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Last week's answer: **The sled in "Citizen Kane"**
was called **Rosebud**

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Council names new street, alley superintendent

Hoopeton's streets and alleys will be looked after by a new superintendent, beginning later this month.

Dave Knake, 51, of Hoopeton, was named new street and alley superintendent at Tuesday's Hoopeton city council meeting.

Knake comes to the city from the Vermilion County Housing Authority, where he has served as modernization coordinator for the past three years.

As modernization coordinator, Knake was responsible for overseeing all remodeling done on low-income housing.

Prior to his tenure there, Knake operated his own construction business, but gave it up for the security of working for someone else. "Winters can be pretty tough when there's no work," he said.

Knake plans to start his new position later this month. His last day with the housing authority is

Oct. 14.

While there is little similarity between housing and streets and alleys, Knake said the differences will not prove a problem for him. "The supervision of things and people will be the same, but it will be a little more hands on instead of watching somebody else do it," he said.

Although he was happy with the work he currently does, Knake said the new position is an advancement, one that he is looking forward to.

"It's my own town, so hopefully, the people will benefit from it," he said. "Hoopeton's been good to me. I hope I can give back as much as they've given me."

Knake is engaged to Katherine Anderson. The couple plan a summer wedding. He is the father of two daughters, Shelly Dennis of Hoopeton and Deborah Kiogma of Alanson, Mich. He also has three grandchildren.

Rossville, Hoopeton fire departments battle blazes

Members of the Hoopeton fire departments had a hot time Tuesday, battling first a house fire, and later, a burning barn.

The department was first called at 3:09 p.m. to a house fire at 3800 North Road and 1650 East Road.

Although the house, owned by Charles Gernand and rented by Bobby Lee, is in the Rossville district, Hoopeton firefighters were called first, said Wendell Davan, Rossville fire chief.

Davan said the fire probably started in the kitchen, resulting from an electrical short. The kitchen and bathroom were burned in the blaze,

while the rest of the house suffered smoke damage. Davan said.

No dollar estimate of damage has been established, Davan said. No one was home at the time of the fire.

The Hoopeton department was then called at 6:57 p.m. to a barn fire 1.5 miles south of Hoopeton on the hospital road.

The barn, located at the Soliday residence, contained horses, but whether any were injured was not known at press time.

Also unknown were the cause of the fire and damage estimate.

Halloween Headquarters



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City council accepts bids for new oak council benches

Visitors to the council chambers at the Hoopeston municipal building will soon be without the metal folding chairs that have been a part of the room for years.

The council on Tuesday accepted an almost

\$8,000 bid for new oak benches from Young and Associates of Danville.

The benches are expected to be installed within 120 days, said alderman Bill Goodwine.

Obituaries

BURGE - Carvie O. Burge, 74, of El Cajon, Calif., formerly of Hoopeston, died at 11:45 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 4, 1994, in San Diego. Arrangements are pending at the Hamilton-Orr Funeral Home.

Court dispositions



Joseph Cannon, Hoopeston, criminal damage, pleaded not guilty.

Don Gilbert, Rossville, inoperable vehicle, continued.

Police News



Jason P. Petty, 18, of 406 E. Thompson, was arrested at 1:45 a.m. Wednesday on charges of aggravated battery and domestic battery. Petty was arrested on a complaint from Francis Petty of the same address.

He was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville in lieu of bond.

In the hospital



Hoopeson Community Memorial Hospital
Oct. 4, 1994

Admitted: Salome Gudeman, Rankin.

Discharged: Grace Burge, Hoopeston; James Schuee, Oxford, Ind.

Weather



Partly cloudy today. High in the low to mid 70s. Tonight, cloudy. Low in the low 50s. Tomorrow, isolated showers. High near 70, low near 48.

Up & Coming

Lady bird supper

The Rossville American Legion Auxiliary will hold its annual Lady Bird supper at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 11. The meal will be served by the Legionnaires.

The Lady Bird supper is comparable to the Legion's Early Bird supper, for members paying dues early.

Reservations should be made by Oct. 6 by calling 748-6390 after 4 p.m., or 748-6694.

The Legion will hold its Early Bird supper on Thursday, Nov. 10.

EIMPC activities

Activities at the Eastern Illinois Multi Purpose Center community room this week include: Thursday, 9 a.m., coffee hour, 12:30 p.m., euchre.

Sports schedule

Hoopeson Area sports events scheduled this week include: Thursday, high school cross country versus Oakwood, here, 4 p.m.; Friday, high school football versus Momence, here, 7 p.m.

School open house

Parents of Maple Grade School students are encouraged to attend the school's open house, beginning at 7 p.m. Thursday.

Actors' fundraiser

The Hoopeson Playcrafters will hold a car wash, bake sale and face painting from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 8 at Ace Hardware.

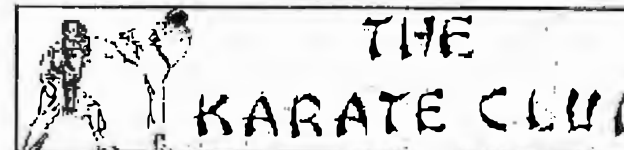
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