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Hoopeston City Council accepts bid for 6th Ave. drainage

A drainage ditch on Sixth Ave. is a step closer to being covered.

The Hoopeston City Council on Tuesday accepted a \$164,200 bid from Voyles Construction to lay new tile and cover the ditch. The tile will be 84 inch, 12 gauge galvanized steel, said water/sewer committee chairman Don York.

Two other bids were received, from Silver Brothers Construction for \$178,186 and Steiner Farm Drainage for \$237,160.

The city received a \$175,000 Illinois First grant to

pay for the project.

In unrelated business, the council:

- approved a definition of "parkway" as being the area between a curb and sidewalk. The definition will aid police in enforcing parking ordinances.

Aldermen Bill Goodwine and Dave Borders voted no on the issue.

- learned the police dispatch center successfully completed a 26-point audit by the Illinois State Police. Aldermen commended dispatchers and supervisor Russell Rudd for their efforts.

Briefly

Nurses' coffee

The monthly nurses' coffee will be held at 8 a.m. Wednesday in the Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital cafeteria.

Tiny Tots

"Freaky Frogs" will be the theme of this week's Tiny Tots story program. The program is held at 10:30 a.m. Friday in the Hoopeston Public Library children's room.

Tiny Tots is open to children ages 1-4 who are accompanied by an adult.

Community Fund

The United Community Fund of Grant Township board will meet at noon Wednesday at the Hoopeston Multi Agency.

From DACC

Volunteer tutor training for the Reader's Route, the adult education literacy project, will be offered from 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 20 and 27 at the Danville Public Library.

The 12-hour training sessions must be attended for

potential volunteers.

For more information, call Louise Free at (217) 443-8868.

The Small Business Development Center will hold a workshop series for area residents considering going into business or who have recently started a business.

The workshops will be held from 6-8 p.m. Wednesdays between Feb. 7 and March 21 at the Danville Public Library, 319 N. Vermilion, Danville. The series is free but reservations are required.

Topics to be covered will include business plan preparations, budgeting, advertising and marketing, record keeping, tax and government compliance, personnel and legal matters, expanding the business, dealing with vendors, pricing goods and services and others.

Those who complete the series will receive one hour of degree credit in the marketing mid-management program.

For more information, call Angie Craft at (217) 442-7232.

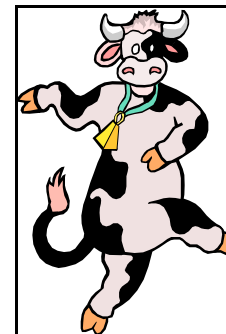
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No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 3:54 p.m. Thursday in the 300 block of South Market.

Police said Marlan Schultz of 2175 E 200 N. Rd., Wellington, backed his 1992 Chevrolet Suburban from a parking space at Priceless and struck a parked 2000 Pontiac Grand Prix owned by Mark Willard of 20947 E. 3750 N. Rd.

An employee of Casey's General Store, 225 E. Orange, reported Thursday that someone took \$6.99 in gasoline without paying for it.

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident

Obituaries

COFFMAN—Anna M. Coffman, 88, of Hoopeston, died at 6:35 a.m. Friday, Dec. 29, 2000 at Iroquois Memorial Hospital. Arrangements are pending at Hamilton-Orr Funeral Home.

COX—Wilbur P. "Web" Cox, 76, of Holiday, Fla., died at 8 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 28, 2000 at home. Funeral services were at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Wolfe Funeral Home, Potomac. Burial was in Rossville

In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital
Dec. 28

Admitted: none.

Discharged: Reba Watson.

Dec. 29

Admitted: Birdell Marie Schwartz.

Discharged: Margaret Medendorp.

Dec. 30

Admitted: Donna Watson, Victoria Misner, Hoopeston

Discharged: none.

Dec. 31

Admitted: none.

Discharged: Donna Watson, Birdell Marie Schwartz, Victoria Misner

Jan. 1

Admitted: none.

Discharged: Ruth Winger.

Police News



at 1:40 p.m. Saturday at Hoopeston Plaza.

Police said Donald F. Lavicka of Milford, in a 1998 Dodge Ram 1500 was westbound in the parking lot and collided with a 1998 Chevrolet S-10 driven by Ronald B. Williams II of Hoopeston.

A Rankin woman was treated and released at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital following an accident at 2:28 p.m. Monday.

Cherish Lambert of 2285 E. 3900 N. Rd., Rankin, was treated after her 1998 Chevrolet Lumina was backed into by a 1999 Toyota driven by Ming Zhao, 113 E. Main.

Cemetery. Visitation was 9-11 a.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

MORLAN—Harrell E. "Duke" Morlan Sr., 87, of Cheneyville, died at 6:43 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 31, 2000 at Iroquois Memorial Hospital, Watseka. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Hamilton-Orr Funeral Home. Burial will be in West Lebanon Cemetery, West Lebanon, Ind. Visitation will be 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

SEIWERT—Roger W. Seiwert, 63, of rural Milford, died at 9:02 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 30, 2000 at home. No services will be held. The body will be cremated. Ford-Baier Funeral Home, Paxton, was in charge of arrangements.

New Books at the Library



Fiction:

Nothing But the Truth by John Lescroart

The Prometheus Deception by Robert Ludlum

Weather



Flurries today, possibly mixed with freezing drizzle. High 23. Tonight, mostly cloudy, chance of fog. Low 17. Tomorrow, light snow, freezing rain likely. High 28, low 20.

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No tickets were issued.

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