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### Husband credits seat belt, car seat with saving family

"Use scat belts and car seats" is the message from a rural Rossville man whose wife and child were injured in an accident last week.

Paige Brown and her five-month-old daughter. Jenna, were treated and released from Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital last Tuesday after Brown's 1987 Chevrolet Blazer rolled three times following an accident at Market and Penn streets.

Toby Brown. Paige's husband, credits seat belts and an infant car scat with keeping injuries to a minimum.

While camera equipment was being thrown around the vehicle, Mrs. Brown and her daughter were secure, Brown said. In fact, most of Mrs. Brown's scrapes and bruises came from equipment being thrown around the Blazer.

"You think when you're in town, the worst that's going to happen is you're going to crunch fenders with someone." Brown said. "She rolled

### -Briefly

Firm to buy 2 C&S sites

Consolidated Grain and Barge Co. of Mandeville, La., has signed a letter of itnent to buy former C&S facilities in Alvin and Henning.

The company has leased the elevators since October.

The sale is pending an environmental survey of the sites and approval by U.S. Bankruptcy Judge Gerald Fines.

The C&S elevator in East Lynn is expected to be sold to Kaufmann Grain Co., and negotiations are underway to sell the Wellington elevator as well. that thing three times in town and got up and walked away."

Brown said his wife was like many drivers. "She almost never wears her seat belt in town." he said.

And, he added, getting Jenna in her car seat could be a battle. Often, when the family would travel locally, Jenna would be in her car seat on her mother's lap.

That has changed since the accident. "It's something we're really reinforced in now." Brown said about seatbelt usage.

As for the car seat. "we've been running errands and buddy. (Jenna's) strapped in now."

Brown and his wife are now telling others about the need to use safety harnesses, especially car scats. "You see so many people riding around with kids and they're not in car seats." he said. "If she hadn't been in her scat...l don't even want to think about that."

C&S filed bankruptcy in December 1993.

Trial set for rural Rossville man

The drug trial for a rural Rossville man has been set for Aug. 8.

Charles T. Allison, 43. last week pleaded not guilty to charges that he knowlingly attempted to possess a mixture or substance containing cocaine.

Allison was arrested May 2 after a letter carrier delivered a package to his home. Over 458 grams of a substance including cocaine was found in the package.

Allison has been incarcerated since the arrest.



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### **Court dispositions**

June 1: Warren Watkins III, Hoopeston, disorderly conduct, filing false police report. \$100, costs, one year court supervision.

Valerino Zarate, Hoopeston. to pay \$738. continued to July 6 on rule to show cause.

**Derick Stewart**, Hoopeston. disorderly conduct. false police report. warrant issued.

## Police News

Margaret Sinclair, 803 W. Washington. reported Saturday that someone took an Emerson television and remote control from her home.

Marion Harper, 501 W. Elm. reported Sunday that someone took a Sharp 12-inch color television and VCR from his Ford Dutch Star mobile home. The vehicle was locked and there was no sign of forced entry.

**Roger D. Catron**, 36, #20. Parkview Court, was arrested at 10:13 p.m. Sunday on a warrant for failure to appear. He was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

Brenda Linares, 918 W. Washington. on Monday claimed the handset found June 12 at McFerren Park.

Esther Blackaby, 426 E. Honeywell, reported Monday that someone twisted the driver's side mirror from her 1980 Pontiac while it was parked at her home.

### Up & Coming

Meetings

The Hoopeston city council will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday to vote on the landfill expansion. The meeting is open to the public.

#### Puppet show

The Hoopeston Public Library will sponsor a puppet show at 2 p.m. Friday at the McFerren Park civic center. Puppetcers from Springfield will perform. Everyone is invited.



Arends Bros., Melvin. no parking. nolle pros. William Bogard, Hoopeston. rule to show cause hearing. continued to June 15.

Cynthia Cichocki, Indiana. to pay \$75. rule to show cause issued July 6.

Candace Cunningham, Danville, paid \$75 in full.

Jeffery Coss, Hoopeston, theft, nolle pros. Wayne Conrad, Hoopeston, rule to show cause, niusance, failed to appear, writ of body attachment.

Rebecca Dewait, Hoopeston, no parking, paid in full.

**Diane Edwards,** Hoopeston. leash law, \$75 plus \$20 summons.

Robert Eades, Hoopeston, leash law and owncrs duties, summons issued.

### In the Hospital

Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital June 22, 1995 Admitted: Marie Zollar, Hoopeston. Discharged: Glela Sharp. Hoopeston.

June 23, 1995

Admitted: none.

**Discharged:** Terry Bell, Henning: Lilly McBride, Hoopeston.

June 24, 1995

Admitted: Goldie Lawson. Hoopeston. Discharged: Mary Bainbridge, Rossville.

June 25, 1995

Admitted: none. Discharged: none

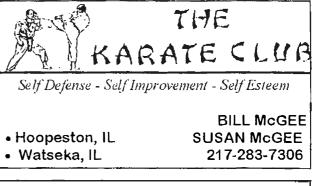
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### Weather

Variably cloudy today with 70 percent chance of thunderstorms. High in the low 80s. Tonight, continued rainy. Low in the mid 60s. Tomorrow, scattered thunderstorms. High near 83, low near 65.

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