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From the Blotter

Marcus Coe, 18, of Hoopeston, was ticketed for operating an uninsured vehicle after an accident at 11:41 a.m. Thursday.
 Police said Coe, in a 1995 Jeep, collided with a 2014 Ford driven by Delin Cotton, of Danville, in the Parkview Court driveway.
 No injuries were reported.
Jackie Carswell, 36, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 10:44 p.m. Thursday at Dollar General, 415 S. Dixie Hwy. Wanted on a Vermilion County warrant for failure

to appear, she was released on bond with a new court date.
No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 2:20 p.m. Friday at Rt. 9 and South Market. Police said Ambler Zarate, of Hoopeston, in a 2007 Chrysler, failed to reduce speed and struck a 2004 Chevrolet driven by Kurt Albers, of Martinton, who was stopped at the intersection.
Jonathan Goodrum, 19, of Hoopeston, was ticketed after an accident at 3:42 p.m. Friday at South Sixth Ave. See **BLOTTER** on other side



Photo by Scott Anderson/Facebook

Lending a hand
 Hoopeston Fire Department was one of 15 agencies called to an early morning fire at Shorty's Bar and Grill, 217 E. Walnut St., Watseka. The fire started around 3 a.m., with Hoopeston firefighters summoned for mutual aid at 4:12 a.m. The fire spread to an adjacent structure, believed to be a storage facility. Both buildings were a total loss. Fire-fighting efforts were hampered due to the extreme cold, said Watseka Fire Chief Tim Ketchum. The cause of the fire is still under investigation, he said.

As the Holiday Season is upon us, we find ourselves reflecting on the past year and on those who have helped to shape our business in a most significant way. We value our relationship with you and look forward to working with you in the year to come. We wish you a very happy Holiday Season and a New Year filled with peace and prosperity. From the the Computer Works, inc., and us to you!

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Briefly

Food giveaway rescheduled

The Eastern Illinois Food Bank food mobile appearance in Ridge Farm has been rescheduled from 10-11:30 a.m. January 27 at the Ridge Farm Fire Protection District, 16 W Woodyard Ave.

A complete food mobile schedule and income guidelines is available at cifoodbank.org/help/mobile.html.

At the library

Upcoming events at Hoopeston Public Library are:

Coffee and Coloring, 10-11 a.m. Monday. Relax, have a cup of coffee and enjoy coloring. Materials provided or bring your own. Adults only; no children please.

Mary Hartwell Catherwood book club, 1:30-2:30 p.m. Monday. This month's selection: Mistaken Identity by Don and Susie Van Ryn.

Home School Group, 1:30-2:30 p.m. Thursday. All local home school families are invited to gather to share ideas. Bring the kids! Activities for all! Refreshments.

Tiny Tots story program, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Friday. For youngsters ages 0-4 who are accompanied by an adult.

2018 Birthday Club

Hoopeston Jaycees are proud to continue the giving tradition by hosting the 2018 Birthday Club. Details and

Obituaries

DAHLQUIST - Vesta Jean (Hibler) Wagner Dahlquist, 98, of Milford, died Thursday, Jan. 4, 2018 at home. She was cremated. Graveside service will be held at Maple Grove Cemetery, Milford, at a later date. Memorials are suggested to Milford United Methodist Church or Milford Public Library. Knapp Funeral Home, Milford, is handling arrangements.

EDWARDS - William Dale Edwards, 80, of Hoopeston, died at 3:54 p.m. Friday, Jan. 5, 2018 at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Wednesday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Funeral will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Burial will follow in Floral Hill Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to National Kidney Foundation, 30 E. 33rd St., New York, NY 10016.

MAYBERRY - Donald E. Mayberry, 67, of Hoopeston, died unexpectedly Wednesday, Jan. 3, 2018 at Carle Hoopeston Regional Health Center. Visitation was 11 a.m. until the 1 p.m. celebration of his life Saturday at Blurton Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Burial was in Floral Hill Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to donor's choice.

registration information is at www.hoopestonjaycees.org.

WIC schedule change

Due to staffing shortages, Vermilion County Health Department will not hold the WIC clinic in Hoopeston in January. Contact the health department at (217) 431-2662, ext. 101 or check www.vchd.org or "WIC at the Vermilion County Health Department" Facebook page for updates.

Breast cancer support group

Hoopeston Breast Cancer Support Group meets at 6 p.m. the third Thursday of each month at The Pit Stop Restaurant at Fast Lanes. This month's meeting will be January 18.

The group is open to all past and present breast cancer survivors. For more information, call Pat Foster, (815) 984-4040 or (309) 208-9828.

New Books at the Library

Fiction

Typhoon Fury by Clive Cussler
Refuge Cove by Janet Dailey
Amish Christmas Twins by Patricia Davids (inspirational)/paperback
The Locals by Jonathan Dee
A Baby for the Doctor by Stephanie Dees (inspirational)/paperback
The Child Finder by Rene Denfeld
Birdcage Walk by Helen Dunmore
Hardcore Twenty-Four by Janet Evanovich
The Noel Diary by Richard Paul Evans
The Trickster's Lullaby by Barbara Fradkin (mystery)
Long Ride Home by W. Michael Gear (large print)
American Drifter by Heather Graham

Lighter Than My Shadow by Katie Green (young adult)
Exit West by Mohsin Hamid
The Sinner by Petra Hammesfahr
Sweet Tea and Sympathy by Molly Harper
Vanishing Point by Lisa Harris (inspirational)
Becoming Bella by Sarah Hegger (Paperback)
When Legends Die by Greg Hunt (large print)
Blue Ridge Sunrise by Denise Hunter (inspirational)
Last Chance by Gregg Hurwitz (young adult)
The Librarian of Auschwitz by Antonio Iturbe (young adult)
Christmas on the RNCH by Arlene James (inspirational)/paperback
The Last Day of Emily Lindsey by Nic Joseph

Lunch Menus

Hoopeston Area grade schools

MONDAY: Chicken nuggets, broccoli/cheese, cucumber slices, applesauce, milk
TUESDAY: Taco Max Snax, refried beans, chips & salsa, salad, peaches, milk
WEDNESDAY: Ham & cheese sandwich, Sunchips, celery sticks, pears, Sunset Sip Juice, milk
THURSDAY: Pancake and sausage nuggets, hash browns, baby carrots, mandarin orange, milk
FRIDAY: Pork BBQ/bun, fries, mixed fruit, Sunset Sip Juice, milk

Hoopeston Area Middle School

MONDAY: Chicken strips, broccoli/cheese, salad, applesauce, milk, juice
TUESDAY: Country fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple, milk, juice
WEDNESDAY: Spaghetti, Max Stick, salad, pears, milk, juice
THURSDAY: Mini corndogs, baked beans, salad,

peaches, milk, juice

FRIDAY: Pizza, salad, mixed fruit, milk, juice

Hoopeston Area High School

MONDAY: Chicken strips or ham & cheese, broccoli/cheese, salad bar, applesauce, milk, juice
TUESDAY: Country fried steak or Hot Pocket, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple, milk, juice
WEDNESDAY: Spaghetti or BBQ rib, Max Stick, salad bar, pears, milk, juice
THURSDAY: Mini corndogs or cheeseburger, baked beans, salad bar, peaches, milk, juice
FRIDAY: Pizza or fish sandwich, salad, mixed fruit, milk, juice

Weather

WINTER WEATHER ADVISORY until 6 a.m. today. Mostly cloudy. High 37. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 19. Tomorrow, cloudy, drizzle, fog late. High 36, low 31.

Fire Calls

Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 12:41 p.m. Thursday to the KBSR rail crossing at 4200 North Rd., north of Cheneyville, for a reported rollover with possible entrapment. Firemen reported the unidentified motorist had minor injuries but no entrapment. The accident was handled by Vermilion County Sheriff's Department.

Court Dispositions

December 7

Jeff Baker, Hoopeston, failed to appear, found guilty of restraint of dogs by owner, fined \$180; status hearing January 4.

Valarie Hinkle, Hoopeston, case dismissed.

Robert Ferrell, Hoopeston, status check January 4.

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and West Chestnut.

Police said Goodrum, in a 2014 Ford Escape, was northbound, tried to turn right and hit a stop sign. He was ticketed for operating an uninsured motor vehicle and traveling too fast for conditions and released on a notice to appear in Vermilion County traffic court.

Matthew M. Hofer, 33, of Hoopeston, was arrested after a traffic stop at 8:46 p.m. Saturday in the 300 block of East Maple. He was charged with driving while license revoked and released on a notice to appear in Vermilion County traffic court.

Aaron Cannon, 26, of Hoopeston, was arrested after a traffic stop at 10:33 p.m. Saturday at Penn and the railroad tracks. He was charged with possession of methamphetamines and was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

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