

**Too hot to cook?
Let us!**



Hoopeston Family Restaurant

Open 6 a.m.-9 p.m. daily
728 W. Penn
Hoopeston
(217) 283-9583

Wolfe
Funeral Home

907 W. Main St.
Hoopeston, IL.
(217) 283-5088

Add something
FUN!
to your wardrobe -
Women's & Kids Vests

See at Countryside Mall, 217 E. Main, Hoopeston

The Newest Thing in Outdoor Furniture!

Forest green, 32" canvas Single Rocker	\$93.75
Forest green 54" Double Rocker	\$137.50
5' in-motion Swing (Forest green or Navy)	\$100.00

Treated framework included
Brown's Cash & Carry
801 E. Thompson Ave., Hoopeston (217) 283-7739

Lourdine Florek
owner/publisher

Just the facts®

Tuesday, July 16, 1996
Hoopeston's only locally-owned daily news publication!

Phone:
(217) 283-9348

Ill wind blows road sealer, bad feelings of local residents

A new road sealer that didn't has caused some local residents to unseal their lips and complain.

The substance was applied last week in various locations throughout Hoopeston, including Market St. and South Second Ave. By week's end, residents had tired of the blowing mess.

Bill Brown, of South Market St., said the material filled homes along the street. A neighbor told Brown the substance's smell almost made him sick, Brown said. Other residents complained of being unable to open windows because of dust. "I'm having to run my air conditioner just to keep it out," he said.

"I suggest that the engineer, since he didn't know what he was doing, shouldn't get paid for this street," Brown said.

The engineer, Jay Dingee of Sodemann & Associates, recommended the material, which had not been used in Hoopeston before. His recommendation was approved by the city council.

Residents also complained of the scope of area

covered by the sandy substance. "The contractor has scattered the material rather thoroughly throughout the community," Brown said.

Alderman Mark Drollinger, chairman of the city street/alley committee, agreed. "We went all out with it," he said.

Drollinger said Dingee warned the committee that it would be "a little dusty, but not as bad as what we experienced."

Perhaps worst of all is that despite all the dust and complaints, the material did not repair roads. "Due to dusty and dry conditions, it didn't work," Drollinger said.

Cracks in the street must still be repaired, but Drollinger said he hopes the sandy substance is not used. "There's got to be a better way," he said.

The material has been cleaned from streets, but Drollinger said the issue is probably not dead. "I'm sure it will be addressed at (Tuesday's) council meeting," he said.

Rossville trustees nix meeting

ROSSVILLE—A lack of a quorum canceled Monday's Rossville village board meeting.

Mayor Merv Smith and trustees Mick Braddock and Tom Mills were absent.

Trustee Richard Kiser, acting as mayor pro-tem, said the remaining trustees - Jon Witvoet, Richard Comstock and Charles Cornell - did not constitute a quorum.

The canceled meeting was not good news for the eight residents who attended. Some, like Marcia Crabtree, had hoped to resolve problems with dust and mold near the Rossville Elevator.

The next scheduled board meeting is Aug. 19.

Briefly

Meetings scheduled

Several government bodies will meet this week, including: Hoopeston city council, 7 p.m. Tuesday; Hoopeston Area school board, 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

Open house

An open house in honor of Nathan and Gabriella Unger will be held at 3:30 p.m. Sunday at the United Methodist Church, 403 E. Main, Hoopeston. Unger and Gabriella Róth were married May 9 in Debrecen, Hungary.

The couple will repeat their vows at 3:30 and a reception will follow in the fellowship hall.

Special Today
2 Carnations
with baby's breath and a bow
\$4.98 delivered
Flowers & Gifts by Molly Culbert
702 W. Main, Hoopeston 283-5578 Open 7 Days!

Gibson Chest models from

FREEZERS

\$297

Sheridan's TV & Appliances
224 E. Main, Hoopeston (217) 283-5107

Hurry in for best selection!

You've hammered
and nailed and
painted and
papered to make
your home
beautiful.



Now, what about your yard?
Make the outside of your home as
lovely as its interior
Final Touch
Landscape Design
Design Consultation Installation
13900 E 3785 North Rd. Hoopeston,
IL.
(217) 748-6924



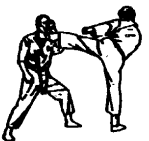
EXERCISE YOUR RIGHTS!

(and the rest of you, too)

S.A.R.A.H.'S.

Fitness Center

(217) 283-6786 203 E. Main, Hoopeston



THE KARATE CLUB

Self Defense - Self Improvement - Self Esteem

Black Belt Instructors:
 Bill & Susan McGee
 Shawn Lantis
 Steve Leslie
 Randy Gossett

• Hoopeston, IL
 • Watseka, IL

217-283-7306

Tired of puttering around the house?




Try putting at our place instead!




Open
Mon.-Thurs.: 2-9
Friday: 2-9:30
Saturday: 1-9:30
Sunday: 1-9

McFerren Park Hoopeston



Police News



A **16-year-old boy** was arrested at 9:31 p.m. Sunday, charged with stealing a bicycle.

The bicycle was reported stolen July 12 by Dustin Leslie, 924 W. Washington.

Police said that although all decals and the rear foot pegs were missing from the bicycle, Leslie's name and address were engraved under the foot pedals.

A juvenile petition has been requested on the 16-year-old.


Barry L. Conrad, Room 10, Downtown Motel, reported Sunday that someone tried to force open the driver's side door of his International semi tractor, damaging the handle in the process.

Alvin R. Lovell, 17, #25, Parkview Court, was arrested at 8:10 p.m. Sunday, charged with theft after he allegedly removed a hose from a can of Fix-A-Flat at Jerry's IGA.


Lovell was released on a \$500 recognizance bond.

Ron Elliott, 721 E. Penn, reported Monday that someone cut air hoses on two Ravens semi trailers parked at 201 W. Washington. One of the trailers had been broken into, police said.

Wayne Rutledge, 711 E. Elm, reported Monday that someone took his license plate, 9796HW.



Court dispositions



July 11: Derrick Gaddis, Goodwine, possession of cannabis, not filed by state's attorney; illegal transportation, \$75.

Erik Gudgel, Hoopeston, possession of cannabis, not filed by state's attorney.

John Simpson, Hoopeston, count one, unlawful delivery of alcohol to a minor, pleaded not guilty. Trial set Dec. 17.

Thomas Caire, Dubois, Ind., two counts DUI, failure to reduce speed, no seat belt, pleated not guilty. Trial set Dec. 17 in Danville.

Stephen Couch, Rankin, driving while license suspended, uninsured, illegal transportation, pleaded not guilty.

Michael Cassidy, Henning, driving while license suspended, \$200 and costs, one year court supervision.


Christopher Combs, Hoopeston, driving while license suspended, failed to appear, warrant issued.

Robert Eades, Hoopeston, driving while suspended, uninsured, pleaded not guilty.

Avery Haas, Hoopeston, rule to show cause hearing, found in contempt. Status check Aug. 1.

Margret King, Hoopeston, driving while license

In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital
July 11, 1996

Admitted: none.

Discharged: Elizabeth Decker, Hoopeston.

July 12, 1996

Admitted: Ralph Elliott, Hoopeston.

Discharged: Lily Mae Shipman, Hoopeston.

July 13, 1996

Admitted: none.

Discharged: none.

July 14, 1996


Admitted: none.

Discharged: none.

Obituaries

STARKEY - Floyd Eugene Starkey, 86, of Browning, died at 9:10 p.m. Sunday, July 14, 1996, at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Brown-Alkire Funeral Home. Burial will be in Body Cemetery, Woodland. Visitation will be one hour before services at the funeral home. Memorial contributions are suggested to the hospice unit at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital and Nursing Home.

Weather



Partly sunny and warmer today. High near 90. Tonight, fair. Low near 70. Tomorrow, partly sunny. High near 90, low near 72.

Perk up your sales!

Advertise in

Just the Facts!

Call (217) 283-9348 for details



HOOPESTON Coin LAUNDRY

- Drop Off Laundry
- Dry cleaning
- Alterations
- Ironing Service

209 S. First Ave. (217) 283-5960

Performance Diesel Service

7586 E. 4200 North Rd.
 ¼ mile north of East Lynn
 (217) 375-4429
 (800) 229-2417
 Greg Samet
 Bob Marshall

Countryside Craft Sales & Mall

217 E. Main
(217) 283-9716
Hours:
Tues.-Fri. 9-5
Sat. 9-4

Classifieds

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

2-bedroom at Honeywell Apt. complex. Lease and deposit. No pets. Contact Bob Totheroh, Wellington, (815) 984-4513.

LOST

Box turtle in vicinity of Elm and Euclid. If found, call (217) 283-7458.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

3-wheeled cart for handicapped person. 5 years old. Battery, charger included. \$750. Can be seen at 426 W. Lincoln or call (217) 283-5942 after 3 p.m. 197-201

SERVICES

Will do in-home nursing care. Minimum of 4 hours. Set wage. Call (217) 283-7784. 197-201

Turn your unwanted items into extra cash with a Just the Facts classified ad!