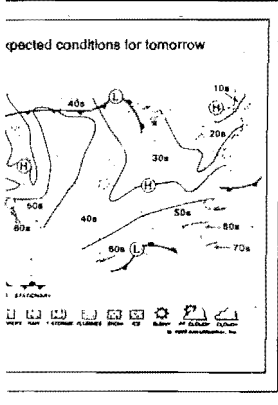


Logan County jail.
Failure to appear
 Mount Pulaski police arrested Matthew W. Johnson, 25, of Mount Pulaski at his residence at 7:15 p.m. Monday on a failure-to-appear warrant stemming from a 1999 criminal misdemeanor.
 Johnson was held at the Logan County jail in lieu of bond.
Criminal misdemeanor
 Lincoln police arrested Steven P. Otter, 19, 910 1/2 N. Jefferson St., on a failure-to-appear warrant stemming from a 1999 criminal misdemeanor case.
 Otter was released on bond.
Fire calls
Unauthorized burn
 Lincoln Fire Department firefighters investigated a reported unauthorized burn in the 500 block of North Hamilton Street at 10:53 a.m. Monday, but took no action at the scene.
Rescue runs
Aid calls
 Lincoln Fire Department rescue personnel

February 1, 2000



Specified conditions for tomorrow

1916 Sows Are steady 1-3 300-400 lbs 30-90
 6-12 33-90, 400-500 lbs 25-30 38-90, few 450-500
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 over 600 lbs 44 00-47 00
 3-16 Boars Under 300 lbs 20-25 25-90, mostly
 12-16 23 00-25 00, over 300 lbs 9 00-11 00
Board of Trade
 9-16 CHICAGO (AP) — Grain and soybean
 prices were mixed in early dealings today on
 the Chicago Board of Trade
 Soybeans rebounded after Monday's drub-
 bing that sent prices lumbering 3 percent lower.
 Today's prices opened higher, drilled back-
 ward and were little changed at mid-morning.
 3-34 Investors said any gains in soybeans would
 be limited by forecasts for showers later this
 week in Brazil and Argentina — the top two
 world producers after the United States
 1-12 Corn also benefited from a small bounce
 after Monday's slide, but there was little fresh
 news to drive the market in either direction
 1-14 Wheat inched higher on reports of unex-
 pectedly poor conditions involving the winter
 wheat crop in Kansas, Nebraska and Texas
 1-14 Wheat for March delivery rose 1 cent to
 \$2.57 1/2 a bushel, March corn rose 1 1/2 cents
 to \$2.21 1/2 a bushel. March oats were not
 changed at \$1.12 a bushel. March soybeans
 were unchanged at \$5.08 a bushel
 30 lb Beef and pork futures were higher in early
 trading on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange
 100- April live cattle rose 30 cent to 72 1/2 cents
 a pound. March feeder cattle rose 32 1/2 cent to
 65 67 cents a pound. April lean hogs rose 1/2
 cent to 69 42 cents a pound. March hogs
 pork bellies rose 80 cent to 88 97 cents a
 pound
Wall Street on noon
 255- NEW YORK (AP) — Stocks were mixed
 today as the Federal Reserve began its two-
 day meeting in Washington. Many investors
 decided to wait for the Fed's decision on in-
 creasing interest rates before taking major new po-
 sitions

OBITUARIES

Bernard Slayton
 Bernard Wayne Slayton, 69, of Lincoln died at 6:48 p.m. Monday, Jan. 31, 2000, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.
 Mr. Slayton was a member of the laborers' union for more than nine years, then was a member of the carpenter's union more than 35 years. He was a former president of Local No. 568, United Brotherhood of Carpenters & Joiners of America. He retired in July 1994.
 He was a Protestant.
 Mr. Slayton enjoyed hunting and fishing.
 He was born Dec. 20, 1930, in Lincoln, a son of William Hiram and Pearl Wood Slayton. He married Eloise Hutchcraft Dec. 20, 1957, in Lincoln. She survives.
 Other survivors include one son, Douglas Slayton of Peoria; two daughters, Andrea Tibbs of Greenview and Debra Turner of Lincoln; one brother, Lloyd E. Slayton Sr. of Lincoln; one sister, Maxine Klockenga of Lincoln; and three grandchildren.
 Three brothers preceded him in death.
 Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home with the Rev. Richard Reinwald officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery, Lincoln.
 Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Wednesday.
 Memorials may be made to the Logan County Heart Fund or to Family House of Peoria.
Marilyn Rademaker
 HARTSBURG — No services are planned at this time for Marilyn Rademaker, 69, of Hartsburg, Miss.
 Miss Rademaker was cremated.
 She died at 8:45 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 30, 2000, at Pekin Living & Rehabilitation Center.
 Miss Rademaker was a bookkeeper and a clerical secretary for many years.
 She was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Hartsburg.
 Miss Rademaker was born Feb. 9, 1931, in Hartsburg, a daughter of Nonnie I. and Grace H. Behrends Rademaker.
 Survivors include one sister,

Maxine Ryan of Pekin; four nephews and nieces; and four great-nephews and great-nieces.
 A sister preceded her in death.
 Memorials may be made to her church.
 Holland & Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln, handled arrangements.
Annetta Janssen
 HARTSBURG — Annetta Ernestine Janssen, 84, of Rutledge, Mo., a Hartsburg native, died Sunday, Jan. 30, 2000, at the Knox County Nursing Home in Edina, Mo.
 Mrs. Janssen and her husband were engaged in farming in the Kenney area 17 years. They then moved to Rutledge, where they farmed until they retired in 1978.
 She was a member of the New Testament Christian Church at Rutledge.
 Mrs. Janssen was born May 10, 1915, in Hartsburg, a daughter of William August and Grace Fredericka Bergman Groth. She was raised and educated in Hartsburg. She married James Cogan Janssen March 20, 1934, in Lincoln. He survives.
 Also surviving are one son, James Conrad Janssen of Spanaway, Wash.; two daughters, Phyllis Garvey of Mount Pulaski and Beverly Ann Dietrich of Arabela, Mo.; seven grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.
 Two brothers, a sister and a grandson preceded her in death.
 Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Hudson-Rimmer Funeral Chapel, Edina, Mo., with the Rev. Ernest Detrick officiating. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Green Hill Cemetery, San Jose.
William King
 William M. King, 83, of Newton, father of a Lincoln woman, died Monday, Jan. 31, 2000, at Indiana University Hospital in Indianapolis, Ind.
 Mr. King was a livestock and grain farmer.
 He was a member of the Fal-mouth Church of Christ and the Coon Hunter's Club.
 He was born March 25, 1916, in Wade Township, Jasper County, the

berry cobbler.
 ■ Lincoln Community High School — Sausage pizza, potato coins, tossed salad, pears or bread bowls
 ■ Lincoln Elementary — Sausage pizza, lettuce salad, Jell-O, fruit cocktail
 ■ Little Lambs Day Care Center — Pizza, corn, pears
 ■ Mount Pulaski Elementary — Chicken nuggets, peas, tri tortares, peaches
 ■ Mount Pulaski High School — Hamburg, bun, fries, fruit cup, Rice Krispie treat
 ■ New Holland-Middletown — Chicken and noodles, peas, applesauce, sugar cookie
 ■ Olympia Middle/High School — Cheese pizza or deli wrap, corn, assorted fruit, soft pretzels with cheese sauce
 ■ Warrensburg-Latham Schools — Cheese toasted, dill spear, potato sticks, carrots, apple
 ■ West Lincoln Broadwell — Tacos, tortillas chips, fruit cup, chocolate chip cake
 ■ Zion Lutheran School — Sausage pizza, potato coins, tossed salad, pears.

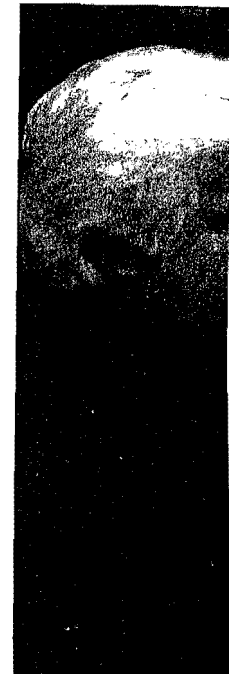
BY LAURAN NEERGAARD
 THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
WASHINGTON — Mammograms are going digital: The government has approved the first computerized X-rays to hunt breast cancer, but cautions that so far they're just as good as — not better than — regular mammograms.
 The Food and Drug Administration approved GE Medical Inc.'s Senographic 2000 digital mammography system Monday.
 The computerized images do have some potential advantages over regular mammography's film: They can be stored electronically so films aren't lost, adjusted for under- or overexposure without needing an-

other X-ray, and sent to a specialist worldwide for a reading. But it is a long-winded process to better detect breast cancer, says Daniel Kopans, director at Massachusetts General Hospital, who helped study the system.
 "This will open a new era of digital detection of breast cancer," says a list of researchers who helped develop the system. "This is the first step at getting crossed all these things together. This gives us a new way to look at breast cancer." — American women unite

Hamlet picks

New Hampshire begins casting votes in primary

BY MICHELLE EMERY
 THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
DIXVILLE NOTCH, N.H. — Though Sen. John McCain received a majority of the first votes cast in the earliest-in-the-nation primary state today, Texas Gov. George Bush could become the GOP's nominee if history repeats itself.
 The Republican chosen by Dixville Notch's voters has gone on to win the party's nomination in every presidential election since 1968.
 Dixville Notch's 29 registered voters favored Bush over McCain, 12-10, but Hart's Location, the other tiny hamlet that votes at 12:01 a.m. on primary day in New Hampshire, favored McCain over Bush, 9-5.
 In the Democratic race, former New Jersey Sen. Bill Bradley did well in both votes, beating Vice President Al Gore 9-3 at the Notchland Inn in Hart's Location and 4-2 at The Balsams in Dixville Notch.
 The combined vote was Bradley 13 votes, Gore 5, and McCain 19, Bush 17.
 In Dixville Notch in the Ballot Room of The Balsams, Steve Forbes had 1 and Gary Bauer and Alan Keyes were shut out.
 In Hart's Location, fringe candidate Jeffrey Peters got one write-in vote.
 Two voters also wrote in Elizabeth Dole's name for vice president. She dropped out of the presidential race in October.
 "I think Senator Bradley has a better chance of working with Congress," said Democrat David Nesbitt, 48, The Balsams' cross-country skiing director. "He's been a team player all his life."
 McCain supporter Sharon Pearson, 31, supervisor of the checklist in Dixville Notch and a registered independent, said the Arizona senator got her vote because of his record in the military and the U.S.



Steve Barba writes down the names of voters in the state's earliest primary at 12 votes and Sen. John and Alan Keyes were shut out.
 "I feel I have a lot of faith in him," Pearson said. "He has had to address a broader range of issues."
 Dixville has 14 registered Republicans, three Democrats and 1 independent.
 Hart's Location has 12 Republicans, four Democrats and 12 independents. One didn't vote.

Frito-Lay won't use g

BY DAVID KOENIG
 THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
PLANO, TEXAS — Reservations about use of genetically modified foods have moved from soybeans and baby food to one of America's favorite munchies.
 Snack maker Frito-Lay Inc. is telling its suppliers not to use genetically altered corn, a move that has raised the ire of farmers, while pleasing some environmentalists.
 The American Farm Bureau Federation, which says biotechnology can produce larger and more nutritious crops, accused Frito-Lay of caving in to anti-biotech activists.
 "People like Frito-Lay are responding to small splinter groups out of fear they're going to be boycotted," said Joseph Fields, a spokesman for the farm group. "We feel the companies are overreacting."
 Greenpeace and the Union of Concerned Scientists applauded the decision, disclosed last week by Plano-based Frito-Lay, the leading U.S. maker of salty snacks. Greenpeace had lobbied Frito-Lay's parent company, PepsiCo, to stop using biotech crops in its products.
 "Frito-Lay is about two-thirds of PepsiCo's sales. They realize the handwriting is on the wall and that people don't want to eat GMOs (genetically modified organisms),"

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OBITUARIES

Mabel Vespa

Mabel A. Vespa, 85, of Lincoln died at 11:05 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 1, 2000, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.



Mrs. Vespa

Mrs. Vespa had been a clothing aide at Lincoln Developmental Center for 21 years. She retired in 1987.

She was a member of Holy Family Church.

Mrs. Vespa was born March 29, 1914, in Buffalo, a daughter of George and Lena Mae Woodcock Clements. She married Anthony Vespa Sr. Nov. 9, 1938, in Springfield. He survives.

Also surviving are one daughter, Teresa Tierney of Lincoln; one son, Anthony Vespa Jr. of Richardson, Texas; three sisters, Dorothy Nass, Geneva Crevisan and Maxine Sabo, all of Springfield; and three grandchildren.

A daughter, a brother and a sister 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 7 p.m. Thursday at Kerrigan Funeral Home, with a 5 p.m. rosary and wake service.

Edward Campbell

Funeral services for Edward B. Campbell, 80, of Lincoln will be at 1 p.m. Thursday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home with Mark Carnahan officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be an hour before the service. Mr. Campbell died at 7:55 p.m. Monday, Jan. 31, 2000, at St. Clara's Manor.

In 1985, he retired from Lehn & Fink, where he had worked in the shipping department.

A U.S. Air Force veteran, Mr. Campbell served in the European Theatre during World War II.

He was a member of the Railsplitter Antique Auto Club.

Mr. Campbell was born Dec. 29, 1919, in Lincoln, a son of Edgar A. and Alta Mae Verdien Campbell. He married Mildred Harnish-Stengel Jan. 27, 1962, in Lincoln. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Edward M. Campbell of Lincoln and George A. Campbell of Dallas, Texas; his stepmother, Eunice Campbell of Lincoln; one stepdaughter, Sharon Purviance of Lincoln; one sister, Marcella Holland of Dal-

las; three grandchildren; four stepgrandchildren; one great-grandchild; and five stepgreat-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the World War II Memorial Fund.

Frank Misselhorn

There will be no funeral services for Frank W. Misselhorn, 95, of Lincoln, who died at 11:40 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 30, 2000, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Misselhorn was cremated. He was the district commercial manager for General Telephone Electric for 36 years. He retired in 1969.

Mr. Misselhorn was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, the Elks Club, the Rotary Club and the Masonic Lodge.

He was born Feb. 29, 1904, in Sparta, a son of August and Clara Schunhoff Misselhorn. He married Virginia Rippetoe Jan. 7, 1938, in Chester. She survives.

Also surviving is one sister, Ruby McCreight of Spring, Texas.

Two sons, three brothers and a sister preceded him in death.

Holland & Barry Funeral Home handled arrangements.

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School won't keep gun magazine in library

PARIS — Censorship and violence are the issues being debated in the wake of a principal's decision to keep gun-related magazines out of the middle school library.

The magazine Guns and Ammo was ordered out of the Mayo Middle School library by Principal Melaine Ogle. And she later rejected a teacher's proposal to replace it with a more youth-oriented magazine about shooting sports.

Ogle's action was supported by Paris 95 Schools Superintendent Mike Watts. But Teacher Spencer Jobst is asking the school board to reconsider.

A decision about which hunting-related magazine, if any, might be allowed on the library shelves is expected at the board's Monday meeting, Watts said.

"We think we may have a solution," Watts said. "The question is about what magazine is appropriate to the curriculum. This is a rural county. There is that interest. We have students who hunt."

Thus far, the principal has decided neither Guns and Ammo nor In-Sight, a publication Jobst proposed because he said it is geared toward young people and hunting safely, meet the district's written criteria for what materials are appropriate in the school library.

"I would rather err on the side of being cautious," Ogle told the school board last week. "I wasn't prepared to say that these were magazines we needed to have in our school library, given today's climate."

The library subscribed to Guns and Ammo for more than two years.

WEATHER

Lincoln Data

Tuesday's high	28
Overnight low	5
Record high	60 in 1911
Record low	14 in 1917
Sunset today	5:17 p.m.
Sunrise Thursday	7:05 a.m.

Precipitation

To 7 a.m. today	0
Probabilities tonight	0
Probabilities Thursday	0

Local Forecast

Partly cloudy tonight, low in the mid- to upper 20s with southwest wind 10 to 15 mph. Becoming mostly cloudy and windy Thursday, high in the low 40s with northwest wind 15 to 25 mph and gusty.

Extended Forecast

Partly sunny Friday, high in the low 30s, low around 20. Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday, high in the upper 30s, low around 20.

Expected conditions for tomorrow

CASTLE

High 40s, Low 20s, Windy, Partly Cloudy, Snow, Fog, Ice, Rain, Sleet, Thunderstorm, Tornado

Phil sees shadow, more winter

PUNXSUTAWNEY, Pa. — With bitter cold and fresh snowfall as confirmation, part-time weatherman and full-time groundhog Punxsutawney Phil saw his shadow this morning and predicted six more weeks of winter.

Spectators jumped and danced to keep warm in the 15-degree air as the groundhog's forecast made despite overcast skies — was reported by his handlers.

The bitter cold — or a well-publicized ban on alcohol — may have deterred spectators who lacked Phil's lush fur.

Organizers said anticipated only 8,000 or 9,000 visitors, instead of the 15,000 who usually turn out.

"My toes are frostitened, but it

warns up if you start dancing," said Dan Pellam of Emporium, who was making his first visit to Phil's lair.

The Groundhog Day tradition is rooted in a German superstition that if an animal casts a shadow on Feb. 2 — the Christian holiday of Candlemas — bad weather is coming.

In the 111 years since German farmers began the festival in Punxsutawney, the morning of Feb. 2 has evolved into an elaborate show of hoodwinkery.

In years past, members of the Inner Circle, the club that stages the annual midwinter festival, voted the night before whether or not Phil would see his shadow, rain or shine.

Skies had been cloudy throughout Tuesday and into today, with snow falling much of the time.

In this central Pennsylvania town of 6,700 people, Phil sees his shadow most years.

Only 14 times has he predicted an early spring.

Phil's city cousin, New York's Staten Island Chuck, agreed with today's forecast. Chuck wandered out of his hut at the Staten Island Zoo and saw his shadow around 7:30 a.m., said zoo spokeswoman Lorraine Austin.

That didn't discourage Georgia's prognosticating groundhog, General Beutegard Lee, who emerged from his home in Lithburn to predict an early spring.

And in Sun Prairie, Wis., Jimmy the Groundhog predicted his fourth straight early spring, with his human companions heartily hoping he would be right again.

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Police beat

Domestic batteries

A Logan County Sheriff's deputy arrested retired Lincoln police officer Michael J. Yarcho, 50, 1399 1950th St., and Tamara D. Zurkammer, 24, same address, at 12:04 a.m. today at the residence, each on charges of domestic battery.

Both were held at the Logan County jail for court appearances and the setting of bond.

More BB'd windows

The BB gun owner who has used car and home windows for target practice has turned his or her attention to a local bank.

A Union Planters Bank representative told police at 10:33 a.m. Wednesday about window damage estimated at \$200 at the bank's 303 S. Kickapoo St. center.

Kicked-in door

A Lincoln man told police Wednesday afternoon someone kicked in the door of his residence in the 400 block of Willard Avenue, causing an estimated \$100 damage.

Rescue run

Aid call

Lincoln Fire Department rescue personnel aided a man at the Lincoln IGA store, 713 Pulaski St., at 1:03 p.m. Wednesday.

School menus

For Friday

- Atlanta Elementary breakfast - Cook's choice
- Illini Central breakfast - Pancake and sausage breakfast stick, juice

Lincoln Elementary breakfast - Cereal, toast with jelly, juice

Atlanta Elementary - Chili, shredded cheese, crackers, tossed salad, peaches, cupcake

Chester-East Lincoln - Papa John's Pizza, lettuce salad, corn, applesauce

Carroll Catholic School - Cheese pizza, green beans, applesauce, apricots

Elkhart - Toasted cheese sandwich, baked beans, pineapple

Illini Central - Hamburger, bun, corn, pineapple or fresh fruit, rice pudding

Lincoln Community High School - Chicken nuggets, au gratin potatoes, green beans, mixed fruit or chef salad

Lincoln Elementary - Chili, crackers, peanut butter sandwich, cheese stick, dill spear, apple crisp

Little Lambs Day Care Center - Vegetable beef stew, corn, pineapple

Mount Pulaski Elementary - Chicken and noodles, mixed vegetables, lettuce salad, apple

Mount Pulaski High School - Pork tenderloin, bun, slaw, pineapple, strawberry short cake

New Holland-Middletown - Meat or cheese pizza, lettuce salad, pears, apple crisp

Olympia Middle/High School - Chili Mac with cheese or hot dog, bun, tossed salad, assorted fruit, cup cake

Warrensburg-Latham Schools - Cheese pizza, lettuce salad, dressing, cinnamon applesauce

West Lincoln Broadwell - Spaghetti, green beans, pears, breadsticks

Zion Lutheran School - Chicken nuggets, au gratin potatoes, green beans, mixed fruit.

OBITUARIES

Gordon Walker

EMDEN - Gordon M. Walker, 87, of Hopedale Commons in Hopedale died at 1:35 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 2, 2000, at Hopedale Medical Center.

Mr. Walker raised livestock and grain in the Arrington area for many years. His family was named the Illinois Soil and Conservation Family of the Year in 1972.

He was one of the original trustees of the Arrington Fire District, where he served for 30 years. He also served on the boards of Hittle Township High School and Trioka School.

Mr. Walker was a member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Emden, where he served as a deacon and on the church board and building committee.

He was born Jan. 17, 1913, in Crookston, Minn., the son of William and Lillian Minch Walker. He married Ida R. Boerma Jan. 5, 1944, in Emden. She died April 2, 1992.

Surviving are three sons, Jim Walker of Bloomington, Bob Walker of Virginia, Ill., and Kurt Walker of Arrington; two daughters, Sue Cronie of Lawrenceville and Ann Olson of Tampa, Fla.; one sister, Margaret Patterson of Morton; one brother, Everett Walker of Arrington; 13 grandchildren; and five great grandchildren.

A brother preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Emden, with the Rev. Darby Lawrence officiating. Burial will be in Bethel Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday.

Memorials may be made to St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Emden, or to the Arrington Rescue Squad.

Gloria Harper

MIDDLETOWN - Gloria Harper, 77, of Wilmette died at 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 22, 2000, at Evanston Hospital.

Mrs. Harper was a concert harpist. She received her bachelor's degree in 1944, and her master's degree in 1945, from the Northwestern University School of Music in Evanston.

She was senior vice president of the Northwestern University Guild and was a former president of the Northwestern University School of Music Alumni Association.

Mrs. Harper was a lieutenant (secretary) in the Evanston U.S. Power Squadron, a past president of the Midwest Antiques Club, a Christian Science practitioner and a member of the Evanston Woman's Club and the Evanston Republican Club.

She was born May 31, 1922, in Oak Park, a daughter of Dr. Albert W. and Lucille E. Gettery Dowson. She married Charles W. Harper. He survives.

Also surviving are one daughter, Jessica Barnett of Marblehead, Mass.; one son, Jim Clay Harper V of Wilmette; and five grandchildren.

Memorial services will be at 1 p.m. Saturday at Kenilworth Union Church, 211 Kenilworth Ave., Kenilworth, with the Rev. Gilbert Bowen officiating. Mrs. Harper was buried Jan. 29 in Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Middletown.

Memorials may be made to the Northwestern University School of Music Scholarship Fund, Dean's Office, 711 Elgin Road, Evanston, Ill. 60208, or to the local council of Boy Scouts of America.

Dunnellan Family Funeral Service, Skokie, handled arrangements.

Internet site offers big scholarships

By ROBIN ESTRIN

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

BOSTON - If the high cost of education has got you down, start surfing.

A Web site making its debut today is offering students tens of thousands of dollars in scholarship money. All it wants in return is to get to know you better.

FreeScholarships.com promises to give away \$10,000 every day for college, graduate school or even private and parochial school.

Scholarships from the new Cambridge-based company are financed largely by marketers and advertisers aiming products at teen-agers and 20-somethings.

Site visitors must register to be eligible. Playing games, answering surveys and polls, referring friends and clicking on ads earns more chances.

Winners, chosen by a computer-generated random drawing, can win more than once. The odds of hitting the jackpot depend on how many fellow travelers log on.

The incentives for conglting up demographic information are great. FreeScholarships plans to award an other \$25,000 every month and

\$50,000 each quarter to pay tuition, in addition to the \$10,000 winner seven days a week.

"It's a low energy path for people to get a shot at helping them pay for school," said Chuck Digate, the company's founder.

It's also the latest of a host of Web sites handing out millions to Web surfers in exchange for a valuable storefront on the crowded Internet superhighway.

Others have offered one-time scholarship sweepstakes - Eimbark.com, for example, just wrapped up a promotion with a grand prize of four years' tuition, or up to \$80,000.

Free money on the Web is a booming business.

The portal site iWon.com, which offers cash jackpots to Web surfers, is ranked among the 50 most popular sites of the 21,000 followed by the Internet survey firm MediaMatrix. The site gives away a \$10,000 prize every day. \$1 million each month and promises to award someone \$10 million on April 17, the day taxes are due.

The reality, of course, is most site visitors never win the big bucks, so FreeScholarships also

provides financial aid tips, with links to national scholarship programs.

The new site sounds well-intentioned enough, said Mark Cannon, deputy executive director of the National Association for College Admission Counseling, which represents guidance counselors and admissions officers.

Even so, he said, "You don't need to be a sweepstakes winner to afford college."

Still, half of all U.S. college graduates emerge from school in debt -- \$12,000 on average at public schools, \$14,000 at private schools. The typical yearly bill at a four-year private school, including room and board, averages \$23,651, while state schools hover just under \$11,000.

To ensure the money goes to school and not a new car or vacation, FreeScholarships will send a winner's check directly to the college, bank or other lending program, Digate said.

College grads with loans to pay off also are eligible, as are parents planning for future college bills. Winners need only be U.S. citizens over age 13.

Lincoln Data

Wednesday's high 35
 Overnight low 23
 Record low 83 in 1931
 Record low 19 in 1986
 Sunset today 5:16 p.m.
 Sunrise Friday 7:04 a.m.

Precipitation


To 7 a.m. today 0.1
 Probabilities tonight 0
 Probabilities Friday 0

Local Forecast

Cloudy tonight, with flurries, low in the low 20s with brisk northwest wind 10 to 20 mph. Cloudy and windy Friday, with flurries, high near 30 with northwest wind 15 to 25 mph.

Extended Forecast

Partly sunny Saturday, high in the mid-30s, low 15 to 20. Increasing cloudiness Saturday; high in the mid-30s, low 15 to 20. A chance of rain of snow Monday, high near 40, low 25 to 30.



MARKETS

Stocks

(Courtesy Edward Jones Investments)

Cal	42 3/8
Illinois	46 3/4
Gen. Tel.	89 3/4
EK	63 1/8
PPG	54 11/16
Terra Ind	2 3/16
GE	135 7/16
Consolidated	10
Oan Mill	29 13/16
Wendys Int'l. Inc	18 1/8
Tennaco	9 15/16
Eaton Corp	68 5/8
Weigrens	28 1/4
McDonald's	34 9/16
Anheuser-Busch	70 9/16
Pilzer	37 7/16
Gold	282 5/8
Silver	5 20
Bank of Montreal	32 5/8
Wal-Mart	56 5/16
Dollar Gen	21 7/8
CNH Global NV	14
Boise C	33 1/2
Williams	38 13/16
Kroger	18 5/16
Daimler Chrysler A.G	66 1/16
Pennsey's	18 3/8
Deere&Co	40 7/16
Citigroup	55 1/16
Ford Motor Co	48 7/8
CYS Corp. Outlaw	37 1/16
United Parcel	57 1/2
Fanning Tech GP	54 7/8
Cbrl	9 7/16
GM	81 1/4
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Board of Trade opening

CHICAGO (AP) - Grain and soybean futures were lower in early trading today on Chicago Board of Trade, pressured by weather in key growing regions.

Soybean prices dipped after the latest forecasts called for intermittent showers in southern Brazil through the beginning of next week. The rains came at a key time for moisture the developing crop in the world's No. 2 soybean-producing nation.

Wheat was lower on forecasts of a rain, to 10-day forecast for much of the winter wheat in the central and southern states.

Corn fell slightly as sympathy with wheat and soybeans, although the downside was limited by strong weekly export figures issued by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Wheat for March delivery fell 1 1/2 cents to \$5 1/2 a bushel, March corn fell 1/2 cent to \$2 1/4 a bushel, March soybean fell 1/4 cent to \$5 03 1/2 a bushel.

Beef futures advanced in early trading on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, while pig futures retreated.

April live cattle rose 6 1/2 cents to 72 cents a pound, March feeder cattle rose 20 cents to 64 1/2 cents a pound. April lean hogs fell 1/2 cent to 59 50 cents a pound, March pork futures fell 70 cents to 91.

Wall Street opening

NEW YORK (AP) - Stocks moved modestly higher today as investors anticipated the Federal Reserve to increase interest rates or modestly at its meeting today.

In midday trading on Wall Street the Dow Jones industrial average was up 42 1/2 to 11,083 7/8.

Broadest stock indicators also advanced. Standard & Poor's 500 index was up 1 1/2 to 1,412.79, and the Nasdaq composite was up 37 7/8 to 4,390.77.

Fears that interest rates are headed sharply higher have cooled the market, especially small cap stocks tumbling last week. On Monday and Tuesday however stocks rebounded as investors hoped something to get out of it. Most of that has rewarded those who bought in past several years.

Today's trading was fairly volatile, suggests investors remain wary of the Fed's policies expected to be announced at 2:15 p.m. U.S. Most analysts expect the Fed to raise rates.

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MASS REPLY

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THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
WARREN, Mich. — The Bush presidential campaign is beginning to sound desperate in its accusations after losing badly in New Hampshire, GOP rival John McCain said today.
 Texas Gov. George W. Bush has accused McCain of engaging in "Washington double talk" for attacking special interests while also courting their financial support.
 But McCain said today, "One can only assume these kinds of charges, which fly in the face of the facts, are an act that may be viewed by some as desperation."
 McCain said Sunday he saw nothing hypocritical about his campaign finance reform message and the contributions he has accepted from lobbyists, including those representing clients with interests before the Senate committee he chairs.
 "We want to get money from everybody in America and if some one who has a special interest wants to give to my campaign and they're interested in reform, that's fine," the Arizona senator and Republican presidential hopeful said on ABC's "This Week." "The message is clear

OBITUARIES

Dr. William Hartman

Dr. William G. Hartman, 73, of Lincoln died at 11:35 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 5, 2000, at his home.

Dr. Hartman was a podiatrist in Lincoln and Springfield for 27 years until he retired in 1992.

He was a past president of the Sangamon County Podiatry Association, a former member of Lincoln Rotary Club, and a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 1756 and Holy Family Church, both in Lincoln. He also was an avid fisherman.

He was born Aug. 3, 1926, in Christian County, a son of Shadrach and Ida Tyler Hartman. He married Joan Christen in 1949, in Springfield. She survives.

Also surviving are one daughter, Susie Johnson of Longview, Texas; three sons, Ross Hartman and Rod Hartman, both of Lincoln, and Johnny Johnson or Corpus Christi, Texas; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday at Holy Family Church with the Rev. Kenneth Hummel officiating. Burial, with full military rites, will be in Camp Butler National Cemetery, Springfield.

Visitation will be from 8:15 until 9:15 a.m. Tuesday at Kerrigan Funeral Home. The rosary will be recited at 8:15 a.m. and a wake service will be held.

Memorials may be made to the Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital Hospice Program.

Ruth Lewis

MIDDLETOWN — Ruth E. Lewis, 90, of Springfield, formerly of Athens and Middletown, died Thursday, Feb. 3, 2000, at Heritage Manor in Springfield.

Mrs. Lewis was a member of New Life Baptist Church in Athens.

She was born Dec. 24, 1909, near Middletown, the daughter of William H. and Alice Shelley Ott. She married Glenn Lewis Dec. 21, 1951. He died in 1981.

She also was preceded in death by husbands Earl "Mitch" Baker, who was killed in World War II, and Dan Callahan and by an infant daughter.

Several nieces and nephews survive.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Mott & Henning Funeral Home, Athens, with the Rev. Don Neisler officiating. Burial will be in Sugar Grove Cemetery at Sweetwater.

There will be no visitation.

Memorials may be made to her church or to the Athens Public Library.

Gerald Brosman

Gerald L. Brosman, 71, of Marshall, brother of a Lincoln woman, died at 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 4, 2000, at Union Hospital in Terre Haute, Ind.

Before he retired, Mr. Brosman farmed and worked as a carpenter. He also was a U.S. Army veteran.

He was a member of Five Points Christian Church.

He was born April 12, 1928, in Denver, Colo., the son of Harle and Nina Cunningham Bros-

man. He married Lois Kraemer Sept. 12, 1947, at Marshall. She survives.

Also surviving are one daughter, Janet Noe of Marshall; two brothers, Vernon Brosman of Paris and Harle Brosman Jr. of Sheffield; one sister, Jennie Brosman of Lincoln; and two grandchildren.

A son and a sister preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at Pearce Funeral Home, Marshall, with Mike Elliott officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, rural Martinsville.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Monday and from 7 a.m. until the time of the service Tuesday.

Matilda Schmidt

Matilda Louise Schmidt, 97, of Lincoln died at 4:35 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 5, 2000, at St. Clara's Manor.

Mrs. Schmidt was a homemaker.

She was a member of Zion Lutheran Church. She was born May 19, 1902, in Forest-City, a daughter of Herman and Anna Stunkef Boeger. She married Herman Dietrich Schmidt March 7, 1923, in Topeka. He died Jan. 11, 1980.

Other survivors include one son, Ralph H. Schmidt of Lincoln; two daughters, Lenora M. Bargfrede of St. Louis, Mo., and Helen L. Maaks of Lincoln; one sister, Wilhelmine Huber of Oregon, Wis.; seven grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

An infant daughter, two sisters, two brothers and a grandson preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Zion Lutheran Church with the Rev. Mark Carnahan officiating and the Rev. William Adam co-officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Tuesday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, and an hour before the services Wednesday at the church.

Memorials may be made to her church or to Zion Lutheran School.

Lloyd Miller

ARMINGTON — Lloyd E. Miller, 89, of Hopevale, formerly of Armington, died at 1:45 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 6, 2000, at Hopevale Nursing Home, where she has resided since January 1999.

Mr. Miller farmed for many years in the Armington area until he retired in 1973. He served on boards for the Milking Shorthorn Organization, Armington Christian Church and Armington Grade School.

He was born Dec. 13, 1910, in Brown County, Ind., a son of John E. and Sarah Belle Wilson Miller. He married Grace Dickerson Oct. 12, 1935, in Bloomington. She survives.

Other survivors include one son, Donald Miller of Armington; two sisters, Venita Crego of Pontiac and Norma June Rabe of Virginia Beach, Va.; eight grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

A son, two brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at Armington Christian Church with Clayne Beck officiating. Burial will be in Mountjoy Cemetery, rural Atlanta.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. today at Quiran Funeral Home, Atlanta.

Memorials may be made to his church.

Robert Hodel

Robert M. Hodel, 86, of Morton, formerly of Lincoln, died at 5:55 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 6, 2000, at Apostolic Christian Restmor, Inc., in Morton.

Mr. Hodel farmed in the Cissna Park area for many years. He later worked at Fuller Seed Co. in Lincoln.

He was a member of the Apostolic Christian Church in Tremont.

He was born Sept. 16, 1913, in Cissna Park, a son of Peter and Mary Funk Hodel. He married Royaldine Kincade May 22, 1937, at Watsicka. She died Nov. 4, 1993.

Surviving are one son, Bobby Hodel of Lincoln; two daughters, Vera Walsh of Champaign and Joyce Clark of Clinton; five sisters, Edna Hofbauer of Morton, Esther Unsicker of Tremont, Lena King of Chicago, Mary Vogel, address unknown, and Margaret Manucso of Evanston; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Five brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in the Tremont Apostolic Church. Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Tuesday at Davis Mortuary in Tremont.

Memorials may be made to his church.

Diane Durham

Diane Marie Durham, 51, of Rutland, sister of an Atlanta man, died at 4:25 p.m. Friday, Feb. 4, 2000, in the emergency room of OSF St. Joseph Medical Center, Bloomington, from injuries she suffered in a car accident.

Mrs. Durham was the receptionist for Gander Chiropractic Clinic in Eureka.

She was member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Minonk.

She was born Feb. 12, 1948, in Bloomington, a daughter of Leland and Flora David Schneider. She first married Robert Stine June 16, 1966. She later married Robert Durham Jr. June 10, 1995, in Wenona. He survives.

Also surviving are her father of Minonk; her mother, Flora Moritz of Eureka; one daughter, Christina Kline of Dana; two sons, Russell Stine of East Peoria and Randy Stine of Glen Ellyn; two brothers, Donald Schneider of Bloomington and Thomas Schneider of Atlanta; two step-brothers, James Janssen of Minonk and Bill Janssen of Watsicka; one step-sister, Kippy Janssen of Bloomington; and three grandchildren.

A sister and a step-sister preceded her in death.

Her funeral Mass will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Minonk, with the Rev. Robert Gilles officiating. Burial will be in St. Patrick's Catholic Cemetery, Minonk.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. today at Folkers-Froelich Memorial Home, Minonk, where the rosary will be recited at 7 p.m.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or to Central Illinois Right to Life, Inc.

Opal Keune

ATLANTA — Opal B. Keune, 88, of Atlanta died at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 6, 2000, at OSF St. Joseph Medical Center, Bloomington. Funeral arrangements are pending at Quiran Funeral Home, Atlanta.

Merger will create giant drug company

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
NEW YORK — Pfizer Inc. is buying Warner-Lambert Co. for \$90 billion in stock in a deal that creates the world's second largest pharmaceutical company and ends a bruising three-month takeover battle.
 The combined company's medicine cabinet includes the impotence treatment Viagra and Lipitor, the blockbuster cholesterol fighting drug.
 The deal announced today marks the end of a takeover fight that started in November when Warner-Lambert announced a \$62.1 billion merger with its New Jersey neighbor American Home Products Corp. Pfizer promptly indicated it was interested in Warner-Lambert.
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EK		82 7/8	low over 600 lbs	42 00-44 00		low 45 00
PPG		52 1/2	Boars Under 300 lbs	22 00-25 00	low	27 00
Terra Int.		2 7/16	over 300 lbs	9 00-12 00		
GE		139 1/8	Board of Trade opening			
Consolidated		9 11/16	CHICAGO (AP) — Wheat and soybeans			
Gen Mills		30 1/4	led the way as agricultural commodities			
Wendys Int. Inc.		18 1/2	pushed higher in early dealings today on the			
Tenneco		9 5/8	Chicago Board of Trade			
Eaton Corp.		87 1/8	Dryness in the U.S. winter wheat belt			
Walgreen		28 5/8	supported the rise in wheat futures, along			
McDonald's		34 7/8	with predictions that La Nina conditions			
Anheuser Busch		67 9/16	could lead to a dry spring. Momentum from			
Pfizer		36 5/16	Friday's rally also underpinned wheat's gains.			
Gold		314.50	Soybeans also were affected by reports			
Silver		5.45	of drier-than-expected weather, with a			
Bank of Montreal		31 7/8	lack of precipitation in Brazil over			
Wal-Mart		50 3/8	the weekend and precipitation in Brazil			
Dollar Gen.		22 1/8	is expected to continue for most of this			
ENR Global NV		13 3/8	week in key growing areas of South			
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Kroger		17 1/16	today, thanks to carryover from last			

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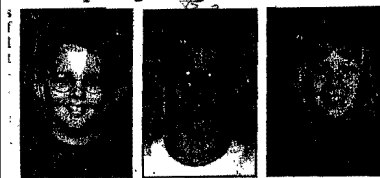
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egistrations for the Warrensburg-Latham Elementary 30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. and 1:15 to 3:15 p.m. March 2 ed Methodist Church in Warrensburg. dians should provide a copy of the child's birth certifi- inal as it will not be returned. Health forms will be registration. newborns to 5-year-olds will be held simultaneously and ointment. Call the school during that week to set up an

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PARK NOTES

District notes

ial for senior stride will be 7:30 to 9 a.m. Wednesday. muffins will be offered in the front lobby. Abraham l Hospital will provide volunteers to check blood pres- ture.

nter has an indoor golf net up which gives golfers the ctice their swing. For those who already have a Lincoln iversity there is no charge to use the net. firmation, the Rec will sponsor Cub a game at Wrigley o, a trip to St. Louis to see the Cardinal's play is sched-

ng class with certified instructor Bob Remmert will be n to noon. Registration is a must to assure that enough ble. The fee is \$40.

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in impromptu speaking; Ashley French, second in oratorical declamation; and Lauren Eckhardt, second in original oratory.

Olympia Coach Ed Jodlowski's charges garnered seven firsts in the regional hosted by Olympia — two by Jessie Dunning, for oratory and oratorical declamation.

Other Olympia firsts were: Glenn Wilson for extemporaneous speaking, Jaelyn Legner for radio speaking, Lindsay Allen for special occasion speaking and Robin Morrow for verse reading.

The team also took a first for performance in the round.

Also placing in the top three and advancing for Olympia were Tara Mitchell and Jared Fink, second in dramatic duet acting; Tara Mitchell and Jared Fink, third in humorous duet acting; Rachel McClellan, third in humorous interpretation; and Darcie Toivser, third in prose reading.

to me that I don't even know how to unlock a door on these new cars after all this time."

He spent eight years on Illinois' death row for the 1985 rape and murder of a 28-year-old woman. Jones was released from custody

Raymond Williams

Raymond L. Williams, 89, of Lincoln died at 4:08 p.m. Monday, Feb. 7, 2000, at St. Clara's Manor.

Mr. Williams worked for Pure Oil Co. for more than 35 years before he retired as a foreman.

He was a member of the Belair Church of Christ.

Mr. Williams was born Feb. 16, 1910, in Crawford County, a son of Elba and Nina Gale Williams. He married Opal Chapman April 30, 1932. She survives.

Also surviving are one son, Wilbur Williams of Lincoln; three grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Three brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Markwell Funeral Home, Casey, with Bob Adams officiating. Burial will be in Casey-Cumberland Cemetery, Casey.

Visitation will be two hours before the service.

Michael Moughan

Michael L. Moughan, 39, of Springfield, the brother of area residents, died at 2:53 p.m. Friday, Feb. 4, 2000, at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield, from injuries received in a work-related accident at his business.

Mr. Moughan owned and operated Mike's Automotive Services in Springfield.

He was a member of the Moose and Eagles lodges and the National Association for Stock Car Auto Racing and had served as an umpire.

Mr. Moughan was born Feb. 16, 1960, in Springfield, the son of James J. and Helen Miller Moughan. He married Jeanette Connor July 15, 1995, in Springfield. She survives.

Others surviving include three sons, Josh Moughan, Jeremy Moughan and Kyle Moughan, all of Springfield; one stepson, Travis Shutz of Springfield; one daughter, Susan Moughan of Springfield; his father and stepmother, James and Nelda Moughan of Springfield; his mother, Helen Moughan of Chatham; four brothers, John Moughan, Dave Moughan and James Moughan, all of Springfield, and Mark Moughan of Middletown.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Ellinger-Kunz & Davis Funeral Home, Springfield, with the Rev. Paul Maitland officiat-

ing. Burial will be in Brunks Cemetery, Springfield.

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

Memorials may be made to the Michael Moughan Memorial Fund, Rochester State Bank, 133 N. John St., Rochester, Ill. 62563.

Dixie Lee Turpin

Dixie Lee Turpin, 57, of Bloomington, a Lincoln native, died at 11:12 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 6, 2000, at OSF St. Joseph Medical Center, Bloomington.

Mrs. Turpin was a homemaker.

She was a member and a volunteer for the Salvation Army.

Mrs. Turpin was born Jan. 26, 1943, in Lincoln, the daughter of Leonard M. "Chub" and Vivian Dennison Wheeler. She married William Turpin in March 1978. He survives.

Other survivors include one daughter, Patty Turpin of Bloomington; one son, Gary Turpin of Bloomington; three sisters, Cheryl Wheeler, Patricia Boyd and Connie Crisman, all of Bloomington; two brothers, Robert Wheeler of Bloomington and Ron Wheeler of Downs; and three grandchildren, including Brooke Turpin and Dylan Harris, whom she was raising.

Her parents, a son and four brothers preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Beck Memorial Home, Bloomington, with Capt. Greg Voeller officiating. Burial will be in Park Hill Cemetery, Bloomington.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. today.

Memorials may be made to the Salvation Army.

Wilma Williams

Wilma Marie Williams, 86, of Morton, formerly of Lincoln and Atlanta, died at 12:05 a.m. today, Tuesday, Feb. 8, 2000, at the Apostolic Christian Restmor Nursing Home in Morton.

Quiram Funeral Home, Atlanta, is handling arrangements.

Opal Keune

ATLANTA — Funeral services for Opal B. Keune, 88, of Atlanta will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Quiram Funeral Home, Atlanta, with the Rev. Bud Craig officiating. Burial will be in Waverly East Cemetery, Waverly.

Visitation will be from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Wednesday.

Illinois farmers stand to benefit from new budget

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — President Clinton aimed to give relief to farmers still beset by low crop prices with a fiscal 2001 budget that contains crop insurance expansion, farm conservation and \$5.8 billion for direct payments during revenue downturns.

Clinton's federal spending blueprint for the year beginning Oct. 1 was delivered to Congress on Monday.

The centerpiece of his plan to help alleviate the crisis in farm country is a new "supplemental income" program, to cost \$2.5 billion next year, that would provide payments based on fluctuations in revenue. An analysis by the office of Sen. Dick Durbin, D-Ill., estimated that \$140 million of that would go to Illinois growers.

The administration also wants to increase spending on various farm conservation programs by \$1.3 billion.

The increase would fund a new Conservation Security Program to pay farmers who plant grassy buffers along waterways and prevent polluted runoff. It also would raise the acreage allowed in the Conservation Reserve Program, which provides payments for removing environmentally sensitive land from production, and in the Wetland Reserve Program, which funds longer-term projects to turn farm acres back into wetlands.

The Farmland Protection Program allows the federal government to buy development rights to farmland to prevent it from becoming strip malls or neighborhoods. And Clinton also proposed increasing funding for two programs that

though such environmental propos-

als. But Republicans already were criticizing the "supplemental income" plan as inadequate. Some also saw it as an unwanted change in the market-oriented approach of the 1996 farm law.

Indeed, none of the goodies included in Clinton's budget will become reality without approval by the Republican-led Congress, and the initial reaction to the entire \$1.84 trillion proposal was frosty.

"Many aspects of it trouble me," said House Speaker Dennis Hastert, R-Yorkville. "How can we pay down the debt with a budget that substantially expands the size and scope of the federal government?"

And Sen. Peter Fitzgerald, R-Ill., took the opportunity to sound a favorite refrain: that America will not be debt-free as Clinton claims because he — and GOP congressional leaders — only talk about paying off the portion of it that is publicly held. The rest of the national debt is money owed to government trust funds, like Social Security.

"I don't know if we can make good judgments if we don't have good numbers," Fitzgerald said.

On mass transit, Clinton allocated \$17 million for the renovation of Chicago's aging Douglas Branch of the Blue Line; \$9 million toward expanding platforms on the Ravenswood Brown Line; \$10 million for an expansion of Metra commuter rail in Will County and \$60 million to extend the Metrolink light-rail system in the Illinois suburbs of St. Louis, according to the office of Sen. Dick Durbin, D-Ill.

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Couple all this with the fact Pedgor maintains on-site management and maintenance, and it looks like a project that might cause me to move there myself. Yes, it looks like the Fak family are some of those other people, because we would qualify for one of these apartments. I have to ask: "Wouldn't you?"

All this doesn't take into account the 40 jobs created for \$950,000 in wages that will be available to local bidders, local workers.

It also doesn't take into account that \$42,000 dollars in local real estate taxes will enter the city, county and District 27 school district accounts due to this project. The possibility of even greater economic benefits can follow if the complex takes off and we get our heads out of the sand long enough to see what a good thing this can be.

It is unfortunate to have to clarify the following points, but I must. For those of you who say this article is easy for me to say because it doesn't affect my neighborhood, I have this reply: I would rather look at a beautiful modern apartment complex, full of new, good neighbors than I would a vacant lot. In the last two decades, Lincoln has been busy turning structures into vacant lots all over town. Here is an opportunity to turn a vacant lot into housing that is clean, new and affordable to a wide range of people.

To those of you who believe my motives are based on the fact I am a contractor, forget it. I only deal in the resurrection of old structures and will not be involved in any bids on building this complex.

The Brainard's Landing apartments are a wonderful opportunity to stimulate growth in this community. Anyone who can look past "me" to "us" surely must realize that.

Pedgor is a group of strangers who have decided after a two-year study to believe in Lincoln. Isn't it about time we started believing in ourselves?

Guest columnist Mike Fak is self-employed and lives in Lincoln.

POLICY

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The Courier welcomes Letterbox contributions. The space is available to readers without charge. Please follow these guidelines:

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Only signed letters will be published. We reject anonymous letters.

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Letters endorsing political candidates are subject to the above criteria. In the interest of fairness, the newspaper also will maintain a balance between candidates in the number of letters that appear.

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Send letters or guest columns to: Managing editor, The Courier, 601 Pulaski St., Lincoln 62656, by fax to 732-7039 or e-mail us at courier@lincolncourier.com.

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ists who wanted to stop the dam, in Ambrose's view, cared nothing for the concerns of Clay City. These days, the benefits of dams, levees and pavement are not so clear.

Increasingly, many see the importance of breaching dams to protect salmon and saving wetlands to prevent flooding. In November of 1999, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ordered the removal of the Edwards Dam on Maine's Kennebec River to restore fish habitats. Also in November, the Western Canal Dam, on a tributary of California's Sacramento River, was demolished to let threatened Chinook salmon run free for the first time since the 1920s.

Lending credence to a proposal championed by the Sierra Club and other environmental groups, the editorial board of the Idaho Statesman in Boise concluded last year that the Northwest would realize a net economic benefit of \$183 million a year by unplugging four dams on the lower Snake. The wisdom of this

Fire calls

Electrical fire

Lincoln firefighters investigated and doused an electrical fire at the Schick's store, 604 Broadway, at 10:32 a.m. today.

A preliminary report said some ceiling tile insulation caught fire because of an electrical wiring problem, but there was no smoke damage in the store.

No injuries were reported.

Firefighters had no estimate of damage in the hour after the fire was reported. They were on scene nearly an hour.

Police beat

Accident

A Galva trucker, Leroy B. Lawrence, 42, was ticketed by Lincoln police for improper lane usage after his truck sideswiped a car driven by Terrence J. Costin, 49, of Naperville at 6:36 a.m. today at the corner of Woodlawn Road and Madigan Drive.

No one was hurt.

Arrest

Illinois Department of Corrections officers arrested Jessie L. Worth, 17, 420 College Ave., at Worth's residence at 11:05 p.m. Tuesday on charges of illegal consumption of alcohol by a minor and parole violation.

Worth was held for the Department of Corrections at the Logan County Jail.

Arrest

A California man, Samuel J. Perry,

27, is in custody at the Logan County Jail today after he was returned from a correctional facility in Cameron, Mo., Tuesday by a Logan County Sheriff's officer.

Clent is held on charges of unlawful possession of a controlled substance and unlawful chemical breakdown of a controlled substance stemming from a 1999 Logan County felony case.

Arrest

Lincoln police arrested Lindsay B. Goad, 17, 721 S. State St., at Burwell Travel Plaza, 2903 Woodlawn Road, at 1:26 a.m. today on charges of illegal consumption of alcohol by a minor, possession of less than 2.5 grams of marijuana, and possession of unspecified drug paraphernalia.

Goad was released on bond.

Arrest

Lincoln police arrested Virgil W. Barrigeur, 26, 116 S. Logan St., after a traffic stop in the 300 block of Pulaski Street at 8:35 p.m. Tuesday on charges of no driver's license, operating an uninsured motor vehicle and no registration after a police officer questioned Barrigeur about the truck he was driving.

Barrigeur was released on bond.

Rescue runs

Aid call

Lincoln Rural Fire Department rescue personnel aided a man who fell several feet from a TV tower during a tower installation in the

1400 block of Ninth Street at 4:16 p.m. Tuesday.

The man, identity unconfirmed, was taken by ambulance to a Springfield hospital, according to a Lincoln Rural Fire Department report.

The man was injured in the fall, this report said, but his treatment and his condition could not be confirmed this morning.

Correction

Clifford Hicks, whose arrest for driving under the influence appeared in the On the Record column in Monday's newspaper, does not live in the 300 block of South LaDue Street. Hicks apparently gave police an incorrect address.

School menus

For Thursday

■ Atlanta Elementary breakfast - French toast, syrup, assorted juices

■ Illini Central breakfast - Sausage, biscuit, juice or pineapple

■ Lincoln Elementary breakfast - Trix yogurt, toast, banana

■ Alluvia Elementary - Cheese burger, bun, potato rounds, peaches, brownie

■ Carroll Catholic School - Roast pork, mashed potatoes, gravy, carrots, pineapple

■ Chester-East Lincoln - Chili, crackers, cheese sticks, pears

■ Elkhart - Ham sandwich, bun, chips, green beans, pineapple

■ Hartem Self-baked beans, carrots

■ Illini Central chips, Spanish rice, kln bars

■ Lincoln Corni-tacos, salsa, potato or chef salad

■ Lincoln Elem-entable beef soup, orwich, celery sticks,

■ Little Lambs weenies, pineapple

■ Mount Pulas-noodle soup, cheese rolls, peaches, ice cream

■ Mount Pulas-soup, tomato soup, jelly sandwich, chili

■ New Holland-noodle soup, toast, cocktail, brownie

■ Olympia-Mid-eyes, bun of chicken rounds, assorted fruit

■ Warrensburg-hutter and jelly sticks, pretzel rods,

■ West Lincoln-horseshoe fries, fruit

■ Zion Lutheran-salsa, potato chips,

February 9, 2000

OBITUARIES

John Fricke

John Frederick Fricke, 63, a resident of Jacksonville Developmental Center, Jacksonville, died at 10:15 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 8, 2000, at Memorial Medical Center, Petersburg.

Mr. Fricke was a member of Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Petersburg.

He was born June 23, 1936, in Petersburg, a son of William H. and Eda Rogge Fricke.

Survivors include two sisters, Ruth Adams of Lincoln and Bernice Schneider of Newark, Ohio; and three brothers, William J. Fricke, Glenn Fricke and Paul Fricke, all of Petersburg.

Two brothers preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Hurley Funeral Home, Petersburg, with the Rev. Robert Low officiating. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery, Petersburg.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Friday.

Memorials may be made to his church or to the Friends of Jacksonville Developmental Center.

Wilma Williams

ATLANTA Funeral services for Wilma M. Williams, 86, formerly of Atlanta, will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Atlanta United Methodist Church with the Rev. David Venter officiating. Burial will be in the Atlanta Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Friday at Quiram Funeral Home, Atlanta, and an hour before the services at the church Saturday.

Mrs. Williams of Morton died at 12:05 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 8, 2000, at the Apostolic Christian Restmor Nursing Home, Morton.

She worked many years for State Farm Insurance Company and Country Companies of Bloomington.

Mrs. Williams was a member of

the Atlanta United Methodist Church. She was educated in Logan County schools and Brown's Business College, Bloomington.

She was born Nov. 22, 1913, at rural Atlanta, the daughter of William Fleming and Katherine Marie Bock Pittenger. She married John O. Williams Nov. 19, 1950, in Atlanta. He died May 24, 1971.

Survivors include one stepdaughter, Janet K. Hart of Phoenix, Ariz.; two brothers, Eldon Pittenger of Morton and Melvin Pittenger of Dunlap; and one stepgrandson.

Two sisters and two brothers preceded her in death.

Memorials may be made to her church or to the Apostolic Christian Restmor Nursing Home, Morton.

Mervin Cusey

Mervin A. Cusey, 66, of Lincoln and Lake Wales, Fla., died Monday, Feb. 7, 2000 at his winter residence in Lake Wales.

Mr. Cusey was a farmer and teamster truck driver for 40 years. He retired in 1985.

He enjoyed fishing and motor homeing. He was a member of Teamster Retirees of Decatur No. 269, the American Association of Retired Persons and First Christian Church of Mount Pulaski and was a life member of Good Sam Club, Revereers and Overland Trailblazers motor home clubs.

He was born April 21, 1933, in Wapella, a son of Clayton F. and Litta Short Cusey. He married Norma Crouse June 22, 1962. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Kevin Cusey of Bloomington and Keith Cusey of Lincoln; two daughters, Kristina Wantland of Minoak and Kathy Dougherty of Minoak; and six grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held in Lincoln at a later date.

Jubison Funeral Home, Lake Wales, Fla., is in charge of arrangements.

Bill would help seniors buy r

By JENNIFER NELSON

SPRINGFIELD NEWS SERVICE

SPRINGFIELD — Strongly criticizing pharmaceutical companies for high drug prices, Democrat legislators on Tuesday announced twin bills that would create a senior citizen drug discount program in Illinois.

"Throughout Illinois, senior citizens are not following doctors' orders," said Rep. Jack Franks, D-Woodstock. "Why? Because they can't afford to buy their prescription drugs anymore."

House Bill 3036, sponsored by Franks, and Senate Bill 1403, sponsored by Sen. Debbie Halvorson, D-Crete, would require drug companies to reduce the price of prescription drugs by about 25 percent for the senior citizens who join the proposed program.

Seniors would pay the state Department of Revenue an annual fee

of \$25 to cover administrative costs. The program would be open to any Illinois resident age 65 or older.

Franks and senior citizen advocates were critical of prices charged by U.S. pharmaceutical companies.

"Prescription drugs in the United States are the world's highest," said Franks. "They average 32 percent more than Canada, 40 percent more than Mexico and 60 percent more than the United Kingdom. Now these are for the same drugs, inside in the same factories, sent in the same boxes all over the world, but our seniors have the privilege of paying more than anyone in the entire world."

Jeff Trewhitt, spokesperson for the Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America, said the prescription drug program proposed was "government mandated price control."

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Rouge bear

Failure to appear

Gary L. Schafer, 26, 928 Eighth St., turned himself in at the Logan County Jail at 9:39 a.m. Wednesday and was arrested by Lincoln police on a failure-to-appear warrant charge stemming from 1999.

Schafer was released on bond.

Battery

Lincoln police arrested Susan A. Johnson, 40, 1500 Tremont St., on a charge of battery at 7:15 p.m. Wednesday in the 1000 block of North College Street after officers investigated the complaint of a woman who said she was struck in front of apartments at that address. The incident was reported at 6:53 p.m.

Johnson was released on bond.

Accident

A Mount Pulaski man, Gerald B. Collier, 24, was ticketed by city police for improper lane usage after he was involved in a two-car accident.

Collier, driving west on Woodlawn Road, pulled around a stopped vehicle at Woodlawn's intersection with Union Street and struck a west-bound car driven by Sue E. Renner, 48, of Pekin

at 2:33 p.m. Wednesday.

No injuries were reported.

Rescue runs

Aid calls

Lincoln Fire Department rescue personnel aided a woman at a residence in the 1100 block of North Kankakee Street three times in seven hours Wednesday and early today. The calls were at 10:35 p.m. and 11:24 p.m. Wednesday and again at 5:42 a.m. today.

Also, city fire department rescue personnel aided a person at Jefferson School, 710 Fifth St., at 10:52 a.m. Wednesday and aided a woman at Friendship Manor, 925 Primm Road, at 5:36 a.m. today.

School menus

For Friday

- Atlanta Elementary breakfast - Cook's choice
- Illini Central breakfast - French toast sticks, juice
- Lincoln Elementary breakfast - Cereal, cinnamon toast, juice
- Atlanta Elementary - Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, baby carrots, pears, trix yogurt

- Carroll Catholic School - Tuna and noodles, peas, fruit cocktail
- Chester-East Lincoln - Chicken nuggets, baked beans, barbecued chips, Jell-O
- Hartem Schools - Chicken noodles soup, crackers, cheese sticks, pears
- Illini Central - Barbecues, bun, or burrito, middle or high school only, fries, peaches, graham crackers middle or high school only.
- Lincoln Community High School - Breaded tenderloin, whipped potatoes, gravy, candied carrots, fruit or chef salad
- Lincoln Elementary - French toast, syrup, sausage links, hash browns, strawberry apple sauce
- Little Lambs Day Care Center - Macaroni and cheese, carrots, applesauce
- New Holland-Middletown - Ravioli, green beans, applesauce, yellow cupcake
- Olympia Middle/High School - Cheeseburger on bun or turkey party on bun, baby carrots, assorted fruit, soft pretzel
- West Lincoln Broadwell - Chicken tetrazzini, green beans, pineapple
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Terra Ind.	2 1/8
GE	134 7/8
Consolidated	9 15/16
Gen Mills	29 3/4
Wendys Intl Inc	17 7/8
Tennaco	8 11/16
Eaton Corp.	64 13/16
Walgreens	30 1/4
McDonalds	35 15/16
Anheuser Busch	67 1/4
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Bank of Montreal	31 1/4
Wal-Mart	57 5/8
Dollar Gen.	21 3/16
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Citygroup	54 5/8
Ford Motor Co	48 5/16
CVS Corp Delaware	40 7/16
United Parcel	56 1/8
Tanning Tech CP	62 13/16
Cbrl	9 1/4
GM	77 7/8
Coca-Cola	56 13/16
PepsiCo	34 7/16
IBM	118 1/4
Ag-Chem	9
Amoco	47 7/8
Union Planters	31 15/16
Cisco Systems	132

Grain futures
(Courtesy Ethard Grain Co.)

Corn

March	2.231/4	up 3/4
May	2.213/4	up 1
Jul	2.291/2	up 1

Soybeans

Mar	5.033/4	unch
May	5.133/4	up 1/2
Jul	5.223/4	up 3/4

Wheat

Mar	2.681/4	up 2 3/4
Jul	2.901/4	up 2 3/4

Peoria livestock

PEORIA (API) - Hogs: 800 Trading moderately active; barrows and gilts are 1.00 lower

1-2 230-260 lb 37.50-38.00; 2-3 260-280 lb 36.00-37.50

Sows: Light weights are 1.00 higher; medium and heavy weights are steady; 1-3 300-400 lbs 31.00; 400-500 lb 34.00-35.00; 500-700 lb 41.00-43.00

Boars: Over 300 lb 12.00; under 300 lb 28.00

Interior livestock

SPRINGFIELD (AP) - Lean hog carcasses are unevenly weak to 1.50 lower, mostly 50 to 1.00 lower

55-56 lb pl 51.00-57.70; 53-54 lb pl 48.50-57.20; 51-52 lb pl (1) 44.50-57.20; 49-50 lb pl 43.80-55.55; 47-48 lb pl 40.50-51.70

Sows: Are steady to 1.00 instances 2.00 lower; 1-3 300-400 lbs 27.00-30.00; 400-500 lbs 30.00-34.00; 500-600 lbs 38.00-39.00; few over 600 lbs 40.00-41.00; few 42.00

Boars: Under 300 lbs 22.00-25.00; over 300 lbs 10.00-12.00

WEATHER

Lincoln data

Wednesday's high	56
Oversight low	44
Record high	73 in 1932
Record low	-16 in 1982
Sunset today	5:27
Sunrise Friday	5:27

Precipitation

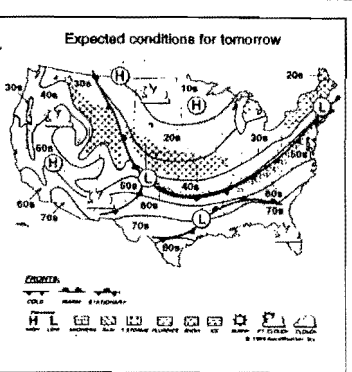
To 7 a.m. today	.04
Probabilities tonight	0
Probabilities Friday	60 (snow and rain)

Local Forecast

Mostly cloudy tonight, low 30 to 35 with north wind 10 to 15 mph. Cloudy Friday, with a chance of snow late, possibly mixed with rain, high 35 to 40 with northeast wind 10 to 15 mph.

Extended Forecast

Windy Saturday, with snow diminishing, high around 30. Partly cloudy Sunday, high 35 to 40, low 15 to 20. A chance of light snow Monday, high near 40, low around 25.



February 10, 2000

OBITUARIES

Myron Springer

Myron E. Springer, 87, of Morton, brother of a Lincoln woman, died at 2:20 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 9, 2000, at Apostolic Christian Skyline, Peoria.

Mr. Springer worked for Rock's in Morton for 25 years before he retired in 1976.

He was a member of the Morton Apostolic Christian Church.

Mr. Springer was born April 9, 1912, in Danvers, a son of Jeff and Margaret Hoffman Springer. He married Anna Barth Feb. 7, 1931, in Peoria. She died Aug. 30, 1996.

Survivors include six daughters, Dorothy Witzig, Marlene Galbraith, Majorie Gingerich, Judy Springer and Carolyn Isbelt, all of Morton, and Lydia Clark of Cocoa, Fla.; three sisters, Helen Schmidgall of Morton, Kathryn Grimm of Lincoln and Viola Keller of Punta Gorda, Fla.; 20 grandchildren; and 43 great-grandchildren.

A grandson and four brothers also preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Morton Apostolic Christian Church. Burial will be in Morton Apostolic Christian Church Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at Knapp-Johnson Funeral Home, Morton, and from 9 to 9:45 a.m. Saturday at the church.

Memorials may be made to Apostolic Christian Skyline, 7023 N. Skyline Drive, Peoria, Ill. 61614.

Adeline Walgora

Adeline A. Walgora, 79, of Lincoln died at 9:50 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 9, 2000, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Walgora worked for R.R. Donnelly & Sons Production before she retired.

She was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church.

Mrs. Walgora was born May 23, 1920, in Chicago, a daughter of Sylvester and Agnes Krzebiet. She married Walter Walgora Aug. 18, 1939, in Chicago. He preceded her in death.

Survivors include two sons, Jerry Walgora of Elk Grove and Larry Walgora of Plainfield; two daughters, Sally Pleshmann of Lincoln and Dolores Mika of Highland, Ind.; one brother, Lawrence "Mac" Krzebiet of Chicago; one sister, Marita Mactowick, of Chicago; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Two brothers also preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Friday at Danar Funeral Home, 7861 S. 88th Ave., Justice. Burial will be in Resurrection Cemetery, Argo.

Visitation will be an hour before the services.

Memorials may be made to Holy Family Church or

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New Band-Aid comes with sticker shock

BY PHIL GALEWITZ

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK - They've tried plastic Band-Aids, Band-Aids with aloe and Vitamin E, Band-Aids with antibiotic ointment, Clear Band-Aids, Sports Band Aids, Even Band-Aids with Elmo and Big Bird.

Now, Johnson & Johnson is taking its adhesive bandage high-tech, employing material usually found in hospitals or doctors' offices. The Band-Aid Brand Advanced Healing Strip promises to heal wounds faster than traditional bandages by promoting better moisture management.

One thing it's sure to do is give consumers sticker shock. At \$4.79 for a box of 10 it will be at least eight times more expensive than normal adhesive bandages.

Consumers will be willing to pay more for it not just because it works faster, but because the same bandage can be worn for several days, including in showers and baths, company officials said. Most bandages are changed every day.

Succer star Mia Hamm and Olympic track star Jackie Joyner-Kersey were to join J&J officials to unveil the new strip today in New York.

J&J officials said the new brand, expected to be on store shelves by April, marks the biggest technological achievement since the company launched first Band-Aid in 1921.

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Arrest
Lincoln Police arrested Angelia L. Hobbs, 20, 1000 N. College St., on charges of domestic battery and criminal trespass to state-supported land at 8:17 p.m. Thursday.
Hobbs allegedly refused to leave an apartment in the 100 block of Centennial Court and bit the hand and forearm of a man at the residence as he was trying to get her to leave.
Hobbs was held in lieu of bond.

Broken window
A Lincoln man told city police at 3:07 p.m. Thursday someone broke a window in his van while the vehicle was parked in the 100 block of West Kickapoo Street.

Car scratched
"A Lincoln man told city police at 9:51 a.m. Thursday someone scratched and otherwise damaged his parked car in the Heritage Plaza parking lot while his wife was shopping Wednesday night.

Shed vandalized
A Lincoln resident reported to city police at 4:18 p.m. Thursday someone recently had spray painted a red star on a backyard shed in the 300 block of Wyatt Avenue.

Fire calls
No fire; call a wrecker
Lincoln Rural Fire Department firefighters investi-

gated a car fire at 11:57 a.m. Thursday in the 1300 block of old U.S. Route 66, but found mechanical problems and a wrecker was called instead.

There was no fire damage to the vehicle.
Investigation
Lincoln Fire Department firefighters responding to an investigation-only call to the Christian Nursing Home, 1507 Seventh St., at 9:06 p.m. Thursday.

Rescue runs
Aid calls
Lincoln Fire Department rescue personnel aided a woman at a residence in the 200 block of Regent Drive at 6:20 a.m. Thursday; aided a woman at a residence in the 100 block of Meadow Lane at 9:45 a.m. Thursday; aided a person at a Lincoln College & Seminary dorm, 100 Campus View Drive at 6:51 p.m. Thursday; aided a woman at a residence in the 1100 block of North Postville Drive at 2:33 a.m. today; and, aided a woman at a residence in the 100 block of North Evans Street at 4:19 a.m. today.

Correction
A Lincoln woman, Susan A. Johnson, arrested by Lincoln police Wednesday night on a charge of battery shoved but did not strike the victim as reported in an On The Record item Thursday.
The Courier regrets the error.

Lincoln data

Thursday's high	59
Overnight low	30
Record high	70 in 1932
Record low	-10 in 1955
Sunset today	5:28
Sunrise Saturday	6:55

Precipitation

To 7 a.m. today	.06
Probabilities tonight	.40
Probabilities Saturday	.40 (light snow early)

Local Forecast

Mostly cloudy tonight, with a chance of light snow, accumulations less than an inch, low 13 to 20 with north-easterly wind 5 to 10 mph. Flurries possible early Saturday, then becoming partly sunny, high 30 to 35 with wind becoming southeasterly 5 to 15 mph.

Extended Forecast

Mostly cloudy daily Sunday through Tuesday, with chances of light snow Sunday and Monday, daily highs near 40, daily lows around 25.

MARKETS

Stocks
(Courtesy Edward Jones Investments)

Gal	36 3/8
Illinois	46 3/4
Gen Tel.	87 3/16
EK	58 13/16
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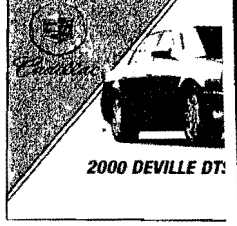
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ELIZABETH WILSON

MOUNT PULASKI - Elizabeth Ellen Wilson, 90, of Illinois died at 5:30 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 10, 2000, at Sunny Acres Nursing Home in Petersburg.

Mrs. Wilson was a homemaker. She was a member of the Illinois United Methodist Church, the American Legion Auxiliary and Royal Neighbors of America.

She was born Sept. 2, 1909, in Illinois, the daughter of John W. and Ella Buckles Mayer. She married Alvin Wilson Nov. 12, 1927, in Illinois. He died July 1, 1967.

Surviving are four sons, Alvin Edward Wilson and Thomas William Wilson, both of Illinois, Harry Owen Wilson of Sweetwater and John Arthur Wilson of Roy, Wash.; 23 grandchildren, and 30 great-grandchildren.

A daughter, two sons, a sister and two grandchildren also preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Monday at the Illinois United Methodist Church with the Rev. John Best and the Rev. Gene Blissett officiating. Burial will be in Riverside Cemetery, Illinois.

Visitation will be from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday and an hour before the services Monday at the church.

Memorials may be made to her church. Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, is in charge of local arrangements.

Adeline Walgora

Funeral services for Adeline A. Walgora, 79, of Lincoln will be at 1 p.m. today at Dumar Funeral Home, 7861 S. 88th Ave., Justice. Burial will be in Resurrec-

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tion Cemetery, Argo. Visitation will be an hour before the services.

Mrs. Walgora died at 9:50 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 9, 2000, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

She worked for R.R. Donnelly & Sons Production before she retired.

Mrs. Walgora was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church.

She was born May 23, 1920, in Chicago, a daughter of Sylvester and Agnes Budnik Krzebiol. She married Walter Walgora Aug. 18, 1939, in Chicago. He preceded her in death.

Survivors include two sons, Jerry Walgora of Elk Grove and Larry Walgora of Plainfield; two daughters, Sally Fleshman of Lincoln and Dolores Mika of Highland, Ind.; one brother, Lawrence "Mack" Krzebiol of Chicago; one sister, Martha Machowiak, of Chicago; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Two brothers preceded her in death. Memorials may be made to Holy Family Church or to the Alzheimers Foundation.

Holland & Barry Funeral Home is in charge of local arrangements.

This obituary is re-run because of previous omissions. The Courier regrets the errors.

Harry Hahn

MOUNT PULASKI - Harry Hahn, 67, of Mount Pulaski, was pronounced dead at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 10, 2000, in the emergency room of OSF St. Francis Medical Center, Peoria.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski.

Survey shows city's good, bad and ugly

By PAUL AYARS

Lincoln residents believe drug dealing is the biggest concern Lincoln faces.

Lincoln police agree the problem is serious, just not here.

But the results of a Capstone community police survey reviewed at a public meeting Tuesday also showed prostitution as ranking seventh among nine areas identified by survey respondents as problem areas that need to be addressed.

"It's news to us," Lincoln Police Chief Rich Ludolph said of a worry that is the top concern of people age 68 and older and listed as a serious to somewhat serious problem by all four age categories surveyed.

"I haven't known of a prostitution case, or even a suspicion, in my 25 years in Lincoln," he said.

Ludolph and other public service representatives at the forum at Lincoln Community High School said the police and community agencies have made drug dealing and domestic violence their top priority as a result of the survey. The forum was attended by about 20 residents.

Capstone is one of four community police programs conducted by the University of Illinois Springfield under its Regional Institute of Community Policing.

So what do the results mean? Ernie Cowles, a Capstone consultant, said the results give local officials and social services workers something to go by.

Debbie Cook of Lincoln, a member of a local task force studying domestic violence, said the

Text

Editor's note: The continued portion of the Capstone survey article was missing in Wednesday's newspaper. The article appears here in its entirety. The Courier regrets the omission.

task force still is shaping its role in addressing the issue.

"It's difficult to put a finger on what do you do about it," Cook said. "We need to educate each other and support (domestic violence) victims."

"I think we're making some valiant efforts," said Dayle Eldridge, coordinator of Rural Health Partnership.

"We want more participation from the community at large," including experts in focus areas, Eldridge said, adding, "the overall results were very encouraging."

"The list (of concerns identified by the survey) is significant, but not insurmountable," he said. "With further effort, we can make some significant impact."

Charting 14 areas of focus by age, the results often showed the highest levels of concern among the youngest age group, those 18 to 41, and the oldest, those older than age 68.

The Capstone survey was set up to survey 515 randomly selected local residents. Students were able to deliver only 485 surveys because of faulty or incorrect addresses. Of the 485 surveys delivered, residents in 183 households complet-

ed them. The number of responses represents only 3 percent of Lincoln's 5,000 households and no one under age 18 was included in the survey, he said.

Cowles described the 38 percent response as "not bad," but would have preferred to see 200 surveys completed to get a better picture.

He said Lincoln already is aggressively addressing many of the areas of concern identified by the survey.

Cowles said results are even affected by when the survey is done, and pointed to a moderate degree of dissatisfaction with the sewer system and street conditions at the time of the survey, which was last fall while the city was wrapping up a massive sewer project.

Noting that barking dogs and animal control also ranked among the concerns, Cowles observed, "Every place I've been, nobody likes barking dogs. I think that's a universal."
Lincoln native Dana Wilmet coordinated the canvass.

One thing those surveyed showed was a long-time presence in Lincoln: an average of 20 years.

"In today's society and the way people move around, that's pretty impressive," Cowles said. "It shows Lincoln is probably a pretty nice community to live in. People stay here a long period of time."

Paul Ayars can be reached at 732-2101. His e-mail address is paul.ayars@lincolncourier.com

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Della Taylor

HARTSBURG - Funeral services for Della C. Taylor, 93, formerly of Hartsburg and South Pekin, were Saturday at Noel-Henderson Funeral Home, Pekin, with the Rev. Krista Broekman officiating. Burial was in Glendale Memorial Gardens, Pekin.

Mrs. Taylor died at 10:15 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 9, 2000, at The Christian Village Nursing Home, Lincoln.

A former Lincoln Developmental Center employee, she served 19 years as a Foster Grandparent.

She was born Oct. 20, 1906, in Dillon, a daughter of Robert Lee and Catherine Fornoff Lord. She married Calvin G. Taylor Aug. 16, 1926, in Shelbyville. He died July 5, 1973.

Surviving are one daughter, Lila Leepman of Hartsburg; one son, Calvin E. Taylor of Pekin; and one granddaughter.

A grandchild, three brothers, seven sisters preceded her to death.

Memorials may be made to The

Christian Village Nursing Home, 1507 Seventh St., Lincoln, Ill. 62656.

Mildred Wiebking

MOUNT PULASKI - Mildred Wiebking, 79, of Mount Pulaski died at 12:05 p.m. Friday, Feb. 11, 2000, at Vonderlieth Living Center.

Mrs. Wiebking was a homemaker.

She was a member of Mount Pulaski Christian Church and the Homemakers' Extension Association, a past county 4-H chairman and a charter member of the Mount Pulaski American Business Women's Association.

Mrs. Wiebking was born July 4, 1920, in Springfield, the daughter of Lloyd C. and Margaret Bryson Day. She married John Wiebking Aug. 14, 1949, in Springfield. He died Aug. 18, 1987.

Survivors include one daughter, Jean Martin of Mount Pulaski; one sister, Thelma Jean McKnight of Lincoln; three brothers, Robert Day of Mountain Home, Ark., Edward Day of Green Valley, Ariz., and

Keith Day of Sealy Mountain, N.C.; and two grandsons.

Funeral services were this morning at Fricke-Culvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, with The Rev. Pat Shaw officiating. Burial was in the Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Vonderlieth Living Center.

William Fields

ATLANTA - William F. Fields, 79, of rural Atlanta died at 12:45 p.m. Friday, Feb. 11, 2000, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Before he retired, Mr. Fields was a plumber. He worked out of Plumber and Steamfitters Union Local No. 137, Springfield.

An Army Air Force veteran, he served in the European theater during World War II.

He was born Oct. 25, 1921, at Pitcher, Okla.

Surviving is a cousin, Dorothy Sawby of Mississippi.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Quiram Funeral

Home, Atlanta, with Andy Giffis officiating. Burial will be in Niblick Cemetery, rural Atlanta, with military rites by Gresham-Crutchley American Legion Post No. 341 of Atlanta.

Visitation will be an hour before the services.

Ruth Maxwell

Ruth H. Maxwell, 74, of Bloomington, sister of a Lincoln woman, died at 3:35 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 10, 2000, at ASTA Care Center, Bloomington.

She was born May 10, 1905, in Harristown, the daughter of Raymond and Marie Green True. Her stepmother was Irene True. She was married to Charley Burns and then to Henry Nowlin. She married James Maxwell Nov. 24, 1974, in Heyworth.

Survivors include one son, Thomas R. Nowlin of Heyworth; one stepdaughter, Beulah Buntin of Florida; eight sisters, Helen Skodac of Innis, Texas, Barbara Sagner of Higbee, Mo., Maxine Miller of Flanagan, Sylvia Stalter of Lincoln,

Dorothy Leach of Palmer, Texas, Patricia True of Bloomington, Virginia Strup of Frankfort, Ind., and Enna Land, address unknown; two brothers, Don True and Owen True, both of Heyworth; nine grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and a longtime companion, Kellar Short.

Two brothers preceded her in death.

There will be no services or visitation. Mrs. Maxwell was cremated. A memorial service for family and friends was Saturday at Tom Nowlin's house in Heyworth.

Beck Memorial Home, Bloomington, was in charge of arrangements.

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Police beat Failure to appear

Logan County police arrested Eric W. Chambers, 36, 1258 1159th Ave., at 11:55 p.m. Thursday on a warrant for failure to appear in court for a 1997 traffic case. Chambers was released on bond.

Failure to appear

Logan County police arrested David A. Hamilton, 23, of Taylorville at 3:45 p.m. Thursday on a warrant for failure to appear in court on a 1998 forgery charge. He is being held in lieu of bond.

Failure to appear

Logan County police arrested Joseph J. Grimsley, 48, 312 N. Sheridan St., Thursday for a 1999 warrant for failure to appear in court on a felony charge. He is being held in lieu of a \$750 bond.

Trespass and damage to property

Logan County Police arrested Stephen L. Nelson, 29, of Middletown at 1:26 a.m. Sunday for trespassing at D.F.'s Tap in Middletown. Nelson allegedly refused to leave the bar when asked. Nelson was later arrested, at 6:01 a.m., for damage to property after he allegedly kicked the front door of the bar owner's residence in Middletown. He has posted bond on both arrests.

Accident

City police ticketed Thomas F. Malerich, 18, 206 11th St., at 9:42 p.m. Saturday for improper lane usage after he struck a parked vehicle owned by Cynthia A. Stacy, 48, 808 Prairie. The vehicle was parked on the 500 block of Tremont Street near W. Kankakee. Malerich hit Stacy's parked vehicle while attempting to park the car in front of him.

Broken window

Lincoln police were called at 5:41 p.m. Saturday due to a broken window and three bent handicap parking signs at Logan Health Department, 109 3rd St. A glass walk-in door on the east side of the building appeared to be broken by a rock, the report states. The estimated damage to the door is \$600 and the damage to the signs is estimated at \$100.

Carbon Monoxide

Lincoln firefighters inspected a carbon monoxide concern at 12:45 a.m. Friday in a residence in the 900 block of 21st Street. No problems were found.

Vehicle fire

A woman was aided in a vehicle fire at 3:03 p.m. Sunday on the 600 block of Putaski Street. The fire was reported to be in the engine and was extinguished with a portable extinguisher. The estimated loss is \$7,500.

Aid calls

block of S. Evans Street and again at 6:39 p.m. A mentally handicapped person was aided at 8:55 p.m. Sunday at Lawrence Place, 715 S. Washington St.

Drug bust

A Logan County Sheriff's deputy arrested Heidi A. Wert, 17, of Stanfoid at 8:13 p.m. Saturday on charges of illegal possession of a controlled substance suspected to be a quantity of methamphetamine; illegal possession of drug paraphernalia; and possession of under 30 grams of marijuana after a traffic stop at the corner of 15th and Monroe streets.

A K 9 search of Wert's vehicle detected several suspected drug items, including two small plastic packets of yellow powder and crystal substance believed by investigators to be methamphetamine. Wert claimed the suspected meth was not hers, was bought in Bloomington and was being delivered.

She was held in lieu of bond Dumping charge

A Logan County Sheriff's deputy arrested Kevin L. Lambert, 22, 510 N. Hamilton St., at his residence at 5:45 a.m. Thursday on a charge of illegal dumping, depositing or littering after police investigated an unspecified litter dumped on 1600th Street, between Ill. 10 and 1500th Street, south of the Johnson Elevation at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Lambert was released on bond. Illegal consumption

Lincoln police arrested three 17-year olds, Angie B. Morado, 83 Centennial Court, Carle J. Hamer, 1049 1750th St., and Matthew D. Mahler, 1402 1300th St., on city ordinance violation charges of illegal consumption of alcohol by a minor after officers investigated a drinking party at a residence in the 100 block

of South College Street at 1 a.m. Sunday.

All three teens were released to custody of their parents.

Rescue runs

Lincoln Rural Fire Department rescue personnel aided accident victims Saturday and this morning.

At 4:31 a.m. Saturday, in the 800 block of 1575th Street, rescue personnel aided Logan County Paramedic Association ambulance personnel with Michelle Faulkner, age unconfirmed, 560 14th St., who was taken by ambulance to Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital for treatment of her injuries in a one-vehicle accident.

Accident information could not be confirmed this morning.

Faulkner was treated and released at ALMH.

At 6:02 a.m. today, near milepost 133, the north Lincoln exit of Inter state 55, Lincoln Rural Fire Department rescue personnel aided the driver of a tractor trailer truck that had overturned and was hit by a pickup truck.

The LaPiente, Calif., man driving the tractor trailer truck was taken by ambulance to ALMH for treatment. Lincoln Rural firefighters also washed down five gallons of spilled diesel fuel from the overturned truck.

Lincoln Rural and Atlanta Fire Department rescue personnel responded at 9:18 a.m. today to a reported accident on old U.S. Route 66, a half mile south of Atlanta, but were not needed at the scene.

School menus

For Tuesday

Lincoln Elementary breakfast Lumberjack with syrup, assorted

juices

Illm Central breakfast Blueberry muffin, toast, juice

Atlanta Elementary Barbequed rib, bun, oven fries, apple crisp

Carroll Catholic School Vegetable beef soup, crackers, peanut butter sandwich, pineapple, apricots

Chester East Lincoln Tomato soup, crackers, bologna sandwich, Kudos Bar

Elkhart Sausage patty, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas, pears

Hartem Schools Beef stroganoff, peas, apricots, Jell O

Illm Central Chicken and noodles or chicken casserole, mixed vegetables, or peas, peaches

Lincoln Community High School Cheese burger, bun, fries, slaw, spice cake or chef salad

Little Lambs Day Care Center Meat and cheese with rice, corn, applesauce

Mount Pulaski Elementary Rib, bun, celery sticks, peanut butter, pickled beets, mixed fruit, bunsine

Mount Pulaski High School Turkey submarine, nachos and cheese, pineapple, ice cream cup

New Holland Middletown Sloppy Joe, bun, Lator Tots, peas, pumpkin bars

Olympia Middle/High School Barbequed rib, bun or fish on bun, mashed potatoes, gravy, apple crisp, assorted fruit

Warrensburg Latham Schools Hamburger, bun, fries, apple juice

West Lincoln Broadwell Beef and macaroni, lettuce, pear, cookie

Zion Lutheran School Cheese burger, bun, fries, slaw, spice cake

WEATHER

Lincoln data	
Sunday's high	36
Overnight low	29
Record high	71 in 1924
Record low	-4 in 1916
Sunset today	5:32
Sunrise Tuesday	5:52
Precipitation	
To 7 a.m. today	0 (tr snow)
Probabilities tonight	0
Probabilities Tuesday	0
Local Forecast	
Partly cloudy tonight, low in the upper 20s with south wind 5 to 10 mph. Partly sunny and warmer Tuesday, high in the low 50s with south wind 10 to 20 mph.	
Extended Forecast	
Mostly cloudy Wednesday, high 40 to 45, low around 30. Partly cloudy Thursday and Friday, high around 40.	

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th Kratschmer, a 17-year veteran of the Illinois Commerce Commission, lives in DuPage county and splits time working in Chicago and Springfield. Kratschmer seeks state reimbursement on her lake-front home in Petersburg, shown here, that she uses when she visits the Capitol on official business.

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yan spokesman Dave Urbanek l Newton prefers his apartment r a hotel mostly for the convenience of not having to take so many small belongings on trips.

He's where the governor is, and ping the schedule like he does, sn't allow him to waste time ang hotel reservations." Ur- ck added.

When Pam McDonough applied reimbursement from the Gover- s Travel Control Board, she director of the Department of nce and Community Affairs she was doing it for taxpayers.

in order to save the state consid- amount in travel expenses, I acquired an apartment," she e.

om August through December, ayers paid more than half the gage costs on McDonough's 17.05-a-month condo. The state aid her \$3,825 for 47 nights, or a night.

McDonough explained in an interview that she and her husband, who is not a state employee, both use the condo. But mostly it's an "affordable option" to help her do a job that involves frequent travel between Chicago and Springfield.

"For me, it's a little easier to have different sets of clothes...look professional, I'll have to stay over unexpectedly," she said.

Thomas Ortigger, director of the Nuclear Safety Department, owns a three-bedroom, two-bath condo in Flossmoor that is also the rent-free residence of his son and daughter-in-law.

He spent 47 nights at the condo on business last year, bringing in \$4,535 in reimbursements. That amounted to 44 percent of his annual costs on the condo, which was then \$666 a month.

"This is not being used as a fund-raising activity. It's being used to save some money for the state whenever it's double," said Ortigger, who is based in Springfield but often visits the Chicago area for work.

Officials must get written approval to be reimbursed for use of their own housing. Reimbursement may not top 75 percent of the same government rate for hotels, which varies by region. This year, a person using his or her own housing could get as much as \$97.50 a day in Chicago or as little as \$37.50 in a rural downstate county.

Reimbursement for the year may not exceed officials' mortgage or rental total, and rules cap how high mortgage or rents may go. For Chicago, it's the equivalent of \$960 a month.

The state saved \$4,135.25 in one three-month period last year by reimbursing officials for their own housing instead of sending them to hotels, said Judy Pardonnet, a spokeswoman for the Department of Central Management Services.

"There really wouldn't be a reason not to grant it because it saves the state money," she said.

Taxpayers face a tough time making sure their officials are following the rules.

cake and sausage breakfast sticks, fresh fruit or juice

Lincoln Elementary breakfast Cereal, cinnamon toast, juice

Atlanta Elementary Cheese pizza, tossed salad, mandarin oranges, peaches

Carroll Catholic School Spaghetti, green beans, garlic bread, peaches

Chester East Lincoln Meat balls, potatoes, carrots, mixed fruit

Elkhart Pizza, lettuce salad, applesauce, Goldfish sandwiches

Haffen Schools Pork, ten derloin, bun, broccoli with cheese, peaches, bar cookie

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Lincoln Community High School Bread sticks/pizza sauce, lettuce salad, green beans, apple slices or bread bowl

Lincoln Elementary Pepperoni pizza, lettuce salad, corn, fruit cocktail

Little Lambs Day Care Center Macaroni and cheese, peas, pears

Mount Pulaski Elementary Chicken legs, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, apricots

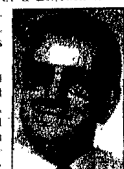
Mount Pulaski High School Spaghetti and meat sauce, lettuce salad, breadsticks, mandarin oranges

New Holland-Middletown Chicken nuggets, cheese potatoes, pineapple, apple muffin

OBITUARIES

Burnell Simpson

Burnell Lewis Simpson, 72, of Pekin, brother of a Lincoln man, died at 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 13, 2000, at his home.



Mr. Simpson

Mr. Simpson worked at Caterpillar, Inc., as a machinist at Building KK in East Peoria for 31 years before he retired. He then worked for the Illinois Valley Library System in Pekin for 13 years, delivering books. He then put in six years for Burns Security at Pekin Hospital, last working in March 1999.

An Army veteran of the Korean War, he served in France.

Mr. Simpson was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Pekin and the United Auto Workers in East Peoria.

He was born Nov. 18, 1927, in Mackinaw, a son of Clifford F. and Hazel M. Vannoy Simpson. He married Joyce E. Stahl June 20, 1969, in Peoria. She survives.

Also surviving are three sons, Robert D. Simpson of Creve Coeur, and Scott C. Jones and Clifford B. Simpson, both of Pekin; three daughters, Sherry L. Blackburn of Galesburg, E. Denise Penrod of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Rhonda VanderVoort of Olathe, Kansas; two brothers, Harold Simpson of Lincoln and Roscoe Simpson of Waverly, Iowa, and one sister, Anna McMillen of Normal; and 15 grand children.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Friday at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 2104 South 14th St., Pekin, with Bishop A. Raymond Swelson officiating. Burial will be in Lakeside Cemetery, Pekin.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Preston-Hanley Funeral Home, Pekin Chapel, and an hour prior to the services Friday at the church.

Memorials may be made to a fund established in his name at CEFCU, 3515 Court St., Pekin, Ill. 61554.

Judith Barnes

Judith June Barnes, 72, of Apache Junction, Ariz., a Lincoln native, died Sunday, Feb. 13, 2000, in the Desert Palliative Care facility in Mesa, Ariz.

Mrs. Barnes worked as a rural mail carrier for U.S. Postal Service before she retired.

She was a member of the Kachi-

na Club, the Naomi Group and Holy Cross Catholic Church.

She was born Aug. 17, 1927, in Lincoln, a daughter of Walter George and Anna M. Butler Sandel. She graduated from the Lincoln schools. She married John Woodruff Sept. 23, 1948. He died March 23, 1962. She married Charles Barnes Dec. 13, 1963, in Danville. He died Sept. 1, 1988.

Survivors include four daughters, Norita Hammond of Macomb, Teri Valenzuela of Scottsdale, Ariz., Anna Barnes of Urbana and Mary Clark of Amelia, Ohio; one son, Charles Barnes III of Amelia; one brother, Russell; Lynn of Jacksonville, Fla.; five sisters, Agnes Moore of Chicago, Marguerite Sutthead of Lincoln, Irma Jean Pacelli of Apache Junction; Frances Sandure of Crystal Lake and Katy Johnson of Kansasville, Wis.; and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Saturday at Holy Family Catholic Church, Danville, with the Rev. Dennis O'Reilly officiating. Burial will be in Resurrection Cemetery, Danville.

Visitation will be from 3 to 7 p.m. Friday at Pate Memorial Home and Gardens, Danville.

Memorials may be made to Guardian Angel Home, 2900 Heading Ave. West, Peoria, Ill.

Malcolm 'Red' Canterbury

Malcolm "Red" Canterbury, 88, of Lincoln died at 1:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 13, 2000, at his home.

Mr. Canterbury was a salesman of agricultural products.

He was a graduate of the University of Illinois and a life member of the Masonic Lodge AF & AM.

He was born Sept. 13, 1911, in Central, the son of Clair Earl and Maggie May Cantall Canterbury.

Survivors include one son, C. William Canterbury of McHenry; one brother, Wayne Canterbury of Springfield; two sisters, Lois Hill and Jeanne Schmit, both of Phoenix, Ariz.; five grandchildren; and six great grandchildren.

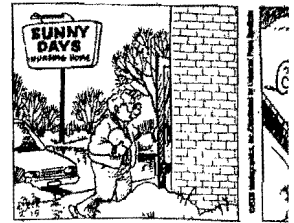
Private services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Most & Henning funeral home, Athens, with Matt Anna Taylor officiating.

Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association.

The Rev. Leland Bear

The Rev. Leland Bear, 90, of Mason City died at 6:57 p.m. Monday, Feb. 14, 2000, at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield. Arrangements are pending at Cain Hurley Funeral Home, Mason City.

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ve damage occurred sometime 2 a.m. Sunday.

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gan County Police responded ar accident at 7:15 p.m. Mon- shee Jeremy A. Gendes, 22, of ville, Ga., hit a utility pole at Avenue in Laena.

les smelled smoke in the car ft the car warming up, he re- stated. The car then filled with e as he was turning, which d him to veer off to the right ht the utility pole. The car then t fire. The owner of the vehi- John S. Johnson of Decatur, ckets were given.

It

woman reported to Lincoln e at 11:49 p.m. Monday that a dio and antenna were stolen her locked, which was parked t in the 400 block of Broad- There were no signs of forced . The estimated loss is \$40.

It

woman reported to Lincoln e at 3 p.m. Monday that a us was stolen from her yard in 00 block of South College t on Saturday. The mailbox,

occurring at the intersection of Woodlawn Drive and Lincoln Park- way City police ticketed Pollack for failure to yield and Hen- richsmeyer for failure to wear a seatbelt.

Accident

City police ticketed Edward C. Lascola, 18, 844 Sunset Drive, at 8:29 a.m. Monday for an uninsured motor vehicle and improper back- ing. Lascola hit a parked and unat- tended car owned by Dennis R. Schrader, 47, 1372 Airport Rd., while backing out of his driveway.

Fire calls

Electrical short

Lincoln Fire Department fire- fighters investigated a report of arc- ing or shorted electrical equipment at a residence in the 100 block of Ninth Street at 7:47 p.m. Saturday.

Rescue runs

Aid calls

Lincoln Fire Department rescue personnel aided a man at a resi- dence in the 600 block of Wyatt Avenue at 11:16 p.m. Friday, aided a person at a residence in the 300 block of Home Avenue at 3:37 p.m. Saturday and aided a man at West Lincoln-Broadwell School, 2695 Woodlawn Road, at 3:44 p.m. Saturday.

City fire department rescue per- sonnel also aided a person at an apartment at Maple Ridge Care Centre, 2202 N. Kickapoo St., at 7:42 a.m. Sunday, aided a person at a residence in the 900 block of Sev-

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DEAR ANN LANDERS I would like to get a message across to your younger readers who are considering dropping out of school. Please, kids, don't be foolish and take the easy way out. Get that de- gree, or you will regret it.

I am a 57 year-old former manu- facturing executive with a lovely wife and two grown daughters. I never went to college, but I worked hard, and eventually, invested in my own small business. After 12 years of struggling to get the business off the ground, I failed. I am now out of work and unemployed. I am too old to start at the bottom, and without a college degree, I am not qualified for an executive position. No one will hire me, regardless of my experience.

I have been out of work for two years, but am not giving up. I hope someone will recognize my value and give me a job. Any job. Meanwhile, please pass the word Education CAN make a difference. Keeping the faith in California.

DEAR FAITH-KEEPER Academic credentials are much more im- portant today than they used to be. Bill Gates, head of Microsoft, dropped out of Harvard, but I wouldn't recommend it unless you're a genius like he is.

My advice to young people who want to succeed is, STAY IN

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OBITUARIES

Harold Fink

Harold M. Fink, 86, of Lincoln died at 2:05 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 15, 2000, at the Christian Village Nursing Home.

Mr. Fink farmed 50 years in the Emden area before he retired. He was a former Orvil Township clerk.

He was a former trustee and secretary of St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Emden, and a member of the church's Brotherhood, Elks Lodge No. 914 and the Logan County Farm Bureau.

Mr. Fink attended Harrisburg and Emden schools.

He was born April 22, 1913, in Harrisburg, a son of Harm E. and Anna Rademaker Fink. He married Mary Lou Mills Aug. 10, 1960, in Emden. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Vicki Crane of Delavan and Valerie Alberts of Emden; one stepdaughter, Marsha Langellier of Lincoln; seven grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

A grandson and a brother preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Emden, with the Rev. Darby Lawrence officiating. Burial will be in Harrisburg Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday at

Holland & Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln, and an hour before the services Friday at the church.

Memorials may be made to Camp Griesheim or to the Christian Village.

The Rev. Leland Bear

MASON CITY - Funeral services for the Rev. Leland Bear will be at 1 p.m. Friday at Mason City United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Frank Nessler and the Rev. Daniel Brown officiating. Burial will be in Maple Grove Cemetery, Farmer City.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday at Cain-Hurley Funeral Home, Mason City.

Mr. Bear, 90, of Mason City died at 6:57 p.m. Monday, Feb. 14, 2000, at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield.

A United Methodist minister, he preached for 22 years in Neoga, Sidney, Paris, Stonington and Cullom. He taught for 20 years in Leesee Grove and Golden Valley schools.

Mr. Bear was a member of Mason City United Methodist Church.

He graduated from Eastern Illinois University with a bachelor's degree and from Garret Theological Seminary.

Mr. Bear was a U.S. Army veteran who served in the European Theater of Operations.

He was born June 18, 1909, in Good Hope, a

son of L.P. and Evelyn Livermore Bear. He married Ada M. Page Sept. 5, 1942, in Roberts. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Ronald L. Bear of Harrisburg and James S. Bear of Denver, Colo.; one daughter, Ruth Cohn of Pine Plains, N.Y.; one sister, Janet Wright of Ruston, La.; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

A son, two brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

Memorials may be made to the Preachers Aid Society or to the United Methodist Church.

Thomas Hampton

Thomas A. Hampton, 42, of Lincoln, formerly of Waggoner and Litchfield, died Monday, Feb. 14, 2000, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Hampton was born March 13, 1957, in Litchfield, a son of Charles M. and Velma Callaway Hampton.

Surviving are two aunts, an uncle and four nephews.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday at Hough Funeral Home, Raymond, with the Rev. Charles L. Lee officiating. Burial will be in Mount Moriah Cemetery, Coffeen.

There will be no visitation.

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Junior high musicians will perform

The annual free public winter concert by the wind ensemble and the jazz band at Lincoln Junior High School will be held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the school gym. The bands offer chair seating on a first-come basis.

For the 33rd year, director Keith Zimmerman will lead both groups in the concert. It will be his 860th concert at LJHS.

The wind ensemble will present Caudill's "March of the Blazerteers," "Of Kindred Spirit" by Illinois composer Robert Sheldon, a medley of Broadway show tunes, and Clifton Williams' "Dedicator Overture," commissioned by Evansville College in Indiana.

The Dixieland Band will make its first concert appearance of the year. Members are: Haydn Gerdis, trumpet; Cara Slack, tenor sax; Jared Johnson, tuba; Mike Kasa, trombone; Bryce Ingmire, piano; Nathan Whiteman, drums; and Keith Zimmerman, clarinet.

The Jazz Band's program will feature over a third of the band in solos.

Soloists Haydn Gerdis, Cara Slack and Mike Kasa won outstanding soloist awards at the recent 25th annual Illinois Wesleyan Jazz Festival where the band played in its traditional festival opening time slot for the 25th year.

For the winter concert, the band will perform Duke Ellington's "Satin Doll," George Gershwin's "Summertime," and a variety of swing, gospel, and New Orleans style tunes.

Zion school principal will leave

Robert Boyd, principal and teacher at Zion Lutheran School in Lincoln nine years, has accepted the principal's position at Concordia Lutheran School in Fort Wayne, Ind., effective next school year.

Boyd notified parents of his decision in a letter Friday.

He also teaches subjects in fifth-through eighth grades at Zion, where his wife Becky is the fifth-grade teacher.

Mrs. Boyd will seek a teaching position in Fort Wayne.

Zion Lutheran School in Lincoln has 200 students.

WEATHER

Lincoln data

Tuesday's high 50
Overnight low 30
Record high 64 in 1921
Record low -9 in 1958
Sunset today 5:34
Sunrise Thursday 6:49

Precipitation

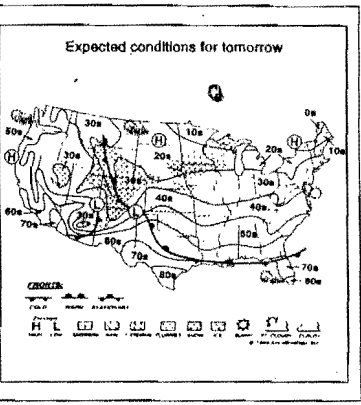
To 7 a.m. today 0
Probabilities tonight 0
Probabilities Thursday 60

Local Forecast

Increasing cloudiness tonight with a chance of snow by daybreak, low in the mid-20s with northeast wind around 10 mph. Snow likely Thursday, possibly heavy at times, high in the low 30s with east wind 10 to 20 mph, low in the 20s.

Extended Forecast

A chance of rain or snow Friday, high in the mid-30s, low around 30. Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday, highs in the low to mid-40s, low around 20.



MARKETS

Stocks (Courtesy Edward Jones Investments)

Cat.	39 7/16
Gen. Tel.	65 1/8
EK	58 1/8
PPG	52 3/4
Lincoln Ind.	2 1/16
GE	135 1/8
Consolidated	9 13/16
Gen. Mills	31 3/4
Wendys's Int'l Inc.	11 3/8
Tenneco	7 15/16
Eaton Corp.	64 3/4
Walgreens	28
McDonald's	33 1/2
Anheuser-Busch	62 13/16
Pepsi	34 9/16
Gold	301 5/8
Silver	5 2/4
Bank of Montreal	31 3/16
Wal-Mart	54 1/2
Dollar Gen.	19 3/4
CNE Global NV	11 15/16
Robie C	33 1/8
Vitamonde	38 1/8
Kroger	16 13/16
Danier's Chrysler A/G	64 1/2
Pennay's	16 11/16
Deere&Co.	40 3/4
Citigroup	53 1/2
Ford Motor Co.	45 7/8
CVS Corp. Delaw.	39
United Parcel	54 5/8
Teaching Tech CP	64 1/4
Cofl.	9 5/8
GM	74 3/4
Coca-Cola	53 7/8
PepsiCo	34 3/4
IBM	116 1/2
Ag-Chem	9 1/2
Amoco	48 5/16
Union Planters	29 13/16
Cisco Systems	127 7/16

Grain futures (Courtesy Elkhart Grain Co.)

March	2 21/32	dn 1/2
May	2 30/114	dn 3/4
Jul.	2 38	dn 1/2
Soybeans		
Mar.	5 05/34	dn 3
May	5 15/14	dn 2 1/2
Jul.	5 24	dn 2 3/4
Wheat		
Mar.	2 85/17	dn 1/2

Commodities

Sows: Light weights are 50 lower, medium and heavy weights are steady.

1-3 300-400 lb. 38.00, 400-500 lb. 34.00, 500-700 lb. 40.00-42.00

Boars: Over 300 lb. 12.00, under 300 lb. 23.00

Interior livestock

SPRINGFIELD (AP) - Feeds high in excess of 85 are steady to 75 lower.

55-56 9 pl 50 25-56 18 53-54 9 pl 47 25 55 90 51 52 9 pl (1) 43 75 55 90 49 50 9 pl 42 75 54 29 47 48 8 pl 39 75 54 38

Sows: Are mostly steady, 1-2 300-400 lbs. 27.00-32.00, 400-500 lbs. 30.00-34.00, 500-600 lbs. 36.00-39.00, low over 600 lbs. 40.00-41.00

Boars: Under 300 lbs. 27.00-25.00, over 300 lbs. mostly 10.00-12.00

Board of Trade

CHICAGO (AP) - Soybean futures prices continued to climb in early trading today on the Chicago Board of Trade, buoyed by reports China may have bought up to 500,000 tons of soybeans from the United States in the past week.

Prices had fallen in early trading Tuesday on news of denouncing rain in key soybean growing regions of Brazil, but turned upward by the close of trade on news of a potential deal with China.

Forecasts calling for more rain in South America later this week limited soybean futures' climb.

Wheat futures prices also were pulled higher by the rise in soybean futures. Corn prices could see pressure by the end of trading if a storm moving across the U.S. plains and Midwest produces heavy precipitation.

Wheat opened higher on a technical recovery from Tuesday's lower close.

Wheat for March delivery rose 2 cents to \$2.08 a bushel, March soybeans rose 1 cent to \$2.23 1/4. May contracts rose 1/4 cent to \$1.15 1/4 a bushel, and March soybeans rose 2 1/4 cents to \$5.11 1/2 a bushel.

Beef and pork futures prices were higher in early trading today on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange.

April live cattle rose 1 cent to 70.00 cents a pound, March feeder cattle rose 1 cent to 83.05 cents a pound, April lean hogs rose 1 cent to 57.05 cents a pound, and March pork futures rose 2 1/8 cents to 85.50 cents a pound.

Wall Street at noon

NEW YORK (AP) - Stocks were mixed today as a jolt of strong corporate profit reports helped technology stocks edge back from a recent slump but blue chips fell.

In midday trading on Wall Street, the Dow Jones industrial average was down 45 3/8 at 10,079 1/2.

Broadest stock indicators were mixed. The Standard & Poor's 500 index was down 6.21 at 1,285.04, and the high-tech-dominated Nasdaq composite index was up 16.07 at 4,436.84.

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The semi was moved and the trailer, which had been attached to the tractor, had been taken and a window in the cab was broken and a television and citizens band radio was missing.

The trailer contained washing compounds, had Iowa plate and Heartland Express detailed on the side.

Anyone with information concerning this incident or any other crime in Lincoln or Logan County should call CrimeStoppers at 732-3000. The information will be kept confidential and the identity of the caller will remain anonymous.

If the information leads to the arrest of the person involved, CrimeStoppers will pay up to \$1,500 cash reward.

An answering machine takes CrimeStoppers calls to protect those who wish to remain anonymous.

Dance battery

Lincoln police arrested Brooke L. Buckles, 18, of Mount Pulaski at 12:53 a.m. today on a charge of battery at Lincoln College. Buckles allegedly struck another girl during a scuffle at a school dance. She was released on bond.

DUI

Logan County police charged Jerry Skelton,

28, 1102 N. Postville Drive, on a charge of driving while under the influence at the 900 block of Woodlawn Road 11:33 p.m. Thursday. He was also cited for improper lane usage; he was released on bond.

Overtaken

Nancy R. Hall, 47, of Bloomington, overturned her car driving at the intersection of 1550th Street and 700 Avenue at 12:30 a.m. today. Hall told police she slammed on the brakes after seeing a caution sign for a curve ahead. Logan County police did not issue a ticket, and there was no injury.

Traffic stop

Logan County police cited Michele Faulkner, 28, 560-14th St. on charges of driving too fast for conditions and driving under the influence. The citation was given at 4:25 p.m. Feb. 12, but the information was released today.

Illegal consumption

Lincoln police cited Christopher Bauer, 19, 1119 6th St. for illegal consumption of alcohol at 918 Woodlawn apt. 4 at 10:36 p.m. Thursday.

Traffic stop

Paul C. Gilkeson, 31, of 21 Community Drive, was ticketed at Lincoln Parkway and Union Street by Lincoln police on a charge of driving an uninsured motor vehicle, and having a suspended revoked driver's license at 1:38 a.m. today.

Backup accident

Allen T. Calvin, 51, of Clinton backed into the car of Jeffrey E. Kerr, 46, of Springfield at a parking space on Woodlawn Road at 10:09 a.m.

Thursday. Kerr's car was undamaged; no tickets were given.

Accident

Lincoln police ticketed Mary C. Simons, 79, 1539 E. Delavan St., with failure to reduce speed when she hit the car of Mildred Edgmon, 79, 1227 Delavan St. at 12:45 p.m. Wednesday. Simons said she wasn't paying attention when she hit Edgmon's car at a stop sign in the intersection of Broadway and Butler Street.

Fire calls

Lincoln firefighters investigated a firecracker explosion at 3:57 p.m. Thursday in the 1000 Block of Broadway. The firework ignited in the street and no means were needed to put out the firework.

Lincoln firefighters investigated a leak on a street in the J700 block of Fifth Street at 3:45 p.m. Thursday. No fire was ignited.

Rescue runs

Lincoln firefighters aided a person at 4:38 p.m. Thursday for an emergency medical call in the 1000 block of North College Street. Firefighters aided a woman in the 1200 Block of Richland Avenue at 2:40 p.m. Thursday for an emergency medical call.

Firefighters extracted a woman from her car in the 1200 Block of Eighth Street at 3:45 p.m. Thursday.

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 (Courtesy Edward Jones Investments)

AFS	RR 9.16
Cal	27.56
Gen Tel	62.14
EK	62.16
PPG	51.38
Terre Ind	7.3.16
GE	129
Consolidated	10
Gen Mills	32.1.16
Wendys Int'l Inc	17.1.16
Fernoco	7.1.8
Easton Corp	63.1.2
Walgreens	26.1.16
McDonalds	32.1.16
Anheuser Busch	64.5.8
Pfizer	13.3.16
Gold	302.40
Silver	4.22
Bank of Montreal	31.13.16
Wal Mart	48.3.4
Dollar Gen	18.1.4
CNH Global NV	11.15.16
Bose C	11.15.16
Williams-S.	35.5.8
Kroger	15.3.8
Daimler Chrysler A G	63.13.16
Penny's	16.1.2
Deere&Co	39.5.16
Cingular	57.7.16
Ford Motor Co	44.9.16
CVS Corp Celaw	38.5.16
United Parcel	58.7.16
Tanning Tech CP	62.1.14
Chil	9.13.16
GM	24.3.8
Coca-Cola	52.1.16
PepsiCo	34.3.8
IBM	115.1.16
Ag Chem	9.3.4
Amoco	47.5.16
Union Planters	29.1.16
Cisco Systems	129.11.16

Grain futures
 (Courtesy Elkhart Grain Co.)

Corn		
March	2.2012	dl 3.4
May	2.29.14	dl 1.2
Jul	2.37.34	dl 1.4
Soybeans		
Mar	5.11.34	dl 3.4
May	5.21	dl 3.4
Jul	5.30.4	dl 4
Wheat		
Mar	2.62	dl 1.2
Jul	2.84.12	dl 1.2

Peoria livestock
 PEORIA (AP) - Hog: 510 Feeding most readily active, barrows and gilts are steady.
 1-2 230-260 lbs. 40.00-40.50 2-1 260-280 lbs. 38.00-40.00
 Sows: All weights are steady.
 1-3 300-400 lbs. 31.00-40.50 lbs. 34.00
 500-700 lbs. 40.00-42.00
 Bows: Over 300 lbs. 12.00, under 300 lbs. 30.00
 Cattle: Trading is moderate. Choice steers for steers and heifers: 50 higher. Cows up steady.
 Steers: 2-3 1050-1350 lbs. 67.50-68.00
 1050-1250 lbs. 65.00-66.50, 1000-1200 lbs. 60.00-62.00
 Heifers: 1000-1200 lbs. 67.50-68.00
 1200 lbs. 65.00-66.50 900-1100 lbs. 60.00-62.00
 Cows (all grades): 27.00-30.00 (all cows) 22.00 and down, low high yield 30.00-31.00

Interior livestock
 SPRINGFIELD (AP) - Lean hog carcasses are up 68 to 1.00 higher.
 25-55 9 pl 51.75-51.25 53.14 0 pl 48.25 56.94 51-52 0 pl 11345 25 56.94 49 50 0 pl 44 25-55 30 47 48 8 pl 41 25 52 97

WEATHER

Lincoln data

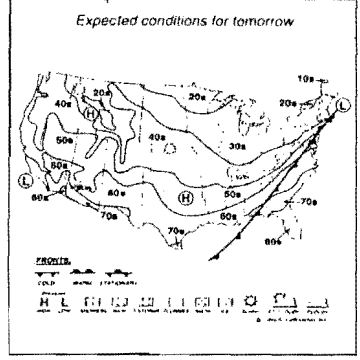
Thursday's high	40
Overtight low	32
Record high	63 in 1913
Record low	14 in 1936
Sunset today	5:36
Sunrise Saturday	6:46

Precipitation

To 7 a.m. today	86(rain)
Probabilities tonight	0
Probabilities Saturday	0

Local Forecast
 Mostly cloudy tonight, low in the mid-20s with north wind 10 to 20 mph. Mostly cloudy Saturday, with partial clearing in the afternoon, high in the mid-30s with north wind 5 to 10 mph.

Extended Forecast
 Partly cloudy daily Sunday through Tuesday, highs in the low to mid 40s, lows in the mid-20s to mid-30s.



OBITUARIES

Ralph 'Whitey' Jarrell

HARTSBURG - Ralph "Whitey" Jarrell, 72, of Hartsburg died at 9:29 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 17, 2000, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital in Lincoln.

Mr. Jarrell worked at Caterpillar in East Peoria for 28 years. He retired in 1988.

He was a Methodist and a member of Eagles Lodge No. 2708 in Lincoln.

Mr. Jarrell was a U.S. Army veteran who served during World War II.

He was born June 4, 1928, in Logan County, a son of William James and Katherine Margaret Werkman Jarrell. He married Joyce Burkes Dec. 10, 1950, in Lincoln. She survives.

Also surviving are three daughters, Vicki Hilton of Hartsburg, Mucella Davis of Richmond, Ky., and Sheila Lanier of Chestnut, one son, Rick Jarrell of Taylorville; two sisters, Della Brewer and Lura Jarrell, both of Springfield; seven grandchildren; and one great grandchild.

Two brothers preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at Holman & Bantz Funeral Home, Lincoln, with the Rev. Larry Maffett officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery, Lincoln.

Visitation will be an hour before the service. Memorials may be made to the Hartsburg Rescue Squad.

Marietta Ackman

Marietta R. Ackman, 74, of Rushville, mother of a Lincoln man, died at 8:48 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 16, 2000, at St. John's Hospital, Springfield.

Mrs. Ackman worked at Jerry's Town & Country Lumber in Rushville from 1968 until she retired in 1990.

She was named Rushville Area Chamber of Commerce Secretary of the Year in 1984. She and her husband were active in Rushville Little League and the

Schuyler Athletic Association

Mrs. Ackman was a member of First United Methodist Church of Rushville, Schuyler American Legion Auxiliary Unit No. 4, and was a past president of the Rushville Business and Professional Women's Club.

She was born July 6, 1925, in Schuyler County, a daughter of Frank and Minnie Knous Rohn. She married Robert Ackman April 11, 1944, in Rushville. He died Jan. 1, 1998.

Surviving are three sons, Don Ackman and Job Ackman, both of Rushville, and Tom Ackman of Lincoln, one sister, Elaine Fulk of Rushville, 11 grandchildren, and eight great grandchildren.

Three brothers and a sister also preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Worthington Funeral Home, Rushville, with the Rev. Scott Henley officiating. Burial will be in Rushville City Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Worthington Funeral Home, Rushville.

Memorials may be made to her church.

Danny Jennings

MASON CITY - Danny Robert Jennings, 48, of Springfield, formerly of Mason City, died at 8:56 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 16, 2000, at his residence.

He was born Dec. 12, 1954, in Springfield, a son of Robert and Doris Snyder Jennings.

Surviving are two brothers, Randy Jennings and Larry Jennings, both of San Jose, and two sisters, Judy McGinnis of Mason City and Linda Winkelman of Mount Pleasant.

His parents and a brother preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Cam Thelley Funeral Home, Mason City, with the Rev. Daniel Brown officiating. Burial will be in Mason City Cemetery.

Visitation will be an hour before the service.

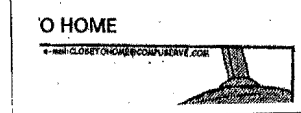
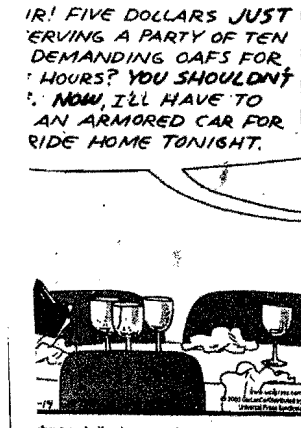
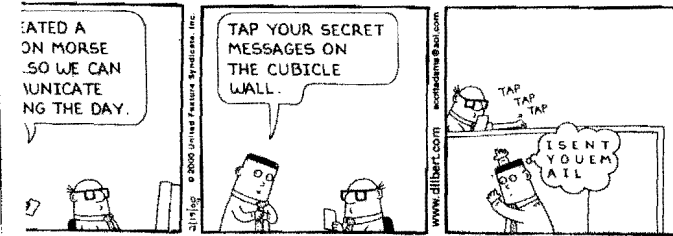
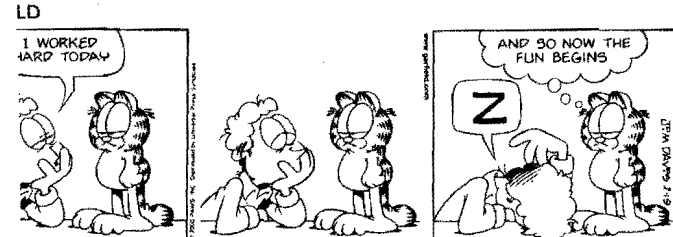
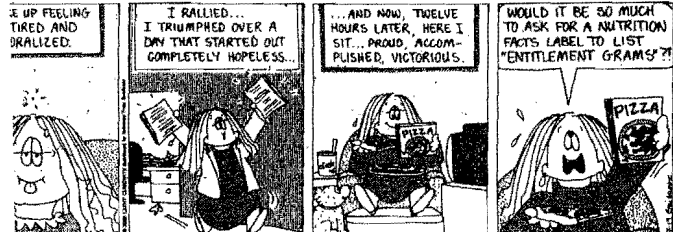
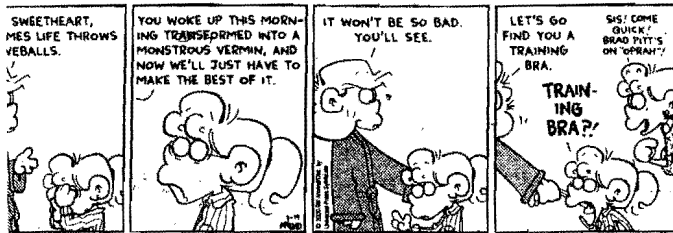
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OBITUARIES

Wanda Gardner
Wanda Gardner, 85, of Lincoln died at 3:55 p.m. Friday, Feb. 18, 2000, at Maple Ridge Care Centre.

Holland & Barry Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

Barbara Mae Kane
Barbara Mae Kane, 75, of Lincoln died at 10 a.m. Friday, Feb. 18, 2000, at the Christian Village.

She was a member of Lincoln Christian Church and the church's adult choir.



She was born Nov. 1, 1924, in Springfield, a daughter of Philo B. and Mildred P. York Kane.

Surviving are two brothers, Philo B. Kane Jr. of Scottsdale, Ariz., and Vancil Y. Kane of Lewes, Del.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Lincoln Christian Church, with Tom Gerds officiating. Burial will be in Oak Ridge Cemetery, Springfield.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Monday at Fricke-Calvert-Schradler Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Memorials may be made to the Christian Village.

Priest faces Internet sex allegations

RACINE, Wis.—An Illinois priest accused Friday of trying to arrange a sexual encounter with a minor via the Internet faces multiple charges, including attempted second-degree sexual assault and child enticement.

The Rev. John M. Furdek, 47, of Villa Park, Ill., who allegedly used a computer name of "MusclePosing73," was arrested Thursday in Racine by the state Justice Department's Division of Criminal Investigation and the Racine County Sheriff's Department.

Computer messages exchanged by the priest and an undercover DCI agent posing as a 14-year-old boy indicated the man wanted to have sex with the child and traveled to Racine for that purpose.

Authorities identified Furdek as the pastor of St. Alexander's Catholic Church in Villa Park.

A computer and videotapes were confiscated from his residence on parish property after Villa Park police executed a search warrant there Friday.

According to the complaint, the undercover agent had told the defendant in their computer conversations that he did a lot of weight-lifting, and Furdek had offered to bring steroids that the teen could buy for \$75.

Racine County sheriff's deputies reported finding anabolic steroids and less than five grams of marijuana in his car.

Furdek was charged with possession of anabolic steroids with the intent to deliver, possession of marijuana, attempted second-degree sexual assault of a child, solicitation of a child, attempted

WEATHER

Lincoln data

Friday's high	40
Overnight low	32
Record high	71 in 1930
Record low	7 in 1979
Sunrise today	5:37
Sunrise Saturday	6:45

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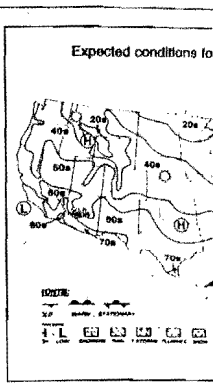
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Local Forecast

Mostly cloudy today, with partial clearing in the afternoon, high in the mid-30s with north wind 5 to 10 mph. Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday, low tonight in the mid-20s, high Sunday in the low 40s.

Extended Forecast

Partly cloudy daily Monday through Wednesday, highs in the low to mid-40s, lows in the mid-20s to mid-30s.



ON THE RECORD

Court records For the week ending Feb. 19

■ Steven A. Baker, 23, of San Jose. Found guilty for a felony of obstructing justice on Oct. 29. Sentenced to 30 months probation, a \$500 fine and 30 days in the Logan County Jail.

■ Darryl E. Bigham, 40, of Chester. Found guilty of felony unlawful possession of a controlled substance on March 8, 1999. Sentenced to 24 months probation, \$1,000 fine. Street value of \$100.

■ Samuel J. Clenin, 27, of California, Mo. Found guilty for a felony committed on Jan. 15, 1999. Count one, unlawful possession of a controlled substance and count two, unlawful chemical breakdown of an illicit controlled substance. Sentenced to two years in prison on count one. Count two dismissed.

■ Charles Z. Decker, 17, of Centralia. Found guilty for a felony of unlawful possession of a controlled substance, marijuana on Oct. 27. Sentenced to 24 months probation and a \$1,000 fine. Street value of \$100. A second count was dismissed.

■ Lakeda R. Harris, 24, of Springfield. Found guilty for a Nov. 13 incident. For burglary and retail theft. Sentenced to 30 months probation and 30 days in the Logan County Jail on the burglary count. The retail theft charge was dismissed.

■ Orshanda Jones, 22, of Springfield. Found guilty of felonies committed on Nov. 13 of count one, burglary and count two, retail theft. A third count of obstructing justice was dismissed. Sentenced to 30 months probation and 30 days in the Logan County Jail.

■ Duane E. Martin, 20, of 412 Delavan St. Found guilty of felonies committed on Nov. 23. Counts one and two of residential burglary. He was sentenced to concurrent eight-year sentences on each count. A third count of unlawful possession of burglary tools was dismissed.

■ Teresa Reebie, 33, of 319 N. Butler St. Found guilty on two felony counts for forgery Aug. 11 and 12. Sentenced to 30 months probation, a \$500 fine, restitution of \$170 and eight days in the Logan County Jail.

■ Danny Smith, 41, of Galva. Found guilty for a felony of failure to report as a sex offender on July 10. Sentenced to 18 months in prison.

inal sexual assault, dismissed. Sentenced on counts two and three, aggravated criminal sexual abuse, to concurrent 14-year prison terms.

■ Robert M. Steele, 35, of Centralia. Found guilty of two counts of forgery. Sentenced to concurrent four-year prison terms.

■ Wayne S. Turner, 28, of 107 S. Monroe St. Found guilty on two felony counts, theft and domestic battery. On count two, sentenced to 30 months probation and 30 days in Logan County Jail.

■ Julia M. Williams, 27, of Quincy. Found guilty on two counts, unlawful possession of marijuana with intent to deliver and unlawful possession of marijuana on July 1. Sentenced to 36 months probation, a \$1,000 fine. Street value of drugs, \$4,652. The second count was dismissed.

■ Octavious R. Wilson, 22, of Chicago. Found guilty of five counts, felonies of unlawful possession with intent to deliver marijuana, unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia, unlawful possession of a controlled substance, unlawful possession of a controlled substance. All felony offenses Oct. 18. Sentenced to 24 months probation and 60 days in Logan County Jail. The street value of drugs is \$196.

■ Shawn R. Wilson, 29, of Chicago. Found guilty of two counts, felonies of unlawful possession with intent to deliver marijuana and unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia. Sentenced to 24-month probation for first count. Count two dismissed. The street value of drugs is \$196.

■ Bradley R. Wood, 19, of Pittsfield. Found guilty on count three, unlawful use of a license. Charges of unlawful possession of controlled substance and consumption of alcohol. Sentenced to a \$500 fine and 18 months court supervision. Counts one and two dismissed.

Licensed to wed

Miguel Angel Oguendo of Lincoln and Jeanette Marie Arcocho of Chicago.

Michael William Girdler and Rita Ann Atchison, both of Lincoln.

Adrian Christopher Markee and Danielle Lavonne Kelsey, both of Greenville.

Jerry Dale Anderson and Candy Renee Weiss, both of Lincoln.

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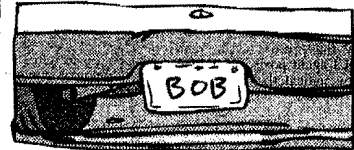
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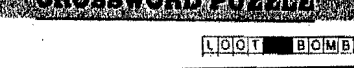


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HE RECORD

Hit and run
Chery A. Hendrick, 41, 446 10th St., told police at 1:25 p.m. Monday that her car was hit at the intersection of 10th and Elm streets while stopped at a stop sign. A red car hit the driver's side of the car and drove off.

Failure to appear
Michelle R. Quisenberry, 29, 1110 Pekin St., was arrested for a Logan County warrant for failure to appear in court at 7:36 p.m. Monday in her residence. She was released after posting bond.

Failure to appear
Martha Falcon, 32, 715 Monroe St., was arrested on the 100 block of Sangamon Street at 11:20 a.m. Thursday on a Logan County warrant for failure to appear in court. She was released after posting bond.

Failure to appear
Heather L. Helton, 18, 512 N. Madison St., turned herself in on a warrant charging her with failure to appear in court at 7:28 p.m. Monday. She was released after posting bond.

Failure to appear
Logan County Police arrested Joyce E. Rankin, 45, 2305 Raittsplitter, No. 1, at her residence at 3:11 p.m. Monday on a warrant for failing to appear in court. She was released after posting bond.

Warrant
Melissa M. Henry, 20, 12 Community Drive, was arrested on a warrant at 4:55 a.m. Saturday at her residence. She was released on bond.

Fire calls
Car fire
Lincoln firefighters extinguished a car fire on the 800 Block of Eighth Street at 2:59 p.m. Saturday. The fire started from a short circuit and the estimated damage is \$2,500.

False alarm
Lincoln firefighters investigated a system malfunction or false alarm at 4:50 p.m. Monday on the 600 block of Short 11th Street.

Rescue runs
Woman falls
Lincoln firefighters rescued an elderly woman who passed out on the gymnasium floor in Lincoln Community High School, 925 Primm Road, at 7 p.m. Saturday.

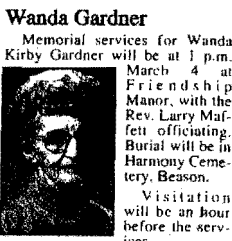
Firefighters also aided a woman at 1:26 p.m. Friday on the Block of 600 North Jefferson Street.

A person was aided at Willamette Industries, 101 S. Lincoln Parkway, with an emergency medical call at 4:08 p.m. Friday.

- School menus**
For Wednesday
- Atlanta Elementary breakfast - Sausage gravy over biscuit; assorted juices
 - Illini Central breakfast - French toast sticks, fresh fruit or juice
 - Lincoln Elementary breakfast - Oatmeal, toast fruit
 - Aftana Elementary - Sausage pizza, corn, peaches, vanilla wafers
 - Carroll Catholic School - Chicken and noodles, cheese sticks, green beans, peaches
 - Chester-East Lincoln - Ham slice, corn, pineapple upside cake
 - Elkhart - Taco bowl, corn, peaches
 - Hartnett Schools - Assorted sandwich corn, banana, Jell-O
 - Illini Central - Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas
 - Lincoln Community High School - Creamed turkey, biscuit, whipped potatoes, peas, peach cup or bread bowl
 - Lincoln Elementary - Tacos, corn, tortilla chips, peaches
 - Little Lambs Day Care Center - Tater-tot casserole, mixed vegetables, peaches
 - Mount Pulaski Elementary - Chicken nuggets, mixed vegetables, Jell-O
 - Mount Pulaski High School - Pizza, lettuce salad, fruit cup, chocolate no-bake cookies
 - New Holland-Middletown - Chili, toasted cheese, mandarin oranges, Rice Krispie treat
 - Olympia Middle/High School - Pizza Hut pizza or beef stew on biscuit, corn, assorted fruit, and vanilla wafers
 - Warrensburg-Latham Schools - Chicken and noodles, green beans, Jell-O with fruit
 - West Lincoln Broadwell - Pepperoni pizza, potato chips, vegetable tray with dip, fruit cup
 - Zion Lutheran School - Creamed turkey, biscuit, whipped potatoes, peas-peach cup

Wanda Gardner
Memorial services for Wanda Kirby Gardner will be at 1 p.m. March 4 at Friendship Manor, with the Rev. Larry Maffett officiating. Burial will be in Harmony Cemetery, Beason.

OBITUARIES



Mrs. Gardner
Mrs. Gardner, 85, of Lincoln died at 3:55 p.m. Friday, Feb. 18, 2000, at Maple Ridge Care Centre.

An author, she sought to inspire children to become writers. She was a member of the Illinois Poetry Society. Her art work won statewide recognition and numerous Logan County Fair awards.

She was a charter member of Beason Homemakers Extension Association and a member of Beason United Methodist Church, the church's Kum Join Us Class, Toastmasters and the Past President's Club of the Women's Club of Logan County.

She also was a former member of Abraham Lincoln Chapter, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. Gardner attended Deaconess Nursing School for two years.

She was born July 25, 1914, in Clinton, a daughter of Irvin and Saunnie Pearl Byerly Kirby. She married John P. Gardner Feb. 22, 1935, in Decatur. He died March 1, 1998.

Survivors include two daughters, Mary Jo Gardner and Martha R. Gosda, both of Lincoln; two sons, Thomas L. Gardner of Springfield and John W. "Bill" Gardner of Lincoln; three sisters, Nona Hunt of Booneville, Mo., and Ruth Brady of Fort Myers, Fla.; six grandchildren; and four great grandchildren.

Three brothers and four sisters preceded her in death.

Memorials may be made to her church or to Hospice Care of Illinois.

Holland & Barry Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Government wants ruling against Microsoft

WASHINGTON — The government urged a judge today to rule that Microsoft Corp. violated the nation's antitrust laws by wielding its enormous influence in the technology industry to crush competitors and potential rivals.

Government lawyers repeatedly cited findings last year by U.S. District Judge Thomas Penfield Jackson that Microsoft had abused its monopoly power and hurt consumers, and they repeated a list of complaints they lodged against the software giant during a lengthy trial.

"Try to imagine the Supreme Court finding that any of those cases do not violate the federal antitrust laws," said David Boies, the lead trial lawyer in the ease for the Justice Department.

Boies said Microsoft "used its monopoly power to induce, threaten, bribe and coerce" customers from doing business with rivals, including the former Netscape Communications Corp.

Today's final round of arguments in the trial suggests that settlement talks are going poorly.



Opal Bree
SAN JOSE -- Funeral services for Opal Ruth Bree will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Cain-Hurley Funeral Home, Mason City, with the Rev. Daniel Brown officiating. Burial will be in Green Hill Cemetery, San Jose.

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

Mrs. Bree, 82, of Horseshoe Bend, Ark., formerly of San Jose, died at 9:47 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 20, 2000, at Eagle Crest Nursing and Rehabilitation, Ash Flat, Ark.

She was a homemaker and was a member of the San Jose United Methodist Church.

She was born March 14, 1917, in Mason City, a daughter of Lloyd Earl and Daisy Price Taylor. She married Roy Harold Bree Aug. 2, 1936, in Peoria. He preceded her in death.

Survivors include two sons, Kenneth Bree of Orlando, Fla., and Raymond Bree of Lincoln, three daughters, Elaine Singleton of Loves Park, Shirley Miller of Horseshoe Bend and Ruth Ann Sparks of Lincoln; 10 grandchildren; 17 great grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

A brother and a sister also preceded her in death.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

This obituary is re-run to correct errors in Monday's announcement. The Courier regrets the errors.

Genadean Ingram

Genadean Ingram, 42, of Lincoln died at 11:28 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 20, 2000, at St. John's Hospital, Springfield. She had been ill.

She was a Protestant.

She was born Nov. 20, 1957, in Lincoln, a daughter of Donald Dean and Geneva Spurling Ingram.

Surviving are her mother of Lincoln; one son, Travis Dean Ingram of Lincoln; two brothers, Mark Steven Ingram and Dennis Ray Ingram, both of Lincoln; and one grandson.

Her father and one brother preceded her in death.

Holland & Barry Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Memorial services will be at

10:30 a.m. Thursday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Ray Hudson officiating.

Visitation will be an hour before the service.

Memorials may be made to St. John's Hospice, 800 E. Carpenter St., Springfield, 62769.

Joseph Mittelstadt

MOUNT PULASKI - Joseph J. Mittelstadt, 92, of Mount Pulaski died at 3:20 p.m. Monday, Feb. 21, 2000, at Vonderlieth Living Center, Mount Pulaski.

Mr. Mittelstadt owned Mittelstadt Supply Co. Service Station and Equipment in Davenport, Iowa.

He was a founding member of Gethsemane Lutheran Church in Davenport.

He was born Feb. 23, 1907, in Mount Pulaski, a son of Joseph and Mathilda Yagow Mittelstadt. He married Vera M. Maurer March 24, 1931, in Pontiac. She survives.

Also surviving are one son, Robert David Mittelstadt of Florham Park, N.J.; one sister, Ruby Schald of Mount Pulaski; and one grandchild.

A daughter, a granddaughter, three brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at noon Thursday at Fricke-Calvert-Schraeder Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, with the Rev. Robert Krueger officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be an hour before the services.

Memorials may be made to Vonderlieth Living Center or to Gethsemane Lutheran Church, Davenport, Iowa.

Mathew Dabbs

Mathew Dean Dabbs, newborn son of Kevin Dean and Terry Melton Dabbs of Lincoln, died Saturday, Feb. 12, 2000, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Surviving are his parents, a brother, Christopher Dabbs, and a sister, Jessica Dabbs, both at home, and his paternal grandmother, Nancy Dabbs of Lincoln.

His maternal grandparents and his paternal grandfather preceded him in death.

Private graveside services will be Thursday in Zion Cemetery.

Holland & Barry Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

McCain, B

By GLEN JOHNSON
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

DETROIT — As voters went to the polls today in Michigan and Arizona, Sen. John McCain and Gov. George W. Bush traded fresh charges of negative campaigning over telephone calls using inflammatory religious attacks.

Bush accused his opponent of using calls to falsely paint him as anti-Catholic; McCain complained about calls implying his national campaign chairman is a bigot who dislikes religious conservatives.

Both campaigns denied responsibility for the recorded phone calls to Michigan voters.

Bush acknowledged the race in Michigan was close, saying "That's why I'm still here in the state working hard to turn out the vote." McCain was voting in his home state of Arizona this morning.

As the state's heavily Catholic population went to the polls, Bush blasted the phone calls and noted that his brother, Florida Gov. Jeb Bush, is Catholic, as is Michigan Gov. John Engler, who threw his considerable support behind Bush's get-out-the-vote effort and appeared with him at Jimi's Restaurant in Royal Oak.

"Mr. McCain's making phone calls in this state accusing me of being an anti-Catholic bigot, and I don't appreciate it," Bush said. His campaign released a tape of the phone call, in which a male voice criticizes Bush for appearing at Bob Jones University, whose past president called the Catholic Church "a satanic cult."

McCain spokesman Howard Opinsky said the



Sore feet

After walking three miles in moccasins, Revolt re-enactors Ryan Joslin, left, of Nashville, Ind., a of Bloomfield, Ind., give their feet a much needed day in Vincennes, Ind. More than 30 re-enactors, Indiana, Kentucky, and Tennessee recreating Rogers Clark's march to take Fort Sackville, not from the British on Feb. 25, 1779.

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Justice towards those of us who snack on our own calcium?

I thought I had States Attorney Bill Workman over the barrel when I talked to one of my good clients on Ninth Street, Kitty Pilszar told me Workman visited her home last week, campaigning for re-election. Her normally docile dog, who of course just loves me, went ballistic when Workman came to her door. I was all prepared to ask Workman what that dog knows that voters do not know about him, when Kitty told me the rest of the story.

It seems her dog, Thomas, is a Democrat and once was sued by a malicious female poodle for child support. Under those circumstances the dog's reactions to a Republican lawyer can only be construed as self-serving. The dog no doubt is waiting at the door for Workman's challenger, Tim Huyett, to visit so he may have an opportunity to snack on that Republican lawyer's leg as well.

I have many questions ready for our candidates but would certainly appreciate any thoughts you may have about possible inquiries to any of them. If you have something you feel needs to be asked of a candidate, give me a call or drop me a note. I am always receptive to a good idea, or question.

Just remember this debate is going to be in front of a live audience and sent out on the airwaves to millions of interested Americans, so keep the questions appropriate and in a language your mothers would approve of.

There: I feel better I just had some fun and I hope you did, too. Saturday we all can be back to work refreshed and ready to delve into reality once more.

Guest columnist Mike Fak lives and is self-employed in Lincoln.

POLICY

Forum

The Courier welcomes Letterbox contributions. The space is available to readers without charge. Please limit letters to about 200 words (five to six paragraphs).

Only signed letters will be published. Include a return address and telephone number so we can verify the author.

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

Political endorsements

Letters endorsing political candidates are subject to the above criteria. In the interest of fairness, the newspaper also will maintain a balance between candidates in the number of letters that appear.

Endorsement letters for the March 21 election will not be accepted at the newspaper after March 13.

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

Send letters or guest columns to: Managing editor, The Courier, 601 Pulaski St., Lincoln 62656, by fax to 732-7039 or e-mail us at courier@lincolncourier.com.

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attend band rehearsals and concerts. She takes pride in her accomplishments and even spends as much time in the band room as she can.

I hope that the administration at District 27 will do all it can to keep this dedicated educator on staff for many years to come. Failing that, my wish is that it can hire someone who is able to carry on the musical tradition that has been developed during the past three decades at Lincoln Junior High School.

Bob Mielke
Lincoln

Bill Workman is a pleasure to work with

To the editor:

I have been a deputy circuit clerk in the Logan County Circuit Clerk's office for 21 years. In that capacity I work on a daily basis with the state's attorney and his staff.

We currently have a state's attorney in whom our confidence and trust is well placed. Bill Workman is a hard-working public servant. He quietly, diligently and effectively does his job of prosecuting criminals each day. He does not do it for fanfare or public notoriety. He simply believes in what he is doing. Those who work with him appreciate his honesty and straight-forward manner, which makes for a very positive working relationship.

Truce beat Hit a road sign

Logan County police ticketed James Allen, 24, of Latham at 11 p.m. Friday for allegedly driving too fast for conditions, failure to report an accident and disobeying a control sign when he slid through the intersection of 2400 Avenue and 100 Street, hitting a road sign.

Bumper damaged

Lincoln police responded to a report of a damaged bumper in the parking lot of Abraham Lincoln Medical Hospital at 9:45 a.m. Monday.

Mohammed Sheikh, 37, 1750th Fifth St., told police he discovered his bumper damaged when he left the hospital.

Missed the dog, but ...

Lincoln police reported an accident at 11:32 p.m. Sunday, when Susan M. Lewis, 18, 542 Third St., hit a post at Third and Maple streets while trying to avoid a dog, the police report said.

Backup accident

Lincoln police reported at 12:30 p.m. Friday that Joshua D. Riggs, 211 Thompson Drive, backed into the car of Natalie N. Ogden, 17, of Delavan in the Burger King parking lot, 1503 Woodlawn Road.

Backup accident

Lincoln police reported at 12:10 p.m. Saturday an accident in the APAC Teleservices parking lot, 2500 Woodlawn Road. A car driven by Holli C. Smith, 20, 300 Kickapoo St., hit the car of Melissa Story, 16, 350 Northgate, while she was backing out of a space.

The report said Story's car pulled up behind Smith's car.

No suspended accident

Cheryl R. Roach, 25, 611 N. Sangamon St., was ticketed for driving with a suspended or revoked license and failure to yield, when Lincoln police reported an accident at 1:28 p.m. Friday at Keokuk and North Ottawa streets.

Roach said she never saw the car of Robert W. Moran, 53 of Decatur approach the intersection, the police report stated.

Failure to yield

Danny K. Welch, 18, of Clinton, was ticketed by Lincoln police for failure to yield and driving an uninsured vehicle at 3:45 p.m. Thursday.

Police reported that Welch hit the car of Christopher J. Cox, 949 185th St., at the intersection of Short Eighth and North Washington streets.

Accident

James L. Harp, 83, 1402 Third St., was ticketed for failure to reduce speed at 11:03 a.m. Thursday, when his car struck that of Debra K. Hale, 41, of McLean on Woodlawn Road.

The report said Harp never saw Hale turn into the gas station and he hit her car from behind.

Failure to appear

Lincoln police arrested Daniel J. Lemaster, 29, 130 Country Inn, at 4:32 p.m. Monday involving a warrant for failure to appear in court.

Failure to appear

Logan County police arrested Brian T. Hill, 21, of Springfield at 10:32 a.m. Tuesday at the Sangamon County Jail for the charge of an outstanding warrant involving failure to appear in court. He is being held in lieu of bond.

Warrant

Logan County police arrested Cheryl L. Barger, 34 of Murfreesboro, Tenn., at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday for an out of state warrant from Rutherford County, Tennessee. She is being held for authorities.

Damaged car hood

Lincoln police responded to a call at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday for a damaged car hood at a woman's residence on the Block of 300 South Logan Street. The woman said the damage occurred Feb. 14, with an estimated loss of \$950.

February 23, 2000 OBITUARIES

Mae Smock

Mae Smock, 87, of Lincoln, formerly of Murrayville, died Monday, Feb. 21, 2000, at Maple Ridge Care Centre.

Mrs. Smock worked for the Jacksonville State Hospital before she retired.

She was born April 28, 1912, in Bancroft, Wis., a daughter of Roy and Lonella Paul Taylor. She married Athey McGehee in 1928. He preceded her in death. She married Frank Smock Dec. 1, 1957, in White Hall. He died April 21, 1998.

Survivors include four stepdaughters, Rose Marie West of Independence, Mo., Sallie Anne Lowers and Neila Sue Empson, both of Kansas City, Mo., and Darla Jayne Potter of Garland, Neb.; two grandsons; seven stepgrandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and a niece, Kathryn Robertson of Lincoln.

A son, two sisters and two brothers also preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Mackey Daws Funeral Home, Murrayville. Burial will be in Murrayville City Cemetery.

Visitation will be from noon to 2 p.m. Saturday.

Marilyn Rademaker

HARTSBURG - Memorial services for Marilyn Rademaker will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at St. John's Lutheran Church, Hartsburg, with the Rev. Darby Lawrence officiating.

Theft

Lincoln police responded to a call of theft at 5:10 p.m. Tuesday at 142 Centennial Court. Items reported stolen include a vintage, solid-body electric guitar valued at \$200 and a "Dukes of Hazard" Sony Playstation video game valued at \$39.

Fire calls

Locker fire

Lincoln firefighters responded at 9:55 a.m. Tuesday to extinguish a fire in a locker at Lincoln Community High School, 1000 Primm Road. No additional was available; firefighters are still investigating the fire.

Rescue Runs Women aided

Lincoln firefighters aided a woman at 11:01 a.m. Saturday at 1028 N. College Ave., and another woman at 1:36 p.m. Saturday.

Firefighters aided a woman on the 100-Block of Churchill Lane at 11:45 a.m. Sunday.

A man was aided by firefighters on the 500 Block of North Elm St. at 8:14 a.m. Tuesday.

Handicapped aided

Lincoln firefighters aided a mentally handicapped person at the Lincoln Development Center, 861 S. State St., at 10:54 a.m. Tuesday. Firefighters aided a second handicapped person at 11:31 a.m.

Firefighters aided a person at 11:47 a.m. Tuesday at Ball Foster Glass, 1200 N. Logan St.

A man was assisted on an emergency medical call on the 800 Block of North Hamilton Street at 9:54 a.m. Tuesday.

School menus

For Thursday

■ Atlanta Elementary breakfast - French toast sticks, syrup, assorted juices

■ Illini Central breakfast - Pancake sausage patty, juice

■ Lincoln Elementary breakfast - Cereal, cinnamon graham crackers, juice

■ Atlanta Elementary - Chicken patty, bun, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans

■ Carroll Catholic School - Waffles, sausage links, fresh fruit

■ Chester-East Lincoln - Chicken noodles soup, cheese stick, crackers, celery and carrot sticks, mandarin oranges

■ Elkhart - Hamburger, bun, potato rounds, lettuce salad, peaches, pudding

■ Harten Schools - Spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, French bread, pineapple

■ Lincoln Community High School - Chili, crackers, pasta, toasted cheese, celery sticks with peanut butter, fruit ice or chaf salad

■ Lincoln Elementary - Max cheese sticks with sauce, green beans, carrot sticks, fruit cocktail

■ Little Lambs Day Care Center - Goulash, mixed fruit, crackers

■ Mount Pulaski Elementary - Breaded chicken patties, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn, orange, graham crackers

■ Mount Pulaski High School - Burritos, green beans, pineapple, apple crisp

■ New Holland-Middletown - Spaghetti, green beans, fruit cocktail, vanilla pudding

■ Olympia Middle/High School - Chicken patty or pork fritter on buns, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans

■ Warrsburg-Latham Schools Nacho supreme, medallion chips, salsa, pears

■ West Lincoln Broadwell - Sausage gravy on biscuit, green beans, peaches, mud bars

■ Zion Lutheran School - Chili, crackers, pasta, toasted cheese, celery with peanut butter, fruit ice

Lincoln data	
Tuesday's high	70
Overnight low	43
Record high	68 in 1983
Record low	-4 in 1910
Sunset today	5:42
Sunrise Thursday	6:38
Precipitation	
To 7 a.m. today	0
Probabilities tonight	80
Probabilities Thursday	40
Local Forecast	
Periods of showers and thunderstorms tonight, low in the upper 40s with south wind 10 to 20 mph. Cloudy Thursday with a chance of morning showers, high around 60 with southeast wind 10 to 15 mph.	
Extended Forecast	
Chances of showers and thunderstorms Friday and Saturday, high in the low to mid-50s, low in the 40s. Friday, high in the mid-50s, low around 40. Saturday, Partly cloudy Sunday, high in the mid-50s, low 35 to 40.	

MARKET	
Stocks (Courtesy Edward Jones Investments)	Com
AES 82 1/2	March 2 1/2
AT&T 27 1/2	May 2 24 1/2
Bo 60 3/16	July 2 32 1/2
Gen Tel 52 1/8	Soybeans
EK 61 1/16	Amoco 5 1/2
PPG 52 1/8	Mar 5 1/2
Terra Ind 7 5/16	May 5 1/2
GE 129 1/16	July 5 21 1/2
Consolidated 10 1/16	Wheat
Gen Mills 33 1/8	Mar 2 58 1/2
Wendys Int'l Inc 16 5/16	July 2 58 1/2
Teresco 64 1/2	Peoria livestock
Easton Corp 25 3/8	Hogs 700 lb
Walgreens 12 7/8	Grain 400 lb
McDonalds 58 1/2	1,200-250 lb 40 50 41 00 2 1/2
Anheuser Busch 33 1/8	50 40 50
Pfizer 30 1/8	Stews: All weights are steady
Gold 5 2/3	lb. 31 50 40 50 30 00 200 7
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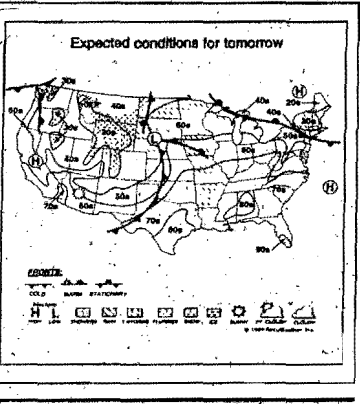
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Forecast	
of showers and thunderstorms Saturday, mid-50s, low around 40. Partly cloudy Monday, high in the mid-50s, low 35 to 40. In the low 60s, low around 40 Monday.	



MARKETS

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2 5/16	up 1/4
128	up 1/4
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Expected conditions for tomorrow

Soybeans
 Jul 2 31 3/4 up 3/4
 Mar 5 00 up 1/4
 May 5 09 1/4 up 1
 5 18 up 1 1/2

Wheat
 Mar 2 55 3/4 up 1
 Jul 2 78 3/4 up 1 1/4

Portia livestock
 PEORIA (AP) — Hogs: 700 trading moderately active, barrows and gilts are 1.00 lower.
 1-2,230-260 lb 39.50-40.00, 2,260-280 lb 37.50-39.50
 Sows: Arr steady, 1,100-400 lbs 29.00, 400-500 lbs 32.00-35.00, low over 450 lbs 35.00-38.00, 500-600 lbs 39.00-41.00, low over 600 lbs 41.00-42.00.
 Bulls: Over 300 lb 12.00, under 300 lb 7.00

Interior livestock
 SPRINGFIELD (AP) — Lean hog carcasses are 59 in 1.00 lower.
 55-58 lb 51.00-52.00, 53-58 lb 51.00, 56-58 lb 52.00, 59-61 lb 47.00-56.00, 45-50 lb 45.00-55.00, 47-48 lb 43.00-51.98
 Sows: Arr steady, 1,100-400 lbs 29.00, 400-500 lbs 32.00-35.00, low over 450 lbs 35.00-38.00, 500-600 lbs 39.00-41.00, low over 600 lbs 41.00-42.00.
 Bulls: Under 300 lbs 20.00-28.00, mostly 24.00-27.00, over 300 lbs 10.00-12.00

Board of Trade
 CHICAGO (AP) — Grain and soybean futures closed lower today in early trading on the Chicago Board of Trade, pressured further by continuing rains in key growing regions of the Midwestern Plains States.
 Soybeans fell sharply as momentum from Wednesday's slump pushed prices further below the 90-cent mark. Additional pressure came from a government report indicating lower demand for soybeans among processors.
 Corn inched lower to its cheapest place in six and a half weeks, pushed by wet forecasts, but there was little indication the market would plunge lower.
 Wheat was pressured by soybeans slide as well as by forecasts for more rain throughout much of the winter wheat belt in south-central Plains states.
 Wheat for March delivery fell 3/4 cent to \$2.54 a bushel. March corn fell 1/2 cent to \$2.14 a bushel. May falls fell 1/4 cent to \$1.14 1/4 a bushel. March soybeans fell 2 1/4 cents to \$4.97 a bushel.
 Great futures rose in early trading on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, while pork futures were mixed.

Police beat
 Failure to appear
 Logan County deputies arrested Nick J. Bradburn, 18, 610 N. Madison St., at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday on a charge of failure to appear in court. She turned herself in at the Logan County Safety Complex and was released on bond.

Theft
 The owner of Ya Ya's, 405 Pulaski St., told police someone took two clocks from the bar over the weekend. The Betty Boop clock and Dale Earnhart clock are valued at \$60.

Hit and Run
 Dean B. Rademaker, 74, of Springfield, told Lincoln police at 4:09 p.m. Wednesday that his car had been struck while parked on the 600 Block of Sixth Street.

Fire calls
 Electrical problem
 Lincoln firefighters investigated an electrical problem at a residence at 438 Eighth St. at 5:14 p.m. Wednesday. Everything was under control when they arrived.

Rescue runs
 Medical call
 Lincoln firefighters aided a man at 9:49 p.m. Wednesday at Taco Bell, 2775 Woodlawn Road, for an emergency medical call.

School menus
 For Friday
 ■ Atlanta Elementary breakfast — French toast sticks, syrup, assorted juices
 ■ Bluff Central breakfast — Pancake sausage party, juice
 ■ Lincoln Elementary breakfast — Cereal, grapefruit

OBITUARY
Clarence Frazier
 Clarence Frazier, 77, of Lincoln died at 1:50 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 20, 2000, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.
 Mr. Frazier was a member of Mount Pulaski Masonic Temple.
 He was born Nov. 27, 1922, in Assumption, a son of Clarence L. and Goldie Osborn Frazier.
 Surviving are three brothers, Lyle Frazier of Fort Worth, Texas, Eugene Frazier of Decatur and Steven Frazier of Lincoln.
 Graveside services, with military rites, will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Mount Pulaski Cemetery, with American Legion Chaplain Joe Lucas officiating.
 There is no visitation.
 Ericke Calvert-Schradler Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, handled arrangements.
 Memorials may be made to the Mount Pulaski American Legion or to Logan County Life Line.

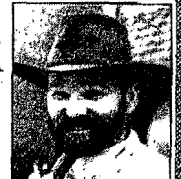
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 ■ Chester-East Lincoln — Chicken noodles soup, cheese stick, crackers, celery and carrot sticks, mandarin oranges
 ■ Elkhart — Hamburger, bun, potato rounds, lettuce salad, peaches, pudding
 ■ Harter-Schools — Spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, French bread, pineapple
 ■ Lincoln Community High School — Chili, crackers, pasta, toasted cheese, celery sticks with peanut butter, fruit ice or chef salad
 ■ Lincoln Elementary — Max cheese sticks with sauce, green beans, carrot sticks, fruit cocktail
 ■ Little Lambs Day Care Center — Goulash, mixed fruit, crackers
 ■ Mount Pulaski Elementary — Breaded chicken patties, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn, orange, graham crackers
 ■ Mount Pulaski High School — Burritos, green beans, pineapple, apple crisp
 ■ New Holland-Middletown — Spaghetti, green beans, fruit cocktail, vanilla pudding
 ■ Olympia Middle/High School — Chicken patty or pork fritter on bun, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans
 ■ Warrensburg-Latham Schools — Nacho supreme, medallion chips, salsa, pears
 ■ West Lincoln Broadwell — Sausage gravy on biscuit, green beans, peaches, mud fans
 ■ Zion Lutheran School — Chili, crackers, pasta, toasted cheese, celery with peanut butter, fruit ice

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es seem leery of HMO lawsuits

Carter G. Phillips, attorney for the Carle Clinic Association and Health Alliance Medical Plans, based in Urbana, Ill., the largest managed health-care organization in downstate Illinois.

"It is no exaggeration to suggest that the future of medical care in its delivery and its regulations are implicated" in the case, Phillips told the court.

But James P. Ginzkey, attorney for the former Bloomington, Ill., woman seeking the right to sue, said he wasn't asking the justices to outlaw all physician incentives.

"There's going to have to be a line drawn," Ginzkey said, suggesting lawsuits be allowed when the doctors' incentives have "undue influence" over their decisions on patient care. As the first challenge to HMOs to come before the Supreme Court, the case is being closely watched by the managed-

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Week ending Feb. 26

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d W. Harris, 39, of 1502 St. Charged with felony driving under the influ- driving with a revoked a Dec. 8, 1997, incident, y and sentenced to 30 thation, a \$250 fine, and a Logan County Jail. A s filed to revoke proba- sion is 30 months 17 days in Logan County it evaluation and treat-

ly S. Little, 32, of 24 rty. Charged with felony rtery for an incident on nd a misdemeanor burn- incident on Oct. 11.

Charge aggravated to county, found guilty and sentenced to 12 months probation and a \$300 fine. The burglary charge was amended to misdemeanor theft. Sentenced to 18 months probation and a \$250 fine.

■ Miranda D. Reynolds, 18, of 223 N. College. Charged with felony burglary for an Oct. 11 incident. Charge was amended to misdemeanor theft. Found guilty and sentenced to 18 months probation, a \$250 fine and one weekend in Logan County Jail.

■ Lisa R. Robertson, 19, of 502 Frorer Ave. Charged with a misdemeanor count of disorderly conduct for an Oct. 27 incident. Found guilty and sentenced to six months court supervision, a \$100 fine and 10 hours public service work.

■ Mauretheis Smith, 29, of Chicago. Charged with felony unlawful possession of a weapon by a felon for an April 12 incident. Pled guilty and sentenced to two years in prison.

■ Nicholas A. Thornell, 17, of 513 Maple St. Charged with felony burglary for a Dec. 20 incident. Pled guilty to theft and sentenced to 24 months probation and 100 hours of public service work.

■ Thomas L. Tibbs, 45, of 107 N. Monroe St. Charged with domestic battery for a Nov. 9 incident. Found guilty and sentenced to 30 months probation, a \$110 fine, alcohol counseling and treatment and 180 days in Logan County Jail, 90 days deferred.

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Marriage dissolutions

Scot M. Wolpert and Elizabeth L. Wolpert, both of Lincoln

School menus

■ Atlanta Elementary breakfast - Assorted cereal Nutra Grain bar. Assorted juices

■ Illini Central breakfast - Country breakfast-bagel, juice

■ Lincoln Elementary breakfast - Cereal, Pop Tart, juice

■ Atlanta Elementary - Tonlatio soup, grilled cheese sandwich, baby carrots, cinnamon applesauce, peanut butter cookie

■ Carroll Catholic School - Mr. Rib, cheese sticks, carrots, pineapple

■ Chester-East Lincoln - French toast stick, syrup, tri tators, sausage patty, mixed fruit

■ Elkhart - Ham sandwich, bun, sweet potatoes, green beans, peaches

■ Hartem Schools - Chicken nuggets, barbecue sauce, mixed vegetables, peaches

■ Illini Central - Chili, crackers, cheese sandwich or Mr Rib, bun, Tator Tots, applesauce

■ Lincoln Community High School - Tenderloin, bun, fries, vegetables, peach cup or chef salad

■ Lincoln Elementary - Corn dogs, baked beans, pretzels, peaches

■ Little Lambs Day Care Center - Spaghetti, mixed vegetables, peaches

■ Mount Pulaski Elementary - Hamburger, bun, cheese, pickle, tri tators, pineapple

■ Mount Pulaski High School - Chicken nuggets, layered lettuce, mandarin oranges, cinnamon roll

■ New Holland-Middletown - Taco pie, lettuce salad, pears, banana nut muffin.

■ Olympia Middle/High School - Tomato soup, grilled cheese or sloppy joe, tossed salad, assorted fruit, animal crackers

■ Warrensburg-Latham Schools - Corn dog, Tator Tots, mixed vegetables, orange

■ West Lincoln - Broadwell - Chicken patty, bun, corn, peaches, bar cookie

■ Zion Lutheran School - Tenderloin, bun, fries, vegetables, peach cup

Senior menus

Monday - Ham loaf, creamed peas and potatoes, ambrosia salad, apple pie

Tuesday - Hot turkey sandwich, potatoes and gravy, cranberry salad, apples, pumpkin pie with topping.

Wednesday - Chicken and noodles, breaded tomatoes, citrus salad, cookie

Thursday - Hot beef sandwich, potatoes, gravy, corn, lemon mousse

Friday - Chinese casserole, egg roll, fruit, fortune cookie

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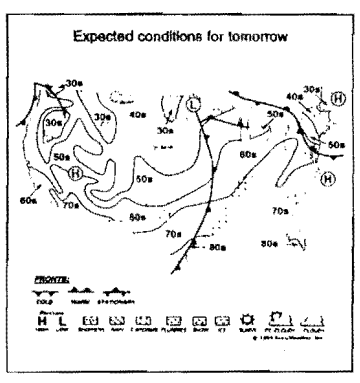
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PENETER

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since heading skyward on Tuesday from his native Illinois. By Friday afternoon, he was 200 miles northeast of St. Maarten in the eastern Caribbean and had covered more than 2,800 miles.

But the dangers posed by a series of potential storm systems kept him up for 28 straight hours, steering the balloon around the Atlantic storm clouds, before finally getting some much-needed sleep Thursday night.

"The scariest part of the flight was not knowing what was going to be ahead," he said. "That kept me on edge for more than a day."

He also was kept busy fixing stuck valves on a propane tank and maneuvering to get the balloon higher, he said.

Uliassi didn't seem eager to predict the chances of succeeding in his - second - around-the-world attempt; the first failed soon after takeoff in December 1997. But he did say the winds will have to gain strength at some point if he's to make it.

"Unfortunately it doesn't look like we have the strong winds that are associated with the jetstream," he said. "We'll see once we get to Africa."

In the meantime, he was chatting on the phone with crew members, family and friends, gazing down longingly at Caribbean islands and enjoying the solitude. He said he particularly enjoyed the beautiful views of Hispaniola and Puerto Rico, where he could hear what sounded like a party in progress.

"There I was at over 21,000 feet and I could hear music from the ground," he marveled.

Uliassi's food is stored outside his balloon, where the temperature is about minus 2 degrees. He feasted Thursday on roast beef with garlic, red pepper and Swiss chard, prepared by his mother.

His mom sat in with reporters Friday at the flight's command center in the Chicago suburb of Homewood, and he praised her, saying "The food's great. It's really good."

"That's what you asked for," she responded.

But he admitted the altitude might be affecting the taste somewhat.

"Peanut butter and cheese kind of taste the same to me up here - that's very odd," he said.

OBITUARY

Arthur Clewell

Arthur D. Clewell, 68, of Galesburg, formerly of Lincoln and Peoria, died at 3:45 a.m. Friday, Feb. 25, 2000, at Proctor Hospital in Peoria.

Until 1983, Mr. Clewell worked at the former Outboard Marine Corp. in Galesburg. He was active at the former East Moline Downs Race Track in East Moline.

A veteran of the Korean War, he served in the U.S. Army from Nov. 3, 1952, to Oct. 6, 1954.

Mr. Clewell was raised and educated in Canton.

He was born Feb. 16, 1932, in Canton, a son of George Lyman and Grace Elizabeth Kirkendall Clewell. He married Patricia Ann Wetterow Nov. 11, 1957, in Dabinda. She survives.

Also surviving are five sons, Phillip Allen Clewell of Lincoln and Dale Eugene Clewell, Raymond LeRoy Clewell, Kevin Earl Clewell and David Wayne Clewell, all of Galesburg; one sister, Catherine Montimer of St. Petersburg, Fla.; one brother, Jon Clewell of Knoxville; and 10 grandchildren.

Two brothers and a sister preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Hurd-Hendricks Funeral Home, Knoxville. Burial, with military rites by Ralph M. Noble American Legion Post No. 285 of Galesburg, will be in East Lanwood Cemetery, Galesburg.

Memorials may be made to his family.

Officials wait for tests before filing charges in fatalities

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

EAST ALTON Authorities will await the results of toxicology tests before deciding whether to file charges against a driver who fled a gas station after failing to pay for a fill-up and then crashed his car, killing his three passengers.

Police say DeShawn A. Brown, 19, of O'Fallon, Mo., sped away from the convenience store Thursday morning, went out of control and struck a car. The car flipped and the resulting impact killed the three passengers in the car, police Chief Richard Brown said.

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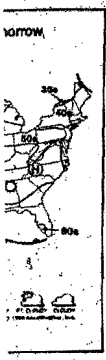
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Police beat K-9 bust

Super sniffing by a Logan County K-9 unit resulted in the arrest at 2:16 p.m. Sunday of Timothy W. Bannister, 21, 416 N. Madison St.

Bannister faces charges of possession of marijuana after She-bear, a chocolate-colored Labrador, sniffed out the pot during a traffic stop on the 200 block of North College Street.

After deputies pulled Bannister over for an equipment violation, She-bear walked around the vehicle and showed an indication of drugs by the driver's door.

After Bannister got out, the deputy found 6 grams of cannabis in Bannister's right shoe. Bannister has been released for a court appearance.

Another sniffer
She-bear also sniffed out cannabis on Angela L. Moore, 26, of Dallas, Texas at 3:15 a.m. Sunday on Interstate 55 during a traffic stop for speeding.

She-bear again walked around the car and indicated the presence of drugs. The deputy asked to check inside the car and Moore was lying in the back seat. The officer found a tin container in her purse, which had 5.7 grams of cannabis.

Moore was charged with possession of marijuana and was released for a court appearance.

Bicycle accident
Travis J. Damarin, 17, 118 S. Chicago St., was ticketed for improper operation of a bicycle at 5:48 p.m. Friday when he jumped a curb at Broadway and McLean Street and smacked a car going through a green light at McLean Street. The car belonged to James H. Griffin, 57, 110 Edgar St. Damarin had a bloody lip and his legs were hurting, but he refused treatment, the report said.

Burglary
Lincoln police arrested Kevin L. Lambert, 22, 510 N. Hamilton St. and Scott L. Harruff, 23, 1258 1150th Ave. Lot 23 for allegedly

burglarizing a shed on 911 Pekin St. at 4:40 p.m. Friday.

Lambert and Harruff allegedly broke into the shed and stole power tools Wednesday afternoon. Officers traced the tools to a source in Bloomington, where they were sold.

Harruff is being held on burglary charges in lieu of bond; Lambert posted bond.

Battery
Lincoln police arrested Joe Cook, 30, 1003 N. Logan St., and Jason E. Jones, 25, 215 1/2 S. Hamilton St., on charges of battery around 1 a.m. Saturday.

Jones allegedly struck Cook with a bottle in the face at Pulaski and Hamilton streets. The two were reported to be fighting over loud music. Both were released on bond.

Trespassing
Lincoln police arrested Marsha A. McDougall, 38, 316 S. College St. on a charge of criminal trespass to a back yard at 1203 Third St. at 6:10 p.m. Sunday. She was released on bond.

Failure to appear
Logan County police arrested Richard A. Cramer, 41, of Bloomington Sunday for a warrant involving a charge of failure to appear in court. He was released on bond.

Warrant
Logan County police arrested David L. Rexroat, 39, of Wayneville at 11:15 p.m. Sunday on Illinois 10 and 2400 Avenue after stopping him for a burned out headlight. He was arrested after a check revealed he was wanted on a warrant. He was released on bond.

Failure to appear
Logan County police arrested Christopher D. Evans, 21, 1470 N. Logan St., at 1:23 a.m. Sunday in the Mason County Jail for a warrant involving a charge of failure to appear in court for unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia and marijuana, as well as illegal consumption of alcohol. He is being held in lieu of bond.

Warrant
Logan County police arrested Michael L. Dupin, 23, No. 9 Lincoln

Motel 918 Woodlawn Road, at 12:30 p.m. Saturday for a warrant involving charges of possession of cannabis. He is being held in lieu of bond.

Failure to appear
Logan County police arrested Ronald D. Sillings, 28, 100 Campus View, at 10:03 a.m. Saturday for a Vermillion County warrant involving failure to appear in court. He was released on bond.

Failure to appear
Logan County police arrested Randy L. Schilling, 28, 112 S. Chicago St. at 7 p.m. Friday for a warrant involving a charge of failure to appear in court. He was released on bond.

Open alcohol
Lincoln police cited Dale D. Swinford, 26, of Hartsburg for carrying an open alcohol container at 10:17 a.m. Saturday in the intersection of Davenport and Sangamon streets.

Illegal consumption
Lincoln police cited Edward T. Brennan, 20, 1514 Broadway, for illegal consumption of alcohol at 11:40 p.m. Sunday at 61 Tremont Park.

Broken window
A man reported to Lincoln police at 9 a.m. Sunday that the rear window of his truck was broken. The truck was parked in front of his house on the 500 block of Madison Street. The damage is estimated to be \$200.

Broken window
A man reported to Lincoln police at 5:30 p.m. Friday that the rear window of his pickup truck was broken while parked on the 1400 block of Fifth Street. The estimated damage is \$100.

Broken window
A man reported to Lincoln police at 5 p.m. Saturday that his driver's side mirror had been broken while parked on the 700 block of South Kickapoo Street. The estimated damage is \$150.

Wiper damaged
A woman reported to Lincoln police at 9:49 p.m. Saturday that the

windshield wipers were broken off of her car while parked at 17 Houser Court. The estimated damage is \$50.

Bicycle stolen
A bike was reported stolen to Lincoln police at 9 p.m. Saturday just outside Lincoln Community High School, 1000 Primm Road. The bike was not locked up; it is estimated to be worth \$200.

Jacket stolen
A woman told Lincoln police at 7:01 p.m. Saturday that jacket was taken from her car around 10:30 p.m. Friday while parked on 900 block of Clinton Street.

The woman said her car doors were not locked. The jacket is estimated at \$100. Also taken from the car were a set of keys belonging to a friend. The keys are estimated at \$30.

Deer stand taken
A man reported to Lincoln police at 9:33 p.m. Saturday that a metal deer stand and 3/8-inch wire cable were taken from the backyard of a building on the 300 block of West Kickapoo Street. The damage is estimated at \$500.

Bicycle stolen
A woman reported to Lincoln police at 10:20 a.m. Saturday that a bicycle was taken from a group of backyard bushes at a residence on the 100 block of Delavan Street. The bicycle is estimate to be \$204.

Burglary
A woman reported a car burglary to Lincoln police at 10:37 a.m. Saturday. The police report said there was no sign of forced entry and stolen was a CD player, CDs, a pocket organizer, miscellaneous documents, cassette tapes, and \$30 cash. The car was parked on the 300 block of North Ottawa Street and the burglary was said to happen around 9 p.m. Friday.

Accident
Kari N. Reynolds, 23, of Bransburg, Ind., was ticketed for improper lane usage at 6:54 p.m. Saturday by Lincoln police. The car was traveling west on Woodlawn Road and Reynolds thought she was

in the inside lane and while attempting to turn into a driveway she hit a passing car in the actual inside lane. The car belonged to Donice A. Thomas, 44 of Bartonville.

Accident
Ann M. Forbes, 25, 32 Centennial Courts, was ticketed for failure to yield by Lincoln police at 2:45 p.m. Friday when she hit the car of Andrea Swinford, 16, 103 Keokuk St., at the intersection of North McLean Street and Oklahoma Avenue. Both cars were reported to be pulling into the intersection.

Fire calls
Lincoln rural fire firefighters responded to a truck fire at 2:02 a.m. Monday on the 1100 block of 1250th Avenue. The truck was engulfed in flames when firefighters arrived. Firefighters put out the fire and said the car was a total loss with an estimated damage of \$1,000.

Rescue runs
Lincoln firefighters aided a man at 8:10 p.m. Sunday on the 1000 block of Pulaski Street.

Lincoln firefighters aided a person at 7:34 p.m. Sunday for an emergency medical call on the 200 block of South Washington.

Lincoln firefighters aided a person at 5:45 p.m. Saturday with an emergency medical call on the 1200 block of Broadway.

Lincoln firefighters aided a woman at 6:45 p.m. Friday with an emergency medical call on the 800 block of Third Street.

Lincoln firefighters aided a person at 5:55 p.m. Friday with an emergency medical call on the 600 block of Broadway.

Correction
No entertainment is scheduled at the Lincoln Community Lighthouse meeting at 7 p.m. today in the Klennm Tax Service building, 1400 Woodlawn Road.

A Church Report item Saturday erroneously said a local group

would perform at the Center regrets the error.

School menus

- For Tuesday**
- Atlantis Elements chow, pears, chocolate
 - Carroll Catholic Sausage gravy and 1 brown, blueberry nut sauce, apricot
 - Chester-East Line and dressing, mashed gravy, pineapple chutney
 - Elkhart Chili soup, crackers, peanut wick, peaches
 - Harlem Schools and celery sticks, pear roll
 - Illini Central - Fro salad, Jell-O with-Fru middle and high school
 - Lincoln - Comm School Spaghetti with tossed salad, green bread or chef salad
 - Lincoln Element with sauce, mashed pot berry applesauce
 - Little Lambs Day Macaroni and cheddar mixed fruit
 - Mount Pulaski E Ravioli, lettuce, salsa, peaches, peanut butter
 - Mount Pulaski H Chili, cheese and crackles and dip, applesauce
 - New Holland Mt Pork tenderloin, bun, r, totes, gravy, apple slices
 - Olympia Middle/I Super nachos with turkey tetrazzini, assy crumb cake
 - Warrensburg Iath Pepperoni pizza, ch breadsticks, lettuce sala
 - West Lincoln B Taco salad, tortilla chips, cookie
 - Zion Lutheran Spaghetti with meat sa salad, green beans, gath

February 28, 2000

Ray Bailey

The Rev. Ray Bailey, 63, of Lincoln died at 10:21 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 27, 2000. He was the emergency room of Memorial Medical Center, Springfield.

The minister had served at Lincoln Church of Christ since 1990. He also served as minister in Lansdale, Pa., and Glens Falls and Clifton Park, N.Y. Previously a science teacher, he also taught in New York state.

He graduated from Abilene Christian University in 1961, with a bachelor's degree in science and from Syracuse University, Syracuse, N.Y., in 1967, with a master's degree in physics. He also attended Harding University in Searcy, Ark.

He was born June 29, 1936, in Washington, D.C., a son of Bedford R. Sr. and Cora E. Cross Bailey. He married Betty Kendrick Feb. 15, 1958, in Homer, La. She survives.

Other survivors include two sons, Daniel Ray Bailey of Des Moines, Iowa, and David Franklin Bailey of Port Aransas, Texas; three sisters, Virginia Verzi of Silver Spring, Md., Nancy Bell of Salisbury, Md., and Evelyn Coppage of Commerce, Ga.; and two grandchildren.

His parents preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Fricks-Culbert-Schradler Funeral Home, Lincoln. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

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

Memorials may be made to his church at P.O. Box 235, Lincoln.

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Lois Highley

MASON CITY — Lois F. Highley, 83, of Mason City died at 9:51 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 27, 2000, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital in Lincoln.

Mrs. Highley was the head bookkeeper for 21 years at Farm Credit Bank in St. Louis, Mo.

She was a member of Mason City Assembly of God Church.

She was born Sept. 16, 1916, in New Rockford, N.D., the daughter of Perry F. and Lida Yancey Tredway. She married Charles Highley. He died April 5, 1986.

Surviving are two daughters, Patricia Thomas of Mason City and Carolyn Preston of Indianapolis, Ind.; one son, Donald Highley of Edwardsville; eight grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

A sister preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Herbert A. Kassy Funeral Home, Ltd., Collinsville, with the Rev. James Sprinkel and the Rev. John Gambin officiating. Burial will be in Lake View Memorial Gardens, Fairview Heights.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Memorials may be made to the Shriner's Hospital or to the church's building fund.

Bette Butler

Bette Butler, 73, of Lincoln died at 6:45 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 27, 2000, at St. Clara's Manor.

Kerrigan Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

Frank Janis

Frank Llewellyn Janis, 80, of Lincoln died at 2 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 26, 2000, at St. Clara's Manor.

Mr. Janis was a body and fender mechanic.

He was an Episcopalian.

OBITUARIES

Mr. Janis served in the Army Air Corps during World War II. He was a member of Lincoln American Legion Post No. 263.

He was born March 10, 1919, in Pine Ridge, S.D., a son of John and Lavina Means Janis. He married Ilene Langenbahn Feb. 2, 1942, in Gulfport, Miss. She died July 20, 1995.

There are no survivors.

A brother preceded him in death.

Mr. Janis was cremated. There will be no services.

Burial will be in Camp Butler National Cemetery, Springfield.

Holland & Barry Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Richard Wolters

Richard W. Wolters, 73, of Fort Clark Springs, Brackeville, Texas, who has several area survivors, died Tuesday, Feb. 15, 2000, at his home.

Mr. Wolters was a crane operator for Lasco Inc. from 1959 to 1988. After he retired, he worked several years for Spacemark.

He and his wife then traveled the country in a mobile home before they settled at Fort Clark Springs.

Mr. Wolters was a member of the Operating Engineers.

He was born May 29, 1926, in Little Falls, Minn., son of James William and Myrtle Agnes Gessner Wolters. He married Beverly Joan Kust June 2, 1951, in Mason City, Iowa. She died in 1996.

Survivors include four daughters, Karen Halicki of Maroa, Anita Atchison of Atlanta, and Judy Hensley and Janine Wolters, both of Lincoln; four sisters, Wanda Dickson of St. Cloud, Minn., Rowena Johannes and Thelma Johannes, both of Underwood, N.D., and Wynla Port of Bismarck, N.D.; two brothers, Rod Wolters of Mesa, Ariz., and Milton Wolters of Campbell, N.Y.; four grandchildren; and three stepgrandchildren.

A daughter and a stepgrandson preceded him in death.

Mr. Wolters was cremated. Memorial services were Saturday in the Gorgas Room at the Adult Center, Fort Clark Springs, Brackeville, Texas.

Memorials may be made to Kinney County Nutrition Center, Brackeville, Texas.

Del Rio Funeral Home, Del Rio, Texas, handled arrangements.

Maudie Stevens

Maudie Mae Stevens, 60, of Vilonia, Ark., whose survivors include several area residents, died Friday, Feb. 25, 2000.

Mrs. Stevens taught school in Carthage, Ark.

She was a member of First United Pentecostal Church in Conway, Ark.

She was born April 29, 1939, in McRae, Ark., a daughter of James Marion and Bonnie Lee McCoy Macey. She married Donald Ray Stevens. He survives.

Also surviving are her mother, Bonnie Lee McCoy of Lincoln; a daughter, Deanna Stevens of Vilonia; two sons, Jarion of Bryant, Ark., and Donald Lee of Vilonia; four sisters, Jimma Lee Morris of Austin, Ark., Phyllis Macey of Lincoln, Reta Satterly of Louisville, Ky., and Valretta Kay Johnson of McRae, Ark.; three brothers, Ivan Macey of Atlanta and Daniel Macey and Benjamin Johnson, both of Lincoln; and two grandchildren.

Two sisters preceded her in death.

Funeral services were this afternoon at First United Pentecostal Church in Conway, Ark., with the Rev. Larry Pearce officiating. Burial will be in Antioch Cemetery, Beebe, Ark.

Roller-McNutt Funeral Home, Conway, Ark., handled arrangements.

ABSENTEE NOTICE

Registered voters expecting to be absent from the county on the March 21, 2000 General Primary Election Day may now vote in person at the County Clerk's Office, 2nd floor, Courthouse, Room 20, Lincoln, Illinois from now until March 20, 2000

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Police beat K-9 bust

Lincoln police arrested Michael C. Kirby, 19, of Peoria and Christopher Pusateri, 19, of Homewood on charges of possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of marijuana at 10:40 a.m. Monday on Illinois 10 and Campus View Drive.

Police caught Kirby and Pusateri during a traffic stop for expired registration. Jack, a German shepherd, then indicated the presence of drugs. The officer found marijuana and a pipe in the back seat and a scale and a bottle with marijuana residue in the glove box.

Both men were released on bond.

Possession of marijuana

Logan County deputies arrested Leroy E. Miles, 24, of Mason City at 8:05 a.m. Monday on Woodlawn Road for charges of possession of marijuana. Miles was released on bond.

Disorderly conduct

Ruth E. Walton, 27, 122 S. Logan St. Apt. 3 and Shannon L. O'Brien, 27, 122 S. Logan St. Apt. 4, were cited for disorderly conduct when they allegedly were yelling obscenities at each other in the hallway of their apartment building at 9:15 a.m. Monday.

Failure to appear

Logan County deputies arrested Juanita Horne, 36, of Springfield and Michael A. Perry, 26 of Springfield at 2:28 a.m. Tuesday on Interstate 55 for warrants involving charges of failure to appear in court. The two were released on bond.

Failure to appear

Logan County deputies arrested Jesse M. Griffin, 41, of Decatur at 12:30 a.m. Tuesday at The Kwan Krib in Latham on a warrant involving a charge of failure to appear in court. She is being held in lieu of bond.

Failure to appear

Lincoln police arrested Danny E. Thompson, 21, 1258 125th St., at 11 a.m. Monday on the 500 block of Woodlawn Road for a warrant for failing to appear in court on a charge of driving without a valid driver's license.

Theft

Lincoln police arrested Jason Ross, 18, of New Holland and Sean R. Van Meter, 18 of New Holland for a charge of retail theft at 2:33 p.m. Monday. Ross allegedly lifted a pair of sunglasses worth \$10 and Van Meter allegedly took a ring and a pair of sunglasses worth \$13 from Wal-Mart, 1501 Woodlawn Road. Both were released on bond.

Damage to car

Lincoln police responded to a call at 9:27 a.m. Monday to a man who said his car was scratched in the rear panel and his front fender was dented above the tire. The man said his car was in Springfield on Saturday and on the 600 block of Decatur Street Sunday. He does not know when the car was damaged. The estimated damage is \$500.

Accident

Lincoln police ticketed John R. Curtis, 77, 901 Tecumseh St., at 5:08 p.m. Monday for failure to yield when he hit the side of a car belonging to Christopher J. Newman, 29, 126 11th St., in the intersection of Kenkauk and North Chicago streets.

Warrant

Lincoln police arrested Andrew M. Polen, 17, 707 Wichita St., on a charge of a warrant for his arrest at 2:05 p.m. Friday. He was released on bond.

Drugs

Logan County deputies arrested Cassie T. Dotson,

17 of Addison at 4:30 a.m. Sunday on a charge of bringing marijuana into a penal institution. She is being held in lieu of bond.

Fire calls Furniture fire

Lincoln firefighters responded to a call at 1:34 p.m. Monday involving a person burning furniture in a yard at 416 N. Sherman St. The fire was out when firefighters arrived and no one was found in the yard.

Smoke call

Lincoln firefighters responded to a call at 11:55 a.m. Monday to investigate a smoke in the area of the 800 block of South State Street. The smoke was caused by a man burning a fire in his yard; he was asked to put it out.

Rescue runs Medical calls

Lincoln firefighters responded to an emergency medical call at 1:44 p.m. Monday where they aided a man on the 900 block of 21st Street.

Lincoln firefighters responded to an emergency medical call at 1:02 p.m. Monday where they aided a man on the 1000 block of North College Street.

School menu

- For Wednesday**
- Atlanta Elementary breakfast - Sausage gravy over biscuit, assorted juices
 - Blini Central breakfast - Scrambled eggs with ham chunks, toast, juice
 - Lincoln Elementary breakfast - Cereal, cinnamon toast, juice
 - Atlanta Elementary - Cheese pizza, tossed salad, corn, soft pretzel
 - Carroll Catholic School - Ham sandwich, potato chips, green beans, fruit cocktail
 - Chester-East Lincoln - Ham and cheese, bun, tator tots, applesauce
 - Ekhart - Sausage patty, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas, pineapple
 - Hartem Schools - Hot ham and cheese, bun, corn, cookie, applesauce
 - Blini Central - Ham horseshoe, cherry crisp
 - Lincoln Community High School - Pork barbecue, bun, potato coins, slaw, pears or bread bowl
 - Lincoln Elementary - Sausage pizza, green beans, carrot sticks, fruit cocktail
 - Little Lambs Day Care Center - Vegetable beef stew, corn, peas
 - Mount Paliski Elementary - Turkey roast, mashed potatoes, peas, carrots, pineapple
 - Mount Paliski High School - Lasagna, lettuce salad, fruit cup, breadsticks
 - New Holland Middletown - Cheese-burger, macaroni, green beans, fruit cocktail, brownie cookie
 - Olympia Middle/High School - Pepperoni pizza or lasagna with garlic bread, corn, assorted fruit, soft pretzel
 - Warrensburg Latham Schools - Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, yogurt, celery sticks, cherry crisp
 - West Lincoln Broadwell - Ham and beans, au gratin potatoes, mixed vegetables, applesauce, brownie
 - Zion Lutheran School - Pork barbecue, bun, potato coins, slaw, peas

Lincoln data

Monday's high 40
 Overnight low 22
 Record high 72 in 1972
 Record low -2 in 1989
 Sunset today 6:49
 Sunrise Wednesday 6:32

Precipitation

To 7 a.m. today 0
 Probabilities today 0
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Local Forecast

Mostly cloudy tonight with showers and thunderstorms likely, low in the mid-40s with south wind 10 to 20 mph becoming westerly. Partly sunny Wednesday, high in the mid-50s with northwest wind 15 to 25 mph.

Extended Forecast

Mostly sunny Thursday, high in the upper 50s, low in the mid-40s. A chance of rain Friday, high in the mid-50s, low in the mid-40s. Partly cloudy Saturday, high in the 50s, low in the low 40s.

Stocks

(Courtesy Edward Jones Investments)

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Soybeans

Mar	4 97 1/2 dn 1/4
May	5 05 1/4 up 1/2
Jul	5 16 1/2 up 1/2

Wheat

Mar	2 46 1/2 up 1/2
Jul	2 70 up 3/2

Peoria livestock

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Shiela Sethi

Shiela B. Sethi, 71, of Lincoln died at 6:55 a.m. today, Tuesday, Feb. 29, 2000, at her residence.

Mrs. Sethi was a registered nurse.

She was born Jan. 18, 1929, in Ah. India, a daughter of B. and Kala Van Ull. She married Itendran M. Sethi March 16, 1959. He survives.

Also surviving are one son, Kerry Sethi of New Hartford, N.Y., one daughter, Sherry S. Newton of Mahomet, and four grandchildren.

Three brothers preceded her death.

Mrs. Sethi was cremated.

Visitation will be at the family home, 420 Southgate, Wednesday afternoon during daylight hours.

Memorials may be made to The Visiting Nurses Association of Central Illinois or to a children's charity of the donor's choice.

Tricke Calvert Schneider Funeral Home, Lincoln, handled arrangements.

Bette Butler

A memorial Mass for Bette Butler of Lincoln is scheduled at 9 a.m. Saturday at Trinity Episcopal Church, with the Rev. James Cavens officiating.

She was cremated.

There will be no visitation.

Mrs. Butler, 71, died at 6:45 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 27, 2000, at St. Clara's Manor.

She was a homemaker.

Mrs. Butler was a member of Trinity Episcopal Church.

She was born June 11, 1926, in Warsaw, Ind. She married Charles Butler Feb. 13, 1944, in Warsaw. He died Oct. 4, 1990.

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Surviving are one daughter, Carla Butler of Effing ham, one son, Doug Butler of Springfield, and one grandson.

Kerigan Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

Dr. Walter Cibelli

Dr. Walter F. Cibelli of Peoria, who specialized in psychiatry in Galesburg and Lincoln from 1980 to 1995, died at 1:40 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 27, 2000, at his home.

He came to the United States in 1956, after graduating from Fational National University in Argentina. In 1970, he was a staff member at Methodist Medical Center in Peoria. He worked in the Coronary Care Unit in 1969.

Dr. Cibelli served two years at OSE St. Francis Medical in Peoria and one year at Methodist Medical Center as a surgeon before training in family practice. From 1970 to 1980, he ran his own family practice.

He was a member of the Peoria Medical Society and Holy Family Catholic Church in Peoria.

He was born in Venado Tuerto, Argentina, a son of Augustin and Amelia Vallego Cibelli. He married Lynn Bradley in 1962 in Peoria.

Surviving are two sons, Rick "John" Cibelli of Peoria and Eduardo Cibelli of Westmoreland, Tenn., one daughter, Lisa LaHood of Cumming, Ga.; one sister, Raquel Fernandez of Argentina; and three grandchildren.

One sister preceded him in death.

A funeral Mass will be conducted at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Holy Family Church, Peoria, with Franciscan Friars officiating. Burial will be in Parkview Mausoleum, Peoria.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Wright & Salmon Mortuary, Peoria, and a half hour before the service Wednesday at the church.

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

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