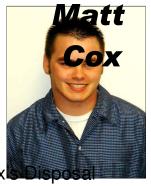
Crown Ford Mercury

is proud to announce the addition of two new consultants to the sales staff!

has joined the Crown team. Matt formerly worked with his father, Bill, at Cox

of Rossville.





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State Sen. Dan Rutherford recently visited

Briefly

Enactors to mark film

Members of the Illiana Civil War Historical Society will appear in period clothing and props Saturday as part of the Lorraine Theatre's showing of "Gods and Generals."

Flags, weaponry, artifacts and a cannon will be on display throughout the weekend and re-enactors in uniforms and ladies in period clothing will be at the theater all day Saturday.

The film will be shown Friday through Thursday.

Senator visits Hoopeston



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know the people of Hoopeston," he said.

"I am glad to have the opportunity to develop a relationship with the people of Hoopeston," he said. "I look forward to visiting this town again soon."

Hoopeston, meeting with the staff of Accent Health

Care and other businesses. "I am very excited to get to

Tiny Tots

"Curious George" is the theme of this week's Tiny Tots story program 10:30 a.m. Friday at the Hoopeston Public Library children's room.

Tiny Tots is open to children ages 1-4 who are



Sunday

Tater's Boss is turning 50 Friday so celebrate Friday night!

\$1.25 domestic beer & Pucker shots! 75¢ drafts! Free pool & jukebox! **Happy 50th Steve!**



Plant this weekend

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LORRAINE

Screen 1: "Gods and Generals" (PG-13)

Starring Robert Duvall and Jeff Daniels Scope, 229 minutes (with 12-minute intermission), presented in SDDS/HPS-4000 sound

6:30 p.m. nightly, 2 p.m. Sat. & Sun.

Screen 2: "The Hours" (PG-13)

Meryl Streep, Nicole Kidman, Julianne Moore & Ed Harris Nominated for 6 Academy Awards, including Best Picture Flat, 115 minutes, presented in Dolby SR Stereo 7 p.m. nightly, 3 p.m. Sat. & Sun.

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Hoopeston Junior Women's Club



Saturday, March 22, 2003 **Hoopeston American Legion** 5:30-8:30 p.m. \$1.50 tacos Carry-outs available



Lunch Menus



Hoopeston Area grade schools

MONDAY: Stuffed crust pepperoni pizza, salad, applesauce.

TUESDAY: Salisbury steak, gravy, roll, mashed potatoes, pear slices, milk.

WEDNESDAY: Ravioli, max stix, corn, peach

Police News



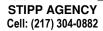
Betty M. Hyde, 45, of 200 E. Main, was arrested at 11:31 p.m. Wednesday at Second Chance Saloon, 102 N. Market. She was charged with battery on a complaint from a 23-year-old Hoopeston man who alleged Hyde slapped him several times.

Hyde was released on a notice to appear.

Two people were arrested after a traffic stop at 10:59 p.m. Wednesday at North Market and McCracken.

Matthew S. Ray, 20, of 33982 N 1700 E Rd., Rossville, was charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and illegal consumption. Thomas R. Powers, 17, of 857 E. Penn, was charged with illegal consump-





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Hoopeston **Memorials**

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slices, milk.

THURSDAY: Chicken patty/bun, fries, fruit cocktail, brownie, milk.

FRIDAY: French toast sticks, syrup, sausage patty, orange, fruit juice, milk.

Hoopeston Area High/Middle School

MONDAY: Stuffed crust pepperoni pizza, salad, applesauce, milk.

TUESDAY: Chicken strips, potato wedges, cheese sauce, fruit cocktail, milk.

WEDNESDAY: Salisbury steak or turkey/bun, mashed potatoes, corn, peach slices, milk.

THURSDAY: Spaghetti/meat sauce or steak nuggets, garlic bread, salad, fruit cocktail, milk.

FRIDAY: Grilled cheese, chili or potato soup, crackers, peach slices, milk.

Rossville-Alvin schools

MONDAY: Lasagna, green beans, pineapple, garlic bread, milk.

TUESDAY: Pizza Hut, salad, chocolate pudding, peaches, milk.

WEDNESDAY: Cheeseburger, celery w/peanut butter, chips, salsa, ½ apple, ½ orange, milk.

THURSDAY: Chicken & noodles, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas, mixed fruit, homemade bread, milk.

FRIDAY: Chicken patty, potato wedges, applesauce, chocolate chip cookie, milk.

Weather



Chance of showers today. High 55. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 35. Tomorrow and Sunday, partly sunny. High 55-60, lows 35.

For current weather conditions, call the **Hoop**eston Weather Line at (217) 283-6221.



Tacos

Thursday 3-8 p.m.

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New items coming in

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