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Rail crossings on Rt. 9, Maple, Penn and Main streets were blocked on August 24 as CSX workers examined the tracks. The crossings will be blocked again as crews will be in Hoopeston to upgrade them.

IDOT announces Orange crossing to close for rail upgrade

Hoopeston officials have been notified that Orange St., (Rt. 9) will be closed at the railroad crossing to allow CSX to perform maintenance.

The closing will begin on or about Monday, Sept. 18, according to a notice from the Illinois Department of Transportation.

"Past maintenance and replacement of crossings in this area has determined the most prudent method for traffic control is to provide local detours on county and city streets," the notice said. "The state requests the use of local streets as used in the previous maintenance and replacement of railroad crossings (in Hoopeston)."

The detour for Rt. 9 traffic traveling westbound will be northbound on Market, westbound on Maple, southbound on Second Ave. and back westbound on Orange (Rt. 9).

Eastbound traffic will use Second Ave. northbound, then Maple eastbound and southbound on Market, then back eastbound on Orange (Rt. 9).

The road is expected to be closed for up to five days as improvements are made.

On August 24, CSX equipment blocked traffic on Orange, Maple, Penn and Main while examining the condition of those crossings.

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From 5 p.m.- close Tuesdays & Wednesdays, we're donating \$5 of each dine-in cheeseburger to a local church or school. Wednesday's recipient is

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ESTATE AUCTION

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LODA, ILLINOIS

SATURDAY, SEPT. 23, 2023 11:00 AM

SALE LOCATION: From Loda West on Bayles Lake Road (200N) (3 miles) to 1700E (Ford Co.) Road North ½ mile.

From Gibson City North on RT 54 to Bayles Lake Road (800N) 9 miles to 1700E Road, North ½ mile. RT 115 to (800N) East 2 miles. Signs Loda & RT 54.

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Obituaries

WALKER - Elizabeth Ann (Chew) Walker, 98, quietly passed away in Richmond, VA, August 13, 2023. She was the daughter of Harriett Bell Kremer and James Watson Chew, born July 17, 1925, in Danville. In 1933, the family moved to a farm in Butler Township, outside of Rossville. She met and married Alvin D. Walker, Sr, a WW II veteran, in Peoria, in 1945 and had three sons, all of whom served in the U.S. Armed Forces. Alvin and Elizabeth lived in five states before returning to Hoopeston, where they retired.



ELIZABETH WALKER

She always had a pleasant smile and a warm greeting, enjoyed the company of others, loved cats, enjoyed puzzles, Scrabble, and writing poems, and had written hundreds.

Elizabeth was preceded in death by her twin sister, Mary Kathryn, who was the younger of the two, as well as four older siblings, Margaret, James Jr., William, who died at age 3½, and Harriett Louise, who was 100 years old and died one week before Elizabeth, her parents and her husband.

She is survived by her three married children, Douglas E and Dena Walker, Alvin D Jr and Susan Walker, who live in Richmond, VA, and James R and Cindy Walker, who live in New Bern, NC, as well as 11 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

She will be buried next to her husband in Floral Hill Cemetery. A graveside service will be held at 10 a.m. September 22. Anderson Funeral Home is handling funeral arrangements. Condolences may be shared at www.anderson-funeral-home.com. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Elizabeth's name to the Hoopeston Animal Rescue Team (HART), due to her love for cats.

NEWMAN - Delores E. (Balanoff) Newman, 90, of Milford, died Saturday, September 9, 2023, at Accolade of Danville. Visitation will be 9 a.m. until the 11 a.m. funeral Friday at Knapp Funeral Home, Milford. Burial will follow in Maple Grove Cemetery, Milford. Memorials are suggested to Milford Fire Department. Condolences may be shared at www.knappfuneralhomes.com.

Briefly

At the library

Coffee, Craft & Conversation 10 a.m.-noon Wednesdays. Needlecrafters, and others who do portable handcrafts are inviting to bring their projects and enjoy a morning of fun and conversation!

Treeclimbers Genealogy Group, 10:30 a.m. Saturday. For beginner or experienced genealogists.

For information on Hoopeston Public Library programs, visit 110 N. Fourth St., or call (217) 283-6711.

Cheeseburgers for Paradise change

For the next few months, Cheeseburgers for Paradise, sponsored by Rossville Family Restaurant, will also feature local classrooms/grade levels/schools. To accommodate all who want to participate, Wednesday nights are now included, as well. If you know a church, teacher, classroom, or school that would want to participate? Have them contact us! Rossvillefr@gmail.com

Weather

Mostly sunny today. High 72. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 46. Tomorrow, sunny. High 74, low 47.

For real time Hoopeston weather, visit justthefacts.net/weather/.

The PIT STOP at FAST LANES

Monday: Spaghetti, Taco Salad or grilled and breaded Tenderloins
Tuesday: Chicken Pot Pie, Speedway Burger and Chicken or Beef & Noodles
Wednesday: Rib eye sandwich and Prime rib sandwich
Thursday: Swiss steak or Popcorn shrimp
Friday: Cod, Rib eye steak, and Rib dinners
Saturday: Prime Rib, Rib eye steak, and Rib dinners

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Breakfast Buffet

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Served 7-10 a.m. Saturday

7 a.m. -12 p.m. Sunday

Breakfast served 5:30-10 a.m. Mon.-Fri.

5:30-11 Sat. & Sun.

From the Blotter

Police are investigating a burglary to a building reported at 9:55 a.m. Monday. A 67-year-old Hoopeston man reported items were taken from two sheds in the 300 block of North Front.

Ivan S. Sanchez, 21, of Hoopeston, was arrested after a traffic stop at 7:40 p.m. Monday at South Seventh Ave. and West Washington. He was charged with driving while license suspended and released on a notice to appear in Vermilion County Traffic Court.

Fire Calls

Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 5:44 p.m. Monday to the 1200 block of Thompson after a homeowner called for an out-of-control brush fire. Several trucks were sent. No injuries were reported.

The Lorraine Theatre
BINGO
 2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month
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This week's Jackpot - \$350!
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City of Hoopeston is accepting applications for a part time animal control officer. Applicants must have a valid driver's license, must be comfortable handling aggressive animals, must be willing to attend required training at city's expense and must be willing to be employed on an on-call basis. Candidates will be required to enforce State, County and City codes, ordinances and laws governing animal control, animal identification, recognition of illness, habits and behaviors of various animals and the techniques and equipment used in capturing, restraining, receiving, feeding, caring for, grooming and releasing domestic and wild animals. Job functions include, but not limited to: capture domestic and wild animals; may require chasing, climbing fences and crawling under houses, etc.; inspect animal facilities to ensure animals have adequate food and water and have sanitary and appropriate living conditions; issue citations, warnings and/or legal notices. Applications available at Hoopeston City Hall, 301 W. Main or www.cityof

hoopeston.com. For questions call (217) 283-5833.

East Lynn Fertilizer is looking for a full-time custom applicator. Competitive Pay. Health Insurance & Retirement Plans. Apply in person at 41284 S Main St. East Lynn, IL.

Silgan Containers is hiring for Press Line Mechanics. Please apply online at silgancontainers.mua.hr/department.com/hr/ats/Posting/view/13827

Silgan Containers is hiring an Electrician - Industrial/Maintenance Technician. Please apply online at: silgancontainers.mua.hr/department.com/hr/ats/Posting/view/13392

Aquality Solutions is looking for men or women to deliver its products to area businesses and residential customers. This position offers benefits and incentive bonuses. Apply in person at 102 N 1st Street in Hoopeston or call us at 855-692-7824.

City of Hoopeston Police Department is taking applications for certified police officers/part time certification is recognized. Applications ongoing; no deadline applies for certified officers.

RUMMAGE SALES

HOOPESTON: 820 N 4th St. Friday 8-4, Sat. 8-noon. Collectibles, fishing equipment, crafting supplies, glass curio cabinet, large wooden dresser, rocking chair, small furniture items, space heater, luggage. Items priced to sell.

HOOPESTON: 407 E. Maple St. Fri. 8 - 3, Sat. 8 - 1. Everything Christmas: lights, ornaments, decorations of all kinds. Miscellaneous items also.