

# City plan to fix water main

Officials looking  
to start work in  
spring on Evans-  
Stone main

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CLINTON —  
Commissioner John Wise  
on Monday addressed  
what he referred to as “an  
ongoing saga” of water  
main leaks in town. Wise  
said the problem was  
not uncommon to small  
towns.  
“Every city, every little  
community is having  
the same issue with  
infrastructure,” Wise  
told other city council  
members. “It’s getting  
old; it’s been in the ground  
for a hundred years, and  
it’s stuff we keep trying to  
work on.”  
The problem is common  
throughout the country  
as cities have trouble  
finding funds to upgrade  
infrastructure systems.  
“I know whenever  
somebody does a new  
overlay to a street, it  
seems like within about a  
week people are out there  
busting a hole to fix a  
leak,” Wise said.  
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# Lovell retires as Clinton police officer

CLINTON — Officer  
Alex Lovell will leave the  
Clinton Police Department  
after 12 years with the  
department.  
The former Heyworth  
officer joined the Clinton  
department in January  
2010. Lovell plans to  
invest in a long-time local  
business, according to  
Clinton Chief of Police  
Ben Lowers.  
“We wish Alex and his  
family the very best in all  
that their future holds,”  
Lowers said.



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# Trick or Treat on Mr. Lincoln’s Square

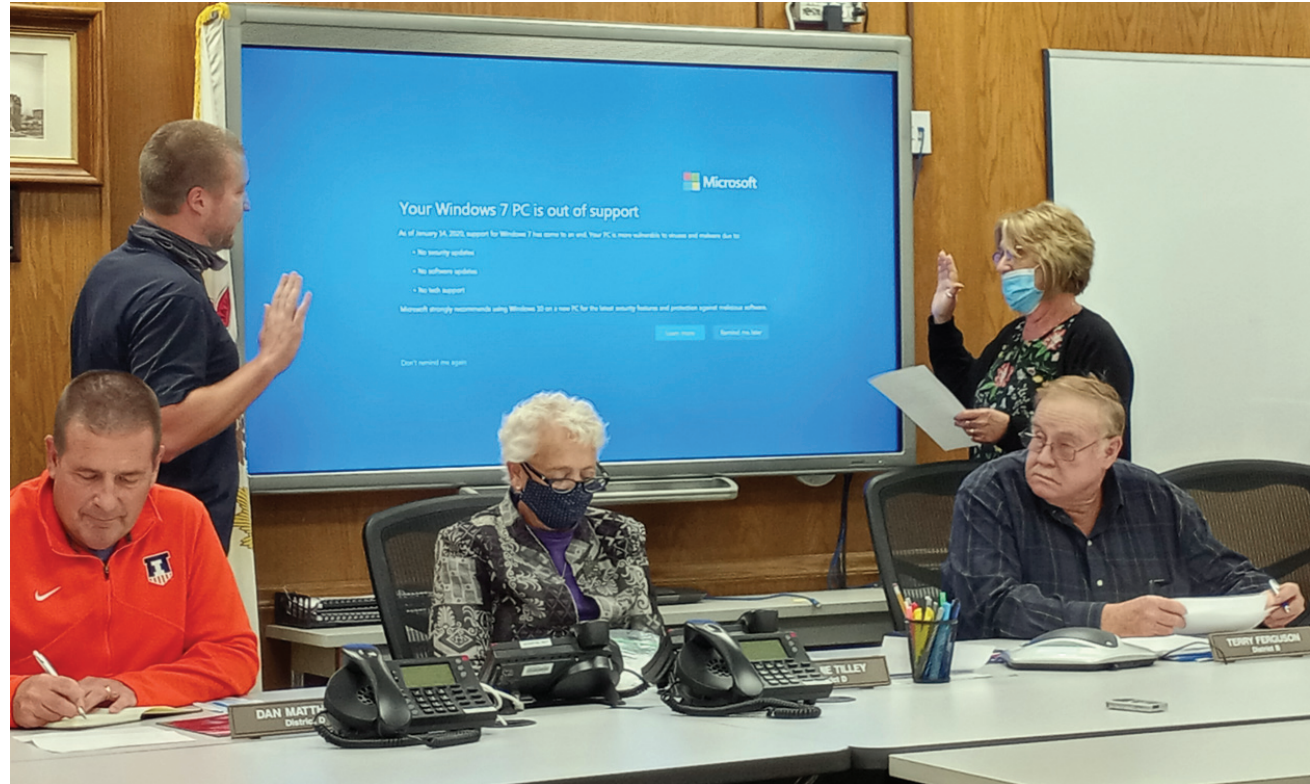
Rain didn’t stop kids and parents from enjoying annual Halloween activities last week. The Vault was one of the locations on Mr. Lincoln’s Square to host trick or treaters on Oct. 29. See more photos on page A3.

# County board blocks extension of wind, solar reviews

Regional Planning  
Commission  
nearing end  
of ordinance review

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CLINTON — Any  
company applying for  
a special use permit for  
a solar or wind energy  
project will be regulated by  
the ordinance in effect at  
the time of the application,  
state’s attorney Dan  
Markwell told county  
board members during the  
board’s Oct. 26 meeting.  
That is the case for a  
special use permit for any  
purpose, Markwell said.  
Markwell’s comments  
came as an effort to extend  
review of the county’s  
wind and solar energy  
ordinances was presented  
during the meeting.  
Board chairman Terry  
Ferguson reported the  
land use committee had  
concluded its review of  
the county’s solar energy  
ordinance and forwarded  
it to the Regional Planning  
Commission (RPC).  
“The RPC has started its  
process,” Ferguson said.  
“They said they should  
have it completed at their  
next meeting.”  
The ordinance would  
next move on to the  
Zoning Board of Appeals  
(ZBA).  
The six-month review



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New board member Brian Riddle is sworn in by county clerk Dana Smith during the Oct. 26 county board meeting. Riddle was appointed to fill a vacancy.

period set for RPC will  
extend a few weeks. An  
application submitted  
before the review is  
completed would be  
governed under the  
existing ordinance.  
“If anyone applies for a  
special use permit of any  
kind, solar or otherwise,  
it’s going to be dictated  
by the laws or ordinances  
in effect at the time they  
submit their application,”  
Markwell said.  
Markwell said if  
amendments to the  
ordinance were already  
“in the process” and the  
applicants were made  
aware of this, they  
would be bound by the

amendments.  
Buck Carter presented  
a motion to extend the  
review of the county’s  
wind energy ordinance,  
also taking place during  
the same period as the  
solar energy review.

The wind ordinance  
review, which resulted  
in the county suspending  
issuance of permits for the  
Alta Farms II wind project,  
prompted Enel Green  
Energy to sue the county.  
A judge ruled the county

did not have the authority  
to deny the permits. Most  
permits for the project  
had already been issued  
when the suspension was  
implemented.

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# Richland Community College enrollment up in fall

DECATUR — Despite  
major effects from the  
COVID-19 pandemic  
on community colleges  
nationwide in 2020,  
preliminary data shows  
that enrollment decline  
at Illinois community  
colleges is well below  
the national average  
with many of Illinois’

48 community colleges  
seeing enrollment  
increases in 2021,  
according to the latest  
fall enrollment report  
compiled by the Illinois  
Community College  
Board (ICCB).  
Richland Community  
College experienced a  
slight 0.8 percent increase

in headcount with full-  
time enrollment numbers  
slightly above the national  
average at 5.9 percent.  
Online and dual credit  
student enrollment has  
also increased.

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## Scenes from Trick or Treat on Mr. Lincoln’s Square



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## All in the family

Welcome to my little corner of culinary delights. Now we have an adventure. Adventure generally suggests something new and different. However, knowing how to work with and control carbohydrates promises that adventure. From it, you can create and invent your own special dishes. Some of this information is carried over from the previous article.

Eat a piece of parsnip. It does not taste sweet. Now slowly roast it in the oven. The heat eventually changes the molecular chain for producing sugar in vegetables. At the right moment, the vegetable will taste sweet. Continue heating it and you lose that sweetness. Why? It is because the heat continues the chemical reaction. Cook it long enough and you end up with pure carbon. Carbohydrate identifies foods having a molecular chain of oxygen, hydrogen and carbon. The length of that chain coupled with the molecular structure determines the type of sugars and starches. I shall give examples.

Glucose and fructose are two different sugars. However, they both have exactly the same chemical formula;  $C_6H_{12}O_6$ . How can they have exactly the same formula and yet be different types of sugars? It deals with the molecular structure. There is a third sugar called dextrose ( $C_6H_{14}O_7$ ). If dextrose is chemically combined with fructose, you then have a fourth sugar; sucrose ( $C_{12}H_{22}O_{11}$ ) commonly known as table sugar. In this case, the structure of the molecule is that of a crystal. If then it is cooked, one can have problems with it crystallizing. Since fructose is an invert sugar, it can arrest crystallization. Simply add but a small



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By Chef  
Roger Joss

amount of invert sugar to the sucrose sugar. This is important to know for candy making. Being educated can eliminate a lot of problems in cooking.

Since starch is a carbohydrate, it is therefore related to sugar. By shortening the sucrose chain, you can have either starches or oligosaccharides. Oligosaccharide chains are between that of sugar and starches. Therefore, they lack certain properties of either. Unlike sugar, oligosaccharides are not sweet tasting. Unlike starch, they do not dissolve in water. And yet they are of the carbohydrate family.

You might be asking why a chef is giving a chemistry lesson? I wish to teach accord to what a chef must learn. To learn in this way allows one to become a better cook overall. If one is a chef, this kind of information is expected for enabling best cooking results. To know your carbohydrates and how they act and react is important. Carbohydrates can adversely affect one's health. By knowing them better teaches what steps to take and which substitutes to use for better health.

Knowing the above basics helps one to understand important characteristics about corn syrup, glucose and other invert sugars. It addresses their special needs in cooking and baking. More must be known before you can fully work with this new found knowledge. Be that as it may, this is the start of a sweet relationship.

Until next time, peace to all.

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Wise said the city tries to do preventive work when money is available but there were areas that cause recurring problems. One of those areas is along Bus Rt. 51 near Evans-Stone subdivision, he said.

Boil orders were recently issued in that area because of water main problems.

Wise said over the past

weekend, city workers were chasing at least three leaks in that area.

He said there was a plan to replace a portion of that main in the spring.

“That’s something we could do ourselves,” Wise said. “I want people in that area to know we are concerned, and we are going to take care of it.”

## Local NSDAR will host a breakfast for veterans on November 13

CLINTON — The DeWitt Clitnon Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution will host a breakfast for DeWitt County veterans begining at 9 a.m. on Saturday, Nov. 13, at the Clinton American Legion, 219 N. Elizabeth Street.

No registration is necessary.

Menu will include sausage and gravy with biscuit, egg casserole, fruit, pastries, juice and coffee.

Nelson Thorp will present a program after the meal, “The Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.” This year is the monument’s centennial.

## Farmer City Christmas parade still accepting 2021 entries

FARMER CITY — The Farmer City Christmas parade is scheduled for 2 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 21.

The annual Farmer City Christmas parade is traditionally one of the largest in the area. The theme for this year’s parade is “Rudolph the

Red-Nosed Reindeer” and will feature nearly 100 entries.

Individuals or groups who still want to enter the parade may call Chad Wills, parade chairman, at (309) 386-2791 or visit the Farmer City Christmas parade on Facebook.

## Virginia Alice Middaugh

GALESBURG, Ill. — Virginia Alice Middaugh (née Adams) (89) died peacefully at home in Galesburg, Ill. on Sunday, October 24, 2021.

Ginny was born on July 17, 1932, at the height of the Great Depression to young parents Paul and Helen Adams. She was born in Clinton, and grew up nearby in the village of Lane, where Paul owned a service station and Helen kept the books and the house and tended to the small family.

In 1951, Ginny married Raymond Moss, and, after Ray was discharged from the military and finished law school in Chicago, they settled back in Clinton. Together they had three sons, David Michael, Timothy Edward, and Thomas Paul. After that marriage ended, she married Frederick Edwin Middaugh and moved to Galesburg, where she was stepmother to Peggy, Patty, Dan, and Janet Middaugh.

Ginny loved travel and adventure. As a girl, she traveled the country with her parents and missed a high school dance for a family trip to Texas and Mexico. Later, she and her own family traveled America in a camper trailer visiting every state in the continental US, including Alaska in 1970.

She and her husband Ed also traveled extensively, and in her later years, she continued on her own. She has visited Egypt and Israel, Germany, Austria, Italy, France, England, and Ireland. She loved the ocean, and she loved the mountains, and the sound of a waterfall could



transport her.

She is survived by children David Moss (Margaret), Timothy Moss (Alice), Thomas Moss (Tina Dorow), Patty Middaugh Richert (Bob Richert), Daniel Robert Middaugh, Janet B. Middaugh; grandchildren Christopher Moss (Erin), Aleksandra Moss, and John Moss; and great-grandchild Thea Moss.

She was preceded in death by her parents Paul Adams and mother Helen Wright Adams, her Aunt Wilma Wright, her spouse, Frederick Edwin Middaugh, and stepdaughter Peggy Lynn Middaugh McGraw (Ed McGraw).

Cremation will be accorded. A visitation will be held at Hinchliff-Pearson-West Funeral Directors and Cremation Service Galesburg Chapel on Saturday, November 6, from 10-11 a.m., followed by a private interment that afternoon for family in Clinton.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to Beacon of Hope - National Hospice Partnership Foundation; Attn: Ashley Burns; 102 E. Main Street; Galesburg, IL 61401. Online condolences may be made at [www.h-p-w.com](http://www.h-p-w.com).

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President Cris Valdez commented on the increase, “As the College has continued to navigate this unprecedented pandemic, it has been challenging to predict or anticipate enrollment trends and outcomes. While much work remains, we are pleased to continue to serve this community and look forward to continued growth.”

As for the remainder of the Illinois’ Community College System, the ICCB 2021 Fall Enrollment Report shows that fall enrollment is down 1.5 percent overall compared to a 13.7 percent overall decline in 2020. That 1.5 percent is well below the national average of 5.6 percent and is the smallest rate decline for the Illinois Community College system overall since Fall 2010. In addition to Richland, 16 Illinois community colleges saw enrollment increases in Fall 2021 compared to just three (3) for the 2020 fall semester.

“We are encouraged by our fall enrollment numbers and what they represent compared to the trends over the last several years where the annual rate of enrollment decline sat between 3 percent-4 percent. We believe this data signifies an upward trend in students returning to advance their educations at community colleges throughout Illinois in the years to come,” said ICCB Executive Director Brian Durham.

The report data suggests an increase in online access to classes as one potential reason for the increased enrollment at many community colleges compared to pre-pandemic years.

Statewide, online students accounted for 57 percent of the overall student population in fall 2021 and 62 percent of all students in the fall of 2020. In contrast, prior to the pandemic, online enrollments represented only 24 percent of the population in fall 2019, 22 percent in fall 2018, and 21 percent in fall 2017.

Dr. Isaac Zuniga, Vice President of Student Success, commented, “Throughout the pandemic our students have shown amazing flexibility and resilience in advancing toward their personal and educational goals, be it online or in person. As an institution of higher learning, we are committed to ensure that they have the support and resources to persist and complete no matter the modality.”

While fall enrollments have declined in recent years, the numbers of graduates in the Illinois Community College System have increased considerably since 2001 and 2006. The number of collegiate-level degrees and certificates awarded to Illinois community college students totaled 38,240 in 2001 and 49,267 in 2006, compared to 61,774 in 2021.

Dr. Valdez added, “At Richland, we have been and continue to be intentional in presenting Richland as a welcoming and inviting institution of choice, and we believe this approach has helped us to realize a level of stabilization in enrollment and student success.”

The full report is accessible online at <http://www2.iccb.org/data/studies-reports/student-reports>.

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Hand-Spellman  
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Able Koritz  
Reese Lyons  
McKegan Morgan  
Abigail Moser  
Logan Newberg  
Reed Natro  
Zackery Potts  
Owen Rexshell  
Nolan Rhodes  
Mabrey Schick  
Avery Smith  
Anelise Thompson  
Jarrett Turney  
Abby Van Zee  
Leilani Visinia  
Laney Weaver  
TOTAL 25

## 7th gr. High Honor Roll

Lola Apple  
Lucas Baker  
Journee Benson  
Carter Bostic  
Collin Bostic  
Briley Carter  
Grady Douglas  
Averie Fatheree  
Benjamin Goebel  
Kearington Hardwick  
Jacob Heinlen  
Alexander Holland  
Audrey Holland  
Caitlynn Jones  
Joielle Lord  
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Alaina Nichols  
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Gretchen Olichweir  
Sawyer Prothero  
Isreal Ramirez  
Laralyn Rigney  
Violet Roe-Ocheltree  
Paisley Schick  
Mason Stanek  
Audrey Toohill  
Seth Trimble  
Madison Walden  
Haley Wilham  
TOTAL 31

## 6th gr. High Honor Roll

Makayla Adair  
Samuel Baxter  
Jacey Black  
Karlie Bless  
Cayden Bostic  
Shawn Ferguson  
Sophia Goff  
Adelaide Groves  
Preston Howell  
Wesley Inman  
Kacy Koritz  
Phelix Krit  
Payton Mills  
Aubrey Peterson  
Sophie Peterson  
Aubrey Roberts  
Wyatt Turney  
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## 8th gr. A-B Honor Roll

Natalie Atchison  
Emily Atten  
Emilie Bazer  
Alexis Bow  
Sienna Brinkotter  
Lilah Cluver  
Madison Cole  
Mason Costello  
Cole Fentress  
Grayson Gentry  
Slone Goergen  
Keaton Graves  
Gavin Johnson

Natalie Keagel  
Maddison Koyak  
Leah Mills  
Joshua Nape  
Rihanna Ortiz  
Jessica-Lee Parson  
Ryan Pine  
Bailey Rhodes  
Phoenix Scott  
Russell Stamp  
Kimberly Taylor  
Wyatt Timmons  
Ashley Velazquez  
Sophie Webb  
Savanna Williamson  
Mark Woods  
Tristian Woods  
Halle Wrage  
Dyllon Wright  
TOTAL 32

## 7th gr. A-B Honor Roll

Ethan Ayers  
Avalonee Bateson  
Josie Blakley  
Delaini Bragg  
Lila Deerwester  
Vanessa Devore  
Ashton Douglas  
Justin Droke  
Kolten Finch  
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Andrew Schmid  
Sierra Sickles  
Gabriel Slay  
Suezette Stamp  
Addison Summers  
Sierena Troutt  
Griffin Utterback  
Jozlin Velez-Noble  
Hudson Waters  
Micah Wheeler  
Kayln Whitehouse  
Tanner Whiteside  
TOTAL 33

## 6th gr. A-B Honor Roll

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Jaeden Bell  
Jace Blakley  
Lance Brame  
Chelsea Brown  
Kolton Bruner  
Dominik Carter  
Aiden Comstock  
Brayden Dalton  
Cooper Fletcher  
Ozlyn Goar  
Scarlet Hammer  
Jennavieve Hoffman  
Ava Hood  
Riley Keelin  
Elijah Lichenwalter  
Rachel Major  
Alexis Merriman  
Chelsea Moore  
Makayla Osborne  
Lane Rich  
Lorenzo Rivera  
Aiden Russell  
Mason Sloat  
Brockton Sumners  
Emily Sutton  
Kole Sutton  
Joe Tayler  
David Terry  
Sophie Tharasher  
Nathan Tull  
Guy Tyler  
Andie Walking  
Loivia Webb  
Savannah Wheeler  
Alison Williams  
Nevaeh Williams  
Clint Wilson  
TOTAL 38

## 8th gr. B Honor Roll

Lincoln Adams  
Spencer Adcock  
Jordan Dash-Williams  
Kierra Durbin  
Alexis Ewing  
Conner Gaither  
Grace Gates  
John Gentry  
Oliver Goar  
Eileen Guerrero  
Trinity Harriett  
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Aiden Rauch  
Jaxon Reynolds  
Danny Roberts  
Anthony Smith  
Joleena Stewart  
Sable Tayler  
Samual Varble  
Jakobe Whitlock  
Brock Wilson  
TOTAL 27

## 7th gr. B Honor Roll

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Makailah Blacklidge  
Wyatt Burton  
Ethan Carter  
Daeviny Casarez  
Braydon Collier  
Mitchell Cornwell  
Christian Costa  
Alorah Dallas  
Shawn Dash-Williams  
Cason Dillon  
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Elizabeth Roberts  
Rylie Senters  
Jaysen Smith  
Dylan Taylor  
Dalton Thoms  
Briggs White  
Samuel Wooldridge  
Cadence Wyatt  
TOTAL 33

## 6th gr. B Honor Roll

Mya Barton  
Maleah Brennan  
Maci Brooks  
Eben Brown-Sprague  
Mason Carignan-Stanley  
Hunter Carver  
Adrianna Casarez  
Kharter Covey  
Kathrine Cunningham  
Lucy Fisher  
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Kwintyn Thiessen  
Emily Troyer  
Bella Villanueva  
Harper Werkman  
TOTAL 31



Courtesy of Edvydas Cicenias

## Heartland Bank donates to Scouts' campground project

BSA Troop 1142 Scoutmaster Ron Armstrong, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader Nathan Armstrong, Senior Patrol Leader Zander Cicenias and Weldon Springs Foundation President Stephanie Russell presented with a check for \$2,500 by Assistant Vice-President of Heartland Bank and Trust Lance White. The funds are a special donation from the Illinois Prairie Community Foundation / Heartland Bank and Trust Community Support Fund going toward paying off the construction of the outhouse building at Black Locust, located at Weldon Springs. This brings the donation to \$2,750 from Heartland Bank in the past six months. White was instrumental in applying for and getting the extra \$2,500 for the project. Total costs of the project hit the \$70,000 mark due to Covid and other factors, and donations are still being sought to finish paying off the project that brought the Black Locust campground back into the camping-fold at Weldon Springs.

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Markwell said the board could review the ordinances without a motion.

“You don’t need a motion to review anything,” Markwell said. “If the intent is to not honor any applications, that’s going to be a problem.”

Markwell said the county could not initiate a moratorium on permit applications with an ordinance in place.

“You’ve got to honor that,” he said. “You don’t want to end up in a

situation like we just did with the wind farm.”

The Clinton Journal reported the board voted 6-4 on July 22 to halt issuing additional building permits for wind turbines. The story reported the board voted to suspend further building permits, “until its developer Enel Green Energy can prove it would be able to curtail the turbines during periods of severe weather.”

Board members Buck Carter and Aaron Kammeyer said during

that meeting they felt suspending permits was a way to ensure Enel would comply.

A few days later, Enel filed suit against the county.

The judge in the case ruled the county could not direct its zoning official to deny issuing the permits.

The board voted against Carter’s Oct. 26 motion. The board also rejected a motion to extend review of the county’s solar energy ordinance.

## It’s time to review, renew medicare

This is that time of year, again, when we need to make decisions about Medicare plans.

From Oct. 15 to Dec. 7, we are eligible to compare our coverage between the original Medicare, Advantage plans and the Part D drug plans in open enrollment. They change every year, and we need to know how those changes will impact us.

To compare plans, go online to Medicare.gov and click on Preview 2022 Health & Drug Plans. Click on the plans you’d like to see and enter your ZIP code. If you want to compare drug costs, enter that data as well.

Have pen and paper on hand and do the math. While it’s said that the average Advantage plan will come down \$2, the

## SENIOR NEWS LINE

by Matilda Charles

average drug plan will go up that much. Beware the deductibles.

If you have an Advantage plan and think you want to continue it, read the fine print. If you’re used to having benefits for glasses, gym membership or other things, check to be sure you’ll still have those. Compare all of the plans to get what you need.

If you have a Part D drug plan and need insulin, be especially careful in selecting your plan. An additional 500 plans will include insulin this year, but again, read the fine print to be sure it’s what you need. A warning:

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## HISTORY ALMANAC

1935 - The game "Monopoly" was introduced by Parker Brothers Company.

1940 - U.S. President Franklin Roosevelt won an unprecedented third term in office.

1944 - Lord Moyne, a British official, was assassinated by the Zionist Stern gang in Cairo, Egypt.

1946 - John F. Kennedy was elected to the U.S. House of Representatives at the age of 29.

1956 - British and French forces began landing in Egypt during the Suez Canal Crisis. A cease-fire was declared 2 days later.

1959 - The American Football League was formed.

1967 - In Moscow, the Ostankino Tower opened. It was the world's tallest free-standing structure for nine years.

1984 - The U.S. Supreme Court ruled that the NFL had exceeded antitrust limits in attempting to stop the Oakland Raiders from moving to Los Angeles.

1986 - The White House reaffirmed the U.S. ban on the sale of weapons to Iran.

1987 - In South Africa, Goban Mbeki was released after serving 24 years in the Robben Island prison. He had been sentenced to life for treason against the white minority government of South Africa.

1998 - Scientists published a genetic study that showed strong evidence that Thomas Jefferson fathered at least one child (Eston Hemings) of his slave, Sally Hemings. (for more information)

1990 - Rabbi Meir Kahane, founder of the Kach movement, was shot to death after a speech at a New York Hotel. His assassin, Egyptian El Sayyid, was later convicted of the murder and was sentenced to life in prison for his part in the World Trade Center bombing.

1992 - Malice Green, a black motorist, was beaten to death in Detroit during a struggle with police. Two officers were later convicted in his death and sentenced to prison.

1994 - George Foreman, 45, became boxing's oldest heavyweight champion when he knocked out Michael Moorer in the 10th round of their WBA fight in Las Vegas, NV.

1998 - In the U.S., Chairman Henry Hyde of the Judiciary Committee asked President Clinton to answer 81 questions for the House impeachment inquiry.

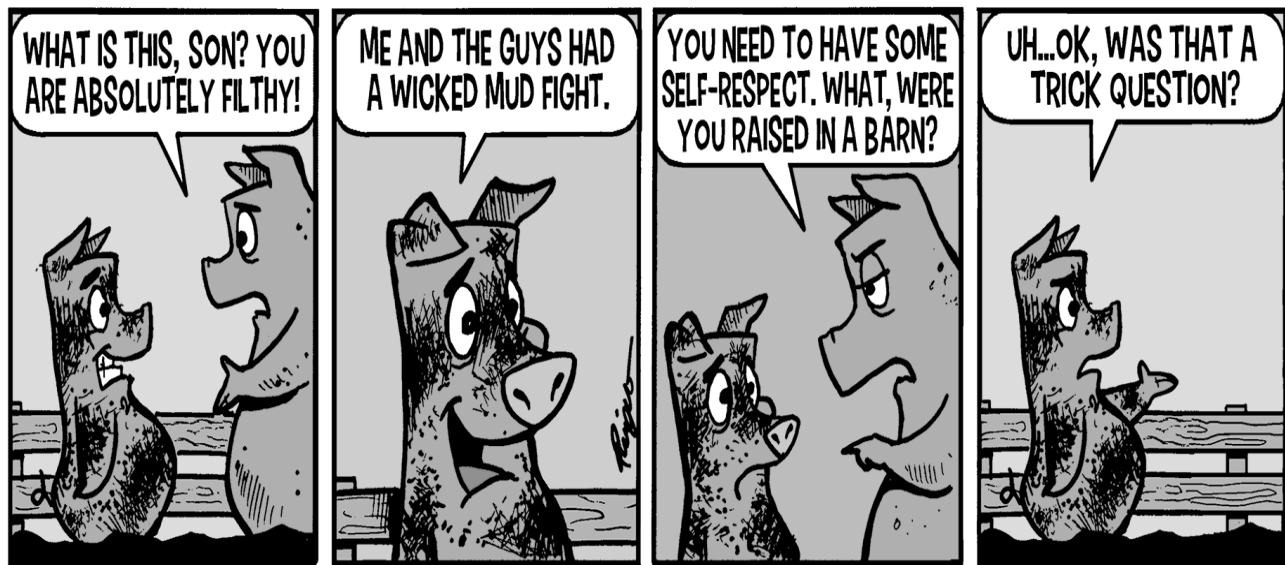
1998 - The U.N. announced that the Taliban militia had killed up to 5,000 civilians in a take-over of an Afghani town.

1999 - A 12-day conference on global warming, attended by delegates from 170 nations, ended in Bonn, Germany.

1999 - Dennis Rodman (NBA) and Carmen Electra were both arrested and charged with battery and domestic violence in a hotel in Miami Beach, FL.

2009 - At Fort Hood, near Killeen, TX, Nidal Malik Hasan killed 13 people and wounded 30 others.

## Amber Waves



## Football politics

After 51 years of marriage, my wife and I have gradually accepted the fallacies of the other.

She loves to quilt and does make some beautiful quilts on a sewing machine that cost more than my beginning salary as a probation officer in the 70s. It keeps her happy and no male should ever argue with a female that has 2-inch needles stashed all over the house.

She allows me to have season tickets to the Illini football and basketball games. She finds the cost of tickets to be excessive, but acknowledges that I am not spending money at the bars. We understand one another and we may even make it another 50 years.

My tickets are on the 50-yard-line for football and the 100 level for basketball. These are great seats and I usually take one of my kids or a friend with me. I enjoy and cherish the time with the kids, but there is an event prior to all home football games that has really gotten my attention.

The Stadium Club is a group of supporters for Illini football. There is a brunch or dinner meal before each home game.

The group I am with consists of 10-15 people on a given game day. Mike is the major donor and the rest of us benefit from Mike's generosity to the U of I. We are almost all retired and consist of electricians, truck drivers, educators, medical and legal backgrounds. We talk sports, family, community and politics.

Jeff is a black, retired union electrician who is very involved in in the Decatur schools and community. Jeff also has a strong affiliation with the Democratic Party. I am a white, retired prosecutor who is involved in the DeWitt County community and has a decided Republican background. In today's political climate one would think the two of us have nothing in common. Nothing could be further from the truth. What we have in common is far more telling of the essence of this nation.

We both give our respective families priority. We both have a strong work ethic. We both want our communities and the nation to flourish. We both understand that government can not solve all problems and that there



is a limit on available tax funding.

We both understand that government is there to serve the people and should not benefit any particular group. We jab each other with our political points, but never make a personal attack.

Biden and Trump were in the news lack week. Jeff bemoaned that his Democrats are being subverted by the far left and I responded that the far right was hurting main stream Republicans. Jeff asked what my current take was on Biden and Trump. I responded with a one word definition for each. My response was crude and perhaps offensive to some. However, I like my definition because it rhymes and cuts to the chase of the two individuals. Biden is a wuss and Trump is an a--.

While I liked many of Trump's ideas, Trump wanted to govern as a King. Today, Trump continues to rehash the

by Dave T. Phipps

2020 elections. He won't let it go. Those are the attributes of a bully and the American public simply doesn't want that style of governance. We want a leader not a dictator.

Biden on the other hand is a weak President. For reasons unknown, Biden has sought to please all in the Democratic Party and in doing so he has pleased none. His Presidency is rapidly becoming ineffectual and weak. We now have a government by committee and are looking for a leader.

I suggest that our politicians, especially at the state and federal level, need some football politics. Forget about Black/White. Forget about Democrat/Republican. Have lunch together. Talk about your families and your community. You have a lot more in common with each other than you have differences. We are one nation, not multiple enclaves of dispute. We need discussions and compromise, not partisan politics. Football politics works. Constant bickering serves no one. Think about it.

## Here's how to find where a vet is buried

The Veterans Legacy Memorial website has been expanded by 500,000 names at 93 veterans cemeteries across the country. This is in addition to the 4 million names already there at 155 cemeteries.

The VLM is a digital platform and repository for information on veterans buried in those cemeteries. Friends and family can add biographies, photos, documents and other information to the listing for each veteran as a way of paying tribute. So far, 22,000 friends and families have added information to their

veteran's profile page.

For those of us who live far from the cemeteries where our veterans are buried, being able to add to a legacy page helps. For me, my family is only partially covered at this point. My grandfather at Fort Sam is in the database. Another relative at Riverside is in the database. Three others aren't, including my parents at Arlington National. They are, however, in ANC's website, although there is no way to add photos (except for the photo of the marker that is already there) or stories or



by Freddy Groves

biographies.

Perhaps Arlington will be among those added in the half-million new names. Eventually the project intends to cover veterans buried in state and local cemeteries, as well as private cemeteries.

To look for your veteran, go to [www.vlm.cem.va.gov](http://www.vlm.cem.va.gov) and put in the name -- first name last name, no comma. Click on the FAQ for more information.

To find a veteran at

Arlington National, go to [www.arlingtoncemetery.mil](http://www.arlingtoncemetery.mil).

If your veteran is listed in the Veterans Legacy Memorial, contribute to the profile. Pictures are a great addition, as is bio information and personal stories.

As a side note, Wreaths Across America will be on Saturday, Dec. 18, 2021. See their website ([www.wreathsafteramerica.org](http://www.wreathsafteramerica.org)) for ways you can help with wreath-laying at the 2,500 locations.

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# NEWS

## Bloomington-Normal Christian Women's Connection brunch program November 16

**BLOOMINGTON** — The Bloomington-Normal Christian Women's Connection invites men and women to their brunch program on Tuesday, Nov. 16 from 10-11:30 a.m. at Holiday Inn, 8 Trader's Circle, Normal. Special Feature: Beer Nuts President Andy Shirk will share his company's history.

Special Speaker: Crystal Balas from LaSalle, Ill. will present "Sparkling Crystal, Sensitive and Strong" Reservations are due on Wednesday, Nov. 10 by calling/text Crystal (Eureka) 217-358-1268 or on Facebook: Bloomington-Normal IL Christian Women's Connection .

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Preschool office (217) 935-4675  
8:15 a.m.-Sunday worship  
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**Clinton Church of Christ**  
Bus. Rt. 51 south, Clinton  
(217) 935-5058  
Stephen R. Bradd, Gospel preacher  
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9 a.m.-Sunday morning Bible study  
10 a.m.-Sunday morning worship  
1 p.m.-Sunday worship  
7 p.m.-Wednesday evening Bible study

**Clinton Church of God**  
720 E. Woodlawn Street, Clinton  
clintoncog.org  
Mark Cooper, pastor  
9:30 a.m.-Sunday school  
10:30 a.m.-Sunday morning worship  
6 p.m.-Sunday night service  
7 p.m.-Wednesday service

**Clinton Presbyterian Church**  
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Office hours: 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Mon.-Fri.  
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10:30 a.m.-Sunday worship  
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10:30 a.m.-Sunday children's church (pre-K-5<sup>th</sup> grades)  
10:30 a.m.-nursery  
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6 p.m.-Wednesday, Strategic Disciple  
6:30 p.m.-Thursday, DIVE teen Bible study  
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## BIBLE TRIVIA

by Wilson Casey

1. Is the book of Jeremiah in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. From Leviticus 24's rules for restitution, what other body part is mentioned besides "eye for an eye"? Nose, Tooth, Finger, Toe
3. The Lord sent Jeremiah to the house of what type of tradesman? Carpenter, Shopkeeper, Tailor, Potter
4. In Acts 5, how were the apostles released from prison? Broke out, Walls caved, Freed by an angel, Triumphant
5. What did James say is "set on fire of hell"? Adulterer, Tongue, Ribald, Unfathered
6. From Matthew 8, whose mother-in-law did Jesus heal? Elijah, Solomon, Daniel, Peter

ANSWERS: 1) Old; 2) Tooth (for a tooth); 3) Potter; 4) Freed by an angel; 5) Tongue; 6) Peter

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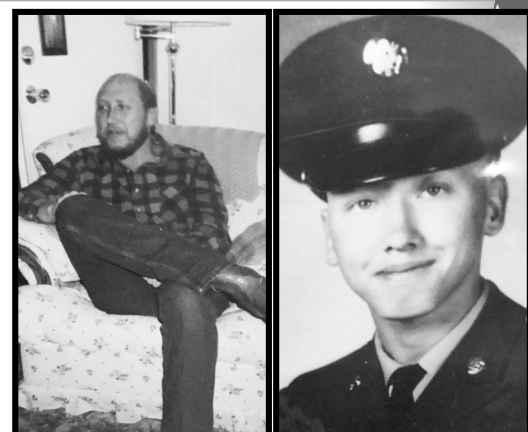
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United States Navy  
Rank; Hospital corpsman 3rd Class (E-4)  
Training: Great Lakes Naval Training Center  
July 18, 1967-July 8, 1971  
Tours of Duty: Mediteranian Sea, Vietnam  
Sent to Vietnam as a medical advisor. Spent approximately one year with the Marines in North Carolina.

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## Glenn Reynolds

Clinton, IL  
US Marine Corps  
1957-1963  
Training: Camp Pendleton, San Diego, CA.  
Ed was a true Marine until his last living breath (8-3-20).  
He graduated from Wapella High School and worked as a foreman at Thrall Railroad until he retired.  
Wife - Patty; Children - Douglas, Dennis, Susan, Leisa and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

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## Arlen Taylor

Army Air Force  
WWII  
Europe  
1950-1951

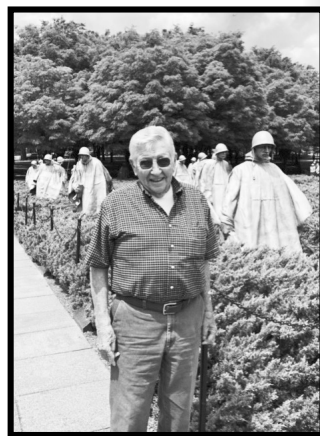
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## George Delmar Taylor

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## Robert J. Thomas

US Army  
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Bob visited with his wife, four daughters, a son in law, and 4 grandchildren. This was an emotional but memorable day for all of us. Thank you to all who serve and who have served this great country. God bless the USA

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## Richard W. Wagers

Army  
Clinton, IL  
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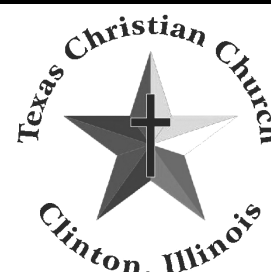
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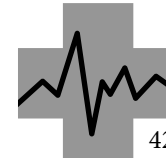
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High 67



**Tuesday**  
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High 65



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**Thursday**  
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## Weather History

### November 6

1885: A late-season tornado moved across Pike and Brown Counties of west central Illinois. The tornado unroofed two homes at Versailles, and one on the south edge of New Salem. A second tornado took an intermittent path from south of Canton, in Fulton County, to Alta, in Peoria County. Barns were swept away and debris was scattered for miles.

### November 7

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### Clinton High School

1. **Social Studies Teacher**, application deadline November 12, 2021

### Clinton Junior High School

1. **Teacher's Aide**, (pay range \$14-\$16.28 per hour, depending on tier) please see website for requirements for paraprofessional license <https://roe17.org/licensure/paraprofessionals>, application deadline November 12, 2021

### Lincoln School

1. **Speech Language Pathologist**, application deadline November 12, 2021
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### Clinton Elementary School

1. **Teacher LBS1 Special Education Resource** for 2021-2022 school year, application deadline November 12, 2021
1. **Teacher's Aide**, (pay range \$14-\$16.28 per hour, depending on tier) 1:1 situation supporting one student and working towards independence. Please see website for requirements for paraprofessional license <https://roe17.org/licensure/paraprofessionals>, application deadline November 12, 2021

### Nursing

1. **Substitute Nurses**, who have active Illinois R.N. or LPN license and experience in school nursing for grades K-12. Candidates must possess effective communication, nursing, and collaboration skills. This position may involve experiences with health education, chronic disease management, communicable disease, immunizations, first-aid, and medication administration. Hours for this position would be 7:45 am-3:45pm on an as needed basis.

### Athletics

1. **Assistant HS Boys Track Coach**, please apply online or email letter of interest, resume, and letter of recommendation to Matt Koeppel, AD, at [mkoeppl@cusd15.org](mailto:mkoeppl@cusd15.org), application deadline November 12, 2021
1. **Junior High Cross-Country Coach**, please apply online or email letter of interest, resume, and letter of recommendation to Matt Koeppel, AD, at [mkoeppl@cusd15.org](mailto:mkoeppl@cusd15.org), application deadline November 12, 2021
1. **Head Golf Coach**, please apply online or email letter of interest, resume, and letter of recommendation to Matt Koeppel, AD, at [mkoeppl@cusd15.org](mailto:mkoeppl@cusd15.org), application deadline November 12, 2021

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# CLINTON Journal Sports



Photos Marc Rogers / Journal

The Lady Trojan defense was tight in the 7th grade game .

## Junior high Lady Maroons win against Maroa-Forsyth

Marc Rogers  
jmarre@frontier.com

CLINTON — The Clinton Junior High Lady Maroons were back home on Monday for one night. The home team was pitted against Route 51 arch rival, the Maroa-Forsyth Lady Trojans.

The 7th grade teams took to the hardwood first and the play was intense. The first quarter ended in a tie at 4 points each. In the second quarter, the Lady Maroons upped their energy and came away with a three-point lead by half-time.

The third quarter arrived with the Lady Trojans getting a spark and out scoring the home team by 2 to come within one point of the Lady Maroons at 18-17. The fourth quarter became a battle with each team taking timeouts to out strategize their opponent.

In the end, it came down to one final goal for the home team after several missed rebounds, and then, leaving enough time on the clock for the Lady Trojans to drive down the court and take a couple of



There were many "jump balls" called in the 7th grade game.

missed shots, giving the home team a one-point win at 25-24.

The Lady Maroons were led by Averie Fatheree (#2) with 10 points.

The 8th grade game began with the Lady Ma-

roons taking an early 14-6 lead. The home team then added 6 more points, while holding the Lady Trojans scoreless in the second quarter for a big 20-6 halftime lead.

By the end of the third

quarter, the Lady Maroons had up their total, 30-9.

Then came quarter four. With the Lady Maroons well in the lead, the second string was brought in late in the game. However, the Lady Trojans kept

in their best shooters and blockers and the score began to get closer. The home team staved off the new attack and came away with the 34-21 win.

The 8th grade Lady Maroons were led by Clara

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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 6TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**

**DEWITT COUNTY - CLINTON, ILLINOIS**

RoundPoint Mortgage Servicing Corporation

**PLAINTIFF**

Vs.

Sara J. Schlesinger, et. al.

**DEFENDANTS**

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**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE**

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on 12/11/2019, the Sheriff of DeWitt County, Illinois will on December 15, 2021 at the hour of 10:00 AM at DeWitt County Sheriff's Office 101 West Washington Street Clinton, IL 61727, or in a place otherwise designated at the time of sale, County of DeWitt and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

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For information: Examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: Codilis & Associates, P.C., 15W030 North Frontage Road, Suite 100, Burr Ridge, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-19-09276.

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Legal 19341RE November 5, 12 and 19, 2021

**LEGAL**  
**ASSUMED NAME PUBLICATION NOTICE**

Public Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, October 13, 2021, a certificate was filed in the Office of the County Clerk of DeWitt County, Illinois, setting forth the names and post-office addresses of

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Dated: Wednesday, October 13, 2021

No. 2021-158

**Dana Smith COUNTY CLERK**

Legal 19326 October 22 and 29, 2021 November 5, 2021

## LEGAL

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**

**DEWITT COUNTY - IN PROBATE**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DARRELL Q. FINGER, DECEASED**

NO. 2021-P-39

**CLAIM DATE NOTICE - INDEPENDENT ADMINISTRATION**

Notice is given of the death of the above named decedent;

Letters of Office were issued on the 12th day of October, 2021 to Allen Dwayne Finger, #8 Laurel Court, Clinton, Illinois 61727, and Eric Lynn Finger, 284 E. Christine, Decatur, Illinois 62526, both as independent co-executors. The attorney for the estate is Joseph B. Taylor of Taylor & Lynch, 216 South Center Street, P.O. Box 478, Clinton, Illinois 61727.

Claims may be filed in the office of the clerk of the court at the DeWitt County Courthouse, 201 W. Washington Street, Clinton, Illinois 61727, or with the representative, or both, on or before April 12, 2022. Any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of the claim filed with the clerk of the court must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within 10 days after it is filed.

The estate will be administered without court supervision, unless an interested party terminates independent administration by filing a petition to terminate under Section 28-4 of the Illinois Probate Act (755 ILCS 5/28-4). A form of a petition to terminate independent administration may be opened from the clerk of the court at the above address.

Dated this 13th day of October, 2021.

Allen Dwayne Finger and Eric Lynn Finger, as independent co-executors of the estate of Darrell Q. Finger, Dec.

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Legal 19327 October 22 and 29, 2021 November 5, 2021

## LEGAL

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

In the Matter of the Estate of:

**MICHAEL KESTNER,**

Deceased.

No. 2021-P-43

**DEATH AND CLAIM DATE NOTICE**

Notice is given of the death of MICHAEL KESTNER of Clinton, DeWitt County, Illinois on August 9, 2019. Letters of Office were issued on October 14, 2021, to Kimberly Kestner, 801 N. George Street, Clinton, Illinois as Executor, whose attorney of record is Andrew Bourey, 225 South Main Street, Suite 100, Decatur, Illinois 62523. Claims against the estate may be filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Court, Macon County Courts Facility, 253 E Wood St., Decatur, Illinois 62523, or with the Independent Executor, or both, on or before April 22, 2022. Any claim not filed on or before that date is barred. Also, copies of a claim filed with the Clerk of the Court must be mailed or delivered to the Independent Administrator and to the attorney of record within ten (10) days after it has been filed.

The estate will be administered without court supervision unless, under Section 28-4 (775 ILCS 5/28-4) of the Illinois Probate Act, any interested person terminates Independent Administration at any time by mailing or delivering a Petition to Terminate to the Clerk.

**KIMBERLY KESTNER, Executor /s/Andrew Bourey By: Andrew Bourey, Her Attorney**

Legal 19328 October 22 and 29, 2021 November 5, 2021

## LEGAL

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT DEWITT COUNTY, ILLINOIS PROBATE DIVISION**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF:**

Wilma M. Buraglio, Deceased.

2021-P-41

**NOTICE OF PUBLICATION - CLAIMS**

Notice is given of the death of Wilma M. Buraglio. Letters of Office were issued on October 14, 2021 to Dennis D. Buraglio, 7110 Sunset Drive, Clinton, IL 61727, as Independent Executor, whose attorney of record is Todd J. Black, Meyer Capel, A Professional Corporation, 306 W. Church St., Champaign, IL 61820.

Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Probate Division, DeWitt County Courthouse, 201 West Washington Street, Clinton, IL 61727, or with the representative, or both, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within ten (10) days after it has been filed.

Dennis D. Buraglio Independent Executor

Legal 19329 October 22 and 29, 2021 November 5, 2021

## LEGAL

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT DE WITT COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LILA JANE MCNEES, Deceased.**

Case No. 2021-P-000042

## CLAIM NOTICE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** of the death of LILA JANE MCNEES, formerly of 47 C Somerset Drive, Clinton, Illinois, who died on September 15, 2021. Letters of

Office were issued to LYLE VICTOR RIDDLE of 7910 Herons Glen Court, Wapella, Illinois, and SHARON K. RIDDLE of 8901 Waynesville Road, Wapella, Illinois on October 12, 2021. The attorney for the estate is Thomas A. Jennings of Livingston, Barger, Brandt & Schroeder, LLP, 115 West Jefferson Street, Suite 400, Bloomington, Illinois 61701.

Claims against the estate may be electronically filed via Odyssey eFileLL with the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, De Witt County, Illinois in Clinton, Illinois or with the representative, or both, on or before APRIL 25, 2022. If filed with the Clerk, the claimant must mail or deliver a copy of the claim to the personal representative and to their attorney and file with the Clerk proof of such mailing or delivery within ten (10) days after a claim has been filed.

Dated: October 20, 2021

Lyle Victor Riddle and Sharon K. Riddle, Co-Executors

By: Thomas A. Jennings, Attorney at Law ARDC #06229494 Livingston, Barger, Brandt & Schroeder, LLP 115 W. Jefferson Street, Suite 400 Bloomington, IL 61701 (309) 828-5281 [tjennings@lbbs.com](mailto:tjennings@lbbs.com)

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF DEWITT COUNTY, ILLINOIS

SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

HEARTLAND BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, successor in interest to STATE BANK OF LINCOLN,

Plaintiff,

vs.

SUE C. JUNKERT; LYNN THRASHER; VICTORIA THRASHER; FRED THRASHER; "UNKNOWN OWNERS" and "NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS,"

Defendants.

2021 CH 11

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

The requisite Affidavit for Publication having been filed, notice is hereby given to SUE C. JUNKERT; LYNN THRASHER; VICTORIA THRASHER; FRED THRASHER; "UNKNOWN OWNERS" and "NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS," Defendants in the above-entitled suit, that said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of DeWitt County, Illinois, by Plaintiff, HEARTLAND BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, successor in interest to STATE BANK OF LINCOLN, against you and other defendants praying for foreclosure of a Mortgage covering the premises described as follows to wit:

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Clinton, Illinois 61727

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which Mortgage was made by Sue C. Junkert, as Mortgagor, in favor of State Bank of Lincoln, predecessor in interest to Heartland Bank and Trust Company, as Mortgagee, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of DeWitt County, Illinois,

on March 2, 2020, as Document No. 190285.

NOW THEREFORE, unless you, the above-named Defendants, file your answer to the Complaint in said suit, or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of DeWitt County, Illinois, at the DeWitt County Circuit Clerk's Office, 201 W. Washington Street, Clinton, Illinois 61217, on or before November 29, 2021, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint.

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LEGAL

STATE OF ILLINOIS IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT DEWITT COUNTY, ILLINOIS - IN PROBATE

DEATH AND CLAIM NOTICE

Estate of PHILIP CHARLES SCHMID, Deceased, No. 2021-P-45

Notice is hereby given of the death of the above and that Letters of Administration were issued on October 26, 2021 to Bryanna Schmid and Andrew Schmid, Co-Administrators.

Notice is further given that the estate will be administered without court supervision, unless under Section 28-4 of the Probate Act of 1975 [755 ILCS 5/28-4(1992 State Bar Edition)], any interested person terminates independent administration at any time by mailing or delivering a petition to terminate to the clerk.

The Independent Administrator's attorney of record is Handegan Law Office, Post Office Box 467, Decatur, Illinois, 62525-0467. Claims against the Estate may be filed in the Office of the Circuit Clerk, DeWitt County Courthouse, Clinton, Illinois 61727 on or before May 13, 2022. Any claim not filed on or before that date is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the court must be mailed or delivered by the claimant to the Independent Co-Administrators and to their attorneys of record within ten (10) days after it has been filed. Furthermore, the claimant shall file with the court proof of any required mailing or delivery of copies.

Bryanna Schmid and Andrew Schmid, Independent

dent Co-Administrators of the Estate of Philip Charles Schmid, deceased

/s/Nancy M Handegan Nancy M. Handegan, one of their Attorneys

Handegan Law Office Nancy M. Handegan Attorney No. 6184733 Attorney at Law Post Office Box 467 Decatur, Illinois 62525-0467 (217) 422-2420 nhandegan@handeganlaw.com

Legal 19338 November 5, 12 and 19, 2021

LEGAL

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

Estate of: Alan W. Bell Deceased. CASE NO. 21-P-44

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION OF CLAIM DATE

Notice is given to the creditors of the death of Alan W. Bell, of 811 N. Center Street, Clinton, Illinois 61727. Letters of Office were issued on October 22, 2021, to Lindsey B. McCoy, Independent Administrator, 508 S. Main Street, Farmer City, Illinois 61842, whose attorney is Kevin Hammer, 219 E. Main Street, Clinton, Illinois 61727. The estate will be administered without court supervision unless under Section 28-4 of the Probate Act (755 ILCS 5/28-4) any interested person terminates independent administration 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 May 5, 2022, 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 representative's attorney within ten days after it has been filed.

Dated this 28th day of October, 2021.

Kevin Hammer Attorney for the Estate of Alan W. Bell 219 East Main Street Clinton, IL 61727 217/935-7063

Legal 19339 November 5, 12 and 19, 2021

LEGAL

LEGAL NOTICE INVITATION TO BID

Sealed bids for the purchase of school buses by Clinton Unit School District #15, Clinton, Illinois, will be received by the Board of Education, at their office at 1210 Highway 54 West Clinton, IL, until 9:00 A.M. prevailing time on Monday, the 6th of December, 2021. The Open Bid will start

promptly at 9:00 and bids will be read aloud at that time. Bids will be considered for the purchase of 6 (six), new 2023 conventional 65-passenger school buses equipped as specified. Bid specifications and instructions will be available at the Clinton Unit Office located at 1215 Highway 54 West, Clinton, Illinois 61727 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday beginning Monday, November 8, 2021. You may request an electronic copy of the bid specifications and instructions by emailing Drew Goebel at dgoebel@cusd15.org. Bidders may submit all questions regarding the specifications and instructions in writing to Drew Goebel, at 1210 Highway 54 West, Clinton, IL 61727 or email Drew Goebel at dgoebel@cusd15.org or call the office at 217-935-8321. The successful bidder shall also be expected to provide the School District with a credit at purchase for the trade-in value of an equivalent number of buses that are at or near the end of their useful lives. Bidders will need to contact Drew Goebel prior to the Open Bid to make arrangements to view and assess trade-in values of buses to include in their bid. Questions received less than five (5) weekdays before the bid opening cannot be answered. Each bidder expressly agrees that such bid may not be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days from the opening thereof. Withdrawal within such period shall subject the bidder to penalties and damages to the District to the extent that such withdrawal results in loss to the District. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids or any part thereof, to waive any informalities, errors or irregularity in bids received or in the bidding process, and to accept the bid that the Board of Education deems the most favorable to its interest after all bids have been examined and canvassed. Bid prices must include all expenses incurred to deliver buses to the School District in condition to operate and in compliance with the bid specifications. This includes transportation charges, inspection fees, state and school required lettering and any other normal expenses incurred in the preparation of the bus for use. Do not include Federal and State Sales Tax as the School District is tax exempt. Buses must be delivered no later than August 1st, 2022 to Clinton School District 15 Bus Garage, located at 1210 Highway 54 West Clinton, IL 61727; east of Clinton High School.

Legal 19340 November 5, 2021

LEGAL

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 6TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

DEWITT COUNTY - CLINTON, ILLINOIS

RoundPoint Mortgage Servicing

Corporation

PLAINTIFF

Vs.

Sara J. Schlesinger; et. al.

DEFENDANTS

2019CH23

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on 12/11/2019, the Sheriff of DeWitt County, Illinois will on December 15, 2021 at the hour of 10:00 AM at DeWitt County Sheriff Lobby of Sheriff's Office 101 West Washington Street Clinton, IL 61727, or in a place otherwise designated at the time of sale, County of DeWitt and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

LOT 3 IN HEATHER MEADOWS SUBDIVISION IN DEWITT COUNTY, ILLINOIS, ACCORDING TO PLAT DATED OCTOBER 3, 1991 AND RECORDED JANUARY 21, 1992 IN PLAT BOOK "I", PAGE 18 AS DOCUMENT NO. 158223 IN THE RECORD-ER'S OFFICE OF DEWITT COUNTY, ILLINOIS, SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF DEWITT, STATE OF ILLINOIS.

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If the sale is set

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

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

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

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

For information: Examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: Codilis & Associates, P.C., 15W030 North Frontage Road, Suite 100, Burr Ridge, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-19-09276.

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Legal 19341 November 5, 12 and 19, 2021

LEGAL

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

Estate of: Opal M. Blue Deceased. CASE NO. 21-P-46

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION OF CLAIM DATE

Notice is given to the creditors of the death of Opal M. Blue, 505 N. Grant St., Clinton, Illinois 61727. Letters of Office were issued on October 27, 2021, to Jessie R. Owens and Tina J. Dreyer, Independent Co-Executors, 221 S. Portland Pl., Clinton, Illinois 61727, and 2600 Gaylord Ave., Springfield, IL 62704, whose attorney is Kevin Hammer, 219 E. Main Street, Clinton, Illinois 61727. The estate will be administered without court supervision unless under Section 28-4 of the Probate Act (755 ILCS 5/28-4) any interested person terminates independent administration 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, Clinton, Illinois

61727, or with the representative, or both, on or before May 5, 2022, 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 representative's attorney within ten days after it has been filed.

Dated this 1st day of November, 2021.

Kevin Hammer Attorney for the Estate of Opal M. Blue 219 East Main Street Clinton, IL 61727 217/935-7063

Legal 19342 November 5, 12 and 19, 2021

LEGAL

Legal Notice

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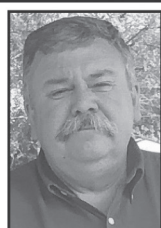
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