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## OBITUARY

**Warren Diersing**  
 Warren H. Diersing, 69, of Lincoln died at 6:30 a.m. Saturday, May 1, 1999, at his home.

Mr. Diersing was a design engineer at Mill Inc. in Lincoln before retiring in 1991. A member of First Presbyterian Church, he was a U.S. Army veteran, serving in the Tank Corps during the Korean War in 1952.

Mr. Diersing was born Nov. 17, 1929, in Lincoln, a son of Henry and Lucille Lumpf-Diersing. He married Patricia Cornstock Jan. 4, 1953, in Lincoln. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Jill Haseley of Beason and Jaye Diersing of Frisco, Texas; two brothers, Henry Diersing of Mansfield, Ohio, and Richard Diersing of Bellingham, Wash.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at First Presbyterian Church, with the Rev. Paul Gilmore officiating. Burial, with military rites, will be in Zion Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. today at Holland & Barry Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to First Presbyterian Church, the Dr. Wayne J. Schall Nurses Association of Central Illinois, 720 N. Bond St., Springfield, 62702.

### Six girls die returning home from church camp

**ARTESIA, N.M.** — Six girls traveling home after a weekend retreat with fellow churchgoers were killed when a camper broke away from a pickup truck and struck the bus in which they were riding.

A man driving a pickup truck

## WAD/FORECAST

<b>Lincoln Data</b>	
Sunday's high	72
Ovenight low	54
Record high	90 in 1949
Record low	29 in 1911
Sunrise today	7:54 a.m.
Sunset Tuesday	5:54 a.m.
<b>Precipitation</b>	
to 7 a.m. today	0 percent
Probabilities tonight	0 percent
Probabilities Tuesday	80 percent
<b>Local Forecast</b>	
Partly cloudy tonight, with a chance of evening showers, low in the upper 50s with southeast winds 10 to 15 mph. Partly sunny Tuesday, with showers and thunderstorms likely, mainly late in the day, high in the mid- to upper 70s.	
<b>Extended Forecast</b>	
Chances of showers and thunderstorms daily Wednesday through Friday, highs in the 70s, lows in the 50s Wednesday, highs in the 80s, lows around 50 Thursday and Friday.	

**Expected sky conditions for tomorrow**

**FRONT:**  
 COLD WARM STATIONARY  
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## Court to rule on justification of police stops

**WASHINGTON** — The Supreme Court today agreed to decide whether police generally may stop and question someone who runs away after seeing them.

The court said it will review an Illinois ruling that barred police most often from making such investigative stops, despite arguments by state prosecutors that they are justified in high-crime neighborhoods.

Sam Wardlow was convicted of a weapons violation after he was arrested on a Chicago street in 1995 while carrying a loaded

handgun in a bag.

Police officers in a patrol car had seen Wardlow spot them and take off running. They pursued and eventually cornered him, and found the gun after a padown search.

Wardlow challenged his conviction for unlawful use of a weapon by a felon and the two-year prison sentence it carried. He said he had been subjected to an unlawful stop.

His appeal raised the issue of whether his running away from police was enough to create a "reasonable suspicion" to jus-

tify the stop and padown search.

A state appeals court threw out his conviction, and the Illinois Supreme Court upheld that decision last September after ruling that "such flight alone is insufficient to create a reasonable suspicion of involvement in criminal conduct."

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police for possession of drug paraphernalia — a chrome bowl — at 11:50 p.m. Monday after a traffic stop at Woodlawn Road and Walnut Street.

**Failure to appear**  
Logan County police arrested Robert G. Boskovich, 23, of Springfield, at 4:30 p.m. Monday, at the Logan County Safety Complex, on a 1996 Logan County warrant for failing to appear in a traffic case. He was held in lieu of \$2,000 bond.

**Theft from truck**  
Logan County police are investigating a Saturday burglary from a pickup truck parked in front of its owner's residence in the 2100 block of North Street in Beason. The thief stole the AM/FM radio/cassette player and some tapes. The loss was estimated at \$370.

**Stop sign violation**  
Lynda S. Ruff, 52, of 1425 Third St., was cited by Lincoln police for running a stop sign after an accident at 4:49 p.m. Monday at Postville Road at Fifth Street.  
Ruff, travelling north on Postville Road, reportedly entered the intersection and hit a car driven by Judith A. Farris, 56, of Lawdale, then struck a southbound UPS truck on Postville Road, which was stopped at the intersection.

Ruff and Farris received minor injuries in the accident and their cars had to be towed. The UPS driver was not hurt. Lincoln Fire Department rescue personnel assisted at the scene.

**Fire and rescue**  
**Fire**  
Neither Lincoln nor Lincoln Rural firefighters responded to a fire call in the 24-hour-period ending at 8:30 this morning.

**Rescue**  
Lincoln Fire Department rescue personnel helped a man at 12:06 p.m. Monday at 190 Southgate St.

**School menus for Wednesday**  
● Atlanta Elementary breakfast — Biscuit and sausage gravy, assorted juices  
● Illini Central breakfast — Scrambled eggs with ham, toast, juice  
● Lincoln Elementary breakfast — Cereal, toast with apple butter, juice  
● Atlanta Elementary — Pepperoni pizza, corn, pears, graham crackers  
● Carroll Catholic School — Nachos supreme, corn, fruit cocktail, apricots  
● Chester-East Lincoln — Taco salad, chips, salsa, fruit bars  
● Christian Child Care —

● Edgars — Rayon, lemon salad, applesauce, cranberry sauce  
● Illini Central — Cream cheese, fries, blueberry, bobble  
● Lincoln Community High School — Bread sticks, pizza sauce, green beans, raw vegetables, peach cup of bread bowl  
● Lincoln Elementary — Pepperoni pizza, lettuce salad, jelly, O, peaches  
● Little Lambs Day Care Center — Cheesy fries, mixed fruit  
● Mount Pulaski Elementary — Turkey roast, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, peaches  
● Mount Pulaski High School — Chicken patty, bun, baked beans, vegetable with dip, pears, donuts  
● New Holland-Middletown — Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, peaches, Texas cake  
● Odd Fellow Day Care — Taco bake, green beans, pears  
● Olympia Middle/High School — Pepperoni pizza or chicken salad on croissant, corn, graham crackers, assorted fruit  
● Warrensburg-Latham Schools — Spaghetti, bread sticks, lettuce salad, pears  
● Zion Lutheran School — Bread sticks/pizza sauce, green beans, raw vegetables, peach cup

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Today through Saturday, we in the 50s Thursday around 50 Saturday.

**MARKETS**

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**PEORIA livestock**  
Hogs 750 Trading moderately active; barrows and gilts are .50 higher. 1-2 230-280 lb 37.00-37.50; 2-3 280-280 lb 35.50-37.00.  
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Prices also were measured by the continuation of harvesting in South America, although that, too, has been slowed by inclement weather.

**Wall Street at noon**  
NEW YORK (AP) — Stocks were narrowly mixed at midday, pausing after a buying spree on Monday that sent the Dow industrials above 11,000 for the first time.  
At noon on Wall Street, the Dow Jones industrial average was down 43.81 at 10970.88. On Monday, it advanced 225 points to 11,014.09. It took less than 24 minutes

**OBITUARY**

**Thomas Hendrickson**  
Thomas Hendrickson, 57, of Scottsdale, Ariz., died April 23, 1999, at Bullhead City, Ariz.  
Mr. Hendrickson died after suffering a heart attack while riding his motorcycle.  
He was a Navy veteran of the Vietnam War.  
He was born Sept. 6, 1941, in Lincoln, a son of Earl Hendrickson and Virginia Dunn Hendrickson.  
Survivors include his father of Lincoln; two sisters, Judith Ely of Cleveland, Tenn., and Marcia Patterson of Scottsdale, Ariz.; one step-sister, Sandra Mills of Peoria; and one daughter, Amber Hendrickson of Lincoln.  
He was preceded in death by his mother.  
Mr. Hendrickson was cremated.  
Graveside services will be at 2:30 p.m. May 13 at Camp Butler National Cemetery in Springfield.

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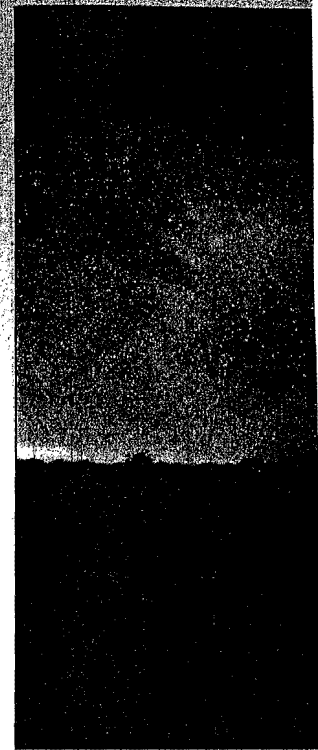
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A motorist tries Monday to outrun a killer

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By TIM TALLEY  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

OKLAHOMA CITY — The death toll reached 45 today after fierce tornadoes destroyed entire neighborhoods in Oklahoma and Kansas. One monstrous twister chewed across miles of Tornados Alley for four hours.

The state medical examiner said 40 people were killed in Oklahoma alone in Monday's storms.

The combined death toll makes this the deadliest tornado outbreak since 90 people were killed on May 31, 1985, in Ohio, Pennsylvania and Ontario.

The largest twister formed about 45 miles southwest of Oklahoma City and cut a path at least a half-mile wide. While many tornadoes are short-lived, this one stayed on the ground for about four hours, said Wayne Ruff, a National Weather Service meteorologist. Local TV stations followed it with live broadcasts.

The damage "looks like the Murray Building, but instead of nine stories tall, it's spread out over a large area," Oklahoma

OBITUARIES

**James Allen Cook Jr.**

James Allen Cook Jr., 50, of Lincoln died at 7:30 a.m. Tuesday, May 4, 1999, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Cook was a Protestant.

He was born Aug. 8, 1948, in Chicago, a son of James Allen and Lizzel Varnado Cook Sr. His mother survives in Lincoln.

Also surviving are: four brothers, Harold Cook of Bloomington, Steven Cook, Joseph Cook, and Norman Cook, all of Lincoln; six sisters, Rosemary Cunningham-Arwin of Long Beach, Stephanie Johnson of Lincoln, Lisa Cook-Russell and Stacy Jackson, both of Peoria, Linda McGrady of Chicago, and Beverly Ross of Onalaska, Wis.

He was preceded in death by his father and one sister.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Second Baptist

Church, with the Rev. Glenn Shelton officiating. Burial will be in New Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Friday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home and an hour before the service Saturday.

**Pearl Steingrandt**

Pearl Fulk Steingrandt, 90, of Anaheim, Calif., formerly of Lincoln, died at 3 p.m. Tuesday, May 4, 1999, in West Anaheim Medical Center.

Mrs. Steingrandt was the mother of a son in Lincoln and a stepdaughter in Middletown.

She was born July 9, 1908, in Watertown, S.D., the daughter of Ira and Phoebe Parker Gordon. She married Roy Steingrandt in 1954. He died in 1981.

Surviving are two sons, Grover Fulk Jr. of Lincoln and Orville Fulk of Shelbyville; one stepdaughter, Lonetta Cline of Middletown; six grandchildren; four stepgrandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; nine stepgreat-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; and six stepgreat-great-grandchildren.

She also was preceded in

death by three sons.

Memorial services will be conducted at a later date.

Renaker-Klockgether Mortuary, Buena Park, Calif. is handling arrangements.

**Richard Rutledge**

MASON CITY — Richard K. Rutledge, 82, of San Luis Obispo, Calif., formerly of Mason City, died at 1 a.m. Tuesday, May 4, 1999, at Ventura Memorial, Calif., Hospital.

Styninger Funeral Home, Mason City, is handling arrangements.

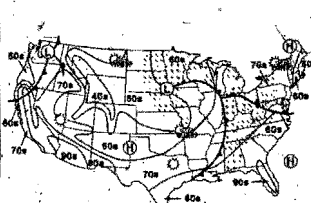
**Thomas Hendrickson**

The graveside service for Thomas Hendrickson will begin at 2 p.m. May 13 in Camp Butler National Cemetery in Springfield.

Mr. Hendrickson, 57, of Scottsdale, Ariz., a Lincoln native, died April 23, 1999, at Bullhead City, Ariz., after suffering a heart attack.

A relative reported the wrong time for the graveside services in an obituary that appeared in Tuesday's edition.

Expected sky conditions for tomorrow



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Comcast, the No. 3 cable company in the United States, has also agreed to offer services under the AT&T name in all of its markets.

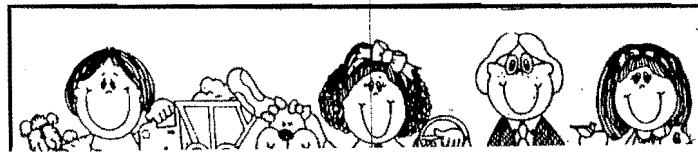
AT&T plans to use cable systems to deliver local and long-distance phone service, high-speed internet access and interactive entertainment to millions of U.S. homes.

AT&T has been moving rapidly into the cable business, first buying No. 2 cable company

with others.

Its aim is to become a dominant national player in providing telecommunications and entertainment services, using cable as the foundation.

AT&T will exchange various cable systems with Comcast in swaps that could result in Comcast gaining an additional 2 million subscribers and AT&T receiving up to \$9.2 billion. Most of the exchanges are contingent on AT&T acquiring MediaOne.



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**Precipitation**  
Probability for 24 hours: 0 percent

**Local Forecast**  
Today: Mostly cloudy with a chance of showers. High around 62. Low around 52. Wind at 15 mph. Today and Monday: Partly cloudy with a chance of showers. High around 65. Low around 55.

**Extended Forecast**  
Chances of showers Saturday and Monday, highs in the mid-60s. Sunday and Monday: Highs around 60. Dry. Sunday: Highs around 60. Monday: Highs around 70. Lows around 50.

**Cindy Koerner**  
Cindy Kay Koerner, 40, of Mount Zion, died at her residence in Lincoln on Tuesday, May 4, 1999, at her home. She had been ill for several weeks. Her husband, David J. Koerner, was registered nurse at St. Mary's Hospital in Decatur. She was a member of the Illinois Nurses Association and Maranatha Assembly of God, Decatur.

She was born Jan. 22, 1957, in Clinton, a daughter of Gilbert "Gib" and Sandra S. Thomas Birk. She married David J. Koerner in 1984 in Champaign. He survives.

Also surviving are her parents of Lincoln; one daughter, Kelly Jo Koerner of Mount Zion; two sons, Philip Mahan of Lovington and Timothy Mahan of Forsyth; one sister, Teresa Rebel of Lincoln; a half brother, George J. Birk of Linwood, Mass.; a half sister, Deborah J. Steve of Woonsocket, R.I.; and one grandson.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Maranatha Assembly of God, Decatur. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 3 to 8 p.m. Friday at Dawson & Wikoff Colonial Chapel North, Decatur.

Memorials may be made to St. Mary's Hospital or to St. John's Hospice Care.

### Vita King

Vita L. Mosena King, 99, of Lincoln, died at 11:21 a.m. Wednesday, May 5, 1999, at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield.

Mrs. King was a member of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Burlington, Iowa.

She was born Aug. 26, 1899, in Yarmouth, Iowa, a daughter of Joseph and Lula Strothman Kaestner. She married Leslie Mosena April 24, 1919, in Burlington. He died in January 1957. She married Francis King in 1961. He died in 1968.

Surviving are one daughter, Nita Brickman of Lincoln; three grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

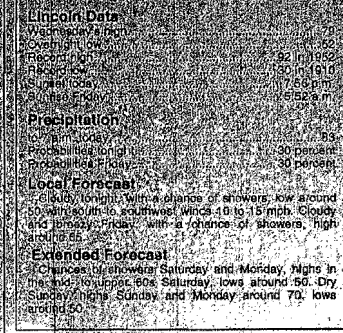
She also was preceded in death by one son, two brothers and one sister.

Graveside services will be at 1 p.m. Saturday in Union Cemetery with the Rev. Richard Reinwald officiating.

Visitation will be an hour before the funeral at Fricke-Calvert-Schradler Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Memorials may be made to St. Clara's Manor.

### Expected sky conditions for tomorrow



## Greenspan calls U.S. economy 'phenomenal'

**CHICAGO** — Calling the performance of the U.S. economy in recent years "truly phenomenal," Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan today credited a strong pickup in workers' productivity for the good times.

But he warned that the global recovery from a severe financial crisis remains fragile.

In a speech to an international banking conference in Chicago, Greenspan said productivity — output per hour of work — had clearly risen recently and he credited large investments being made in computers and other high-tech products of the information age.

It is this increase in productivity that has allowed the economy to grow as rapidly as it has in the past few years without fostering higher inflation, Greenspan said.

"The performance of the American economy over the past seven years has been truly phenomenal," Greenspan said.

His remarks today represented the most thorough view presented so far by the Fed in a debate among economists over what has been responsible for the extraordinary performance of the U.S. economy. The economy has survived the overseas turmoil and continued to expand at a strong clip without inflation.

But in his speech, Greenspan also warned that the gains in productivity cannot keep inflation at bay forever. He warned that the nation's longest peacetime expansion will be threatened at some point down the road by the tight labor markets.

Financial markets were jolted by Greenspan's warnings about the future. Bond prices fell sharply while the Dow Jones industrial average was down 57 points at noon.

"Productivity is the good news, but Greenspan is warning that the good news won't last forever," said David Jones, chief economist at Aubrey G. Lanston & Co. in New York.

### MARKETS

Stocks (Edward Jones Investments)	Change
Cat	645222
Unicom	3834
Cicorp	609/10
Illnova	2844
Gen Tel	511/16
Eik	78 1/4
PPG	67 3/4
Yara Industries	1085/16
GE	174
Consolidated	744
Gen Mills	274
Wandys Int. Inc.	274
Tenneco	2515/32
Eskon Corp.	611/16
Walgreens	257/16
Medtronic	607/16
Anheuser Busch	7019/32
Pfizer	719 1/4
GM	288/10
Silver	5.34
Bank of Montreal	407/16
Walt Disney	1215/16
Dollar Gen.	9815/16
Now Holland NV	177/16
Bolox C.	41
Williams-Sonoma	469/16
Kroger	23 1/4
Daimler Chrysler A.G.	100 1/4
Pennaco	45 1/4
Deere & Co.	4415/16
Cligroup	71
Case Corp.	36 1/4
GM	17 1/4
GM	8613/16
Coca-Cola	69 1/4
IBM	21213/16
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Union Pacific	4211/16

Noon grain futures (Courtesy Elliott Grain Co.)	Change
Corn	2.17 1/4 dn 1/4

**Soybeans** 2.20 1/4 dn 1/4  
Soybean meal 4.77 1/4 up 1/4  
Wheat 2.51 1/2 dn 1/4

**Peoria livestock**  
Hogs: 750 Trading moderately active, barrows and gilts are 1.50 lower.  
1-2 230-260 lb 34.00-35.00, 2-3 260-280 lb 32.50-34.00.  
Sows: All weights are steady, 1-3 300-400 lb 25.50, 400-500 lb 26.50-27.00, 500-700 lb 30.00-31.00.  
Boars: Over 300 lb 15.00; under 300 lb 22.00.

**Interior livestock**  
SPRINGFIELD (AP) — Lean hog carcasses: Are 50 to 1.75 lower.  
55-58 lb pl 46.50-53.50; 55-54.8 lb pl 46.00-52.50; 51-52.2 pl (1) 42.00-52.20; 48-50.9 pl 41.00-50.75; 47-48.9 pl 38.00-48.25.  
Sows: Are steady, 2-3 300-400 lb 22.00-24.00; 400-500 lb 24.00-28.00; 500-600 lb 28.00-29.00; few over 600 lb 29.00-31.00.  
Boars: Under 300 lb 14.00-16.00, few 21.00; over 300 lb 12.00-14.00.

**Board of Trade**  
CHICAGO (AP) — Grain and soybean futures reopened early today on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Corn and soybeans faced continued pressure from forecasts for more favorable planting weather over the next week and on increasing deliveries of crops stored from last year's harvest. Soybeans were finding some support, however, on talk that corn planting actually may be higher than previously estimated. That would mean fewer acres planted to soybeans.

Wheat futures continued lower on expectations for a large winter wheat crop that would increase already ample inventories.

Wheat for July delivery fell 1/2 cent to \$2.51 1/2 a bushel; July corn fell 1/2 cent to \$2.20 1/4 a bushel; July oats fell 1/4 cent to \$1.18 1/2 a bushel; July soybeans fell 1/4 cent to \$4.77 1/4 a bushel.

Beef futures retreated on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange. Lean hogs were mixed, while pork bellies advanced.

June live cattle fell 40 cents to 61.50 cents a pound; August feeder cattle fell 42 cents to 72.05 cents a pound; June lean hogs fell 15 cents to 57.75 cents a pound; July pork bellies rose 1.05 cents to 58.35 cents a pound.

**Wall Street at noon**  
NEW YORK (AP) — Stocks fell in thin trading today as a jump in bond market yields fed investors' fears about rising interest rates.

At noon on Wall Street, the Dow Jones industrial average was down 58.98 to 10,696.43.

Broadest stock indicators were mostly lower. The Standard & Poor's 500 index was down 8.24 at 1,339.07, and the Nasdaq composite index was down 1.25 at 2,533.20.



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**Katherine Downing**  
MOUNT PULASKI — Katherine Downing, 90, of Tucson, Ariz., formerly of Mount Pulaski, died at 2:15 p.m. Wednesday, May 5, 1989, at La Canada Care Center in Tucson.

Mrs. Downing was a former bank officer at First National Bank in Mount Pulaski.

She was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Mount Pulaski, and was a graduate of Santa Monica, Calif., High School, Holmby Hills College and Northwestern University.

Mrs. Downing was born Feb. 28, 1909, in Lincoln, a daughter of John J. and Lillie Rupp Woelfel. She married Ralph Weckel Downing in December, 1933, in Omaha, Neb. He preceded her in death.

Surviving is one son, Robert "Maija" Downing of Tucson; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. John's Lutheran Church, Mount Pulaski, with the Rev. John Schurter officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7

p.m. Monday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski.

Memorials may be made to St. John's Lutheran Church, Mount Pulaski.

**Delbert Melton**  
DECATUR — Delbert W. "Deb" Melton, 85, of Decatur died at 9:35 p.m. Wednesday, May 5, 1989, at Manor Care Nursing Home, Decatur.

Mr. Melton was a retired General Transfer driver with over 43 years in trucking. He was a member of the International Teamsters Brotherhood, Local No. 279.

He was born June 18, 1913, in Dalton City, a son of Jacob and Florence Cain Melton. He married LaVonne A. Young Feb. 20, 1932, in Lincoln. She preceded him in death.

Survivors include one daughter, Sharon Atkins of Mount Zion; two sons, Gale Lynn and Edward L. Melton, both of Decatur; one sister, Fern Dooley of Lincoln; and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

He also was preceded in death by two sons.

Graveside services will be at 1 p.m. Saturday in Point Pleasant Cemetery, Long Creek, with Mark Melton officiating.

There is no visitation. Memorials may be made to Arcadia Wing, Manor Care Nursing Home, Decatur.

**Richard Rutledge**  
MASON CITY — Funeral services for Richard Kenneth Rutledge will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Mason City United Presbyterian Church, with the Rev. Robert Holler officiating. Burial will be in Mason City Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Monday at Styninger Funeral Home.

Mr. Rutledge, 81, of San Luis Obispo, Calif., formerly of Mason City, died at 1 a.m. Tuesday, May 4, 1989, at Ventura Memorial Hospital.

He farmed in Mason City and Hustisford, Wis., for nearly 20 years and later was a machinist at Raytheon Co. in Oxnard, Calif.

Mr. Rutledge was an Air Force Veteran of World War II and a lifetime member of the American Legion, attending in both Mason City and Fillmore, Calif.

He also was a member of Mason City United Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Rutledge was born Aug. 22, 1917, in Menard County, a son of G. Kirby and Zelma King Rutledge. He married Shirley Louise Stone, April 23, 1946, in Mason City. She died Aug. 2, 1997.

Survivors are five sons, Daniel and William Rutledge, both of San Luis Obispo, James Rutledge of Corvallis, Ore., Charles Rutledge of Camarillo, Calif., and Richard Rutledge of Santa Clara, Calif.; one daughter, Judith Upton of Ventura, Calif.; one brother, Harvey Rutledge of Mason City; one sister, Ruth Stone of Mason City; and 13 grandchildren.

He also was preceded in death by two sons and one sister.

Memorials may be made to Mason City United Presbyterian Church.

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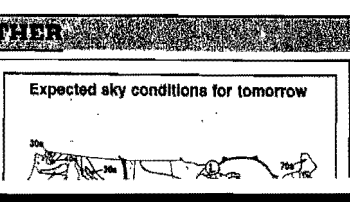
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**MARKETS**

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Cof. .... 64 1/2  
Unicom ..... 39 1/2  
Cicorp ..... 80 1/4  
Amov ..... 26 1/2  
Gen. Tel. .... 85 1/2  
EK ..... 78 1/2  
PPG ..... 68 1/2  
Tetra Indus. .... 37 1/2  
GE ..... 117 1/2

**WEATHER**

**Lincoln Data**  
Thursday's high ..... 85  
Overnight low ..... 52  
Record high ..... 88 in 1985  
Record low ..... 30 in 1917  
Sunset today ..... 7:58 p.m.  
Source: CBS/NOAA



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# Officer has quite a morning

## Angry fireworks escapes threat, makes 4 arrests

Officer saw fireworks go off in the block at 2:21 p.m. He arrived at the scene, and the juvenile allegedly had a phone and charger, plus a one-hitter pipe on him. He was frisked at the scene. The juvenile was arrested on charges of aggravated assault, illegal consumption of alcohol, possession of a stolen property and possession of drug paraphernalia. The person Ronald D. Al-

ley, 20, 111 Heinzl Court, was with the juvenile and nabbed by Lincoln Police for the second time this weekend after a city police officer arrested Alley Friday on an unlawful consumption charge. Alley was arrested this morning on charges of illegal consumption of alcohol and theft from a motor vehicle. He and the juvenile were identified as suspects in a car burglary in the 700 block of South 10th Street at 10:34 p.m. Sunday.

The cellular phone allegedly found on the juvenile was taken during the car burglary, according to police. Mark A. Heddrick, 21, 904 21st St., Lot 85, was arrested on a charge of possession of less than 2.55 grams of marijuana during the investigation. A second juvenile, a 16-year-old Lincoln girl at the scene, also was arrested on charges of illegal consumption and illegal possession of alcohol, and a curfew violation.

### George Vonderahe

George W. Vonderahe, 84, of Lincoln died at 12:08 a.m. today, Monday, May 10, 1999, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Vonderahe was retired from Pluth Tin Shop Furnace and Air Sales and Service.

He was a member of Sheet Metal Local No. 218, the Moose Lodge, Holy Family Church and the Knights of Columbus.

He was born June 30, 1914, in Salisbury, Mo., a son of George H. and Annie Geotz Vonderahe. He married Mildred E. Wright Dec. 15, 1936, in Lincoln. She survives.

Also surviving are a son, Ray Vonderahe of Lincoln; a brother, Raymond Vonderahe of Holtz Summit, Mo.; and a grandchild. Two sisters preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday at Holy Family Church with the Rev. Ken Hummel officiating. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, with a rosary vigil service at 4:30 p.m.

### Memorials may be made to his church

### Larry Berger

Larry Berger, 42, of Lincoln died at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, May 9, 1999, at his residence. He had been ill and under hospice care for nine months.

Mr. Berger was the lead man in the shipping department at Myers Industries.

He was a member of Middletown United Methodist Church, Lincoln Sportsman's Club, the National Rifle Association and Quail and Ducks Unlimited.

He was born Oct. 14, 1956, in Lincoln, a son of Paul and Dolores Davison Berger.

Survivors include his parents of Lincoln; his maternal grandmother, Tillie Davison of Middletown; and two brothers, Brian Berger of Sherman and Ron Berger of Lincoln.

His paternal grandparents and maternal grandfather preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home with the Rev. Henry Cox officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Memorials may be made to Hospice Visiting Nurses Association of Central Illinois, 720 N. Bond St., Springfield, 62702.

## 'Diff'rent Strokes' co-star Plato dies of apparent drug overdose

MOORE, Okla. — Dana Plato, who like her fellow "Diff'rent Strokes" child co-stars had seen legal troubles since the show was canceled.

In 1992 she was given an additional five years' probation for forging prescriptions for Valium. Plato's recent career had included mainly low-budget films.

<b>Lincoln Data</b>	
Sunday's high	69
Overnight low	54
Record high	93 in 1928
Record low	24 in 1945
Sunrise today	6:01 a.m.
Sunset Tuesday	6:46 a.m.
<b>Precipitation</b>	
to 7 a.m. today	0 percent
Probabilities today	0 percent
Probabilities Tuesday	30 percent
<b>Local Forecast</b>	
Fair tonight, low in the upper 50s with southeast winds around 10 mph. Partly sunny Tuesday, with a chance of thunderstorms, high around 80.	
<b>Extended Forecast</b>	
Chances of showers and thunderstorms daily Wednesday through Friday, highs near 80, lows in the upper 60s.	

## ON THE RECORD

- arrested on charges of driving under the influence of alcohol, improper lane usage and driving with a blood-alcohol level over .08 by a Logan County Sheriff's deputy at 11:26 a.m. Saturday after police investigated a one-car accident in rural Oran Township.
- According to the police report, Clampet's vehicle, southbound on 2000th Ave., left the east side of the road, traveled 75 feet and struck a utility pole near the intersection of 1100th Street.
- **Fire calls**
- **Rescue runs**
- Lincoln Fire Department rescue personnel aided a woman at a residence in the 100 block of Campus View Drive at 7:14 a.m. Friday, aided a man at Logan Correctional Center at 8:58 a.m. Friday, responded to aid calls at Logan Court Highrise, 1028 N. College St. at 3:17 p.m. Friday and 7:58 a.m. today, aided a person in a parking lot in the 400 block of Woodlawn Road at 3:27 p.m. Friday, provided aid at Deters Market, 1121 Keokuk St., at 1:28 p.m. Saturday and at Wendy's, 2815 Woodlawn Road, at 6:38 p.m. Saturday and handled a false alarm Sunday at Maple Ridge Care Centre, 2202 N. Kickapoo St.
- Carroll Catholic School — Ham slice, au gratin potatoes, corn, applesauce
- Chester-East Lincoln — Ham horseshoe, Jell-O, bar cookie
- Christian Child Care — Pizza, salad, mixed fruit
- Elkhart — Chicken and noodles, peas, pickled beets, pears
- Hartem Schools — Tacos, carrots, applesauce
- Illini Central — Macaroni and cheese, fish nuggets, green beans, applesauce
- Lincoln Community High School — Two soft tacos, fries, corn, Jell-O or chef salad
- Lincoln Elementary — Hamburger, bun, cheese, fries, Goldfish crackers, applesauce
- Little Lambs Day Care Center — Hot dogs, bun, fries, peaches
- Mount Pulaski Elementary — Ravioli, lettuce salad, green beans, peaches, cake
- Mount Pulaski High School — Hot turkey sandwich, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetables and dip, applesauce, yellow cake
- New Holland-Middletown — Barbecued chicken, carrots, applesauce, cherry muffin squares
- Odd Fellow Day Care — Peanut butter

## Storm survivors congregate

Tornado Alley residents gather in the Bridge Creek area.

On Sunday, women in T-shirts wore corsage Mother's Day. "Mamas glad you're here and your are safe," Duckett said.

Amy Garretson rocked month-old daughter, S. She and her husband, who for the church, hid in a wide cellar while the twisted destroyed their home.

"We are here to be ren how lucky we are. We have friends who are help and God," she said. The hugs lasted long the amens were louder Sunday's two-hour service group of church member braced a man whose wife

BRIDGE CREEK, Okla. — The battered pews were salvaged from a ruined church. The muddy blue-and-white tent above the parishioners had been donated. A bent and scratched sign welcomed an overflow crowd of worshippers Sunday who counted their blessings in the shadow of the twisted remains of Ridgecrest Baptist Church. "I don't know if God took your home, but a tornado did, and God will rebuild your life," Pastor Tom Duckett said. "I know that the church is the people. A building is just a building." Workers have been using bulldozers and chain saws to remove the debris that once was the

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Jayna Dugan

NEW HOLLAND — Four-month-old Jayna Danielle Dugan of New Holland died at 9:45 p.m. Sunday, May 9, 1999, at Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital in St. Louis, where she underwent treatment for leukemia.

Jayna was a member of Middletown Presbyterian Church. She was born Jan. 13, 1999, in Lincoln, a daughter of Todd and Shelly Little Dugan. They survive.

Also surviving are a sister, Jade Dugan of New Holland; her paternal grandparents, Dan and Connie Dugan of Atlanta; her maternal grandmother, Bonnie Little of Lincoln; her paternal great-grandparents, Merlin and Jean Willmert of Atlanta and Jack and Sue Dugan of Lincoln; and her maternal great-grandmother, Eleanor Ramlow of Lincoln.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at First Presbyterian Church of Lincoln, with the Rev. James Broch officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation is from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to the Jayna Dugan Memorial Fund.

Burnell Gemberling

EMDEN — Burnell Gemberling, 81, of Emden died at 4:20 a.m. today, Tuesday, May 11, 1999, at Maple Ridge Care Center.

Mr. Gemberling was a retired Emden area farmer and a graduate of Hartsburg High School. He attended rural Fairview Elementary School and Brown's Business College in Peoria.

He was a member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Emden. He had also belonged to REACT for a number of years.

He was born May 20, 1917, in Emden, a son of R. Clyde and Georgia Perry Gemberling. He married Dorothy L. Gieseke Aug. 13, 1949, in Lincoln. She died Sept. 1, 1974.

Surviving is a brother, Robert Perry Gemberling of Dallas, Texas.

Funeral services will be at 1

pm at Holland & Barry Funeral Home, 405 E. 10th St., in Lincoln. Burial will be in Union Cemetery. Visitation is from 2 to 5 p.m. Thursday.

Memorials may be made to his church.

Roberta Chambers

Roberta N. Chambers, 74, of Kissimmee, Fla., formerly of Lincoln, died at 9:30 a.m. Monday, May 10, 1999, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Chambers was a music professor. She taught at Lincoln Christian College 32 years and at Florida Christian College in Kissimmee for 12 years. She also had taught in the music departments at the University of Illinois, Urbana, and Tennessee Wesleyan University, Athens, Tenn.

She attended First Christian Church in Kissimmee. She was a member of the American Guild of Organists.

She was born Oct. 29, 1924, in Arcola, a daughter of Horace and Ethel Bartholomew Muliken. She married Billy N. Chambers March 10, 1949, in Athens, Tenn. He survives.

Also surviving are a son, Michael Chambers of St. Cloud, Fla.; a daughter, Linda Storm of Lincoln; two sisters, June Martin of Louisa, Ky., and Martha O'Flinn of Tulsa, Okla.; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Thursday in the Earl C. Hargrove Chapel, with Wayne Shaw and Christopher Chambers officiating. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Friday in Arcola Township Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Thursday.

Memorials may be made to the Lincoln Christian College Music Department or to the Florida Christian College Music Department, Kissimmee, Fla.

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

A. Wilkie Fisk

A. Wilkie Fisk, 88, of Sullivan, father of a Lincoln woman, died at 10:30 p.m. Friday, May 7, 1999, at the Illinois Masonic Home, Sullivan. He

was the last surviving member of the immediate family.

Mr. Fisk retired from teaching in 1976 after working as a teacher, coach and administrator at schools in central Illinois and Florida. He was a lifetime member of the National Education Association and a member of the Illinois Retired Teachers Association.

He graduated from Illinois State University in 1954, with a bachelor of education degree in mathematics and from the University of Illinois in 1956, with a masters of education degree in school administration.

Mr. Fisk had been a Mason since 1947, with his most recent membership at Mahomet. He also belonged to the Lions Club for many years. He was a member of Mahomet Methodist Church and served as a Lay Leader in Methodist churches in several communities.

He was born Aug. 30, 1910, in Gifford, the son of Henry and Lessie Burdette Fisk. He married Inis Butts Sept. 1, 1934, in Rantoul. She died Nov. 4, 1994.

Surviving are three sons, Jerry Fisk of Urbana, James Fisk of Mahomet and Clifford Fisk of Chillicothe; a daughter, Lonita Mitchell of Lincoln; nine grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were this morning at the Illinois Masonic Home Chapel, Sullivan. Graveside services were this afternoon at Maplewood Cemetery, Rantoul, with the Rev. Keith Zimmerman officiating.

Memorials may be made to the Illinois Masonic Home, Sullivan, or to the Mahomet United Methodist Church Building Fund.

Reed Funeral Home, Sullivan, handled arrangements.

Ellen Bode

Ellen M. Bode, 96, of Lincoln died at 1:05 p.m. Monday, May 10, 1999, at St. John's North Springfield.

Mrs. Bode had worked as a cook, first at Mary Henry Nursing Home and later at Holy Family Rectory.

She was a member of Holy Family Church and the Holy Family Society.

She was born Nov. 12, 1902, in Lincoln, a daughter of Timothy and Margaret Hoegel Welch. She married Charles L. Bode Feb. 4, 1931, in Lincoln. He died Jan. 26, 1952.

Surviving are three daughters, Carolyn Cavras of Cicero, Teresa Klockenga of Lincoln and Elizabeth Patterson of Normal; two sons, Charles Bode of Lincoln; two sisters, Marie Cronin of Joliet and Margaret Kritzberger of Sabin, Minn.; a brother, William Welch of Lincoln; 22 grandchildren; and 34 great-grandchildren.

A daughter, two brothers and two sisters preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be at 9:30 a.m. Friday at Holy Family Church, with the Rev. Thomas Taylor officiating. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Kerrigan Funeral Home, with the rosary recited at 5 p.m. and a wake service at 7:45 p.m.

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

Robert Metz

Robert Elmer Metz, 76, of Lincoln died at 5:58 p.m. Monday, May 10, 1999, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Metz was a retired farmer. He was a member of the Logan County Farm Bureau and Lincoln Christian Church.

He was born Feb. 22, 1923, in Clinton, a son of Elmer and Isabell McGuffie Metz. He married Frances Radcliffe Nov. 6, 1943, in Peoria. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Robert Steven Metz of Decatur and Gary Wayne Metz of Tucson, Ariz.; two daughters, Carole Knipp of Bloomington and Sue Coe of Austin, Texas.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Paul Gilmore and Don Green officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Friday.

Memorials may be made to the Christian Village.

Businessman who became actor dies in Chicago

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHICAGO — Reuben R. Cordova, a businessman who later in life turned a flair for the dramatic into a second career, died.

Cordova, who played a role as a firefighter in the movie "Draft" and a bonding agent in "Vice Versa," died from a series of strokes, three days before his 81st birthday.

Cordova was the secretary vice president of the International Food Service Managers Association from 1970 until 1981. After retiring he had a series of modeling roles, as bit parts in movies and television ads.

He posed eating beef and cream for an American Dairy Association poster seen in many supermarkets.

"So many friends would call and say, 'I saw Reuben hanging up there in the Jewel,'" said his wife, Betty Jane.

Cordova was born in Mexico and raised in Los Angeles. He served in the Army infantry during World War II and settled in Arlington Heights, Ill., in 1958.

He is survived by his wife, a son, a daughter and two grandchildren.

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## Police beat

### Felony warrant

Logan County police arrested Terry L. Hanson, 35, of Springfield, at the Sangamon County jail at 6:23 p.m. Tuesday on a 1997 Logan County felony warrant. He was held at the Logan County jail in lieu of bond.

### Accident

Natasha L. Baum, 21, of Mount Pulaski, was treated for minor injuries at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital after she lost control of her car Tuesday afternoon and drove off Illinois 121 into a ditch one-eighth mile north of 350th Street. No other cars were involved. Her car had to be towed.

### Improper lane usage

John K. Cox, 34, of 949 1850th St., was cited by Lincoln police for im-

proper lane usage after he changed lanes on North Glasgow Street just north of Hickokle Street. He was cited for illegal lane change by Sgt. 5555. He was cited for illegal lane change by Sgt. 5555. He was cited for illegal lane change by Sgt. 5555.

### Fire and rescue calls

**False alarm**  
Lincoln firefighters investigated a reported fire at 700 11th St. Tuesday at St. Clara's Mission. No fire was found.

**False alarm**  
Lincoln firefighters investigated a reported fire at 316 Lamar St. Tuesday at 1:47 p.m. Tuesday.

**Rescue runs**  
Lincoln Fire Department rescue per-

sonnel helped a woman at 8709 Seminary Road, 409 N. Madison St. and helped a woman at 10100th at 1000th St.

### School menus

- Lincoln Community High School — Beef-A-Lon, green beans, tossed salad, garlic bread, blueberries and cake or cereal salad.
- Lincoln Elementary — Hbr dog, bun, baked beans, pretzels, fruit cocktail.
- Little Lambs Day Care Center — Chili, mac with beans, applesauce, crackers.
- Mount Pulaski Elementary — Corn dog, peas, banana pudding, vanilla wafers.
- Mount Pulaski High School — Lasagna, lettuce salad, bread sticks, pears.
- Elkhart — Egg salad sandwich, chips, green beans, peaches.
- Hartem Schools — Chicken party, burrito, pasta salad, peaches.
- Illini Central — Taco salad with nachos, chips, Spanish rice, peaches, date bars.
- Lincoln Community High School — Beef-A-Lon, green beans, tossed salad, garlic bread, blueberries and cake or cereal salad.
- Lincoln Elementary — Hbr dog, bun, baked beans, pretzels, fruit cocktail.
- Little Lambs Day Care Center — Chili, mac with beans, applesauce, crackers.
- Mount Pulaski Elementary — Corn dog, peas, banana pudding, vanilla wafers.
- Mount Pulaski High School — Lasagna, lettuce salad, bread sticks, pears.
- Allans Elementary — Barbecued chicken sandwich, potato rounds, applesauce, coleslaw.
- Chester East Lincoln — Hamburger, bun, chips, pickles, cheese cake, fruit.
- Christian Child Care — Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, peaches.

## OBITUARIES

### Bernice Schaper

Bernice E. Schaper, 79, of Lincoln died at 12:16 p.m. Tuesday, May 11, 1999, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Holland & Barry Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

### Marian Logan

ATLANTA — Marian Ruth Logan, 73, of Austin, Texas, sister of an Atlanta man, died at 11:11 p.m. Saturday, April 10, 1999, at Austin, Texas.

Mrs. Logan was an auditor for the state of Texas until her retirement in 1980.

She was a Lutheran.

She was born Sept. 28, 1925, a daughter of Oscar and Anna Larson Larson. She married Nelson Logan June 10, 1968, in Reno, Nev. He survives.

Surviving are a daughter, Patricia Evelyn Schotka of Petu-luma, Calif.; and a brother, John E. Larson, of Atlanta.

A brother preceded her in death.

Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Richmond Grove Cemetery, New Holland, with the Rev. David Andreasen officiating.

There will be no visitation. Memorials may be made to the Faith Assembly of God Building Fund.

Holland & Barry Funeral Home handled arrangements.

### Roberta Chambers

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Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Thursday in Earl C Hargrove Chapel.

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Surviving are three daughters, Carlyn Gavras of Cicero, Teresa Klockenga of Lincoln and Elizabeth Patterson of Normal; two sons, Charles Bode of Warrensburg and James Bode of Lincoln; two sisters, Marie Cronin of Joliet and Margaret Kritzerger of Sabin, Minn.; a brother, William Welch of Lincoln; 22 grandchildren; and 34 great-grandchildren.

A daughter, two brothers and two sisters preceded her in death.

Memorials may be made to Carroll Catholic School or St. John's Hospice, Springfield.

This obituary is being reprinted to correct mistakes in Tuesday's edition. The Courier regrets the errors.

## WEATHER

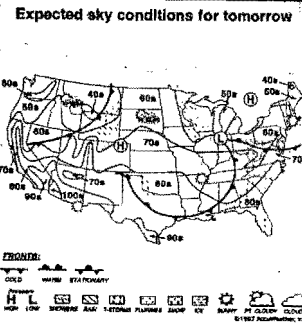
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Ovnight low	63
Record high	93 in 1956
Record low	30 in 1925
Sunrise today	8:03 a.m.
Sunset Thursday	5:44 a.m.

Precipitation	
to 7 a.m. today	44
Probabilities today	40 percent
Probabilities Thursday	30 percent

**Local Forecast**  
Periods of showers and thunderstorms tonight, low in the mid-50s with variable wind around 10 mph. Cloudy and cooler Thursday, with a chance of showers, high in the mid- to upper 60s.

**Extended Forecast**  
A change of morning showers Friday, highs in the 70s, lows 55 to 60. A chance of thunderstorms Saturday, highs in the 70s, lows 55 to 60. Dry Sunday, highs around 80, lows around 60.

### Expected sky conditions for tomorrow



## MARKETS

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**Board of Trade opening**  
CHICAGO (AP) — Grain futures moved higher early today on the Chicago Board of Trade, while soybean futures retreated. Wheat futures advanced after the U.S. and a sharp drop that followed news that Treasury Secretary Robert Rubin was resigning. At noon on Wall Street, the Dow Jones industrial average was down 50.98 at 10,975.17. The Dow opened slightly lower

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# Mountain peak records 1,124 inches of snow

SEATTLE — Of all the snows, Mount Baker may be the most unofficially become the world's most snowed-upon peak, breaking a 27-year-old record for snowfall in a single season.

After 12 inches of snow fell Wednesday, the Mount Baker Ski Area had accumulated 1,124 inches since Nov. 1, 1998 — almost 94 feet, or about the height of a 10-story building.

The previous record, established in 1971-72 on nearby Mount Rainier, was 1,122 1/2 inches.

"It was the slowest 2 inches of snow I've ever seen fall at Mount Baker," said spokeswoman Gwyn Howat, who spent Tuesday night at a lodge on the mountain so she could be there when it happened. "It was a bit like watching the pot boil."

The record came as little surprise to ski center staff. In February, the mountain got so much snow they were forced to close the ski slopes for two days and to lengthen a 25-foot snow measuring stick that lay buried for days.

The center sold record numbers of season passes, used twice the usual amount of dynamite for avalanche control, and had to place classified ads for shovellers to help dig out chair lifts and cut down roadside snowbanks, Howat said.

The ski season on Mount Baker closed May 2.

The record is unofficial until validated by the National Climate Extremes Committee — a process that could take several months, said Andy Horvitz, a climatologist at the National Weather Service's Office of Meteorology in Silver Spring, Md.

The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration runs the climate extremes committee.

"We are working with the ski area to arrange a site visit, to find out how they measure the snow, get copies of data and

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Saturday, May 15<sup>th</sup>  
"Fat Cactus"  
9 PM - 1 AM

Sunday, May 16<sup>th</sup>  
"Rod Teeney and Friends"  
8 PM - 12 PM

Thursday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>  
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## Fire and rescue runs

Lincoln County firefighters battled a fire in a home on the corner of 11th and 12th streets in Lincoln on Thursday.

The fire broke out in the early morning hours of Thursday, and firefighters from Lincoln County arrived on the scene at 11:30 a.m.

The fire was contained to the home, and no injuries were reported. The cause of the fire is still under investigation.

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## Felony warrant

Logan County deputies arrested Stephen Scruggs, 18, 1835 N. College St., York, Thursday, at the Logan County Courthouse, on a Logan County warrant arising from a 1998 felony case. He was held in the County Jail in lieu of bond.

## Failure to yield

Brad E. Rutherford, 19, of 612 Orman Ave., was cited by Lincoln police for failure to yield while turning left after an accident at 4 p.m. Thursday in the 500 block of Broadway.

Rutherford was exiting an alley there when he ran into a car driven by Cynthia G. Crowell, 1412 Short Eighth St. Neither driver was injured in the accident. Damage to the car exceeded \$500.

## Stop sign violation

Lincoln police cited Chelsie I. Slack, 17, of 912 N. Kickapoo St., for running a stop sign after an accident at North Kickapoo and Davenport streets just before 4 p.m. Thursday.

Slack, who was driving on Davenport Street, reportedly stopped at the intersection, then pulled onto Kickapoo Street into the path of a car driven by Charlotte K. Vandenberg, 1302 N. Hamilton St. Neither driver was injured. Damage was estimated at over \$500.

## Failure to yield

Paul Hartwig, 83, of 420 Holly Drive, was ticketed by city police for failure to yield while turning left after an accident at 2 p.m. Thursday at Woodlawn Road and Lincoln Parkway.

Hartwig reportedly turned in front of a car driven by Marlene Ely, 926 1750th Street. Neither driver was injured. Damage to the

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## Police beat

**Fowl play**  
After the inexplicable return in late February of several abducted figures, including a Dutch boy and girl, frogs, a chicken, a squirrel, gargoyles and others, all of which were found one chilly morning on the South Beson Road bridge, the ominous critter-mappings in Lincoln seemed at an end.

It's begun again.  
Lincoln police are asking the help of the public in recovering a white concrete goose, last seen wearing a sunflower shirt and sunflower hat, which disappeared from a front porch in the 200 block of Border Street sometime Wednesday night.

## Holes in windows

Police are investigating an instance of vandalism at Shick's Department Store, 604 Broadway. The store owner found three quarter-size holes in two of the front windows Thursday morning. Damage is estimated at \$1,000.

## Warrant arrest

Logan County deputies arrested Amanda L. Swarts, 20, of Middletown, at 2:40 a.m. today at the Safety Complex. She is being held on a Logan County warrant for failing to appear in court in a 1997 misdemeanor case.

## Warrant arrest

Lincoln police arrested Martha M. Falcon, 34, of 611 S. Madison St. at 5:34 p.m. Thursday at her residence. She was booked into the county jail and held in lieu of a \$5,000 bond on a Logan County warrant issued for failing to appear in court in a 1997 misdemeanor case.

## OBITUARY

### Robert Metz

Funeral services for Robert Elmer Metz were this morning at Holland & Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Paul Gilmore and Don Green officiating. Burial was in Zion Cemetery.

Mr. Metz, 76, of Lincoln died at 5:58 p.m. Monday, May 10, 1999, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

He was a retired farmer and was a member of the Logan County Farm Bureau.

Mr. Metz also was a member of Lincoln Christian Church.

He was born Feb. 22, 1923, in Clinton, a son of Elmer and Isabelle McGuffie Metz. He married Frances Redcliffe Nov. 6, 1943, in Peoria. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Robert Steven Metz of Decatur and Gary Wayne Metz of Tucson, Ariz.; two daughters, Carole Knipp of Bloomington and Sue Coe of Austin, Texas.

Memorials may be made to the Christian Village.

This obituary is being reprinted to correct mistakes in Tuesday's edition. The Courier regrets the errors.

## Lincoln Data

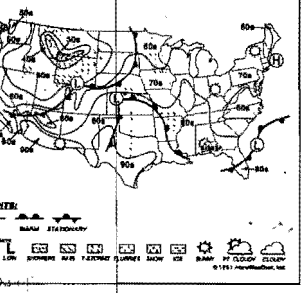
Thursday's high..... 61  
Overnight low..... 48  
Record high..... 81 in 1932  
Record low..... 30 in 1910  
Sunset today..... 8:05 p.m.  
Sunrise Saturday..... 5:43 a.m.

**Precipitation**  
to 7 a.m. today..... 09  
Probabilities today..... 0 percent  
Probabilities Saturday..... 0 percent

**Local Forecast**  
Mostly clear tonight, low in the mid-50s with light southeast wind. Partly cloudy Saturday, high in the upper 70s.

**Extended Forecast**  
Dry Sunday, with chances of showers and thunderstorms Monday and Tuesday, highs around 80, lows around 60.

## Expected sky conditions for tomorrow



# Price report puts scare into Wall St.

NEW YORK — Stocks plunged today after the government's report of a steep rise in consumer prices intensified worries about inflation and sent bond prices sharply lower.

At noon on Wall Street, the Dow Jones industrial average was down 152.63 at 10,954.56. Broader stock indicators were lower as well.

On Thursday, the Dow had climbed 106.82 to close at 11,107.19, a new record.

The selloff in stocks was sparked by the Labor Department's announcement that consumer prices rose 0.7 percent in April, the largest monthly gain in nearly nine years. The report was especially jarring following Thursday's producer-price report, which suggested inflation was subdued.

"The CPI is usually not out of line with that number," Barry Hyman, senior equity analyst at Ehrenkrantz King Nussbaum.

"This was a surprise."

The report led to a drop of more than two points in the price of the benchmark 30-year Treasury bond, pushing yields to 5.92 percent, the highest level in nearly a year.

"The stock market is perfectly comfortable as long as bond yields are below 6 percent," said Hyman. "But as the yield is nearing 6 percent, it won't be so comfortable."

**WEATHER**

**Lincoln Data**

Friday's high	81
Today's low	48
Record high	90 in 1944
Record low	33 in 1920
Sunset today	8:06 p.m.
Sunrise Sunday	6:42 a.m.

**Precipitation**

to midnight Fri.	0%
Probabilities tonight	30 percent
Probabilities Sunday	30 percent

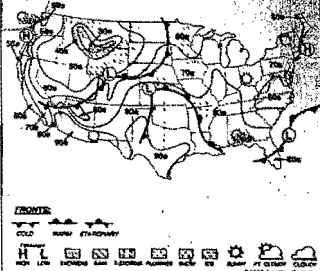
**Local Forecast**

Partly sunny today with a high in the mid or upper 70s. Mostly cloudy tonight with a 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Low in the upper 50s. Partly sunny Sunday with a 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms and a high in the low to mid 60s.

**Extended Forecast**

Monday through Wednesday will bring a chance of showers and thunderstorms with lows around 60 and highs near 80.

**Expected sky conditions for tomorrow**



**Clinton-area group helps bereaved parents**

CLINTON — Members of Clinton Area Chapter of Compassionate Friends will be in the foyer of Clinton Wal-Mart from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. May 22 to answer questions.

Compassionate Friends is an international support group for parents whose children have died at any age. People may sign up for a free newsletter. The Wal-Mart table also will feature angel key chains priced at \$7; brochures; newsletters; and balloons.

The group meets once a month for sharing sessions and a planned program. Members are always available for anyone who needs to talk about their bereavement.

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**OBITUARIES**

**Elvera Funk**

Elvera M. Funk, 77, of Lincoln died at 1:07 p.m. Friday, May 14, 1999, at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield.



Mrs. Funk

Mrs. Funk was employed as a cook at Lincoln Community High School 25 years before she retired.

She was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church, the Women of Immanuel and the church's Ladies Aid. She also was secretary for Lincoln Heritage Charter Chapter of the American Business Women's Association, an organization she had belonged to for 22 years.

Also surviving are two sons,

Richard Funk of Minonk and Gary S. Funk of Sherman; two daughters, Linda Franz and Rebecca Cecil, both of Lincoln; a brother, Walter Moldenhauer of Gurnee; and six grandchildren.

A brother and a sister preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at Immanuel Lutheran Church with the Rev. Al Weidlich officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Monday at the church. Memorials may be made to her church or to the American Diabetes Association.

Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, is in charge of arrangements.

**Katherine Bruns**

Katherine M. Bruns, 97, of Lincoln died at 7:25 a.m. Friday, May 14, 1999, at the Christian Nursing Home.

Mrs. Bruns was a member of Hartsburg United Methodist Church and the church's Women's Benefit Association and United Methodist Women.

She was born April 5, 1902, in Lincoln, a daughter of Peter and Mary Danner Klein. She married Edward I. Krotz Oct. 30, 1920, in Lincoln. He died May 4, 1955. She married George Bruns June 29, 1957, in Decatur. He died Nov. 9, 1981.

Surviving are one daughter, Josephine M. Noon of Middletown; one sister, Pauline Klarr of Lincoln; three grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; three stepgreat-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; and two stepgreat-great-grandchildren.

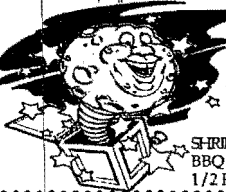
A brother preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Henry Cox officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Monday.

Memorials may be made to the Christian Nursing Home.

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Carrie Hahn

BROADWELL — Carrie Hahn, a former Lincoln Developmental Center employee and Broadwell resident, will celebrate her 85th birthday Tuesday, May 18, 1999. A birthday party will be held at St. Clara's Manor.

Carrie is the mother of Jean Mellott of Lincoln, Peggy Lahmeyer of Springfield, Jack Leathers of Stafford, Va., and Boh Leathers, deceased.

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### Kenneth Crowell

Kenneth D. Crowell, 61, of Lincoln died at 3:30 a.m. Saturday, May 15, 1999, at St. John's Hospice, Springfield.

Mr. Crowell was an assembler at Caterpillar in East Peoria when he retired.

He was a member of Liberty Baptist Church in Minier.

He was born June 7, 1937, in Carterville, a son of Clifton and Nevada Faye Watson Crowell. He married Joyce G. Randl Feb. 24, 1957, in Lincoln. She survives.

Also surviving are his father of Lincoln; four sons, Steven and Everett Crowell, both of Lincoln, Keith Crowell of Bloomington and Ronald Crowell of Lake Charles, La.; a daughter, Evelyn Shewmake of Houston, Texas; three brothers, Calvin, Jack and Bill Crowell, all of Lincoln; 12 grandchildren; and a great-grandson.

His mother, two brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, with the Rev. John Horner officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. today and an hour before the service Tuesday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the family.



Mr. Crowell

### Mildred Pembroke

Mildred D. Pembroke, 70, of Lincoln died at 12:12 a.m. Monday, May 17, 1999, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Pembroke had been a private care giver.

She was a member of St. Monica's Church, Pekin.

She was born Sept. 28, 1928, in Logan County, a daughter of Earl and Elsie Hindman; Lahr. She married Sherman Pembroke. He preceded her in death.

Surviving are two sisters, Eileen Fulk of Lincoln and Mary Kuhajda of Dwight; five brothers, Donald Lahr of Quinoy, Joe Lahr of Washburn, Mo., William Lahr of Mount Pulaski, Roy Lahr of Lincoln and Frances "Tony" Lahr of Pekin.

A brother and a sister preceded her in death.

Mrs. Pembroke was cremated. There will be neither services nor visitation.

Kerrigan Funeral Home handled arrangements.

### William Johnson II

MIDDLETOWN — William Glenn "B.G." Johnson II, 14, of Springfield died at 3:50 p.m. Friday, May 14, 1999, at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield. His survivors include his grandparents of Middletown.

According to the Sangamon County Coroner's office, he died of injuries sustained when he was struck by a train last week. B.G. was chasing a snake and wearing headphones when the accident occurred, according to a spokesman for Kirilin-Egan and Butler Funeral Home in Springfield, which handled funeral arrangements.

B.G. was an eighth-grader at Franklin Middle School in Springfield. He participated in Saturday Junior League bowling. He was a member of Springfield Bible Church.

He was born April 5, 1985, in Springfield, a son of Melody Kay Warden and William Glenn Johnson.

Surviving are his parents of Springfield; two brothers, Braden William and Blake William Manthey, both of Springfield; a sister, Christian Nicole Brown of Springfield; his grandparents, Donald and Lois Warden Berry of Vermont, Ill., and MonDell and Gail Johnson of Middletown; a great-grandfather, Ron Johnson of Springfield; and a great-grandmother, Gladys Numanaker of Saybrook.

He was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Kirilin-Egan & Butler Funeral Home, Springfield, with the Rev. John Standard officiating. Burial will be in Oak Hill Cemetery, Springfield.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Memorials may be made to the family through a trust at Heartland Credit Union.

### Kenneth Coulter

MASON CITY — Kenneth Dale Coulter, 27, of DeLand, Fla., formerly of Mason City, died Friday, May 14, 1999, in Volusia County, Fla., from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

Mr. Coulter was a heavy

equipment operator for the County of Volusia for 10 years.

He was a Lutheran. He was a dirt bike and NASCAR fan and enjoyed drag racing and fishing.

He was born in Lincoln, the son of Dale D. and Sylvia Urbanek Coulter.

Survivors include his father of Mason City; his mother and stepfather, Sylvia and William Sog of DeLand; his paternal grandmother, Pearl J. Coulter of Mason City; his maternal grandparents, Ted and Millie Urbanek of DeLand; a brother, Daniel D. Coulter of Lincoln; and a sister, Barbara Ann Morris of DeBary, Fla.

Memorial services were this morning at Allen-Summerhill Funeral Home, DeLand. Styninger Funeral Home, Mason City, helped handle arrangements.

Memorials may be made to Christ Lutheran Church in Mason City.

### Myrtle St. Clair

MASON CITY — Myrtle St. Clair, 91, of Mason City died at 1:40 p.m. Sunday, May 16, 1999, at Mason City Area Nursing Home.

Styninger Funeral Home, Mason City, is handling arrangements.

### Edwin "Luke" Koster

ELKHART — Edwin Lewis "Luke" Koster, 61, of Farmington, N.M., a former Elkhart resident, died at 6:30 a.m. Friday, May 14, 1999, at San Juan Manor in Farmington.

Arrangements are pending.

## Former auxiliary charged of killing his

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CAHOKIA, Ill. — A former auxiliary police officer charged in the beating death of his longtime girlfriend wasn't known to his friends to be a violent person, according to a police investigator who knew the suspect.

James Knight, 54, of Centerville, has been charged with the murder of Willie Mae Hill, 46, who was beaten to death while her four grandchildren slept in the next room.

East St. Louis Police Sgt. Delbert Marion said he knew Knight and was stunned to learn he had confessed to the killing.

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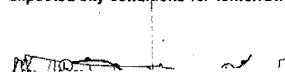
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### WEATHER

Lincoln Data	
Sunday's high	85
Overnight low	63
Record high	92 in 1962
Record low	37 in 1929
Sunset today	8:08 p.m.

### Expected sky conditions for tomorrow





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**Fire and rescue runs**

There were no fire runs in the 24-hour-period ending at 8:30 a.m. today.

**Rescue runs**  
Lincoln Fire Department rescue personnel helped a person at Chester-East Lincoln School at 10:27 a.m. Monday, and helped a person at 2:06 this morning at 702 Sixth St.

**Correction**

A free child development screening clinic for infants to age 3, to be held May 24 at the Logan County Health Department, is sponsored by the Logan County Health Department and United Cerebral Palsy of Land of Lincoln. The sponsors of the clinic were mis-

identified in an article in Saturday's Courier.

The Courier regrets the error.

**School menus for Wednesday**

- Atlanta Elementary breakfast — Biscuit and sausage gravy, assorted juices
- Illini Central breakfast — Cinnamon churros with syrup, juice
- Lincoln Elementary breakfast — Cereal, graham crackers with dip, juice
- Atlanta Elementary — Sausage pizza, tossed salad, mixed fruit, goldfish crackers
- Carroll Catholic School — Chinese pic, lettuce salad, pears
- Chester-East Lincoln — Meatballs, potato casserole, pears, sherbet
- Christian Child Care — French toast, sausage, peaches

- Elkhart — Sausage, patty, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas, pears
- Hartman School — Chicken nuggets, barbecue sauce, mixed vegetables, baked apples
- Illini Central — Mr. rib, bun or corn dog, fries, pineapple, animal crackers
- Lincoln Community High School — Hot roast pork sandwich, whipped potatoes, gravy, peas, lemon pudding or bread bowl
- Lincoln Elementary — Sausage pizza, lettuce salad, Jell-O, pears
- Little Lambs Day Care Center — Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, carrots, pineapple
- Mount Pulaski Elementary — Chicken breast, bun, lettuce, pickle, peas, pineapple, potato chips
- Mount Pulaski High School — Chicken, ham or tuna salad, bun, chips,

- vegetables and soup, applesauce, pumpkin bar
- New Holland-Middletown — Hot dog, bun, chips, orange, white, Texas cake
- Odd Fellow Day Care — Barbecued ribs, scalloped potatoes, corn, mixed fruit
- Olympia Middle/High School — Sausage pizza, or seafood salad on crackers, tossed salad, assorted fruit, goldfish crackers
- Warrensburg-Latham Schools — Hamburger, bun, salsa, juice
- West Lincoln Broadwell — Meatball sandwich, slaw, fruit cup, Jell-O cake
- Zion Lutheran School — Hot roast pork sandwich, whipped potatoes, gravy, pears, lemon pudding

**WEATHER**

**Lincoln Data**

Monday's high	77
Oversight low	68
Record high	92 in 1934
Record low	34 in 1925
Sunset today	8:09 p.m.
Sunrise Wednesday	5:39 a.m.

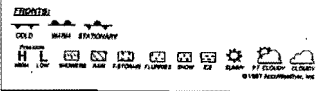
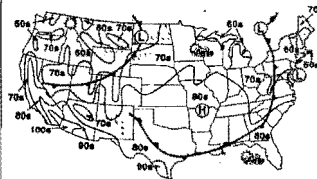
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to 7 a.m. today	34
Probabilities today	0 percent
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**Local Forecast**  
Mostly clear tonight, low around 50 with light and variable winds. Mostly sunny Wednesday, high in the mid-70s.

**Extended Forecast**  
Chances of thunderstorms daily Thursday through Saturday, highs around 80, lows in the 50s.

**Expected sky conditions for tomorrow**



**MARKETS**

**Stocks**  
(Courtesy Edward Jones Investments)

Cal	58 1/8
Clc	40 1/8
Clo	27 1/8
Gen Tel	53 1/8
PPG	67 1/8
Terre Industries	106 1/8
Gen Mill	7 3/4
Wendys Intl Inc.	27 1/8
Easton Corp.	24 1/8

**Noon grain futures**  
(Courtesy Glbent Orel Co.)

May	2.17 1/2	dn 4 1/4
Jul	2.20 3/4	dn 3 1/2
Dec	2.23	dn 3 1/4
May	4.29	dn 4
Jul	4.65	dn 4 1/4
Nov	4.78	dn 5 1/4
May	2.50	dn 5 1/4
Jul	2.57 1/4	dn 5

tures related early today on the Chicago Board of Trade after the government reported planting progress is proceeding at a normal pace despite recent rains. Some 77 percent of corn acreage already has been planted, the U.S. Agriculture Department reported after trading had ended Monday, up 1 percent over last year and 8 percent over the five-year average. Wheat and soybean planting also were proceeding normally, the agency reported. The report dashed hopes that heavy recent rains would reduce the amount of corn and spring wheat acreage, at a time when global demand remains in the doldrums and inventories remain relatively large. Farmers typically

**OBITUARY**

**Myrtle St. Clair**

MASON CITY — Funeral services for Myrtle St. Clair will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Mason City Christian Church, with the Rev. Robert Paddock officiating. Burial will be in Mason City Cemetery. Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Styninger Funeral Home, Mason City. Mrs. St. Clair, 91, of Mason City died at 1:40 p.m. Sunday, May 16, 1999, at Mason City Area Nursing Home. She taught elementary school in Mason City for 37 years before she retired in 1972. She taught Rules of the Road courses for the Illinois Secretary of State's office from 1969 to 1995. She was a member of the Illinois Retired Teachers Association,

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Mason City Christian Church, Mason City Woman's Club and the Mason County Homemakers Extension Association. She was born June 27, 1907, in Osgood, Mo., the daughter of Otis and Vesta Harris Smith. She married Roby V. St. Clair May 15, 1936, in Kansas City, Mo. He died June 12, 1995. Surviving are a daughter, Luann Douglas of Mason City; three sisters, Beulah Smith of Mason City, Thelma Ralls of Lansing, Mich., and Kathryn Macke of Milton, Wis.; and two grandchildren.

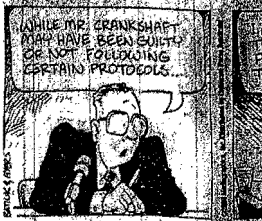
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Memorials may be made to her church or to the Mason City Area Nursing Home.

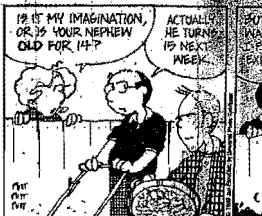
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**Robert Moore**

Robert W. Moore, 60, of Fountain Hills, Ariz., died at 10:35 a.m. Thursday, May 20, 1999, at Scottsdale Memorial North Hospital, Scottsdale, Ariz.

Mr. Moore, a former resident of Lincoln, was a graduate of Beason High School, attended Illinois State University and graduated from Eastern Illinois University with a master's degree in Education. Before his retirement, he taught science and English in Chicago-area schools and coached girls basketball.

He was a member of St. John United Church of Christ in Lincoln; a member of BETA ZETA fraternity; the Masonic Lodge in Mazon; the Illinois Pork Producers Association; and the Logan County Farm Bureau. He showed prize-winning hogs and served as a swine contest judge in a number of states.

He was born March 31, 1939, in Lincoln, the son of Harold E. Moore and Helen M. Wilmet Moore. He married Kathleen Cofoid on May 2, 1997, in Peoria. She survives.

Also surviving are his mother, Helen M. Moore, of Lincoln; a son, James D. Moore; a stepson, Steve Cofoid; and a step-

daughter, Melyssa Cofoid, all of Fountain Hills, Ariz.; and a sister, Shirley Moore, of St. Louis, Mo.

His father preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Richard Reinwald officiating. Burial will be in Atlanta Cemetery.

Fraternal rites will be at 8 p.m. Tuesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home.

Visitation is from 5 to 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association or to the St. John United Church of Christ.

**Marguerite Garton**

Marguerite Garton, 86, of Rockford, formerly of Middletown, died at 2:25 p.m. Thursday, May 20, 1999, at the Alma Nelson Manor Nursing Home in Rockford.

She was born Nov. 2, 1912, in Slope County, N.D., the daughter of Ludwig Anton and Cora Miller Larson.

She married Harold Logan Garton on May 31, 1942, in Chicago. He preceded her in death

on Aug. 31, 1974.

She was raised in the Irish Grove community in Menard County. She graduated from Greenview High School and Lincoln College. She taught at Union School outside of Middletown for several years.

She was a member of the Valley Baptist Church of Rockford and had been an active member of the First Baptist Churches of Downer's Grove and Pekin, where she previously resided.

Surviving are two daughters, Margie Trumbull of Rockford, and Rita Ann Lurz/Garton of Grand Rapids, Mich.; one grandson; three granddaughters; and two great-grandchildren.

Her parents and three sisters preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be at 12:30 p.m. Monday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Robert Henderson officiating. Burial will be in Harmony Cemetery, Beason.

Visitation will be one hour prior to the service at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the Valley Christian Church of Rockford, or to WQSL Christian Radio.

**SIU criticized in audit**

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

SPRINGFIELD — Southern Illinois University, at Carbondale, failed to properly track equipment lent to faculty, the Illinois Auditor General's office said.

Inspectors also said the university should improve its Y2K readiness and better explain why it admitted students whose high school performance failed to meet minimum standards.

The audit said a faculty member affiliated with SIU's honors program had borrowed six pieces of equipment valued at

\$3,268. None of the equipment is missing.

Neither the audit nor university officials specify what was involved.

"This is an isolated incident," said SIU director of audits Ron Cremins.

The audit also criticized SIU officials for inadequate backup plans to deal with problems that could be caused by computers unable to read the date change from 1999 to 2000.


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**Virgil Steffens**  
  
 Virgil M. Steffens, 80, of Lincoln died at 3:35 a.m. Friday, May 21, 1999, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Steffens was a retired farmer and cattle raiser.

He was a member of Zion Lutheran Church.

He was born Oct. 18, 1918, in Lincoln, a son of William and Mildred Steffens.

March 4, 1978, in Lincoln. She died March 17, 1999.

Surviving are a daughter, Sandra (Wayne) Benanti of Springfield; a sister, Edna Steffens of Lincoln; and two grandsons, Travis Benanti of Cliffside Park, N.J., and Trent Benanti of Springfield.

His parents, wife and one brother, Merritt E., preceded him in death.


Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Monday at Fricke-Calvert-Schraeder Funeral Home, Lincoln, with the Rev. Mark Carnahan and the Rev. William Adam officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

**LOCAL REPORT**

**Barbershoppers appearing at Restoration Hall**  
 The Land of Lincoln Barbershop Chorus will appear at Lincoln Christian College Restoration Hall, 7 to 10 p.m. Wednesday. For more information call Lou at 732-6286, or Carl, in Springfield, 787-9917.

**LCC Chorus offers final concert Sunday**

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### Donald 'Pete' White

Donald 'Pete' White, 73, of Lincoln, died at 3:35 p.m. Sunday, May 23, 1999, at his home. Mr. White was born Oct. 10, 1925, in Beason, Ill. He was a member of the Beason School District. He was a member of the Beason United Methodist Church. He also was one of the original organizers of the Beason Sportsman's Club.

He was born July 9, 1921, in Lincoln, a son of William Wayne and Bertha Fields White. He married Uria Kathryn Lee-man Aug. 5, 1941, in Lincoln, Neb. She died Oct. 7, 1989.

Survivors include four sons: Darrel Lee, Dale William and David Junior White, all of Lincoln, and Daniel Wayne White of Beason; a daughter, Kathryn Denise White of Colona; a sister, Betty Fletcher of Lincoln; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Robert Baker officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

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

Memorials may be made to his church.

### David Carter

David B. "Gypsy" Carter, 48, of Lincoln died at 3:15 p.m. Friday, May 21, 1999, at his residence. Death was from natural causes, according to the Logan County Coroner's office.

Mr. Carter worked for Contractors Ready Mix in Lincoln several years.

He was a Protestant. He was born June 30, 1950, in Lincoln, a son of Bernard A. and Dolores Frances Ludlum Carter.

Surviving are his mother of Atlanta; a daughter, Christy Carter of Bloomington; a son, Jeremy Carter of Wapella; a sister, Susan Carter of Peoria; a brother, Dana Carter of Temecula, Calif.; two stepisters, Marsha Hindman of Casa Grande, Ariz., and Michelle Buettner of Tucson, Ariz.; and his fiancée, Gina Shelby of Lincoln.

He was preceded in death by his father and his maternal and paternal grandparents.

Mr. Carter was cremated. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday in Irish Grove Cemetery, Middletown, with David Hatmon officiating.

Visitation will be a half hour before the service Tuesday at the cemetery.

Holland & Barry Funeral Home handled arrangements.

### Murlin Burwell Sr.

CHESTNUT — Murlin E. Burwell Sr., 58, of Chestnut died at 10:31 a.m. Saturday, May 22, 1999, at his residence.

Mr. Burwell had worked in security and law enforcement in Tuscola, Decatur and Logan County. He was a member of the Chestnut Fire Department, the Logan County Emergency Services Disaster Agency, the

### James Westfall

James E. Westfall, 65, of Lincoln, formerly of Knoxville, Ill., died at 4:15 p.m. Sunday, May 23, 1999, at his home.

Mr. Westfall worked at the former Rowe Manufacturing Co. in Galesburg 23 years and at Galesburg Research Hospital two years. He served as a sub-machine gun expert in the U.S. Navy from 1956 to 1958.

He was active in the Indian Grove Camp Ground in Coffeen and enjoyed bowling, playing shuffle board and fishing. He was a Cubs fan.

He was born Oct. 11, 1933, in Galesburg, the son of Samuel and Margaret Johnson Westfall. He married Sherry Renne Oct. 1, 1977, in East Galesburg. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, James "Bo" Westfall of East Galesburg and Michael Westfall of Galesburg; three stepsons, Jerry Puckett of Lincoln, Chris Puckett of Virginia Beach, Va., and Paul Puckett of Dallas, Texas; a stepdaughter, Judy Merreighn of Lincoln; four sisters, Beverly Marquith of Knoxville, Ill., Betty Fones of Galesburg, Alma Powell of Yates City and Sheryl Colwell of East Galesburg; three brothers, Albert Westfall of Henderson, Wilbur Westfall of Galesburg and Fred Westfall of Knoxville, Ill.; and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Jefferson Street Christian Church, with J.K. Jones officiating. Burial will be in Embarras Cemetery, Brockton.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Monday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home and an hour before the service Tuesday at the church.

Memorials may be made to Lincoln Christian College & Seminary or to St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

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Memorials may be made to Lincoln Christian College & Seminary or to St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

### Mildred Vandevender

Mildred H. Vandevender, 80, a Lincoln native, died at 3:35 a.m. Sunday, May 23, 1999, at Pleasant View Luthier Home in Ottawa.

Ms. Vandevender, formerly of Fayetteville, Ark., was a member of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Fayetteville.

She was born Oct. 23, 1918, in Lincoln, a daughter of Jerry and Minnie Traeger Jelken. She married James Eberle in 1938, in Lincoln. He died in October 1944. She married Wilfred Herschel Vandevender June 21, 1946, in Mount Pulaski. He died Jan. 20, 1994.

Surviving are four daughters, Margaret "Maggie" Lauferjung of Ottawa, Janet Vandevender of Madison, Wis., Nancy Hoffman of Highland and Julia Abram of Fayetteville, Ark.; a sister, Erma Phillips of Pekin; 10 grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

A sister preceded her in death.

Ms. Vandevender was cremated.

Memorial services will be at a later date.

Memorials may be made to Pleasant View Luthier Home, the Alzheimer's Association, or to her church.

Gladfelter Funeral Home, Ottawa, handled arrangements.

### Willis Farnam

McLEAN — Willis F. Farnam, 68, of McLean died at 11 a.m. Sunday, May 23, 1999, at his residence.

Mr. Farnam, a truck driver, retired in 1980.

He was born April 10, 1931, in Burtonview, the son of Chalmers and Lauretine Wright Farnam. He married Anna M. Pilkenton Nov. 12, 1954, in Dayton, Ohio. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Mike Farnam of Lincoln and John Farnam of Bloomington; two daughters, Laure Bauer of Atlanta and Sandy Johnson of Argington; a sister, Pat Daniels of Lawndale; three brothers, Leroy and Darrell Farnam, both of Lawndale, and Butch Diersing of Mansfield, Ohio; and 11 grandchildren.

A sister preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Quiram Funeral Home, Atlanta. Burial will be in Funke Grove Cemetery, rural McLean.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association.

Lincoln Data	
Sunday High	74
Sunday Low	51
Monday High	81
Monday Low	58
Tuesday High	85
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Wednesday High	84
Wednesday Low	58
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Monday	0.00
Tuesday	0.00
Wednesday	0.00
Thursday	0.00
Friday	0.00
Saturday	0.00
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Local Forecast	
Monday	Cloudy and cool tonight with a chance of evening showers. Low in the upper 40s with northwest wind 10 to 20 mph. Windy and cloudy Tuesday with a chance of showers high in the lower 60s.
Tuesday	Cloudy and cool tonight with a chance of evening showers. Low in the upper 40s with northwest wind 10 to 20 mph. Windy and cloudy Tuesday with a chance of showers high in the lower 60s.
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## State Bank's loans, stockholders gather to hear Lincoln

Performance of the State Bank of Lincoln during 1998 was reviewed at the 94th annual stockholders meeting recently. President Terry Brown told investors the bank's primary capital stood at \$18,190,579 or 11.56 percent of total assets, which rose to \$157,397,705. Deposits and loans rose to new highs of \$134,183,713 and \$93,612,233.

Deposits and loans increased by \$7,780,542 and \$2,049,145, while total assets increased by \$9,271,144. "The growth of deposits and loans reflects the growing confidence and need for locally owned community banks," Brown said. "Our customers and depositors appreciate the personal and individual services that can only be obtained from a community bank."

The bank learned in May that Bauer Financial Reports Inc. awarded the bank the firm's highest rating — the Five-Star Superior Award. The recognition is a measurement of the bank's safety and soundness.

To kickoff the bank's 94th anniversary celebration, the bank sponsored the book "The A Pictorial History of Lincoln" by local historian Paul G. The entire 2,700-page book was taken by the community.

Brown promised even more events during the year to celebrate this significant anniversary. Brown announced the vice president, Hurley, from Illinois College, received his bachelor's degree in business administration in 1983. In 1989 graduated with honors from Southern Illinois University Carbondale.

Hurley has 16 years of experience with the bank and serves the operations area. He, his wife Susan, and children, Derek and Laura, reside in Lincoln. Members to the board of directors reelected for 1999 include Richard Drake, chairman Terry Brown, George Darr Stephen Drake, John Gehlbach and William Hull, Richard Mar-

MARKET	
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## Mormons put family trees on Internet

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SALT LAKE CITY — It's a virtual forest of family trees. A Web site put together by the Mormon church lists 400 million of genealogical data in the world. The Web site has been accessible since it began testing on April 1. It was to be formally

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**Lincoln Data**

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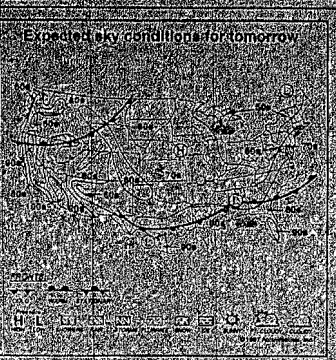
To 7 a.m. today: 0.00  
Probabilities today: 0.00  
Probabilities Wednesday: 0.00

**Local Forecast**

Partly cloudy tonight with some light rain. Wind from the west with gusts to 10 mph. A cold front will arrive Wednesday high in the low to mid 70s.

**Extended Forecast**

Dry and warmer Thursday through Saturday with a high in the 70s Thursday and Friday, warming into the 80s Saturday, lows in the 50s.



# Zapruder family:

## Government is squabbling over value of film

WASHINGTON — The two sides warring over the value of the Zapruder film, a historic home movie of the assassination of President John F. Kennedy, are squabbling over the value of the film.

The government is offering \$1 million while the Zapruder family, which compares the 26-second film to artwork by Dutch painter Vincent van Gogh or pop artist Andy Warhol, is asking \$20 million.

A prominent appraiser, C.M. Johnson, says that without proper protection, the film is a "slimy strip of celluloid" that would rot and plasticize.

On the other hand, Steve Johnson, an appraiser for the Zapruders, who thinks the film is worth more than \$33.8 million, says the colors are akin to art.

"The colors are beautiful," Johnson writes in his appraisal. "The ever-familiar hues of the tragedy — the pink of the first lady's outfit, the red of the wounds, the green of the grass, the bluish-black of the presidential limousine — would not have been better if selected by Warhol or (French artist Henri) Matisse."

In 1997, the Assassination Records Review Board declared the Zapruder film the permanent possession of the people of the United States, requiring the government to compensate the Zapruders for taking possession of the film.

Negotiating a price however proved elusive.

In October, the two parties summoned arbitrators to mediate on a \$30-million ceiling price. Since then, attorneys for the Justice Department and LMH Co., which represents the Zapruder family, have filed a thick stack of briefs.

A three-member arbitration panel today began hearing testimony from both sides. It's expected to take up to three days.

The arbitrators have 90 days after the hearing concludes to decide how much the government must pay the Zapruder family for the half-minute of history captured on 8mm film.

Since July, copies of the film have been on sale for \$20 at video stores nationwide. So far, 130,000 videos and digital video discs have been sold, said Natalie Olinger, a spokeswoman for MPI Home Video, a video production company in Orlando Park, Ill.

The Zapruder family will retain the film's copyright. This dispute is over the original Zapruder film stored in a 25-degree room at the National Archives in College Park, Md.

Government appraisers estimate the film is worth thousands of dollars, but millions of dollars, according to LMH Co., is being demanded from the U.S. government.

# OBITUARIES

## Edwin "Luke" Koster

ELKHART — Graveside services for Edwin Lewis "Luke" Koster, a former Elkhart resident, will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Irish Grove Cemetery, rural Middletown, with the Rev. Harvey Gaither officiating.

There is no visitation.

He was cremated.

Mr. Koster, 63, of Farmington, N.M., died May 14, 1999, at San Juan Manor, Farmington.

He was a retired truck driver.

He was born Nov. 5, 1936, in Menard County, a son of Laura Koster. He married Carol Ledwith Oct. 17, 1956. She survives.

## James Westfall

Graveside services for James E. Westfall will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday in Knoxville, Ill. Cemetery, with the Rev. Milton Marquith officiating.

Visitation will be from 12:30 to 2 p.m. Thursday.

Mr. Westfall, 65, of Lincoln, formerly of Knoxville, Ill., died at 4:15 p.m. Sunday, May 23, 1999, at his home.

He worked at the former Rowe Manufacturing Co. in Galesburg 23 years and at Galesburg Research Hospital two years. He served as a submarine gun expert in the U.S. Army from 1956 to 1964.

Mr. Westfall was active in the Indian Grove Camp Ground in Coffee and enjoyed bowling, playing shuffle board and fishing. He was a Cubs fan.

He was born Oct. 11, 1933, in Galesburg, the son of Samuel and Margaret Johnson Westfall. He married Sherry Rennie Oct. 1, 1977, in East Galesburg. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, James "Bo" Westfall of East Galesburg and Michael Westfall of Galesburg; three stepsons, Jerry Puckett of Lincoln, Chris Puckett of Virginia Beach, Va., and Paul Puckett of Dallas, Texas; a stepdaughter, Judy Merreigh of Lincoln; four sisters, Beverly Margulth of Knoxville, Ill., Betty Fones of Galesburg, Alma Powell of Yates City and Sheryl Colwell of East Galesburg; three brothers, Albert Westfall of Henderson, Wilbur Westfall of Galesburg and Fred Westfall of Knoxville, Ill., and nine grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a stepson.

## Murlin Burwell Sr.

CHESTNUT — Funeral services for Murlin E. Burwell Sr. were this morning at Jefferson Street Christian Church, with J.K. Jones officiating. Burial was in Embarrass Cemetery, Brockton.

Mr. Burwell, 58, of Chestnut died at 10:31 a.m. Saturday, May 22, 1999, at his residence.

He had worked in security and law enforcement in Tuscola, DeCATUR and Logan County. He was a member of the Chestnut Fire Department, the Logan County Emergency Services Disaster Agency, the Emergency Medical Services group of Chestnut, and the Logan County Sheriff's Department Auxiliary.

Mr. Burwell also was a member of Jefferson Street Christian Church. He served in the U.S. Navy from 1958 to 1960.

He was born Aug. 7, 1940, in Champaign, a son of Murlin and Opal Allison Burwell. He married Linda Beth Dauderman Dec. 2, 1967, in Bourbon. She died in 1986. He married Bobbie Farlow Feb. 27, 1987, in Tuscola. She survives.

Also surviving are his mother of Tuscola; four daughters, Cara Elaine Schable of Golden, Colo., Samantha Jo Kroeger of Flagstaff, Ariz., April Pal of Milwaukee, Wis., and Kit Sunderland of Lincoln; two sons, Murlin E. "Butch" Burwell Jr. and Dennis "Spike" Hanner Jr., both of Tuscola; two brothers, Robert Burwell of Tolono and Glenn Burwell of Tuscola; a sister, Carol Burwell of Villa Grove; and 10 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father.

Memorials may be made to Lincoln Christian College & Seminary or to St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

Holland & Barry Funeral Home handled arrangements.

# MARKETS

**Stocks**  
(Courtesy Edward Jones Investments)

Cal	601/16
Lincoln	429/16
Clamp	429/16
Illinois	287/16
Gen Tel	6415/16
EX	7015/16
PPG	6431/16
Terra Industries	315/16
GE	1033/4
Coca-Cola	1891/8
Gen Mills	79 1/2
Wendys Int. Inc.	2815/16
Temaco	25
Teach Corp.	69 1/4
Walgreen	28 1/4
McGrath	3975/16
Arthur J. Genger	747 1/2
Pfizer	105 1/4
Gold	272.30
Silver	5.07
Bank of Montreal	309 1/8
Wal-Mart	4213/16
Dollar Gen.	16 1/4
New Haverd	14 1/2
Boise C.	1113/16
Williams	47
Kroger	235 1/2
Daimler Chrysler A.C.	8913/16
Pennoy's	637 1/2
Dennys Co.	383 1/2
Clitrop	84 1/2
Coca-Cola	88 1/4
IBM	224 3/4
Ag Chem	11 1/4
Ampco	109 1/4
Union Planters	423 1/2

**Noon grain futures**  
(Courtesy Elliott Goolsby Co.)

Wheat	2.13 1/4	up 1/4
Soybeans	2.10 1/4	up 1/4
Dec	2.27 1/4	up 1/4
July	4.57 1/4	up 2 1/2
Aug	4.61	up 2 1/4
Nov	4.68 1/4	up 2 1/4
Mar	2.46 1/4	up 1 1/4
Jul	2.58	up 2 1/4

**Peoria livestock**  
PEORIA (AP) — Hogs: 500 Trading moderately active; barrows and gilts are 1.00 lower.  
1-2 230-280 lb 95.00-98.50; 2-3 200-280 lb 93.50-95.00.  
Sows: Light weights are 1.00 lower, medium and heavy weights are steady; 1-3 300-400 lb 33.00; 400-500 lb 35.50-36.00; 500-700 lb 37.00-38.00.

**Beef and lean hog futures** were mostly lower on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, while pork bellies advanced.

June live cattle fell 23 cent to 63.12 cents a pound; August feeder cattle fell 47 cent to 74.85 cents a pound; June lean hogs fell 75 cent to 54.15 cents a pound; July pork bellies rose 75 cent to 62.05 cents a pound.

**Wall Street at noon**  
NEW YORK (AP) — Stocks were mostly higher today after a new report showed that consumers remain optimistic about the U.S. economy.

At noon on Wall Street, the Dow Jones Industrial average was up 65.78 to 10,720.45.

Broader stock indicators were mixed. The Standard & Poor's 500 index was up 7.24 to 1,313.82, and the Nasdaq composite index was down 2.14 to 4,261.62.

Stocks climbed higher after the Commerce Board reported that consumer confidence, a

# White police officer pleads guilty to vicious assault at station house

NEW YORK — A white police officer pleaded guilty today to federal civil rights charges for essentially threw himself on the mercy of the court, hoping for leniency from the judge. No sentencing date was set.

The officer was charged with assaulting a black man at a station house without saying a word to reporters.

Volpe was the central figure in the racially charged case since Volpe's four police co-defendants remain on trial.

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Noon grain futures  
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Board of Trade opening

Wall Street at noon  
The market was mostly flat after a session of volatility in the late afternoon.

Standard & Poor's 500 index was up 0.24 at 12,000. The technology-dominated NASDAQ composite index was up 0.5 percent to 2,100.

Orders for big-ticket goods decline

WASHINGTON — Orders for U.S. factories for big-ticket manufactured goods fell a sharp 2.3 percent in April, the second drop in the past three months, led by a steep decline in demand for autos and other transportation equipment.

The Commerce Department said today that orders for durable goods, items expected to last three or more years, declined by \$4.5 billion last month to a seasonally adjusted \$194.4 billion.

The April drop in orders would be enough to significantly affect that report, which has been rising for the past six months. ... Despite the fact that a global currency crisis has pushed one-third of the world into recession, the U.S. economy has been forging ahead, bolstered by the lowest unemployment rates in three decades and strong consumer spending in such areas as housing.

New diabetes drug wins OK from FDA

WASHINGTON — Diabetics frightened by reports that a popular treatment may destroy some patients' livers are getting a long-awaited new choice. ... The Food and Drug Administration has approved Avandia, a drug that promises to fight diabetes with fewer liver risks.

OBITUARY

Vealr 'Smiley' Wiseman

Vealr "Smiley" Wiseman, 89, of Lincoln, formerly of Middletown, died at 1:45 a.m. Tuesday, May 25, 1999, at St. Clara's Manor. ... He was a National Guard veteran of World War II.

Missouri dairy recalls Colby cheese

WASHINGTON — A Missouri dairy is recalling 135 pounds of Colby cheese that may be contaminated with listeria. ... Morningland Dairy Farms Inc., based in Mountain View, Mo., said Tuesday the U.S. Food and Drug Administration has temporarily closed its cheese-making operations.

The Missouri recall involved Morningland Dairy Chives Colby Cheese, which authorities said should be returned for refunds to retailers who sold it. ... The cheese is made from raw milk, and contamination showed up in tests by federal health officials.

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**Ticks**

It's that time of year for ticks and mosquitoes. Reports throughout the area are coming in that this year may be one of the worst tick seasons that we have experienced in many a long time.

Control measures for ticks can be broken down into nonchemical and chemical categories. Starting with nonchemical, we can keep vegetation, weeds, and brush in well-kept areas. We can mow lawns, and trim trees and shrubs. We can present, and wear, clothing that is light in color. We can tuck pants inside socks and shoes. We can avoid sitting on logs.

Here are chemical controls recommended for ticks. Apply sprays of carbaryl, malathion, or diazinon to lawns, lawns, roadsides, and other areas. Do not mow. Dust pets directly with carbaryl or pyrethrin dusts according to label directions. And, using permethrin DEET on skin and clothes, brushing, or control of permethrin on clothing only will also help.

Make sure you check for ticks on skin or clothing every few hours when in tall grass or weeds. If you find ticks, you find attached ticks, remove them by grasping with tweezers where mouth parts are attached to skin and pulling slowly.

**Mosquitoes**

The other main threat for bodily harm comes from mosquitoes. Their numbers have been growing over the last two to three weeks and they can make life miserable about now. Nonchemical controls include those listed for ticks plus eliminating anything that will hold water (such as old tires) for more than a week.

Outdoor chemical control can include sprays of Deltamethrin (not the Bt you normally find for use on trees or garden pests), phenothrin, malathion, or resmethrin.

It also helps to keep screens in good repair and cover pipes or chimneys not used during the summer months. Using insecticide like DEET goes a long way to help keep from being exterminated in the early morning or evening hours.

One final note on mosquitoes. Don't depend on bug zappers or ultrasonic devices for control, since they haven't proven to be very effective for controlling mosquitoes or other flying insects.

In the Backyard is provided by John Fulton, unit leader of the Logan County Extension Service.

**Stocks**

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**ON THE RECORD**

**Police beat**

**Hit and run**

Donnie R. Merreighn, 58, 1317 N. McLean St. Apt. A, was cited Wednesday by city police for failure to give information after striking an unattended vehicle.

The citation follows a hit-and-run accident at about 6:25 p.m. Tuesday, outside Lucky's Goldmine at 434 N. Chicago St.

A Lincoln man inside Lucky's heard the sound of an accident and, investigating, found his truck had been sideswiped. Two boys told him a car had hit the truck and failed to stop.

Wednesday morning, police discovered the suspected hit-and-run car, matching damage on it to evidence left at the scene. Merreighn confirmed to police he had been driving at the time of the accident, but he told police he had taken four Motrin and had no recollection of the accident.

**Possession by minors**

Acting on a tip from a witness who observed the transaction, city police at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday cited Matthew L. Mason, 17, of Shell Knob, Mo.; and Marty T. Montcalm, 18, of 1012 N. Monroe St. for possession of

alcohol by a minor.

Brian A. Menzel, 17, of 517 N. McLean St.; and Alan D. Barger, 17, 420 1/2 Wilkmette Ave., were cited for possession of alcohol by a minor and purchase by a minor. Barry W. Simons, 37, of 202 Bidwell Super, was cited for sale of alcohol to a minor.

**Burglary arrest**

Logan County deputies arrested John W. Hoff, 30, of Peoria, in the Peoria County jail at 9 a.m. Wednesday. He was booked into the Logan County jail and held in lieu of bond on three counts of burglary.

**Domestic battery**

Logan County deputies arrested Darnell C. Burries, 23, of Decatur, at 3:15 p.m. Wednesday at the Logan Correctional Center. He was booked into the Logan County jail on a Coles County warrant charging he failed to appear in court on a charge of domestic battery.

**Fire and rescue runs**

**Gas smell**

Lincoln firefighters investigated a report of a gas smell at 8:41 p.m. Wednesday at 1310 Woodlawn Road. They were un-

able to confirm the presence of gas. They returned to service at 8:59.

**Clarification**

Sherry L. Lowman, 41, of 184 Centennial Court, who turned herself in to Logan County deputies at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday was not held in the county jail in lieu of bond. She paid bond and was released after her arrest.

**School menus**

**for Friday**

- Atlanta Elementary breakfast — Cook's choice
- Illini Central breakfast — Cinnamon toast, applesauce or juice
- Lincoln Elementary breakfast — Cook's choice
- Atlanta Elementary — Chicken in gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans
- Carroll Catholic School — Popcorn shrimp, peas, pears, Jell-O
- Chester-East Lincoln — Cook's choice
- Christian Child Care — Corn dogs, fries, oranges, pickles
- Elkhart — Toasted cheese, baked beans, slaw, pineapple
- Hartam Schools — Cook's choice

● Illini Central — Hot ham and cheese, bun, Tator Tots, mixed fruit, cookie, middle or high school only

● Lincoln Community High School — Corn dog, nacho chips and cheese, green beans, juice or chef salad

● Lincoln Elementary — Cook's choice

● Little Lambs Day Care Center — Cheesy fries, mixed fruit

● Mount Pulaski Elementary — Tuna salad, lettuce, pickles, peas, cottage cheese, pineapple

● Mount Pulaski High School — Burritos, green beans, applesauce, cook's choice dessert

● New Holland-Middletown —

● Odd Fellow Day Care — Macaroni and cheese, peas, chocolate pudding

● Olympia Middle/High School — Cook's choice

● Warrensburg-Latham Schools — Fiestada, corn, pears, vanilla ice cream cup

● West Lincoln Broadwell — Ham and cheese sandwich, dill spears, vegetable tray, dip, strawberry short cake

● Zion Lutheran School — Corn dog, nacho chips and cheese, green beans, juice cup

**OBITUARIES**

**Lewis Manatt**

Lewis Ryan Gordon Manatt, 83, of Boone, Iowa, a Lincoln native, died at 6:40 a.m. Wednesday May 26, 1999, at Boone County Hospital.

Mrs. Manatt taught English and history at Lincoln High School. During World War II, she served 22 months with the Red Cross in India. She also worked as an editor for Encyclopedia Britannica.

She graduated from Lincoln College and Rockford College

and did graduate work at the University of Illinois.

She was born Oct. 13, 1915, in Lincoln, the daughter of Noah Lewis and Clara Ryan Gordon. She married Richard C. Manatt Dec. 28, 1946, in Lincoln. He survives in Rochester, Minn.

Also surviving are two daughters, Kathleen G. Manatt of Chicago and Margaret W. Manatt of Boone; and one sister, Frances Fisher of Boone.

Memorial services will be at

11 a.m. Friday in Stark-Welch Chapel, Boone, with the Rev. Richard Harkin officiating.

A private family burial service will be in Linwood Park Cemetery in Boone.

There is no visitation. Memorials may be made to the Ericson Public Library Book Fund.

**George J. Wiltz**

George J. Wiltz, 74, brother of Florence Klockenga of Lincoln, died Wednesday, May 26, 1999,

in St. Petersburg, Fla. Funeral services will be scheduled in Peoria.

**Albert Frost**

WAYNESVILLE — Albert Ray Frost, 82, of Waynesville died at 9:21 p.m. Wednesday, May 26, 1999, at OSF St. Joseph Medical Center, Bloomington.

Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, is handling arrangements.

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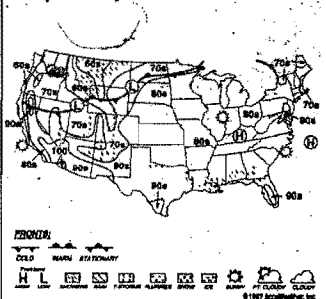
**Lincoln Data**  
 Thursday's high..... 82  
 Overnight low..... 54  
 Record high..... 93 in 1914  
 Record low..... 37 in 1928  
 Sunset today..... 8:18 p.m.  
 Sunrise Saturday..... 5:32 a.m.

**Precipitation**  
 to 7 a.m. today..... 0  
 Probabilities today..... 0 percent  
 Probabilities Saturday..... 0 percent

**Local Forecast**  
 Partly cloudy tonight, low in the upper 50s. Partly sunny Saturday, high around 85.

**Extended Forecast**  
 Chances of showers and thunderstorms daily Sunday, Monday (Memorial Day) and Tuesday, highs in the 60s, lows around 80.

**Expected sky conditions for tomorrow**



**Zachary Stewart**  
 MASON CITY — Zachary R. Stewart, infant son of Martin and Holly Stewart of Mason City, died at 3:39 p.m. Wednesday, May 26, 1999, at St. John's Hospital, Springfield.

**Albert Frost**  
 WAYNESVILLE — Funeral services for Albert Ray Frost will be at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Calvert Funeral Home with the Rev. Norman Kao officiating. Burial will be in Long Point Cemetery, Wapella.

from Thrall Cae Co., Clinton. Mr. Frost was a member of Waynesville United Methodist Church. He enjoyed camping and racing. He was born Feb. 17, 1917, in Paxton, a son of John S. and Myrtle Carnack Frost. He married Louise Burger June 14, 1939, in Bloomington. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Myrtle Kirk of Springfield and Bonita Crutcher of Bloomington; one son, Ernest Frost of Waynesville; four brothers, James, John and Joe Frost, all of Bloomington, and Charles Frost of Downs; one sister, Joan Whisman of DeLand; 15 grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

A sister, two grandchildren and a great-grandchild preceded him in death. Memorials may be made to the Albert Ray Frost Memorial Fund.

**Police beat**  
**Marijuana bust**  
 William P. Hyde, 19, 306 Woodlawn Road, was cited by Logan County police for possession of 1.5 grams of marijuana after a traffic stop Thursday evening on Primm Road near Deer Creek.

"Bear," one of the Logan County Sheriff's Department drug dogs, handled by deputy Jerry Melton, indicated the presence of drugs during a walkaround of Hyde's car after a traffic stop. Deputies discovered a small baggie of marijuana in Hyde's shoe.

**Blinded by dust**  
 Ashley L. Auxier, 17, of Mason City, was cited by county police for driving too fast for conditions and failing to wear a seat belt after a one-car roll-over accident just before 3 p.m. Thursday. Auxier's car, traveling northbound in the 1400 block of 675th Avenue, veered

coln Memorial Hospital. She told police she went off the road after she was blinded by dust.

**Burglary**  
 A Lincoln man told police Thursday that around May 15, someone stole golf clubs and fishing equipment worth \$2,500 from a bus parked at a place of business in the 100 block of Commercial Drive.

**Fallout to yield or stop**  
 Cynthia D. Seaman, 48, of Warrensburg, was cited by police for failure to yield or stop after an accident at noon Thursday at Lincoln Parkway and Hickox Drive.

Seaman pulled into the path of a car on the parkway driven by Fred W. Singleton, 80, 2202 N. Kickapoo Drive, whose car had to be towed.

Neither driver was injured. Seaman told police she didn't see Singleton's car.

**False call**  
 Lincoln firefighters answered what proved to be an unintentional false alarm at 3:20 p.m. Thursday at Lincoln Developmental Center, 861 S. State St.

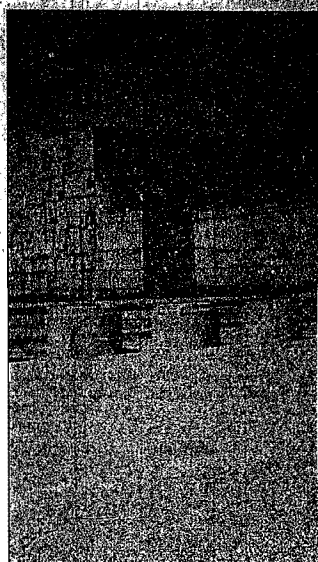
**Investigation**  
 Lincoln firefighters investigated a call of a hazardous condition at 6:31 p.m. Thursday at 290 Campus View Drive. No further action was required.

**Rescue runs**  
 Lincoln Fire Department rescue personnel helped a man at 7:11 p.m. Thursday at 716 Clinton St.; assisted a woman at 7:34 p.m. Thursday in the apartments at 925 Primm Road; helped a man at 7:42 p.m. Thursday at 716 Clinton St.; and helped a woman at 10:28 p.m. Thursday at 602 Oglesby Ave.

**Correction**  
 Ron Johnson of Roanoke, senior vice commander of the

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Illinois Power's chief nuclear officer John Leffel beat Thursday about the Clinton nuclear power plant.

**Slow going at Clinton**

By TARA BURKHART  
 THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
 CLINTON — Ken Leffel worked at the Clinton nuclear power plant when it first went on-line in 1987, and he is relieved to see it producing electricity again after sitting idle for nearly three years.

"It's a much better feeling than the long outage. But you want to have that cautious optimism because there's still a lot to be done between here and 100 percent power," said Leffel, a senior reactor operator and train-

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