Dear Hoopeston Neighbor:

I am asking for your vote next Tuesday.
I think you know me well. I have lived and worked with you for 33 years. My six children went to school with your children. We watched Little League games and school band concerts together. My family donated blood beside you, worked for local charities with you and attended church together.

Not all of you agree with me on every issue, but you know that I've been a hardworking, honest and effective advocate for my clients. It is you—the people of Hoopeston—who permitted me to grow professionally from a one-man solo practice on the second floor of what is now Computer Works to Senior Partner of the largest litigation law firm in Vermilion County. It has been a wonderful town in which to raise our six children, not because of their material achievements but—more importantly—because they seem to have learned that trying to be good and helpful people is the measure of true success.

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I promise that I will work as hard as I can to clean up the problems in the office. If I am fortunate and win this election, I am confident that four years from now, you will be proud that you helped me to do so.

Sincerely Yours,

Paul T. Manion

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Music Booster winners

Winners in this week's Hoopeston Area Music Booster calendar drawing are: Nov. 6, Judy Anderson, Rankin; Nov. 7, \$100 concert winner to be announced; Nov. 8, anonymous giver; Nov. 9, Art Thompson; Nov. 10, Jim Grove.

Multi Agency van schedule

This week's schedule for the Hoopeston Multi Agency transportation project is: Monday, Hoopeston shuttle; Tuesday, Champaign (leave at 9 a.m.); Wednesday, Danville; Thursday, Hoopeston shuttle; Friday, closed for Veteran's Day.

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Community center activities include: Monday, ladies' bridge, noon Thursday, men's coffee 9:30 a.m., potluck and men's euchre, noon.

Teen Reach activities this week are: Monday, self esteem video, 5:30; Tuesday, karate 6-7 p.m.; Wednesday, crafts; Thursday, Katie 4:30 p.m.; Friday closed for Veteran's Day.

Santa parade

Entries are being sought for the Hoopeston Chamber of Commerce Santa parade to be held at 6:30 p.m. Nov. 17. Anyone interested in participating is asked to call Judi Benjamin at the Chamber office, 283-7873.

Neighborhood Watch

The Hoopeston Neighborhood Watch will meet at 6 p.m. Monday in the Country Terrace dining room. Coroner candidates Peggy Johnson and Bruce Stark will speak.

Meetings

Hoopeston City Council, 7 p.m. Monday, city hall. Hoopeston Area School Board, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, high school library.

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was released on \$95 cash bond.

LeRoy D. Rutledge, 19, of 39880 N 370 E Rd., Rankin, was arrested at 1:35 p.m. Thursday at city call. Rutledge, wanted on a Vermilion County traffic warrant,

A 56-year-old Hoopeston woman reported Thursday that someone took checks from her home in the 400 block of East Washington.

Robert P. Lytle, 49, of 7956 E 4000 N Rd., Rankin, was arrested at 12:26 a.m. Friday in the 800 block of South Dixie Hwy. Lytle was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, blood alcohol over .08 and improper lane usage after police said they saw him driving erratically on Rt. 1.

Lytle was released on his driver's license and \$100 cash bond.

Several packs of cigarettes were taken from the Clark station, 301 W. Penn. An unknown person broke a window and took the cigarettes at 2:11 a.m. Friday.

Both drivers were ticketed after a two-vehicle accident at 3:03 p.m. Friday at West Washington and South Sixth Ave.

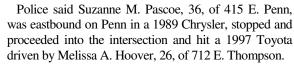
Obituaries

SCHMIDT—Cletys Schmidt, 93, of Hoopeston, died at 7:07 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 2, 2000 at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital. Funeral services were at 1:30 p.m. Sunday at Brown-Alkire Funeral Home. Burial was in Floral Hill Cemetery. Visitation was 6-8 p.m. Saturday at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to First Christian Church, 502 E. Main St., Hoopeston, IL 60942.



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Police News



Pascoe was cited for failure to yield at a stop intersection while Hoover was ticketed for driving on an expired license over six months.

Matthew L. Cannon, 20, of 609 Judson, was arrested at 4 p.m. Friday at city hall. Wanted on a Vermilion County traffic warrant, he was released on \$300 cash bond.

A nine-year-old reported Friday that someone took a silver Mongoose bicycle from a back vard in the 400 block of West Washington.

Adam F. Cipra, 24, of 615 W. Orange, Lot 6, was arrested at 1:26 a.m. Saturday at his home. Cipra, wanted on a Department of Corrections warrant, was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

Steven M. Howell Jr., 23, of 808 E. Elm, was arrested at 12:09 a.m. Sunday after a traffic stop in the 300 block of West Penn.

Howell was charged with driving on revocation and no insurance and was released on notices to appear in court.

Weather



Windy, occasional rain, some heavy today. High 60. Tonight, rain likely. Low 47. Tomorrow, partly cloudy. High 53, low 37.

For current weather conditions, call the Hoopeston Weather Line at (217) 283-6221.



Stuart R. Anthony, 27, of 502 E. Thompson, was arrested at 1:30 a.m. Sunday after a traffic stop in the

south alley of the 200 block of East Penn.

He was charged with possession of cannabis under 2.5 grams and no insurance. He was released on notices to appear.

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Lost: adult male white cat with gray patches and dark tail. Declawed. Last seen Oct. 20 in 500 block of West Washington. If found, call 283-9520.

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