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Scales Mound troupe brings hilarity to an art form with fall production

By Tony Carton
EDITOR

The stars peeked from their cloudy heights last weekend and lit the high school stage when Scales Mound School presented its spin of the musical comedy, "Way Out West in a Dress, or Life's a Hurdle When You're Wearing a Girdle." The book was written by Billy St. John, with music and lyrics by Bill Francoeur. It is produced by special arrangement with Pioneer Drama Services.

The basic plot involves a fun portrayal by Nic Davis of Clarence Rawlins/Lady Claire/Fuzzface, a struggling actor from the East Coast in 1895, who receives word that he has inherited from a great-aunt what he understands to be a saloon in Lucky Lady, Nevada. With his entourage of the cheerful, easy-going sidekick Roger Gaines/Rogaine/Rob Banks played by Isaac Stadel and three actresses Heide Gray (Trinity Law), Roberta "Bobbie" Pinz (Emma Wentz), and Nell Clipper (Zoey Grubb) Clarence rides the train to the western town only to discover that because of his great-aunt's poor handwriting, he has not inherited a profitable saloon, as expected, but instead the Lucky Lady Salon, a beauty parlor. Flat broke but ever hopeful, Clarence quickly learns has no choice but to raid the costume trunk and transform himself into a down-on-her-luck British aristocrat, Lady Claire, now head hair stylist of the small town's only salon.

Sadly, the entourage's luck runs out when the owner of the saloon next door plots to acquire the Lady Luck as part of a bank robbery scheme. Filled with well played and hilarious characters, uproarious musical numbers and puns galore, this seemingly timeless western comedy kept folks in stitches while the performers frolicked through cross-dressing scenes, amorous involvements, and a devious scam to take over the salon and stick up a bank, all while providing the troupe's audience a truly fun evening.

Others involved in the school's production included Olivia Winter as a saloon piano player/church organist, Sam Townsend as the greedy saloon owner, Jessica Cousins as Jessica James the saloon hostess and daughter of famed outlaw Jesse James, Mickenzie Bass as a saloon girl who would rather have been an opera singer, McKenna Peart as the saloon singer that could not carry a tune in a bucket, and Georgia Vandigo as the saloon girl with an inner ear issue (and a sports related broken arm.) Other members of the Scales Mound Troupe included Matthew Davis, Kaelan Shetler, Keaton Pickel, Trevor Allen, Logan Pehl, Marco Tomassi, Jaxon Westbrook, Collin Malin, and Ari Nottrott.

The support staff included Lighting Technician Xavier Herrera, Backstage Assistant Maddie Pingel, Sound Technician Cameron Ziarko and Directors Andrea Pickel, Krista Wilhelm, and Denise Stadel.

The costumes were simple but fun, the set caught the eye in numerous ways, the cleverly written puns made us groan, the techs knew their stuff, and the direction team moved the show at a fast, but captivating pace, so when the dust settled life really did turn out to be a hurdle when you're wearing a girdle.

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Red Ribbon Week

Red Ribbon Week is a campaign observed annually to promote healthy living and the commitment to a drug-free lifestyle. This year Stockton Middle School fifth grade students participated in activities to promote and celebrate healthy living and making healthy choices. This idea of "planting the promise" of a healthy and drug free lifestyle can be recognized again in the spring when the tulips bloom.

Warren Woman's Club update

We spent the afternoon in Darlington, Wis. At the City Service Brewing and Bar owned by Angie and Ted Thuli; Angie was our hostess for the time we were there and gave us a quick talk and we were able to look around for those who wish too. The bar part has an old 1961 Lincoln Continental as part of the bar front: it also has a beer garden for the summer. The brewing part is for some four to six of there own beers; they also have snacks and wine and cheese from Wisconsin. A fine collection of antiques to look at. We would like to "Thank" Angie & Ted Thuli for a great afternoon.

The meeting was called to order by our President Sandra Wolfram after the reading of "America the Beautiful": then the committees reported. A discussion about snacks after the meeting was passed instead of a lunch. The next discussion was about the Festival of Trees witch is coming up and of a theme for this year. Joyce Edge took on the challenge for this year.

Darlene Smith has sent a sympathy card to the family of Vada Jackson.

We have welcomed two new members Cindy Brinker and Roberta Stocks.

Thank to the Social Committee: Sandra Wolfram, Joyce Edge, and Ruth Langfield for the snacks and the arrangements for the meeting.

Our next meeting is Nov. 21, at 1:30 p.m. at the Community Building. Our guest will be Craig Dowmen of the Folks Gallery.

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Former Stockton student awarded American Farmer Degree

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Drew Groezinger was awarded the American Farmer Degree at the 90th National FFA Convention & Expo held in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Stockton FFA member Drew Groezinger brought home the highest honor in FFA, the American Farmer Degree. He is only the second student in Stockton's history to be recognized with this honor. The American FFA Degree is awarded to members who have demonstrated the highest level of commitment to FFA and made significant accomplishments in their supervised agricultural experiences. Groezinger was awarded the American Farmer Degree at the 90th National FFA Convention & Expo held in Indianapolis, Indiana, on Oct. 28. The American Farmer Degree is awarded to fewer than 1% of FFA members, making it one of the organization's highest honors.

Groezinger accomplished this honor by having received the State FFA Degree, having been an active member for the past three years (36 months), and having a record of significant involvement in the activities on the chapter and state level. He also completed the equivalent of at least three years (540 hours) of school instruction in an agricultural education program and one full year of enrollment in a postsecondary (Highland Community College) agricultural program. Groezinger was also required to have an agricultural operation and have maintained records to substantiate an outstanding supervised agricultural experience program. Through this, Drew exhibited comprehensive planning, managerial, and financial expertise. Groezinger had to have a record of outstanding leadership abilities, community involvement, and have participated in at least 50 hours of community service within at least three different community service activities.

Reflecting on the accomplishment, Groezinger shared that the support and vision by the FFA Alumni along with Stockton School Board and Administration were vital to bringing the agriculture program back to Stockton High School thus allowing him this leadership opportunity. He also expressed gratitude to the community that supported his SAE (weekly produce delivery program -CSA) throughout the past five years. Groezinger looks forward to earning his Associates at Highland Community College and transferring to UW-Platteville where he will earn his Bachelors Degree in Agribusiness and Horticulture.

Northwestern Illinois Reading Council to host Story Hour with Santa

By Mary Stayner
STORY HOUR COORDINATOR

What is in a dream? Well…in 1998 at 2:00 in the morning, Mary Stayner, then the President of the Northwestern Illinois Reading Council, woke up, sitting straight up in bed, and exclaimed, "Santa can READ!" This made no sense to her husband, Jack, but he asked the next day what she was dreaming about. Dreams really do come true - thanks to good friends like Santa Claus!

This dream became a reality and for the past 19 years, the Northwestern Illinois Reading Council has sponsored a program known as, Story Hour with Santa. Its roots were in the Freeport Lincoln Mall in Freeport, Illinois and since that time Story Hour has relocated in local libraries. The program has evolved to what has become a very rewarding and successful venture in supporting literacy in our area.

Once again, the program will reach out to eight libraries in Carroll, Jo Daviess, and Stephenson counties – Elizabeth, Freeport, Mt. Carroll, Pearl City, Savanna, Stockton, Thomson, and Warren. Several of the libraries will welcome Santa Claus himself, while others will receive visits from Mrs. Claus, Father Christmas, and even a few elves. Each visit is filled with holiday cheer and excitement as children gather to hear stories read by their beloved Santa and friends. Each child is warmly welcomed to share their Christmas wishes and have a holiday snack or treat. The children are then invited to choose a book from Santa via Northwestern Illinois Reading Council. Each year over 200 children receive books from Santa. Their little eyes just sparkle as they enthusiastically choose a book…from Santa. What a joy it is to share the love of reading!

Northwestern Illinois Reading Council is committed to supporting literacy efforts in their little corner of the state and is very appreciative of the guidance and encouragement received from the Illinois Reading Council. Check out our schedule of appearances and make plans to visit the library to see a wonderful role model in action.

Elizabeth: Dec. 2, 10 – 11 a.m.
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Stockton Police Halloween event deemed a success

The Stockton Police Department's Annual Children's Halloween Party was again a huge success. There were ghosts, goblins, witches, angels, super heroes and a cute lady bug in attendance. The children and their parents were treated to a meal so the children could have plenty of energy to make their ghostly tour of the community after the party. And, as the children left the party each child was given a treat bag and a brightly colored necklace to they could be easily seen while trick-or-treating.

"We are certainly grateful to be able to provide a fun safe environment for the children of our community prior to their trick or treating activities,' said event organizer Chief of Police Thomas P. Sheehan, Stockton Police Department.

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NARFE to hold November meeting

National Association of Active & Retired Federal Employees (NARFE) Palisades Chapter 604 will hold its next luncheon and meeting on Thursday, Nov. 16, at Manny's Pizza in Savanna, IL at 12 p.m., noon.

The Blue Cross/Blue Shield FEHP representative Ken Thompson of Chicago will discus "Open Season" – updates and options for 2018.

All active and retired federal employees, their spouses and spousal survivors are invited to attend. If you are not on the permanent list, call 815-275-8944 or 815-244-9618 to make a reservation by Tuesday Nov. 14.

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Women in Engineering

On Tuesday, Nov. 7, Taylor Korte, Ari Nottrott, Georgia Vandigo, Mickenzie Bass and Jenna Korte participated in Women in Engineering program at University of Wisconsin-Platteville. The students chose four activities related to the field of engineering. The activity pictured dealt with simulating nuclear reactions in the stars. They also had the opportunity to hear a UW-P engineering student tell of her experiences in engineering. The other speaker was a motivational speaker from an engineering firm in Texas. The program gave the students an insight into the field of engineering as a possible career path. Keith Hesselbacher sponsor. Pictured at left are Ari Nottrott, Jenna Korte, Georgia Vandigo, Taylor Korte, Mickenzie Bass, and Mr. Keith Hesselbacher. Pictured below are Jenna Korte, Georgia Vandigo, Ari Nottrott, Mickenzie Bass, and Taylor Korte.

Stage set in Warren for winter travel

By Chris Johnson
REPORTER

The time has come for the sports to come indoors and that is a good thing for a lot of Warren Warriors and Lady Warriors fans. They have been waiting for a couple weeks, since the 2017 fall sports season wrapped up.

The basketball season tips-off this week as the girls take the trail south to Forreston for the 2017 Thanksgiving Classic. They will be seeing some familiar teams when they open south, in Ogle County. And they get the chance to mingle through Tuesday, Nov. 21.

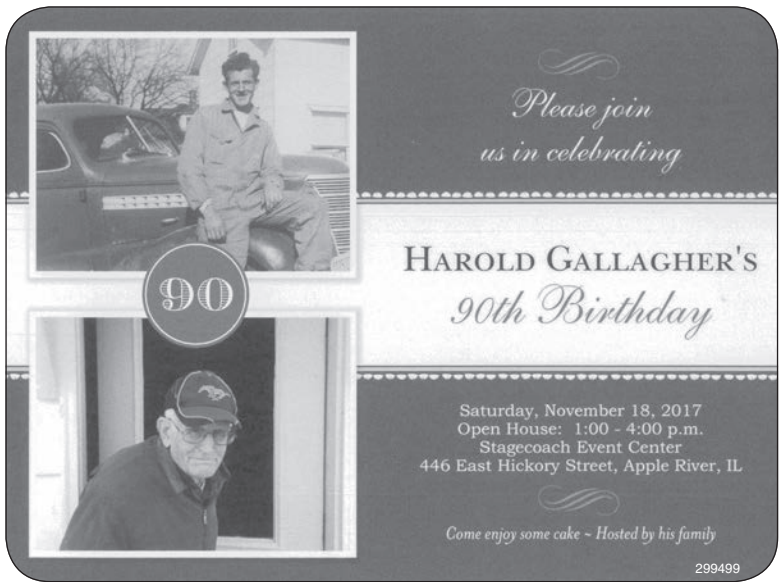
An early season tournament can help in a couple ways. The first is giving immediate feedback on the team's conditioning. The great teams use it to their advantage. The bouncing around inside and getting the feel for the game occurs in early tournament play too. That can calm early nerves. Sometimes everything a team practiced since the end of the volleyball season works perfectly when put to action on the floor. Other times, other programs practiced something very similar themselves and seem to be a little more prepared for what's actually going on.

The Lady Warriors participation in the Forreston Thanksgiving Tip-Off Classic expires on Tuesday, Nov. 21 After that, they get a few days off to spend time with family and friends, before getting back on the road and back to work. The Lady Warriors travel to AFC on Monday, Nov. 27 and then head closer to home for a road meeting with the coop of River Ridge and Scales Mound on Tuesday, Nov. 28. Lady Warriors fans won't be able to show their support at home until Dec. 1 when Warren finally gets there for a battle with Eastland.

The boys get to watch a little basketball before they have to suit up on Monday, Nov. 20. They frosh-soph squad has been invited to open their season in the Polo Frosh-Soph Thanksgiving Invitational. The varsity starts the following week, also in Polo.

When the boys and girls teams wrap up their Thanksgiving week action they will get directly into the NUIC schedule.

The boys varsity opens the season on Tuesday, Nov. 28 in Polo and then travels to Eastland for a Thursday, Nov. 30 match. Before getting to their first home game on Tuesday, Dec. 5 in a non-conference meeting with the Morrison Mustangs. The Warriors travel to East Dubuque on Saturday, Dec. 9.



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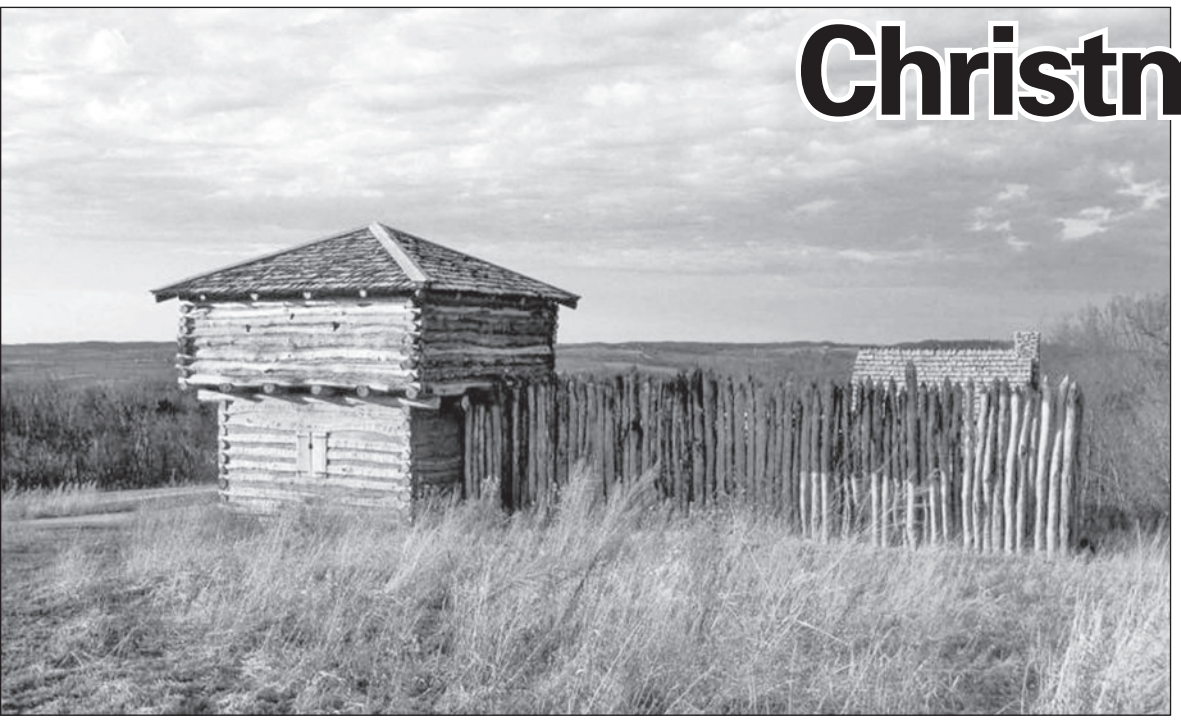

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Step back in time to the reconstructed Apple River Fort, where historical interpreters in 1830s clothing will portray Christmas as it was celebrated in the 1830s.

What was Christmas like before the popularization of Christmas cards, Santa Claus and Christmas trees? Step back in time to the reconstructed Apple River Fort, where historical interpreters in 1830s clothing will portray Christmas as it was celebrated in the 1830s with "Christmas at the Fort" on Saturday, Dec. 2 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

In many ways Christmas was an ordinary day in the 1830s, and visitors will step into an early trading post where it is business-as-usual - no holiday decorations or special Christmas sales!

Some holiday traditions of the 1830s are no longer celebrated today. Visitors will meet Elizabeth Armstrong, who will talk about the Wassailing custom and other Christmas traditions of the 1830s.

Many of our modern Christmas traditions originated in Germany, and visitors will meet 1830s German immigrants who will celebrate with a Christmas tree - a common tradition today but still a new and unusual custom in the 1830s. They will also make marzipan candy, read the Christmas Story from a German Bible, and invite visitors to join them in singing "Stille Nacht, Heilige Nacht (Silent Night, Holy Night)."

There will also be hands-on 1830s toys and games for children of all ages.

Participants should dress for the weather. Most of the activities will take place inside the Fort log cabins, but keep in mind that a "warm building" by 1830s standards is not the same as a warm, well insulated, modern building.

Christmas at the Fort is part of Elizabeth's "Christmas in the Village." Trolley rides will shuttle visitors to the various activities around town, and the Apple River Fort will be one of the trolley stops.

Admission is free, but donations are appreciated.

For more information contact Skip & Carol Schwerdtfeger at (815) 238-6083, email appleriverfort@gmail.com or visit www.appleriverfort.org.

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This is the Sunday to bring of your abundance for the food pantry.

Sunday School is at 10:30 a.m. studying from the Holy Bible; all are invited and welcome to this time too.

Kent UMC is located right in the town of Kent, IL. For more information please call the Pastor at 262-308-2379.

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ON THE RECORD

Obituaries

ORAN W. ALLVIN

Oran W. Allvin, 90, of Warren, passed away on Monday Nov. 6, 2017 at his home. He was born on May 13, 1927 in Warren, IL to Thomas R. and Loretta B. (McKee) Allvin. He married Loraine Goetler on Sept. 21, 1951 in Rockton, IL. He worked for Fairbanks Morris in Beloit, Barber Coleman in Loves Park, IL, and Green Manufacturing in Rockton, IL. In 1972 he and his wife bought Oran and Loraine's Bar in downtown Warren, managed the Lena Golf Club for two years and then worked at Cox Construction until retirement. He was a past member of the Warren Volunteer Fire Department for many years. He was avid golfer and bowler.

Oran is survived by his four children; Thomas Allvin in Colorado, Curtis Allvin in Las Vegas, NV, Debra Haas in Freeport, IL, and Richard (Megan) Allvin in Lena, IL; three grandchildren; Marcus Haas, Kathleen Allvin and Josh Heim; two great grandchildren; Derrick and Addison Haas; one sister-in-law Rosemary Allvin in Green Valley, AZ; many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, two daughters; Kathleen Rae Allvin and Beverly Allvin, one granddaughter Melissa Heim, two brothers; Eldon R. Allvin and Austin E. Allvin.

Private family memorial services will be held.

Visitation was held Nov. 11, at the Bartell-Leamon Funeral Home in Warren.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

A memorial has been established in his name.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.leamonfh.com

EMMA "ARLENE" BARKER

Emma "Arlene" Barker, 96, of Warren, passed away Sunday Nov. 5, 2017 at the Lena Living Center in Lena, surrounded by her family. She was born on Oct. 18, 1921 to Turner and Nan (Pehrson) McCauley in Darlington, WI. Arlene graduated from Darlington High School in 1939; and from the Platteville Teacher's College in 1942. She taught in Brooklyn, WI prior to marrying Bob Barker on June 7, 1947 at the Darlington United Methodist Church. Bob and Arlene owned and operated the Warren Greenhouse for 53 years. Arlene enjoyed her time volunteering at the Sunny Day Preschool with her granddaughter-in-law Crystal, knitting, crocheting, and quilting. She also enjoyed watching her grandchildren's sporting events, the Green Bay Packers, and the Wisconsin Badgers.

Arlene is survived by her son Michael (Jan) Barker of Warren, grandchildren; Stephanie (Jason) Artingstall, Heath Barker, Luke (Crystal) Barker, Jase (Amanda) Barker, Jack Barker, great grandchildren; Lily, Lynkin, Delanie, Dylan, Bentley, and Finley.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Bob in 2004, son Dave Barker, and a sister.

Memorial services will be held at 11 a.m. on Sunday, Nov. 19, at the Bartell-Leamon Funeral Home in Warren.

A visitation will be from 10 a.m. until time of services on Sunday at the funeral home.

Pastor Roger Bronkema will officiate the services.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

A private family burial will be held at a later date.

A memorial has been established in her memory.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.leamonfh.com.

ROBERT THEODORE CARTON

Robert Theodore Carton, one of the Lord's true instruments of peace, passed away at home surrounded by his loving family on Saturday, Nov. 11, 2017.

Visitation will be Wednesday, Nov. 15 from 4-7 p.m. at Rafferty Funeral Home, 2111-1st Street A, Moline where a rosary will be recited at 3:30 p.m. A Funeral Mass will be offered on Thursday, Nov. 16, at Saint Pius X Catholic Church, Rock Island at 10:30 a.m. Burial will follow the Funeral Mass at National Cemetery, Rock Island Arsenal. Military honors will be conducted. In lieu of flowers a memorial fund will be established.

Bob was born to Adiel and Augusta Carton on April 4, 1920 in Moline, IL. In his younger years, Bob and siblings worked with their mother at Carton's Grocery, Moline, the family business. He graduated with honors from St. Ambrose College in 1942. He was a two-year captain of the basketball team and an All Conference Collegiate. He was later inducted into the St. Ambrose Basketball Hall of Fame. He was a WWII veteran, having served in the European theater at the Advanced Headquarters of the Ninth Air Force. He received the Bronze Star for meritorious service. He was employed as Director of Employee Relations at the former Iowa-Illinois Gas and Electric Company, retiring in 1985 after 40 years of service.

Bob met Mary Evelyn Hagan, the love of his life, in Bad Kissingen, Germany while he was serving with the Ninth Air Force. She had joined the American Red Cross and was deployed to Europe as Secretary to the Field Director for the Ninth Air Force. Theirs was a love for the ages and they celebrated 62 years of marriage before her death in 2008. Together they raised 10 children, and enjoyed 40 grandchildren, 45 great grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

Bob and his beloved Mary Evelyn entered the postulate and novitiate of the Third Order of St Francis at Sacred Heart Church in Peoria, IL and were professed as Tertiaries in 1950. Their spiritual lives continued to be strengthened by their following the Rule of Saint Francis, and they were generous in support of Catholic mission projects.

Bob was active in his community,

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Lena Living Center's
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From Nov. 25th - Dec. 5th, Lena Living Center will be accepting decorated trees to brighten the holidays for our residents.

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serving on the Board of Directors for Catholic Social Services, for Skills Incorporated, for Project Now, and for the Rock Island Chamber of Commerce. He was a past president and a long standing member of the Rock Island Optimist Club. He also loved attending hundreds of sporting events in support of his children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. His love of a good game was only surpassed by his love of the kids. His scrambled and over-easy eggs made brunch incomparable and he looked forward to making his signature Sunday dinner of roast and potatoes. He also loved grilling outdoors. His well known love of ice cream stemmed from his younger years when he was employed by the Sturdevant Dairy in Rock Island.

Bob is survived by sons: Anthony (Cynthia) Apple River, IL, Thomas (Linda) of Munster, IN, Leo (Mary) of Roseville, MN, Gerry, and daughters Barbara McAtee of Metairie, LA, Rita Sproston of Geneseo, Mary (John) Pocivasek of Moline, Ann Walas of Moline, and Regina Kline of Rock Island.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents Adiel and Augusta, wife Mary Evelyn, and their son Benedict, son-in-laws Jerry Kline, Bob Sproston, and Bob Walas, grandchildren Kyle Sproston and Helen Carton, sisters Hilda, Ann, and Sister Mary Antonia O.S.F. and brothers, Rt. Rev. Msgr. George A. Carton, John and Joseph.

A special "Thank you" to Julie Frutiger who helped provide him with gentle care, compassion and comfort in his last days.

JUNE A. HAY

June A. Hay age 62, passed away unexpectedly at her home on Thursday November 9, 2017. She was born on Sept. 21, 1955 to Dan and June (Maine) Sedwick in Blackwell, OK. She married Terry Hay on Aug. 23, 1980. She worked as a secretary for Met Life in Freeport, IL. She was a member of St. John's Lutheran. She enjoyed flowers and watching the birds.

She is survived by her husband Terry of Lena, IL, Son Chris Hay of Washington and a granddaughter Aurora. Many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, infant brother and 4 brothers.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday Nov. 14, at 11 a.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church in Lena.

Visitation will be held from 9 a.m. till time of services on Tuesday.

A memorial has been established in her memory.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.leamonfh.com.

GERALD "GERRY" W. KOERTNER

Gerald "Gerry" W. Koertner, 71, of Lena passed away on Thursday, Nov. 9, 2017 at the William S. Memorial Veteran's Hospital in Madison. Gerry was born on April 5, 1946 to Wilbur "Mose" and Marguerite "Peg" (Raders) Koertner in Freeport, IL. He graduated from Lena-Winslow High School in 1964. He enlisted in the United States Air Force in 1966, and served until 1970, working on Minuteman Missiles. Gerry delivered milk for Dean's for many years before taking over the family dairy farm, which he loved sharing with his wife and two daughters. Later on in life, he worked in the financial industry selling insurance and in his retirement, enjoyed working for FS part-time. In 1982 he married his true love, Jean Bornmann. Gerry was the proud father of Brooke and Kristin. His life became even more blessed with the arrival of each of his four

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Community Holiday Tree Lighting
Enjoy refreshments and holiday caroling as we "flip the switch" to light up Freeport's holiday tree!
Sunday, November 19 • 5 p.m.
Stephenson Street side of FHN Memorial Hospital
Refreshments • Holiday caroling • Santa • No charge

Community Festival of Trees
Enjoy holiday trees decorated by local service organizations, clubs and church groups competing for prizes. Vote for your favorite holiday tree December 4-16!
Monday, December 4 – Saturday, December 30
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Community Festival of Trees Kickoff
Enjoy holiday music, tour the FHN Community Festival of Trees and watch the movie *Elf* with your family. Children are welcome to attend in their pajamas.
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Holiday Storytelling
Listen to a holiday story or two in Santa's visiting area.
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Singin' at the King
Enjoy holiday music from area schools.
Thursday, December 7 • 5:30 p.m.
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grandchildren, Bailey, Braden, Avery, and Liesl.

Gerry enjoyed always being there for his family, spending time with friends, volunteering for the VA and American Legion.

He is survived by his wife Jean, his daughters Brooke (Dan) Baldauf and Kristin Jones, all of Lena; grandchildren Bailey, Braden, Avery Baldauf and Liesl Jones; brother Bill (Camille) Koertner of Barrington, IL and sister Jane (Doug) Vorhies of Oxford, Mississippi, and many special family and friends.

Gerry is preceded in death by his parents.

Visitation was Nov. 12, at St. John's Lutheran Church in Lena.

Memorial services were held Nov. 13, at St. John Lutheran Church in Lena.

Burial will be at a later date.

Rev. Rick Bader performed the services.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

A memorial has been established in his name.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.leamonfh.com.

ROSETTA (ROSIE) M. MAYER

Rosetta (Rosie) M. Mayer 89 of Orangeville, IL passed away peacefully Wednesday Nov. 8, 2017 at the Monroe Clinic Hospice Home. She was born on April 5, 1928 to Adolf and Florence (Wire) Baertschi. She married Gerald Mayer on Dec. 8, 1944. They had 10 children. They farmed in the area for many years before moving to Monticello in 1965. She worked as a food server and cook until 1978 when she moved to Darien, WI to manage a gas and convenient store for 5 years. She then came back to Monroe to open her own restaurant

Rose's Café, then Huckleberry Inn in Orangeville, IL. After retiring she enjoyed gardening and making many quilts for family and friends. Her quilts have made it to many states. She will be greatly missed.

She is survived by children; Sharon Andrews (Jim Briggs) Orangeville, IL, Kristine Squier. Oshgosh, WI., Rebecca (Becky) Neuenschwander Orangeville, IL, Diane (Dewey) Curran Adams, WI, Melanie Drake Monroe, WI,

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ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES: Dunn-Pen store display cabinet; lg locker unit; lg wood wagon wheels; farm primitives; oak wall phones; vintage lighting; several beer signs; porcelain & tin signs; pictures; 1913 Jo Daviess Co., 1894 & 1913 Stephenson Co. plat books; musical instruments; Zimmerman of Rock City store flour sifter; **many** Freeport adv items; **large quantity** of Rawleigh & McNess tins/bottles; Griswold 10 Dutch oven; Redwing crock chicken water; carnival glass; Van Briggle lamps; salesman sample wood wringer. Not many furniture pcs on this auction, but some very nice, good quality antiques & collectibles. Check web site for listing and pictures.

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STOCKTON - 5+/- ACRE PROPERTY ON HARD SURFACE ROAD not far from US Hwy 20. Property consists of a 3 bedroom, 1 bath home, a wood building 75 x 40 with a lean to that is 75 x 24 and a block building 80 x 40 with electric, heat, concrete floor, stool and room to add back a paint booth. Priced at $169,900

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Timothy (Stacey) Mayer Brohead, Wi., Michelle (Shelly) (Jim) Stauffacher Albany, WI, Daughter-in-law; Ann Mayer Platteville, WI, Son-in-law; Gordon Gempeler Monroe, Wi, Brother Raymond of Florida, Sister-in-law Virginia Mayer Monroe, WI, 22 grandchildren, 39 great-grandchildren, and 41 great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by an infant daughter Jacquelyn Lynn, son Edward Mayer, daughter Marsha Gempeler, brothers Donald and Duane and son-in-law Paul Squier.

A Celebration of Life was held on Monday Nov. 13, at the Cramer-Leamon Funeral Home in Orangeville. Snacks will be provided.

Cremation Rites have been accorded per Rosie's wishes.

A memorial has been established in her name for the Monroe Clinic Hospice Home.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.leamonfh.com

The family would like to express their deepest gratitude to the "Angels" at the Monroe Clinic Hospice Home for taking care of "Rosie". She loved each and every one of them.

LARRY WOOLCOCK

Larry Woolcock, loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle and friend went to his eternal home to be with the Lord, family and friends Nov. 5, 2017. Age is no longer important as he will now always be young and healthy.

Larry graduated from Lena-Winslow High School in 1972, married his blind date, Christine Thill, on Nov. 1, 1973, and together they started their family in Aug. 1974. Family was extremely important to Larry, and he loved spending time with all of them, especially his granddaughters. He was known to go out of his way whenever he could to help with them. He enjoyed visits with family and friends either by phone or in person. "Uncle Lare" as he is fondly remembered by his nieces and nephews, was always good for a laugh. Larry enjoyed his work as a manager and machinist in injection molding for many years ending a long career at PNC in Polo, IL, in December 2013. In his spare time, he loved boating on the Mississippi River. For a number of years he rented part of an island from the Army Corp. of Engineers with his brother Jerry, and they kept house boats there. Larry and Jerry were known to take a pontoon boat up to Bellevue, Iowa, for breakfast on many weekends. Once Larry could no longer boat, he still liked to come watch the river and particularly enjoyed watching Bald Eagles in early spring and the leaves change colors in the fall. Larry's primary love was his dedication in faith to Jesus our Lord and Savior. He shared that love and passion with his church family at the Evangelical Free Church of Lena. He enjoyed helping with Awana, VBS, and attending bible study. He will be greatly missed by all.

Larry is forever etched in the hearts of his loving wife Christine Woolcock (Thill), daughters Laurinda (Nathan) Howe, Talena (Scott) Wuebbels and granddaughters April Woolcock, Jennifer Wuebbels, Elizabeth Wuebbels and Olivia Howe. He will be forever loved and remembered by his sister Faye (Darryl) Wybourn, sister-in-laws Kay Woolcock and Karen Woolcock, many nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and a few aunts and uncles. The family welcoming him to his eternal home with Jesus are his parents, Clarence and Selma Woolcock (Olson), one sister and brother-in-law Marilyn and Tom Costello and two brothers Edward Woolcock and Gerald Woolcock. Larry's family wishes to invite family and friends to join in the celebration of Larry's life.

Visitation services will be held on Monday, Nov. 20, from 4 to 7:30 p.m. at the Evangelical Free Church of Lena. Memorial services will be on Tuesday, Nov. 21, at 6 p.m. Attendees are invited to share in a light meal after the funeral service. Graveside services will follow at a later date. In lieu of flowers, a memorial fund has been established in Larry's memory. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.leamonfh.com.

Birth Announcement

EVELYN DOUBLER

Brice and Catharyne Doubler of Warren, IL. are the parents of a daughter Evelyn Grace Doubler born Monday Nov. 6, 2017 at FHN Memorial Hospital, Freeport, Ill. Grandparents are Jeff and Cindy Waters of Apple River, Ill. and Howard and Donna Doubler of Warren.

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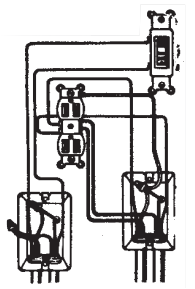
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Vote for Stockton's Miss Merry Christmas and Little Jack Frost

You can vote as many times as you like as long as it is an original ballot from the newspaper. You can mail your entry or drop it off at Furst Staffing, 112 S Main St, Stockton.

Name_____

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Vote for one Miss Merry Christmas and one Little Jack Frost

Miss Merry Christmas Contestant Number #____

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