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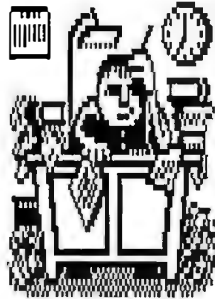
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Car dealer investigated by Secretary of State police

A former Hoopeston car dealer is under investigation by the Illinois Secretary of State police.

Brian Tarnecki, owner of the defunct Brian Tarnecki Used Cars at the corner of Sixth Ave. and West Main St., is being investigated for allegedly not paying state sales tax on vehicles sold or paying for title transfers.

According to Sgt. Ron Cobetto of the Secretary of State police's Freedom of Information office, the investigation began Aug. 3 after the office received "three or four" complaints on Tarnecki.

Cobetto said his office had no listing for Tarnecki's Hoopeston operation, which closed in July after four months in business.

In a telephone interview Thursday, Tarnecki said he ran the Hoopeston office with the license of his Watseka dealership. According to a Sgt. Manning of the Secretary of State police office, is illegal.

There have been no complaints against the

Watsseka dealership, Cobetto said.

Tarnecki said he paid all money owed on Wednesday, but "there's no way to tell," Manning said. "If he came down and paid cash, it's not in our system yet and if he mailed it, it's not here yet," he said.

Tarnecki admitted taxes had not been paid, saying lack of payments stemmed from a "problem in communication between myself and the gentleman running the store (in Hoopeston)."

Tarnecki did not divulge the name of the manager of the Hoopeston dealership.

King Motors, 701 W. Main, took over Tarnecki's lot Aug. 1.

Correction

The date candidates for Hoopeston Area school board must file petitions was incorrect in the Aug. 24 edition. The correct date is Aug. 28. Just the Facts regrets the error.

Briefly

RA candidates file

Three incumbents have filed petitions to seek re-election to the Rossville-Alvin school board.

Board president Don Frazier, as well as Tim Thornsborough and Tony Zarate have turned in petitions.

Candidates have until Aug. 28 to file petitions for the Nov. 7 election.

Tiny Tots

The Hoopeston Public Library will host Tiny

Tots story hour for preschool children at 10:30 a.m. Friday.

Contest winner

Dave and Doris Cannon, 229 W. Maple, are this week's People's Choice Yard Award winners.

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Police News



The Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 4:15 p.m. Wednesday to a vehicle on fire at Crown Ford, 623 E. Dixie Hwy.

Stephanie L. Alkire, 20, of 713 E. Lincoln, was ticketed for failure to yield after stopping at a stop sign following an accident at 5:20 p.m. Wednesday.

Alkire, in a 1992 Pontiac Sunbird, stopped at the intersection of Penn and Sixth Ave., then proceeded through the intersection, striking a 1986 Buick LeSabre driven by Shirley L. Cartwright, 818 W. Penn.

Roger D. Everhart, no age listed, of 528 N. Fourth St., turned himself in to police at 7:29 p.m. Wednesday. Everhart, wanted on a warrant, posted \$300 bond and was released.

Donald E. Inman, 36, of 808 E. Elm, was arrested at 7 p.m. Wednesday, charged with battery on a complaint from Dan Sroufek of Alvin. Inman allegedly struck Sroufek in the face

after an argument over a basketball game.

Inman was released on a notice to appear.

A 16-year-old boy was arrested at 8:50 p.m. Wednesday after he allegedly tried to leave Pamida with compact discs hidden on his body.

The youngster was released to his father on a notice to appear.

Obituaries

KIRTS - Billy E. "Ears" Kirts, 67, of Hoopeston, died at 2:50 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 23, 1995, at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital. Funeral services, will be at 11 a.m. Monday at the Hamilton-Orr Funeral Home. Burial, with full military honors from Scott Air Force Base, will be in Floral Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be 6-9 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.



Lunch menus



Hoopeston Area Grade Schools

Aug. 28: Chicken patty/bun, tri tator, fruit, cookie, milk.

Aug. 29: Sausage pizza, salad, fruit, milk.

Aug. 30: Hot dog/bun, baked beans, slaw, pudding, pears, milk.

Aug. 31: BBQ/bun, corn, macaroni salad, fruit, milk.

Sept. 1: Ravioli w/meat sauce, peas, salad, bread, butter, fruit, milk.

Hoopeston Area Middle/High Schools

Aug. 28: Chicken patty/bun or ham & cheese/bun, tri tator, fruit, cookie, milk.

Aug. 29: Sausage pizza or Z rib/bun, salad, fruit, milk.

Aug. 30: Hot dog/bun or sub sandwich, baked beans, slaw, pudding, pears, milk.

Aug. 31: BBQ/bun or corn dog, macaroni salad, fruit, milk.

Sept. 1: Ravioli w/meat sauce or tuna salad/bun, peas, salad, bread, butter, fruit, milk.

In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital

Aug. 23, 1995

Admitted: Danny Cobb and Thomas Hardwick, Hoopeston; Lila Foster, Wellington.

Discharged: John Burkert and Maurilio Solis, Hoopeston.

Weather



Partly cloudy and warm today. High in the mid 90s. Tonight, fair. Low in the mid 70s. Saturday and Sunday, continued partly cloudy. Highs near 96, lows near 74.



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