

has Sprung Open House

Saturday March 19th from 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Come out and take advantage of our special sales and giveaways for the day! Treats in the greenhouse among the Easter Lilies! Easter Bunny will be hopping in at 2 p.m.! Get a first look at our new Spring line of gift shop items! Don't miss out on the fun!!!

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Hoopeston mourns death of Rita Dean, retired teacher, singer

Hoopeston is mourning the death of a longtime teacher, friend and songstress.

Rita Dean, of Hoopeston, died of injuries from a twovehicle accident Tuesday north of Paxton.

Mrs. Dean was a former English teacher at Hoopeston Area High School and was a member of the Danville Sweet Adelines.

According to a Ford County accident report, the accident occurred at about 2:18 p.m. Tuesday. Pedro Vargas Gonzales, 42, of Loda, in a 2006 Pontiac Grand Prix, was eastbound on County Rd. 800N, entered the intersection of Rt. 115, and hit Mrs. Dean's 2014 Ford Es-

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cape in the driver's side door area.

Vargas-Gonzales' car then spun 90 degrees counterclockwise, hit a utility pole and ended up facing north.

Mrs. Dean's vehicle veered off the pavement right and hit the guide wire to the utility pole, rolled over once, resting on its tires, facing northeast, according to the report.

Mrs. Dean was airlifted to Carle Foundation Hospital, where she later died.

Information on Vargas-Gonzales' injuries was not available at press time He was cited for no valid license and failure to stop at the intersection.

Correction

In a cutline Tuesday, staff of Reliable Auto of Hoopeston were misidentified as being from Dependable Auto. Just the Facts regrets the error.

From the Blotter

Waylon Henning, 19, of Hoopeston, was arrested after police were called at 8:02 p.m. Tuesday to Sixth St. and East Seminary for a report of a truck running his See POLICE on other side





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-Briefly

HAYB signup

The final Hoopeston Area Youth Baseball signup will be held form 6-8 p.m. Saturday at Fast Lanes.

At the library

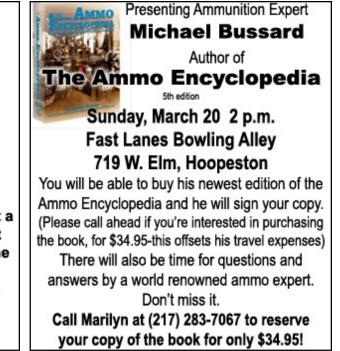
Tree Climbers Genealogy Group

Residents interested in genealogy are invited to attend this monthly session at 10 a.m., Saturday, March 19.

Local historian Carol Hicks will present a short program on "Documentation: How to do it and Why it's

Obituaries

SAMET - Marie Katherine (Oberlander) Samet, 97, of Hoopeston, formerly of East Lynn and Cissna Park, died Wednesday, March 16, 2016, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Friday at Knapp Funeral Home and one hour before the 10:30 a.m. funeral Saturday at Christian Bible Church, Cissna Park. Burial will be in Apostolic Christian Cemetery, Cissna Park. Memorials are suggested to the church or donor's choice.



important." The group is free and open to anyone in the community who has an interest in tracing their family tree.

Good Friday service

All are invited to the Community Good Friday Worship, to be held on Friday, March 25, at noon at the Presbyterian Church in Hoopeston. Hoopeston Area Ministerial Association provides the service so congregations can worship together at this very holy time.

Police continued from other side

engine. He was charged with breach of peace on a complaint from a 17-year-old Hoopeston girl and was released on a notice to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

Stephanie R. Solis, 50, of Hoopeston, was arrested after an incident at 11:27 a.m. Wednesday in the 500 block of East Young. She was charged with domestic battery on a complaint from a 35-year-old Hoopeston man and was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

Three people were arrested after police were called at 5:46 p.m. Wednesday for a disturbance in the 500 block of North Eighth Ave.

Jimmy Wisecup, 48, of Hoopeston, and a female girl were each charged with disorderly conduct. A male boy was charged with criminal damage to property over \$500 for allegedly damaging a vehicle.

Weather

Mostly sunny today. High 49. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Low 31. Tomorrow, mostly cloudy. High 44, low 30. Sunday, mostly sunny. High 44, low 30.

For Your Convenience HOOPESTON CAR WASH & MILL-FORD CAR WASH now accept Debit/Credit Cards in the Automatics AND Self Service Fast & Easy! No more hunting for change!

Scholarship applications available

Applications for Hoopeston Junior Women's Club scholarships are now available at Hoopeston Public Library. The group awards an annual \$500 scholarship to a Hoopeston Area High School senior.

Classifieds

AUCTIONS

Welding Shop Auction

March 19 10 a.m. 3 miles east of Cissna Park Snap-On tools, , 3 drill presses, 3 double head grinders, trip hammer, metal cutting saws, butchering equipment Band saw Toledo, large meat grinder, cider press large, 3 shotguns, tire changer, hyd. Hose machine & hose large welding table, Wilton vise on barrel, large drill bits 2 3/4". Info: Don, 1 815-383-0010

HELP WANTED

The City of Hoopeston is seeking an energetic, self-motivated individual who has the ability to analyze, implement and manage the day-to-day operations of the city's administrative office. The individual needs to be a capable leader and a skilled manager.

Primary duties include human resources, payroll, risk management, health insurance administration, financial accounts management and administrative assistant to the Mayor and City Council members.

Requirements: associate's degree in business administration with a minimum of three years' leadership experience or equivalent thereof.

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