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Rural Rankin man shoots estranged wife's dad, friend, self

Vermilion County Sheriff's Police are investigating an incident Thursday in which a Rankin man shot his estranged wife's father and an unnamed man before shooting himself.

According to reports, deputies were called at 4:50 p.m. Thursday to a home on 370 East Rd., in rural Rankin for a report of shots fired.

The report was from the home of Don and Sharon Frazier, parents of Emily Lee, who, on October 1, was granted an order of protection against her husband, Vernon Scott Lee.

That order, set to expire October 22, was extended, pending a hearing, according to court records.

Lee allegedly went to the Frazier home, where he beat Mr. Frazier, then shot him. Police said he held Mrs. Frazier hostage and used her phone to get Emily Lee to the

home. She arrived with her unnamed boyfriend, who Lee allegedly shot before leaving the scene.

Lee went to his home on Second Ave. in Rankin. Police surrounded the area, using an armored vehicle and squad vehicles. As deputies approached the home, Lee reportedly went into the back yard and shot himself.

Mr. Frazier remained in critical condition Sunday at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. The boyfriend was also taken to the hospital.

Lee was treated at the scene, then taken to Carle. He was being held medically for his injuries, which were described as not life-threatening.

According to reports, neither Mrs. Frazier nor Emily Lee were injured physically.

While deputies were at Lee's home, the Rankin Library and Casey's General Store were put on lockdown.

Four-vehicle pileup closes Route 9, entrance to Monical's

A Hoopeston man was ticketed, four people were treated and Route 9 was closed after a four-vehicle accident Saturday night.

Hoopeston police said Deborah Clayburn, of Hoopeston, in a 2005 Dodge Caravan, and Andrew Shackelford, also of Hoopeston, in a 2005 Dodge van, were stopped on Route 9, waiting for Maria Vasquez, of Urbana, in a 2009 Mercedes Benz, to turn into Monical's.

Robert Irvin, also of Hoopeston, in a 20015 Jeep Patriot, collided with Clayburn's vehicle, sending it into Shackelford's, who was pushed into Vasquez's.

Clayburn and three passengers were taken to Hoopeston Carle for injuries.

Irvin was ticketed for failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident and was released on a notice to appear in traffic court.

Hoopeston Fire Department and Hoopeston and Ross-ville ambulances also responded to the scene.

In other police news:

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 12:13 p.m. Friday in the Subway parking lot, 912 S. Dixie Hwy. Police said a 2014 Chevrolet Impala, driven by Cherity J. Milner, of Hoopeston, and a 2005 Chevrolet Malibu, driven by Devyn L. Davis, of Alvin, collided. No injuries were reported.

Kaylynn A. Bridgman, 24, of Hoopeston, was arrested after an incident at 3:07 p.m. Friday at Casey's General Store, 115 E. Orange. She was charged with breach of peace on a complaint from a 37-year-old Hoopeston woman who alleged Bridgman came to the business and made threats to her.

Bridgman was released on a notice to appear in Hoopeston, City Court.

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As we think of you today.**

*Sadly missed and loved
**Caleb, Hunter
Mom & Dad
Family & Friends***



Photo contributed

Exemplary students

Hoopeston Area students were recognized recently as October Student of the Month. Pictured are, front from left, Katie Weston and Carson Alwardt, freshmen; Savannah Lane and Chet Stock, sophomores, and back, Blażej Kowalski, Meggon Cartright, juniors; Kodi Pilcher and Maritza Garza.

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Briefly

Open house

Sandie Smith will hold an all-day open house Monday at her new Country Financial office at 309 E. Main St., next to Mr. B's. The event will start with a ribbon cutting at 10 a.m. Everyone is invited.

Veterans Day activities

Hoopeston Area will hold its annual Veterans Day ceremony at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday in the middle school gym. The Color Guard will go to Maple School at 10:30

Fire Calls

Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 6:03 p.m. Thursday to the 800 block of West Penn for a report of smoke. The smoke was determined to be steam.

Lunch Menus

Hoopeston Area Grade Schools

MONDAY: Chicken patty/bun, green beans, apple-sauce, Power Punch juice, milk

TUESDAY: Sausage pizza, salad, baby carrots, peaches, milk

WEDNESDAY: Pancake & sausage nuggets, tri-tater, celery sticks, mandarin orange, milk

THURSDAY: Taco, chips & salsa, baby carrots, salad, pineapple, milk

FRIDAY: Mini corn dog, baked beans, cucumber slices, mixed fruit, milk

Hoopeston Area Middle/High Schools

MONDAY: Chicken wrap or ham & cheese, salad bar, green beans, applesauce, milk, juice

TUESDAY: Biscuit and gravy or Hot Pocket, scrambled eggs, tri tater, mandarin orange, salad bar, milk, juice

WEDNESDAY: Tacos or pork BBQ, refried beans, chips & salsa pears, salad bar, milk, juice

THURSDAY: Chicken patty or cheeseburger, fries, peaches, salad bar, milk, juice

FRIDAY: Pizza or fish sandwich, salad bar, mixed fruit, milk, juice

Weather

Sunny today. High 54. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 37. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 59, low 47.

a.m. for its Veterans Day program.

Hoopeston American Legion will open at 10 a.m. Veterans Day and will serve free chili and potato soup to everyone in honor of our veterans.

Fire Calls

STEIDEL - Rebecca Elizabeth "Becky" (Williams) Steidel, 57, of Danville, died at 12:20 a.m. Friday, Nov. 6, 2015 at home. Visitation will be 4-6 p.m. Monday at Cedar Grove Church of the Nazarene, 12659 E 2100 North Rd., Danville, with a memorial service beginning at 6 p.m. Committal service will be at 1 p.m. Monday at Songer Cemetery, Tilton. Memorials are suggested to Touching Lives for Christ P.O. Box 1065 Hobe Sound, FL 33475 or Iroquois Memorial Hospice 200 Fairman St, Watseka, IL 60970. Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston, is handling arrangements.

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