

OBITUARIES

Ethlyn Joy Maxey

Ethlyn Joy Maxey, newborn daughter of James and Monica Barnette Maxey of Lincoln, died at 10:45 a.m. Friday, May 29, 1998, at St. John's Hospital, Springfield, shortly after birth.

Surviving besides her parents are two sisters, Tiana Maxey and Ariel Maxey, both at home; her maternal grandparents, Shelvia Barnette of Haymarket, Va., and Rufus Barnette, address unknown; her paternal grandparents, Ivan and Dora Maxey of Atlanta; her maternal great-grandparents, K.B. and Edith Dye of Haymarket, Va.; and her paternal great-grandmothers, Bonnie Ketchum of Lincoln and Inez Snyder of Atlanta.

Graveside services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in Union Cemetery, with the Rev. David Detar officiating.

There is no visitation.

Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, handled arrangements.

Henry Gaydosh

Henry Gaydosh, 95, of Lincoln, died at 6:10 a.m. Saturday, May 30, 1998, at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield.

Mr. Gaydosh's family came to the Lincoln area in 1908 and he farmed until his retirement in 1974. He was one of the first Logan County farmers to use soil conservation techniques.

He was a lifelong member of St. John United Church of Christ, where he served in several responsibilities, and was involved in several charitable activities, including the CROP organization that distributes aid overseas.

Mr. Gaydosh was born June 10, 1902, in Hungary, a son of Andrew and Rosa Lengyel Gaydosh. He married Marie Ramlow June 6, 1931, in Vandalia. She died Sept. 22, 1984.

Surviving are one daughter, Norma Schoppa of Riverside, Calif.; one son, Dan Gaydosh of Crystal Lake; five grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

He also was preceded in death by two sisters and two brothers.

Funeral services were this afternoon at St. John United Church of Christ, with the Rev. Richard Reinwald officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to St. John United Church of Christ.

James Wilson

James E. Wilson, 61, of Lincoln died at 4:20 a.m. Saturday, May 30, 1998, at St. Clara's Manor.

Mr. Wilson retired in 1993 after 20 years as a janitor at Lincoln Junior High School. He had coached youth basketball and baseball in Lincoln for many years.

He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Hartsburg, and was a former member of the church council.

Mr. Wilson was born March 27, 1937, in Lincoln, a son of William and Helen Gracheck Wilson. He married Elnora Newby Feb. 10, 1961, in Hartsburg. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, James Wilson of Lincoln and Richard Wilson of Lovington; one daughter, Crystal Wilson of Lincoln; and one granddaughter.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. John's Lutheran Church, Hartsburg, with the Rev. Robert Schacht officiating. Burial will be in

Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Holland and Barry Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to his church.

Lawrence Knollenberg

NEW HOLLAND — Lawrence F. Knollenberg, 72, of Washington, a New Holland native, died at 6:40 a.m. Saturday, May 30, 1998, at Methodist Medical Center, Peoria.

Mr. Knollenberg retired from Caterpillar Inc. in East Peoria as a foreman in December 1982 after 40 years of service. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

He was born Nov. 12, 1925, in New Holland, a son of Fred and Minnie Lohrenz Knollenberg. He married Agnes Hum March 25, 1950, in Lincoln. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Marsha Deal of East Peoria and Pam Knollenberg of East Peoria; one brother, Alvin Knollenberg of Boynton Beach, Fla.; and three grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a son. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Rimmert Funeral Home, East Peoria, with the Rev. Dan Bystrom officiating. Burial will be in Hillcrest Memory Gardens, rural Morton.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the Northern Tazewell Rescue Squad.

Raymond Heitzman

SAN JOSE — Raymond J. Heitzman, 75, of Eureka, a San Jose native, died at 10:30 p.m. Thursday, May 28, 1998, at BroMenn Health Care Center, Bloomington.

Mr. Heitzman was a lifelong farmer in San Jose and Eureka who practiced soil conservation and land preservation. He was a founding member of the Logan County Swine Association, had served on the former San Jose School board, and attended Lincoln College before enlisting in the U.S. Navy Reserve.

In the Navy, he served as a aviator during World War II. He attended the University of Georgia, the University of Tennessee-Martin and Murray State University in Kentucky.

Mr. Heitzman received a Woodford County Outstanding Cooperator Award, was a member of the Angus Association and was a lifelong member of the Farm Bureau.

He was a real estate agent, a plant manager for Monsanto Ag Center in Eureka and a sales representative for Eyegate Media.

Mr. Heitzman participated in many leadership roles as an active member of Eureka Presbyterian Church.

He was born April 26, 1923, in San Jose, a son of John and Eleanor Kramer Heitzman. He married Leona Marie Till on Oct. 6, 1945, in DeLand, Fla. She survives.

Also surviving are three daughters, Joyce Thorpe of Bloomington, Peggy Meyer of Elmhurst and Nancy Glass of Rock Island; one son, Robert Heitzman of Washington; and six grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers.

Funeral services were today at Otto-Argo Funeral Home, Eureka, with the Rev. Jack Glenn officiating. Burial, with military honors, was in Camp Butler National Cemetery, Springfield.

Memorials may be made to his church or the Trinity Medical Center Cancer Research Program in Rock Island.

Penney's	74 1/2
Magna	55 1/2
Deere&Co.	52 1/2
ClCorp.	153
Case Corp.	57 1/2
Cbrl.	31 1/2
GM	72 1/2
Coca-Cola	79 1/2
IBM	117 1/2
Ag Chem	15 1/2
Amoco	41 1/2

Noon grain futures
(Courtesy Ekhart Grain Co.)
Corn

Foreign tour operators get a taste of Illinois corner

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CAHOKIA — Nice place visit, but only if you're on your way to somewhere else.

That seemed to be the conclusion of about 20 foreign tour operators and travel writers who recently passed through southern western Illinois to see what the area had to offer.

The visitors, mostly from Italy, Taiwan and Germany, had been attending a trade convention in Chicago last week when they decided to take a day trip along old U.S. Route 66 to St. Louis.

Along the way, they stopped at some of the Metro East's most visible sites: Gateway International Raceway and Cahokia Mounds.

"This Cahokia Mounds something like the Mayans in Mexico — it's very impressive," said Robert See, president of a Taiwanese travel agency. "But I don't think people know this part of the world yet. That's why we're trying to get as much information as we can."

The tour was arranged by local tourist bureaus throughout Illinois, including the Southern Illinois Tourism and Convention Bureau.

Mark Westhoff, president of the local bureau, said more people should be visiting Cahokia Mounds, one of the most famous archeological sites in the nation. About 400,000 people a year now visit the site.

"This is the premiere attraction for Southern Illinois," Westhoff said. "There should be at least 1 million people a year here."

The tour got generally good reviews from the foreigners, many of whom said they would recommend the area to clients but not for an extended vacation.

"This is something for repeat tourists, for someone who has gone to New York and Florida," said Peter Fahr, who works for German travel agency.

But Fahr said many German travel to the U.S. to take Route 66.

Congregation gathers week after bombing

details of the circumstances surrounding the incident.

Domestic battery

A Lincoln man faces domestic battery charges following a 12:10 p.m. Monday incident at a Palmer Avenue residence.

Keith Reijsselman, 29, was arrested 15

her warrant arrest.

Sweet tooth sabotage

A Lincoln man walked out to his car Monday morning to find sugar had been dumped in his gas tank.

According to police, the Ninth Street resident last saw his car in sound condi-

Police say the vehicle's them it appeared the vanda tempted to pry open the cover tank, but failed.

Rental rift

An absentee landlord former tenant may be behind

June 2, 1998

OBITUARY

Patsy Gehlbach

Patsy Arlene Gehlbach, 59, of rural Pomona, Mo., formerly of Lincoln, died at 9:45 a.m. Monday, June 1, 1998, at the Christian Nursing Home.



Mrs. Gehlbach was Protestant.

She was born Oct. 28, 1938, in Lincoln, a daughter of Arend "Arnie" and Lena Luken Lessen. She married Charles Gehlbach Sept. 21, 1957, in Lincoln. He survives.

Also surviving are her mother, Lena Theobald of Lincoln; one son, Jim Gehlbach of Lincoln; two daughters, Donna Becke of New Holland and Kathy Papesch of Lincoln; three brothers, Donald Lessen of Beason and Darrell Lessen and Gene Lessen, both of Lincoln; and four grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her father.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at Lincoln Christian Church with Gary Hall and the Rev. Harvey Gaither officiating. Burial will be in Harmony Cemetery, Beason.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to the Christian Nursing Home.

Coroner rules baby's mysterious death was natural

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHICAGO — When a premature baby born at Cook County Hospital developed reddening and blistering on his back, his family alleged the skin condition and ultimately his death may have been caused by a fiber optic blanket.

But on Monday Cook County Medical Examiner Edmund Donoghue said 4-day-old Michael McKinney Jr. died of natural causes unrelated to the skin condition. Donoghue said Michael, who was 1-pound, 5-ounces at birth, died in April from massive bleeding in his brain because he was premature.

Donoghue also said the infant's skin lesions and blistering were not thermal burns caused by a bilirubin blanket, but the result of a genetically inherited condition.

Michael was born April 10 at Cook County Hospital — 17 weeks prematurely. The family had him transferred to Lovell

Lincoln Data

Monday's high 79
Today's low 58
Record high 100 in 1934
Record low 41 in 1931
Sunrise Wednesday 5:30 a.m.
Sunset today 8:22 p.m.

Precipitation

to 8 a.m. today 0
Probabilities tonight 0 percent
Probabilities Wednesday 40 percent

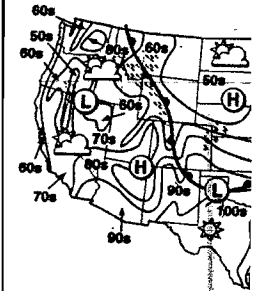
Local Forecast

Increasing cloudiness tonight, low 55 to 60 with northeast winds around 10 mph. Mostly cloudy and cooler Wednesday, with a chance of showers and thunderstorms, high in the upper 60s.

Extended Forecast

Chances of showers and thunderstorms daily Thursday through Saturday, highs around 70, lows in the 50s.

Expected sky conditions



FRONTS:
COLD WARM STATIONARY
PRECIPITATION:
H L SH W S R T F
HIGH LOW SHOWERS RAIN THUNDERSTORMS FLURRIES

MARKETS

Stocks

(Courtesy Edward Jones Investments)

Cat	55 1/16
Unicom	35 1/8
Citicorp	45 1/8
Illinova	29 11/16
Gen Tel	59 11/16
EK	71 3/4
PPG	73 1/4
Terra Industries	10 1/4
GE	82 9/16
Consolidated	19 15/16
Gen Mills	69 13/16
Wendys Intl. Inc	25 1/4
Tenneco	41 3/4
Eaton Corp	90 7/8
Walgreens	37 3/16
McDonalds	66 7/8
Anheuser Busch	46 11/16
Pfizer	103 1/16
Gold	289.80
Silver	5.13
Bank of Montreal	56 1/4
Wal-Mart	56 15/16
Dollar Gen.	39 5/16
New Holland NV.	23 3/4
Boise C.	32 13/16
Willamette	34 1/16
Kroger	43 1/4
Mycon	23 5/16
Penney's	72 13/16
Magna	55 1/4
Deere & Co.	52 1/16
Citicorp.	154 11/16
Case Corp.	56 1/16
Cbrl.	31 3/4
GM	72 1/2
Coca-Cola	79 1/4
IBM	115 1/4
Ag Chem	15 1/16
Amoco	41 11/16

Noon grain futures

(Courtesy Elkhart Grain Co.)

Corn		
July	2.40 1/4	up 1 1/2
Sept.	2.43 1/4	up 1 1/2
Dec.	2.45 1/4	up 1 1/4
Soybeans		
July	6.18 1/2	dn 3/4
Aug.	6.10 1/4	up 3/4
Nov.	5.88 1/2	up 2 1/2
Wheat		

JUL	2.86	up 2
SEP	2.96 1/2	up 2

Peoria livestock

PEORIA (AP) — Hogs: 600 Trading moderately active; barrows and gilts are .50 higher. 1-2 230-260 lb 41.50-42.00; 2-3 260-280 lb 40.00-41.50.

Sows: All weights are steady; 1-3 300-400 lb 29.00; 400-500 lb 30.00; 500-700 lb 31.00-32.00.

Boars: Over 300 lb 19.50; under 300 lb 29.00.

Interior livestock

SPRINGFIELD (AP) — Barrows and gilts: Are .50 higher; demand moderate for a light run.

1-2 230-260 lbs. 42.00-43.50, few 44.00; 2-3 230-260 lbs. 40.00-42.00.

Sows: 1.00 higher; 1-3 under 500 lbs. 26.00-29.00; 500-600 lbs. 28.00-31.00; over 600 lbs. 30.00-32.00.

Boars: under 300 lbs. 22.00-25.00; over 300 lbs. 17.00-19.00.

Board of Trade

CHICAGO (AP) — Grain and soybean futures bounced higher early today on the Chicago Board of Trade, finding support from forecasts for temperatures well below normal over the next week in Midwest growing regions.

The National Weather Service's forecast for cooler temperatures could slow the fast development of spring-planted crops and leave them vulnerable to hot temperatures predicted for late June and July.

The forecasts helped market participants shrug off U.S. Agriculture Department crop reports released late Monday that showed beneficial weather has left corn, soybean and spring wheat crops in excellent condition.

Wheat for July delivery rose 3 1/2 cents to \$2.87 1/2 a bushel; July corn rose 1 1/2 cent to \$2.40 1/4 a bushel; July oats rose 1 1/4 cents to \$1.30 a bushel; November soybeans rose 3 1/4 cents to \$5.89 3/4 a bushel.

Meat and livestock futures advanced on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange.

June live cattle rose .50 cent to 65.45 cents a pound; August feeder cattle rose .50 cent to 74.60 cents a pound; June lean hogs rose .52 cent to 62.32 cents a pound; July pork bellies rose 1.10 cents to 52.70 cents a pound.

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Encyclopedia publisher will try new

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHICAGO — Despite a shift toward online products, Encyclopaedia Britannica Inc. says it is committed to printing book versions of its venerable encyclopedia and will offer smaller "Ready Reference" sets in ma-

will offer its first 12 volumes, called the Micropaedia, for about \$499 suggested retail as a "starter" set, with hopes that customers at some point will buy the entire set. The volumes will be available to look through in the stores, but would be

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OBITUARIES

Genevieve Olson

LATHAM — Gehevieve P. "Gene" Olson, 90, of Latham, formerly of Detroit, Mich., died Sunday, May 31, 1998, at St. John's Hospital in Springfield.

Mrs. Olson's poetry was published in the Mount Pulaski News. She was a member of Latham Baptist Church.

She was born Aug. 29, 1907, in Toledo, Ohio, the daughter of Burton and Edna Clapp Perry. She married Arvine Olson in 1937. He died in 1966.

Several friends in the Latham and Springfield areas survive.

Memorial services will be conducted at Latham Baptist Church at a later date. Burial will be in Parkview Memorial Cemetery, Livonia, Mich.

Brintlinger Funeral Home, Decatur, is handling arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the Diana M. Joss Child Evangelism Fellowship, c/o Latham Baptist Church.

Doris Canada

Doris E. Canada, 66, of Davenport, Iowa, a Lincoln native, died at 8:41 a.m. Wednesday, June 3, 1998, at Genesis Medical Center West Campus, Davenport.

Mrs. Canada was a former employee of Stark's Supervalu store in Davenport.

She and her husband were members of the Quad City Wanderers Masonic Family Camping Club.

She was born June 12, 1931, in Lincoln, the daughter of Lonnie and Dollie Mier Robinson. She married Edwin Canada June 1, 1949, in Lincoln. He survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Ray Canada of Blue Grass,

Iowa, and Jim Canada of Muscatine, Iowa; one brother, Jesse Robinson of Lincoln; one sister, Trella Young of Riverview, Fla.; six grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Saturday at The Runge Mortuary and Crematory, Davenport, with the Rev. Don Swanson officiating. Burial will be in National Cemetery, Rock Island Arsenal.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Friday at the mortuary.

Memorials may be made to the family.

Marian Biehler

Marian Dale Biehler, 86, of Spanish Fort, Ala., formerly of Lincoln, died Saturday, May 30, 1998, at Westminster Village, Spanish Fort.

Mrs. Biehler was a registered private duty nurse.

She attended the Spanish Fort United Methodist Church and was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the American Association of Retired Persons.

She was born Sept. 11, 1911, in East Brady, Pa., a daughter of Lloyd and Minnie Wakelee Foster.

Surviving are two sons, Deane Biehler of Naples, Fla., and Dale Biehler of Newton, N.C.; one brother, Paul Foster of Clarence, N.Y.; four grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband.

Private family memorial services will be conducted.

Radney Funeral Home, Mobile, Ala., handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the American Lung Association or the American Cancer Society,

'Red tape' blamed

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHICAGO — A hospital that at first refused to help a teen-age gunshot victim a few feet from its door does not deserve all of the blame, a government watchdog group says.

Police and fire communications staff members may have squandered precious minutes in sending an ambulance — which arrived at the scene only to turn around and go right back, the Better Government Association said Wednesday.

"This is a classic picture of bureaucratic red tape woven into a rat's nest of catch-22s," said Terrence Brunner, executive director of the Better Government Association.

Christopher Sercey, 15, was shot May 16 outside Ravenswood Hospital. The hospital initially refused to bring him into the emergency room.

Ravenswood said it was unequipped for gunshot victims and, under the rules, only paramedics could bring him in.

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New salmonella outbreak

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Federal health authorities are investigating 177 cases of salmonella poisoning in 11 states to determine if there is a connection between the increased reports of the bacterial infection.

Illinois the leader

The list of states with confirmed cases of salmonella agona, according to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Illinois: 43

Thirty peo-

whether there is any link.

"We're using a particular type of computerized program that allows us to compare strains of these bacteria to determine ... whether or not there could be a single source," Skinner said today.

All the people were sickened by one strain of the salmonella bacteria called agona. Like other strains, it causes food poisoning and leads to flu-like symptoms such as headache, diarrhea, vom- iting and fever that can last from

OBITUARY

Edward Merriman

NEW HOLLAND — Edward Francis Merriman, 74, of New Holland died at 2:45 p.m. Wednesday, June 3, 1998, in Moweaqua.

Mr. Merriman was the retired owner/operator of Big M Amusements and was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

A U.S. Army veteran, he also was a member of the Masonic Lodge of Greenview and the Bloomington Consistory.

Mr. Merriman was born Oct. 5, 1923, in Whitehall, a son of Edward and Louise Sadler Merriman. He married Carolyn

Joyce Cory Jan. 1, 1947, in Whitehall. She survives.

Also surviving are three sons, David Merriman of Port Salerno, Fla., Timothy Merriman of New Holland and Earl Merriman of Middletown; one brother, Donald Merriman of Oglesby; one sister, Aretta Hall of Placerville, Calif.; five grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

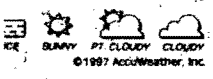
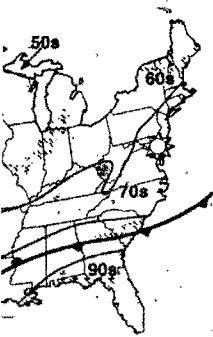
He was preceded in death by one brother and three sisters.

Memorial services and burial will be a later date.

He was cremated.

Seitz Funeral Home, Moweaqua, handled arrangements.

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sends out to the world that tell whether it is interested in growing economically or is more interested in placing vacant lots on the National Archives list of historic weed patches.

The population signs at our city's limits have shown 16,000 for decades. Decisions of the council like this one will ensure that there will be no need to change them anytime soon. Unless of course they need to be revised to something smaller.

Mike Fak is a small business owner and freelance writer who lives in Lincoln.

LETTER POLICY

Forum

The Courier welcomes Letterbox contributions. The space is available to readers free of charge. Please follow these guidelines:

■ Letters must be limited to about 200 words (five or six paragraphs).

■ Letters must be signed to be published. Anonymous letters will not be published.

■ A return address and telephone number must be included to verify the author.

The editor reserves the right to edit all submissions to fit available space.

Guest columns

The Courier welcomes guest columns from individuals with expertise in or special knowledge of the issue being addressed. Guest columns should be limited to about 500 words.

Opinions expressed in letters from readers and from guest columnists do not necessarily reflect the views of The Courier.

Letters or guest columns may be sent to: Managing editor, The Courier, 601 Pulaski St., Lincoln 62656 or faxed to 732-7039.

The other two are being sought by police. **Fly fishing infraction foiled.** A Centennial Courts woman foiled a De-

during a 7:14 p.m. Tuesday traffic stop at the corner of Sherman and Keokuk streets. Kevin Tibbs, 23, of 502 14th St. was arrested on a county warrant alleging he

Little Lam rice, peas, or • Odd Fello applesauce

OBITUARIES

Mary Hunter

Mary B. Hunter, 59, of Lincoln died at 3 p.m. Tuesday, June 9, 1998, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Hunter was retired after working 28 years as a Lincoln College receptionist. She was a member of Lincoln Christian Church.

She was born Aug. 30, 1938, in Lincoln, the daughter of Arthur and Dora Gordon McKinney. She married Thomas Hunter in Lincoln. He survives.

Also surviving are two brothers, Tom McKinney of Harrisburg and George McKinney of Pharr, Texas.

She was preceded in death by one daughter and her parents.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, with the Rev. Tom Gerdt officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Friday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association.

Gordon Werth

Funeral services for Gordon W. Werth will be held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at Zion Lutheran Church, New Holland, with the Rev. Mike Kettner officiating. Burial will be in Richmond Grove Cemetery, New Holland.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Mr. Werth, 45, of Lincoln was pronounced dead at 2:50 p.m. Monday, June 8, 1998, at his home.

He was a member of the New Holland church, the Sportsmen's Club and the Corvette Club.

Mr. Werth was born Feb. 24, 1953, in Lincoln, the son of Marvin "Bud" and Doris Ager Werth.

Survivors include his mother of Lincoln; one son, Christopher Werth of Lincoln; one daughter, Tiffany Werth of Morton; two brothers, Kenneth Werth of Lincoln and Richard Werth of New Holland; and one sister, Shirley Winterbauer of Lincoln.

Memorials may be made to his church or the American Lung Association.

Strength of newspaper advertising:

GAUGE RESPONSE FROM AD

Newspaper advertising allows immediate tracking of response to the ad, which helps the retailer determine what to do.

WEATHER

Lincoln Data

Tuesday's high 80
Today's high 57
Record low 97 in 1911
Record low 39 in 1913
Sunrise Thursday 5:28 a.m.
Sunset today 8:27 p.m.

Precipitation

to 7 a.m. today 0
Probabilities tonight 60 percent
Probabilities Thursday 80 percent

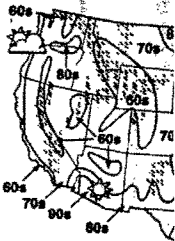
Local Forecast

Becoming cloudy tonight, with thunderstorms likely late and heavy rain possible, low in the mid- to upper 60s with south to southeast winds 5 to 10 mph. Occasional showers and thunderstorms Thursday, high 80 to 85.

Extended Forecast

A chance of showers and thunderstorms Friday, dry Saturday and Sunday, highs in the 80s, lows in the 60s.

Expected sky



FRONTS:



MARKETS

Stocks

(Courtesy Edward Jones Investments)

Cat	55
Unicorp	38 3/4
Cilcorp	45 3/4
Illinova	30 1/2
Gen Tel	58 13/16
EK	71 3/4
PPG	73 15/16
Terra Industries	91 1/16
GE	86 3/16
Consolidated	20 1/2
Gen Mills	70 9/16
Wendys Intl. Inc	24 1/2
Tenneco	41 3/16
Easton Corp.	89 3/4
Walgreens	39 9/16
Moodys	66 9/16
Anheuser Busch	48 1/16
Pfizer	110 3/4
Gold	293.20
Silver	5.32
Bank of Montreal	56
Wal-Mart	58 1/2
Dollar Gen.	40 3/4
New Holland NV	23 9/16
Bose C.	33 1/4
Willamette	32 5/16
Kroger	45 5/16
Mycogen	23 5/16
Permy's	76 3/4

Magna	563 1/16	ht
Deere&Co.	51 3/4	4C
Citicorp.	157	3C
Case Corp.	54 11/16	
Cbrl.	30 15/16	
GM	73 1/2	3C
Coca-Cola	81 1/4	lf
IBM	119 1/4	
Ag Chem	14 3/4	Av
Amoco	42 1/2	

Noon grain futures

(Courtesy Elkhart Grain Co.)

Corn		lb
July	2.31 3/4	dn 1/4
Sept.	2.35 1/2	dn 3/4
Dec.	2.39	dn 1
Soybeans		B
July	6.10	up 1
Aug.	5.98	up 3/4
Nov.	5.76	up 1 1/2
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Jul	2.78 1/4	up 1/4
Sep.	2.80	up 1/2

Peoria livestock

PEORIA (AP) — Hogs: 600. Trading moderately active; barrows and gilts are steady. 1-2 230-260 lb 42.50-43.00; 2-3 260-280 lb 41.00-42.50.

Judge allows Ameritech to keep luring Q

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHICAGO — Ameritech has permission from a federal court to continue soliciting long-distance customers for Qwest Communications even after another Baby Bell company, U S West, was barred from doing so.

Tuesday's ruling by U.S. District Judge Blanche M. Manning marks the latest turn in a struggle between local phone companies and big long-distance carriers like AT&T and MCI

Communications Corp. for control of the \$80 billion U.S. long-distance business.

"This confirms what we have said all along — that this relationship is good for customers and passes legal muster," said Ameritech spokesman Dave Pacholczyk.

Under the pact, Denver-based Qwest will pay Ameritech an undisclosed recruiting fee for each client in its local phone region that chooses Qwest for

to take that.

Now that "coach" is "dad," maybe he'll understand why we forced the issue. Maybe as a "dad" if this happens to his son, he will react the way we did. We hope so and we hope that he can change his attitude and become a better dad and a better man than he was a coach.

Glenn and Terri Shanle
Lincoln

'Bliss' no substitute for 'Beetle Bailey,' 'Blondie'

To the editor:

Many times over the years I have said someone should write a letter to the editor.

This time I really feel the need to do it. You have taken "Blondie" out of the comic section and replaced it with "Bliss." Very poor substitute. I didn't complain when you took out "Beetle Bailey" and some of my other favorites but now you have gone too far. Does it cost the paper less to run inferior comics?

"Cathy," "Fox Trot" and

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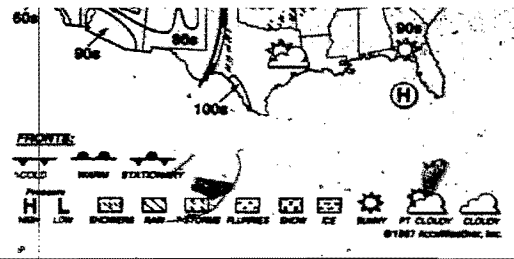
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Local Forecast

Mostly cloudy tonight, with a chance of showers and thunderstorms, low around 70 with southwest winds 5 to 10 mph. Partly sunny Friday, with a percent chance of thunderstorms. Very warm Saturday, high around 90.

Extended Forecast

A chance of showers and thunderstorms Saturday, highs in the 80s, lows in the 60s. Dry Sunday and Monday, highs in the 80s, lows in the 60s.



June 11, 1998

OBITUARIES

Alvin Donnan

Alvin L. Donnan, 75, of Lincoln died at 12:15 p.m. Wednesday, June 10, 1998, at his residence.

Mr. Donnan was a carpet layer for Kramer Carpet Co.

He was born Feb. 10, 1923, in Chestnut, a son of Ernest and Tena Seves Donnan. He married Esther Riedel April 23, 1949, in Detroit, Mich. She survives.

Also surviving are one brother, Harold Donnan of Lincoln; and three sisters, Evelyn Bateman of Lincoln, Marjorie Marquis of Mount Pulaski and Edna Strachan of Chestnut.

He was preceded in death by one brother and one sister.

Private funeral services will be Saturday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln. Burial will be in Laenna

Cemetery, Chestnut.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Saturday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Mount Pulaski American Legion Post 447.

James Ryan

EMDEN — James Ryan, 77, of Emden died at 5:05 a.m. Wednesday, June 10, 1998, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Ryan was an Emden area farmer and Prairie Creek Township drainage commissioner for many years.

He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Delavan, and the Logan County Farm Bureau.

Mr. Ryan was born July 28, 1920, in Emden, a son of Nichols and Lorene Quisenberry Ryan.

Surviving are one brother, Patrick Ryan of St. Joseph, Mich.; and one sister, Joan Folkes of San Jose.

He was preceded in death by three sisters.

A funeral mass will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Delavan, with the Rev. Gregory Jozefiak officiating. Burial will be in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, Delavan.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Friday at Woolsey Funeral Home, Delavan, with the rosary recited at 7:30 p.m.

Music catalog pioneer, Chicago native William Schwann dies

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

BURLINGTON, Mass. — William J. Schwann, an Illinois native who began the Schwann Record Catalog of music listings, has died. He was 85.

Schwann's first catalog, which he published in 1949, was 26 typewritten pages listing 674 long-playing records of works by 98 composers on 11 labels.

The initial run of 6,000 sold out within one week at 10 cents a catalog.

Schwann, who opened The Record Store in Cambridge in 1939, said he came up with the idea for the catalog when he got tired of having to look up recordings in different company lists.

The catalog grew to include listings of eight-track tapes, cassettes and CDs as well as LPs.

The listings have included classical, jazz and popular music, and comedy children's and self-help recordings. Some months, it listed as many as 45,000 recordings.

Schwann sold the catalog, now published twice year, to

ABC in 1976, but continued to run the operation for several years.

He was born in Salem, Ill., and came to Boston after stepping on a nail after graduating from the University of Louisville in Kentucky.

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So far, 16 people have been charged in Silver Shovel, which surfaced in January 1996, 3½ years after the investigation began. Since then, 11 defendants have been convicted, with nine of those still awaiting sentencing. One has been acquitted.

June 12, 1998

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Magna	5494
Deere's Co.	451/16
Citicorp.	150
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Board of Trade opening

CHICAGO (AP) — Grain and soybean futures were mostly lower early today on the Chicago Board of Trade amid expectations spring crops will benefit from recent rains and

June live cattle a pound; August 75.65 cents a cwt to 61.57¢ of fall 1 cent to 60.

OBITUARIES

Pauline Skinner

Pauline McAfee Skinner, 75, of St. Petersburg, Fla., formerly of Lincoln, died at 8:05 a.m. Thursday, June 11, 1998, at her daughter's residence in St. Petersburg.

Holland and Barry Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

Francis Peifer

Francis J. Peifer, 91, of Midfield, Ala., a Lincoln native, died Monday, June 8, 1998, in Alabama.

Mr. Peifer was a retired civil engineer with American Bridge. He was a former member of St. Anthony's Catholic Church, Birmingham.

He was a graduate of Tri-State College in Angola, Ind., and was a U.S. Army veteran who served in India from 1942 to 1945.

Mr. Peifer was born Feb. 11,

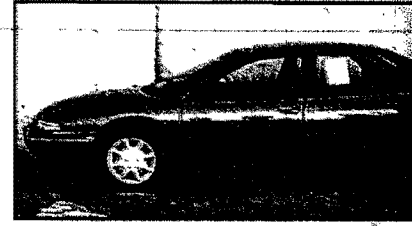
1907, in Lincoln, a son of Frank and Margaret Peifer. He married Ethel Roberts in May 1948. She survives.

Also surviving are one daughter, Carol Ann Methvin of Birmingham, Ala.; one son, Stephen Peifer of Portland, Ore.; two sisters, Katherine Peifer and Dorothy Morrow, both of Lincoln; one brother, Vincent Peifer of Lincoln; and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one brother and one sister.

Funeral services were held Thursday at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Birmingham, with the Rev. John Igoe officiating. Burial was in Valhalla Cemetery, Birmingham.

Angwin Mortuary Center, Birmingham, Ala., handled arrangements.



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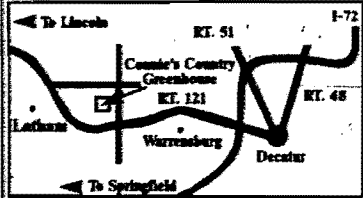
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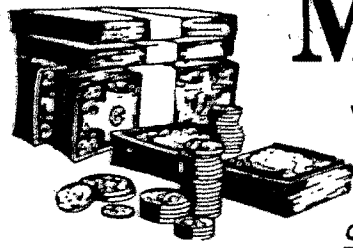
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Stella McCray

Stella Flossie McCray, 93, of Lincoln, died at 7:30 p.m. June 11, 1998, at Maple Ridge Health Care Center.



Mrs. McCray

She worked at Lincoln Inn and Hotel Lincoln in the laundry departments, and at Lincoln Garment Factory as a seamstress.
 Mrs. McCray was a member of the Lincoln Christian Church. She was born Sept. 20, 1904, in Keenes, the daughter of Frank and Clara Austin Russell. She married Walter John McCray Jr. March 22, 1923 in Lincoln. He died Dec. 9, 1970.

Survivors include five sons, Leroy, Kenneth, Ronald and Paul, all of Lincoln, and Harold McCray of Canyon Lake, Tex.; two daughters, Norma Anderson of Lincoln and Betty Heckler of Riverton; one brother, Charles Russell of California; three sisters, Rosie Cisco, Margaret Cisco and Myrtle Tremain, all of Springfield; 20 grandchildren, 52 great-grandchildren and 10 great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, three sisters, two grandsons and one great-grandson.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, with Tom Gerdts officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Meals on Wheels.

Pauline Skinner

Funeral services for former Lincoln resident Pauline Skinner will be at 10 a.m. Monday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Robert Schacht officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

There is no visitation.
 Mrs. Skinner, 75, of St. Petersburg, Fla., died at 8:05 a.m. Thursday, June 11, 1998, at her daughter's residence in St. Petersburg.

She was a Lincoln Community High School graduate.

Her family owned and operated McAfee Electric in the 1950s and '60s. She was a nursing home field auditor in the early '70s and in recent years, she had worked with her daughter and son-in-law in their Clearwater, Fla., business.

Mrs. Skinner participated in Masonic activities in Indianapolis with her husband Lewis before they moved to Florida in the early '80s.

She was born Aug. 4, 1922, in Lincoln, a daughter of Charles and Alta Smith McAfee. She married Lewis Skinner Nov. 7, 1970, in Indianapolis, Ind. He preceded her in death.

Surviving are one son, James Barry of Middletown; one daughter, Sharon Newby of St. Petersburg, Fla.; one brother, Robert McAfee of Springfield; and three grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Methodist Children's Home, c/o Holland and Barry Funeral Home, 325 Pekin St., Lincoln, Ill. 62656.

Ples Goodin

MASON CITY — Ples Goodin, 89, of Pekin, formerly of Mason City, died at 6:25 a.m. Friday, June 12, 1998, at Pekin Manor.

Mr. Goodin had worked for CNW Railroad.

He was born Dec. 9, 1908, in Taylor County, Ky., a son of Charles and Emma Davis Goodin.

Several nieces and nephews survive.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at Cain-Hurley Funeral Home, Mason City, with the Rev. Daniel Brown officiating. Burial will be in Mason City Cemetery.

There is no visitation.

Roy Adams

Roy "Cy" H. Adams, 97, of Easton, father of a Lincoln man, died at 11 a.m. Friday, June 12, 1998, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Adams was a member of the Easton Baptist Church and the Mason County Farm Bureau.

He was born Dec. 24, 1900, in Crane Creek Township, a son of John and Sarah Walker Adams.

Mr. Adams married Mildred Stone in Havana June 8, 1932. She survives.

Also surviving are one son, Ron of Lincoln; five grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by three sisters, a brother and a grandchild.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at Cain-Hurley Funeral Home, Mason City, with the Rev. Don Hoover officiating. Burial will be in Walker's Grove Cemetery, Easton.

Visitation is one hour before services.

Memorials may be made to the Easton Baptist Church.

Son pleads not guilty to shooting father

By KRISTEN McQUEARY
 COPLEY NEWS SERVICE

counsel. A status hearing on the case is scheduled for July 21.

Lincoln Data

Friday's high	87
Today's low	61
Record high	96 in 1952
Record low	42 in 1913
Sunset today	8:28 p.m.
Sunrise Sunday	5:28 a.m.

Precipitation

to midnight Friday	02
Probabilities tonight	40 percent
Probabilities Sunday	50 percent

Local Forecast

Mostly sunny today with the high in the lower or middle 80s, increasing cloudiness tonight with the low in the lower 60s. Mostly cloudy Sunday with a chance of thunderstorms and a high in the lower 80s.

Extended Forecast

Chances of showers and thunderstorms Monday and Tuesday with highs around 80 and lows around 60.

Licensed to wed

Steven Wayne Lairson and Donna Sue Justice, both of Pekin

Larry Dean Bedwell and Sharon Kay Smith, both of Lincoln

Todd Allen Stoll and Laurie LeeAnn Sharp, both of Mount Pulaski

Christopher Eugene Holt and Tonya Sue Hayford, both of Athens

Rich Lee Dinger and Gwen Faith Brown, both of Lincoln

Kevin Dean Dabbs and Terry Lynn Melton, both of Lincoln

Morris Lee Shaver III and Melissa Joanne Waltz, both of Lincoln

Thomas James Tibbs and Ronda Beth Robertson, both of Lincoln

Joseph Warren Kretzinger and Tiffany Lynn Gibbs, both of Lincoln

Senior Menu

Monday
 Beef stew, corn with French dress

Tuesday
 Chicken ala king salad, cookie

Wednesday
 Barbecued john Tots, slaw, Jell-O

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Bobbie James Bryan of rural Shirley and Jodi Lee Bryan of Lincoln

Christopher George Hoffman of Lincoln and Tonia L. Hoffman of Chicago

School Menus

For Monday

- Little Lambs Daycare Center — Bologna sandwich, carrots, peaches
- Odd Fellow Day Care — Hot dogs, fries, beets, peaches

Gammon, who was the dean at Eureka College.

OBITUARIES

James Leathers

James R. "Buck" Leathers, 60, of Lincoln died at 9:30 a.m. Sunday, June 14, 1998, at his residence.

Mr. Leathers retired in 1976 from the maintenance department at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital. He had farmed in Broadwell Township for many years.

He was a Protestant.

Mr. Leathers was born April 11, 1938, in Broadwell, a son of Roy and Carrie Welker Hahn Leathers.

Surviving are his mother of Lincoln; two sons, James Leathers of Lincoln and Brian Leathers of Grover Beach, Calif.; two sisters, Jean Mellott of Lincoln and Peggy Lahmeyer of Springfield; one brother, Jack Leathers of Stanford, Va.; and two grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one sister.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with Elaine Woolard officiating. Burial will be in Elkhart Cemetery.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Wednesday.

Memorials may be made to the Diabetes Foundation.

Oran Buckles

Oran Ferril Buckles, 90, of Lincoln died at 12:02 a.m. Saturday, June 13, 1998, at Maple Ridge Health Care Centre.

Mr. Buckles was a retired farmer and a graduate from Latham High School.

He was a member of First United Methodist Church, the Oasis Senior Citizens Center, and the Jolly Seniors.

Mr. Buckles was born April 10, 1908, in rural Latham, a son of Oran and Dora Howe Buckles. He married Gladys Lucille Everly Feb. 8, 1936, in Lincoln. She died Jan. 21, 1998.

Surviving are one son, Paul Buckles of Lincoln; and two brothers, Lester Buckles of Mount Zion and Ralph Buckles of Mount Pulaski.

He also was preceded in death by a brother and a sister.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m.

Wednesday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, with the Rev. Larry Maffett officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Wednesday.

Memorials may be made to his church, the Oasis Senior Citizens Center or the Jolly Seniors of Lincoln Christian Church.

Elma Ferguson

Elma E. Ferguson, 99, of Lincoln died at 1:01 p.m. Friday, June 12, 1998, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Ferguson was born March 9, 1899, in Pleasant Hill, a daughter of Lucious and Laura Williams Sackett. She married Herbert Ferguson Oct. 12, 1917. He died in 1980.

Her survivors include a grandson, Scott Ferguson of Lincoln.

She was preceded in death by two sons, five brothers, four sisters and one grandson.

Graveside services were today at East Lawn Memorial Gardens, Bloomington, with the Rev. Richard Mick officiating.

East Lawn Funeral Home, Bloomington, handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to Park United Methodist Church, Bloomington, or to New Wine Fellowship.

Lillian Morris

Lillian Faye Morris, 75, of Lincoln died at 8:15 p.m. Friday, June 12, 1998, at Bartmann Health Care Center, rural Atlanta.

Mrs. Morris was retired from Stetson China Factory. She retired in 1986 as a Lincoln Developmental Center child care worker. She was a member of Lincoln Christian Church.

She was born Nov. 2, 1922, in Clinton, the daughter of Robert and Virgie Crubaugh Linton. She married James Morris April 24, 1942, in Clinton. He died April 5, 1988.

Surviving are one son, Donald "Butch" Morris of San Carlos, Calif.; one daughter, Nita Rybolt of Lincoln; one stepson, James Morris of Broadwell; two stepdaughters,

Joan Sanders of Lincoln and Elnora Young of Florida; two sisters, Dorothy Mandrell and Jean Schermer, both of Clinton; eight grandchildren; five stepgrandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; eight stepgreat-grandchildren; and two stepgreat-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one daughter, one granddaughter and two sisters.

Funeral services will be at 5 p.m. Tuesday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, with Terry Davis officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Tuesday.

Memorials may be made to the St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, Hospice of Central Illinois.

Betty Cheek

ATLANTA — Betty R. Cheek, 71, of Atlanta died at 7:10 a.m. Sunday, June 14, 1998, at Hopedale Medical Complex.

Mrs. Cheek retired in 1988 from Nestle-Beich Corp., Bloomington, as customer relations manager. She was a member of Atlanta Christian Church.

She was born March 1, 1927, in Atlanta, the daughter of Merle and Nellie Garnet Brandt. She married Sharon Cheek Nov. 9, 1945, in New Orleans, La. He survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Joe Cheek of Pekin and Craig Cheek of Mesa, Ariz.; three brothers, Jack Brandt of Oceanside, Calif., Gene Brandt of Lebanon, and Roy Brandt of Pleasant Hills; two sisters, Mary Jones of Ann Arbor, Mich., and Wanda Pond of Thornton; and six grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one son, two brothers and two sisters.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Atlanta Christian Church, with David Harmon officiating. Burial will be in Atlanta Cemetery.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Wednesday.

Quiram Funeral Home, Atlanta, is handling arrangements.

Felonies are common on Chicago's 'L'

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHICAGO (AP) — Felony crimes happen on the Chicago Transit Authority's "L" at a greater rate than they do on similar systems in Boston, Atlanta and Washington, according to a federal report that encourages making transit systems safer.

The report — published in a National Institute of Justice study and reported in today's Chicago Sun-Times — tallied serious crimes, such as murders, rapes, robberies and aggravated

WEATHER

<p>Lincoln Data</p> <p>Sunday's high 78 Today's low 65 Record high 102 in 1987 Record low 43 in 1927 Sunrise Tuesday 5:28 a.m. Sunset today 8:29 p.m.</p>		<p>Expected sky conditions for tomorrow</p>
<p>Precipitation</p> <p>to 7 a.m. today 70 Probabilities tonight 40 percent Probabilities Tuesday 40 percent</p>		
<p>Local Forecast</p> <p>Mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms, low in the low 60s with west winds becoming southwest 5 to 10 mph. Mostly cloudy Tuesday, with a chance of showers, high in the upper 70s.</p>		
<p>Extended Forecast</p> <p>Dry Wednesday and Friday with a chance of showers</p>		

mate, Robert Petro, 19, on charges of obstructing justice. He gave us false information that wanted A wanted Lincoln woman surrendered to police at the county jail Monday.

Knives knocked off Thieves snuck off

OBITUARIES

Henry Hilst

MASON CITY — Henry Junior Hilst, 74, of Mason City died at 10:25 a.m. Monday, June 15, 1998, at St. John's Hospital, Springfield.

Mr. Hilst was a steam pipe fitter at Corn Products in Peoria.

He was a member of Christ Lutheran Church in Mason City for 45 years and had held several offices in the church.

Mr. Hilst was executive secretary of Forbalance Inc. of the Missouri Synod Lutheran Church and was a past officer of the synod's Central Illinois District.

He was born Dec. 10, 1923, in Manito, a son of Henry and Mamie Weyhrich Hilst. He married Eileen Laumeier June 25, 1944, in Manito. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Gary Hilst and Keith Hilst, both of Mason City; one daughter, Yvonne Roth of Springfield; one brother, Nelson Hilst of Manito; one sister, Irma Weyhrich of Manomonee Falls, Wis.; seven grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Christ Lutheran Church, Mason City, with the Rev. Ray Bell officiating. Burial will be in Mason City Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Styninger Funeral Home, Mason City.

Memorials may be made to his church.

Oran Buckles

Funeral services for Oran Ferril Buckles will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, with the Rev. Larry Maffett officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Wednesday.

Mr. Buckles, 90, of Lincoln died at 12:02 a.m. Saturday, June 13, 1998, at Maple Ridge Health Care Centre.

This information is rerun to correct the site of the funeral service and visitation, which were wrong in The Courier Monday.

The newspaper regrets the error.

AMA urges bill of rights for managed-care

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHICAGO — Dismissing claims that the cost would be huge, American Medical Association leaders are pushing Congress to act on measures designed to protect the rights of managed-care patients.

Dr. Thomas Reardon, chair-

Lincoln Data

Monday's high..... 78
Today's low..... 63
Record high..... 102 in 1918
Record low..... 35 in 1917
Sunrise Wednesday..... 5:28 a.m.
Sunset today..... 8:29 p.m.

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to 7 a.m. today..... 34
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Probabilities Wednesday..... 40 percent

Local Forecast

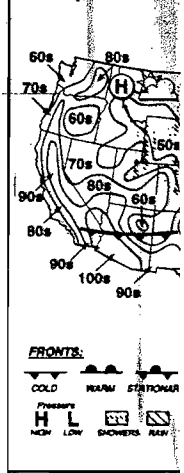
Fair tonight, low 60 to 65 with west winds 5 to 10 mph becoming southwest. Partly sunny and warmer Wednesday, high in the mid-80s.

Extended Forecast

Chance of showers and thunderstorms Thursday and Friday, highs in the 80s, lows in the 60s. Dry Saturday, highs around 90, lows around 70.

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THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

DANVILLE — Mayor Bob Jones is discussing plans to improve his city by slating nearly 200 homes for demolition, when a man strides into the room and asks if the mayor intends to "set us out in the street."

Robert Hunter, wearing paint-splattered clothes, details for Jones what he's done to maintain the mint-green stucco house where his elderly father lives — boarding up windows, trimming the trees and mowing the lawn so illegal dumpers will not consider it an easy target.

"It may not look pretty to some people, but I've seen some rougher ones," Hunter said.

Jones assures Hunter the city's aim is not to make residents homeless and that many of the homes on the demolition list will not be torn down — if their owners take some pride in their property.

"As long as you're trying, we're going to work with you," Jones said.

The demolition list is Jones' way of trying to remedy the blight that has plagued Danville for years. In many neighborhoods, tidy homes share the block with houses with caved-in roofs, sagging porches or broken

Since the demolition list of 196 homes and two commercial buildings was made public in March, Jones has been criticized by people like Hunter, who say they are doing as much as poor people can to keep up their property.

Others were upset by Jones' initial proposal to fund the project by issuing \$3 million in bonds to be paid back through increased property taxes. Others said they did not belong on the demolition list, which was compiled by city employees who judged the property based on outside appearances.

But Jones remains convinced he is doing the right thing for Danville, a blue-collar city of 35,000 that has seen better days.

"Basically what we're trying to do is help the neighborhoods," Jones said. "You have a nice home, but next to it is a house in disrepair. It drags your property value down. It drags the whole neighborhood's property value down."

"I think it's a question of quality of life. And the government, that's part of our responsibility. We can't shirk that."

Of the 196 homes, Jones envisions about 100 to 125 actually

test with Dr. Raymond Scalettar of Washington for president of the AMA. The winner will serve as the president-elect for a year and then succeed Dr. Nancy Dickey, who is about to be sworn in as the group's first woman president.

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OBITUARIES

Brianne Bacon

Brianne Marie Bacon, 10, daughter of Rick and Stacy Leake Bacon of Lincoln, died at 10:17 a.m. Wednesday, June 17, 1998 at St. John's Hospital in Springfield.



Brianne

Brianne was a member of the Zion Lutheran Church in Lincoln and had just completed fourth grade at Northwest School, where in spite of her illness she achieved high honors.

She was a member of the Creative Solutions girls softball team and was an avid collector of Beanie Babies and Barbie dolls. Her hobbies included swimming, drawing and listening to music.

Brianne was born Dec. 13, 1987 in Lincoln.

Survivors besides her parents include a brother, Brandon Ray Bacon, at home, grandparents, Michael and Shirley Leake and JoAnn Bacon, all of Lincoln, and her great-grandmother, Mary Bacon of Lincoln.

She was preceded in death by her maternal great-grandparents and paternal great-grandfather.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Zion Lutheran Church, with the Rev. Mark Carnahan officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery, Lincoln.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital, American Brain Tumor Association or Dream Factory, Pekin Chapter.

Ruth Bidner

Ruth Bidner, 84, of Lincoln, died at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 17, 1998, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Bidner was a member of St. John United Church of Christ, Lincoln, where she had taught Sunday school, played in the bell choir and belonged to the Charity Guild and Christian Seekers.

She sponsored two Asian refugee families and had collected glass for missions for over 25 years.

Mrs. Bidner, an avid gardener and floriculture exhibitor, also was a member of the Tri-City Ladies Club, and the Central Illinois Rose and American Rose societies. She had belonged to the Rebekahs and the ALIMH Auxiliary. She was a Pink Shutter volunteer and a CIEDC volunteer for home-delivered meals.

She was born April 22, 1914, in Lincoln, a daughter of Otto and Edith Dierker Bloes. She married Earl Bidner Jan. 21, 1950 in Lincoln. He survives.

Also surviving are one daughter, Verdeen Ingram of Lincoln; and two grandchildren.

Her funeral will be at 1 p.m. Saturday at St. John United Church of Christ, with the Rev. Richard Reinwald officiating. Burial will be in New Union Cemetery, Lincoln.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home and one hour before the service at the church Saturday.

Memorials may be made to her church.

Jacob Klokkenga

EMDEN — Jacob Elmer "Mike" Klokkenga, 84, of Emden died at 2:05 p.m. Wednesday, June 17, 1998, at Methodist Medical Center, Peoria.

Mr. Klokkenga was a retired Prairie Creek Township farmer and had served on the Emden Farmer's Grain Elevator board.

He was an active member of the American Shorthorn Association and had been named a "Builder of the Breed."

Mr. Klokkenga was a member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Emden, the church Brotherhood, had served on the church council, and was on the building fund committee.

He was born March 28, 1914, in rural Emden, a son of Nanke and Johanna Bruns Klokkenga. He married Maxine Brackney May 8, 1943, in Lincoln. She survives.

Also surviving are one son, James Klokkenga of Emden; one daughter, Janice Campbell of San Jose; and five grandchildren. He was preceded in death by one brother and three sisters and was the last surviving member of his immediate family.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Emden, with the

Rev. Darby Lawrence officiating. Burial will be in Hartsburg Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Friday and a half hour before the service Saturday at the church.

Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to his church.

Norland Hougham

Norland J. "Coon" Hougham, 70, of Wapella, father of a Lincoln woman, died at 5:25 a.m. today, June 18, 1998, at OSF St. Joseph Medical Center, Bloomington.

Mr. Hougham retired from farming in 1989. He also retired the same year from the Eureka Co. after 38 years of service.

He was born Sept. 11, 1927 at rural Heyworth, a son of Norland and Malvola Hurd Hougham. He married Nellie Bradford Feb. 24, 1952 at Downs. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Debra Collier of Lincoln and Vicki Meanda of Wapella; one son, Norman of Wapella; one brother, Alden Lee Hougham of Heyworth; one sister, Isadore Nusz of Perrington, Tex.; seven grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Memorial Park Cemetery, Clinton.

Visitation will be after 9:30 a.m. Saturday at Herrington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton.

Memorials may be made to the American Lung Cancer Society.

Jason LaForge

Jason Scott LaForge, 4-day-old son of Aaron Scott and Jennifer Ann Gahn LaForge of Lexington, died at 12:37 p.m. Wednesday, June 17, 1998, at OSF St. Francis Medical Center, Peoria.

Jason was born June 13, 1998, in Peoria.

Surviving besides his parents are his paternal grandparents, Kevin and Kimberly LaForge of Lexington; his maternal grandparents, Frank and Marta Hildabrandt of Chenoa; his paternal great-grandparents, David and Ann LaForge of Lincoln; and his maternal great-great-grandmother, Eileen Buchholz

of Lincoln. Private graveside services, be in Richmond Grove Cemetery, New Holland, with Rod Adelspergers officiating.

There is no visitation. Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, handled arrangements.

Nancy Irwin

MOUNT PULASKI — Na Darlene Irwin, 56, of Mount Pulaski, formerly of rural Beadied at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 17, 1998, at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield.

Mrs. Irwin farmed and worked for Elkhart Grain and Agland-FS in Lincoln.

She was a member of Beadied United Methodist Church, North Aetna Home Extensions and the Logan County Farm reau.

Mrs. Irwin was born Oct. 1941, in Lincoln, a daughter of Louis and Marilyn Mue French. She married Robert win Jan. 22, 1961, in Mount Pulaski. He died Aug. 11, 1975.

Surviving are her mother, Marilyn Schaffenacker of Mount Pulaski; one son, Michael Irwin of Beason; daughter, Susan Mendenthal Buffalo; two sisters, Judith C per of Mount Pulaski and Barbara Dodge of Newman; five grandchildren.

She also was preceded in death by a son.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Beason United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Bob Baker officiating. Burial will be in Harmony Cemetery, Beason.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski.

Memorials may be made to the Regional Cancer Center Memorial Medical Center, Springfield, or to her church.

Ralph Loveall

MOUNT PULASKI — R. E. Loveall, 72, of Jacob Minn., formerly of Mount Pulaski, died early today, Thursday, June 18, 1998, at his residence.

Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, is handling arrangements.

Chicago plans to spend \$2 billion on O'Hare upgrade

MARKETS

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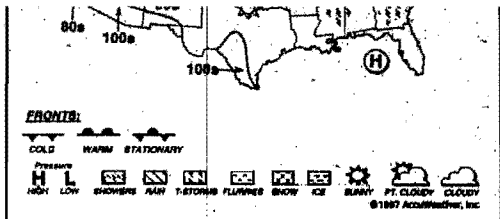
Large of the recent run-up to profit. Prices were pressured by relatively weak week port sales.

Local Forecast

Fair tonight, low in the mid- to upper 60s with south winds 5 to 10 mph. Partly sunny and hot Saturday, high in the low 90s.

Extended Forecast

Chances of thunderstorms daily Sunday through Tuesday, highs around 90, lows around 70.



June 19, 1998

OBITUARIES

Florence Ruff

Florence P. Ruff, 80, of Lincoln died at 12:10 p.m. Thursday, June 18, 1998, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Ruff retired in 1982 after 27 years of employment at Lincoln Developmental Center.

She was a member of Zion Lutheran Church.

She was born Dec. 17, 1917, in Logan County, a daughter of Forrest and Hester Rohrer Downing. She married Henry P. Ruff May 9, 1938, in Clayton Co., Mo. He died July 23, 1992.

Survivors include a son, Lyle H. Ruff of Lincoln; a daughter, Linda Matz of Crown King, Ariz.; a brother, Forrest Downing Jr. of Lincoln; five sisters, Mary Sarri of Painesville, Ohio, Barbara Miller of Jacksonville, Fla., Dorothy Hoebert of Greenville and Bertie Bowns and Virginia Broughton, both of Lincoln; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a daughter and a brother.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Monday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home with the Rev. Mark Carnahan officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the American Diabetes Association.

Ralph Loveall

MOUNT PULASKI — Funeral services for Ralph E. Loveall, 72, of Jacobson, Minn., will be at 10 a.m. Monday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, with the Rev. John Schurter officiating.

Burial with military rites will be at 2 p.m. Monday in Lortzen Cemetery, Cowden.

Visitation will be from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

Mr. Loveall, a former resident of Mount Pulaski, died at 1:58 a.m. Thursday, June 18, 1998, in

his home.

He was retired from the waste management disposal business. He was an Army veteran of World War II.

He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Mount Pulaski.

Mr. Loveall was born May 17, 1926, in Macon County, the son of Raymond and Carrie Jones Loveall.

Survivors include two brothers, Steve Loveall of Mount Pulaski and Herbert Loveall of Illinois; two sons, Jay Loveall of Lincoln and Dennis Loveall of New Holland; two daughters, Londa Hohimer of Center, Texas and Janet Busch of Dallas, Texas; 10 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and a companion, Betty Crampton of Blaine, Minn.

He was preceded in death by a sister and a brother.

Memorials may be made to St. John's Hospice, Springfield.

Gang boss Hoover gets life sentence

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHICAGO — A Chicago gang leader described as head of "the largest monolithic criminal organization in the country" has been sentenced to life in federal prison.

Gangster Disciples leader Larry Hoover, 48, was sentenced Thursday for masterminding a drug-selling operation in 35 states that prosecutors said brought in \$100 million a year.

"He was the leader of the largest monolithic criminal organization in the country," said prosecutor Ronald Safer.

U.S. District Judge Harry Leinenweber imposed the life sentence — which was mandatory given Hoover's criminal record and the seriousness of the charges.

The case stemmed from a six-year federal effort to break the back of the drug-selling Gangster Disciples street gang, a violent group with thousands of members.

Seven Disciples including

"He was the leader of the largest monolithic criminal organization in the country."

— Prosecutor Ronald Safer.

Hoover were convicted in May 1997 of running the gang like a Fortune 500 corporation as it spread a sea of cocaine throughout Chicago and other cities.

Hoover was accused of masterminding Disciples drug operations for 21 years from state prison cells while serving a murder sentence of 150 to 200 years.

Hoover's co-defendants are to be sentenced later.

Federal agents used a telephone tap on a South Side seafood diner to make tapes of gang members as they directed collections of drug money from around the city.

The government also made tapes of Hoover plotting gang business. The tapes were made through a wafer-thin microphone

attached to visitor tags of those who went to see Hoover in the Vienna Correctional Center.

Hoover, now being held in the federal maximum security prison at Marion spoke only briefly at the sentencing. He complained that he had not been given a proper hearing on whether the tapes should have been allowed into evidence.

Defense attorneys did not dispute that Hoover was the leader of the Gangster Disciples, a gang that sprang from Chicago's run-down Englewood area in the 1960s and is now the city's largest.

At the trial, they did say that Hoover had changed in prison and was now trying to turn the gang into a self-help group to improve the community.

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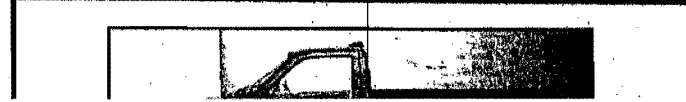
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Robert Loveless

Robert "Pee Wee" Loveless, 23, of Winona, Minn., formerly of Lincoln, died Monday, June 15, 1998, at his home.

He was born June 21, 1974, in Lincoln, a son of Howard and Nonnie Skelton Loveless.

Survivors include his mother of Winona; a son, Jerod Rice of Lincoln; two brothers, John Loveless of Lincoln and Howard Loveless of Money Creek, Minn.; and one sister, Mary Vaughn of Newnan, Ga.

He was preceded in death by his father.

Mr. Loveless was cremated. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday at the first pavilion at Ed Madigan State Park.

Wilbur Buse

NEW HOLLAND — Wilbur Buse, 84, of New Holland died at 4:15 p.m. Friday, June 19, 1998, at St. John's Hospital in Springfield.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at New Holland Zion Lutheran Church with the Rev. Mike Kettner officiating. Burial will be in Richmond Grove Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Monday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home.

son. Paternal grandparents are Debbie and Walter Maus of Chestnut.

Her great-grandparents are Fern Maus of Chestnut and Mary Louise and Willard Remert of Mount Pulaski.

Emily shares her middle name with her late great-grandmother Wardie Roselda Schroth.

Michelle Lea and Scott Lee Fulk of Normal.

His maternal grandparents are Cathy and Craig Zastrow of Beloit, Wis. Paternal grandparents are Joy and Dan Fulk of Lincoln.

His great-grandparents are Thelma Fulk and Mina Samp-

was born Monday July at Abraham Lincoln Hospital in Lincoln son of Amy Elizabeth Eugeniu Vasily Sv Thompson Drive.

Elijah was named after his father and his great-grandfather.

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sharply on Friday amid fears El Niño could lead to a Midwestern drought this summer.

Wheat for July delivery fell 4 cents to \$2.85 a bushel; July corn fell 6 cents to \$2.48 1/2 a bushel; July oats fell 1 1/2 cents to \$1.21 a bushel; November soybeans fell 6 1/2 cents to \$6.15 1/2 a bushel.

Live cattle and lean hog futures were mixed on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, while feeder cattle advanced and pork bellies retreated.

August live cattle fell .10 cent to 64.97 cents a pound; August feeder cattle rose .33 cent to 72.50 cents a pound; July lean hogs fell .85 cent to 61.92 cents a pound; July pork bellies fell 2.10 cents to 57.32 cents a pound.

Wall Street at noon

NEW YORK (AP) — Stocks were little changed today in a hesitant start to what figures to be a week dominated by the profit outlook for the nearly complete second quarter.

At noon on Wall Street, the Dow Jones industrial average was down 0.50 at 8,712.37 after meandering from an early 18-point gain to a 28-point loss.

Broader stock indicators were mixed, with the market holding steady despite disappointment that Japan offered no concrete plans to revive its economy and strengthen the yen at a weekend finance meeting.

The Standard & Poor's 500 Index was up 4.04 at 1,104.70, and the technology-heavy Nasdaq composite index was up 5.49 at 1,786.78.

Advancing issues outnumbered decliners by a slim margin on the New York Stock Exchange, where volume came to 219.81 million shares, down sharply from Friday's busy pace.

The NYSE composite index was up 1.75 at 565.87, and the American Stock Exchange composite index was down 0.58 at 693.39.

Overseas, Tokyo's Nikkei stock average rose 0.3 percent. In afternoon trading, Frankfurt's DAX index was down 0.8 percent and London's FT-SE 100 was down 0.7 percent.

Finance officials from around the world, including Deputy U.S. Treasury Secretary Lawrence Summers, met in Tokyo over the weekend, urging Japan to stimulate its economy and clean up a bad debt problem. But Japan unveiled no new measures to accomplish those goals.

On Friday, stocks fell sharply Friday, capping a volatile week dominated by Japan's economic troubles and a rare U.S. effort to help stabilize the yen.

OBITUARY

Wilbur Buse

NEW HOLLAND — Funeral services for Wilbur Buse, 84,

will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at New Holland Zion Lutheran Church, with the Rev. Mike Kettner officiating. Burial, with military rites, will be in Mr. Buse



Richmond Grove Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. today at Holland & Barry Funeral Home.

Mr. Buse, of New Holland, died at 4:15 p.m. Friday, June 19, 1998, at St. John's Hospice in Springfield.

He was retired after serving as president of the New Holland Farmer's Bank. Prior to working at the bank, he ran George Buse and Son, a grocery store and locker plant in New Holland. He also served 18 years as the mayor of New Holland.

He was a member of New Holland Zion Lutheran Church, serving as a Sunday School teacher, president of the church council and in various other offices.

Mr. Buse was a founding member of the New Holland Fire Department, a former member and secretary of the New Holland High School Board of Education, treasurer for the Public Building Commission of Logan County and treasurer of the Abraham Lincoln Hospital Board of Trustees. He was the Courier Man of the Month in March 1970.

During World War II, he served with the 5th Tank Battalion, U.S. Marines, on Iwo Jima. He was a member and past commander of New Holland American Legion Post No. 715 and a former member of Logan County 40 et 8.

He was born Dec. 2, 1913, in New Holland, the son of George and Hannah Habeck Buse. He married Marian Engelbrecht Feb. 16, 1947, in New Holland. She survives.

Other survivors include one son, Richard Buse of Loda; one daughter, Mary Conery of Everett, Wash.; one sister, Judy Andes of Orlando, Fla.; and two grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to his church, the American Cancer Society or the American Heart Association.

rt rules on school liability in sex cases

stering women's sports, makes it far more difficult for harassed students to hold a wayward teacher's supervisors accountable and therefore collect more money in damages.

By a 5-4 vote, the court killed a sexual-harassment lawsuit against a Texas public school district over a teacher's sexual relationship with a ninth-grade student.

"Damages may not be recov-

ered . . . unless an official of the school district who at a minimum has authority to institute corrective measures on the district's behalf has actual notice of, and is deliberately indifferent to, the teacher's misconduct," Justice Sandra Day O'Connor wrote for the court.

She said the ruling does not affect any right a harassed student has to recover monetary damages from the guilty teacher,

or against a school district under some state law. But state-law lawsuits in such cases have proved virtually futile to date.

The court also held out the possibility that a much-invoked federal civil rights law might be used to hold school districts accountable for such teacher misconduct.

uling, Supreme Court rules fine unconstitutional

keep all the money people try to take outside the United States without filing the proper reports.

Rebuffing Clinton administration arguments, the nation's highest court said a federal law that always subjects such money

to forfeiture violates the Constitution's ban on excessive fines.

A federal law requires that anyone who moves more than \$10,000 in cash or other "monetary instruments" out of the United States must report it to

the Treasury Department. People who fail to do so can be sentenced to up to five years in prison and be fined a maximum of \$250,000.

The law also requires sentencing courts to order the unreported money forfeited.

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OBITUARIES

M. Nelson Poe

CHESTNUT — M. Nelson Poe, 64, of Chestnut died at 9:30 a.m. Monday, June 22, 1998, at St. John's Hospital North in Springfield.

He retired from Prairie Farms Dairy in Carlinville after many years of service. A Methodist, he served in the military from 1950 to 1958.

He was born June 12, 1934, in Selingsgrove, Pa., the son of George and Ida Kerstetter Poe. He married Charlotte Hunter June 28, 1958, in Atlanta. She survives.

Other survivors include two sons, Nelson Poe of Tinley Park and Norman Poe of Longwood, Fla.; two daughters, Jo Ellen Ackerman of Springfield and Nancy Poe of Loami; three brothers, George Poe Jr. of Selingsgrove, Pa., Gerald Poe of Black Earth, Wis., and Jerry Poe of Mechanicsburg, Pa.; three sisters, Nancy Beaver of Mechanicsburg, Pa., Joann Ward of San Diego, Calif., and T.J. Walton of Newark, Del.; four grandsons and one step granddaughter.

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

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln, with the Rev. Bob Baker officiating. Burial will be in Chestnut Cemetery, Chestnut.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to St. John's Hospice North, the American Cancer Society or Chestnut United Methodist Church.

Orin Shepherd

SAN JOSE — Orin M. Shepherd, 80, of San Jose died at 8:20 a.m. Monday, June 22, 1998, at Mason District Hospital in Havana.

Funeral arrangements are being handled by Styninger Funeral Home in San Jose.

Darrell Richner

Darrell L. Richner, 66, of Boise, Idaho, died June 20, 1998, at his home. He was formerly of Lincoln.

He worked for Caterpillar Tractor Co. and Westinghouse Air Brake Co. before starting his own business, Richner-Wheaton Equipment Co. He served in the U.S. Air Force, where he attained the rank of captain.

Mr. Richner was a Lutheran.

He was born Dec. 25, 1931, in Lincoln, the son of Walter and Josephine Gardner Richner. He married Barbara Jo McCann on June 7, 1953, in Chestnut. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Lynn Wilson and Leslie Berch, both of Boise; two brothers, Ray Richner of Chestnut and Neil Richner of Lincoln; and three grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a sister, a brother and a grandchild.

Graveside services will be at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday at Morris Hill Cemetery, Boise, followed by a 1:30 p.m. memorial service at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, also in Boise. A reception will immediately follow in the church fellowship hall.

Memorials may be made to the Idaho Diabetes Youth Programs, the Crohn's-Colitis Foundation of America or Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Boise.

John Kirby

ATLANTA — John W. Kirby, 82, of Mackinaw died at 10 a.m. Saturday, June 20, 1998, at Methodist Medical Center, Peoria. He was an Atlanta native.

Mr. Kirby retired in 1978 as a stationary engineer at Bradley University, Peoria. He was a U.S. Marine Corps veteran of World War II.

He was a member of Mackinaw Christian Church, Operating Engineers Local No. 399, Peoria Chapter of the National Rifle Association and

East Peoria Masonic Lodge.

He was born April 22, 1916, at Atlanta, the son of Alonzo and Clara Johnson Kirby. He married Geneva Anderson Oct. 12, 1955, at Lacon. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Marlene Leeman and Nikki Leach, both of McLean; four sons, Jon Kirby of East Peoria, Ronnie and Lonnie Kirby, both of McLean and Maurice Kirby of Heyworth; 13 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Three brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Mackinaw Cemetery with the Rev. Kevin Robbins officiating.

There will be no visitation.

Memorials may be made to Mackinaw Rescue Squad.

Haensel Funeral Home, Mackinaw, is in charge of arrangements.

Villa Daugherty

Villa R. Daugherty, 83, of Bloomington died at 1:15 a.m. Monday, June 22, 1998, at BroMenn Regional Medical Center, Normal. Her survivors include a brother of Lincoln.

Mrs. Daugherty attended church services at the Salvation Army.

She was born Nov. 27, 1914, at Funks Grove, the daughter of Elmer and Elizabeth Griffin McCombs. She married James Elzia Daugherty Nov. 8, 1936, at Stanford. He survives.

Also surviving are five daughters, LaDonna Daugherty, Barbara Craig, Kay Babb and Vicki Jennings, all of Bloomington, and Shirley Henderson of Danvers; one brother, Stanley McCombs of Lincoln; 14 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

One son, two brothers, one granddaughter, one grandson and one great-granddaughter preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Beck Memorial Home, Bloomington, with Capt. Greg Voeller officiating. Burial will be in East Lawn Memorial Gardens, Bloomington.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. today at the memorial home.

Memorials may be made to the family.

John Hoffman

WAYNESVILLE — John D. Hoffman, 87, of Forsyth died at 3:15 p.m. Sunday, June 21, 1998, at Dr. John Warner Hospital in Clinton. He was a former Waynesville resident.

Mr. Hoffman drove a truck for Decatur Cartage Co. and Stahly Cartage Co., Decatur, for 39 years. He was a member of Teamster's Union Local No. 279.

He was born Oct. 2, 1910, in Waynesville, the son of Walter and Bertha Davis Hoffman. He married Margaret Armstrong, who died in 1946. He then married Clara Margaret Fore in 1950. She died in 1991.

Survivors include five sons, Tom Hoffman of Bloomington, Jerry Hoffman of Blue Mound, Alan Hoffman of Maroa, Dave Hoffman of Forsyth and Larry Hoffman of Decatur; one daughter, Mary Margaret Stambaugh of Bushnell; two stepsons, Bill Fore of White Pine, Tenn., and Ed Fore of San Diego, Calif.; one stepdaughter, Sharon Book of San Diego, Calif.; 34 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by six brothers and one sister.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery, Waynesville.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the Diabetes Foundation.

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THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TINLEY PARK — ticket sales are causing the cago-based Smashing Pump to move their concert agai this time to a mid-sized co hall in this southwest Chi suburb.

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Gregory Wortley, 37, of Andalusia, Ala., was arrested north west of Lincoln near mile marker 126 on a Kane County warrant charging he failed to appear in court.

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ing charging Walter today at a Juvenile Police youth to

Bob Richardson

ELKHART — Bob L. Richardson, 67, of Elkhart died at 12:32 a.m. today, June 24, 1998, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Richardson was a self-employed mechanic. He served in the Marine Corps during the Korean War. He was a member of Elkhart Methodist Church and Lincoln VFW Post 1756.

He was born April 29, 1931, at Fancy Prairie, a son of Robert B. and Mary Koch Richardson. He married Dianna Diersing April 23, 1969. She survives.

Also surviving are a son, Bob Richardson II of Emden; three sisters, Marjorie of Rock Island, and Monzella Bryans and Mary, both of Oklahoma; and two grandchildren.

Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Union Cemetery, with Michael Drake officiating. Military rites will be accorded.

There will be no visitation. Memorials may be to the American Heart Association or the American Cancer Society.

Holland & Barry Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Jerry Agnew

Graveside services for Jerry Agnew, 66, of Palmetto, Fla., will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Irish Grove Cemetery, Middletown, with Michael Drake officiating. Military rites will be accorded by Middletown American Legion Post.

Mr. Agnew, a former Lincoln resident, died April 4, 1998 at Manatee Memorial Hospital in Bradenton, Fla.

He was retired as a Lincoln police officer and a security chief at McFarland Zone Center in Springfield. He served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War.

He was a member of Westside Christian Church, Springfield, and Palmetto, Fla., Elks Lodge No. 2449.

He was born Jan. 10, 1932, in Middletown, the son of Forest Vaughn "Toad" and Betty Lucille Sapp Agnew. He married Joan Metheny Via Dec. 10, 1955 in Valparaiso, Ind. She survives.

Also surviving are a son, Michael Agnew of Elkhart; and a daughter, Vicky Lee Wilson of Springfield; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Cremation and memorial services were held earlier in Palmetto.

Memorials may be made to Elks Crippled Children's Fund. Holland & Barry Funeral Home handled arrangements.

George Sarver

George B. Sarver, 90, of Grandview, Mo., formerly of Lincoln, died Monday, June 22, 1998 at his home.

Mr. Sarver had been employed by Caterpillar Tractor Co. for 30 years, retiring in 1973. He was an avid gardener.

He was a charter member of Lincoln Hill Free Methodist Church and a current member of Grandview (Mo.) Church of the Nazarene.

He was born May 30, 1908 in Beardstown, a son of Eddie and Della Kelly Sarver. He married Juanita Dennis July 14, 1935 in Winchester. She survives.

Also surviving are three daughters, Tamitha Thomas of Tulsa, Okla., Rebecca Snider of Griggsville, and Janice Sarver of Grandview, Mo.; two sons, Stephen Sarver of St. Charles, Mo., and Mark Sarver of Rolling Meadows; three sisters, Lola Danner of Pittsfield, and Henrietta Roberts and Leona Ellis, both of Griggsville; and 11 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a son, two sisters and two brothers.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Griggsville Church of the Nazarene, with the Rev. William Thomas officiating. Burial will be in Griggsville Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Skinner-Airman-Hires Funeral Home in Griggsville.

Memorials may be made to Cancer Action or the Church of the Nazarene World Mission Society.

Albert "Jim" Buehler

CHESTNUT — Albert James "Jim" Buehler, 78, of Chestnut died at 5 p.m. Monday, June 22, 1998, at Vonderlieth Living Center, Mount Pulaski.

He was an employee of the U.S. Postal service until his retirement in 1975.

He also was a veteran of World War II, and a member of the American Legion and the Chestnut Men's Club.

He served on the council at St. John's Lutheran Church, Mount Pulaski.

He was born June 3, 1919, in Chestnut, the son of Albert and Grace Yeates Buehler. He married Frances Evelyn "Windy" Winderweede June 3, 1945, in Cheltenham, England. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Wendolynn Buehler of Gainesville, Fla., and Cathy Gerdes of Chestnut; two sons, Albert Buehler Jr. of Palm City, Fla., and Hugh Buehler of Warsaw, Ind.; one sister, Dorcas Herren of Monticello; and six grandchildren.

He will be cremated. Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Laenna Cemetery, Chestnut, with the Rev. Donald Kirchner officiating.

There will be no visitation. Memorials may be made to Emergency Medical Services in care of the Chestnut Fire Department.

East Lawn Funeral Home, Bloomington, is handling arrangements.

Thomas Bonine

Thomas A. Bonine, 21, of Geneva died Sunday, June 21, 1998, in Charleston. His survivors include a grandmother of Lincoln.

He was a senior graphic arts major at Eastern Illinois University in Charleston and a member of Lambda Chi fraternity. He was a 1994 graduate of Geneva Community High School.

He was born Aug. 21, 1976, in Springfield, the son of Tom and Debbie Bonine.

He is survived by his parents, one brother, Chris Bonine, and one sister, Carolyn Bonine, all of Geneva; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Bonine of Princeton, Ky.; and his maternal grandmother, Margaret Conrady of Lincoln.

He was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather.

Memorial services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday at Hosanna Lutheran Church, St. Charles, with the Rev. John Nelson officiating. Private burial will be in Oak Hill Cemetery, Geneva.

There is no visitation. Memorials may be made to the Bonine Family College Fund.

Yurs Wittenberg Funeral Home in Geneva is in charge of arrangements.

Orin Shepherd

SAN JOSE — Funeral services for Orin Morris Shepherd, 80, of San Jose will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at San Jose United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Dan Brown officiating. Burial will be in Green Hill Cemetery, San Jose.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. today at Styninger Funeral Home, San Jose.

Mr. Shepherd died at 8:20 a.m., Monday, June 22, 1998, at Mason District Hospital in Havana.

He was a boilermaker, and a member of Boilermakers Local No. 60. He served in the Navy during World War II and the Korean War. He was a retired volunteer firefighter with the San Jose Fire Department.

Mr. Shepherd was member of the San Jose United Methodist Church.

He was born June 30, 1917, in Henry County, Ky., the son of Grover C. and Ruth Baxter Shepherd. He married Lorraine Pergande June 1, 1945, in Patuxent River, Md. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Dan Shepherd of San Jose and Stanley Shepherd of St. Peters, Mo.; one daughter, Jan Shepherd of Spring Grove; and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by four brothers.

Memorials may be made to his church or Mason City Area Nursing Home.

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Pork giant plans 1

ANNAWAN — The country's biggest hog-farming company has signed contracts with four Henry County farmers who will tend 13,200 full-grown pigs.

The four farms are expected to begin operations by the end of the year, taking a per-pig fee in exchange for managing the hogs at their last stop before slaughter.

"They own the facilities, they own the land, and they provide the day-to-day management," said Darra Johnson, a spokeswoman for Murphy Family Farms of Rose Hill, N.C. "Murphy supplies the pigs, the feed. We buy the feed locally."

Large-scale hog farming has come under increased scrutiny in Illinois as neighbors complain about odor and lost land value and state lawmakers argue over stricter regulation of the industry.

Manure would be pumped into 1.6 million-gallon above-ground tanks. The tanks would be covered by biodegradable material up to a foot thick to absorb odor.

Eventually the manure would be spread as a fertilizer, Johnson said.

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OBITUARIES

Louis Deavers

Louis Deavers, 73, of Jupiter, Fla., died Friday, June 12, 1998, at Hospice of Palm Beach. He was a former Lincoln resident.

He was a plasterer for Divosta and other Florida construction companies before retirement. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II and the Korean War. He was a member of the Lincoln Veteran of Foreign Wars.

He was born Feb. 17, 1925, in Lincoln. He married Marie Deavers of Jupiter, Fla. She survives.

Also surviving are three daughters, Diana Reed of Jupiter, Fla., and Cynthia Cortez and Tina Marie Knight, both of Huntington, Texas; two sisters, Edna Deavers of Bloomington and Norma Leevy of Lincoln; two brothers, Raymond Deavers of New Holland and Wallace Deavers of Indiana; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Graveside services were held June 16 in Tequesta, Fla.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Aycock Funeral Home in Jupiter handled the arrangements.

Helena Steinly

NEW HOLLAND — Helena Rhody Steinly, 92, of Yuma, Ariz., died at 5:30 a.m. Thursday, June 27, 1998, at La Mesa Nursing Home in Yuma. Survivors include a sister of Lincoln.

She was born March 2, 1906, in Broadwell. Her late husband, R.R. Steinly, who had served as pastor of both the New Holland and Delavan Lutheran churches, died in 1989.

Survivors include two sons, Walter and Henry Steinly, both of Yuma; and one sister, Eleanor

Barton of Lincoln.

She was preceded in death by three brothers and one sister.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Saturday at Christ Lutheran Church in Yuma, with burial in a Yuma cemetery.

Kammann Mortuary in Yuma is in charge of arrangements.

Hazel Campbell

MASON CITY — Hazel V. Campbell, 89, of Farmer City died at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, June 25, 1998, at her residence. Survivors include a daughter in Mason City.

She worked at the Jackson Heights Nursing Home. She was known for her quilting.

She was a member of First Christian Church in Farmer City.

Mrs. Campbell was born Jan. 23, 1909, in DeWitt County, a daughter of Burton and Linnie Sheperdson Crews. She married Ezrue T. Campbell on Feb. 25, 1925, in Clinton. He survives.

Other survivors include one son, Eugene Campbell of Muncie, Ind.; one daughter, Marie Johnson of Mason City; one brother, George Crews of Hoopston; one sister, Dorothy Thompson of Bloomington; six grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

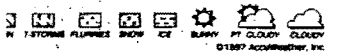
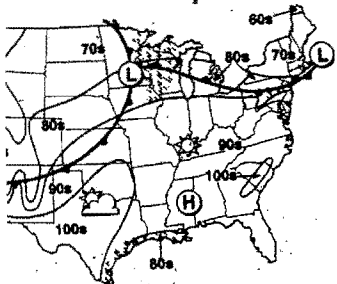
She was preceded in death by a sister and a great-grandson.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Calvert-Belangee-Bruce Funeral Home, Farmer City, with Dr. Donald Crittenden officiating. Burial will be in McCord Cemetery in rural Farmer City.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the OSF Franciscan Hospice of Central Illinois.

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Board of Trade opening

CHICAGO (AP) — Corn and soybean futures turned higher early today on the Chicago Board of Trade despite perceptions that hot, humid Midwestern weather will benefit young crops in the short-term. Wheat retreated.

Temperatures in the 90s this week in the key growing states of Illinois, Indiana and Iowa are expected to result in growth spurts for crops that previously have been hindered by cooler than normal temperatures and excessive rainfall. Market participants said they expect the U.S. Agriculture Department next week to report improved crop ratings after two weeks of declines.

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OBITUARIES

Joseph Webster

Joseph J. "Jack" Webster, 71, of Lincoln died at 10:36 a.m. Saturday, June 27, 1998, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.



Mr. Webster

Mr. Webster retired from BroMenn Hospital in Bloomington in 1989 and had worked at Lincoln Developmental Center and at Anderson Electric. He served as a Lincoln alderman during Mayor Ed Malerich's administration and as a Democratic precinct committeeman in Lincoln.

A U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, he served in the Asiatic/Pacific area and was part of the American liberation of the Philippines.

Mr. Webster received a Victory Medal in Japan when the peace treaty was signed ending World War II. He was an Electrical Mate 3rd Class who served on the USS Springfield and USS Pasadena.

He was a member and past commander of Lincoln American Legion Post No. 263 and was a life member of the VFW in Bloomington.

He was a member of Holy Family Church, was Past Faithful Navigator of the Fourth Degree of the Knights of Columbus, and was a member of the Moose Lodge.

Mr. Webster graduated from St. Mary's

Grade School, Lincoln Community High School in 1945 and the Navy Training Electrical School at Purdue University.

He was born Feb. 28, 1927, in Lincoln, a son of Carl and Monica Waschle Webster. He married Phyllis Harris July 2, 1959, in Lincoln. She survives.

Also surviving are one son, Joseph Webster Jr. of Orlando, Fla.; three daughters, Mary Kelley of Lincoln, Cindy Fleshman of Middletown and Carla Wold of Bloomington; three sisters, Carol Hobbs of Rochester, Donna Pokorski of Lincoln and Roseanne White of Sierra Vista, Ariz.; and six grandchildren.

Mr. Webster was an organ and tissue donor to the Regional Organ Bank of Central Illinois and was cremated.

A Memorial Mass will be at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday at Holy Family Church, with the Rev. Thomas Mack officiating. Burial, with military rites, will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.

There is no visitation.

Memorials may be made to Carroll Catholic School or to Epiphany Catholic School, Normal.

Oscar Schimmelpfennig

EMDEN — Oscar P. Schimmelpfennig, 87, of Green Valley, died at 12:37 p.m. Saturday, June 27, 1998, at his residence. He is survived by a daughter in Emden.

He worked as a supervisor in the cooker building at American Distilling Company in

Pekin for 14 years. He then worked at Caterpillar, Inc. as a pipe fitter in plant maintenance. He was a retired member of UAW Local 974 and a member of the Caterpillar retirees.

He was a member of the Goofy Ridge Sportsman's Club. He was a former member of Pekin Eagles Lodge Aerie 1869 and the Tazewell County Sheriff's Posse.

He attended St. Paul United Church of Christ, Pekin.

He was born Jan. 18, 1911, in Spring Lake Township, the son of Fred and Elizabeth Rapp Schimmelpfennig. He married Cecil Dorothy Von Boeckman on Sep. 19, 1932, in Pekin. She survives.

Other survivors include one daughter, Barbara Rushing of Emden; one son, Donald Schimmelpfennig Sr. of Green Valley; four grandchildren; one step-grandchild; three great-grandchildren; and two stepgreat-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by five brothers and one sister.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Preston-Hanley Funeral Home, Pekin Chapel, with the Rev. Marvin R. Hinkle officiating. Burial will be in Glendale Memorial Gardens in Pekin.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or the American Diabetes Association.

GM, union resume talks over walkouts

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

FLINT, Mich. — General Motors Corp. entered its annual summer shutdown with little progress in the negotiations over strikes at two parts plants.

Talks between the world's biggest automaker and the United Auto Workers resumed today, the first business day since GM began its annual two-week summer shutdown Saturday.

Negotiations Sunday between the automaker and the UAW, which represents 9,200 workers striking in Flint, failed to end

WEATHER

Lincoln Data

Sunday's high	95
Today's low	59
Record high	103 in 1936
Record low	42 in 1923
Sunset today	8:31 p.m.
Sunrise Tuesday	5:32 a.m.

Precipitation

to 7 a.m. today	1.55
Probabilities tonight	70 percent
Probabilities Tuesday	0 percent

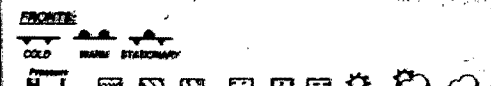
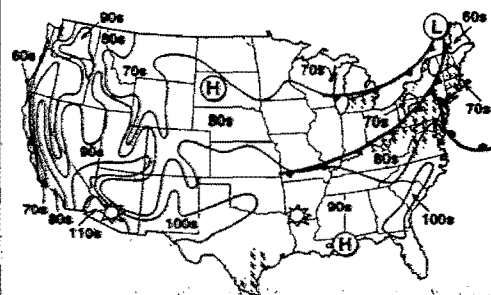
Local Forecast

Showers and thunderstorms likely tonight, some storms may be severe with heavy rainfall possible, low in the low 70s with southwest winds 10 mph. Partly sunny Tuesday, high in the mid-80s.

Extended Forecast

Dry, cooler and less humid Wednesday and Thursday, highs in the 80s, lows mostly in the 60s. A chance of

Expected sky conditions for tomorrow



27.00

Interior livestock

SPRINGFIELD (AP) — Barrows and gilts: Are .50 lower; demand moderate.

1-2 230-260 lbs 40.00-41.00, few early 41.50, few late 39.50; 2-3 230-260 lbs 39.00-40.00.

Sows: steady to 1.00 lower; 1-3 Under 500 lbs 25.00-27.00, few 28.00; Over 500 lbs 27.00-29.00, few 30.00.

Boars: under 300 lbs 23.00-26.00, mostly 24.00-25.00; over 300 lbs 17.00-19.00, few 20.00.

Board of Trade

CHICAGO (AP) — Grain and soybean futures were strongly higher early today on the Chicago Board of Trade following a few surprises in the government's new acreage and stocks reports and on new weather forecasts.

Corn futures were buoyed by the U.S. Agriculture Department's report that farmers planted 80.798 million acres of corn, slightly larger than last year but a figure below trade expectations.

The soybean market saw the government's acreage planting estimate come in slightly above expectations, at a record 72.72 million acres, but prices were buoyed by a surprisingly low soybean inventory picture. The USDA said that as of June 1, stocks stood at 593 million bushels, 43 million bushels below average estimates.

That could mean that supplies will become tight before the fall harvest and tighten next year's balance sheet as well despite current weak demand from Asia.

Wheat futures also were boosted by lower than expected total stocks as feed demand remained stronger than expected.

The government also reported a sharply lower spring wheat acreage estimate, as farmers abandoned fields drenched in the spring by rain and because of low wheat export prices. All-wheat plantings of 65.789 million acres were the lowest in 13 years, the USDA reported.

The new reports help make clear what supplies will look like down the road, but analysts cautioned that weather still will be a determining factor.

Futures prices have seesawed in recent weeks on conflicting views over whether the summer will bring drought-like Midwestern weather that damages the crops or ideal growing conditions.

Wheat for December delivery rose 4 cents to \$3.01 1/4 a bushel; December corn futures rose 3 cents to \$2.55 1/2 a bushel; December oats rose 1 cent to \$1.36 1/2 a bushel; November soybeans rose 2 cents to \$6.08 a bushel.

Meat and livestock futures retreated on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange.

August live cattle fell 32 cent to 65 cents a pound; August feeder cattle fell 35 cent to 72.10 cents a pound; July lean hogs fell 1.30 cents to 58.55 cents a pound; July pork bellies fell .65 cent to 59.05 cents a pound.

Wall Street at noon

NEW YORK (AP) — Stocks pulled back this morning amid some mild profit-taking on the record-setting rally of the past two weeks.

At noon on Wall Street, the Dow Jones industrial average was down 53.31 at 8,944.05 after making a fleeting foray above 9,000 for the fourth session in a row.

The Dow has risen five straight sessions, gaining 286 points, as money managers dressed up their portfolios with popular blue-chip names before they report to shareholders on the second quarter, which ends today.

Most broad-market indicators were also posting small losses today, with the technology sector drawing the most selling pressure after posting the biggest gains over the past two weeks.

Investors continued to pay little attention to the two-day strategy meeting at the Federal Reserve that began this morning.

of his apartment building at 9:20 p.m. Monday.

Derek Sullivan, 40, of 552 11th St. was arrested on warrants out of Logan County in connection with a drunken driving case and McLean County in connection with a traffic case.

Sullivan was taken into custody at the county jail.

June 30, 1998

OBITUARIES

Robert Hathhorn

ATLANTA — Robert Lee Hathhorn, 62, of Atlanta died at 6:50 p.m. Monday, June 29, 1998, at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield.

Mr. Hathhorn was a former owner of Vette Shop in Reno, Nev. He enjoyed racing and antique cars and retired from automobiles in 1995. He also was an avid cook.

He was born Dec. 23, 1935, in Springfield, the son of Loren and Isabella Walker Hathhorn. He married Judy McLaughlin Aug. 10, 1963, in Atlanta. She survives.

Also surviving are his mother, Isabelle Swearingen of Atlanta; one son, Robert Hathhorn of Reno, Nev.; one brother, Michael Swearingen of Lincoln; and one sister, Mary Sexton of Normal.

Private graveside services will be held at Atlanta Cemetery Thursday.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Quiram Funeral Home, Atlanta.

Memorials may be made to the Community Cancer Center, American Cancer Society, or the Atlanta Rescue Squad.

Gilbert Nichols

ELKHART — Gilbert F. Nichols, 83, of Springfield, brother of an Elkhart man, died at 2:55 p.m. Sunday, June 28, 1998, at his residence.

Mr. Nichols was a laborer and a member of Laborers Local 231.

from a house in the 700 block of North Madison Street during Sunday night's storm.

Rescue run

Lincoln Fire Department emergency medical technicians assisted paramedics on medical emergency calls for patients at 511 N. Jackson St. at 7:26 a.m.

He was born Dec. 18, 1914, in Waynesville, the son of Chester and Anna Baker Nichols.

Survivors include three brothers, Ed Nichols of Bloomington, Glenn Nichols of Elkhart and Wayne Nichols of Waynesville; and two sisters, Grace Minks of Bloomington and Josephine Rich of Creve Coeur.

Mr. Nichols will be cremated. There are no services or visitation.

Bisch & Son Funeral Home, Springfield, is handling arrangements.

Helena Steinly

Helena Rhody Steinly, 92, of Yuma, Ariz., died at 5:30 a.m. Thursday, June 25, 1998, at La Mesa Nursing Home in Yuma. Survivors include a sister of Lincoln.

She was born March 2, 1906, in Broadwell. Her late husband, R.R. Steinly, who had served as pastor of both the New Holland and Delavan Lutheran churches, died in 1989.

Survivors include two sons, Walter and Henry Steinly, both of Yuma; and one sister, Eleanor Barton of Lincoln.

She was preceded in death by three brothers and one sister.

Funeral services were Saturday at Christ Lutheran Church in Yuma, with burial in a Yuma cemetery.

Kammann Mortuary in Yuma handled arrangements.

This obituary is reprinted to correct the date of death. The Courier regrets the error.


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School Menus

For Wednesday

- Little Lambs Daycare Center — Peanut butter and jelly, carrots, Jell-O with fruit.
- Odd Fellow Day Care — Ham and cheese, beets, Tater Tots, pineapple

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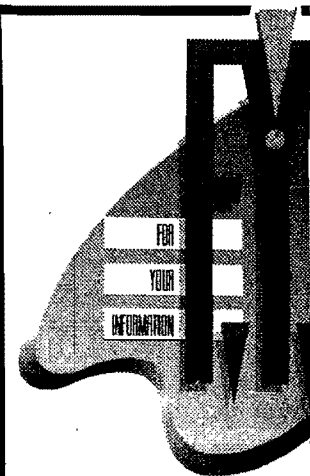


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