Over 200 Yard Medley Relay					
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points	
1 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	A	2:15.99	2:11.74	40	
1) Clodfelter, Jamie 15	2) Ellison, Aliyah 15	3) Morgan, McKegan 15	4) Koritz, Addie 16		
	36.00	1:10.89 (34.89)	2:11.74 (27.84)		
2 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	A	2:35.54	2:30.82	34	
1) Hunter, Vivian 13	2) Hunter, Hazelyn 17	3) Courson, Isabella 16	4) Smith, Heather 13		
	37.96	1:13.04 (35.08)	2:30.82 (41.44)		
Event 16 Boys 15 & Over 200 Yard Medley Relay					
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points	
1 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	A	2:07.97	1:57.36	40	
1) Fulton, Alaric 16	2) Adams, Lincoln 15	3) Moser, Drew 17	4) Perry, Jacob 16		
	32.27	1:06.14 (33.87)	1:57.36 (25.46)		
--- Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	B	NT	NS		
Event 17 Girls 8 & Under 100 Yard IM					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Hosch, Scarlett	42.36	8 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	1:42.61	1:41.33	20
2 Mitchell, Lily	58.07	8 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:53.56	2:07.23	17
Event 18 Boys 8 & Under 100 Yard IM					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Deleon, Cruz	1:07.10	7 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	2:15.40	2:13.26	20
	1:07.10				
Event 19 Girls 9-10 100 Yard IM					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Bentz, Katelyn	46.28	9 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:35.11	1:33.71	20
2 Bundy, Amelia	1:05.14	10 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	2:00.63	2:06.23	17
	1:05.14				
--- Cohenour, Della	9	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	2:21.43	Q 2:23.77	
	One hand touch- By				
	1:08.40	2:23.77 (1:15.37)			

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Event 20 Boys 9-10 100 Yard IM					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Betsworth, Jack	1:32.20	10 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:34.62	1:32.20	20
1:32.20 (48.47)					
Event 21 Girls 11-12 200 Yard IM					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Wilson, Cooper	40.76	11 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	3:25.87	3:10.48	20
2 Sumner, Lily	50.40	11 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	3:35.28	3:35.28	17
3 Moore, Lily	53.82	10 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	3:43.93	16
4 Koritz, Kacy	47.05	12 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	3:58.29	3:45.58	15
1:46.69 (56.29)	1:47.53 (52.71)	2:53.04 (1:05.51)	3:43.93 (50.89)		
Event 24 Boys 13-14 200 Yard IM					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Goar, Oliver	32.23	14 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	2:31.21	2:31.19	20
2 Patton, Owen	42.18	13 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	3:15.64	3:09.29	17
1:00.77 (37.84)	1:29.54 (47.36)	2:24.80 (55.34)	3:09.29 (44.41)		
Event 25 Girls 15 & Over 200 Yard IM					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Ellison, Aliyah	34.41	15 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	2:35.47	2:37.23	20
2 Clodfelter, Jamie	46.22	15 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	3:27.52	1:40.32	
Did not finish- Misc	46.22 ()	1:40.32 (54.10)			
Event 26 Boys 15 & Over 200 Yard IM					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Moser, Drew	27.11	17 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	2:10.45	2:14.80	20
2 Mast, Haiden	28.78	18 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	2:34.20	17
3 Fulton, Alaric	31.23	16 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	2:39.88	2:39.94	16
1:11.59 (40.36)	1:40.20 (48.61)	2:39.94 (39.74)			
Event 27 Girls 6 & Under 25 Yard Freestyle					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Maring, Chloe	47.76	6 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	22.44	22.34	20
2 Benz, Evelyn	47.76	6 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	24.31	31.26	17
3 Wilson, Charlie	47.76	6 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	26.26	36.63	16
4 Cohenour, Corra	47.76	6 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	49.57	54.48	15
Event 28 Boys 6 & Under 25 Yard Freestyle					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Douglas, Emmitt	47.76	6 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	29.35	30.12	20
2 Houser, Lucas	47.76	4 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	42.79	41.96	17
Event 29 Girls 8 & Under 25 Yard Freestyle					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Hosch, Scarlett	47.76	8 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	17.28	17.85	20
2 Maring, Olivia	47.76	8 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	18.30	19.63	17

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Event 29 Girls 8 & Under 25 Yard Freestyle					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
3 Adams, Corrine	47.76	8 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	21.03	20.83	16
4 Jackson, Addison	47.76	7 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	23.03	23.40	15
5 Harvey, Amelia	47.76	8 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	24.22	25.38	14
6 Lynch, Kara	47.76	7 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	27.25	28.34	13
7 Schull, Elizabeth	47.76	7 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	36.95	34.65	12
Event 30 Boys 8 & Under 25 Yard Freestyle					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Robinson, Grant	47.76	8 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	20.56	20.15	20
2 Omilor, Noah	47.76	8 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	24.52	24.75	17
Event 31 Girls 9-10 50 Yard Freestyle					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Stefaniak, Adalynn	47.76	10 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	40.15	44.25	20
2 Houser, Lucas	47.76	8 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	46.07	44.42	17
3 Ferguson, Lydia	47.76	8 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	41.31	49.53	16
4 Davis, Eva	47.76	9 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	52.53	50.62	15
5 Courson, Jessica	47.76	9 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:06.05	52.45	14
6 Cohenour, Della	47.76	9 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	57.83	1:01.27	13
--- Bundy, Amelia	47.76	10 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	49.32	DQ 48.05	
False start					
Event 32 Boys 9-10 50 Yard Freestyle					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Betsworth, Jack	47.76	10 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	35.75	35.86	20
2 Newnam, John	47.76	9 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	46.82	47.93	17
Event 33 Girls 11-12 50 Yard Freestyle					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Sumner, Lily	47.76	11 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	35.73	37.49	20
2 Watson, Avery	47.76	11 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	40.57	38.27	17
3 Koritz, Kacy	47.76	12 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	41.51	41.66	16
4 Courson, Jessica	47.76	11 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	41.35	43.04	15
5 Yardley, Abbigail	47.76	11 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	45.88	43.30	14
Event 34 Boys 11-12 50 Yard Freestyle					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Beck, Brody	47.76	12 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	29.39	29.77	20
2 Bass, Kiefer	47.76	12 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	32.18	32.55	17
3 Lamar, Lucas	47.76	12 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	33.72	32.75	16
4 Clodfelter, Adam	47.76	11 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	36.80	37.99	15
5 Dwyer, Chase	47.76	11 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	52.28	52.68	14
Event 35 Girls 13-14 50 Yard Freestyle					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Hunter, Vivian	47.76	13 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	30.91	31.04	20
2 Lynch, Kahlia	47.76	13 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	33.72	35.01	17
3 Omilor, Noah	47.76	13 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	42.64	43.74	16
Event 36 Boys 13-14 50 Yard Freestyle					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Moore, Daniel	47.76	13 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	28.41	29.24	20
2 Patton, Owen	47.76	13 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	33.04	32.36	17
3 Dwyer, Brady	47.76	13 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	33.07	33.36	16

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Event 37 Girls 15 & Over 50 Yard Freestyle					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Hunter, Hazelyn	17	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	26.07	27.74	20
2 Koritz, Addie	16	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	27.92	28.75	17
3 Courson, Isabella	16	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	32.28	33.08	16
4 Clodfelter, Jamie	15	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	32.25	33.89	15
Event 38 Boys 15 & Over 50 Yard Freestyle					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Moser, Drew	17	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	23.03	23.98	20
2 Mast, Haiden	18	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	27.02	26.23	17
3 Sokoloski, Liam	17	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	29.51	29.68	16
4 Courchaine, Logan	17	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	37.51	30.84	15
Event 39 Girls 6 & Under 25 Yard Butterfly					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Maring, Chloe	6	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	26.68	28.59	20
2 Houser, Aubrey	6	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	27.66	28.69	17
3 Wilson, Charlie	6	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	NT	45.69	16
Event 41 Girls 8 & Under 25 Yard Butterfly					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Mitchell, Lily	8	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	22.60	23.45	20
2 Schull, Elizabeth	7	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	NT	46.96	17
Event 42 Boys 8 & Under 25 Yard Butterfly					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Decker, Kriz	8	Danville YMCA Otters-IL	32.05	32.27	20
--- Omilor, Noah	8	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	27.91	QD 28.47	
Non-simultaneous arms					
Event 43 Girls 9-10 50 Yard Butterfly					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 McConkey, Sophia	10	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	53.78	53.13	20
2 Davis, Eva	9	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	1:07.93	1:08.28	17
Event 45 Girls 11-12 50 Yard Butterfly					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Wilson, Cooper	11	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	39.92	41.26	20
2 Koritz, Kacy	12	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	48.56	47.28	17
Event 46 Boys 11-12 50 Yard Butterfly					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Bass, Giefer	12	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	36.03	37.16	20
2 Dryer, Chase	11	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	1:14.46	1:13.70	17
Event 47 Girls 13-14 50 Yard Butterfly					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Penny, Madi	13	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	41.43	37.97	20
Event 48 Boys 13-14 50 Yard Butterfly					
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points
1 Medlin, Charles	14	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	28.26	26.64	20
2 Patton, Charlie	13	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	46.21	44.19	17

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Results - Clinton vs Danville					
Event	Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time
Event 79 Girls 13-14 50 Yard Backstroke	1 Hunter, Vivian	13	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	38.31	38.43
Event 80 Boys 13-14 50 Yard Backstroke	1 Medlin, Charles	14	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	31.91	29.18
	2 Patton, Owen	13	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	42.19	41.74
	3 Patton, Charlie	13	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	44.99	43.37
Event 81 Girls 13-14 100 Yard Backstroke	1 Penny, Madi	13	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:25.21	1:25.42
	2 Bentz, Katelyn	9	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:31.39	1:31.73
	3 Lynch, Kahlani	13	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:36.50	1:39.70
	4 McConkey, Sophia	10	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	1:51.51
	5 Yardley, Abbigail	11	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	2:11.82	1:52.43
	--- Smith, Heather	13	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	1:50.79	Q 1:54.23
Delay initiating arm pull at turn					
	54.32	Q 1:54.23 (59.91)			
	--- Moser, Abi	14	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:23.16	NS
Event 82 Boys 13-14 100 Yard Backstroke	1 Beck, Brody	12	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:14.08	1:14.53
	2 Dryer, Brady	13	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	1:27.73	1:29.06
	--- Fought, Dane	10	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:18.18	Q 1:17.90
Multiple strokes past vertical at turn					
	37.87	Q 1:17.90 (40.03)			
Event 83 Girls 15 & Over 50 Yard Backstroke	1 Hunter, Hazelyn	17	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	35.00	32.86
	2 Ellison, Aliyah	15	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	34.87	33.89
Event 85 Girls 15 & Over 100 Yard Backstroke	1 Morgan, McKegan	15	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:25.14	1:24.14
	2 Koritz, Addie	16	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:14.38	1:25.51
	3 Courson, Isabella	16	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	1:27.97	1:35.97
	45.20	1:35.97 (50.77)			
Event 86 Boys 15 & Over 100 Yard Backstroke	1 Adams, Lincoln	15	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:14.74	1:14.15
	35.87	1:14.15 (38.28)			

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Tri meet vs Danville and JAXY - 1/21/2023					
Results - Clinton vs Danville					
Event	Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time
Event 86 Boys 15 & Over 100 Yard Backstroke	2 Perry, Jacob	16	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:19.63	1:16.79
	3 Courchalne, Logan	17	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:54.85	1:44.08
Event 87 Girls 6 & Under 25 Yard Breaststroke	1 Houser, Aubrey	6	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	39.95	39.72
	2 Maring, Chloe	6	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	40.50	46.58
	3 Benz, Evelyn	6	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	48.13
	--- Cohenour, Corra	6	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	Q 1:05.59
Scissors kick					
Event 88 Boys 6 & Under 25 Yard Breaststroke	--- Douglas, Emmitt	6	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	Q 1:02.55
Scissors kick					
Event 89 Girls 8 & Under 25 Yard Breaststroke	1 Hosch, Scarlett	8	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	25.70	26.67
	2 Maring, Olivia	8	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	27.60	29.23
	3 Adams, Corrine	8	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	31.19	30.94
	4 Mitchell, Lily	8	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	26.48	33.18
	5 Jackson, Addison	7	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	32.77	33.88
	6 Schull, Elizabeth	7	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	41.88	44.69
	7 Harvey, Amelia	8	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	33.22	45.98
	--- Lynch, Kara	7	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	Q 1:02.71
Scissors kick					
	--- Ferguson, Lydia	8	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	NS
Event 90 Boys 8 & Under 25 Yard Breaststroke	1 Robinson, Grant	8	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	29.56	28.78
	2 Deleon, Cruz	7	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	29.44	29.34
Event 91 Girls 9-10 50 Yard Breaststroke	1 Bentz, Katelyn	9	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	49.15	51.49
	2 Stefaniak, Adalynn	10	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	52.54	56.91
	3 Moore, Lily	10	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	59.90	57.58
	4 Bundy, Amelia	10	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:02.76	58.10
	5 Sprague, Lucah	8	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	58.66	59.08
	6 McConkey, Sophia	10	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	59.82	59.86
	7 Davis, Eva	9	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	1:15.04	1:11.13
	8 Cohenour, Della	9	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:14.69	1:16.81
	--- Chapman, Elvie	9	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	Q 2:13.62
Scissors kick					
Event 92 Boys 9-10 50 Yard Breaststroke	1 Fought, Dane	10	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	41.78	42.72
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Results - Clinton vs Danville					
Event	Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time
Event 92 Boys 9-10 50 Yard Breaststroke	--- Newnam, John	9	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	Q 1:36.96
Scissors kick					
Event 93 Girls 11-12 50 Yard Breaststroke	1 Wilson, Cooper	11	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	45.17	46.85
	2 Courson, Jessica	11	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	53.28	53.04
	3 Yardley, Abbigail	11	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	1:00.94
	4 Watson, Avery	12	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	59.90	1:01.39
Event 94 Boys 11-12 50 Yard Breaststroke	1 Bass, Kiefer	12	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	43.88	43.98
	2 Lamar, Lucas	12	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	45.37	44.72
	3 Dryer, Chase	11	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	1:29.44	1:19.89
Event 95 Girls 13-14 50 Yard Breaststroke	1 Moser, Abi	14	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	42.11	41.37
	2 Penny, Madi	13	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	55.53	50.61
Event 96 Boys 13-14 50 Yard Breaststroke	1 Patton, Owen	13	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	45.84	43.50
	2 Patton, Charlie	13	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	50.07	49.89
Event 97 Girls 13-14 100 Yard Breaststroke	1 Sumner, Lily	11	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:40.10	1:38.01
	2 Koritz, Kacy	12	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:40.91	1:38.02
	3 Smith, Heather	12	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	2:11.73	2:12.43
	1:01.74	2:12.43 (1:10.69)			
Event 98 Boys 13-14 100 Yard Breaststroke	1 Goar, Oliver	14	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:11.01	1:09.01
	2 Medlin, Charles	14	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	1:18.54	1:12.83
	3 Moore, Daniel	16	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:44.06	1:35.34
	44.01	1:35.34 (51.33)			
	4 Betsworth, Jack	10	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:50.94	1:44.60
	5 Dryer, Brady	13	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	NT	1:46.08
	50.07	1:46.08 (56.01)			
Event 99 Girls 15 & Over 50 Yard Breaststroke	1 Hunter, Hazelyn	17	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	34.25	35.80
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Clinton vs Danville							
Event	Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points	
Event 101 Girls 15 & Over 100 Yard Breaststroke	1 Ellison, Aliyah	15	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:18.15	1:18.00	20	
	2 Koritz, Addie	1:18.00 (34.65)	16	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:21.01	1:24.47	17
	40.11	1:24.47 (44.36)					
	3 Morgan, McKegan	15	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:29.37	1:37.21	16	
	44.48	1:37.21 (52.53)					
4 Courson, Isabella	16	Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	1:38.07	1:38.92	15		
	47.52	1:38.92 (51.40)					
	5 Clodfelter, Jamie	15	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:46.28	1:40.06	14	
	45.67	1:40.06 (54.39)					
Event 102 Boys 15 & Over 100 Yard Breaststroke							
Name	Age	Team	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points		
1 Moser, Drew	17	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:13.04	1:13.33	20		
34.34	1:13.33 (38.99)						
2 King, Ian	17	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	1:28.62	1:23.16	17		
36.66	1:23.16 (46.50)						
3 Courchalne, Logan	17	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	1:49.69	16		
50.66	1:49.69 (59.03)						
4 Bledsoe, Parker	17	Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	NT	1:56.87	15		
55.33	1:56.87 (1:01.54)						
Event 103 Girls 8 & Under 100 Yard Freestyle Relay							
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points			
1 Danville YMCA Dolphins-IL	A	1:34.97	1:38.08	40			
1) Maring, Olivia 8	2) Schull, Elizabeth 7	3) Maring, Chloe 6	4) Hosch, Scarlett 8				
2 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	A	1:32.59	1:47.24	34			
1) Jackson, Addison 7	2) Benz, Evelyn 6	3) Harvey, Amelia 8	4) Adams, Corrine 8				
57.76	1:47.24 (49.48)						
Event 104 Boys 8 & Under 100 Yard Freestyle Relay							
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points			
1 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	A	1:07.57	1:57.32	40			
1) Deleon, Cruz 7	2) Robinson, Grant 8	3) Douglas, Emmitt 6	4) Houser, Lucas 4				
46.51	1:57.32 (1:10.81)						
Event 105 Girls 9-10 200 Yard Freestyle Relay							
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points			
1 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	A	2:51.63	2:56.49	40			
1) McConkey, Sophia 10	2) Bundy, Amelia 10	3) Moore, Lily 10	4) Bentz, Katelyn 9				
42.90	1:35.89 (52.99)	2:16.38 (40.49)	2:56.49 (40.11)				
Event 106 Boys 11-12 200 Yard Freestyle Relay							
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points			
1 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	A	1:59.08	2:16.87	40			
1) Bass, Kiefer 12	2) Clodfelter, Adam 11	3) Lamar, Lucas 12	4) Beck, Brody 12				
34.38	1:14.84 (40.46)	1:47.23 (32.39)	2:16.87 (29.64)				
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Event 110 Boys 15-14 200 Yard Freestyle Relay							
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points			
1 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	A	4:59.27	2:01.16	40			
1) Patton, Owen 13	2) Patton, Owen 13	3) Patton, Owen 13	4) Goar, Oliver 14				
29.25	1:03.59 (34.34)	2:01.16 (36.10)	2:01.16 (36.10)				
Event 111 Girls 15-14 200 Yard Freestyle Relay							
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points			
1 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	A	1:52.19	2:02.39	40			
1) Ellison, Aliyah 15	2) Clodfelter, Jamie 15	3) Morgan, McKegan 15	4) Koritz, Addie 16				
29.84	1:03.27 (33.43)	1:33.63 (30.36)	2:02.39 (28.76)				
Event 113 Boys 15 & Over 400 Yard Freestyle Relay							
Team	Relay	Seed Time	Finals Time	Points			
1 Clinton YMCA Otters-IL	A	NT	4:10.90	40			
1) Fulton, Alarie 16	2) Sokoloski, Liam 17	3) Mast, Hayden 18	4) Perry, Jacob 16				
29.75	1:03.87 (1:03.87)	1:35.62 (31.75)	2:10.06 (1:06.19)				
2:37.69 (27.63)	3:08.33 (58.27)	3:38.09 (29.76)	4:10.90 (1:02.57)				



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SPORTS

Freshmen Maroons defuse Rockets 59-35

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CLINTON — The Tolono Unity Rockets freshmen came to town on Monday, January 23 looking to swoop in for a win. The Maroons' freshman team had other thoughts; defending the home turf and proving again that head coach Binkley's system is for real.

The first quarter was an example of the system working as the Maroons took the early tip-off and went on a 20-4 run. The second quarter was not as easy with each team scoring 12 points, still leaving the Maroons with a large 32-16 lead at halftime.

But, the Maroons slipped, whether by overconfidence or by the rigors of going against the

taller inner defense of the opposition. The Rockets outscored the Maroons in the third quarter, pulling to within 10 points (or less) at one point.

However, the Maroons shook off the mid-game doldrums and heated up in the final quarter, holding the Rockets to only 5 points while putting in 18 points of their own.

The Maroons won the game handily, 59-35.

The home team was led by K. Graves (#3) with 13 points including one 3-pointer, J. Manning (#13) and C. Sturgeon (#21) both with 12 points (Manning had two 3-pointers while Sturgeon had three 3-pointers), and B. Wilson (#20) with 11 points including one 3-pointer. Also, at the end of the game N. Burris (#45) came in off the bench and drilled a 3-pointer at the final buzzer.



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K. Graves (#3) passes a defender for the 2 point layup.



Teams scramble for the ball under the net in Lady Maroons vs Lady Cardinals game.

Lady Maroons' JV over Lady Cardinals, varsity falls by only 4

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CLINTON — One night after a grueling evening battling the Lady Trojans, of Maroa-Forsyth, the Lady Maroons returned to the home hardwood to take on the Lady Cardinals, of Warrensburg-Latham.

The evening's games began with the junior varsity (JV) teams taking the floor. Both defenses seemed to be doing well as the first quarter score ended at 12-11 in favor of the home team. The second quarter was again close with the teams scoring only 5 and 4 points respectively, with Clinton now on top by 2 points at halftime.

The game continued at a snail's pace through the third quarter with the Lady Maroons adding a few more points to their lead. Then, the fourth quarter happened.

This was a game in itself as the home team exploded for 17 points to put the game away in grand fashion. The Lady Maroons won 43-27.

The Lady Maroons were led by Alania Helfand (#20) with 20 points.

The varsity outing was not quite as pleasant. The varsity also ended the game with 43 points, but the Lady Cardinals varsity was more active.

The first quarter served as a predictor to the game as the visitors took a

14-7 lead over the home team. The second quarter was closer, but the Lady Maroons went to the locker room down by 10 points.

Back on the court after halftime, the Lady Maroons began climbing back into the game. The fourth quarter saw the home team scramble to within a couple of points and then drop back in the final minute or two due to fouls and the opposition sinking the free-throws.

The Lady Cardinals won this encounter 47-43.

The Lady Maroons were led by Clara Dempsey (#0) with 15 points including one 3-pointer.

Some individual wins for CJHS, but finishes 3rd in home meet

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CLINTON — The Clinton Junior High (CJHS) Maroons had a tough go of things this past week as they hosted the Mahomet-Seymour Bulldogs and the Mt. Zion Braves in a triangular meet.

The two opposing teams squared off first, followed by Clinton and Mahomet-Seymour and finally Clinton and Mt. Zion. It was clear from the start that the Bulldogs

would likely win, arriving with a contingent of 64 wrestlers to throw into the mix. That gave them the advantage of having fresh wrestlers all evening long.

The Braves and Maroons were more evenly matched in personnel. There are no score; each team kept its own tally and then added them up at home after the meet.

In the first round of the meet between the Braves and the Bulldogs, the matches were pretty even in the win/loss column, but without the points scored totals, the winner



A Maroons' wrestler ties up a Brave for some points.

was up in the air. However, the Bulldogs were mighty exuberant after the round, leading one to believe they won.

In the next round, Clinton faced Mahomet-Seymour. The Maroons had several good matches,

including some pins, but in the end, the Bulldogs smothered the Maroons, winning approximately 21 of 28 matches.

In the final round, the Maroons tackled the job of beating the Braves. This appeared to be an

even match, but when totaled, the the Braves won handily taking two-thirds of the matches. The Bulldogs took this meet with the Braves in second and the Maroons suffering total defeat.

There were some nice

individual wins for the Maroons, but the team stats were not there for a win.



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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT DE WITT COUNTY-IN PROBATE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

DALE ALLEN BARNETT,

23-PR-1

Deceased.

DEATH AND CLAIM DATE NOTICE AND NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS OF DALE ALLEN BARNETT, DECEASED, IF ANY

Notice is hereby given of the death of the above-named decedent; that the Letters of Office were issued on the 11th day of January 2023 to NICOLE ANN MCDANIEL, as Successor Executrix, whose address is 579 Newcomb Creek Rd., Wayne WV 25570; Her attorney of record is Lamkin & Lamkin, 200 South Monroe Street, Clinton, Illinois 61727.

CLAIMS against the estate must be filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of DeWitt County, DeWitt County Courthouse, 201 W. Washington St., Clinton, IL 61727, on or before the 25th day of July, 2023, or on or before three (3) months from the date of mailing or deliver of any Notice, whichever is later. Any claim not filed by that date is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within ten (10) days after it has been filed.

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DATED this 12th day of January 2023.

Michelle Van Valey Clerk of the Court

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS SPRINGFIELD DIVISION UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff, v. BRANDON W. DALTON and MISTI S. DALTON, Defendants. CIVIL NO. 22-cv-3110 NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Notice is hereby given to Defendants BRANDON W. DALTON AND UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, of the complaint for foreclosure filed in the above-entitled case on June 17, 2022, and that they are named as a defendants in the above-entitled case, pursuant to the provisions of Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, and the provisions of 735 ILCS 5/2-206, 735 ILCS 5/2-207, 735 ILCS 5/2-209, 735 ILCS 5/2-413, 735 5/15-1501, and 735 ILCS 5/15-1502 and that the above-entitled mortgage foreclosure suit is now pending in said court. You, Defendants BRANDON W. DALTON AND UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS are hereby notified that on January 11, 2023 an order was entered in said cause by the Judge Karen L. McNaught, United States Magistrate Judge of this Court, ordering that you shall appear in this case and plead to

the complaint heretofore filed herein by filing same in the above-entitled cause with the undersigned Clerk of the United States District Court for the Central District of Illinois, 151 U.S. Courthouse, 600 E. Monroe Street, Springfield, Illinois 62701, on or before March 13, 2023, and in default thereof the court will proceed to a hearing and an adjudication of this cause before the court, in the same manner as if you had been served with process within the State of Illinois, and that the following information applies to said foreclosure proceeding: (i) The names of all plaintiffs and the case number are identified above. (ii) The court in which said action was brought is identified above. (iii) The name of the title holder of record is: Brandon W. Dalton and Misti S. Dalton. (iv) A legal description of the real estate sufficient to identify it with reasonable certainty is as follows: Lots 6 and 7 and the West ½ of Lot 8 in Block 1 in Herick's Addition to the Town, now City of Farmer City, situated in the County of Dewitt, in the State of Illinois. Property ID# 05-28-408-004. (v) A common address or description of the location of the real estate is as follows: 503 E. Market Street, Farmer City, Illinois 61842; this real estate has been improved by a single-family residence. (vi) An identification of the mortgage sought to be foreclosed is as follows: Name of mortgagor: Brandon W. Dalton and Misti S. Dalton Name of mortgagee: United States of America acting through the Rural Housing Service or successor agency, United States Department of Agriculture, f/k/a Farmers Home Administration Date of mortgage: October 31, 2008 Date of recording: October 31, 2008 County where recorded: DeWitt County, Illinois Recording document identification: Document No. 224242, Book 631, Page 329 SHIG YASUNAGA CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT LEGAL 19677 January 27, February 6, 10

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CLAIMANTS AND LIENHOLDERS AGAINST THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF NANCY J. ABBEY, DECEASED; and UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, Defendant. CIVIL NO. 22-cv-3114

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Notice is hereby given to Defendants NICOLE BROWN AND UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, of the complaint for foreclosure filed in the above-entitled case on June 27, 2022, and that they are named as a defendants in the above-entitled case, pursuant to the provisions of Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, and the provisions of 735 ILCS 5/2-206, 735 ILCS 5/2-207, 735 ILCS 5/2-209, 735 ILCS 5/2-413, 735 5/15-1501, and 735 ILCS 5/15-1502 and that the above-entitled mortgage foreclosure suit is now pending in said court. You, Defendants NICOLE BROWN AND UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS are hereby notified that on January 10, 2023 an order was entered in said cause by the Judge Karen L. McNaught, United States Magistrate Judge of this Court, ordering that you shall appear in this case and plead to the complaint heretofore filed herein by filing same in the above-entitled cause with the undersigned Clerk of the United States District Court for the Central District of Illinois, 151 U.S. Courthouse, 600 E. Monroe Street, Springfield, Illinois 62701, on or before March 13, 2023, and in default thereof the court will proceed to a hearing and an adjudication of this cause before the court, in the same manner as if you had been served with process within the State of Illinois, and that the following information applies to said foreclosure proceeding: (i) The names of all plaintiffs and the case number are identified above. (ii) The court in which said action was brought is identified above. (iii) The name of the title holder of record is: Estate of Nancy J. Abbey, Deceased. (iv) A legal description of the real estate sufficient to identify it with reasonable certainty is as follows: Lot 1 in Block 1 in Portland Place Subdivision of a portion of Lot 1 of 60 acres off of the South end of the West ½ of the Northeast ¼ of Section 35, Township 20 North, Range 2 East of the 3rd Principal Meridian, AND ALSO Lot 2 in Block 1 in Portland Place Subdivision being a subdivision of a portion of Lot 1 of 60 acres off of the South end of the West ½ of the Northeast ¼ of Section 35, Township 20 North, Range 2 East of the 3rd Principal Meridian, situated in the City of Clinton, County of DeWitt, in the State of Illinois. Tax ID# 07-35-209-

018 (v) A common address or description of the location of the real estate is as follows: 102 Portland Place, Clinton, Illinois 61727; this real estate has been improved by a single-family residence. (vi) An identification of the mortgage sought to be foreclosed is as follows: Name of mortgagor: Nancy J. Abbey, Deceased Name of mortgagee: United States of America acting through the Rural Housing Service or successor agency, United States Department of Agriculture, f/k/a Farmers Home Administration Date of mortgage: March 3, 2015 Date of recording: March 5, 2015 County where recorded: DeWitt County, Illinois Recording document identification: Document No. 243637 in Book 802 Page 123 SHIG YASUNAGA CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT LEGAL 19678 January 27, February 3, 10

LEGAL

SECTION 00 1113 - INVITATION FOR BIDS DeWitt County Housing Authority 100 South Railroad Street Clinton, IL 61727 The DeWitt County Housing Authority (DCHA) is inviting sealed Bid Proposals from interested and qualified parties for the Pavement Renovation project in multiple locations throughout Clinton, IL, generally including all labor, supervision, materials, supplies, transportation, equipment and services necessary and required as set forth in the Contract Documents. Separate sealed BIDS will be received by the DeWitt County Housing Authority at the main office located at the address listed above until 2:00 p.m. CST on Friday, February 10, 2023, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. A non-mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held Friday, February 3, 2023 at 10:00 a.m. at the main office located at the address above. The Bidding Documents are available via the Architect's project bidding website, <http://bidlist.f-w.com/>. The Bidder may register for this project at the website in order to receive a username and password to access, view and print the Bidding Documents. For any questions or issues accessing the Bidding Documents from the website, contact the Office of the Architect. Terms and Conditions will need to be accepted by the plan holder prior to obtaining an electronic copy of the Bidding Documents on the Project Bidding website. Electronic Document access will only be provided to interested bidding companies and/or equipment companies. Electronic copies are provided at no cost. Printing of such

documents will be the responsibility of the plan holder in accordance with the website Terms and Conditions. All costs associated with printing the Bidding Documents are the responsibility of the entity requesting the Bidding Documents. All bids must be accompanied by a negotiable bid guarantee not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid in accordance with Clause 9 Bid Guarantee of the Instructions to Bidders. The bid guarantee shall be a certified check or bank draft payable to the order of the DeWitt County Housing Authority or a satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the Bidder and an acceptable surety. The bid guarantee shall ensure the execution of the contract and furnishing of a method of assurance of completion. Failure to submit bid guarantee with the bid shall result in rejection of the bid. In accordance with Clause 10 Assurance of Completion of the Instructions to Bidders, and prior to the execution of any contract, the successful bidder is required to furnish and pay for satisfactory performance and payment bond or bonds in a penal sum of 100 percent of the contract price. Attention is called to the provisions for equal employment opportunity and that payment of not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the Specifications must be paid on this project. Any State rate that exceeds the corresponding Federal rate is inapplicable and shall not be enforced. All bidders shall submit with each bid, the Contractor's Affirmative Action Certification to comply with the provision for equal employment opportunity. (Attention is directed to the Special Equal Opportunity Provisions as set forth in the Supplement to the Instructions to Bidders and in the General Conditions.) Representations, Certifications and Other Statements of Bidders, form HUD 5369-A; Previous Participation Certification, form HUD-2530; Form of Non-Exclusive Affidavit; and a Schedule of Subcontractors, if applicable, shall be submitted with each bid. All bidders must sign and submit all forms in Specification Section 00 6005 including the Section 3 Clause and Section 3 Assurances. Contractors awarded a contract must comply with HUD's regulations in 24 CFR Part 135, which implements Section 3. All bidders shall thoroughly examine and investigate the project documents and existing project site(s) to determine existing site and project conditions. Additional costs and payment shall not be awarded to the contractor for existing conditions that can be determined by carefully examining the site and project documents. The DeWitt County Housing Authority intends to award

one contract on the basis of lowest and most responsive and responsible bid for all work to be performed. The successful bidder must be prepared to begin work immediately upon notification of award. The DeWitt County Housing Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informality in the bidding process. No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of thirty days (30) subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the VHA. DeWitt County Housing Authority By: Ms. Terrill Garland Executive Director Date: January 18, 2023 END OF SECTION 00 1113 LEGAL 19679 January 27 and February 3, 2023

LEGAL

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 6TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

DEWITT COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ROCKET MORTGAGE, LLC F/K/A QUICKEN LOANS, LLC F/K/A QUICKEN LOANS INC.,

PLAINTIFF,

VS.

GERALD NORDGREN, SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE OF BERNARD ALLEN HOFFMAN, DECEASED; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF BERNARD ALLEN HOFFMAN; ALISHA BOYSEN; NICOLE DEBAUCHE,

DEFENDANTS. NO. 22 FC 8

419 NORTH GIBSON STREET

CLINTON, IL 61727

JUDGE

PRESIDING JUDGE

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO YOU,

Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants

Unknown Heirs and Legatees of Bernard Allen Hoffman

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

Land Situated in the County of Dewitt in the State of IL: Lots 11 and 12 in Block 1 in DeBoice's Subdivision of the following described tract of land, to wit: Beginning on the section line 513 feet West of the Southeast corner of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 21, Township 20 North, Range 2 East of the 3rd P.M., thence North 1325 feet, thence West 142 feet, thence South 1325 feet, to the Sector line, thence East on the Section line 142 feet to the place of beginning. Also, the East 1/2 of vacated alley

lying West and adj DeBoice's 2nd Addition as shown in Miscellaneous book 233 page 186.

Commonly known as: 419 North Gibson Street

Clinton, IL 61727

and which said Mortgage was made by,

Bernard Allen Hoffman

Mortgagor(s), to

Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Quicken Loans Inc.

Mortgagee, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of DeWitt County, Illinois, as Document No. 242345; and for other relief.

UNLESS YOU file your answer or otherwise file your appearance in this case, on or before February 27, 2023, A JUDGMENT OR DECREE BY DEFAULT MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF ASKED IN THE COMPLAINT.

E filing is now mandatory with limited exemptions. To e-file, you must first create an account with an e-filing service provider. Visit <http://efile.illinoiscourts.gov/service-providers.htm> to learn more and to select a service provider. If you need additional help or have trouble e-filing, visit <http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/faq/gethelp.asp> or talk with your local circuit clerk's office. If you cannot e-file, you may be able to get an exemption that allows you to file in-person or by mail. Ask your circuit clerk for more information or visit www.illinoislegalaid.org. If you are unable to pay your court fees, you can apply for a fee waiver. For information about defending yourself in a court case (including filing an appearance or fee waiver), or to apply for free legal help, go to www.illinoislegalaid.org. You can also ask your local circuit clerk's office for a fee waiver application.

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

McCalla Raymer Leibert Pierce, LLC

Attorney for Plaintiff

1 N. Dearborn St. Suite 1200

Chicago, IL 60602

Ph. (312) 346-9088

File No. 22-08746IL-765969

13211958

Legal 19680

January 27, 2023 February 3 and 10, 2023



Delivery Drivers and daytime help

Part-time/ Full-time

Competitive wages

PLEASE APPLY IN PERSON

JIMMY JOHN'S SANDWICHES

123 Sunrise Court, Clinton, Il 61727

LEGAL

B-W-W
2022 SUMMARY
REPORT
ANNUAL FINAN-
CIAL REPORT
(AFR)

REVENUE
SUMMARY:
PROPERTY TAX-
\$23,256.26, MISC
INCOME-\$229.50
INTEREST-\$2.38
**TOTAL REVE-
NUES: \$23,488.14**

COMPENSATION
SUMMARY: KONI
LOVETT, JOHN
GRIFFIN, KAREN
STEWART, CATHY
CISCO, JAMIE
PRESTEGAARD,
JAY HAYCRAFT,
LINDSAY DONO-
VAN
**TOTAL COM-
PENSATION:
\$14,276.00**

EXPENDITURE
SUMMARY:
PAYROLL TAX-
ES-\$5,021.70,
TOIRMA-\$500.00,
MISC DISBURSE-
MENTS UNDER
\$2500-\$2337.86
**TOTAL EXPENDI-
TURES: \$7,859.56**

BEG. BALANCE
\$23,621.35

REVENUES
\$23,488.14

EXPENSES
22,135.56

**ENDING BAL-
ANCE**
\$24,973.93

**John Griffin-Chair-
man**
**Cathy Cisco-Trea-
surer**

**Dated January 23,
2023**

LEGAL 19686
February 3, 2023

LEGAL

PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice of Public
Hearing

In accordance with
Section 17-20 of
the Property Tax
Code (35 ILCS
200/17-20), notice
is hereby given that
a public hearing will
be held at 11:00
A.M. Tuesday,
February 21, 2023,
in the Offices of
the Department of
Revenue, 101 West
Jefferson Street,
Springfield, Illinois,
for the purpose of
taking evidence
which may be perti-
nent to the Depart-
ment's estimate of
the percent to be
added to or deduct-
ed from the aggre-
gate assessment
of locally assessed
property in DeWitt
County for the
assessment year
2022. This hearing
is required by the
Property Tax Code.

Based on the com-
parison of assessed
valuations, the
analysis of property
transfers, and other
available informa-
tion, the estimated
percentage to
be applied to the
aggregate assess-
ment of locally
assessed property
other than property
assessed under
Sections 10-110
through 10-140 and
10-170 through 10-
200 of the Property
Tax Code (35 ILCS
200/10-110 through
10-140 and 10-170
through 10-200)
is 0.00%. Accord-
ingly, the tentative
equalization factor
is 1.0000.

This meeting will be
accessible to handi-
capped individuals
in compliance with
Executive Order #5
and pertinent state
and federal laws
upon notification of
anticipated at-
tendance. Handi-
capped persons
planning to attend
and needing special

accommodations
should contact
Charles Hulett,
either by tele-
phone (217/785-
6619), email at
charles.a.hulett@
illinois.gov or letter
(Department of
Revenue, Property
Tax Division MC-
3-450, 101 West
Jefferson Street,
P. O. Box 19033,
Springfield, Illinois
62794-9033), by
Tuesday, February
14, 2023, to inform
of their anticipated
attendance.

David Harris
Director of Revenue
DH:ASB:ch

LEGAL 19687
February 3, 2023

LEGAL

IN THE CIRCUIT
COURT OF THE
SIXTH JUDICIAL
CIRCUIT
DEWITT COUNTY,
ILLINOIS

IN RE: THE INTER-
EST OF VICKIE/
VICKY/VICKI ANN
GASH, an adult
petitioner.

2022-MR-13

NOTICE OF
CHANGE OF
NAME

IN RE: VICKIE/
VICKY/VICKI ANN
GASH, AN ADULT

PUBLIC NOTICE
IS HEREBY GIVEN
that on the 5th
day of April, 2023,
I will present my
Petition in the
above entitled
Court requesting
a change of name
from Vickie/Vicky/
Vicki Ann Gash
to Victoria Anna
Galbraith pursuant
to statutes in such
case made and
provided. You are
hereby notified that
the hearing on the
Petition for change
of name has been
scheduled for April
5, 2023 at 11:00
a.m. in the DeWitt
County Courthouse,
201 West Washing-
ton Street, Clinton,
Illinois 61727.

Dated this
27th day of Janu-
ary, 2023.

LEGAL 19688
February 3, 10, and
17, 2023

LEGAL

Joint Review Board
Legal Notice

Notice is hereby
given to all interest-
ed parties that the
Joint Review Board
will be meeting
on February 10,
2023 at 2:00 p.m.
The meeting will
be in person and
available via Zoom;
Dial: 1-312-626-
6799 Meeting ID:
913 1526 9613
Passcode: 700147
This meeting will
be discussing TIF I
and TIF IV reports.

Clint Lichtenwalter
TIF Administrator

LEGAL 19689
February 3, 2023

LEGAL

Clinton Commu-
nity Unit School
District #15 will
be accepting bids
for Clinton High
School Bleach-
er Replacement
Project. Plans and
Specifications are
available on Feb-
ruary 3, 2023 from
Cordogan Clark &
Associates, Inc.
plan room www.
cordoganclarkplan-
room.com. Sealed
Bids, conspicuously
marked, shall be
received until 10:45
am and opened at
11:00 am, February
16, 2023 at the
District Office, 1210
Highway 54 West,
Clinton, IL 61727,
at which time they

shall be opened
and read aloud.
Prebid meeting will
be held on Febru-
ary 7, 2023 at 11:00
am at the District
Office. Prevailing
wage rates shall
apply to this Proj-
ect. Each bid must
conform and be re-
sponsive to all perti-
nent bidding and
contract documents
including Contrac-
tor qualifications
as specified in said
documents.

LEGAL 19690
February 3, 2023

LEGAL

Clinton Commu-
nity Unit School
District #15 will be
accepting bids for
Clinton Junior High
School Bleacher
Seat Replacement
Project. Plans and
Specifications are
available on Feb-
ruary 3, 2023 from
Cordogan Clark &
Associates, Inc.
plan room www.
cordoganclarkplan-
room.com. Sealed
Bids, conspicu-
ously marked,
shall be received
until 10:45am and
opened at 11:15
am, February 16,
2023 at the Dis-
trict Office, 1210
Highway 54 West,
Clinton, IL 61727,
at which time they
shall be opened
and read aloud.
Prebid meeting will
be held on Febru-
ary 7, 2023 at 11:00
am at the District
Office. Prevailing
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sponsive to all perti-
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tor qualifications
as specified in said
documents.

LEGAL 19691
February 3, 2023

LEGAL

STATE OF IL-
LINOIS IN THE
CIRCUIT COURT
OF THE SIXTH JU-
DICIAL CIRCUIT
COUNTY OF DE-
WITT

Estate of:
Lois A. Buholm
Deceased.
CASE NO. 22-PR-
39

NOTICE BY
PUBLICATION OF
CLAIM DATE

Notice is given to
the creditors of
the death of Lois
A. Buholm, of 506
West Adams Street,
Clinton, Illinois
61727.
Letters of Of-
fice were issued
on January 10,
2023, to Logan P.
Buholm, Indepen-
dent Administrator,
2015 W. Cactus
Rd., Apt. 214,
Phoenix, Arizona
85029, whose
attorney is Kev-
in Hammer, 219
E. Main Street,
Clinton, Illinois
61727. The estate
will be adminis-
tered without court
supervision unless
under Section 28-4
of the Probate Act
(755 ILCS 5/28-
4) any interested
person terminates
independent ad-
ministration at any
time by mailing or
delivering a petition
to terminate to the
clerk. Claims against
the Estate must
be filed in the
office of the Clerk
of DeWitt County
Circuit Court,
DeWitt County
Courthouse, 201
W. Washington
St., Clinton, Illinois
61727, or with the
representative, or
both, on or before
July 20, 2023, or, if
mailing or delivery
of a Notice from the
representative is
required by Section
18-3 of the Probate

Act, the date stated
in the Notice. Any
claim not filed on
or before that date
is barred. Copies
of a claim filed with
the Clerk must be
mailed or delivered
by the claimant to
the representative
and to the repre-
sentative's attorney
within ten days after
it has been filed.

Dated this 11th day
of January, 2023.

Kevin Hammer
Attorney for the
Estate of Lois A.
Buholm
219 East Main
Street
Clinton, IL 61727
217/935-7063

LEGAL 19692
February 3, 10 and
17, 2023

LEGAL

N THE CIRCUIT
COURT FOR THE
6TH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT
DEWITT COUN-
TY - CLINTON,
ILLINOIS

J.P. MORGAN
MORTGAGE AC-
QUISITION CORP.

Plaintiff,
-v.-

MICHAEL J. DIAZ,
ESQ., SOLELY AS
SPECIAL REP-
RESENTATIVE
FOR THE ESTATE
OF MARK KENT
(DECEASED),
UNKNOWN HEIRS
AND LEGATEES
OF MARK KENT
(DECEASED), LISA
HENSEY, REX
KENT

Defendant

2021 CH 4

NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE
IS HEREBY GIVEN
that pursuant to
a Judgment of
Foreclosure and
Sale entered in the
above cause on
December 7, 2022,
an agent for The
Judicial Sales Cor-
poration, will at 1:00
PM on March 9,
2023, at the DeWitt
County Courthouse,
201 West Wash-
ington Street (Main
door), CLINTON,
IL, 61727, sell at a
public sale to the
highest bidder, as
set forth below, the
following described
real estate:

A tract of land out
of the following
described property
to-wit:

Part of the North-
east Quarter of
Section 33, Town-
ship 20 North,
Range 2 East of
the Third Principal
Meridian, DeWitt
County, Illinois, said
tract being more
particularly de-
scribed as follows:

Beginning at the
point of intersection
of the South right of
way line of Illinois
Route 10 and the
East right of way
line of the township
road, said point be-
ing 60.00 feet right
of Illinois Route 10
Station 1104+47.14,
also said point is
1126.59 feet
South and 951.19
feet West of the
Northeast Corner
of Section 33,
Township 20 North,
Range 2 East of
the Third Principal
Meridian, DeWitt
County, Illinois,
running thence
South 61 degrees
54 minutes 34 sec-
onds East along the
South right of way
line of Illinois Route
10 for 275.00 feet;
thence North 87
degrees 09 minutes
56 seconds West
166.17 feet; thence
South 1 degree 16
minutes 01 seconds
West for 65.00 feet;
thence South 88
degrees 50 minutes
25 seconds West

for 101.16 feet to
a point on the East
right of way line of
the existing town-
ship road; thence
North 7 degrees 50
minutes 25 sec-
onds East along
said East right of
way line for 190.12
feet to the point of
beginning, situated
in the County of
DeWitt, State of
Illinois.

Commonly known
as 8800 WAGON
TRAIL ROAD,
CLINTON, IL 61727

Property Index No.
07-33-200-038

The real estate is
improved with a
single family resi-
dence.

The judgment
amount was
\$77,101.32.

Sale terms: 25%
down of the highest
bid by certified
funds at the close
of the sale payable
to The Judicial
Sales Corpo-
ration. No third
party checks will
be accepted. The
balance, including
the Judicial Sale
fee for the Aban-
doned Residential
Property Munici-
pality Relief Fund,
which is calculated
on residential real
estate at the rate of
\$1 for each \$1,000
or fraction thereof
of the amount paid
by the purchaser
not to exceed \$300,
in certified funds/or
wire transfer, is due
within twenty-four
(24) hours. No fee
shall be paid by the
mortgagee acquir-
ing the residential
real estate pursuant
to its credit bid at
the sale or by any
mortgagee, judg-
ment creditor, or
other lienor acquir-
ing the residential
real estate whose
rights in and to
the residential real
estate arose prior
to the sale. The
subject property is
subject to general
real estate taxes,
special assess-
ments, or special
taxes levied against
said real estate
and is offered for
sale without any
representation as to
quality or quantity
of title and without
recourse to Plain-
tiff and in "AS IS"
condition. The sale
is further subject to
confirmation by the
court.

Upon payment in
full of the amount
bid, the purchas-
er will receive a
Certificate of Sale
that will entitle the
purchaser to a deed
to the real estate
after confirmation of
the sale.

The property will
NOT be open for
inspection and
plaintiff makes no
representation as
to the condition
of the property.
Prospective bidders
are admonished to
check the court file
to verify all informa-
tion.

If this property is a
condominium unit,
the purchaser of the
unit at the foreclo-
sure sale, other
than a mortgagee,
shall pay the as-
sessments and the
legal fees required
by The Condomi-
nium Property Act,
765 ILCS 605/9(g)
(1) and (g)(4). If this
property is a condo-
minium unit which
is part of a common
interest community,
the purchaser of the
unit at the foreclo-
sure sale other than
a mortgagee shall
pay the assess-
ments required by
The Condominium

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

You will need a
photo identification
issued by a gov-
ernment agency
(driver's license,
passport, etc.) in
order to gain entry
into our building
and the foreclosure
sale room in Cook
County and the
same identifica-
tion for sales held
at other county
venues where The
Judicial Sales Cor-
poration conducts
foreclosure sales.

For information,
contact RAN-
DALL S. MILLER
& ASSOCIATES
Plaintiff's Attorneys,
120 N. LASALLE
STREET, SUITE
1140, Chicago,
IL, 60602 (312)
239-3432. Please
refer to file number
211L00184-1.

THE JUDICIAL
SALES CORPORA-
TION
One South Wacker
Drive, 24th Floor,
Chicago, IL 60606-
4650 (312) 236-
SALE
You can also visit
The Judicial Sales
Corporation at
www.tjsc.com for a
7 day status report
of pending sales.

RANDALL S. MILL-
ER & ASSOCIATES
120 N. LASALLE
STREET, SUITE
1140
Chicago IL, 60602
312-239-3432
E-Mail: ilplead-
ings@rsmalaw.com
Attorney File No.
211L00184-1
Case Number:
2021 CH 4
TJSC#: 43-279

NOTE: Pursuant
to the Fair Debt
Collection Practices
Act, you are ad-
vised that Plaintiff's
attorney is deemed
to be a debt collec-
tor attempting to
collect a debt and
any information ob-
tained will be used
for that purpose.
6114-929902

LEGAL 19693
February 3, 10 and
17, 2023

Upon payment in
full of the amount
bid, the purchas-
er will receive a
Certificate of Sale
that will entitle the
purchaser to a deed
to the real estate
after confirmation of
the sale.

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LEGAL

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UNKNOWN HEIRS
AND LEGATEES
OF MARK KENT
(DECEASED), LISA
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KENT

Defendant

2021 CH 4

NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE
IS HEREBY GIVEN
that pursuant to
a Judgment of
Foreclosure and
Sale entered in the
above cause on
December 7, 2022,
an agent for The
Judicial Sales Cor-
poration, will at 1:00
PM on March 9,
2023, at the DeWitt
County Courthouse,
201 West Wash-
ington Street (Main
door), CLINTON,
IL, 61727, sell at a
public sale to the
highest bidder, as
set forth below, the
following described
real estate:

Commonly known
as 8800 WAGON
TRAIL ROAD,
CLINTON, IL 61727

Property Index No.
07-33-200-038

The real estate is
improved with a
single family resi-
dence.

The judgment
amount was
\$77,101.32.

Sale terms: 25%
down of the highest
bid by certified
funds at the close
of the sale payable
to The Judicial
Sales Corpo-
ration. No third
party checks will
be accepted. The
balance, including
the Judicial Sale
fee for the Aban-
doned Residential
Property Munici-

pality Relief Fund,
which is calculated
on residential real
estate at the rate of
\$1 for each \$1,000
or fraction thereof
of the amount paid
by the purchaser
not to exceed \$300,
in certified funds/or
wire transfer, is due
within twenty-four
(24) hours. No fee
shall be paid by the
mortgagee acquir-
ing the residential
real estate pursuant
to its credit bid at
the sale or by any
mortgagee, judg-
ment creditor, or
other lienor acquir-
ing the residential
real estate whose
rights in and to
the residential real
estate arose prior
to the sale. The
subject property is
subject to general
real estate taxes,
special assess-
ments, or special
taxes levied against
said real estate
and is offered for
sale without any
representation as to
quality or quantity
of title and without
recourse to Plain-
tiff and in "AS IS"
condition. The sale
is further subject to
confirmation by the
court.

Upon payment in
full of the amount
bid, the purchas-
er will receive a
Certificate of Sale
that will entitle the
purchaser to a deed
to the real estate
after confirmation of
the sale.

The property will
NOT be open for
inspection and
plaintiff makes no
representation as
to the condition
of the property.
Prospective bidders
are admonished to
check the court file
to verify all informa-
tion.

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condominium unit,
the purchaser of the
unit at the foreclo-
sure sale, other
than a mortgagee,
shall pay the as-
sessments and the
legal fees required
by The Condomi-
nium Property Act,
765 ILCS 605/9(g)
(1) and (g)(4). If this
property is a condo-
minium unit which
is part of a common
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unit at the foreclo-
sure sale other than
a mortgagee shall
pay the assess-
ments required by
The Condominium



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1. PE/Health Teacher for the 2023-24 school year, application
deadline February 17, 2023
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application deadline February 17, 2023
1. Science Teacher for the 2023 - 24 school year, application
deadline February 17, 2023
1. Vocational Coordinator for High School Transition Program,
application deadline February 17, 2023
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with individual students or small groups of students with job skills,
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student strength and areas to work on in job setting, will input/chart
specific individual job performances, serve as chief informational
source for vocational coordinator, assist in bus loading, and work to
maintain safe work environment. application deadline February 17,
2023

Clinton Junior High
1. Teacher Aide (s), please see website for requirements
for paraprofessional license <https://roe17.org/licensure/>
paraprofessionals , application deadline February 17, 2023
1. PE/Health Teacher for the 2023-24 school year, application
deadline February 17, 2023

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E-Mail: ilpleadings@rsmalaw.com Attorney File No. 211L00184-1 Case Number: 2021 CH 4 TJSC#: 43-279

NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

LEGAL 19693:RE February 3, 10 and 17, 2023

Super Crossword

UNBRIDLED ENERGY

- ACROSS
- 1 Elevates
- 9 Faithful attendant in "Othello"
- 15 Maritime
- 20 Intensify
- 21 Quark model particles
- 22 Kagan of justice
- 23 Start of a riddle
- 25 Deserves
- 26 Violinists' rub-ons
- 27 Radio's Glass or Flatow
- 28 Fished for morays
- 30 Jostle (for)
- 31 In — (mired)
- 32 Riddle, part 2
- 37 English diarist Samuel
- 39 Confuses
- 40 Aviary homes
- 41 Apple, e.g.
- 43 Next yr.'s alums
- 45 Look after
- 49 Riddle, part 3
- 56 With
- 59-Across, DVD format
- 59 See
- 56-Across
- 60 Supervises
- 61 — Speedwagon
- 62 Liquid-emptying conduit
- 65 Bits of land in la mer
- 66 Pollute
- 68 Target of Arrid or Sure
- 69 Riddle, part 4
- 76 Some purple flowers
- 77 Drifting types
- 78 Home of Club Cal Neva casino
- 79 Place side by side for contrast
- 82 Ayres of "State Fair"
- 83 Scold
- 86 — out a living
- 87 ID for the IRS
- 88 Riddle, part 5
- 91 Part of MCAT
- 93 Fair-hiring abbr.
- 94 Irate, with "off"
- 95 "The Office" actor Wilson
- 99 Cure provider
- 103 "Cómo —?" (Spanish greeting)
- 108 End of the riddle
- 113 E. — (bacterium)
- 114 Bagel salmon
- 115 1980s Pontiac
- 116 JVC rival
- 117 Bacterium that requires oxygen
- 119 Shady recess
- 121 Riddle's answer
- 125 Sleep loudly
- 126 Turns out
- 127 Bring back in from another country
- 128 Axed down
- 129 Not wobbling
- 130 Florida city south of Tampa Bay
- 13 Doctors in training
- 14 "Boyfriend" singer Simpson
- 15 "You — have worried"
- 16 According to
- 17 Enthusiasm
- 18 Marks woman Oakley
- 19 Surgical beam source
- 24 Encircle with a belt
- 29 Sue Grafton's "— for Evidence"
- 33 Papas' other halves
- 34 Central German river
- 35 Deputy: Abbr.
- 36 Oct. clock setting
- 38 Plan detail
- 42 Choose (to)
- 44 Fishing pole
- 46 Asmara native
- 47 Middy snooze
- 48 Salon supply
- 49 "Understood, dude"
- 50 Farm tower
- 51 Un-, non-, pro- and con-
- 52 Vacation getaway
- 53 Shah's land
- 54 Horse noise
- 55 Boat in Venice
- 56 Theda of silent films
- 57 Describe by drawing
- 58 Potentially offensive, for short
- 63 Disloyal sorts
- 64 Capital of South Dakota
- 66 Throw easily
- 67 Lhasa's land
- 70 Narrow inlets
- 71 African vipers
- 72 Singer Redbone
- 73 Strewn, as seeds
- 74 Military group
- 75 "Yes" signals
- 79 Boeing plane
- 80 Hawaiian guitar, for short
- 81 Lamb nurse
- 83 In — (prior to birth)
- 84 Start for eminent
- 85 — one's time
- 89 Chocolate snack cake
- 90 Lone Star State coll.
- 92 Mr. Capote, informally
- 93 Contest competitor
- 96 Filmdom's Hitchcock
- 97 Ugandan despot Amin
- 98 Girls in family trees
- 100 Listening accessory for an iPod
- 101 Text written for commercials
- 102 Oahu shindig
- 104 Tiny pieces
- 105 Overly, emphatically
- 106 Writer Camus
- 107 Middy snooze
- 108 Really mark down
- 109 Singer Lena
- 110 "The — Incident" (Henry Fonda film)
- 111 Singer with the #1 hit "Royals"
- 112 Bottom point
- 118 Humorist Bombeck
- 120 Metal source
- 122 "That — lie!"
- 123 Divs. of days
- 124 "For" vote

BRIDGE BITES

A STRANGE LEAD

♠ 982 ♥ KQJT952 ♦ — ♣ 963	♠ JT3 ♥ 743 ♦ J86 ♣ AK87	North	
		West	East
		Declarer	
		♠ KQ7654 ♥ 8 ♦ AKQ52 ♣ 5	♠ A ♥ A6 ♦ T9743 ♣ QJT42

Both Vulnerable

South	West	North	East
1♠	3♥	3♠	4♥
4♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

West's 3♥ jump overcall showed long Hearts and not much else (preemptive, in other words), and South eventually bought the contract in 4♠. Put yourself in the West seat. You'd love to get a Diamond ruff (or two) but, alas, you are on opening lead. Any thoughts?

This deal was played in a team game and at one table West routinely led the ♥K. Declarer ruffed the second Heart and played a trump to East's Ace. A Diamond was returned for West to ruff, briefly raising the hopes of E-W. But that was all they got, and Declarer had 10 tricks. In the post mortem West stated the obvious by pointing out that East needed to overtake the King with his ♥A at Trick 1 and shoot back a Diamond, getting the defense *two* ruffs and setting the contract.

At the other table, West was made of smarter stuff. At Trick 1 she led the Heart *Two!* Unless leading "top of a sequence" it is customary to lead 4th best from a long suit (some prefer "3rd or 5th"), so that Heart Two was distinctly fishy-looking, considering that West's bidding had announced 6 or 7 Hearts. What was West trying to say by her strange lead? She clearly wanted a shift, probably for a ruff. East concluded that Diamonds were more promising than Clubs, all the more so as, if West was out of Clubs, then East had natural Club tricks coming his way. So back came a Diamond for the first of two ruffs. Down one!

For bridge games, classes, or seminars, contact Mike Tomlianovich by phone: 309-825-5823 or b

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ESCALATE	MESONS	ELENA	S
WHENALARGE	MENORTH	EARN	S
ROSINS	IRACAN	REINDEER	
PEPPY	SADDLES	NESTS	
ISPREPARING	TOBLU	END	
LECTS	TAINT	ARMPI	
GOFORALONG	DI	TANG	ERUN
IRISES	HOBOS	LEW	UPBRAID
JUKTAPOSE	WHAT	TRI	TENTS
EKESSIN	WHO	TEED	
TEST	EEO	TEED	
RAINN	HEAL	ER	ESTAS
SHOULDIT	LOAD	UPON	COLI
LOXFIERO	RCA	AER	OB
ARBOR	CARIBOU	HYDRATE	S
SNORE	ENDSUP	REIM	PORT
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Information from the National Weather Service




Saturday
Sunny
High 39




Sunday
Sunny
High 51




Monday
Partly sunny
High 52



Tuesday
Chance of rain
High 46



Wednesday
Partly sunny
High 40



Thursday
Sunny
High 45

Weather History


February 3
1883: An extensive area of sleet and freezing rain occurred on the 2nd and 3rd. Two-day precipitation totals (which included rain) ranged from 2 to 4 inches, but most of the sleet and freezing rain occurred late on the 2nd into the morning of the 3rd. Severe damage occurred to trees, telegraph wires, and telephone wires. Ice accumulation of as much as 1.25 inches thick was observed in Atlanta (Logan County). As temperatures fell below freezing following this system, the

ice remained on the trees and exposed objects for as long as 11 days.

2012: An unusually mild winter was in progress, with temperatures averaging 4 to 6 degrees above normal. Several areas saw temperatures remain at or above zero the entire winter. Springfield had its first winter in 30 years where temperatures failed to fall below zero, and Peoria saw its first winter since 1997-98 without a below zero reading.


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