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## Hoopeston Area board okays shortfall budget

The Hoopeston Area school district 1994-95 budget shows an approximate \$2.2 million shortfall.

The school board Thursday night passed a budget which includes \$7.6 million in revenue, but \$9.8 million in expenses.

However, state payments for the district's reorganization with the former Rankin school district and surpluses last year should boost balances to the black by the end of the year.

Dean said the district will receive about \$500,000 from the state as the second installment from the reorganization. That, coupled with reserves, will allow the district to maintain financial stability, he said, estimating the district will have an \$896,000 cash balance on June 30, 1995.

In a related issue, Dean said enrollment declined over last year.

The annual six-day enrollment figures show the district has 1,680 students, including 81 migrants, this year.

Last year, Hoopeston schools had an enrollment of 1,738, with 50 migrant students.

Dean called the decrease "a little bit of a problem," saying "when you lose 88 kids, and you parlay that into your average daily attendance, you could be looking at a state aid loss of \$140,000 to \$150,000.

While important, Dean said the loss is not critical. "It doesn't mean we're going to have to cut staff or anything like that, but it does bear watching," he said.

The amount of state aid could remain the same if the state increased the amount given to schools per student per day. Dean said. However, because next year will be the first year of a new governor's term, funding probably will not be increased. "That's when they're furthest away from reelection," Dean said. "That will be the lowest funding year of the four-year term."

In unrelated action, the board hired Rebecca Martinez and Marsha Lewis, Chapter 1 aides, Maple; Annette Lockhart and Anita Martinez, teacher aides, Maple; Becky Johnson, bus driver; Dana Knoll, John Greer secretary; and Darrell Judy, part time bus driver/custodian.

## Marching Cornjerkers to participate in county contest

The Hoopeston Area High School Marching band will participate in the Vermilion County Marching Festival in Westville on Saturday.

Also participating will be Bismarck-Henning, Watseka, Georgetown-Ridge Farm, Paxton-Buckley-Loda and Westville.

Parade competition begins at 5:30 p.m. The parade route will go south on Washington Street from Zamberletti Park and over on Main Street to

the Judith Giacomma Grade School on Walnut Street.

The field show will begin at 7 p.m. on the Westville High School football field. Admission to the field show will be \$2 per person.

The Marching Cornjerkers consist of 99 band students, three drum majors and 22 flag corps members. Mark Lindvahl is the band director, assisted by Marty Lindvahl.

## It's Molly's Green Tag Rummage Sale!

Sept. 16, 17, 18

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## Classifieds

### RUMMAGE SALES

Huge sale - 2 bags/\$1 in the thrift shop, 206 S. First Ave. Sept. 21, 22, 23, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.; Sept. 24, 9 a.m.-noon. Closed Sept. 19 & 20 to prepare for sale. Eastern Illinois Multi Purpose Center.

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## Up & Coming

### Gospel concert

The First Presbyterian Church of Hoopeston will sponsor a gospel concert from 5-7:30 p.m. Sunday in the church parking lot. Homeward Bound is the featured group. Other performers will include Carla Roberson and Sandy Hooper.

The public is invited.

### EIMPC activities

Activities at the community center next week

include: Monday, 12:30, bridge; Tuesday, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., hearing aid; Thursday, 9 a.m., coffee hours, 12:30 p.m., bridge.

### Inspirational music

The First United Methodist Church of Rossville will host a concert of inspirational and gospel music, featuring the Knock-Abouts. The concert will begin at 6 p.m. Sunday. For more information, call (217) 748-6760.



## Court dispositions



**Sept. 1 - Tina Perry**, Hoopeston, deceptive practices, cost only, restitution.

**Shirley Wallace**, Hoopeston, deceptive practices, \$75, restitution.

**Barbara Sanford**, Rossville, unlawful visitation interference, not filed by state's attorney.

**Sandra Hall**, Hoopeston, status check on payments, paid \$50, \$392 still owed.

**Scott Rush**, Hodjekins, status check on payments, balance \$657, continued.

**Valerino Zarate**, Hoopeston, status check on payments, \$838 due, rule to show cause to be issued.

**Daher Abdelrahman**, Oaklawn, speeding, \$95 total, 90 days court supervision.

**John Elliott**, Hoopeston, illegal transportation, \$75, illegal squealing, \$75.

**Paul Eckert**, Hoopeston, speeding, \$95 total, 90 days court supervision.

**Janice Hoke**, Rankin, no valid driver's license, \$95 total; no tail lights, nolle pros.

**Nathan Irvin**, Hoopeston, improper lane usage, pleaded not guilty. Trial set Oct. 6.

## Obituaries

**BRAY** - James W. Bray, 87, of Rossville, died at 3:29 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 14, 1994, at United Samaritans Medical Center, Logan campus, Danville. Funeral services will be 4 p.m. Saturday at the Wolfe Funeral Home in Rossville. Burial will be in the Rossville Cemetery. Visitation will be 6-8 p.m. today at the funeral home.

## Police News



A baby crib bumper pad was found Wednesday on Route 9. The owner may identify and claim it at the police station.

**Amber Hollen**, 426 N. Fourth St., reported that someone took her bicycle from her home.

A boy's Roadmaster Hi Altitude bicycle was found Thursday morning on North Third St.

A yellow Mercury Cougar was towed from Front St., Thursday because it was in the way of city equipment demolishing a residence.

## In the hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital

Sept. 14, 1994

Admitted: none.

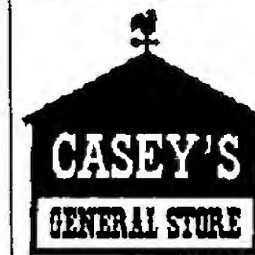
Discharged: Ruth Casner and John Lowe, Hoopeston; Devin Redding, East Lynn.

## Weather



Mostly cloudy today with a 50 percent chance of showers. High 80-85. Tonight, cloudy. Low near 68. Tomorrow, partly cloudy. High near 75, low near 63. Sunday, partly cloudy. High near 75, low near 53.

## Grand Opening



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