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Dr. LEE

**Dr. Tsong Chou Lee announces
retirement after 30 year practice**

Dr. Tsong Chou Lee announced Friday that he will retire March 31, 2010. Dr. Lee has provided medical care to the Hoopeston area for more than 30 years.

Dr. Lee said, "I consider myself humbled and honored to work as a physician for so many years in Hoopeston and I thank my patients for their trust and confidence. I will surely miss all of my patients."

Gibson Area Hospital CEO Rob Schmitt said, "Gibson Area Hospital would like to thank Dr. Lee for working with us on recruiting a new family practice physician, Dr. Stephen Clingman, to take over his practice. We also want to thank Dr. Lee for his 30 plus years of service to the Hoopeston community. He will be missed by his patients."

Dr. Lee and his wife, Shiuho, have been married for 39 years and have three children and four grandchildren. All of the Lee's children are now physicians.

Briefly

Valentine activity rescheduled

Valentine Fun, a program for children ages 5-13 at the Hoopeston Public Library, has been rescheduled for Monday, Feb. 15. The program, presented by University of Illinois Extension-Vermilion County Unit, will be held from 4:30-5:30 pm.

New registrations are not being accepted. Those who pre-registered but cannot attend are asked to call the library, (217) 283-6711.

Meetings

Rossville Village Board, 7 p.m. Monday, village office

St. Anthony
Parish Youth Group & Friends
10th Annual
**Jambalaya Dinner
& Mardi Gras Party**
"Les bon temps roulette"
(Proceeds toward our Mission Trip to Memphis)
Tuesday, February 16
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Open Bowling 12:30-close
Sunday: Grilled Chicken Breast
Open Bowling 12-4

**Southbound Band 8:30 p.m. Saturday
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Police News



Paul F. Olinger, 38, of Hoopeston, was arrested after an incident at 5:27 p.m. Thursday at McDonald's parking lot, 1016 W. Orange.

He was charged with domestic battery on a complaint from a 33-year-old woman who alleged Olinger pulled her from his car after an altercation, then left the scene.

Olinger was later found, charged and taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

Police are investigating a hit-and-run accident reported at 11:14 p.m. Thursday at East Main and Euclid. A semi truck owned by Werner Trucking, Werner Enterprises, of Omaha, Neb., hit an Ameren CIPS pole, then left the scene.

Fire Calls



Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 3:02 a.m. Sunday to smoke inside a structure in the 300 block of East Lincoln. Ameren CIPS was also called to the scene. No injuries were reported.

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Thursday: Tacos Friday & Saturday: Cod
Sunday: Chicken Kiev & Beef Manhatan

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The driver of the truck, Nytia T. Stafford, of Detroit, was later found and was mailed a ticket for leaving the scene of an accident.

Trinidad R. Hernandez, 37, of Hoopeston, was charged with assault after police were called at 4:04 p.m. Friday in the 300 block of East Main. A 34-year-old Hoopeston man alleged Hernandez made threats to him.

He was released on a notice to appear.

A 60-year-old Hoopeston man reported at 11:02 a.m. Saturday that someone damaged his property in the 500 block of West Elm.

Obituaries

KRUMWIEDE - Fried Krumwiede, 86, of Cissna Park, died Thursday, Feb. 11, 2010, at Prairieview Lutheran Home, Danforth. Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. Monday at St. John Lutheran Church, Ash Grove. Burial will be in the church cemetery. Visitation was 3-6 p.m. Sunday at Knapp Funeral Home, Cissna Park, and one hour before service at the church. Memorials are suggested to the church or charity of the donor's choice.

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 4 a.m. Saturday in the 400 block of East Seminary. Police said Phil Douglas Bailey, of Hoopeston, in a 1993 Chevrolet truck, backing into a chain link fence owned by Clinton D. Shields, of Hoopeston.

Wayne Propes, 36, of Chino, Calif., was arrested at 9:33 p.m. Saturday at Second Chance Saloon, 201 N. Market. Wanted on a Vermilion County warrant for two counts of domestic battery, with bond set at \$3,000, and an Iroquois County warrant for failure to appear/transportation of alcohol/passenger, with \$116 bond, he

SMITH - Herbert E. Smith, Jr., 81, of Hoopeston, died at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 11, 2010, at home. Graveside service will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Floral Hill Cemetery, with military rites by Hoopeston American Legion and VFW posts. There will be no visitation. Memorials are suggested to Carle Hospice, 206 A. West Anthony Dr., Champaign IL 61821. Brown-Alkire Funeral Home, Hoopeston, is in charge of arrangements.

Lunch Menus



Hoopeston Area grade schools

MONDAY: No school

TUESDAY: Pizza Hut (cheese) lettuce, pears; Maple: chicken patty, green beans, pears, pudding

WEDNESDAY: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, peaches, bread & butter

THURSDAY: Hotdog/bun, fries, pineapple

FRIDAY: Chicken patty, green beans, mixed fruit, pud-

ding; Maple: Pizza Hut (cheese), lettuce, mixed fruit

Hoopeston Area middle/high schools

MONDAY: No school

TUESDAY: Biscuit & gravy or pancake & sausage nuggets, scrambled eggs, pears, juice

WEDNESDAY: Taco max snax or cheese quesadilla, salad, pears

THURSDAY: Salisbury steak or Hot Pocket, mashed potatoes, green beans, pears, hot roll

FRIDAY: Grilled cheese or fish sandwich, chili, mixed fruit

All meals include milk.

Weather



Chance of snow today. High 25. Tonight, chance of flurries. Low 14. Tomorrow, chance of flurries, then mostly cloudy. High 30, low 16.

For current weather conditions, call Hoopeston Weather Service, (217) 283-6221.

was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville in lieu of bond.

Jeremy J. Furrow, 33, of Hoopeston, was arrested after an incident at 11:48 p.m. Saturday in the 500 block of West Washington, on preliminary charges of domestic battery and interference with reporting domestic battery. The arrest came on a report from a 29-year-old Hoopeston woman, who alleged Furrow and his father-in-law were involved in a disturbance.

Furrow was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

Gary E. Brown, 60, of Hoopeston, and Bryon C. Brown, 33, of Milford, were each charged with battery after an incident at 11:48 p.m.

Saturday in the 500 block of West Washington.

The men were charged on a complaint from a 33-year-old Hoopeston man who alleged the men were fighting with him.

Both were released on recognition bond.

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