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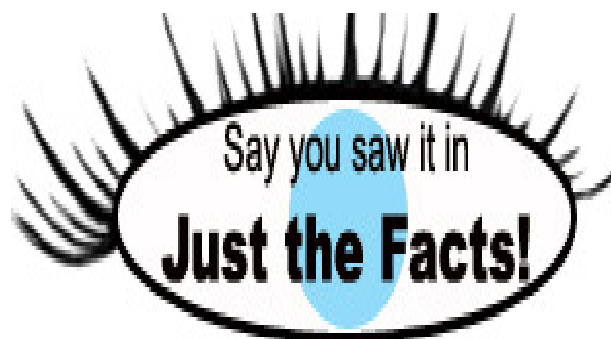
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Police News

Jeff H. Chandler, 37, of Hoopeston, was arrested after an incident at 11:38 p.m. Friday at the VFW, 426 W. Orange. A 41-year-old Potomac man alleged Chandler caused a severe laceration to the man's hand during an altercation outside the establishment.

Chandler was charged with aggravated battery and was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

Lucas E. Neal, 30, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 2:45 p.m. Friday at the police station in connection with a hit-and-run accident at 2:47 a.m. July 25.

Neal was charged with leaving the scene of an accident and driving while license revoked after allegedly hitting a 2003 Hyundai, owned by Gina Acosta, which was parked in the 500 block of Front.

Neal was released on \$150 cash bond with a date in traffic court.

A **29-year-old** Champaign woman reported at 4:18 p.m. Friday that someone entered her vehicle while it was parked near the McFerren Park Civic Center and stole her purse. The purse was later recovered in the 900 block of West Main but a camera and several other items were missing.

A **set of keys** and clip were found Saturday. The owner may identify and claim them at the police station.

A **black AT&T** phone was found Saturday at Cheese Park. The owner may identify and claim it at the police station.

A **67-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported at 9:14 am. Saturday that someone entered and damaged her garage. Items were also taken from the garage, in the 700 block of East Chestnut.

A **51-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported at 1:35 p.m. Saturday that someone ransacked her car and

removed several items. The burglary occurred in the 400 block of East Washington.

A **72-year-old** Hoopeston man reported at 2:15 p.m. Saturday that someone ransacked his truck, in the 600 block of East Main, and took several items from it.

Eron Marquez, 20, of Cissna Park, was arrested after a traffic stop at 10:50 p.m. Saturday at Market and Maple. He faces preliminary charges of possession of a controlled substance with intent to deliver, possession of cannabis with intent to deliver and possession of cocaine with intent to deliver after police allege they found cannabis, cocaine and Oxy-codone pills.

Marquez was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

County seeks help in collection of dead birds for WNV levels

Vermilion County Health Department is asking for public assistance with collecting dead birds to test for West Nile Virus.

"Finding out if the virus is present in Vermilion County allows us to alert residents to take precautions when they are outside and make sure their homes are free of places where mosquitoes breed," said Jenny Trimmell, public health administrator.

The health department will accept a limited number of certain types of dead birds, including crows, blue jays, grackles, starlings, sparrows, finches, robins, cardinals, flycatchers, swallows, catbirds, mockingbirds, warblers and wrens, for testing.

Not all birds will be accepted for testing. Larger birds are preferred because they provide more tissue for test-

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Briefly

Bowling league openings

Bowling leagues at Fast Lanes are in need of bowlers, including:

- Monday Night Ladies League, 7 p.m. Monday. Four-

Fire Calls



- Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 1:15 p.m. Friday to Country Terrace Apartments, 705 E. Orange, for an alarm that turned out to be a malfunction due to storm-related issues.

- Firemen were called at 7:11 p.m. Saturday to 11300 State Rt. 9 for a one-vehicle rollover accident. EMS, Sheriff's police and Illinois State Police also responded.

The unidentified driver was airlifted to an area hospi-

Birds continued from other side

ing. Birds should not be in a state of decomposition and should not have been attacked by animals.

Dead birds are collected locally, then sent to the state laboratory to determine if they have been bitten by infected mosquitoes. Positive results may mean the virus is present in a community.

A mosquito infected with West Nile virus can spread the disease by biting humans. The virus was first noted in Illinois in summer, 2001. By 2002, the Illinois Department of Public Health reported more than 800 human cases of the virus in Illinois. A single case was reported in Vermilion County in 2006 and two cases in 2013.

According to IDPH, most people are not affected when bitten by a West Nile-infected mosquito, but some people, including those over the age of 50 and who may have chronic health problems, are most at risk from the virus.

To report a dead bird in Vermilion County for possible testing, call the health department at (217) 431-2662, ext. 247. Additional information is available on the health department's website, www.vchd.org.

Weather



Mostly sunny today. High 83. Tonight, chance of storms. Low 61. Tomorrow, chance of storms. High 83, low 61.

woman teams are needed. All interested bowlers are urged to attend. For more information, call Karen Porth, 772-1105.

- Wednesday Night Ladies League, which begins September 3.

- Thursday Afternoon Ladies League

- Sunday Night League has two openings. The league meets Sunday at 6 p.m.

- Friday Night Mixed League needs teams for its season, which begins September 19.

For information, call Fast Lanes, 283-6505.

Obituaries

ROBERTSON - Carl E. "Butch" Robertson, 90, of Hoopeston, died at 5:01 p.m. Thursday, July 31, 2014, at Heritage Health, Hoopeston. Visitation will be 10 a.m. until the noon celebration of his life Monday at Brown-Alkire Funeral Chapel, Hoopeston. Burial will follow in East Lynn Cemetery.

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