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### From the Blotter

**Police are investigating** a hit-and-run accident reported at 3:04 p.m. Wednesday in the 600 block of East Young. An unknown vehicle hit a 1994 Pontiac, owned by Charles Wainwright, of Wellington, then left the scene.

**Police report an accident** occurred at 5 p.m. Wednesday in the 400 block of South Second Ave., when Jamie Inman, of Hoopeston, in a 2006 Dodge van, struck a dog, owned by Sarah Hoover, also of Hoopeston, when the dog ran into the street.

**Chase Hensley**, 20, of Hoopeston, was arrested after police were called Thursday to the Downtown Motel, 200 E. Main, for a report of someone trespassing. He was charged with possession of cannabis and released on a notice to appear in Vermilion County Circuit Court.

**Austin L. Rhodes II**, 40, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 2:12 p.m. Friday in the 700 block of West Orange. Wanted on an Iroquois County warrant for failure to appear/violation of order of protection, he was released

**See POLICE on other side**

### Briefly

#### Birthday card shower for Molly

Molly Parker Culbert will turn 92 on January 8 and would enjoy receiving cards and letters. They may be sent to her at Heritage Health Therapy and Senior Center, 423 N. Dixie Hwy., Hoopeston IL 60942.

#### Birthday Club registration extended

Registration for Hoopeston Jaycees' 2016 Birthday Club has been extended until Friday, Jan. 8, due to holiday time constraints. Registration packets and information are available at [www.hoopestonjaycees.org](http://www.hoopestonjaycees.org).

#### Coming up at the library

##### Lego Club

Hoopeston Public Library will hold its monthly LEGO CLUB for kids in grades K-6, from 3:30-4:30 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 7.

##### An Afternoon at Downton

Fans of the British TV series "Downton Abbey" are invited to get into the spirit of the show with "An Afternoon at Downton" at 1:30 p.m., Monday, Jan. 11, at Hoopeston Public Library.

Adult participants will enjoy full tea service in the

British style, an easy vintage craft, trivia and other fun from the period. Attendees are welcome to wear their favorite Downton-era hats or other clothing items, if desired.

The program is free, but because of space limitations, reservations are requested, and can be made by calling the library at 217-283-6711 no later than Thursday, Jan. 7.

#### Final youth basketball signups coming

Hoopeston Area Youth Basketball Academy will hold a final sign up event on Saturday, Jan. 9, from noon to 2 p.m. at Hoopeston City Hall, 301 W. Main.. This is for boys and girls from kindergarten-fourth grade. Family discounts apply.

Please contact Kathy Harding at 217-497-6686 for more information.

#### Birthday open house

An open house will be held for Jack Silver's 80th birthday from 2-4 p.m. January 16 at First Baptist Church gym, 323 E. Seminary, Hoopeston. Cake and punch will be served. Friends and acquaintances are welcome to help him celebrate!

As the Holiday Season is upon us, we find ourselves reflecting on the past year and on those who have helped to shape our business in a most significant way. We value our relationship with you and look forward to working with you in the year to come. We wish you a very happy Holiday Season and a New Year filled with peace and prosperity.

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## Obituaries

**BRUTLAG**—Lisa (McGill) Brutlag, 55, of Crescent City, died Thursday, Dec. 31, 2015. Visitation will be 4-8 p.m. Friday and 10 a.m. until the 11 a.m. funeral Saturday at Baier Funeral Home, Watseka. She will be cremated. Memorials are suggested to the family.

Among Mrs. Brutlag's survivors is a sister, Diana Lowe, of Rossville.

**CADE** - Carolyn Sue (Justice) Cade, 73, of Searcy, Ark., formerly of Hoopeston, died January 2, 2016, in Little Rock, Ark. Visitation will be 6-8 p.m. Tuesday at Moore's Cabot Funeral Home. Funeral will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday in the chapel. Condolences may be left at [www.moorecabotfuneralhome.com](http://www.moorecabotfuneralhome.com).

**COON** - Phyllis Ilene (Yarno) coon, 77, of Hoopeston, died at 7:45 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 31, 2015, at Heritage Health, Hoopeston. Visitation will be 4 p.m. until the 6 p.m. memorial service Tuesday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. She will be cremated and no burial held. Memorials are suggested to Hoopeston Animal Shelter, 901 W. Main St., Hoopeston IL 60942.

**HOLLEN** - Betty June (Allison) Hollen, 87, of Hoop-

### *Police* continued from other side

on \$100 bond with a new court date.

**Three people were** arrested after police received a call about a suspicious vehicle in the 600 block of Wyman at 9:30 p.m. Friday.

Nicholas Pascoe, 21, and Shane MacGregor, 25, both of Hoopeston, and Matthew Williams, 19, of Paxton, were each charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of cannabis.

Pascoe was also charged with carrying a concealed weapon.

All were released on notices to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

**Police are investigating** a hit-and-run accident reported at 12:11 am. Saturday in the 400 block of West Chestnut. An unknown vehicle hit a mail box owned by Santos Zamarripa, then left the scene.

### Weather

Sunny today. High 33. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 21. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 38, low 29.

eston, died at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 29, 2015, at Heritage Health, Hoopeston. Visitation was 9 a.m. until the 11 a.m. funeral Saturday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Burial was in Floral Hill Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to Hoopeston Area Sports Boosters, c/o Anderson Funeral Home, 427 E. Main St., Hoopeston IL 60942.

**SULLIVAN** - Geraldine L. "Gerry" (Johnson) Sullivan, 89, of Watseka, died Tuesday, Dec. 29., 2015, at Merkle-Knipprath Nursing Home, Clifton. Visitation was 10 a.m. until the 11 a.m. funeral Monday at First United Methodist Church, Watseka. Burial was in Body Cemetery, Woodland. Memorials are suggested to Watseka Public Library. Knapp Funeral Home, Watseka, is in charge of arrangements.

Among Mrs. Sullivan's survivors is a daughter, Linda Decker, of Milford.

## Court Dispositions

### November 5

**Ellen Griffin**, Hoopeston, case turned over to State of Illinois for further enforcement.

**Adolpho Ybarra**, Hoopeston, case turned over to State of Illinois for further enforcement.

**Joseph Cannon**, Hoopeston, case turned over to State of Illinois for further enforcement.

**Susie Wisdom**, Rossville, status hearing December 3.

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