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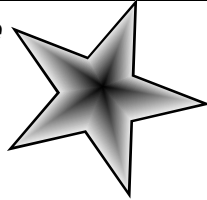
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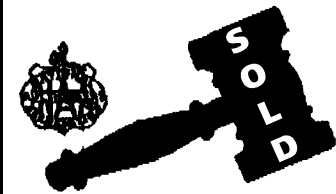
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Monday, June 9, 1997

Hoopeston's only locally-owned daily news publication!

Alvin woman arrested on murder-for-hire charge

An Alvin woman was arrested Thursday on charges that she tried to hire someone to kill her husband.

Martha L. Miller, 28, of Alvin, was officially charged Friday with solicitation of murder and solicitation of murder for hire.

Reports said Miller offered Debra Everson \$1,500 to murder her husband, Gary Miller.

Miller was arrested on a warrant with a \$1 million

bond, but according to reports, when she appeared in court Friday, bond was reduced to \$100,000. Miller would have to post \$10,000 to be released.

Miller's charges include a Class X felony, punishable by 15 to 30 years imprisonment.

Miller was arrested by the Vermilion County Metropolitan Enforcement Group, assisted by the Vermilion County Sheriff's Department, Illinois State Police Criminal Conspiracy Task Force.

Briefly

Music Booster winners

Winners in the Hoopeston Area Music Booster calendar drawing are: June 9, Don and Pat McFarland, Hoopeston; June 10, John Cramer, Hoopeston; June 11, Craig and Beth Lindvahl, Effingham; June 12, Crunch's, Hoopeston; June 13, Nancy Voyles, Wellington.

Multi Agency van, activity schedule

This week's schedule for the Hoopeston Multi Agency senior van is: Monday, Hoopeston shuttle; Tuesday, Merrillville, Ind. (leave at 8 a.m.); Wednesday, Danville; Thursday, Hoopeston shuttle; Friday, Danville.

To make reservations or for more information, call the Multi Agency at (217) 283-5544.

Activities at the center include: Monday, ladies bridge, noon; Thursday, men's coffee 9:30 a.m., potluck, noon, blood pressures 1 p.m., men's euchre, 12:30 p.m.; Friday, unemployed discount program, 1-3 p.m.

Auxiliary officers needed

Hoopeston Auxiliary Police are now accepting applications for auxiliary officers. Applications may be picked up at the Hoopeston Police Department.

Applicants must be at least 21 years old and must have a Hoopeston address.

Rules of the road

A Rules of the Road review course will be held from 1-3 p.m. Wednesday, June 11 at the Hoopeston city hall.

The course is free and open to anyone who wishes to attend.

For more information, call (217) 283-5833.

Sports camps

Hoopeston Area schools have announced summer sports camps, including:

Volleyball: June 9-13, grades 3-5, 10-11 a.m.; grades 6-7, 11 a.m.-noon.

Boys Basketball: June 9-13, grades 3-5, 8-10 a.m.; grades 6-8, 10 a.m.-noon; grades 9-12, noon-2 p.m.

Band Camp: Aug. 4-8, 8 a.m.-noon, 6-8 p.m.

Football Conditioning: Aug. 4-8, grades 9-12, 4-5:30 p.m.

For more information on any of the camps, call the superintendent's office at (217) 283-6668.

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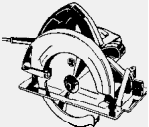


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Police News



Two people were treated for injuries received in an accident at 11:43 p.m. Thursday.

Kyle W. Voyles, 16, of 211 N. Donovan, Wellington, and a passenger, Nathan S. Stipp, 16, of 412 S. Fourth St., were treated at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital.

Police said Voyles, in a 1985 GMC Carryall, was westbound in the 500 block of West Thompson Ave., crossed the railroad tracks, then lost control of his vehicle, ending up in a drainage ditch.

Voyles was ticketed for failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident and driving without seat belt fastened.

Stipp was cited for failure to wear a seat belt. The vehicle was towed from the scene by Kelnhofer Towing.

Three people were arrested at 9:28 p.m. Friday after police were notified that a pellet guns being fired in the area of 215 E. Penn.

Robert S. Akers, 19, of 607 W. Washington, and a 14-year-old girl were charged with illegal consumption of alcohol; a 13-year-old boy was charged with discharging a firearm in the city; and a juvenile petition will be filed on a 16-year-old.

Police said they found beer and a bb pistol with those arrested.

All were released to their parents on notices to appear.

Samantha Yankee, 20, of 200 N. Elm, Loda, was arrested at 9:55 a.m. Friday on an outstanding traffic warrant.

She was released on \$300 cash bond.

Helen Fowler, 411 S. Sixth St., reported Friday that while she was mowing grass, someone entered her home and took cash from her wallet.

Lou Graham of the Hoopeston Public Library, 110 N. Fourth St., reported Friday that someone threw something through the south side upper window of the library Thursday night.

Grace Riley, 709 E. Maple, reported Friday that while she was working in her yard, someone entered her home and took money from her purse.

No injuries were reported in an accident at 3:03 p.m. Friday at North Seventh Street and East Seminary Ave.

Darlene L. Brewster, 27, of 710 E. Wyman, Apt. A4, was westbound on Seminary in a 1990 Nissan Sentra, while Betty Kelnhofer, 914 E. Young, was southbound on Seventh in a 1998 Plymouth Acclaim. Police said Brewster failed to yield at the intersection and struck Kelnhofer.

Brewster was ticketed for failure to yield at a marked intersection.

The Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 10:09 p.m. Friday to a fire at 523 N. Sixth Ave. No injuries were reported.



Court Dispositions



June 5: Sandra Cordova, Hoopeston, speeding,

pleaded guilty; \$75 total.

Milton Irvin Jr., Hoopeston, to pay \$95; rule to show cause issued.

Benjamin Pyle, Hoopeston, speeding; summons issued.

Jim Wisecup, Hoopeston, speeding, pleaded guilty;

Obituaries

COX - Jack F. Cox, 54, of Hoopeston, died at 4:04 a.m. Saturday, June 7, 1997, at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Brown-Alkire Funeral Home. Burial will be in Mann's Chapel Cemetery near Rossville. Visitation will be 5-8 p.m. Monday at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to the American Heart Association or

Weather



Mostly cloudy today. High in the mid 70s. Tonight, cloudy. Low in the mid 50s. Tomorrow, partly sunny, warmer. High near 84, low near 55.

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