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Is population decline symbolic of state's woes? A6



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BRRR!



Daily Journal/Mike Voss

The unseasonably warm weather we had early this winter was too good to be true. The area's first real winter storm of the season brought in heavy winds and icy roads.

Winter slaps area with storm after warm spell

First came ice, then came the flooding

BY JOHN DYKSTRA

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onday's brutal introduction to winter left in its wake at least 20 accidents, flooded roads and at least 1,000 residents without power through midnight.

While today's forecast seems far more subdued — 34 degrees and only the slightest chance for rain — that wasn't the case across this area and most of northern Illinois.

"Believe it or not, we're in better shape than the rest of the state," said Chad Gessner, Kankakee County's emergency management director. "They're getting walloped, especially down in the south, where flooding killed five people. It's manageable up here."

There were at least 20 accidents throughout Kankakee County. State workers also had been dealing with accidents on Interstate 57 and Illinois Route 1 near Grant Park.

The Kankakee County Sheriff's Department was backed up with accidents. It sent administrators out in the field to help keep up.

As the weather warmed, the icy conditions turned into flood concerns. The were flooded from Bourbonnais to the



Snow, ice and sleet pounded northern Illinois on Monday, causing wrecks, flooding and road closures. Despite a bit of relief in the coming days, the area is under threat of rising water.

National Weather Service issued a flood advisory for the Kankakee River at Momence until 6 p.m. Friday. The river also flooded across Birchwood Lane in Aroma Park. That has Gessner praying for warmer and dryer conditions.

"If that river freezes over at flood stage, we could have an ice jam problem," he said. "This hasn't been in our winter game plan, but we'll revert back to our spring game plan."

In Wichert, a family was left stranded when the bridge to their home got swept away, on County Road 10000 East at 2400 South. Firefighters assisted them.

Ditches along County Road 4000E

Manteno Golf Club, prompting flash flood warnings. Water also covered parts of St. George Road and Skyline Road, while fallen trees blocked off roads in

About midnight, ComEd reported more than 1,000 residences in Kankakee County still were without power. Several wires fell down throughout the county.

In Iroquois County, the Illinois Route 1 viaduct north of Milford was closed as of 1 p.m. County Road 41 bridge north of Stockland was also closed. There was standing water on 2120E north of Woodland and Blue Bell Bend Road in Watseka.

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HERSCHER **SCHOOLS**

Coach resigns amid assault allegations

Yorkville police investigate, but no charges have been filed

BY JOHN DYKSTRA

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The Herscher High School wrestling coach accused of assaulting six students at a Yorkville hotel earlier this month during an overnight tournament trip, resigned on Monday night — though he has not been charged with a crime.

David Murphy, 29, who also taught social studies at the school, submitted his brief letter of resignation through his attorney, said school Superintendent Rich Decman. Herscher school district's board of education approved his resignation by a 4-2 vote, with Joe Powers and Pat Daily voting against accepting it.

"Based on what we've been told about the case, I felt termination is more justifiable than a resignation,' Powers said. "As a school board member, it is my duty to protect the kids and make sure they are safe. A resignation isn't enough to assure that.'

The board met in closed session for two hours before reaching a decision during the special meeting. Though he couldn't comment about the ongoing criminal investigation, Decman said he is disappointed in how long the process has taken so far.

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CHRISTMAS

Efforts begin to help family after fatal fire

BY JOHN DYKSTRA

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A fundraising account has been established at Peoples Bank branches to help the family of Ta'Nivah Hale. who died in a Saturday morning fire in Kankakee.

The account is under Ta'Niyah's grandmother, Betty Hale, and Greater New Hope Missionary Baptist

Ta'Niyah was baptized at Greater New Hope seven months ago and attended church regularly with her grandmother.

"She was an exceptional child, a happy child," said Pastor Howard

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AN ARMY LOVE STORY

How 2 recruits kept in touch and got married

BY JOHN DYKSTRA

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Cortney Adams and Danny Carmona enlisted in the Army together, pledging to protect the United States. On Sunday, the young couple

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tourney title? D3

state away in Georgia. They were in basic training together for two weeks in South Carolina, but were

The newlyweds hadn't seen each other in nearly six months before they got married. Cortney, 18, from Watseka, was stationed in South Carolina, and Danny, 20, from Ashkum, was stationed a

from Iroquois County made a vow to each other. They got

married.

unable to see each other since they were in different units. Tested by the military, their love for each other stayed strong. After all, those six months repre-

sent about one-third of their Thanksgiving, a three-page relationship.

geants and peers telling you, 'It's dumb. You need to be done with them. They don't care about you," Cortney said. "But in my heart, I knew Danny cared about me. I knew he loved me."

"A lot of relationships don't survive in the Army," Danny added. "Soldiers get letters from significant others, but they often end up breaking it off. We're stronger than that." The couple corresponded

enlisted in June. Around

letter opened a new chapter "You have your drill serin their lives. In that letter, Danny proposed.

"I wanted to propose right away," he said with a laugh. "She wasn't supposed to read that third page at first, but it all came together, and we're Within a month, the

couple's families quickly arranged a wedding at the Watseka Theatre. Danny donned his honorary military uniform, and Cortney walked down the aisle in a white dress. through letters after they



Daily Journal/Tiffany Blanchette

Danny Carmona, left, 20, of Ashkum, and Cortney Adams, 18, of Watseka, reminisce with the love letters they wrote to each See ARMY, page A3 other while stationed in two different states while in the Army.

"It'll be just like the times before the military ... The most important thing is we're together."

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W. Vearl Brouillet, Manteno Irene Huston, Gardner JoAnn Jaenicke, Danforth Junior "J.D." Kelly, St. Anne Judith Martin, Bradley Frances Moore, Aurora Herbert Ruffini, Bradley **David Senesac,** Bourbonnais P. June Thomas, Kankakee Ruth Zimmerman, Manteno

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LOTTERY

Jackpots

Illinois Lotto \$18.75 million Hoosier Lotto \$12.2 million \$117 million Mega Millions Powerball \$300 million

Numbers drawn Monday, Dec. 28:

Illinois

Pick 3 Midday 9-4-3 3 6-8-8 **7** Pick 3 Evening 4-1-9-9 8 Pick 4 Midday 9-1-6-6 **7** Pick 4 Evening Lucky Day Lotto

Midday 1-3-28-40-44 Evening 1-4-5-21-31 Lotto 7-10-16-17-23-51 **22**

Indiana

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Midday

3-6-11-19-27-30-32-43-44-46-47-49-60-61-62-64-69-70-74-80 Evening

2-4-5-14-15-16-18-21-26-33-40-43-47-54-57-62-65-70-75-78

CORRECTIONS

Because of an editing error, a story that appeared in the Monday edition of the Daily Journal misrepresented how many people were injured in a fire on Dec. 26 in Kankakee. Four people were injured.

The Daily Journal makes every effort to publish accurate and fair information. If you see an error, please call Managing Editor Dimitrios Kalantzis at 815-802-5144

THE BIG PICTURE: WINTER WEATHER



The Associated Press/Jeff Roberson

Missouri governor declares state of emergency

Two cars are submerged in floodwater in a park on Monday in Kimmswick, Mo. Missouri Gov. Jay Nixon has declared a state of emergency because of widespread flooding around the state that has closed many roads.

facts about this incredibly wacky weather

Warm Christmas morning

For many cities in the South and East, temperatures Christmas morning were more than 10 degrees above the average high for Dec. 25. This also was the case in the days leading up to Christmas.

Warmer mornings than afternoons

During the first phase of the widespread December warmth, several Northeast and Midwest cities set daily record high temperatures in the morning rather than in the more typical afternoon time frame when it usually occurs. This happened four mornings in a row Dec. 12-15.

Latest first snow

Buffalo, N.Y., saw its latest first measurable snow (0.1 inches or greater) of the season on Friday, Dec. 18. Before 2015, the latest first measurable snow there was more than two weeks earlier: Dec. 3, 1899.

NYC record

The persistent December warmth may give New York City its longest stretch of days without dipping below the freezing mark (32 degrees) at Central Park.

6,000 temperature records set

Another way to look at the mild December is the number

of record warm temperatures set so far this month. According to preliminary data from NOAA's National Centers for Environmental Information, at least 2,646 record daily highs were tied or broken across the U.S. during the first 20 days of December. An additional 3,728 record-warm

daily low temperatures have been set

during the same time period. Those two figures added together mean we've seen 6,374 warm temperature records set so far this month, with many more on the way. By comparison, in the first 20 days of December, we saw just 146 daily record lows and 135 additional record cool highs.

Source: weather.com

TUESDAY, **DECEMBER 29**

Events in history

- In 1812, during the War of 1812, the American frigate USS Constitution engaged and severely damaged the British frigate HMS Java off Brazil.
- · In 1890, the Wounded Knee massacre took place in South Dakota as an estimated 300 Sioux Indians were killed by U.S. troops sent to disarm them.
- In 1916, Grigory Rasputin, the so-called "Mad Monk" who'd wielded great influence with Czar Nicholas II, was killed by a group of Russian noblemen in St. Peters-
- In 1934, Japan formally renounced the Washington Naval Treaty of 1922.
- In 1940, during World War II, Germany dropped incendiary bombs on London, setting off what came to be known as "The Second Great Fire of London.'
- In 1975, a bomb exploded in the main terminal of New York's LaGuardia Airport, killing 11 people (it's never been determined who was responsible).

Happy birthday!

- Actress Mary Tyler Moore is 79.
- Actor Jon Voight is 77.
- Actor Ted Danson is 68. • Actor Jude Law is 43.
- Actress Maria Dizzia is 41.
- · Actor Mekhi Phifer is 41. • Actress Katherine Moennig is 38.
- Actress Jane Levy is 26.

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WINTER BASKETBALL TOURNEY

Behind the scenes at the 66th annual KHT

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Cars were sliding off roads across Illinois as an ice storm cooled off a warmer-than-average December. Some area residents were dealing with power outages and others faced threatening floodwaters.

But at the Kankakee High School gym, the 16-team, fourday Kankakee Holiday boys' basketball tournament tipped off, just as it has for the past 65 years. And while the eight opening-round games played out as planned, that doesn't mean all of it was calm in the tourney planning office.

"I was ready to panic" said first-year KHS athletic director and tournament director Ronnie Wilcox. "I was thinking with the weather forecast we might have to cancel the first day. But I got emails out to all of the coaches and warned them about getting on the road early.

"And we only had one team run into problems. The Thornridge [High School] bus was in a traffic jam on [Interstate] 57, but they made it," he said. "Its still keeping the fans away, but we're getting through it."

Of course, Wilcox said he isn't really content with just surviving this year. He has bigger plans for the holiday tradi-

"It's in the works to bring the tournament back to the old Abe Lincoln Gym at the King Upper Grade Center," he said. "We're talking about making some improvements over there: Some new bleachers; redoing the floor; getting some new backboards; and some other projects.

"Our plans are to fund it with tournament proceeds and some alternate sources," he added. "We're not going for district

Wilcox noted the new location would have room for about 1,000 additional fans. He also remarked that "this gym is underappreciated."

"I think with the improvements we're looking at, this could be one of the top 10 high school gyms in northern Illinois," he said.

Meanwhile, though, he said he has to focus on the games at hand, and all of the behind-thescenes jobs left to accomplish.

"We're going to have some good games. BBCHS [Bradley-Bourbonnais Community High School] has a good shot at winning its third title in a row. They're very good. And a team you might not have heard of, Seton Academy [in Chicago] ... you might see them win it all at state tournament time.'

Wilcox' focus though, is not always on the gym floor, where a former head coach might be expected to prefer spending his

"I am just so fortunate to have the great group of volunteers who are part of the tradition here. We have more than 100 people, doing everything from concessions to stats and even making sure that we're streaming these games and getting them on local cable TV.

'This is a big job, even without the headaches the weather is causing."



Peotone's Scott Gasik puts up a shot as St. Anne's Jalmen Sullivan defends during their Kankakee Holiday Tournament game Monday night. Gasik scored 12 points in the Blue Devils' win. The tournament kicked off Monday despite the threat of the area's first nasty winter storm.

PEMBROKE SHOOTING

Investigation slowed by lack of cooperation

BY JEFF BONTY

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The victim of a Christmas Day shooting in Pembroke Township remains hospitalized, and the investigation is stalling because potential witnesses aren't talking.

The 25-year-old man was shot at least five times as he walked down the 13900 block of East County 3000S Road at about 11:22 p.m. Reports indicate he had just left a party.

Ken McCabe, chief deputy for Kankakee County sheriff's police, said the victim will recover but suffered serious injury.

He said the investigation has been slowed by a lack of coopera-

He did not rule out that the shooting could be related to a Dec. 19 shooting that sent a man to the hospital. Brandon J. Brewer was arrested in Indianapolis last week as the alleged shooter in that incident. Brewer is fighting extradition.

Friday's shooting also could be related to the Nov. 28 murder of Zennia Brooks-Young, 83, of Hopkins Park.

Anyone with information is encouraged to call the sheriff's department at 815-802-7150 or Crime Stoppers at 815-932-7463.

Army

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"This wedding not only signifies our love for each other,' Cortney said after the wedding, "It also signifies how much our families care about us."

"We couldn't have done this without our families," Danny added. "It's amazing to have been able to do this in front of our friends and family."

After New Year's, the couple will be separated for six more weeks, as they return to their respective units. In February, they'll move to Fort Schofield in Hawaii, where they'll be stationed together for at least three

That has the couple, who met at Kankakee Community College about a year and a half ago,

"It means a lot," Danny said. "It's hard to put words to it."

"There's really no words to describe it," Cortney added. "It'll be just like the times before the military, but we're in the military together. The most important thing is we're together."

CHICAGO

Van Dyke expected to enter plea

Chicago cop charged in 2014 fatal shooting in court today

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHICAGO — A white Chicago police officer charged with murder in the 2014 fatal shooting of black teenager Laquan McDonald is expected to enter a plea today.

Veteran Officer Jason Van Dyke faces six counts of first-degree murder and one of official misconduct in the 17-year-old's death.

Public outcry has been furious since a dashcam video was released last month showing Van Dyke shooting McDonald 16 times.

The teenager, armed with a knife, was veering away from officers when Van Dyke opened fire.

The footage sparked days of street demonstrations, the forced resignation of Police Superintendent Garry McCarthy and a broad federal civil rights investigation of the police department's practices and how allegations of officer misconduct are

During the weekend, Chicago Police shot and killed two other people, a 55-year-old woman who was before they were shot.



The Associated Press/Charles Rex Arbogast/File

Chicago Police Officer Jason Van Dyke, who is charged with murder in the shooting death of a black teenager is expected to enter a plea at an arraignment in Chicago today. The veteran officer faces six counts of first-degree murder and one of official misconduct in the 2014 shooting of 17-year-old Laquan McDonald.

shot accidentally and a 19-year-old man whom police have said was "combative" before he was shot.

The department will not say how many officers fired their weapons or what the two people were doing

Mayor Rahm Emanuel, who has been the target of heavy criticism and calls for resignation since the McDonald video was released last month, is due to return this afternoon from a family vacation in

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The six students — four girls and two boys who are between the ages of 16 and 18 years old — filed restraining orders against Murphy in Kankakee County Court on Dec. 17. They filed the orders after an incident that allegedly took place late Dec. 11 at the Hampton Inn in Yorkville, where the wrestling team was staying for a weekend tournament.

According to court documents, Murphy brought alcohol into a hotel room, then kissed and inappropriately touched

the girls. Both boys, who allegedly tried to intervene, said the former Marine grabbed them by the throat and threatened them.

Murphy allegedly apologized to the girls the following day, telling them he was "just being affectionate," according to a description of the incident in one of the restraining orders.

Herscher school officials suspended Murphy, who worked at the school for four years, after being informed of the allegations on Dec. 16. At the time, they said he wouldn't be involved with the

school until the situation was resolved. Yorkville police continue to investigate the allegations.

Storm

Additional road closures were likely. Iroquois County **Emergency Management** Agency Director Eric Ceci said drivers should take care not to drive into any flooded roadways, as the submerged path may be washed away or the vehicle could become stuck or swept away itself.

17.29 feet, and is expected to rise to 22.2 feet by Wednesday. Minor flood stage is 18 feet, and moderate stage is 24 feet. A flood warning was issued for Chebanse through Friday afternoon.

Sugar Creek in Iroquois County is at 21.11 feet, and is expected to rise to 22.5 feet by this morning. Minor flood stage is 18 feet, and moderate stage is 22.

In light of the five fatalities

"If you see flooding, don't try to drive through it," Gessner said. "It's unsafe and it could be deadly. The state's already had five people die from floods after the storm

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The Iroquois River is at

caused by flooding in southern Illinois, the state's emergency management agency reiterated "turn around, don't drown" in a conference

POLICE

The following is a roundup of area arrests for serious crimes. Unless otherwise stated, all of the people listed have been arrested but not yet charged. They are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. Unless otherwise stated, the following are taken directly from police reports.

COUNTERFEIT MONEY

- A man in Kankakee tried to pass off a fake \$10 bill, saying he himself had gotten it unwittingly. The incident occurred on Dec. 27 at a gas station in the 1900 block of East Court Street.
- Kankakee police were called to 1600 block of West Court Street on Dec. 25 for two other fake \$10 bills. The officer talked to a man who said he recently received two \$10 bills as change and was then refused at another store.

DOMESTIC BATTERY

- Kankakee police arrested Cornelius Womack, 30, on Dec. 27. He was charged in court with domestic battery. According to a report, officers were called to a home in the 1300 block of East Chestnut Street in reference to a domestic battery. The victim said she and her exboyfriend, who was no longer at the home, began arguing. She said Womack became violent and threw her to the ground and hit her. Officers later located Womack and took him to Jerome Combs Detention Center. A judge set his bond at \$10,000, and he is to have no contact with the
- Momence police arrested Cortez R. Brownridge, 27, and charged him with domestic battery, endangering the life of a child and obstructing justice. According to a police report, at about 3:29 p.m. on Dec. 22, officers responded to a call of a fight at a home in the 600 block of East Sixth Street. Officers met with an 18-year-old man standing outside the house. He told police he got in a verbal argument with Brownridge, his mother's boyfriend, before it turned physical. The victim said he was fearful for his younger sister, who was still in the home. Police tried to make contact with Brownridge, who refused to let officers in. Police had to force their way into the home and arrested Brownridge. He was taken to Jerome Combs Detention Center. A judge set his mind at \$5,000. He is to have no contact with the

Hale

and tragic situation."

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Wills, of Greater New Hope. "She was approachable, friendly and got along with everybody. She was a child any parent or grandparent would love to have." Wills has been in touch with the fam-

ily since the fire. The family has lost

everything and is in need of significant help, he said. 'They're devastated," Wills said. "They're just torn apart. They're trying to settle down a bit. It's a very stressful

Jerry Downs, a member of St. Martin of Tours Catholic Church, helped establish the fundraising account for the family of the 7-year-old. His church, as well as St. Teresa Catholic Church and St. Rose

all the churches in this area to step up during this time of

"We'd like to call on

tragic loss." JERRY DOWNS

all forms of donations to help the family. "The Pope declared this the year of mercy," Downs said. "Our community is such a giving community. We'd like to call on all the churches in this area to

step up during this time of tragic loss."

of Lima Catholic Church, are collecting

Peoples Bank branches are located at 333 E. Court St. in Kankakee and 315 Main St. NW in Bourbonnais.

National news

POLL

Was 2015 worse for the world than last year?

A recent poll found 57 percent of Americans saying this year was worse than 2014; mass shootings weighed heavily as the most important events

BY VERENA DOBNIK

The Associated Press

NEW YORK - Mass shootings and attacks weighed heavily on the minds of Americans in 2015, according to a new poll that found most believe this year was worse for the world than last year.

A look at the key findings of The Associated Press-Times Square Alliance poll:

PREOCCUPIED BY MASS SHOOTINGS

important events of 2015 were a string of mass shootings, including the attacks in San Bernardino, Calif., and Paris, plus Islamic State group atrocities.

Fifty-seven percent of those polled say this year was worse than the last year for the world as a whole, up from the 38 percent asked that question a year ago. Only 10 percent believe 2015 was a better year than 2014, and 32 percent think there wasn't much difference.

Americans also are much less likely than they were a vear ago to believe the current cent feel it was worse, com-

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Americans say the most The Nov. 13 attacks in Paris were cited as one of the most important events in 2015, according to a new poll that found most Americans believe this year was worse for the world than last year. With mass shootings weighing on the minds of the majority, 48 percent said they plan to celebrate New Year's Eve at home or at the home of a friend or family member.

> year was better for the United States — only 17 percent compared with 30 percent a year ago. Thirty-seven percent think this year was worse for the country than last year, and 44 percent don't think there was much difference.

On a personal level, fewer than a third (29 percent) believe 2015 was better for them than 2014, and 21 per-

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pared with 15 percent in 2014. Interviewed separately

from the poll, Jason Pruitt, a 43-year-old corporate pilot from the Detroit area, said security concerns were a factor in deciding whether to take his wife and daughter along on a Christmas trip to New York.

"We were thinking about not coming this year because of everything that's going on," Pruitt said. But they went ahead "because the terrorists win."

THREE EVENTS SHARE THE TOP SPOT

Of those polled, 68 percent listed mass shootings in the U.S. as very or extremely important news events this year, including the one in San Bernardino that heightened fears of domestic terrorism, plus shootings in Charleston, S.C.; Roseburg, Ore.; and Chattanooga, Tenn.

Close behind, at 64 percent, were the Paris attacks that ushered in 2015, targeting Charlie Hebdo and the Jewish market, then the Bataclan concert hall and other city sites in November.

And third, at 63 percent, came the Islamic State group's various far-flung atrocities.

"At this point, I'm numb to all of it," 32-year-old J.P. Fury, working in a food truck in Times Square, said. "This is nothing new. Every week there's a new shooting somewhere in America, and there's a new terrorist attack somewhere around the world."

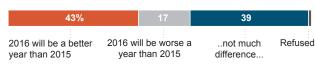
OTHER ISSUES

Domestically, 44 percent of those polled rate as extremely when you change your life, or very important the deaths

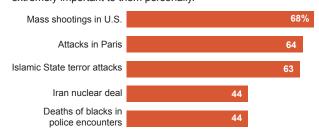
Poll: Violence dampened 2015

Americans say mass shootings and attacks around the world weighed heavily on their minds in 2015. Most anticipate 2016 to be a better year, according to a new Associated Press-Times Square Alliance poll.

Q: Looking ahead to 2016, which of the following comes closest to your opinion? For you personally:



Respondents listed these news stories as those that were extremely important to them personally



NOTE: Results based on survey of 1,020 adults was conducted online

SOURCE: AP-Times Square Alliance Poll

of blacks in encounters with police that sparked "Black Lives Matter" protests in Baltimore and Chicago.

Another 44 percent rate the deal reached to curtail Iran's nuclear program as important, and nearly as many (42 percent) Europe's migrant crisis.

Only 40 percent said the presidential race was important to them, with the Paris climate change conference right behind (at 38 percent), followed by the Supreme Court's legalization of gay marriage (36 percent) and the Cuban-U.S. thaw (30 percent).

RINGING IN THE NEW YEAR

Most Americans plan to celebrate New Year's Eve either at home (48 percent) or at the home of a friend or family member (20 percent). Nine percent plan to be at a bar, restaurant or organized event, and less than a quarter (22 percent) don't plan to celebrate at all.

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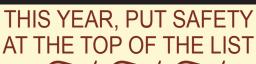
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Irene Huston GARDNER

fully on Sunday (Dec. 27, 2015) at Heritage Health in Dwight.

She was born March 16, 1919, in Mazon, the daughter of John and Gertrude (Gunderson) Hill. Her parents preceded her in death.

Irene was raised and educated in Gardner and graduated from Gardner-South Wilmington High School.

She married LaVerne "Buster" Huston on Nov. 25, 1939, in United Lutheran Church in Gardner.

the cafeteria at Gardner-South Wilmington High School for many years. She was an active member of United Lutheran Church in Gardner and belonged to the Grundy County Home Extension. Irene enjoyed gardening, sewing, knitting and crocheting, and took great pleasure in supplying hundreds of crocheted baby bonnets to the Morris Hospital's nursery over the years. She also was a wonderful cook and baker, who will be remembered for her Kringle, pies and apple squares.

Survivors include four children, Barbara (Carl) Chandler, of South Carolina, Shirley (Keith) Kluge, of Park Forest, Gary (Connie) Huston, of Fairbury, and Karl (Karrin) Schaulin, of Loveland, Ohio; 17 grandchildren, Brad (Vicki) Wills, Tamara (Don) Brewer, Karrin (Chris) Hawkins, Pam Chandler, Steve Chandler, Lori Huffman, Wendi (Scott) Hatcher, Jamie (Jenny) Huston, Erik (Jessica) Huston, Matt (Audrey) Shipley, Jeanna (Brian) Matichak, Beth Malinis, Joel (Esther)

Irene E. Huston, 96, of Huston, Jeremy (Stephanie) Gardner, passed away peace- Huston, Jon Huston (Steven Carroll), Kirsten (Kris) Brandenburg and Kraig

> Schaulin; 30 greatgrandchildren; and two sisters, Evelyn (Roger) Danielson, of Marseilles, and Carol (Herman) Schaefer, of Morris: as well as numerous nieces and neph-

ews. In addition to her parents, preceding her in death were her husband; son and daughter-in-law, James and Karen Huston; two grandsons, Kevin Kluge and Kyle Schaulin; her special nephew, Roger Schaulin; A homemaker her entire six brothers, Leroy (Marie) life, Irene also worked in Hill, Elton (Delores) Hill, Merwyn (Louise) Hill, Earlyn (Alvera) Hill, Lester Hill and Arden (Shirley) Hill; and two sisters, Charline

> dred (Lyle) Schaulin. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. Thursday until the 1 p.m. funeral services at United Lutheran Church, 309 East Jefferson St., Gardner. The Rev. Zak Wagner will officiate. Burial will follow in Gardner Prairie Cemetery, where Irene will be laid to rest with her husband, Buster.

> (George) Sutton and Mil-

Memorials may be made to United Lutheran Church, 309 E. Jefferson St., Gardner, IL 60424, or Heritage Health of Dwight Activities Department. 300 E. Mazon Ave.. Dwight, IL 60420.

The family would like to "extend heartfelt appreciation to the staff at Heritage Health in Dwight, Dr. Charles Comfort and Hospice of Kankakee Valley for the love and care shown to Irene over the past weeks, months and years."

Please sign her online guestbook at reevesfuneral.

Frances Moore AURORA

Frances Kay Moore (nee King), 77, of Aurora, and accorded. Private services formerly of Murphysboro, passed away Dec, 22, 2015, at Seasons Hospice and Palliative Care in Naperville.

Cremation rites have been will be held at a later date.

Please sign her online guestbook at rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com.

Junior 'J.D.' Kelly ST. ANNE

of St. Anne, passed away Chance Rasmussen, Hailie Saturday (Dec. 26, 2015) at Rasmussen and David Wielhome.

He was born Oct. 29, 1928, in Kankakee, the son of Glen and Thelma (Gilbert) Kelly.

Junior proudly served our country in the U.S. Army. He married Wilma Jean Vaillancourt on April 13, 1957. She preceded him in death

in 1990. Mr. Kelly worked on the

assembly line at Ford Motor Company's stamping plant for 30 years before his retirement in 1987. He was a member of the American Legion, VFW and Ford Retiree Coffee Clutch. He enjoyed yard work and working on his car.

Surviving are two daughters, Kathy Kelly, of St. Anne, and Kim (Brian) Rasmussen, of St. Anne: five grandchildren, Travis Ras-

Junior D. Kelly "J.D.," 87, mussen, Kelsey Rasmussen, gus Jr.; two brothers, Gil-

bert (Rose) Kelly, of Kankakee, and Dale (Sandy) Kelly, of Kankakee; one sister-in-law, Joan Kelly, of Kankakee; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his wife, he was preceded in death by two brothers, Jimmy and

Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday at Schreffler Funeral Homes, Kankakee Chapel. An additional time for visitation will be from 9 a.m. Thursday until the 10 a.m. funeral services, also at the funeral home. Burial will immedi-

Roland "Elwood" Kelly.

Cemetery in Kankakee. Please sign his online guestbook at schrefflerfuneralhomes.com.

ately follow in Mound Grove

Ruth Zimmerman MANTENO

Ruth J. Zimmerman, 88,

Merkle-Knipprath Nursing Home in Clifton, after a short illness.

She was born Ruth J. Mangnall on Sept. 28, 1927, in Niagara Falls, N.Y., the daughter of John and lyyli Mangnall.

were her husband, William A. Zimmerman; and her son, William A. Zimmerman Jr.

Surviving are her son, of Manteno, passed away Patrick Brennan; daugh-Sunday (Dec. 27, 2015) at ter, Debbi McCleary; son,

> Mark Zimmerman; daughter-in-law, Laura Zimmerman; grandchildren, Fred McCleary, Kasandra Zimmerman, Chad Zimmerman; and great-grandchildren, Isabela and Aliyah Ortega.

Ruth loved her family and Preceding her in death friends, had a great sense of humor and a beautiful smile.

A small private service will be held.

David Senesac BOURBONNAIS

Bourbonnais, passed away Dec. 22, 2015, in Joliet.

Visitation will be from 10 a.m. Saturday until the noon funeral service at Maternity BVM Catholic Church, guestbook at schrefflerfu-Bourbonnais. The Rev. Rich-neralhomes.com.

David Senesac, 63, of ard Pighini will officiate. Memorials may be made to Maternity BVM Catholic Church or the Bourbonnais Sportsman Club.

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W. Vearl Brouillet MANTENO

Kankakee.

He was born July 20, 1928, in Herscher, the son of J. Llovd and Albia (Denault) Brouillet. Vearl married Dorothy Wheeler on Aug. 28, 1948. Dorothy preceded him in death in October of 1999.

Vearl worked at A.O. Smith before retiring in 1987. He was a member of St. Rose Catholic Church in Kankakee. He enjoyed golfing, bowling, working outdoors and playing cards. Surviving are six daugh-

ters, Susan (Bob) Evans, of Bristol, Tenn., Connie (Joe) Harrington, of Chebanse, Kelly (Scott) Styck, of Kankakee, Heidi (Matt) Bisaillon, of Kankakee, Sandy (Ed) Rocha, of Carpentersville, and Jan (Declan) Bannigan, of San Diego, Calif.; six sons, Bill (Caron) Brouillet, of Kankakee, Pat (Jane) Brouillet, of Kankakee, Paul (Donna) Brouillet, of Normal, Mike

W. Vearl Brouillet, 87, (Chris) Brouillet, of Jupiter, of Manteno, passed away Fla., Tim (Cheryl) Brouillet, Saturday (Dec. 26, 2015) at of St. Anne, and Dan Brouil-Riverside Medical Center in let, of Gurnee; 36 grand-

children; 35 greatgrandchildren; two great-greatgrandchildren; two sisters, Thrasilla (Florian) Janczak and Armilla Courv: and special friend, Muriel "Fluffy" Strassenburg.

In addition to his wife, he was preceded in death by his parents; and one nephew.

Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Schreffler Funeral Homes, Bourbonnais Chapel. An additional time for visitation will be from 9 a.m. Thursday until the 10 a.m. funeral services at St. Rose Catholic Church in Kankakee. Inurnment will immediately follow in All Saints Cemetery, Bourbonnais.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee

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DEATH NOTICES

JoAnn Jaenicke, 76, 84, of Danforth, passed away Tuesday (Dec. 29, 2015) at Faith Place in Danforth. Funeral arrangements are pending at Schreffler Funeral Homes, Kankakee Chapel.

Judith Martin, 64, of Bradley, passed away Monday (Dec. 28, 2015) at her home. Funeral arrangements are pending Schreffler Funeral Homes.

Herbert Ruffini, 87, of Bradley, passed away Monday (Dec. 28, 2015) at River North of Bradley. Funeral arrangements are pending at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais.

P. June Thomas, 76, of Zephyrhills, Fla., and formerly of Kankakee, passed away Sunday (Dec. 27, 2015) at her home. Funeral arrangements are pending at Schreffler Funeral Homes, Kankakee Chapel.

COMING SERVICES

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 30

William Schoenrock, 2 p.m. graveside services in Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood.

DEATHS ELSEWHERE

Meadowlark Lemon, key Harlem Globetrotters member, dies at 83

Los Angeles Times (TNS)

Long before athletes tweeted, and in-your-face dunks and tackles could be shared by millions instantly, Meadowlark Lemon became one

of the most popular sports personalities in the world.

His dazzling basketball skills and slapstick humor were a key attraction for perhaps the most famous basketball team ever. the Har-

lem Globetrotters. He became known as the "Clown Prince of Basketball," appearing before presidents and kings and portraying himself in television programs, movies and cartoons.

Lemon "just had a great joy," Los Angeles Clippers coach Doc Rivers said Mon-

He died Sunday in Scottsdale, Ariz., at the age of 83. The cause of death was not known, said Brett Meister, a spokesman for the Globetrot-

Meister said Lemon had his Scottsdale home to Chicago to take part in taping an ESPN special as part of the Globetrotters' 90th anniversarv tour.

Lemon spent 24 years with the Globetrotters, joining the team in 1954 and acting as ringleader and showman-inchief during the team's heyday through the 1960s and '70s.

toured more than 100 countries, introducing the sport to millions who never had group," Rivers said. "Then I

before seen a basketball thrown through a hoop and breaking down cultural and racial barriers along the way.

During Lemon's early days, the all-black Globetrotters' influence was no less in the

United States. The team showcased the talents of African-American players such as Reece "Goose" Tatum and dribbling wizard Marques Haynes at a time when the fledgling National

Basketball Association was largely white and lacked the razzle-dazzle of America's first show-time team.

The Globetrotters played exhibition ball, mixing theater and sports. But they were also seriously competitive. especially in the early years. Their victory in 1948 over the Minneapolis Lakers helped

put the NBA on the map. Many have speculated that Lemon might have been a huge NBA star had the league been more welcoming to black players.

By the time Lemon departbeen scheduled to fly from ed the Globetrotters in 1978, the NBA was far more integrated, and a more aggressive athleticism was helping it gain worldwide popularity. Lemon's basketball chops would influence Michael Jordan and other greats.

The Globetrotters' street style was something that helped draw fans to their games.

"I remember my dad taking Lemon and the Trotters me to Chicago Stadium and getting to see him (Lemon) and Curly Neal and the whole

get back home and I'm sitting in the backyard and I'm doing the ball-spinning-on-my-finger thing." Famously, Wilt Chamber-

lain joined the Globetrotters for a year in 1958, fresh out of the University of Kansas. But there was no question of who had the starring role. Lemon was an entertain-

er, smack-talking through games, chasing referees with water buckets and teasing spectators with similar buckets of confetti. The teams' usual foils were the mostly white — and hapless — Washington Generals.

But Lemon backed the comedy up with jaw-dropping half-court hook shots and no-

look behind-the-back passes. "Meadowlark was the most sensational, awesome, incredible basketball player I've ever seen," Chamberlain said during an interview with The Associated Press before his death in 1999. "People would say it would be Dr. J (Julius Erving) or even Michael Jordan. For me, it would be

Meadowlark Lemon." The late Los Angeles Times sports columnist Jim Murray described Lemon as "an American institution whose uniform should hang alongside the Spirit of St. Louis and the Gemini space capsule in the halls of the Smithsonian Institute.'

born on April 25, 1932, in speaker until his death.

Wilmington, N.C. His given name was Meadow Lemon III, according to his website, but he legally changed his name to Meadowlark in the

He started out playing football at local playgrounds. When he was 11, according to his website, he saw a newsreel about the Harlem Globetrotters and was taken by their slick showmanship, which was accompanied by their signature tune "Sweet Georgia Brown.'

At the time, he wrote that his family was so poor that he practiced by rigging a makeshift hoop with an onion sack and coat hanger. He used an empty Carnation milk can as a ball. After a boy's club opened nearby, he finally got to handle a real basketball. practicing his shots for as many as 18 hours per day, he

In April 1952, the Globetrotters received a letter from Lemon asking for a tryout, according to the team's Web page. While serving two years in the Army, he played a few games on an overseas tour for the team and owner Abe Saperstein gave Lemon a chance.

He was inducted into the Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame in 2003 as well as the International Clown Hall of Fame. An ordained minister, Meadowlark Lemon was he worked as a motivational



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Motorhead frontman 'Lemmy' dead at 70

The Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — Lanky and long-haired, with mutton chops and moles, Ian derful man celebrated so

"Lemmy" Kilm-ister looked and lived like a hardrock hero. He founded Motorhead in 1975, and continued recording and touring with the band until his death.

He began every legendary live show with the announcement, "We are Motorhead, and we play rock and roll!"

The singer and bassist died Monday at age 70 after a brief battle with aggressive cancer, said his agent Andrew Goodfriend. He had learned of the diagnosis just two days earlier, according to a statement from the band.

express our shock and sadness, there aren't words,' the band said in announcing the death on its Facehead loud, play Hawkwind recent months.

loud, play Lemmy's music LOUD. Have a drink or few. Share stories. Celebrate the LIFE this lovely, won-

> vibrantly himself. HE WOULD WANT EXACTLY THAT." Born on Christ-

mas Eve, 1945, in Staffordshire, England, Kilmister was deeply respected and revered as a rock master and innova-

tor, from his time with the seminal psychedelic band Hawkwind in the early 1970s to his four decades in Motorhead, best known for the 1980 anthem "Ace of Spades." The band won a Grammy for 2004's best metal performance.

Ozzy Osbourne called him "one of my best friends."

"He will be sadly missed," "We cannot begin to Osbourne wrote on Twitter late Monday. "He was a warrior and a legend. I will see you on the other side."

Kilmister had suffered book page. "Play Motor- numerous health issues in







OPINION

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EDITORIAL

Population decline symbolic of state's woes

Moving vans serve as no-confidence vote

oving on out seems to be popular when it comes Data gathered by the U.S. Census and reported by the Illinois News Network shows Illinois had 105,200

more people leave in the last year (2014) than move in.

Some of that is offset by the number of births in the state and by immigration into the state from foreign countries. Even when you add that in, Illinois still was one of a handful of states, seven in all, that actually shrunk in terms of population. In fact, the decline in Illinois was greater than that of the other six states (Connecticut, Maine, Mississippi, New Mexico, Vermont and West Virginia) added together.

We are, sadly, No. 1.

The two states with the greatest growth are Florida and Texas. Climate is part of their advantage. Note, though, that neither has an income tax. Combined, they grew by more than half a million residents.

If you look at the United States Census, you will find some positives and negatives about Illinois. The value of homes, the per capita income and the rate of home ownership are all better in Illinois than the national outlook. On the negative side, we have fewer young children. That's not a good sign. In the same way, people are deciding to leave, they also are deciding not to start a family here either.

Illinois is currently in the throes of a budget crisis. How serious this is may depend on your outlook. If you are an employee of state or local government, or receive services from the state, the possible end of your paycheck, or benefit, is indeed, a crisis. If you are a taxpaying private citizen, the impact on your life is way, way less. And the eventual solution, in the likely form of more taxes and fees, is no walk in the park for you.

How Illinois will solve its budget problem is yet unknown. Gov. Bruce Rauner would like a comprehensive package of reforms to boost business.

The Democratic Legislature says the discussion begins with a tax increase. Enthusiasm for a tax increase is minimal.

On the other hand, change is often challenging and unpleasant. But the statistics point to one clear conclusion. Illinois is not headed in the right direction. The status quo is in a slow drift downward. It is time for change; time to try a change. People are voting with their feet and their moving vans. They are voting to leave.

QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Every new beginning comes from some other beginning's end."

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COMMENTARY

Can we set the world's temperature?

WASHINGTON — On climate change, curb your enthusiasm. It's not that the recent international conference in Paris didn't take significant steps to check global warming. It did. About 200 countries committed to reduce their greenhouse gas emissions. The goal of limiting warming to 2 degrees Celsius (3.6

degrees Fahrenheit) from preindustrial times was reaffirmed. The trouble is, what's being attempted is so fundamentally difficult, even these measures may be wildly unequal to the task.

What's being attempted, of course, is the wholesale replacement of the world economy's reliance on fossil fuels (coal, oil, natural gas) for fourfifths of its energy. To be sure. the shift is envisioned to take decades, four or five at a minimum. Still, the vast undertaking

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may exceed human capability. Hence, a conundrum. Without energy, the world economy shuts down, threatening economic and social chaos. But the consequences of climate change, assuming the scientific consensus is accurate, also are grim — from rising sea levels (threatening coastal cities) to harsher droughts (reducing food supplies)

It's useful to split the discussion into two parts. On the existence of human-driven warming, I accept the dominant scientific view, mainly because I'm not technically qualified to dispute it. But I have doubted that, without major breakthroughs in energy technology, we can do much about warming. The addiction to fossil fuels will triumph.

Paris confirms that view. Rather than show how much progress we've made, it demonstrates how little maneuvering room we have. Consider some estimates from IHS, a consulting company. In 2012, it reports, the world generated 45 gigatons of greenhouse gases, up 50 percent since 1990.

Without new policies, that total would rise to 60 gigatons by 2030, IHS projects. But the national pledges made in Paris would hold the 2030 total to 50 gigatons. That's good news, right? Well, not

Limiting global warming to 2 degrees Celsius would require that emissions in 2030

drop to 35 gigatons, reckons IHS. So, even with the Paris pledges, we're about 40 percent above the goal. Moreover, IHS thinks some pledged cuts won't materialize. They are political gestures or depend on unproven technologies. There are no enforcement mechanisms.

COLUMNIST Renewable energy mainly wind and solar power — is supposed to rescue

us. Quite likely, it won't. True, renewable energy is expanding rapidly in the United States. In the next two years, the solar industry expects to double its installed American capacity. In 2014, wind generation was up 51 percent from 2011, according to government figures. Moreover, costs are said to have fallen sharply. The wind industry puts its decline at 60 percent during the past four years; the solar industry reports a 70 percent drop since 2009.

But these achievements need to be qualified. For starters, renewables' rapid growth comes off a tiny base. As a result, wind supplied only 4.4 percent of U.S. electricity in 2014. Solar's contribution was smaller, about 1 percent; for 2020, the industry's target is 3.5 percent. Global figures are lower. The Economist magazine puts renewables' share of world energy production at 1 percent. The fact that wind and solar are heavily subsidized in the United States, through tax breaks, suggests recent cost reductions haven't yet made renewables competitive with other energy sources.

Another handicap is physics: Wind and solar generate electricity only when the sun shines or the wind blows. They need backup power supplies. This hasn't been (so far) a big problem in the United States, because we have many "base" power plants

— typically fueled by coal and natural gas — that can provide backup. Developing countries are another story. Seeking to reduce their poverty, they need more bulk power, says Robert Bryce, an energy expert at the Manhattan Institute. They have favored coal.

Despite Paris, we haven't acknowledged the difficulties of grappling with climate change, whose extent and timing are uncertain. We invent soothing fantasies to simplify matters. The notion the world can wean itself from fossil fuels by substituting renewables is one of these. The potential isn't large enough.

Actual choices are harder. For example, Bryce argues only an expansion of nuclear power could replace significant volumes of fossil fuels. But greater reliance on nuclear poses its own dangers, including: the disposal of atomic waste, operational accidents and the vulnerability to terrorism.

It's true technological breakthroughs could change this. We know what's needed: cheaper and safer nuclear power; better batteries and energy storage, boosting wind and solar by making more of their power useable; cost-effective carbon capture and storage — making coal more acceptable by burying its carbon dioxide in the ground.

We have been searching for solutions for decades with only modest success. We need to keep searching, but without meaningful advances, regulating the world's temperature is mission impossible.

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Will GOP convention be brokered?

Unlikely, experts say, but not impossible

BY NANCY BENAC

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — 'Tis the season — no, not THAT

It's that point in the presidential election cycle when speculation starts swirling that the primaries won't produce a clear winner and one of the parties' big nominating conventions will dissolve in chaos

This time, it's the Republican side of the race that's looking particularly unsettled.

After a crazy year in which Donald Trump's ability to stay on top in a supersized pack repeatedly has confounded the conventional wisdom, the what-if

chatter is wilder and louder than usual. What if no one gets a majority of delegates in the primaries and caucuses? What if Trump leads the delegate count but party elites want to derail his route to the nomination? What if delegates to the Cleveland convention deadlock on multiple votes and then try to turn to someone completely new, perhaps House Speaker Paul Ryan?!?

Ridiculous, says Ryan.

Silly, says Republican Party Chairman Reince

'I don't think that's going to happen." Trump said. Veteran politicos agree such scenarios are unlikely. The outlook will clarify once people start voting in

February, they insist.

But, they also acknowledge the chances of an unsettled outcome are higher than usual in the current unconventional political environment.

Ben Ginsberg, the lawyer who served as counsel to the Mitt Romney and George W. Bush presidential campaigns, says that because this GOP election cycle offers three lanes of candidates instead of two — a Trump" lane in addition to the traditional "establishment" and "conservative" lanes — "it becomes more likely that no one will have a majority of del-

"The odds are still really small," Ginsberg continues, then offers this caveat: "I did say on the day before the 2000 election that there would never be another presidential recount."

This from the man who went on to play a central role in the Florida recount at the heart of the Bush v. Gore battle for the presidency.

The large field of GOP candidates and Trump's wildcard candidacy aren't the only factors at play in speculation that the 2016 primaries could end in

uncertainty. The GOP, in recent years, has been shifting to a more proportional way of allocating delegates from

each state than the old winner-take-all approach. And that means the momentum Romney achieved after winning a couple of big states in 2012 "is just not going to be as likely" this time, said Mark Stephenson, a Republican consultant who handled delegate strategy for Scott Walker's presidential campaign and worked on the Romney campaign in 2008.

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ARTISTS & RESIDENTS



David Trost cuts metal for his scrap art in his Bradley garage.

Grunge art

Machinist turns scrap into sculpture

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avid Trost is a machinist by night, running the Mazak horizontal mill during the late shift at Peddinghaus in Bradley. During the day, on his off time, he takes his 25-plus years experience in metal work in a different direction: Just Ain't Right Scrap Metal Art.

> with scrap metal he finds in junk piles and thrift stores — St. Vincent de Paul and the Salvation Army are some of his favorites. His philosophy? Making stuff that "just ain't right.

At work, the 46-year-old keeps little smiley faces made out of bolts, sprockets and gears laying on his toolbox to fiddle with as the inspiration takes him. And at home in Bradley, in a back room off his kitchen, it's easy to see the hobby has taken over.

There's a table covered with every kind of nut and bolt, metal casting and knob imaginable. Next to the table are shelves and window frames covered with the same. There also are six custom vintage bicycles (he owns 10 in all) — some with fixtures you'd expect to find, some vou wouldn't. like a tank made from Cadillac valve covers. A short walk out to the garage, where he does the welding, you'll find more shelves and work bench tables covered with parts for soon-to-be projects.

He gets his materials from all over: thrift shops, junk yards, leftover scrap at Peddinghaus, even trash left along the river at the Kankakee River State Park.

"I don't want to modify anything," Trost said. "When I find the certain

He calls it grunge art, sculpting ... item, I'll know it when I see it." And he'll wait until he finds just the right piece, so a sculpture can take anywhere from a month to six

months. "Sometimes, it just comes together. Sometimes, I just got to step back, Trost said.

One of the things he's made that "just ain't right" is a bike he welded together from two women's bikes. It's stretched out and he rides it leaning back, almost like a recumbent bike.

He created another bike that steers backward. (Turn it right, it goes left. Turn it left, it goes right.) That one he took to the Kankakee Farmer's Market last summer. No one could figure out how to ride it, Trost said.

His sculptures are pretty unusual, too. Like a bouquet of flowers made of bike chains and large, oversized gears. There's a model motorcycle fashioned from recycled bike chains and a fuel filter, and a ship whose hull is made of shaped iron. He's currently working on a large spiderweblooking piece made of cut cranks and sprockets.

"I never saw myself as an artist," Trost said. "I guess it just worked out that way.'

And he hasn't really promoted himself as one. He sells to family and friends, or through word of mouth. He gives some pieces away, like the



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One of Trost's 10 modified bikes was fashioned by welding two women's bicycles together.

bouquet of flowers to his mom. He even entered one sculpture in the American Institute of Steel Construction sculpture competition and won fifth place.

So, where did the sudden urge to create come from?

"My brother-in-law asked me that, too. I told him, 'I don't really know.' About four years ago, I just started seeing things and putting things together," Trost said.

He credits a lot of his natural craftiness to his grandmother, who taught him to make bottle cap magnets or cars out of shampoo bottles as a kid. His love for all things bicycles

classes to make bike parts in junior high school. He started working as a machinist through the career center at Kankakee Community College, working for Baker Manufacturing as a junior in high school. Then, in 1989, he began working for Peddinghaus, where he's worked for most of the years since.

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"I keep myself occupied," Trost said. "I don't want to say [I make] something out of nothing. I am making something else out of something."



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A motorcycle sculpture is displayed in Trost's home, made from bike chains and an old fuel cylinder.

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Trost finds materials pretty much everywhere, welding them into art such as these skulls made from pistons.





Kirsten Dunst plays manipulative housewife Peggy Blomquist on

The best shows of 2015 are ...

With the clock ticking down to 2016, aren't we due for a year-in-television roundup? I don't even like reading those columns,

never mind writing them. They often involve lists and rankings and other distracting, thought-avoiding gimmicks.

Simply put, "Fargo" season two is the best drama of the year. Epic and strange and yet deeply rooted in fully drawn human beings, it represented TV

writing at its best and most novelistic. It's also one of the first screen dramas in years, if not decades, to portray a Vietnam veteran as a thoughtful, three-dimensional character.

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TUNE IN

TONIGHT

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As in the first season, "Fargo" featured rogue males knee deep in ultraviolence, yet asked us to feel protective about a vulnerable female character at its every center: Molly Solverson (Allison Tolman) in the first season and her dying mother, Betsy (Cristin Milioti), in the second. As female characters at the heart of the gore, Kirsten Dunst and Jean Smart just might be battling it out come Emmy

"Fargo" avoided the bigshow sophomore slump, one of the year's unfortunate TV trends. The writing on **True Detective**" careened from Dostovevsky to bad Raymond Chandler. "The Returned" spun out of control. Even "Empire," the ratings meteor of the year, saw many fans go from addicted to indifferent.

It has not been a great year for new comedies. Fox's "The Grinder" is amusing, but only can go so far with its thin premise. NBC's "The Carmichael Show" has its old-school moments. But for best comedy. I nominate British import "Detectorists." In a year when many series, even the impressive "My Crazy Ex-Girlfriend," seemed to be trying way too hard to get noticed, this bleak tale of two taciturn metal-detecting antique hunters (Mackenzie Crook and Toby Jones) remained beautifully understated and audaciously

and now is streaming on Netflix. Pounce. It's a rare gem. And there isn't a comic-book character or superhero in sight.

> Stephen Colbert hosts the **"38th Annual Kennedy Center** Honors" (8 p.m., CBS). Taped on Dec. 6 at the Kennedy Center Opera House stage, the gala was attended by the president and first lady. As usual, the recipients are drawn from both high art (orchestra conductor Seiji Ozawa) and popular culture, (actresses

Rita Moreno and Cicely Tyson; singer-songwriter Carole King and movie director and producer George Lucas).

As is customary, some of the presenters and those who show up to salute recipients are as famous as those celebrated. Look for Steven Spielberg and Martin Scorsese to speak up for their friend and fellow 1970s movie wunderkind George Lucas. Also from that era, look for James Taylor to sing "Up on the Roof," one of the songs Carole King wrote as a Brill Building composer, a good decade before she helped pioneer the singer/songwriter era of pop music with her breakthrough 1971 LP "Tapestry." Cellist Yo-Yo Ma and conductor Itzhak Perlman salute Ozawa. Rosie Perez and Lin-Manuel Miranda applaud Moreno, and Karen Olivo performs "America" the song from "West Side Story" that Moreno helped popularize. Tyler Perry and Viola Davis will champion the career of Cicely Tyson.

TONIGHT'S OTHER **HIGHLIGHTS**

- · Dean's celebrity might come in handy on "The Grinder" (8:30 p.m., Fox, r,
- · A young mother's treatment becomes a point of contention on "Chicago Med" (8 p.m., NBC, r, TV-14).
- "Shark Tank" alums return for two hours of "Beyond the Tank" (8 p.m., ABC, r, TV-PG).

· The gang helps one of its own on "Chicago Fire" (9 p.m., NBC, r, TV-14). Kevin McDonough can be human in scale. "Detectorists" was introreached at kevin.tvguy@gmail. duced on the Acorn service Quality & Quantity We are always the best Chinese Restaurant **Eat In or Carry Out** 1545 W. Court Street, Kankakee 815-936-1888 FAX 815-936-1876 Hrs: Sun-Thurs 10:30am-10:00pm Fri-Sat 10:30am-10:30pm Order online at www.greatwallkankakee.com Super Buffet Has Over 100 Items All You Can Eat, Including: Soups, Appetizers, Salad Bar, Fresh Fruits, Crab Legs, Shrimp, Steak Chinese Main Dishes & American Food with Dessert & Ice Cream & more Buffet Open 7 Days a Week: 11:00am to 9:00pm GREAT WALL 217.002.4098 - Fax 815-936-1876 **GREAT WALL** \$2.00 OFF \$1.00 OFF GREAT WALL CHINESE RESTAURANT GREAT WALL CHINESE RESTAURANT **10%** OFF \$1.00 OFF **Lunch Buffet Dinner Buffet** Adult Buffet Only (Usable for 2 people) Adult Buffet Only (Usable for 2 people

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To-do lists turn creative with stickers, tape and colors

BY ALICIA RANCILIO Associated Press

> NEW YORK — Keeping a to-do list or a schedule is much more than time management for a dedicated group of calendar keepers. They're using colored pens and pencils along with scrapbooking materials like stickers and washi tape to track appointments, reminders and milestones.

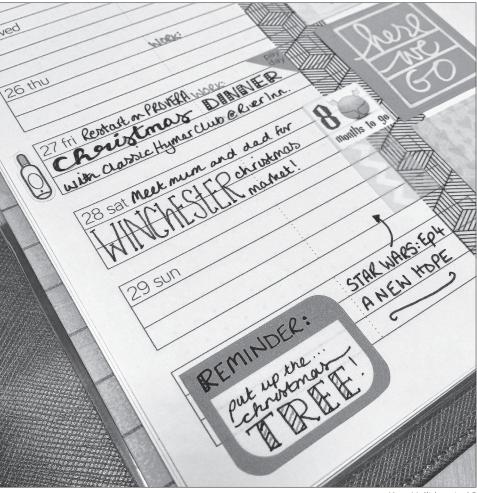
> Look no further than social media. The "planner community" likes to share photos of layouts and entries on sites like Pinterest, YouTube and Instagram, using hashtags like #plannernerd, #plannerobsessed, #plannerjunkies and #plannerlove.

The planners under discussion can be desk or pocket notebooks, journals, inserts into binders any planning tool that can be decorated.

Erin Condren, of Los Angeles, introduced her LifePlanner in 2007, providing templates with a range of designs and fonts to customize a planner, and has turned it into a business at ErinCondren.com. She says there's a market for "a colorful approach to not only scheduling every day but truly celebrating every day.'

Initially, she thought her customers would be "45-year-old women who couldn't grasp digital technology, but that's not the case.

She especially enjoys watching her 14-year-old daughter, Kate, use her planner. "A Sunday night for her, she's got everything color-coded. She's got stickers that say, 'Math exam!' She's ready to con-



Katy Halliday via AP

Get creative to track appointments, reminders and milestones.

quer the week," says Condren.

"To be honest, my community has taken it to a whole other level," Condren says. "It's inspiring me. I'm a little embarrassed to open mine.'

Katy Halliday, of Chicago, the mother of a 2-yearold son and a 3-month-old daughter, considers herself part of the planner community. She uses hers

as a way to be artistic. "I used to be in a choir, and that was my creative outlet. This is something I can do at home with the kids, and it's something for mommy," she laughs.

Halliday keeps track of meal planning and nap times with stickers in her planner.

Juliette Perkins of Hampshire, United Kingdom, says she puts "a mixed bag" of entries into her planner, including schedules, hours slept, steps taken, meetings, appointments, parties and

It's also a way to connect with other people. Perkins is part of Facebook groups dedicated to the love of planning.

To get started, she advis-

es, be conservative with supplies like colored pens and stickers. "Try to avoid buying all the cute stuff you see," she

says. "If you buy too many stickers or too much washi early on, you'll inevitably get overwhelmed."

"The great thing is, there are no rules."

Mom worries that kids get attention only for their looks

DEAR ABBY: All children are beautiful to their parents. My three children are of mixed race and get a lot of attention because of it. The boys are aloof about random compliments they receive from strangers. How ever, I'm worried about the pressure it may put on my daughter to be "pretty."

I care more about my daughter's character than her looks, but I'm concerned that if I say that to these people, it will come off as rude. Also, I don't want her to think I don't think she's pretty. How can I respond in a way that isn't rude to wellintentioned strangers, but at the same time allows me to make a statement about the importance of character over beauty? — MOM OF BEAUTIES

DEAR MOM: When someone exclaims that your child is beautiful, accept the compliment and say something like this: "Yes, my child IS beautiful, but more important, she is beautiful on the inside." It will reinforce the message to your daughter that character is equally, if not more important, than physical beauty.

DEAR ABBY: Isn't the rule of etiquette that when a gift is given, it belongs to the recipient? My mother sends gifts to our infant daughter. She is the first grandbaby, and my mother is a doting grandparent. My question is what should happen when my child outgrows the items clothing, shoes, toys, etc. My mother expects me to put them all in a storage bin and return them to her.

There have been times when I have packed up things to give to friends who have younger daughters than ours, or taken them to a resale shop. My mother then becomes upset that I'm not returning the items to her. She is saving them for my sister, who isn't even pregnant yet.

While I have no issue with saving some things for a potential niece, my friends need these things NOW, and I feel strange essentially being obligated to return them. Is my mom out of line? It's offputting to receive a gift that comes with a return clause. -- CONFUSED IN CENTRAL **TEXAS**

DEAR CONFUSED: It appears your mother is not only a doting grandma, but also someone who is determined to get a double bang for her buck. Once given, a gift DOES belong to the recipient. Otherwise, it's not a gift but a loan.

And yes, however well-intentioned your mother may be, she is out of line to demand that everything she has given be returned to her. (I mean, what will she do if your sister has only boys?)

DEAR ABBY: My daughter, a single parent, has a 27-year-old son who has assaulted her several times. He has never worked and has been in trouble with the law because of drugs Recently, she called me to ask if she and her son could spend the night with me. (They live 160 miles away.) I told her that because of his past behavior it wasn't a good idea.

She was very offended and said

I would "never see her son again." After sending me several hurtful emails, she's no longer speaking to me, despite the fact that I have always taken care of her and listened to her problems about her son.

I deserve an apology — which I won't receive. But I feel bad about the situation. How do I fix it without apologizing myself? — DAD WITH A **DILEMMA IN FLORIDA**

DEAR DAD: Because you know an apology from your daughter won't be forthcoming, don't expect one. Considering the fact that your grandson has a tendency to be violent, I don't blame you for not wanting him in your home. So stand pat. Your daughter will start talking to you again as soon as she needs something from you. Of that, I am sure.

DEAR ABBY: I am a teacher who occasionally must conduct parentteacher conferences through a translator. My colleague and I are wondering, what is the proper protocol for these conversations? We are not sure whether to make eye contact with the translator or the parent when talking and listening. Thank you for your help. — AN INTERNATIONAL EDUCATOR

DEAR EDUCATOR: It is important to make eye contact with the person with whom you are communicating. When you are being given a translation, it's all right to make eye contact with the translator. However, when asking a question or directing a comment to the parent, you should look the parent in the eye.

Contact Dear Abby at Dear Abby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069.



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TSA officers can mandate full-body screening

Under a new policy for screening airline passengers, Transportation Security Administration officers at the airport can now require that you go through a fullbody scanner even if you ask for a pat-down search instead.

The change in policy that began this month means that airline passengers can still ask TSA officers for a pat-down search instead of having to go through a full-body scanner that uses millimeter wave technology to disclose weapons hidden under clothing.

But the TSA officers now have to right to deny your request for a pat-down search "if warranted by security considerations."

- LOS ANGELES TIMES (TNS)

Company to hold meeting on decade-old oil leak

The company responsible for a decade-old oil leak in the Gulf of Mexico will hold a public meeting next month to disclose details of its efforts to stop chronic slicks from forming off Louisiana's coast. The Jan. 20 forum in Baton Rouge was a requirement of Taylor Energy Co.'s court settlement in September with environmental

In 2004, waves whipped up by Hurricane Ivan triggered an underwater mudslide that toppled a Taylor Energy-owned platform and buried a cluster of its oil wells under mounds of sediment. Oil is still leaking at the site more than 11 years later, with slicks often stretching for miles.

Man accused of killings may blame cough syrup

Attorneys for a doctor charged with aggravated murder may argue that their client was suffering from cough-syrup induced psychosis, which led him to kill his partner and toddler son in 2011.

The Seattle Times reports that 43-year-old Dr. Louis Chen is accused of fatally stabbing 29-yearold Eric Cooper and 2-year-old Cooper Chen, whose bodies were found inside the couple's Seattle apartment.

Chen's defense team previously had indicated it would pursue an insanity or diminished capacity defense. But a motion filed in October suggests Chen had a buildup of dextromethorphan, a cough suppressant found in many over-the-counter cold medicines, in his system. The motion that the drug metabolized slowly in Chen, who is Taiwanese, because of his genetic makeup.

Major NYC hotels pledge to cut greenhouse gases

More than a dozen of New York City's most famed hotels are pledging to get greener.

The Waldorf-Astoria New York, the Lotte New York Palace, the Pierre-A Taj Hotel and the Crowne Plaza Times Square are among the 16 city hotels — all currently thronged with tourists visiting for the holidays — whose owners have agreed to cut greenhouse gases from their buildings by 30 percent or more in the next decade.

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ILLINOIS

East St. Louis ousts city manager after 4 months

The merry-go-round of East St. Louis city government continued to spin Monday as elected leaders jettisoned a city manager hired only after losing his April mayoral re-election bid.

Two city council members and current Mayor Emeka Jackson-Hicks voted Monday to fire Alvin Parks Jr. as the city continues to struggle with a nearly \$6 million budget shortfall. Longtime city employee Edith Moore was named

interim city manager. Police officers and other city employees have recently been laid off, including a public safety director who took early retirement from the U.S. Secret Service to work for East St. Louis.

1 dead, 4 others hurt in train-car crash in Chicago

Authorities say one person was killed and four others injured when a Metra train struck a car on Chicago's southwest side.

Fire officials say five people were extricated from the car following the crash Monday afternoon and taken to an Oak Lawn hospital. One of the injured people later died.

Officials say no passengers on the train were injured.

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Japan apologizes over sex slaves

\$8M fund will help Korean women forced to work in brothels during WWII

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SEOUL, South Korea - An apology from Japan's prime minister and a pledge of more than \$8 million sealed a breakthrough deal Monday in a decades-long impasse with South Korea over Korean women forced into Japanese military-run brothels during World War II.

The accord, which aims to resolve the emotional core of South Korea's grievances with its former colonial overlord, could begin to reverse decades of animosity and mistrust between the two thriving democracies, trade partners and staunch U.S. allies. It represents a shift for Tokyo's conservative government and a new willingness to compromise by previously wary Seoul.

A statement by both countries' foreign ministers said Prime Minister Shinzo Abe "expresses anew his most sincere apologies and remorse to all the women who underwent immeasurable and painful experiences and suffered incurable physical and psychological wounds as comfort women," the euphemistic name given the women.

Historians say tens of thousands of women from around Asia, many of them Korean, were sent to frontline military brothels to provide sex to Japanese soldiers.

It wasn't immediately clear if Abe would be issuing a separate written statement or if it would be directly delivered to the 46 surviving former Korean sex slaves, now in their 80s and 90s.

The language mirrored past expressions of remorse by other prime ministers, although it



Former South Korean sex slaves, who were forced to serve for the Japanese Army during World War II, wait for results of a meeting of South Korean and Japanese foreign ministers at the Nanumui Jip, The House of Sharing, in Gwangju, South Korea, on Monday.

was seen by some in Seoul as an reporters that the agreement was improvement on previous comments by Abe's hawkish government, which has been accused of whitewashing wartime atrocities.

Another deciding factor was that the 1 billion yen (\$8.3 million) — to create a foundation to help provide support for the victims — came from the government, not private sources, something Tokyo has resisted in the past.

South Korean Foreign Minister Yun Byung-se said Seoul considers the agreement "final and irreversible," as long as Japan faithfully follows through with its promises.

Later Monday, Abe called South Korean President Park Geun-hye and reiterated his apology. He said Tokyo would implement the deal and called the issue settled irreversibly. Park said she hoped the two countries will build mutual trust and open a new era in ties based on the agreement.

based on his commitment to stop future generations from having to repeatedly apologize.

"Japan and South Korea are now entering a new era," Abe said. "We should not drag this problem into the next generation.'

Park issued a separate statement saying the deal was the result of her government's best efforts to resolve the sex slave issue, given its urgency. "Most of victims are at an advanced age and nine died this year alone," she said.

"I hope the mental pains of the elderly comfort women will be eased," Park said.

The initial reaction of former sex slaves was mixed. One woman said she would follow the government's lead, while another vowed to ignore the accord because Tokyo didn't consider the money to be formal compensation.

"Isn't it natural to make legal After phoning Park, Abe told compensation if they commit a harder to improve ties."

MONDAY'S AGREEMENT

- Japan's government will directly finance an \$8 million fund to be set up by the South Korean government to help deal with the psychological and physical needs of the 46 surviving former South Korean victims.
- Japan's government acknowledged that its wartime military was involved in the abuse and that it was "a grave affront to the honor and dignity of large numbers of women.
- Prime Minister Shinzo Abe, a nationalist who has been accused of whitewashing Japan's military atrocities, nevertheless expressed his "most sincere apologies and remorse to all the women who underwent immeasurable and painful experiences and suffered incurable physical and psychological wounds." It was largely a repeat of what his predecessors have said during the past two decades.
- Japan and South Korea agree that the agreement settles the comfort women "finally and irreversibly."
- The agreement follows several vears of U.S. calls for better relations between its two close East Asian

crime?" said Lee Yong-su, 88, according to South Korea's Yonhap news agency.

Some in Seoul saw the deal, while not perfect, as an important step forward.

"If we brushed aside this deal, the comfort women issue would remain unresolved forever," said Lee Won Deog, director of Institute of Japanese Studies at Seoul's Kookmin University. "Elderly women would die one by one; South Korea and Japan would engage in history wars and find it



The Associated Press/Osama Sami

Iraqi security forces search a building in the government complex in central Ramadi, 70 miles west of Baghdad, Iraq, on Sunday. Iraqi military forces on Monday retook a strategic government complex in the city of Ramadi from Islamic State militants who have occupied the city since May.

WORLD

Iraqi troops advance in Ramadi; some IS remain

Iraqi forces backed by U.S.-led airstrikes drove Islamic State militants out of the center of Ramadi on Monday and seized the main government complex there, according to military officials, who said insurgents are still dug into pockets of the city west of Baghdad.

Ramadi, the provincial capital of the sprawling Anbar province, fell to IS in May, marking a major setback for Iraqi forces and the U.S.-led campaign. Ramadi and nearby Fallujah, which is controlled by IS, saw some of the heaviest fighting of the eight-year U.S. intervention in Iraq.

In recent months Iraqi forces launched several offensives to retake Ramadi, but all had stalled. Iraqi troops began advancing into some parts of the city earlier this month. But their progress was slowed by snipers, booby traps and the militants' destruction of bridges leading into the city

Watchdog: Israel plans more settler homes

An Israeli anti-settlement watchdog group said the government has quietly worked on plans to build more than 8,000 homes in a strategic section of the West Bank near Jerusalem.

Iraqi army advances on Ramadi

The Iraqi military launched a long-promised campaign to retake the city of Ramadi, last week.



Peace Now said the homes are among more than 55,000 housing units at various stages of planning by Israel's Housing Ministry.

In a report, the group said the 8,372 units are envisioned for the strategic area known as E1. The Palestinians strongly object to settlement of the area, saying it would separate a future Palestinian state in the West Bank from east Jerusalem, their hopedfor capital, and drive a wedge between the northern and southern flanks of the West Bank.

Russian diplomat: Russia removes Iran's uranium

Iran has moved closer to next month's expected implementation of a landmark nuclear deal with six world powers by allowing Moscow to transfer most of its enriched uranium to Russia, a senior Russian diplomat told The Associated Press on Monday.

As part of the July 14 deal, Iran must ship out all except about 660 pounds of the close

to nine tons of low-enriched uranium it has stockpiled. Lowenriched uranium is suited to power generation but can be further enriched to arm nuclear warheads.

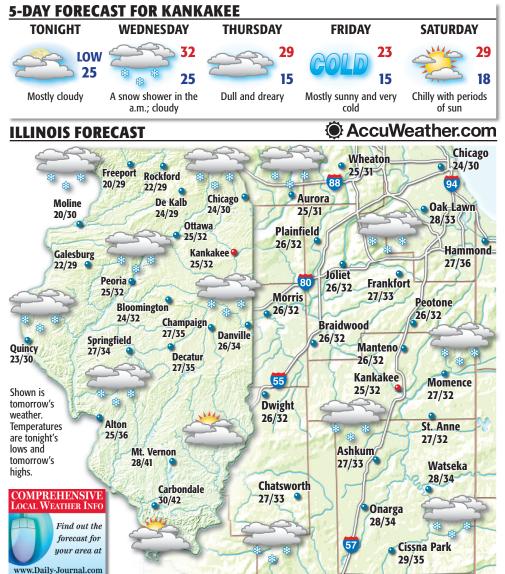
80 killed in Boko Haram attack in Nigeria

Boko Haram Islamic extremists struck the northeastern Nigerian city of Maiduguri for the first time in months Monday with rocket-propelled grenades and multiple suicide bombers, witnesses said. At least 50 people were killed and

the death toll could go higher. Another twin suicide bombing killed at least 30 people in Madagali, a town 95 miles southeast of Maiduguri, witnesses said. Danladi Buba said two women blew themselves up at a market near a busy bus station at about 9 a.m. Brig. Gen. Victor Ezugwu, the officer commanding in northeast Adamawa State, confirmed the attack but said casualties have vet to be established.

In Maiduguri, capital of neighboring Borno state, at least 30 were killed and more than 90 wounded in overnight blasts and shootouts, and another 20 died in a bombing outside a mosque at dawn Monday, said Muhammed Kanar, area coordinator of the National Emergency Management Agency.

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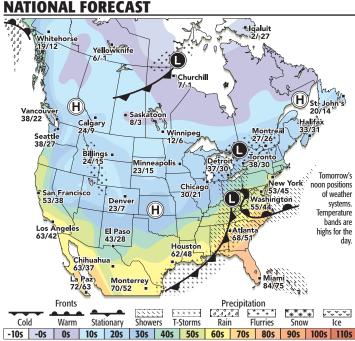


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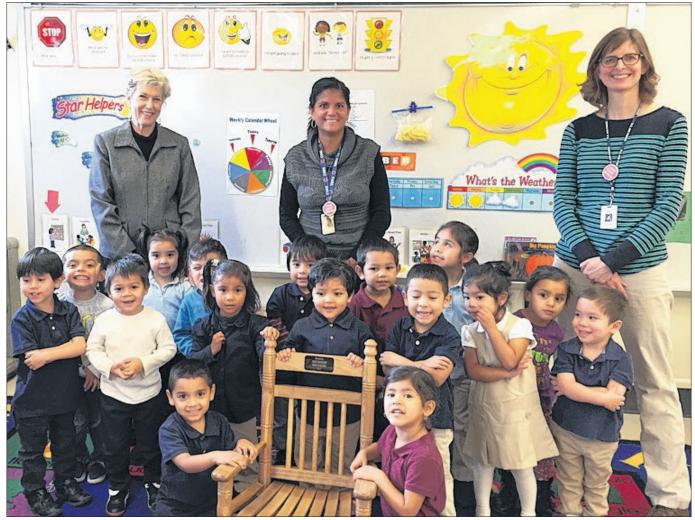
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A rocking donation



Head Start Director Rebecca McBroom, left, and the children in Mrs. Daniels 3- and 4-year-old ESL classroom, take a photo next to a rocking chair donated by the AT&T Pioneer Retirees to the Kankakee program at Millie Proegler School.

Touring history



Submitted photo

Nickolos Brownsey, front, and Julian Johnson, listen to a tour guide talk about the one-room Taylor schoolhouse in Kankakee. The boys are secondgraders at Bradley East School.

Students of the Month



These Nash Middle School students were selected randomly from staff nominations as Students of the Month for their display of Citizenship. Pictured, in the back row, are Makinna Beherns, Carson Perzee, Rachel Thompsen and Noah Dingler. Pictured, in the front row, are Dylan Guthrie, Jathniel Blaylock, Sydney Moore and Nathan Kohn.

Digging new dugouts



Members of the Watseka Ag department helped build new dugouts for the Watseka Girls Softball Field. The Ag Construction and Mechanics classes surveyed, dug, poured and built the walls. Here, building the walls with students, Dale "Butch" Verkler places the block corners on one of the dugouts.

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LOT 16 IN BLOCK 2 VILLAGE MEADOWS SUBDIVISION, BEING A SUBDIVISION OF PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SEC-TION 17, TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 12, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, SITUATED IN KANKAKEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Commonly known as: 127 Meadows Road S, Bourbonnais, Illinois 60914

P.I.N.: 17-09-17-104-017

First Lien Position; Single-Family Residence; Judgment Amount \$121045.97

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PROPERTY ACT.

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THIS LAW FIRM IS DEEMED TO BE A DEBT COLLECTOR. R410 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 21ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT KANKAKEE COUNTY -KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS

> American Portfolio Mortgage Corporation **PLAINTIFF**

Vs.

Tammy C. Beck a/k/a Tammy Beck; et. al. DEFENDANTS

15 CH 00226

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-EN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on 11/25/2015, the Sheriff of Kankakee County, Illinois will on 2/3/16 at the hour of 10:00AM at Kankakee County Courthouse. 450 East Court Street, North Door of courthouse Kankakee, IL 60901, or in a place otherwise designated at the time of sale, County of Kankakee 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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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 21ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT KANKAKEE COUNTY -KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS

U.S. Bank National Association as Trustee for the Certificateholders of Citigroup Mortgage Loan Trust Inc. Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certifi-cates Series 2007-AMC1 PLAINTIFF

Vs.

Melvin Franks Sr. a/k/a Melvin Franks; et. al.
DEFENDANTS

12 CH 00122

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LOT 20 IN WILLOWBROOK ES-TATES PHASE ONE, BEING A SUBDIVISION OF PART OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SEC-TION 15, TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 12 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN KANKA-KEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

PIN 17-09-15-201-020 Improved with Single Family Home

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Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in certified funds, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale

without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court.

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

If the property is located in a common interest community, purchasers other than mortgagees will be required to pay any assessment and legal fees due under the Condomin-ium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1).

If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the 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 evict ing 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 POSSES-SION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER EN-TRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSES-SION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLI-NOIS MORTGAGE FORECLO-SURE LAW.

For information: Examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: Codilis & Associates, P.C., 15W030 North Frontage Road, Suite 100, Pur Bidge Road,

Burr Ridge, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-12-07360. I679189

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT - KANKAKEE **ILLINOIS**

> IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

> > Sylvester Hill, III

FOR CHANGE OF NAME TO

Sylvester-Bey Hill, III Case No 15MR654

NOTICE OF FILING PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME Notice is given you, the public that on December 24, 2015, I will file a Petition for Change of Name in this Court to change my present name of Sylvester Hill, III to the name of Svlvester-Bey Hill, IIÍ.

Dated December, 12/24/15

Sylvester Hill Petitioner

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 21ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT KANKAKEE COUNTY -KANKAKEE. ILLINOIS

U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for Credit Suisse First Boston Mortgage Securities Corp., CSFB Mortgage-Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2005-6
PLAINTIFF

Louis Burrell a/k/a Louis D. Burrell; et. al. **DEFENDANTS**

15 CH 00165 NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-EN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on 10/7/2015, the Door of courthouse Kankakee, IL

Sheriff of Kankakee County, Illinois will on 1/27/16 at the hour of 10:00AM at Kankakee County Court-house, 450 East Court Street, North 60901, or in a place otherwise design nated at the time of sale, County of Kankakee and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

Public Notices

LOT 14 BLOCK 2 IN D. EHRICHS RESUBDIVISION OUTLOT 3 OF DIEDERICH EHRICH'S SUBDIVI-SION OF LOTS 7 AND 8 OF THE ASSOCIATES SECOND ADDITION TO THE TOWN OF KANKAKEE IN KANKAKEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS PIN 16-09-32-201-012 Improved with Residential

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: Kankakee II 60901

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

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

If the property is located in a common interest community, purchasers other than mortgagees will be re-quired to pay any assessment and legal fees due under the Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1).

If the sale is set aside for any rea son, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the de-posit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mort-gagor, 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 POSSES-SION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER EN-TRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSES SION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLI-NOIS MORTGAGE FORECLO-SURE LAW.

For information: Examine the court 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 14-15-08926. I678524

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 21ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
KANKAKEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

U.S.BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR MORT-GAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFI-CATES 1998-R1,

Plaintiff

THE ESTATE OF GEROME J. SU-RALL BY FELICIA S. BARNES F/K/A FELICIA S. SMITH, EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE; UN-KNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF GEROME J. SURALL; CITY OF KANKAKEE; UNKNOWN OWNERS and NON-RECORD

Defendants

CLAIMANTS, 15 CH 262

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGA-TEES OF GEROME J. SURALL UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS

That this case has been commenced in this Court against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclo-sure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as fol

LOT 6 EXCEPT THE NORTH 3 FEET THEREOF IN BLOCK 32 STODDARD'S ADDITION TO THE RIVERVIEW SUBDIVISION TO THE CITY OF KANKAKEE IN KANKA-KEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

> COMMONLY KNOWN AS 980 South Lincoln Avenue, Kankakee, IL 60901

PIN # 16-17-04-324-006

and which said Mortgage was made by:

GEROME J. SURALL DIVORCED AND NOT SINCE REMARRIED, the AND NOT SINCE HEMAHHIED, the Mortgagor(s), to The First Mortgage Corporation as Mortgagee, and re-corded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Kankakee County, Illinois, as Document No. 90-07377: was duly issued out of said Court against you as provided by law and that the said suit is now pending.

NOW, THEREFORE, UNLESS YOU file your answer or otherwise file your appearance in this case in the Office of the Clerk of this Court,

Sandra M. Cianci Clerk of the Circuit Court 450 East Court St., Kankakee, IL 60901

on or before January 21, 2016, A DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU AT ANY TIME AF-TER THAT DAY AND A JUDG-MENT MAY BE ENTERED IN AC CORDANCE WITH THE PRAYER
OF SAID COMPLAINT.

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NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act you are advised that this law firm is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Our File No.: C12-71494 1678876

KOZENY & MCCUBBIN ILLINOIS, LLC. (6315218) Attorneys 105 W. Adams, Suite 1850 Chicago, Illinois 60603 STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY

OF Kankakee, ss – IN THE CIR-CUIT COURT FOR THE 21ST JUDI-CIAL CIRCUIT KANKAKEE COUNTY KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS, BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., Plaintiff, vs. JEREMY O. REYNOLDS, STA-CY A. REYNOLDS, VILLAGE OF BRADLEY, UNKNOWN OWNERS-TENANTS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, et. al., Defendants, Case No. 15 CH 196.
The requisite affidavit for publica-

tion having been filed, notice is here-

by given to you:

Public Notices

UNKNOWN OWNERS-TENANTS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS defendants in the above entitled suit has been commenced in the IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 21ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT KANKAKEE COUNTY KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS, by the said plaintiff against you and other defendants, praying for the fore-closure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as

follows, to-wit:
LOT 19, QUAIL HOLLOW, BEING
A SUBDIVISION OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 21,
TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 12 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL
MERIDIAN, IN KANKAKEE
COUNTY, ILLINOIS.. PIN:
17-09-21-203-019. Commonly
known as: 1354 Dove Court, Brad-

ley, IL 60915, and which said Mortgage was made by JEREMY O. RE-YNOLDS, as Mortgagor(s) to Home-quest Mortgage Corporation, as Mortgagee, and recorded as document number 200413378, and the present owner(s) of the property being JEREMY O. REYNOLDS, and for other relief: that summons was duly issued out of said Court against you as provided by law, and that the said suit is now pending.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said above named defendants, file your answer to the Complaint in the your answer to the complaint in the said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 21ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT KANKAKEE COUNTY KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS, 450 E. Court St., Kankakee, IL 60901 on or before JANUARY 21, 2016 default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint.
Kankakee, Illinois,

cuit Court.
THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COL-LECT A DEBT PURSUANT TO THE FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRAC-TICES ACT, AND ANY INFORMA-TION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Last known addresses:

Clerk of the Kankakee County Cir-

Defendant Address:

MANLEY, DEAS KOCHALSKI, LLC One East Wacker - Suite 1250 Chicago, IL 60601

1354 Dove Court, Bradley, IL 60915

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, KANKAKEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR ADJUSTABLE RATE MORTGAGE TRUST 2005-4, ADJUSTABLE RATE MORTGAGE BACKED PASS THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-4., Plaintiff, v. AMELIA L. HOWERY; UN-KNOWN HEIRS AND LEGA-TEES OF FRANKIE J. HOW-ERY, DECEASED; VELOCITY INVESTMENTS, LLC; UN-KNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, UN-KNOWN OWNERS and NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, Defendants, Case No. 15-CH-256

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you, Unknown Heirs and Legatees of Frankie J. Howery, deceased, Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants, that the said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the 21 Judicial Circuit, Kankakee County, Illinois by the said plaintiff against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit:

The East Sixteen (16) feet of Lot Thirteen (13) and the West Twenty-four (24) of Lot Fourteen Block One (1), in J. Frank Leonard's Subdivision in the City of Kankakee, Kankakee County, Illinois.

1333 East Chestnut Street, Kankakee, IL 60901 16-09-33-323-014

Now, therefore, unless you, Unknown Heirs and Legatees of Frankie J. Howery, deceased, Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants, and the said 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 21 Judicial Circuit, Kankakee County, Illinois, on or before December 18, 2015, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of

said Complaint. Shanna L. Bacher (6302793) MANLEY DÉAS KOCHALSKI LLC Attorneys for Plaintiff One East Wacker, Suite 1250, Chicago, IL 60601 Phone: 312-651-6700; Fax:

614-220-5613

One of Plaintiff's Attorneys

MANLEY, DEAS KOCHALSKI, LLC One East Wacker - Suite 1250 Chicago, IL 60601

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

THE TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, KANKAKEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N. Plaintiff, v. UNKNOWN OWN-ERS AND NON-RECORD CLAI-MANTS; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF JOHN LA RAKERS, DECEASED; MONICA LARAKERS, AKA MONICA D. LARAKERS, AKA MONICA DOWEIKO; DIANE WELENC AKA DIANÉ M. WELENC, AKA DIANE MARIE WELENC, AKA DIANE LARAKERS; KATHE-RINE EDWARDS, AKA KATE EDWARDS, AKA KATHERINE A. LARAKERS, AKA KATHE-RINE ANN LARÁKERS; CLAIRE CHAPINSKY, AS SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE OF JOHN LARAKERS, DECEASED, UN-KNOWN OWNERS and NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, Defendants, Case No. 15CH174

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you, Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants, Unknown Heirs and Legatees of John Larakers, deceased, Monica Larakers, AKA Monica D. Larakers, AKA Monica Doweiko, that the said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the 21 Judicial Circuit. Kankakee County, Illinois by the said plaintiff against you and oth-

er defendants, praying for the

foreclosure of a certain Mortgage

conveying the premises de-

scribed as follows, to-wit:

Lot Five (5), in Block Two (2), Grove Lawn Subdivision, in the City of Kankakee, in Kankákee County, Illinois.

> 342 North 7th Avenue, Kankakee, IL 60901 16-09-32-302-005

Now, therefore, unless you, Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants, Unknown Heirs and Legatees of John La rakers, deceased, Monica Larakers, AKA Monica D. Larakers, AKA Monica Doweiko, and the said 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 21 Judicial Circuit, Kankakee County, IIlinois, on or before February 6, 2016, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of

Shanna L. Bacher (6302793) MANLEY DÈAS KOCHALSKI LLC Attornevs for Plaintiff One East Wacker, Suite 1250, Chicago, IL 60601 Phone: 312-651-6700; Fax: 614-220-5613

NOTICE OF SALE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COUNTY OF KANKAKEE-KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS

> PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff.

SHAREESE R. MCLEMORE AKA SHAREESE ROCHELLE MCLEMORE and CITY OF KANKAKEE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY Defendants

13CH 96 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 1898 MEADOWVIEW AVE. KANKAKEE, IL 60901

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of the above Court entered in the above entitled cause on April 24, 2013, the following described real estate,

Lot 300 and 301, in Sunnyside, being a Subdivision of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of a Subdivision of the land of Harriet A. Clarke in Sections 4 and 9, Township 30 North, Range 13 West of the Second Principal Meridian, as Surveyed by L.C. Looker, County Surveyor, July 31, 1913, in Kankakee County, Illinois.

Commonly known as: 1898 Meadowview Ave. Kankakee, IL 60901

will be offered for sale and sold at public vendue on January 20, 2016 at 10:00 AM, at the First Floor Ro-tunda by the North Door of the Kan-kakee County Courthouse, 450 E. Court Street, Kankakee, Illinois

The Judgment amount is \$85,947.81.

The real estate is improved with a single family residence.

Sale terms: The bid amount, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Munici-pality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or

by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, shall be paid in certified funds immediately by the highest and best bidder at the conclusion of the sale. No fee shall be paid by the mortgag ee acquiring the residential real es tate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the mortgaged real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate, and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to the Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The Sale is further subject to

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

For information, contact the Plaintiff's Attorney: Heavner, Beyers & Mihlar, LLC, 111 East Main Street, Decatur, IL 62523, (217) 422-1719.

The purchaser of a condominium

unit at a judicial foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, who takes possession of a condominium unit pursuant to a court order or a pur-chaser who acquires title from a mortgagee shall have the duty to pay the proportionate share, if any, of the common expenses for the unit which would have become due in the absence of any assessment ac-celeration during the 6 months immediately preceding institution of an action to enforce the collection of assessments, and which remain un-paid by the owner during whose possession the assessments accrued. If the outstanding assessments are paid at any time during any action to enforce the collection of assessments, the purchaser shall have no obligation to pay any assessments which accrued before he or she acguired title. If this property is a con dominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee

If the sale is not confirmed for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale chaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney

shall pay the assessments required

ne Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5 (g-1).

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

ers & Mihlar, LLC, is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt, and any information obtained will be used for that pupose. I679150

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 21ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT KANKA-KEE COUNTY, KANKAKEE, IL

W14-2418

Planet Home Lending, LLC; Plaintiff

Norma J. Doelger; Richard M. Doelger; Defendants.

Judge Presiding

NOTICE OF JUDICIAL SALE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

nois, will on February 3, 2016, at the hour of 10:00 AM at Kankakee County Courthouse, 450 East Court Street, 1st Floor Lobby, Kankakee, IL 60901, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, all and sin-gular, the following described real estate in the said judgment men-tioned, situated in the County of Kankakee, State of Illinois, or so MANKAKEE, IN KANKAKEE

KANKAKEE, IN KANKAKEE

The person to contact regarding information regarding this property is: Sales Dept., The Wirbicki Law Group, 33 W. Monroe St., Suite 1140, Chicago, IL 60603. Any questions regarding this sale should refer to file number W14-2418. The terms of the sale are Cash. 10% at time of sale, with the balance due within 24

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said Complaint.

One of Plaintiff's Attorneys

to-wit:

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fraction thereof of the amount paid

confirmation by the Court.

shall be entitled only to a return of the purchase price paid. The Pur-IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR

Note: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act you are advised that the Law Firm of Heavner, Bey-

14 CH 286

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to a judgment heretofore entered by the said court occurred in the above entitled cause, Sheriff Tim Bukowski, Sheriff of Kankakee, Illi-

COUNTY, ILLINOIS. C/K/A: 932 South 8th Avenue, Kankakee, IL 60901

PIN: 16-17-06-413-003

hours. The property is improved by: SFH. The Property is not open for

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BOURBONNAIS 2 bdrm., **Duplex**, \$775/mo.

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BOURBONNAIS, 3 bdrm. & 2 bdrm. Spacious rooms, prime loc., private quiet community. Newly decorated, all kitchen appl., ceiling fans, window treat-ments, central HVAC. Laundry in master bath. Private balcony &

BOURBONNAIS 854 Gettysburg Ct. Modern 2 bdrm. upper apt. w/balcony, water & sewer incl.

BOURBONNAIS

duplex, \$900 KANKAKEE

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3 bdrm., (duplex) \$750 SUN RIVER TERRACE

ROURBONNAIS basement 1

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33 Eastcourt Village

MANTENO 1460 Raven Drive 2 bdrm, all appliances, balcony, in unit laundry, central air & heat. No pets. No smoking. \$795 mo. + 1 mo. sec. 815-955-9441 Agent Owned

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815-530-6520. MANTENO -large 1 bdrm apt., first level, electric heat, A/C carpeted, appliances furnished laundry facilities available. Security deposit required. 1 year lease. No pets. \$575/mo.

MANTENO, nice large 2 bdrm, Stove, refrig, dishwasher. Pet friendly, laundry in building.

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Real Estate Public Notices

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 101 S. Maple Street Herscher, IL 60941

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due within twenty-four (24) hours. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court.

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

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

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 Mort-gagee or the Mortgagee's

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.

dition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the Court file to verify all

IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAG-OR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION

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

"THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY
INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE W14-2418

Planet Home Lending, LLC;

Norma J. Doelger; Richard M. Doelger; Defendants.

14 CH 286

NOTICE OF JUDICIAL SALE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to a judgment heretofore entered by the said court occurred in the above entitled cause, Sheriff Tim Bukowski, Sheriff of Kankakee, Illi-

Street, 1st Floor Lobby, Kankakee highest bidder for cash, all and singular, the following described real estate in the said judgment mentioned, situated in the County of Kankakee, State of Illinois, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to

C/K/A: 932 South 8th Avenue, Kankakee, IL 60901

PIN: 16-17-06-413-003

The person to contact regarding information regarding this property is: Sales Dept., The Wirbicki Law Group, 33 W. Monroe St., Suite 1140, Chicago, IL 60603. Any questions regarding this sale should refer to file number W14-2418. The terms of the sale are Cash. 10% at time of sale, with the balance due within 24

The real estate, together with all buildings and improvements thereon, and tenements, hereditament and appurtenances thereunto be-longing shall be sold under such terms.

Attorney for Plaintiff 33 W. Monroe St., Suite 1140 Chicago, IL 60603 Phone: 312-360-9455 Fax: 312-572-7823 W14-2418 pleadings.il@wirbickilaw.com 1679938

21ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT KANKAKEE COUNTY -KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE

Citigroup Mortgage Loan Trust Inc. Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates Series 2007-AMC1 PLAINTIFF Vs.

Franks; et. al. DEFENDANTS 12 CH 00122

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-

Real Estate

Sheriff of Kankakee County, Illinois will on 2/3/16 at the hour of 10:00AM at Kankakee County Courthouse, 450 East Court Street, North Door of

> ing described real estate: PIN 17-09-15-201-020

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 1757 Yorktown Drive Bourbonnais, IL 60914

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

If the property is a condominium and the foreclosure takes place after 1/1/2007, purchasers other than the mortgagees will be required to pay any assessment and legal fees due

If the property is located in a com-mon interest community, purchasers other than mortgagees will be re-quired to pay any assessment and legal fees due under the Condomin-

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

estate after Confirmation of the sale The successful purchaser has the sole responsibility/expense of evict-ing 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.

SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLI-NOIS MORTGAGE FORECLO-SURE LAW.

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

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 21ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT KANKAKEE COUNTY -KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS

U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for Credit Suisse First Bos-ton Mortgage Securities Corp., CSFB Mortgage-Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2005-6

Louis Burrell a/k/a Louis D. Burrell; et. al. DEFENDANTS

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-EN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on 10/7/2015, the Sheriff of Kankakee County, Illinois will on 1/27/16 at the hour of 10:00AM at Kankakee County Court-house, 450 East Court Street, North Door of courthouse Kankakee, IL 60901, or in a place otherwise design nated at the time of sale, County of Kankakee and State of Illinois, sell at

following described real estate:

COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 1017 N. Schuyler Avenue Kankakee, IL 60901

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

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

other than mortgagees will be required to pay any assessment and legal fees due under the Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1).

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. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the Court file to verify all information.

TRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSES-

Instruction

es. Available January 15th. \$995 & \$995/sec. dep. 815-370-9530 **BOURBONNAIS,** Highpoint Subdivision, Very nice 2 bdrm, 2 bath, 2 car att. garage, covered patio overlooks pond, snowremoval & mowing included, all appliances incl., washer/dryer, no pets, no smoking, tenant pays utilities, credit & reference check required. Call M-F 8:00 am -5:00

House Rentals

BOURBONNAIS, 297 Bell Aire,

3 bdrm, no garage, fenced yard

w/shed, central air, all applianc-

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pm \$1,250/Mo. 815-697-2361

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815-304-5612 KANKAKEE, 257 N Wildwood 2 bdrm. Security & Alpha report required. Sec 8 welcome. Call Townsend 815-939-7716

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Real Estate

Townhouse/Condo

Public Notices F15050071 WELLS IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 21ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT KANKAKEE COUNTY KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS

Wells Fargo Bank, NA Plaintiff, VS. Kristy J. Arnold aka Kristy Jo Arnold aka Krsity Jo Beedle; Dan Arnold aka Daniel P. Arnold; Unknown

CASE NO. 15 CH 157 Property Address: 127 Meadows Road S, Bourbonnais, Illinois 60914 NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE

Owners and Non-Record Claimants Defendants

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a judgment of said Court entered in the above-entitled cause on November 18, 2015, I, Sheriff, Tim Bukowski of Kankakee County, Illinois, will hold a sale on January 20, 2016, commencing at 10:00am, at the Kankakee County Courthouse, 450 East Court Street, Kankakee, IL 60901, to sell to the highest bidder or bidders the following described real estate, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to

satisfy said decree, to-wit: Commonly known as: 127 Meadows Road S, Bourbonnais, Illinois 60914

P.I.N.: 17-09-17-104-017

First Lien Position; Single-Family Residence; Judgment Amount \$121045.97 IN ACCORDANCE WITH 735 ILCS 5/15-1507(c)(1)(H-1) AND (H-2), 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(5), AND 765 ILCS NOTIFIED THAT THE PURCHAS ER OF THE PROPERTY, OTHER
THAN A MORTGAGEE, SHALL

GAL FEES REQUIRED BY SUB-SECTIONS (g)(1) AND (g)(4) OF SECTION 9 AND THE ASSESS-MENTS REQUIRED BY SUBSEC-TION (g-1) OF SECTION 18.5 OF THE ILLINOIS CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY ACT.
Terms of Sale: CASH - 10% down at the time of sale and the balance

PAY THE ASSESSMENTS AND LE

due within 24 hours of the sale. All payments for the amount bid shall be in certified funds payable to the Sheriff of Kankakee County.

The person to contact for information regarding this property is: Sales Department at ANSELMO LINDBERG OLIVER LLC 1771 West Diehl Road, Suite 120, Naperville, II. 60563 (866)402-8661. For bidding

instructions, visit www.alolaw-group.com 24 hours prior to sale This communication is an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that pur-

ANSELMO LINDBERG OLIVER LLC 1771 W. Diehl Rd., Ste 120 Naperville, IL 60563-4947 630-453-6960, 866-402-8661, 630-428-4620 (fax)

Attorney No. Cook 58852, DuPage 293191, Kane 031-26104, Peoria 1794, Winnebago 3802, IL 03126232

THIS LAW FIRM IS DEEMED TO BE A DEBT COLLECTOR. R410 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 21ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT KANKAKEE COUNTY -

American Portfolio Mortgage In Portion ... Corporation PLAINTIFF

Vs.

Tammy C. Beck a/k/a Tammy

KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS

Beck; et. al. DEFENDANTS 15 CH 00226

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judg-

ment of Foreclosure and Sale

entered in the above cause on 11/25/2015, the Sheriff of Kankakee County, Illinois will on 2/3/16 at the hour of 10:00AM at Kankakee County Courthouse, 450 East Court Street, North Door of courthouse Kankakee, IL 60901. or in a place otherwise designat ed at the time of sale, County of Kankakee and State of Illinois sell at public auction to the high est bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described

> PIN 14-14-29-404-007 Improved with Residential

Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1).

attorney.

The property will NOT be open for inspection and Plaintiff makes no representation as to the coninformation.

15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW.

refer to file number 14-14-11707.1679188

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 21ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT KANKA-KEE COUNTY, KANKAKEE, IL

Judge Presiding

nois, will on February 3, 2016, at the hour of 10:00 AM at Kankakee County Courthouse, 450 East Court IL 60901, sell at public auction to the

satisfy such judgment to wit:

hours. The property is improved by SFH. The Property is not open for inspection prior to sale.

The Wirbicki Law Group LLC

U.S. Bank National Association as Trustee for the Certificateholders of

Melvin Franks Sr. a/k/a Melvin

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

EN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on 1/30/2013, the

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2015 DAILY JOURNAL C3

courthouse Kankakee, IL 60901, or in a place otherwise designated at the time of sale, County of Kankakee and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the follow-

Improved with Single Family Home

to confirmation by the court.

ium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1).

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

IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSES-SION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER EN-TRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSES-SION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH

number 14-12-07360. I679189

PLAINTIFF

15 CH 00165 NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the

PIN 16-09-32-201-012 Improved with Residential

Sale terms: 10% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of

If the property is located in a common interest community, purchasers

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 Mort-gagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount

The property will NOT be open for inspection and Plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of

IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSES-SION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER EN-

under The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4)

For information: Examine the court



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SION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLI-NOIS MORTIGAGE FORECLO-SURE LAW.

For information: Examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: Co-dilis & Associates, P.C., 15W030 North Frontage Road, Suite 100, Burr Ridge, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-15-08926. I678524 NOTICE OF SALE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COUNTY OF KANKA-KEE-KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS

PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,

VS.

SHAREESE R. MCLEMORE AKA SHAREESE ROCHELLE MCLEMORE and CITY OF KANKAKEE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

13CH 96 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 1898 MEADOWVIEW AVE. KANKAKEE, IL 60901

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of the above Court entered in the above entitled cause on April 24, 2013, the following described real estate,

Permanent Index Number: 16-17-04-409-019 fka 17-04-409-008 and 17-04-409-009

Commonly known as: 1898 Meadowview Ave., Kankakee, IL 60901

will be offered for sale and sold at public vendue on January 20, 2016 at 10:00 AM, at the First Floor Rotunda by the North Door of the Kan-kakee County Courthouse, 450 E. Court Street, Kankakee, Illinois

The Judgment amount is \$85,947.81.

815-935-7900

TERRY'S FORD Rt 50, Peotone 708-258-9200

Real Estate Real Estate Public Notices

The real estate is improved with a single family residence Sale terms: The bid amount, includ-

ing the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality 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, shall be paid in certified funds immediate ly by the highest and best bidder at the conclusion of the sale. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the mortgaged real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate, and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to the Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condi-

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 Sale is further subject to confirmation by the Court.

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

For information, contact the Plaintiff's Attorney: Heavner, Beyers & Mihlar, LLC, 111 East Main Street Decatur, IL 62523, (217) 422-1719

The purchaser of a condominium unit at a judicial foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, who takes possession of a condominium unit pursuant to a court order or a pur chaser who acquires title from a mortgagee shall have the duty to pay the proportionate share, if any, of the common expenses for the unit which would have become due in the absence of any assessment ac celeration during the 6 months immediately preceding institution of an

action to enforce the collection of as-

Real Estate Public Notices

sessments, and which remain un-paid by the owner during whose possession the assessments accrued. If the outstanding assessments are paid at any time during any action to enforce the collection of assess-ments, the purchaser shall have no obligation to pay any assessments which accrued before he or she acquired title. If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by the Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5 (g-1).

If the sale is not confirmed for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the purchase price paid. The Purchase price paid. The Purchase price paid. chaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgager, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney

IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSES-SION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER EN-TRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSES-SION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701 (c) OF THE ILLI-NOIS MORTGAGE FORECLO-SURE LAW.

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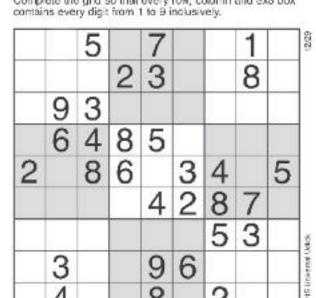
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BY JACQUELINE BIGAR The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have:

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Tonight: Meet up with friends and hang out. **SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) ★★★★ You'll feel as if someone really cares. This person has a way of letting this be known, which makes you smile. It could be just a simple expression of support, but that seems to make all the difference. Use caution with your finances. Tonight: In the limelight.

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A friend could disappoint

you with his or her lack of

responsiveness. If you are not pleased with what you see, recognize that there still are alternatives. Tonight: Not among the crowds. PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★★ Listen to news with an open mind. The unexpected is likely to occur. You can't seem to make a loved one happy, no matter how hard you try. Be more forthright in how you handle your interactions with this person. Assess your finances. Tonight: Avoid a risk, even if

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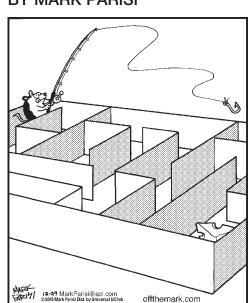
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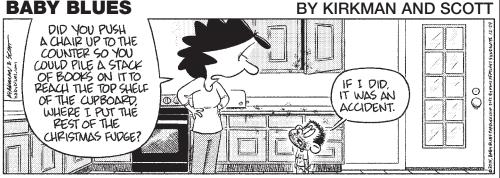
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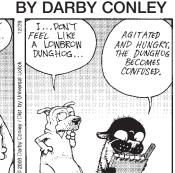
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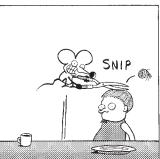






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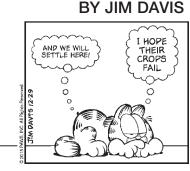
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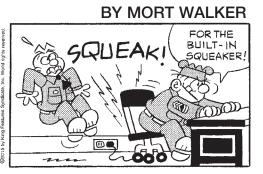
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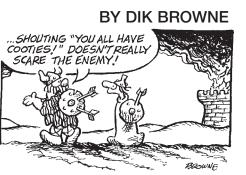
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The customer review is broken

Validity comes into question

BY SPENCER SOPER AND JING CAO **Bloomberg News**

SEATTLE — Like many people, Jared Andrews finds online customer reviews frustrating and often unhelp-

"There's usually someone who absolutely loves the product and someone else who absolutely hates it, which makes you wonder if the person who loves it is also the person selling it," said Andrews, 34, a database administrator in Seattle.

Andrews typifies the love-hate relationship American consumers have with customer reviews, which for better and worse — have come to define the online shopping experience. People count on them to find the perfect Christmas gift and the best burger joint. Yet they hate navigating through anonymous reviews including suspiciously over-the-top rants and raves — in search of meaningful insights.

Growing skepticism about the validity of online reviews is a challenge for companies like Yelp and Angie's List, which have both lost favor on Wall Street. Waiting in the wings are heavyweights Facebook and IBM, as

well as startups like MunchAdo and sort the reviews into "recommended," Mona, all vowing to deploy new technology that makes reviews more useful and prevents unscrupulous businesses from gaming the system with

When Yelp arrived in 2004, it was one of the first companies to build a successful business entirely around online reviews and apply the concept to the service industry. Today, the San Francisco-based company attracts 168 million monthly visitors looking for feedback about hair salons, taco shops and a host of other businesses.

All those eyeballs haven't insulated Yelp, however. Amid growing competition for the local ads that generate about 45 percent of sales, the company cut its revenue forecast in late July. prompting a selloff that erased a quarter of its value. The shares have yet to recover.

Yelp is a prime example of what ails the online review business. The company has a history of controversy, from allegations of receiving payment to remove negative reviews and push up positive ones to misrepresenting its business to inflate the stock. Last month, Yelp won the dismissal of a lawsuit alleging it misled shareholders about expectations for growth.

After complaints early on that its reviews were unhelpful, the company has tried to curate them. Algorithms

which appear front and center, and "not recommended," which are hidden from view (though findable by clicking a conspicuously inconspicuous button) and don't affect the rating. Consumers and businesses alike have griped about the filtering process reviewers because they feel their opinions are being unfairly stifled; businesses because they feel misrep-

In October, South Park, the influential animated comedy series, satirized the growing tension between businesses and the site's anonymous reviewers, who can tank sales with one scathing comment. In "You're Not Yelping," Cartman plays a Yelp reviewer trying to extort free Mexican food in exchange for a five-star review. Aping eateries in the show, some real-world restaurateurs have begun posting "No Yelper" signs in their premises.

TOO MUCH POWER

resented.

Julie Markert, who owns an Oak Forest florist called Catherine's Gardens, says the ability to obfuscate comments without clear standards and processes gives Yelp too much power to shape a business's image. For her business, as many as 46 individuals' opinions aren't accounted for in the Yelp rating. Instead, 16 form the basis of the shop's 2.5 stars. Markert says she's isn't looking for 100 percent approval but wants a more balanced view of her business.

"To be fairly portrayed is really all you can ask," she said in an interview.

Yelp says it helps small businesses get discovered by more people, helping them compete against chain restaurants with bigger marketing budgets. To make reviews more useful for consumers, the site now shows whether a rating is trending up or down — a way to gauge whether or not a given business is making changes based on reviewer feedback.

As Yelp struggles, others see an opportunity to improve the customer and business experience.

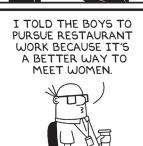
Facebook is experimenting with a feature that lets users search for local businesses, including nail salons, take-out restaurants and plumbers, and see results that include customer reviews and star rankings. The feature looks to add the credibility of reviews linked to someone's social networking account as opposed to an anonymous profile.

The concept appeals to Markert, who savs consumers using Facebook better understand the personality and preferences of the person offering advice and have more information than a one-off review can ever

DILBERT

BY SCOTT ADAMS







Pay-as-you-go is a great way to g

It's not easy being a consumer these days. In fact, it can be downright confusing because of all the payment choices. First, you have your cash, your checkbook, credit and debit cards. And then, you have deferred billing, skip-a-payment, nothing down, no payments and/or zero interest till the next decade. See? Confu-**MARY HUNT** sion, pure and simple.

Prehistoric consum-**EVERYDAY** ers had it easy. Just **CHEAPSKATE** one choice: chickens. They traded poultry for things they needed. The rules were simple: No fowl? No food, fuel, fun or futons for that matter

Then, along came the invention of currency and that gave consumers a second choice — one that caught on

quickly because folding a chicken to fit neatly into one's wallet was rather messy

> was both the day some unknown retailer came up with a payment plan, surely named in memory of the good ol' chicken days: Layaway. You might be wondering what happened

A third option

to layaway, anyway! Not that long ago, every major retail store in the country allowed customers to buy merchandise on layaway. The item was placed in the back room and customers could take all the time they needed to pay it off ... interest free. And when they made the last payment, they took the item

Layaway was simpler and more upfront than credit card purchasing; there was a start and a finish. There was delayed gratification as well as a sense of responsibility and anticipation. With layaway, there were no sur-

Without much notice, layaway programs started to disappear in the 1980s. Jumping on the consumer credit bandwagon, retailers convinced

consumers it was better to take everything home right away, avoid those annoying progress payments and then commence to pay for the next 15 or 20 years. Retailers did such a good job of convincing that layaway plans all but disappeared.

You'll be happy to know that a good number of your favorite national chain stores have reintroduced layaway:

- Toys R Us/Babies R Us
- GameStop
- Kmart Sears
- Wal-Mart
- Burlington Coat Factory/ **Baby Depot**
- Marshalls
- T.J. Maxx
- eLayaway (Online only)

While cash up front always will be the best choice, in your columnist's humble opinion, making payments on layaway is much better than making payments on a credit card account because

- 1. The store keeps the items until they are paid in full. No debt is incurred.
- 2. There are no interest charges, although some stores have a small layaway service fee and a restocking fee if you cancel.

3. Typically, the customer

- is protected if the item goes on sale during the layaway period and the price of the time is reduced accordingly.
- 4. There is no legal obligation. If you change your mind, you get a refund.

To avoid misunderstandings, get specific information about a store's layaway terms before you participate. Ask for a written description of the store's plan and read it before you agree to a layaway purchase.

No matter how you choose to do your gift shopping in the coming year, make sure you start early. And pay as you go with cash or layaway, which remains just slightly more convenient than chick-

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BOYS HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL: HERSCHER 48, CENTRAL 45 (OT)

Stuart's buzzer-beater gives Herscher a wild win

Tigers overcome Central in overtime

BY STEVE SOUCIE

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Herscher coach Ron Oloffson is hoping to establish a certain level of grit with his young, largely inexperienced basketball team.

But this is getting ridiculous.
The Tigers needed a 3-point basket from Tyler Stuart as time expired in the final seconds of overtime to capture a hard-fought 48-45 win in the opening round of play at the Kankakee Holiday Tournament on Monday.

"We survived. That's it," Herscher coach Ron Oloffson said. "I don't really know what else to say about it."

Herscher (5-5) already was playing without the team's secondleading scorer, Tate Datweiler, who broke his hand in a team shootaround on Sunday and then lost leading scorer Luke Hertz in the fourth quarter because of fouls.

But the Tigers still figured out a way to collect the win, but nearly squandered a six-point, late fourth quarter lead to a Central team that finally found a way to get a few points on the board after scuffling most of the game.

A litany of made free throws by Central allowed the Comets (2-8) their Kankakee Holid game Monday night.

to erase that deficit and force the extra frame. But a big 3-pointer by Jake Fox followed by a breakout layup yet again by Fox gave Herscher control early in the overtime.

But Central responded one more time on a pair of free throws from Jared Meents that tied the score at 45. The Comets also had a chance to win the game before a loose ball scrum gave Herscher possession with just under five seconds to play in the game.

Herscher quickly found Stuart in the corner who drained the game winner as time expired.

"We don't have a lot of guys that are very experienced or have had a lot of success in basketball, and you could tell that we don't know how to win basketball games," Central coach Josh Sertich said. "But I fault myself; we weren't really ready to deal with their 1-3-1. It's on me."

Daily Journal/Scott Anderson Right: Herscher's Ryan Walsh attempts to block the shot by Central's Zach Washington during their Kankakee Holiday Tournament

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RON OLOFFSON, HERSCHER COACH



BOYS HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL: BRADLEY-BOURBONNAIS 62, ANDREW 45

Hollywood's double-double highlights BBCHS victory

Senior posts 20 points, 11 rebounds against Andrew

BY ALLAN SCARABELLO

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Bradley-Bourbonnais started off its post Christmas play on the right foot at the Kankakee Holiday Tournament.

The Boilermakers were tested in the first half, but cruised in the second half to defeat Andrew 62-45 in its opening game of Maroon Division pool play on Monday.

Andrew cut the Boilermakers lead to six points, but a 9-0 run to end the third quarter sealed the deal for Bradley-Bourbonnais.

"We had better ball movement and better people movement. We got easier looks, and we made some shots," BBCHS coach Alex Renchen said. "Sometimes we try to do too much too soon. I didn't invent this stuff. If we have more sides [moving the ball around], we're going to have an easier look."

Micah Bradford scored the final two baskets, and Zach Hollywood had one and Colin BeDell nailed a 3-pointer to highlight the run.

The first half was a different story for Bradley.

Hollywood scored early and often in the first quarter scoring the team's first eight points, but the rest of the Boilermakers took a bit of time to get going.

Renchen gave credit to the Thunderbolts for that.

"They're scrappy guys," Renchen said. "They were doing a good job attacking the back of our zone. I think they did a nice job posting up bigger guys against the zone."

Andrew had no answer for Hollywood, who finished with a game-high 20 points and 11 rebounds.

"I thought he stepped out and hit some early shots," Renchen said. "It helped us because we weren't scoring much at all."



Daily Journal/Scott Anderso

Bradley-Bourbonnais' Dante Emmerson attempts a shot as Andrew's DeShaun Bechstein defends during their Kankakee Holiday Tournament game Monday night.

"We need to all pull the rope the same way. That's what will help us win, and executing the things that we try to do every day in practice.

We're not there yet."

BBCHS COACH ALEX RENCHEN

fourth quarter but never got any closer.
Bradford finished with 15 points for Bradley-Bourbonnais.

ecause we weren't scoring much at all." The Boilermakers will take on Julian Andrew cut the deficit to 10 points in the today in its second pool play game.

"We need to all pull the rope the same way," Renchen said. "That's what will help us win, and executing the things that we try to do every day in practice. We're not there yet."

BOYS H.S. BASKETBALL: MOMENCE 47,

Momence flashes potential against Manteno

BY STEVE SOUCIE

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MANTENO 35

The Momence basketball team is a young

And at times it shows the flashes of potential that could lead to some good things.

For now, those flashes are infrequent and not as long as coach Kevin Ecker would like, but there were enough of them on Monday morning to allow Momence to capture a 47-35 victory over Manteno in the opening game of the Kankakee

Holiday Tournament.

The third quarter was the turning point of the

Momence outscored Manteno 11-4 in the frame, forcing multiple turnovers, and after allowing a Keegan Mraz field goal to start the second half, it didn't allow another field goal for

the rest of the quarter.

"Defensively, we really hung our hat on this game," Ecker said. "Offensively is going to still be a struggle for us, but if we can cover the floor like that defensively, that's going to be something

At one point that defensive intensity allowed Momence (4-5) to build a 14-point lead, but Manteno (2-8) mounted a late rally.

Gavin Zimbelman led Manteno on a scoring rush that pulled them to within four points with 4:52 to play on a pair of Skyler Schulteis free throws. But Momence would make just enough plays to hold Manteno off at arm's length.

Dazhee Horton led Momence with 16 points. Zimbelman (12 points) and Schulteis (10 points) accounted for nearly all of Manteno's offense as the Panthers scuffled shooting the ball going 11 for 41 from the floor. Most of those problems stemmed from the fact that until late in the game Manteno (2-8) seemed to lack a go-to guy on the offensive end and the team seemed tentative.

"That's been our problem all year," Manteno coach Doug Wenzel said. "We've really lacked a go-to guy when we need a bucket. I thought we gave ourselves enough opportunities to win this game, but we just didn't put the ball in the hole."

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Houston
LSU (8-3) vs. Texas Tech (7-5), 8 p.m. (ESPN) Wednesday

Birmingham (Ala.) Bowl Auburn (6-6) vs. Memphis (9-3), 11 a.m. (ESPN) Belk Bowl

Charlotte, N.C.
N.C. State (7-5) vs. Mississippi State (8-4),

2:30 p.m. (ESPN) Music City Bowl

Nashville, Tenn. Texas A&M (8-4) vs. Louisville (7-5), 6 p.m.

Holiday Bowl San Diego

consin (9-3) vs. Southern Cal (8-5), 9:30 p.m. (ESPN)

Thursday Atlanta

Houston (12-1) vs. Florida State (10-2), 11 Cotton Bowl Classic (Playoff Semifinal)

Arlington, Texas No. 3 seed Michigan State (12-1) vs. No. 2 seed Alabama (12-1), 3 p.m. (ESPN) Orange Bowl (Playoff Semifinal)

Miami Gardens, Fla.
No. 4 seed Oklahoma (11-1) vs. No. 1 seed Clemson (13-0), 7 p.m. (ESPN) Friday
Outback Bowl

Tamna, Fla. Northwestern (10-2) vs. Tennessee (8-4), 11 a.m. (ESPN2)

Citrus Bowl **Orlando, Fla.** Michigan (9-3) vs. Florida (10-3), noon (ABC) Fiesta Bowl

Glendale, Ariz. Notre Dame (10-2) vs. Ohio State (11-1), noon (ESPN)

Rose Bow Pasadena, Calif. lowa (12-1) vs. Stanford (11-2), 4 p.m. (ESPN) Sugar Bowl

New Orleans Oklahoma State (10-2) vs. Mississippi (9-3), 7:30 p.m. (ESPN) Saturday

TaxSlayer Bowl Jacksonville, Fla.
Penn State (7-5) vs. Georgia (9-3), 11 a.m.

Memphis, Tenn. Kansas State (6-6) vs. Arkansas (7-5), 2:20

Alamo Bowl San Antonio Oregon (9-3) vs. TCU (10-2), 5:45 p.m. (ESPN)

Cactus Bowl Phoenix est Virginia (7-5) vs. Arizona State (6-6),

9:15 p.m. (ESPN) Monday, Jan. 11

College Football Championship Game Glendale, Ariz. Semifinal winners, 7:30 p.m. (ESPN)

Basketball

College women Kankakee Community College 83, Danville 76 KCC (23-16-17-17): Albert 9 4-6 23, Sherrill 7 0-0 14, Thaxton 6 0-0 12, Finnin 3 3-3 10, Jackson 3 2-2 8. Pfister 1 2-2 5. Meiss 2 0-0 4, Overbey 1 0-0 2, Welch 1 0-0 2, Pearce 0 2-4 2, Evans 0 1-2 1. Totals 33 14-19 83 Danville (17-27-13-19): Totals 27 11-19 76 Team Record: KCC 12-2. 3-point goals: KCC 3 (Finnin, Albert, Pfister), Danville 11 High school boys

Kankakee Holiday Tournament

Momence 47, Manteno 35 Momence (12-10-11-14): Horton 5 3-4 16, Lamar Lillard 2-6 4-4 9 Gonzalez 2 1-2 7 Lamarius Lillard 3 0-0 6, Stewart 1 3-4 5, Rakeam Coleman 1 0-0 2, Raheam Coleman 1 0-0 2. Haut 0 0-0 0, Chouinard 0 0-0 0, Simpson 0 0-0 0. Totals 15 11-14 47. **Manteno (5-12-4-14):** Zimbelman 4 2-3 12, Schulteis 2 4-4 10. Mraz 2 2-2 6. Duvall 2 1-2 5, McCorkle 1 0-0 2, Cooper 0 0-2 0, Burgeson 0 0-0 0, Hopf 0 0-0 0, Derossett 0.0 0 Totals 11 9-13 35 Team records: Momence (4-5), Manteno (2-8). 3-point goals: Momence 6 (Horton 3. Gonzalez 2. Lamar Lillard): Manteno 4 (Zimbelman 2, Schulteis 2).

Chicago Vocational 71, Thornridge 45

Vocational (18-19-19-15): Smith 9 5-6 27 Bell 5 2-4 12, Mason 4 2-2 11, Allen 3 2-4 10, McAfee 0 4-6 4, Tiffith 2 0-0 4, Molsby 1 0-0 2 Nichols 0 1-2 1 K Williams 0 0-1 0, J. Williams 0 0-0 0, Shelton 0 0-0 0. Totals 24 16-25 71.

Thornridge (11-10-10-14): Woods 3 5-5 12, McCall 3 3-4 9, Edwards 2 2-2 6, Steven 2 2-4 6, Moore 2-5 1-5 5, Clark 1 0-0 3. Witherspoon 1 1-2 3. Collins 0 1-2 1, Whitehead 0 0-0 0, Randle 0 0-0 0, Mitchell 0 0-0 0. Totals 14-48 15-24 45 3-point goals: Vocational 7 (Smith 4, Allen 2, Mason), Thornridge 2 (Woods, Clark).

Illiana Christian 81, Grant Park 37

Illiana Christian (34-16-19-12): Kimmel 8 0-0 16, Hofstra 6 3-4 15, Jonkman 5 2-2 13, Zandstra 2 4-4 8, Vree 3 0-1 6, Lytle 2 0-0 5. Schaaf 2 0-0 4. Beezhold 2 0-0 4. Eenigenburg 2 0-0 4, Hillegonds 1 0-0 2, Gaddis 1 0-0 2, Gibson 1 0-1 2, Detmar 0 0-0 0. Totals 35 9-12 81.

Grant Park (7-4-13-13): Kuhn 5 1-2 13, Jacobson 3 0-0 9, Dumas 2 0-0 4, Schneider 2 0-1 4, Loitz 1 0-0 3, Hamann 1 0-0 2, Weissgerber 0 1-2 1, Lehnert 0 1-2 1. Totals 14 3-7 37.

Team records: Illiana Christian (9-3) Grant Park (2-8). 3-point goals: Illiana Christian 2 (Jonkman, Lytle); Grant Park 6 (Kuhn 2, Jacobson 3, Loitz).

Seton Academy 60, Bremen 32 Bremen: White 5 0-0 10, Jordan 3 2-2 8 Lawrey 2 2-2 7. Stokes 1 1-2 3. Gray 1 0-1 2, Berry 0 2-2 2, Greenlaw 0 0-0 0, LaMotte 0 0-0 0, Hamilton 0 0-0 0, Burns 0 0-0 0, Williams 0 0-0 0. Totals 12 7-9 32. **Seton Academy:** Williams 3 4-4 10, Feix 3 2-2 9, Freeman 2 5-5 9, Haskins 3 1-4 7, Iheiirika 1 5-6 7, Perdue 2 2-2 6, Houston 1 3-3 5, Higgins 0 3-4 3, Morris 1 1-1 3, Alexander 0 1-2 1, Hite 0 0-0 0, Motley 0 0-1 0, Mamon 0 0-0 0, Ihejirika 0 0-0 0. Totals 16 27-34 60. 3-point goals: Bremen 1 (Lawrey), Seton

Academy 1 (Felix). Herscher 48, Central 45 (OT) Herscher (9-7-12-12-8): Stuart 4 3-4 12, Jarnagin 4 2-2 10. Walsh 3 3-5 9. Fox 3 0-0 8, Hertz 2 0-0 4, Berns 1 0-1 3, Engleman 1-3 0-0 2, Jones 0 0-0 0, Galeaz

0 0-0 0. Totals 18 8-12 48. **Central (14-7-5-14-5):** Washington 5 6-9 16, Willis 3 2-2 10, Meents 2 3-4 8, Miller 2 0-2 5. Hendricks 1 0-0 3. Peters 1 0-0 3. Grice 0 0-0 0. Totals 14 11-17 45. Team records: Herscher (5-5), Central (2-8). 3-point goals: Herscher 4 (Fox 2, Stuart Berns), Central 6 (Willis 2, Meents, Miller, Hendricks, Peters).

Bradlev-Bourbonnais 62. Andrew 45 Bradley-Bourbonnais (13-15-14-20): Hollywood 8 2-2 20, Bradford 6 1-2 15, Emerson 4 1-2 9, BeDell 3 2-2 9, Duckworth 1 5-5 7, Pendleton 1 0-2 2, Adams 0 0-0 0, Henning 0 0-0 0. Totals 23 11-15 62. Andrew (10-11-6-18): Krutilla 6 2-3 14. Mourillon 3 4-5 10, Yerkes 2 0-0 6, Meter 2 0-0 6, Bechstein 2 0-0 4, DeHaan 1 0-2 2, Christner 1 0-0 2, Shaibe 0 1-2 1

Daifallah 0 0-0 0, Gosa-Coleman 0 0-0 0, Jreisat 0 0-0 0. Totals 17 7-12 45. Team records: Bradley-Bourbonnais (6-3), Andrew (3-5). 3-point goals: Bradley-Bourbonnais 5 (Hollywood 2, Bradford 2, BeDell), Andrew 4 (Yerkes 2, Meter 2),

Peotone 55, St. Anne 34
Peotone (16-18-13-8): Maupin 5 2-2 15. Gasik 5 0-0 12. C. Mahood 2 3-5 7 Vincent 1 3-4 5, Wenzel 2 1-3 5, Fuss 2 0-0 4, Moreno 0 2-2 2, T. Mahood 1 0-0 2, McGrath 1 0-0 2, Merigold 0 1-2 1, Kelly 0 0-0 0, Bottoms 0 0-0 0, Panning 0 0-0 0, Amaskane 0 0-0 0. Totals 19 12-18 55. **St. Anne (4-5-10-15):** DeYoung 4 1-1 9, Sullivan 4 1-2 9, Burling 1 2-2 4, Davis 0 4-6 4, Robinson 1 0-0 3, Ward 0 2-2 2, Ellis 1 0-0 2, Pickens 0 1-2 1, Pomaranski 0 0-0 0, McCottrell 0 0-0 0, Johnson 0 0-0 0, Rodriguez 0 0-0 0. Totals 11 11-15 34. Team records: Peotone (9-2), St. Anne (4-5). 3-point goals: Peotone 5 (Maupin 3, Gasik 2); St. Anne 1 (Robinson).

(NWB) (13th place)

(NWB) (11th place)

(USCC)

p.m. (SC)

(SC) (3rd place)

(SC) (championship)

Monday's results Hall 72, Midland 46

Woodland 74. Tri-Point 56

Serena 53, St. Benedict 50

Lamoille-Ohio 58, Hartem 54

Putnam County 62, Gardner-South

Wilmington 57 Reed-Custer 89, Leland-Earlville 44

Today

G17: Midland vs. Tri-Point, 9 a.m. G18: St. Benedict vs. Hartem, 10:30 a.m.

G20: Serena vs. Lamoille-Ohio, 1:30 p.m. G21: Gardner-South Wilmington vs. Leland-

G23: #4 Putman County vs. #1 Reed-Custer,

Wednesday

G24: #2 Flanagan-Cornell vs. #3 Dwight,

G25: Loser G17 vs. Loser G18, 9 a.m.

(15th place) G26: Winner G17 vs. Winner G18, 10:30

a.m. (13th place) G27: Loser G19 vs. Loser G20, Noon (11th

G28: Winner G19 vs. Winner G20, 1:30

G30: Winner G1 vs. Winner G22, 5 p.m.

G31: Loser G23 vs. Loser G24, 6:30 p.m.

G32: Winner G23 vs. Winner G4, 8 p.m. (title)

Plano Christmas Classic

Monday's results

Hinckley-Big Rock vs. Forreston, Postponed

LaSalle-Peru def. Genoa-Kingston, forfeit

Burlington Central 65, Aurora Christian 56

Today
G21: Hinckley-Big Rock vs. Forreston, TBD

G33: Princeton vs. Mendota, 9 a.m. (Main) G34: Yorkville vs. Chicago Hope, 10:30

G36: St. Bede vs. Streator, 2 p.m. (Main) G37: Kaneland vs. Genoa-Kingston, 3:30

p.m. (Main) G38: Ottawa vs. Aurora Christian, 5:30 p.m.

G40: #6 Dixon vs. #2 Burlington Central,

G41: Loser G21 vs. Somonauk, 8:30 a.m.

G43: Loser G23 vs. Loser G24, 11:30 a.m.

(Aux, 23rd place) G42: Winner G21 vs. Coal City, 10 a.m.

(Aux, 19th place) G44: Loser G33 vs. Loser G34, 1 p.m.

(Aux, 15th place) G45: Winner G33 VS. Winner G34, 9 a.m.

G46: Loser G35 vs. Loser G36, 10:30 a.m.

(Main, 11th place) G47: Winner G35 vs. Winner G36, 1:45

p.m. (Main, 9th place) G48: Winner G23 vs. Winner G24, 12:15 p.m. (Main, 17th place)

G49: Loser G37 vs. Loser G38, 3:15 p.m.

(Main, 7th place) G50: Winner G37 vs. Winner G38, 5 p.m.

G51: Loser G39 vs. Loser G40, 6:30 p.m.

G52: Winner G39 vs. Winner G40, 8 p.m (Main, Championship)

Wilmington 57, Southland 49

Donovan 60, Morgan Park Academy 38 Decatur Christian 67, Southland 55

Wilmington 62, Donovan 61, OT

Academy, no score reported

Today

Donovan vs. Southland, 4 p.m.

Decatur Christian vs. Morgan Park

Donovan Holiday Tournament

Southland vs. Morgan Park Academy, 10 a.m.

Decatur Christian vs. Donovan, 11:30 a.m.

Morgan Park Academy vs. Wilmington, 1 p.m.

Monday's results

G39: #4 Newark vs. #1 LaSalle-Peru, 7

8:30 p.m. (Main)

Wednesday

(Aux, 21st place)

(Main, 13th place)

(Main. 5th place)

(Main, 3rd place)

G35: Sandwich vs. Lisle, 12:30 p.m. (Main)

until Tuesday
Coal City 56, Somonauk 55

Lisle 75, Mendota 48 St. Bede 43, Yorkville 40 Streator 57, Chicago Hope 32

Newark 66, Kaneland 62

Dixon 57, Ottawa 50

a.m. (Main)

(Main)

G23: Indian Creek vs. Plano, late G24: Morris vs. Fenton, late Sandwich 52, Princeton 39

p.m. (9th place) G29: Loser G21 vs. Loser G22, 3:30 p.m.

Flanagan-Cornell 48, Seneca 31 Dwight 63, Marquette 60, OT

G19: Hall vs. Woodland, Noon

G22: Seneca vs. Marquette, 5 p.m.

Earlville, 3:30 p.m.

6:30 p.m.

(7th place)

(5th place)

(3rd place)

G23: Winner G9 vs. Winner G10, 10 a.m.

G28: Loser G21 vs. Loser G24, 5:30 p.m. (NWB) (7th place) G29: Winner G20 vs. Winner G23, 5:30

p.m. (USCC) (9th place)
G30: Winner G13 vs. Winner G14, 6 p.m. (SC)

Thursday
G31: Loser G27 vs. Loser G30, 9:30 a.m.

G32: Winner G27 vs. Winner G30, 4 p.m.

Marseilles Holiday Tournament

Kankakee 77, Julian 66 (OT) **Kankakee (11-24-5-23-14):** Hundley 7 4 18, Tharp 3 6-7 12, Jefferson 2 7-9 11, Harris 2 6-8 10, Thomas 2 4-4 8, Wicks 1 3-6 5, Hill 2 0-0 5, Lightfoot 1 2-4 5, Grant 0 2-2 2, Smith 0 1-2 1, Deloach 0 0-0 0. Totals 20 35-47 77.

Julian (19-15-15-14-3): Martin 8 4-6 27, Mitchell 4 5-6 14, Muhammad 5 1-2 13, Livingston 1 5-7 7, Thompson 1 0-0 3, Hendrix 1 0-0 2, Green 0 0-0 0, Clark 0 0-2 0. Totals 20 15-23 66.

Team records: Kankakee (2-5), Julian (0-4). 3-point goals: Kankakee (2 (Hill, Lightfoot), Julian 11 (Martin 7, Mitchell, Muhammad

Donovan Holiday Tournament Wilmington 57, Southland Prep 49 Wilmington (7-18-9-23): Smock 5 7-9 17, Winker 3 4-6 11, Mann 1 5-8 7, Jones 3 1-4 7, VanDuyne 2 0-0 5, Kelly 0 4-4 4, Medina 1 0-0 3, Fox 1 0-4 2, Mack 0 1-3 1. Totals 16 22-38 57

Southland Prep (12-14-10-13): Totals 21 Team Record: Wilmington 3-8. 3-point goals: Wilmington 3 (Medina, Winker, VanDuyne), Southland Prep 5 Wilmington 62, Donovan 61 (0T)

Wilmington (8-5-17-23-9): Fox 6 4-8 17, Smock 4 7-13 15, Jones 5 0-3 12, VanDuyne 1 4-10 7, Medina 2 1-2 6, Winker 2 0-0 4, Mann 0 1-2 1. Totals 20 17-38 62 **Donovan (13-9-16-15-8):** Lattimer 8 4-10 21, Miller 6 2-7 16, Caposieno 3 2-2 10, Arseneau 3 1-2 7. Storm 1 0-2 3. Gilbert-Sutherland 1 0-0 3, Hedge 0 1-2 1. Totals 22 10-25 61 Team Records: Wilmington 4-8, Donovan 2-12. 3-point goals: Wilmington 5 (Jones 2, Fox, Medina, VanDuyne), Donovan 7(Caposieno 2, Miller 2, Lattimer, Storm, Gilbert-Sutherland)

Plano Christmas Classic Coal City 56, Somonauk 55
Coal City (14-16-11-15): Micetich 8 1-3 20, Johnson 6 0-0 13, Harseim 3 2-2 8, Horrie 3 0-0 6, Grabowski 2 0-0 5, Clampitt 2 0-0 4. Totals 24 3-5 56 Somonauk (14-14-16-11): Totals 20 12-26 55 Team Record: Coal City 2-8. 3-point goals: Coal City 5 (Micetich 3, Johnson, Grabowski), Somonauk 3

Marseilles Holiday Tourname Reed-Custer 89, Leland-Earlville 44 Reed-Custer (28-33-26-2): Headrick 7 4-4 19, Shaw 5 1-1 13, Simonelli 5 2-2 12, Schoonover 5 0-1 12, O'Donnell 5 0-0 12, Welch 2 2-2 8, Paige 2 0-0 4, 0'Shea 1 0-0 3, Walden 0 2-2 2, Dransfeldt 1 0-0 2, Weitzel 1 0-0 2. Totals 34 11-12 89

Leland-Earlville (13-4-18-9): Totals 18 Team Record: Reed-Custer 11-1 3-point goals: Reed-Custer 10 (Shaw 2, Schoonover 2, Welch 2, O'Donnell 2, Headrick, O'Shea), Leland-Earlville 1

Dwight 63, Ottawa Marquette 60 (OT) Dwight (15-14-17-12-5): Fox 9 6-10 26, Travers 7 0-0 14, Kennedy 7 0-1 14, Hansen 2 0-0 4, Graham 1 2-4 4, Gantzert 0 1-2 1. Totals 26 9-17 63 Team Record: Dwight 8-6. 3-point goals: Dwight 2 (Fox 2), Ottawa 4

BSN Classic

Bismarck-Henning 62, Watseka 52 Watseka (10-10-12-20): Davenport 5 3-4 14, Fletcher 4 1-2 11, Lee 4 1-3 9, Schroeder 2 4-6 8, Lyznicki 2 0-1 4, Schippert 1 0-0 3, Castonguay 1 1-3 3 Totals 18 10-19 52

Bismarck (9-13-17-23): Totals 21 15-22 62 Team Record: Watseka 8-2. 3-point goals: Watseka 4 (Fletcher 2, Davenport, Schippert). Bismarck 3 North Vermillion 71, Watseka 53 Watseka (18-12-9-14): Davenport 7 1-1

15, Lee 4 2-2 10, Schroeder 4 1-2 9, Costonguay 3 0-0 6, Schippert 2 1-2 5, Hasselbring 2 0-0 4, Lyznicki 1 0-0 2, Hodolitz 0 2-2 2. Totals 23 7-9 53 North Vermillion (16-16-21-18): Totals

Team Record: Watseka 8-3. 3-point goals Watseka 0, North Vermillion 5

State Farm Classic Bishop McNamara **69, Fieldcrest 47** McNamara **(16-18-20-15):** Post 7 2-3 19, Hoekstra 8 0-0 16, Watston 6 2-3 14, Chavers 1 3-4 6, King 1 1-3 3, Shutter 1 1-2 3. Bell 1 0-0 2. Owens-Graves 0 2-2 2. Deatherage 1 0-0 2, Totals 27 11-17 69 Fieldcrest (10-17-9-11): Totals 15 14-18 47 Team Record: McNamara 4-5, 3-point goals: McNamara 4 (Post 3, Chavers),

Kankakee Holiday Tournament Blue Division

Pool A: Herscher (1-0), Peotone (1-0), Central (0-1), St. Anne (0-1) Pool B: Illiana Christian (1-0), Momence (1-0), Manteno (0-1), Grant Park (0-1) Monday's results

Momence 47, Manteno 35 Illiana Christian 81, Grant Park 37 Herscher 48, Central 45, OT Peotone 55, St. Anne 34 Today

Momence vs. Grant Park, 9 a.m. Peotone vs. Central, Noon Manteno vs. Illiana Christian, 3:30 p.m. Herscher vs. St. Anne, 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday Central vs. St. Anne, 9 a.m. Grant Park vs. Manteno, Noon Illiana Christian vs. Momence, 3:30 p.m. Herscher vs. Peotone, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday
4th place Pool A vs. 4th place Pool B, 9 a.m. 3rd place Pool A vs. 3rd place Pool B, Noon 2nd place Pool A vs. 2nd place Pool B, 3:30 p.m. 1st place Pool A vs. 1st place Pool B,

6:30 p.m. Maroon Division Pool A: Bradley-Bourbonnais (1-0),

Rankakee (1-0), Andrew (0-1), Julian (0-1) Pool B: Chicago Vocational (1-0), Seton Academy (1-0), Bremen (0-1), Thornridge (0-1) Monday's results Chicago Vocational 71, Thornridge 45

Seton Academy 60, Bremen 32 Bradley-Bourbonnais 62, Andrew 45 Kankakee 77, Julian 66, OT

Today Seton Academy vs. Thornridge, 10:30 a.m. Chicago Vocational vs. Bremen, 1:30 p.m. Bradley-Bourbonnais vs. Julian, 5 p.m. Andrew vs. Kankakee, 8 p.m.

Wednesday
Thornridge vs. Bremen, 10:30 a.m. Andrew vs. Julian, 1:30 p.m.

Seton Academy vs. Chicago Vocational, 5 p.m. Bradley-Bourbonnais vs. Kankakee, 8 p.m. Thursday
4th place Pool A vs. 4th place Pool B,

10:30 a.m. 3rd place Pool A vs. 3rd place Pool B, 1:30 p.m. 2nd place Pool A vs. 2nd place Pool B, 5 p.m.

1st place Pool A vs. 1st place Pool B, 8 p.m.

State Farm Classic Site Key - NWA - Normal West A Gym: NWB Normal West B Gym; SC - Shirk Center; USCC - U.S. Cellular Coliseum. Small School Boys Tourna

Monday's results Stanford Olympia 62, St. Thomas More 59 Annawan 76, Tri-Valley 75, OT El Paso 52, Kewanee 48 Rockford Lutheran 73, Chillicothe IVC 46 St. Joseph-Ogden 78, Rock Falls 63 Bloomington Central Catholic 78, Peoria Christian 55

Bishop McNamara 68, Fieldcrest 47 Quincy Notre Dame 64, Prairie Central 32 **Today** G9: St. Thomas More vs. Tri-Valley, 9:30

G10: Fieldcrest vs. Prairie Central, 11 a.m. (SC) G11: Rock Falls vs. Peoria Christian, 12:30

p.m. (SC) G12: Kewanee vs. Chillicothe IVC, 2 p.m. (SC) G13: El Paso vs. Rockford Lutheran, 4:30 p.m. (SC)

G14: St. Joseph-Ogden vs. Bloomington Central Catholic, 6 p.m. (SC) G15: Bishop McNamara vs. Quincy Notre Dame, 7:30 p.m. (SC) G16: Stanford Olympia vs. Annawan, 9 p.m. (SC)

G17: Loser G9 vs. Loser G10, 4 p.m. (NWB) G18: Loser G11 vs. Loser G12, 7 p.m. (NWB)

Wednesday G19: Loser G17 vs. Loser G18, 8:30 a.m. (NWB) (15th place)

G20: Winner G11 vs. Winner G12, 8:30 a.m. (USCC) G21: Loser G13 vs. Loser G14, 9 a.m. (SC) G22: Winner G17 vs. Winner G18, 10 a.m.

Morgan Park Academy vs. Wilmington, 5:30 p.m. RSN Classic At Heritage

Oakwood 58, Georgetown-Ridge Farm 44 Heritage/Villa Grove 68, Judah Christian 61 Salt Fork 50, Oakwood 47 Judah Christian 64, Georgetown-Ridge

Salt Fork 44, Heritage/Villa Grove 40

At Bismarck-Henning Fisher 58, North Vermillion 44 Watseka 62, Bismarck- Henning 52 Fisher 63 Schlarman 44 North Vermillion 71, Watseka 53 Schlarman vs. Bismarck-Henning, no score reported

Today At Bismarck-Henning Bismarck-Henning 5th place vs. Heritage 5th place, 11:30 a.m. Bismarck-Henning 4th place vs. Heritage 4th place, 1 p.m

Bismarck-Henning 3rd place vs. Heritage 3rd place, 5 p.m. Bismarck-Henning 2nd place vs. Heritage 2nd place, 6:30 p.m. Bismarck-Henning 1st place vs. Heritage 1st place, 8 p.m. High school girls

Riverside-Brookfield Holiday Tournament Hinsdale South 48, Beecher 42 **Beecher (17-5-10-10):** Ranger 3 8-12 17, Johnson 4 5-7 13, Welch 3 2-2 8, Landis 0 2-2 2, Stolzenbach 1 0-0 2. Totals 11 17-23 42 Hinsdale South (13-11-9-15): Totals 17

5-10 48 Team Record: Beecher 13-4. 3-point goals Beecher 3 (Ranger 3), Hinsdale South 5

Momence Holiday Tournament Paxton-Buckley-Loda 57, Wilmington 36 Wilmington (7-12-11-6): Lardi 5 3-3 14, Southall 5 3-6 13, Lombardi 2 3-4 7, Wolcott 1 0-0 2. Totals 13 9-13 36 Team Record: Wilmington 3-8. 3-point goals: Wilmington 1 (Lardi)

South Newton 42, Donovan 36 South Newton (8-12-6-16): Totals 17 7-20 42 **Donovan (9-8-7-12):** Adams 4 1-2 12, Wingerter 5 0-0 10, Arseneau 3 0-0 6, Storm 1 3-4 5, Smith 1 1-2 3. Totals 14 6-7 36 Team Record: Donovan 4-7. 3-point goals: South Newton 1, Donovan 3 (Adams 3) Serena 60, Tri-Point 28

Serena (15-13-11-21): Totals 23 13-18 60

Tri-Point (4-5-11-8): Miller 5 0-0 12, Flessner 3 0-0 6, Weller 2 0-3 5, Kerrins 2 1-4 5. Totals 12 1-7 28 Feam Record: Tri-Point 3-9. 3-point goals Serena 2, Tri-Point 3 (Miller 2, Weller) Momence 38, St. Anne 25 Momence (12-11-5-10): Ma. Lanie 10 3-3 23, Roberts 2 0-0 4, Moffatt 2 0-0 4,

Kelly 2 0-0 4, Me. Lanie 1 0-0 3. Totals **St. Anne (6-2-7-12):** Anthony 5 0-3 10, Pena 2 0-0 4, Emerson 2 0-4 4, Chase 1 0-0 2, Kibbons 0 2-2 2, Stalnecker 0 2-2 2 O'Brien 0 1-2 1. Totals 10 5-13 25 Team Records: Momence 2-10, St. Anne 0-8. 3-point goals: Momence 1 (Me. Lanie)

Lisle Cage Classic Chicago Christian 32, Coal City 29 Coal City (9-6-7-7): Meents 3 1-4 9, Caruso 2 2-2 7, Halliday 1 2-2 5, Bugg 2 0-3 4, Washburn 1 0-0 2, Kauzlaric 1 0-0 2. Totals 10 5-11 29 Chicago Christian (2-15-6-9): Totals 10

G24: Loser G15 vs. Loser G16, 10:30 a.m. (SC) Team Record: Coal City 4-9, 3-point goals: G25: Loser G20 vs. Loser G23, 4 p.m. Coal City 4 (Meents 2, Caruso, Halliday), Chicago Christian 1 G26: Winner G21 vs. Winner 24, 4 p.m (USCC) (5th place) G27: Winner G15 vs. Winner G16, 4:30 State Farm Classic

McNamara (14-17-6-4): Rudin 6 2-3 16, Lambert 3 3-5 12, Berg 1 2-2 5, Rogers 2 0-0 4, Carson 0 4-5 4, Storako 0 1-2 1. Totals 12 12-17 41 **Brimfield (13-4-4-14):** Totals 15 4-12 35 Team Record: McNamara 4-5. 3-point goals:

Bishop McNamara 41, Brimfield 35

McNamara 5 (Lambert 3, Rudin, Berg), Blue Devil Classic

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Harris), Westville 2

Watseka 55, Fisher 52 (OT) Watseka (12-7-11-15-10): Cramer 4 2-7 12, Harris 4 2-2 12, Dexter 2 3-4 9, K. Bauer 3 0-2 8, Bunting 3 2-4 8, M. Bauer 2 0-0 4, Solorzano 1 0-0 2. Totals 19 9-21 55 Fisher (17-7-14-7-7): Totals 17 12-19 52 Team Record: Watseka 13-4. 3-point goals Watseka 8 (Dexter 2, Harris 2, Cramer 2,

K. Bauer 2), Fisher 6 Cissna Park 38, Bismarck-Henning 29 Bismarck (11-4-5-9): Totals 9 10-19 29 Cissna Park (9-10-7-12): Stoller 4 7-9 15, Hasselbring 4 2-5 10, Wessels 1 4-6 6, Neukomm 1 0-1 3, Stock 1 0-0 2, Fehr 1 0-0 2. Totals 12 13-21 55 Team Record: Cissna Park 13-0. 3-point goals: Bismarck 1, Cissna Park 1 (Neukomm)

> Momence Holiday Tournament Monday's results

Paxton-Buckley-Loda 57, Wilmington 36 South Newton 42, Donovan 36 Serena 60, Tri-Point 28 Momence 38, St. Anne 25

Today

G5: Wilmington vs. Donovan, 8:30 a.m.

G6: Tri-Point vs. St. Anne, 10 a.m. G7: Paxton-Buckley-Loda vs. South Newton, Noon G8: Serena vs. Momence, 1:30 p.m.

G9: Loser G5 vs. Loser G6, 3:30 p.m. (7th place) G10: Winner G5 vs. Winner G6, 5 p.m.

(5th place) G11: Loser G7 vs. Loser G8, 6:30 p.m. (3rd place) G12: Winner G7 vs. Winner G8, 8 p.m. (Championship)

Lisle Holiday Cage Classic Monday's results Westmont 46, Timothy Christian 23

Walther Lutheran vs. Reed-Custer no score reported Chicago Christian 32, Coal City 29 Lisle 44, Hinckley-Big Rock 30 Antioch 65, Latin 58 St. Edward vs. St. Francis, no score

Illiana Christian 66, Wheaton Academy 55 Newark def. Hampshire, forfeit

Today
G17: Latin vs. Loser G14, 3:30 p.m. G18: Wheaton Academy vs. Hampshire, 5 p.m. G19: Timothy Christian vs. Loser G10,

3:30 p.m. G20: Coal City vs. Hinckley-Big Rock, 5 p.m. G21: Antioch vs. Winner G14, 6:30 p.m. G22: Illiana Christian vs. Newark, 8 p.m. G23: Westmont vs. Winner G10, 6:30 p.m G24: Chicago Christian vs. Lisle, 8 p.m.

Wednesday

G25: Loser G17 vs. Loser G18, 3:30 p.m. G26: Winner G17 vs. Winner G18, 5 p.m. G27: Loser G19 vs. Loser G20, 3:30 p.m G28: Winner G19 vs. Winner G20, 5 p.m. G29: Loser G23 vs. Loser G24, 6:30 p.m. G30: Loser G21 vs. Loser G22, 6:30 p.m. G31: Winner G23 vs. Winner G24, 8 p.m. G32: Winner G21 vs. Winner G22, 8 p.m.

State Farm Classic Game Key: NCA - Normal Community Gymnasium A; NCB - Normal Community Gymnasium B: NWA - Normal West Gymnasium A; SC - Shirk Center; USCC US Cellular Coliseum

Monday's results
Prairie Central 44, Peoria Christian 43
Rockford Lutheran 46, El Paso 29 Annawan 64, St. Joseph-Ogden 55 Bloomington Central Catholic 59, Rock Falls 55 Bishop McNamara 41, Brimfield 35 Peoria Notre Dame 46, LeRoy 30 Camp Point Central 51, Rock Island Alleman 33

Today G9: St. Joseph-Ogden vs. Rock Falls, 9:30 a.m. (NCA) G10: Peoria Christian vs. El Paso, 11 a.m. G11: Brimfield vs. LeRoy 12:30 p.m. (NCA)

G12: Tri-Valley vs. Rock Island Alleman, 2 G13: St. Thomas More vs. Camp Point Central, 4:30 p.m. (NCA) G14: Bishop McNamara vs. Peoria Notre Dame, 6 p.m. (NCA)

G15: Prairie Central vs. Rockford Lutheran, 7:30 G16: Annawan vs. Bloomington Central Catholic, 9 p.m. (NCA) G17: Loser G9 vs. Loser G10, 5:30 p.m. (NCB) G18; Loser G11 vs. Loser G12, 8:30 p.m. (NCB)

Wednesday
G19: Loser G17 vs. Loser G18, noon (NCB) (15th place) G20: Winner G11 vs. Winner G12, noon (NWA)

G21: Loser G13 vs. Loser G14, 12:30 p.m. (NCA) G22: Winner G17 vs. Winner G18, 1:30 p.m. (NCB) (13th place)

G23: Winner G9 vs. Winner G10, 1:30 p.m. (NWA) G24: Loser G15 vs. Loser G16, 2 p.m. (NCA) G25: Loser G20 vs. Loser G23, 6:30 p.m.

(NCB) (11th place) G26: Winner G21 vs. Winner G24, 6:30 p.m. (NWA) (5th place) G27: Winner G15 vs. Winner G16, 7 p.m. (NCA) G28: Loser G21 vs. Loser G24, 8 p.m. (NCB) (7th place) G29: Winner G20 vs. Winner G23, 8 p.m. (NWA) (9th place) G30: Winner G13 vs. Winner G14, 8:30

p.m. (NCA) G31: Loser G27 vs. Loser G30, 11 a.m. (SC) (3rd place) G32: Winner G27 vs. Winner G30, 2:15

p.m. (SC) (championship) Blue Devil Classic Monday's results North Vermillion 44, Unity 38 Salt Fork def. Villa Grove/Heritage, forfeit

Watseka 59, Westville 50 Bismarck-Henning 32, North Vermillion 29 Cissna Park 38, Salt Fork 29 Watseka 55, Fisher 52, OT Cissna Park def. Villa Grove/Heritage, forfeit Unity vs. Bismarck-Henning, no score reported Fisher vs. Westville, no score reported

Swimming Lincoln-Way Central Relays Team scores: Plainfield 544, Lincoln-Way

Central 400, Bradley-Bourbonnais 376, Lincoln-Way West 372, TF United 198, Kankakee 152, Thornton 10 100 butterfly relay - 1. Bradley-Bourbonnais (Schroeder, Schu) 50.41. 100 medley relay - 2. Kankakee (Gentry, Palacios, Regez, Zugenbuehler) 54.20 200 breaststroke relay - 2. Bradley-Bourbonnais (Schroeder, Nemeth) 2:14.39 200 freestyle relay - 3. Bradley-Bourbonnais (Hinderliter, Rush, Wray, Hendricks) 1:45.91 200 butterfly relay - 1. Bradley-Bourbonnais (Schroeder, Schu) 1:52.89 300 IM relay - 2. Kankakee (Gentry, Palacios, Regez) 3:12.40

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Sports on TV & Radio

BOXING

8 p.m. — Premier Boxing Champions, Omar Douglas vs. Frank De Alba, junior lightweights, at Bethlehem, Pa. (FS1)

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Noon — Tulane at Memphis (ESPNU) Noon — Tennessee St. at Tennessee (SEC)

2 p.m. — Temple at Cincinnati (ESPN2) 2 p.m. — Texas Southern at Baylor (ESPNU)

4 p.m. — SMU at Tulsa (ESPN2)

4 p.m. — Liberty at Notre Dame (ESPNU) 4 p.m. — Richmond at Texas Tech (FSN)

6 p.m. — Purdue at Wisconsin (BTN) 6 p.m. — Florida St. at Florida (ESPN2)

6 p.m. — Wake Forest at LSU (ESPNU)

6 p.m. — Robert Morris at Georgia (SEC)

8 p.m. — Michigan St. at Iowa (BTN) 8 p.m. — UConn at Texas (ESPN2)

Texas (ESPN)

8 p.m. — UC Irvine at Kansas (ESPNU) **COLLEGE FOOTBALL** 1 p.m. — Armed Forces Bowl, Air Force vs. California, at Fort Worth,

4:30 p.m. — Russell Athletic Bowl, North Carolina vs. Baylor, at Orlando, Fla. (ESPN)

8 p.m. — Texas Bowl, Texas Tech vs. LSU, at Houston (ESPN) NBA

7 p.m. — Milwaukee at Oklahoma City (NBA)

NHL 7 p.m. — Nashville at St. Louis (NBCSN)

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Miami at Memphis, 7 p.m. Atlanta at Houston, 7 p.m. Milwaukee at Oklahoma City, 7 p.m. Cleveland at Denver, 8 p.m Brooklyn at Orlando, 6 p.m

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Schedule

College Men's Basketball Marietta Rappaport Holiday Classic at

Olivet Nazarene vs. Warner, 4 p.m Women's Basketball **Lakeland Tournament** Team: KCC, TBD

Momence vs. Grant Park, 9 a.m Peotone vs. Central, noon Manteno vs. Illiana Christian, 3:30 p.m. Bradley-Bourbonnais vs. Julian, 5 p.m. Herscher vs. St. Anne. 6:30 p.m. Kankakee vs. Andrew, 8 p.m State Farm Classic in Bloomington/Normal

G15: Bishop McNamara vs. Quincy Notre Dame, 7:30 p.m. (SC)

Donovan Holiday Tournament Decatur Christian vs. Donovan, 11:30 a.m. Morgan Park Academy vs. Wilmington, 1 p.m. Donovan vs. Southland, 4 p.m. Morgan Park Academy vs. Wilmington, 5:30 p.m. Marseilles Holiday Tournament

G17: Midland vs. Tri-Point, 9 a.m. Earlville, 3:30 p.m. G23: #4 Putman County vs. #1 Reed-Custer,

G14: Bishop McNamara vs. Peoria Notre Dame, 6 p.m. (NCA) Riverside-Brookfield Holiday Classic Team: Beecher, TBD Lisle Holiday Classic G20: Coal City vs. Hinckley-Big Rock, 5 p.m. Momence Holiday Tournament G5: Wilmington vs. Donovan, 8:30 a.m. G6: Tri-Point vs. St. Anne, 10 a.m. G8: Serena vs. Momence, 1:30 p.m. G9: Loser G5 vs. Loser G6, 3:30 p.m. (7th place) G10: Winner G5 vs. Winner G6. 5 p.m.

Cissna Park vs. Watseka, 6:30 p.m. **Boys Swimming** Homewood-Flossmoor at Bradley Wrestling

at Danville Team: Central, Coal City; Herscher, Reed-Custer, Wilmington; TBD Wednesday College Men's Basketball

Keiser University, Fla. Olivet Nazarene vs. Keiser, 6 p.m.

Women's Basketball College of the Ozarks Classic Olivet Nazarene vs. College of the Ozarks,

Lakeland Tournament Team: KCC, TBD High school Boys Basketball

Bradley-Bourbonnais vs. Kankakee, 8 p.m. State Farm Classic in Bloomington/Normal Team: Bishop McNamara, TBD **Plano Holiday Classic** G42: Winner G21 vs. Coal City, 10 a.m. (Aux, 21st place) Marseilles Holiday Tournament

Riverside-Brookfield Holiday Classic Wrestling

Girls Basketball State Farm Classic Team: Bishop McNamara, TBD Team: Beecher, TBD Lisle Holiday Classic

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Keiser University, Fla.

High school Bovs Basketball Kankakee Holiday Tournament

G21: Gardner-South Wilmington vs. Leland-

G24: #2 Flanagan-Cornell vs. #3 Dwight, 8 p.m. Girls Basketball Dwight at Herscher, 4:30 p.m. State Farm Classic

(5th place) G11: Loser G7 vs. Loser G8, 6:30 p.m. (3rd place) G12: Winner G7 vs. Winner G8, 8 p.m.

(Championship)

Blue Devil Classic

Bourbonnais, 10 a.m. Bradley-Bourbonnais Holiday Tournament Team: Bradley-Bourbonnais, 10 a.m.

St. Thomas More New Year's Challenge

Mariette Rappaport Holiday Classic at

Kankakee Holiday Tournament Central vs. St. Anne, 9 a.m. Grant Park vs. Manteno, noon Illiana Christian vs. Momence, 3:30 p.m. Herscher vs. Peotone, 6 p.m.

Teams: Dwight, Gardner-South Wilmington, Reed-Custer, Tri-Point, TBD

Team: Coal City, Reed-Custer; TBD Grant Park at Argenta-Oreana, 9 a.m. St. Thomas More New Year's Challenge Team: Central, Coal City, Herscher, Reed-

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BOYS HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL: KANKAKEE 77, JULIAN 66

Kankakee earns wild OT win



Daily Journal/Scott Anderson

Kankakee's Davion Jefferson battles to put up a shot between a pair of Julian defenders during their Kankakee Holiday Tournament game Monday night.

Fouls leave Julian with just 3 players

BY ALLAN SCARABELLO

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Apparently, Joe Lightfoot III can see

Lightfoot and his two assistants took on their team in a five-on-three practice on Saturday.

Little did the Kays know, what they practiced would become a reality at the Kankakee Holiday Tournament on

Julian had an injury and five players foul out, forcing the Jaguars to play almost all of overtime with three players. The Jaguars finished the game with just two players after another player fouled out with 40.5 seconds to go in

Kankakee took full advantage and defeated Julian 77-66.

"I have never seen it in live action, but I'll tell you this, it had to be God himself who sent this to me in practice," Lightfoot said. "Two days ago, we practiced our zone defense against three offensive players. We did it for an entire practice. I don't know why I did successful."

it. Obviously, God knew something that I didn't. It worked out for us tonight." All of the unique circumstances

should not overshadow Kankakee's

The Kays mounted a furious rally down 59-47 with 3:50 remaining in the fourth quarter. Corey Tharp scored seven points in the middle of a 16-4 run to close regulation and force overtime.

Julian's Michael Green was injured with 1:32 left and left the Jaguars with four players. They went down to three players after a foul out with under a minute to play. Kankakee held for the final shot of regulation but couldn't find a way to score.

Kankakee's pressure defense forced 32 turnovers and a lot of timely ones during the Kays' scoring run.

"Our defense kept its poise all game long," senior Jared Harris said. "The fourth quarter we buckled down and got a couple turnovers. We were working hard, diving on the floor and getting loose balls. Everything we got, we earned it."

Tyron Hundley was a force inside for the Kays. He had a team-high 18 points and grabbed eight rebounds.

"Tyron has been big in practice and tonight was his big game," Harris said. "If he has more games like this, we'll be

BOYS HIGH SCHOOL **BASKETBALL**

McNamara balanced in defeat of Fieldcrest

Bishop McNamara downed Fieldcrest 69-47 to pick up a win at the State Farm Classic in Bloomington

Dylan Post led the Fightin' Irish with 19 points in the win, Daniel Hoekstra scored 16 and Tevin Watson added 14 as the team improved its season standing to 4-5.

MARSEILLES HOLIDAY **TOURNAMENT**

Reed-Custer 89, Leland Earlville 44

All five Reed-Custer starters scored in double figures as the Comets defeated Leland Earlville.

The win moved the Comets (11-1) into today's Marseilles Holiday tournament semifinals against Putnam County.

Dwight 63, Ottawa Marquette 60 (OT)

The Trojans pulled out a win by the skin of their teeth as Marquette missed a potential game-tying 3-pointer as time expired.

Putnam County 62, G-S Wilmington 57

The Panthers dropped a close one in their Marseilles Holiday Tournament matchup against Putnam County.

Woodland 74, **Tri-Point 56**

The Chargers (1-11) will now play Midland at 9 a.m. today in the 13thplace bracket.

PLANO CHRISTMAS CLASSIC

Coal City 56, Somonauk 55

Coal City was able to narrowly edge Somonauk to advance to the 21st-place game on Thursday against the winner of today's game between Hinckley-Big Rock and Forreston.

Nick Micetich led the way in the comeback win with 20 points while Christian Johnson added 13.

BSN CLASSIC

Bismarck-Henning 62, Watseka 52

Watseka dropped the first game of its twinbill of games to Bismarck-Henning.

North Vermillion 71, Watseka 53

The Warriors' second loss of the day came at the hands of North Ver-

DONOVAN HOLIDAY **TOURNAMENT**

Wilmington 62, Donovan 61 (OT)

Tyler Fox scored five of his teamhigh 17 point in overtime to vault the Wilmington past Donovan.

Eric Lattimer led Donovan with 21

points in the loss. Donovan dropped to 2-12 while Wilmington improved to 4-8.

Wilmington 57, Southland 49

Steve Smock's 17 points led the Wildcats to their second win of the

Dylan Winker chipped in 11 points

BOYS BASKETBALL Illiana Christian routs Grant Park

BY JAMES NEVEAU

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Thanks to a blistering pace and a suffocating defense, Illiana Christian blew out Grant Park 81-37 on Monday at the Kankakee Holiday Tournament.

Three players scored in double-figures for the Vikings in the victory, including Chandler Kimmel's 16 point-effort. He made eight of the nine field goals that he attempted in the game, and he also registered seven steals and dished out four assists.

On the Grant Park side, few players stood out, but Nathan Kuhn had a solid day at the office as he scored 13 points and hauled in four rebounds. He also had three points and hauling down assists and three steals to flesh out his resume on what was an ugly afternoon to a 50-11 margin.

for the Dragons.

The game got off to a rough start for Grant Park, as it surrendered 11 points in the first two minutes of play. Bo Hofstra led the onslaught early as he had eight points in the quarter, and Kimmel contributed 12 to the mix as the Vikings ran out to a 34-7 lead after the opening eight minutes of play.

After turning the ball over 14 times in the opening quarter, the Dragons began to slow things down and make better passes in the second stanza, but it continued to be tough sledding as they tried to come back. Jared Jonkman came alive for the Vikings in the second quarter, scoring nine seven rebounds as Illiana Christian built up their lead

BOYS HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Can Peotone get its coveted tourney title?

Blue Devils blast St. Anne in KHT opener

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The Peotone basketball team reached the semifinal round stage of all

four of its tournaments it

played in last season. The veteran Blue Devils are striving for more this time around and tried to make a statement with its 55-34 dismantling of St. Anne in the opening round of the Kankakee Holiday Tournament on Monday.

On the surface, that

Blue Devils (9-2) inflicted limited the Cardinals to on the young, inexperi- just a 24 percent shooting enced Cardinals (4-5) as the first half was a particularly precise attack levied by Peotone as they lead 34-9 at the break.

"I felt like we made a statement in the first half, that's what we're capable of doing," Peotone coach Scott Maupin said. "We've challenged our kids. They want to get to championship games."

The Blue Devils certainly showed that capability in this win. Strong efforts from Kale Maupin (game-high 15 points) and Scott Gasik (12 points) led a Peotone offense that placed 10 different players in the scoring column.

On the other end, Peotone clamped down on the domination that the of St. Anne's shots and each.

effort (11 of 48). And most important of all, Peotone outrebounded St. Anne, a team that typically feasts on second-chance scoring opportunities. There weren't a lot of

positives for the Cardinals in this one, but at least the effort increased after the break. It was one of the few bright spots Cardinal coach Rick Schoon could "Peotone came out and

punched us in the mouth and we never really got back up," Schoon said.
"But at least we showed a little resolve in the second half and tried to battle with them."

Jalmen Sullivan and Travis DeYoung led St. score doesn't truly reflect defense, contested most Anne with nine points

BOYS BASKETBALL Smith scores 27 in Vocational win

BY JAMES NEVEAU

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After a tip-time that was delayed by Monday's inclement weather, Chicago Vocational showed no ill effects as it took advantage of an ice cold Thornridge offense in a 71-45 at the Kankakee Holiday Tournament.

The victory gives the Cavaliers an opening victory in Maroon Division play at the tournament, and it pushed their record to 8-2 overall on the regular season.

Kewan Smith led all scorers in the game as he poured in 27 points for the Cavaliers, and he also added four steals and two assists in the victory. Jordan Bell used an electric third quarter performance to pile up 12 points and five rebounds, and Sidney Mason and Jerald Allen each scored in double figures.

The Cavaliers also poured in seven three-pointers in the contest, with Smith draining two of them, and they dished out 12 assists on 24 made field goals.

BOYS BASKETBALL Seton uses quick start, tops Bremen

BY JAMES NEVEAU Special to Daily Journal 815-937-3373

explosive first quarter that saw the Sting outscore their opponents by 21 points, Seton Academy blasted Bremen 60-32 on Monday afternoon at the Kankakee Holiday

Tournament. RaShaad Williams scored 10 points to lead a balanced scoring attack for the Sting, who saw Braves in the loss, 11 different players and Milton Lawrey score in their vic- scored seven points. tory. A strong defen- picked up five steals, sive effort from Sid- and hauled in five ney Ihejirika also rebounds.

helped out, as he scored seven points and racked up five steals to give his team a 1-0 record Bolstered by an in Maroon Division

> After being outscored by 21 points in the first quarter, the Braves did level things out in the middle stages of the contest, but it wasn't enough as they dropped to 0-1 in the tournament. Philander Williams scored 10 points for the

COLLEGE & HS BRIEFS

BOYS HIGH SCHOOL SWIMMING

Boilers get 3rd at Lincoln-Way Central

Bradley-Bourbonnais took third place at Lincoln-Way Central relays on Monday by amassing 376 points.

Plainfield won the meet with 544 points, while Kankakee also participated and took sixth with 152 points.

The tandem of Dawson Schu and Adam Schroeder had a great day for the Boilermakers. The duo captured the title in the 100-yard butterfly relay clocking in a time of 50.41, and later earned the crown in the 200 butterfly relay in 1:52.89.

Schroeder also teamed with Nicolas Nemeth in the 200 breaststroke relay to take second in 2:14.39, while Andrew Hinderliter, Tristan Rush, Austin Wray and Dan Hendricks took third in the 200 freestyle relay.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Albert's double-double tops KCC

Jasmine Albert led all scorers with 23 points and hauled in 17 rebounds as Kankakee Community College edged past Lake Land College 83-76 at the Lake Land Tournament in Mattoon. KCC improved its season standing to 12-2.

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in the victory.

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GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL ROUNDUP

Fightin' Irish top Brimfield in State Farm Classic opener

Bishop McNamara picked up a 41-35 win over Brimfield at the State Farm Classic in Bloomington on Monday thanks to a 15-point effort from Kelly Rudin.

The Irish broke the game open in the second quarter, finishing the frame with a 31-17 lead, and held off Brimfield the rest of the way. The victory was McNamara's

third consecutive and improved its

record to 6-8. MOMENCE HOLIDAY **TOURNAMENT**

Paxton-Buckley-Loda 57, Wilmington 36

PBL jumped out to a 22-7 lead in the first quarter and never looked back in a tournament win over Wilmington.

Kaitlyn Lardi led the Wildcats with 14 points in the loss and

Miranda Southall added 13. Wilmington fell to 3-8 with the

South Newton 42, Donovan 36

The Wildcats dropped to 4-7 with a narrow loss to South Newton in Momence.

Adrienne Adams led Donovan with 12 points in the loss.

Serena 60, Tri-Point 28 The Chargers were unable to

hang with Serena in their tournament matchup. Kayleigh Miller led Tri-Point

(3-9) with 12 points. Momence 38, St. Anne 25

Matti Lanie took control for Momence, accounting for 23 of the team's 38 points in a win at their home tournament.

Louisha Anthony led the Cardinals with 10 points in the loss. Momence improved to 2-10 with

the win and St. Anne fell to 0-8. RIVERSIDE-BROOKFIELD

Hinsdale South 48, Beecher 42

HOLIDAY CLASSIC

Hinsdale South's Sydney Kopp rattled off 29 points to take down the Bobcats. Kate Ranger led Beecher with 17

points and Taylor Johnson chipped in 13 in the loss. Beecher is 13-4 this season.

LISLE HOLIDAY CLASSIC

Chicago Christian 32, Coal City 29

Chicago Christian recovered

from a two-point first quarter by scoring 15 in the second on the way to a win over the Coalers in Lisle.

Taylor Meents led Coal City with nine points and Mackenzie Bugg grabbed seven rebounds as the team dropped to 4-9.

BLUE DEVIL CLASSIC

The Warriors secured their first win of two in Bismarck thanks to 19 points from Summer Cramer and another 17 from Kennedy

Watseka 59, Westville 50

After trailing at halftime, Watseka rode a big third quarter to victory.

Bauer.

Watseka 55, Fisher 52 (OT)

Cramer and company pulled of their second come-from-behind victory of the day, this time in

Devil Classic's championship game today against Cissna Park. Cramer and Magan Harris each

overtime, to earn a spot in the Blue

scored 12 points to lead the way for the Warriors.

The pair of wins improved Watseka's season record to 13-4.

Cissna Park 38, Bismarck-Henning 29

The Timberwolves' championship game berth came at the expense of the Blue Devil Classic's host school.

Neither team shot well in the low scoring affair; Cissna Park (13-0) shot 28 percent while Bismarck shot just 23 percent.

Addison Stoller's 15 points led all scorers in the win.

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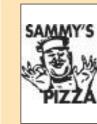
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