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7:30 a.m. Hoover Shampoo Polisher/Watseka Appliance	\$109.95
8:00 a.m. 3-way Hurricane Lamp/ Steiner Furniture	\$ 71.00
8:30 a.m. green & white Patio Set/Olympic Hardware	\$119.00
8:30 a.m. 12 Custom Printed T-Shirts/Johnson Graphics	\$200.00
9:00 a.m. Lazy Boy Recliner (Reg. \$419)/DuAll Furniture	\$299.00
9:30 a.m. Pair Broyhill End Tables/Kingdon's T.V. Watseka	\$338.00
10:00 a.m. Wizard front tine Tiller/Rod's Home & Auto	\$399.00
10:30 a.m. Antique Birds Eye child's dresser/Me & Grandpa's	\$250.00

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- Yellow Canary from Surf & Turf and MUCH MORE!!!

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- Grease, Oil & Filter/Dale's Auto Service, Hoopeston,
 - and from Dave's Auto, Milford, & Farney's Garage, Rankin
 - Wash & Wax, Car Cleaning/LTD, Cissna Park Truck Seat Cover/Hoopeston NAPA
 - \$75 certificate/Terminex, Hoopeston 5 Gallons of Paint/Brown's Cash & Carry

- Food**
- Feed Bag, Pizza Hut, KFC, Hoopeston Family, Subway
 - Crunch's D&J's, Iroquois Cafe, Schultz Meats
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Area school officials consider six reorganization options

Education officials in northern Vermilion County will consider six options for reorganizing school districts.

Superintendents and board representatives from the Hoopeston Area, Rossville-Alvin, Bismarck-Henning, and Armstrong-Potomac met Tuesday night to discuss reorganization scenarios, said Don Dean, Hoopeston Area superintendent.

The meeting was the second one for representatives of the school.

Superintendents from each district, who met Monday, submitted a list of six possible reorganization possibilities, including:

- a "mega-district" complete with a new high school.
- a mega-district using existing Hoopeston Area and Bismarck-Henning high school buildings.
- a new district that excludes Hoopeston Area and has a new building.
- a district excluding Hoopeston Area that uses Bismarck-Henning High School.

□ combining Rossville-Alvin and Hoopeston Area into one district, while Bismarck-Henning and Armstrong-Potomac unite; and

□ dividing the Rossville-Alvin district so that students in the northern half attend Hoopeston Area while students in the southern half attend the Bismarck-Henning/Armstrong-Potomac school.

Leaving things as they are will not be considered. "(Doing nothing) wasn't an option," Dean said.

The board of each district will now decide which options are unacceptable and rank the others from most preferred to least, Dean said.

"A couple would be very, very positive for us and a couple wouldn't be good at all," Dean said.

For example, Dean does not favor the mega-district concept. "It's just too big," he said.

Once a single option is agreed upon, the issue could be put to voters in a non-binding referendum, Dean said.

The next meeting will be Aug. 27 at Hoopeston Area.

Briefly

Athletic physicals scheduled

Athletic physicals for seventh through 12th grade students at Hoopeston Area will be held beginning at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 6 in the middle school gym.

Physicals will be given to seniors first, followed by juniors, sophomores, freshmen, eighth graders and seventh graders.

Cost is \$5.

'Seven Year Itch' performed

The Hoopeston Playcrafters will present "Seven

Year Itch" at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday at the McFerren Park Civic Center.

Tickets are \$4 for adults and \$2 for children. Refreshments will be available during the performances.

Grain marketing seminar

Dr. Darrel Good, University of Illinois agriculture economist, will present a grain marketing seminar at the Hoopeston Public Library at 10 a.m. Aug. 9.

The seminar is co-sponsored by the library and Demeter Inc.

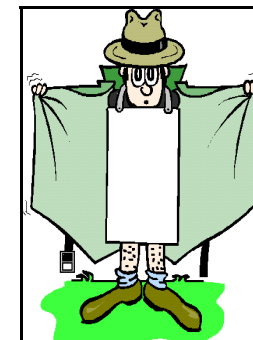
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Sunday: 1-9**

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Court dispositions



July 11: Henry Rodgers, Hoopeston, warrant, bond applied.

Jose Rodriguez, Hoopeston, uninsured, dismissed.

Robert Staley Jr., Hoopeston, paid \$95 in full.

Elijah Stephenson, Bismarck, failure to reduce speed, pleaded guilty, \$115 total, six months court supervision; following too closely, dismissed.

Jamey Strawser, Hoopeston, uninsured, \$500, costs; speeding, costs only; converted to 178 hours public service work.

Michelle Strawser, Hoopeston, uninsured, pleaded guilty, \$500, costs, one year court supervision.

Anthony Urso, Chrisman, uninsured, dismissed.

Floyd Vanvickle, Hoopeston, to pay \$95, converted

to 22 hours public service work; uninsured, dismissed.

Angela Zarate, Hoopeston, warrant, forfeited bond.

Christine Holland, Paxton, speeding, continued to Dec. 17.

Daniel Miller, East Lynn, uninsured, \$500, costs; improper lighting, dismissed.

Robert Bell, Rossville, speeding, \$95, six months court supervision.

Benjamin Combs, Cissna Park, speeding, \$95, six months court supervision.

Heather Davis, Hoopeston, \$95 to be paid, rule to show cause issued.

Matthew Goodrum, Hoopeston, speeding, \$96, six months court supervision.



Police News



Stolen car involved in accident

A car reported stolen Thursday morning was involved in an accident.

Darrell Buhrmester, 226 W. Lincoln, told police his 1980 Mercury Monarch was taken from his home.

The car, with an unidentified driver, struck a parked 1993 Dodge van owned by Kenny Blakey, 227 W. Lincoln. The time of the accident is unknown, according to police reports.

Buhrmester's car was later found in the back yard at 901 E. McCracken.

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 2:56 p.m. Wednesday.

Anna Mae Clark, 424 N. Fourth St., in a 1980 Pontiac, and Elizabeth Crozier, 330 Front, in a 1981 Pontiac, collided in the intersection of Fourth St. and East Young.

Evelyn Meador, 710 E. Main, reported Wednesday that someone scratched the hood of her 1994 Dodge Spirit. The car was parked at her home when it was damaged.

The Hoopeston Fire Department responded to two calls Thursday.

The first, at 10:04 a.m., was an illegal burn at Seventh Ave. and West Thompson.

The second call was at 10:35 a.m., for a motorcycle

on fire at NAPA Auto Parts, 109 N. Market St.

Obituaries

LAWSON - Beverly J. Lawson, 56, of Hoopeston, died at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, July 24, 1996, at Carle Foundation Hospital in Urbana. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Hamilton-Orr Funeral Home. Burial will be in Floral Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be 6-9 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. Memorial contributions are suggested to the First Baptist Church of Hoopeston.

In the Hospital



**Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital
July 24, 1996**

Admitted: none.

Discharged: none.

Weather



Partly sunny today. High in the upper 70s. Tonight, clear, cool. Low in the mid 50s. Tomorrow, isolated thunderstorms. High near 83, low near 57. Sunday, partly cloudy. High near 76, low near 57.

Gordon Abston, Wellington, criminal damage, pleaded not guilty; July 25 trial.

Brandi Anderson, Bismarck, deceptive practice, \$45 on each charge, restitution, \$165.81 total.

James Beebe, Cissna Park, deceptive practice, continued for service.

Dollie Boots, no address listed, total fines \$175, restitution, \$175.87; rule to show cause issued.

Brenda Colunga, Hoopeston, paid \$100 in full.

Irene Colunga, Hoopeston, paid \$100 in full.

Jason Compton, Hoopeston, theft, pleaded guilty, \$100 total.

Edward Cordova, Hoopeston, paid \$100 in full.

Elizer Martinez, Rankin, parked in handicapped zone, continued.

Melba Ferrell, Rossville, deceptive practice, summons issued.

Dennis Herbst, Hoopeston, rule to show cause hearing, to pay \$95 total, continued to Aug. 15.

Classifieds

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

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

RUMMAGE SALES

836 E. Thompson, Hoopeston. Saturday, July 27, 7 a.m.-2 p.m. Pots, pans, dishes, linens, furniture and lots of miscellaneous.

525 E. Main, Hoopeston. Saturday, July 27, 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Child's bike, clarinet (like new), lots of miscellaneous.

Moving sale, 418 E. Seminary, Hoopeston. Friday and Saturday, July 26-27, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Something for everyone.

316 Benton, Rossville. Saturday, July 27, 8 a.m.-? Rolltop desk, clothes, furniture, tapes, kitchenware, knickknacks, exercise equipment, air conditioner, lots of miscellaneous.