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Big projects need more publicity from city, county officials

By FRED SWIFT

more frequently on the progress of various projects reportedly underway in the county, plans

that they are still in the public's knowledge and buy-in. pipeline. City and coun-

meetings or media announcements.

Pleasant Street bridge over White River, the development, etc. 8th Street Cultural District, building of overpasses on Ind. 37, expansion of the are slow to reveal progress or problems they Judicial Center, progress of the Hamilton encounter. I don't think in most cases it's

County Express, or even the Sheridan Con-Our public officials need to speak out vention Center?

I've noticed (how could you miss) Carmel telling the world about its projects almost to the extent that it makes one dizzy. Noblesville and Hamilton County have that often drop from some great plans, hopefully on the drawing view with no certainty boards, that might be helped along with the

We can suspect, and hope, that things ty officials would do are happening behind the scenes. Let's hear themselves a favor about them even if progress is slow or probby taking up pending lems have developed. Trying not to be too projects designed for the public in public critical, I would say the city and county Parks Departments and most of the schools What projects am I talking about? How do a good job of telling the public about about the Midland Trail, the proposed their acquisitions, plans for further

> I don't know why some public officials with the folks they work for---the public. Well, it's all just my crazy idea. They probintentional withholding of information. I suspect they just don't get around to sharing you can instead of as little as you have to. ment.

SPECIAL ELECTION SECTION TO BE PUBLISHED NEXT WEEK

The Hamilton County Reporter is working to put the "finishing touch" on our first-ever Hamilton County Election Special Edition.

The special section will be published first in the regular Sunday, May 4 email

The exact special section also will appear in the print edition on Tuesday, May 6. The print edition also will appear in email on Monday, May 5.

The print edition, as well as being delivered to homes throughout the southern Hamilton County area, can be purchased at news stands throughout the area.

Fred Swift will lead our election coverage. No one in Hamilton County has covered more local elections than Fred Swift, nor does anyone know the election climax in Hamilton County better than Fred Swift.

Still trying to decide on whom to vote for? Don't miss what Fred Swift has to stay in the Hamilton County Reporter.

ably won't pay attention to me, but I wish Having been in the news business in the they would. It would make us all feel like past, I always think why not tell as much as we're getting more out of our local govern-

50 years ago...

Post Office Looks to expand

By DON JELLISON **Reporter Editor**

Fifty years ago Noblesville Post Office, then located on 9th Street in downtown Noblesville, announced it needed to expand by building a 40x60 building at a cost of \$160,000. Postmaster James Gaddis said that an alley between Maple and Cherry would be closed. The Post Office also filed with Federal Court to condemn (take over) the law offices of Campbell, Malan, Kyle and

Proffitt *Stanley Urban, running for Sheridan School Board, was informed he could not do that because he had filed too late.

*Noblesville was preparing to run it's first-ever School Board election. Fifteen were in the race. Because of state and national elections it was predicted that the local election would attract a record 12,000 voters.

*Forest Park Inn was opening (Sundays only) for the summer season.

Sports

Donnie Dunker, who already the had thrown two no-hitters for the Miller baseball team, tossed a two-hitter as Noblesville defeated Alexandria, 5-0.

*Coach Dale Snelling's extension on the south side of the Millers won the school's 11th straight Hamilton County Meet, outscoring second-place Carmel 83-38. Steve Mullin won two events and Charlie Core broke the high jump record. Carmel's Jim Sanford broke two county records in the hurdles.

> *Karen Baker of Walnut Grove, Susie Radloff of Carmel, Beth Howe of Noblesville, Carol Williams of Fishers, Tink Mosbaugh of Jackson Central and Pat Martin of Sheridan were the Queens at the Hamilton County Track & Field Meet.

Business

Two new housing developments were opening in Noblesville, Willow Cress and Stardust Village.

*The home show was an attraction at the 4-H Grounds.

*Rexall had a 2-for-1, plus a penny, sale.

Annual Walnut Grove banquet offers history, chance to share memories

By JEFF JELLISON

On Saturday evening members of the Walnut Grove Alumni Association gathered at Hamilton Heights Elementary school for their annual banquet.

Attending the event were approximately 155 members of Walnut Grove classes ranging from 1938 through 1965.

This year's event honored the Walnut Grove class of 1964.

Throughout the evening alumni members reminiscenced about the history of the school.

A written presentation of the history compiled by Cloe Morris include the following information.

In 1869, during the trusteeship of Joseph Peck, School #15, a oneroom frame schoolhouse was built by Joseph Orth for \$600. The school was later named Walnut Grove.

In 1903, on two additional acres donated by John Newby, Trustee Fred Tischer erected a modern brick building. For the first time a four-year accredited high school curriculum was offered

Walnut Grove's first high school class of seven members graduated in 1905.

In 1908, with donated materials and labor, Frank Rigsby, a local builder, supervised the building of a gymnasium. The gym was the first building in the cate the award was a result of Prinstate to be used for physical education and athletic purposes.

During 1953 Walnut Grove was awarded a first-class commis- graduated in 1965 when students sion. This commission was the highest award ever made to a rural school in Indiana. Reports indi-



Reporter photo by Jeff Jellison

Marian Noggle, 99 years of age, served as a school teacher for 38 years, 12 of those years were at Walnut Grove. Noggle taught Latin and English. Noggle stated "Walnut Grove students were such a pleasure to teach. They were a bunch of well behaved farm kids."

Noggle (center) is pictured with her daughter in law Vivian Noggle and her son Jon Noggle at the Walnut Grove Alumni Association's annual banquet.

the honor.

Walnut Grove's last class memories. ed forming Hamilton Heights.

In March of 1994 Walnut cipal John Kerr's efforts to earn Grove was demolished leaving many area residents with only

Walnut Grove historians indifrom Jackson Township and cated it has been 109 years since White River Township consolidat- the first graduating class in 1905.



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Obituaries

Nancy Ann Shubert

July 14, 1947 - April 23, 2014

Nancy Ann Shubert, 66, of Noblesville, passed away on Wednesday, April 23, 2014 at Riverview Hospital in Noblesville. She was born on July 14, 1947 to Marshall and Becky (Lawless) Guffey in Jamestown, Kentucky. Nancy had worked for IDI Composites International for 33 years.

She is survived by her husband, Bobby Joe Shubert; mother, Becky Ann Guffey; daughters, Missy Ann (Steve) Reveal and Amy Lynn (Chris) Evans; sister, Kathy Parsons; brother, Joey Guffey; sister, Patricia Murray; brother-in-law, Danny Shubert; sister-in-law, Helen Thomas; and grandchildren, Savan E. Reveal, Cody Ray, Jadelyn Marie and Jonathan Ray.

In addition to her father, she was preceded in death by a brother, Danny Guffey.

Services were held on Saturday, April 26, 2014 at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home in Noblesville with visitation prior to the service. Burial was at Crownland Cemetery in Noblesville.

Susan R. Williams

November 25, 1946 - April 18, 2014

Susan R. Williams, 67, of Westfield, went to be with God on Friday, April 18, 2014. She was born on November 25, 1946 to Herman and Martha (Daniels) Rose in Monticello, Kentucky.

Susan was a dedicated wife, mother, and daughter. She was a member of new Life Church in Noblesville. Susan's life was dedicated to her family and her work. She was employed prior to her illness at Rent-A-Center, and Shastar Rentals, the first million-dollar store.

Susan was married to Donald F. Williams, Jr. on September 10, 1980. Both had been previously married. She and Don were very proud to have raised 6 children.

She is survived by husband, Donald of Westfield, IN; mother, Martha Rose of Indianapolis, IN; son, David (Debbi) Culp of Noblesville, IN; daughter, Deidre (Billy) Hinton of Indianapolis, IN; daughter, Amy (Thomas) Preer of Noblesville, IN; son, Mike (Darlene) Williams of Lebanon, IN; daughter, Angela Williams of Sheridan, IN; son, Todd (Barbara) Williams of Hickory, NC; brother, Jim Rose of Alexandria, IN; sister, Kathleen Rose of Indianapolis, IN; 11 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

Susan was preceded in death by her father.

Cremation was requested by Susan. A Celebration of Her Life will be held at a later date.

Condolences: www.randallroberts.com.

Ida Dora Aldred

February 27, 1919 - April 22, 2014

Ida Dora Aldred, age 95 of Sheridan, passed away on Tuesday morning, April 22, 2014, at the Masonic Home in Franklin, Indiana. Born February 27, 1919 in Fortville, Indiana, she was the daughter of Marion Homer & Ethel Jane (Stanley) Hensley. Dora graduated from Fortville H.S. and Central Business College. She worked as an Administrative Assistant for Diamond Chain, Central Supply and Curtis Dyna Product. She later retired from Conner Prairie, where she was a volunteer and worked in the Gift Shop. Dora was a homemaker and a very loving mother and grandmother. On November 2, 1944, she married Raymond Horton Aldred, who preceded her in death on January 6, 1985.

She is survived by her son, Michael H. Aldred and wife Rebecca of Sheridan; her daughter, Victoria Aldred Buzash of Greenwood; 1 sister, Helen Elizabeth (Hensley) Grosskopf of Dallas, Texas; 3 grandchildren, Amy Mosbaugh Rabon (Steve) of Sheridan, Wyoming, Andrew Michael Aldred (Amy) of Angola, Indiana, Diana Elizabeth Aldred of Sheridan, Indiana; and 5 great grandchildren, Reed Rabon, Gabriella Rabon, Mia Rabon, Ellory Aldred and Quinlan Aldred.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; siblings, Carl Hensley, Sarah (Hensley) Stout, Harold Homer Hensley; and grandson Matthew Aaron Aldred.

Cremation has been chosen and a Celebration of Life is being planned for a later date. Kercheval Funeral Home in Sheridan has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Krishna Devi

May 10, 1933 - April 25, 2014

Krishna Devi, of Fishers, passed away on Friday, April 25, 2014 at home at 12459 Berry Patch Lane, Fishers, Indiana 46037. She was born on May 10, 1933 to Mangal Singh and Rumali Devi in Punjab, India.

She is survived by a daughter, Raj Rani; and a son, Shiv Pal Singh.

In addition to her parents, Krishna was preceded in death by her husband, Jagdish Singh Rana; daughter, Vijay Kumari; and son, Shiv Raj Singh.

Services will be held at 10:00am on Tuesday, April 29, 2014, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Center, 1685 Westfield Road, in Noblesville.

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Edmund T. Haggard

December 13, 1925 - April 20, 2014

Edmund T. Haggard, 88, of Noblesville, passed away on Sunday, April 20, 2014 at Wellbrooke of Westfield. He was born on December 13, 1925 to Dr. Edmund B. and Louise (Tevis) Haggard in Indianapolis, Indiana.

'T' proudly served his country in the U.S. Army Air Corps and was active in youth hockey in the Indianapolis area. He worked over 46 years for Reel Pipe and Valve Company in Indianapolis. He was a graduate of Shortridge High School and attended Butler University.

Edmund T. is survived by his daughter, Jo Spangler; sons, Rex and Gordon (Debbie); grandchildren, Jason (Monica) Spangler, Dana (Rollie) Harrison, Gordy (Ashley) Haggard, Jeffrey (Erin) Haggard and Melissa Haggard; and seven great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Marilyn N. Haggard; brother, Dr. David Haggard; and sister-in-law, JoAnn Haggard.

A graveside service with burial was held on Friday, April 25, 2014, at Washington Park North Cemetery, 2702 Kessler Boulevard West Drive, in Indianapolis, with Rev. Eric Gale officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to First Presbyterian Church of Noblesville, 1207 Conner Street, Noblesville, IN 46060; or, Humane Society for Hamilton County, 1721 Pleasant Street, Suite B, Noblesville, IN 46060.

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James A. Scott Jr. December 1, 1928 - April 22, 2014

James A. Scott Jr., 85, of Atlanta, passed away on Tuesday, April 22, 2014. He was born on December 1, 1928 to Andy and Janie Scott in Noblesville,



Jim was a Noblesville police officer for 20 years, retiring in 1974. He liked vacationing in Michigan and Minnesota for over 40 years. Jim enjoyed fishing and hunting as well. He also liked to take the motor home to Salamonie to camp, fish, and enjoy time with family.

He is survived by his wife, Becky, and their children, Brenda (Mike) Clark, Jane (Chuck) Apple, and Pam (Gary) Cox. Also surviving are grandchildren, Mark Gibson, Scott (Donna) Gibson, Randy Craft, Kristina (Mike) May, Lisa Scott, and Cameron Apple;

several great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews; and his beloved dog, Ginger.

In addition to his parents, Jim was preceded in death by his sisters, Ruby Miller, Pearl McNew, Kate Baines, and his twin sister, Margie Rector. Also preceding was his special friend and mother-in-law, Edith McAvoy.

Graveside services were held on Friday, April 25, 2014 at Crownland Cemetery, 1776 Monument Street, in Noblesville, with Rev. Stanley R. Sutton officiating.

Condolences: www.randallroberts.com.

Donald Alexander

August 13, 1933 - April 20, 2014

Donald Alexander, 80, of Noblesville, passed away on Sunday, April 20, 2014 at Riverview Hospital in Noblesville. He was born on August 13, 1933 to William and Hazel (Fisher) Alexander in Sheridan.

Don graduated from Sheridan High School in 1951. He served in the United States Army from 1954 to 1956. Don spent most of his professional life as a business manager of the Noblesville Times.

Don is survived by sisters, Phyllis Mace, Luella Sampson, Martha Hudler, Barbara J. Chillo, and Virginia Lewis; brother, Larry Alexander; and several nieces & nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Services were held on Thursday, April 24, 2014, at Randall & Roberts Funeral Home in Noblesville, with visitation prior to the service. Burial was at Crownland Cemetery in Noblesville.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association/American Stroke Association, Greater Midwest Affiliate, Memorials and Tributes Lockbox, 3816 Paysphere Circle, Chicago, IL 60674.

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Too much water has Arcadia fed up

By DON JELLISON **Reporter Editor**

their rights. Happens all the time, although not so much today in Hamilton County, Indiana. One reason for that is that there was Hamilton County Commissioner Mark aren't many small towns in this county.

However, Arcadia is a small town, located in northern Hamilton County. Arcadia has had it. Arcadia has too much water and, what Arcadia folks believe, not enough help from county government.

Flooding is Arcadia's problem. When heavy rains come, water from surrounding farm fields come rushing into Arcadia, with no place to go. The problem has gotten so bad that at the Arcadia Town Council meeting earlier this week three residents told the Council that they've had enough, they are moving, if, of course, they're able to sell that often-flooded homes.

problem would have been fixed a long time shortly after calling the meeting to order. Fellow Councilmen Glen Shrock and Maurice St. Louis agreed.

Then, along came a fresh breath, a knight in shinning armor riding a white horse, to growth. Arcadia has the schools, the high resident we have would vote for a Small towns standing up and battling for coming for affluent southern Hamilton County.

> Well, something like that. Actually, it Heirbrandt, driving in from Westfield.

> Heirbrandt listened to the Arcadia folks. He took notes. He formed a committee to help find a solution.

"I'll help," Heirbrandt promised. "But, I'm only one of three (commissioners)."

Heirbrandt represents a huge area, an area which has grown in recent years with the population growth of Westfield. And, with the growth of still-small, but growing,

Cicero is Arcadia's "sister city." Back in the day, the territory was known as the "Tri-Towns," Cicero, Arcadia and Atlanta. Cicero, population-wise, is quickly "If this was Noblesville or Carmel, the outgrowing Arcadia and tiny Atlanta.

Cicero sits south of Arcadia, not all that ago," said Council president Bill Cook far away from Noblesville (the county seat) and Westfield. Arcadia, and Atlanta are closer to Tipton in Tipton County, which hasn't grown like Noblesville and Westfield. here in the northern part of the county. We

Cicero has Morse Reservoir, a big plus don't have lots of votes. Even if every school, junior high, elementary. Morse has commissioner, we alone couldn't elect one. become a bigger attraction to Cicero than The votes and the money are in the south." Huskyland schools have become to Arcadia.

Heirbrandt represents Adams, Fall Creek, Jackson, Washington, Wayne and White River townships and the towns of Arcadia, Atlanta, Cicero, and Sheridan and the city of Westfield.

County Commissioner Christine Altman represents Carmel and Clay Township and Steve Dillinger represents the cities of Noblesville and Fishers and the townships of Delaware and Noblesville.

an agreement with Hamilton County to maintain the drainage system. He believes that doesn't include the mess the town Safety for five years. currently is in.

Shrock said.

guy," Shrock continued. "Right now nobody

"We haven't received a lot of help up

Heirbrandt is the new kid on the block, and, actually, didn't receive the traditional votes to become commissioner. When Doug Carter resigned in January of 2013 after being selected by Governor Mike Pence as the Superintendent of the Indiana State Police, Heirbrandt was selected at a Republican caucus to complete Carter's

So, he hasn't been around as Commissioner during all he years Arcadia Shrock said that in 1983 Arcadia signed has cried for county help. He has lived in the Westfield area for 20 years and served on the Westfield Board of Public Woks and

Still unknown to most of the Arcadia "We don't have the money to fix it," area, he may be the guy to stop the flood waters coming into the community. If, "Mark (Heirbrandt) seems like a nice however, anyone knows exactly how to do that, they should call Commissioner Heirbrandt, or the Arcadia Town Councilmen.



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Angel of Hope memorial special dedication will be May 4

By MARY SUE ROWLAND

On May 4, 2014 at 3 p.m. near the south



in Noblesville, a special dedication will take Hope memorial. After years of "hope" and dedication, a group of people, the Park Board and many contributors will officially open a place for everyone who

wishes to have a quiet moment to reflect on a child or loved one who is no longer with their family. Everyone is welcome to the membered. dedication.

The angel is bronze with the face of a MAY 1 child, arms raised out as a child wanting to be lifted. In her wings is HOPE. The angel represents all children who have passed away regardless of age. The first Angel of Hope was dedicated December 6, 1994 in

Salt Lake City. Since then 115 of the monuments have been created and placed in entrance of Forest Park special memorial gardens around the coun-

Contributions can be made to the Angel place for the Angel of of Hope Memorial, Inc., 16 Hampshire Court, Noblesville, IN 46062 or go on line to www.angelofhope.info/donate.

> This special place will be a place of healing for parents and families to remember their children and family members. It will also be a memorial to children who may have once played in Forest Park at the very place that now holds their memory. Though they are absent, they will be re-

CULVER'S HOSTS FUNDRAISER

Culver's in Noblesville will be hosting a fundraiser for the Noblesville Angel of Hope on Thursday May 1st from 5 PM to 8 PM. A portion of the sales that evening will help support the Angel of Hope Project in Forest

Learning a new normal

By JANET LEONARD

Chuck and I are finding a new normal, him. actually, lots of new normals.

Sitting



lunch on Wednesday, said to me "you have of the container". I got so tickled that tears began streaming down my cheeks. We

were not even eating anything that involved margarine. It was such a random statement while eating chips and salsa.

ago.

The first conversation over our different ways of doing things began the first time that we were folding towels. He folded a hand towel and looked up at me. Apparently I had an odd look on my face. He asked me if he had folded it wrong. I told him that it wasn't wrong, it just wasn't folded correctly. In other words...the way I do it.

I showed him the way that I fold hand admit a bit strange, but it's my way. He was ing us a new normal. Now if I can just get able to fold the rest of the towels the way him to take the margarine out of the tub, that I do. He even put them away...upside correctly...the way I do.

down. He continues to do so but don't tell

One day I asked him if he wanted a peanut butter and jelly sandwich. I got the peanut butter and the jelly and the bread and sat them on the kitchen counter. Chuck said "but what about the butter?" BUTTER? Yes out of the blue Chuck he puts it on his PB&J sandwich.

Chuck has learned to appreciate watchthe strangest way of ing The Voice every Monday and Tuesday. taking margarine out He had never watched it before falling in love with me. I have always been a football and basketball fan but watching the golf channel was new to me as well as the baseball channel. Chuck was thrilled to learn that I have every sports channel available. I have seen them all, as he channel surfs.

Funny how we each have our own way We have had so many of these conver- of doing things. Funny how we have sations since we got married, nine weeks learned to appreciate our differences with laughter.

Chuck enjoys a cup of tea in the morning and I need a cup of coffee in the morning. Whoever gets up first, makes them. I know he takes a teaspoon and a half of sugar in his tea and he knows that I need lots of Hazelnut Creamer in my coffee. We are learning how to make life sweeter for each other.

I can't wait to enjoy more differences towels. I know it is a bit complicated and I with this man. Those differences are teach-



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Not the Perfect Mom

5 Questions to Avoid Asking a Cop

By AIMEE GEBHART

Being married to a cop definitely has its cuffs? (wink, wink)



perks. First and foremost, it's nice to have a trained shooter in the house when I hear strange noises in the middle of the that, I like that Ed knows the fastest route to any location, he is great in any emergency, and he looks fantastic in

a uniform.

Of course these perks also come with some disadvantages, and I'm not talking about long hours, danger, or stress. I'm talking about parties. One of the most annoying parts of being a cop (or a cop's wife) is trying to navigate the conversations that often come up during social gathering with friends. These get-togethers usually include some new acquaintances who are eager to ask questions about his job and our life. Most are legitimate, but some are just plain rude. Over the years, we have compiled a list of some of our favorite questions and our responses...or at least what we'd *like* to say.

ticket?"

Sure! I mean. Ed just met vou and all. but he'd *love* to put his name on the line for you, Mr. or Mrs. Leadfoot! And while we're at it, you're a doctor, right? Would you mind prescribing some narcotic pain pills for us?

2. "Have you ever shot someone?" (Usually asked with excited anticipation)

This question is just awful. Shooting someone is not "exciting". This isn't T.J. Hooker for heaven's sake – it's real life. No self-respecting police officer would discuss this casually at a party with strangers.

3. Have you guys ever used the hand-

Eww. Really? No. Please don't ask this, unless of course you are a good friend and you're teasing.

4. Aren't you afraid he's going to die every time he goes to work?

This one is obviously directed at me, night. In addition to and it's actually a fair question. But honestly, no, I don't think that way. If I did, I would be a nervous wreck all of the time. I trust that he is well trained and that his fellow officers have his back. I also pray for him a lot – not out of fear, but out of love.

5. What would you do if ...? (Insert their sad story about the "jerk" cop they encountered here)

question/conversation that we deal with. For some reason, people think that Ed wants to hear about all of the "bad" cops that have wronged them, and they expect him to verify that they were right and the cop was wrong. Talk about awkward! We end up either doing the polite, sympathetic head nod (which is fake, by the way), or Ed just shuts them down immediately and they spend the rest of the night thinking he's a jerk. I guess the positive is that they probably won't bother him about it again!

I am sure that most people mean well 1. "Can you get me out of a speeding when they strike up conversations about the police with Ed and me, and usually their questions are genuine and thoughtful. It's only when someone puts us in an uncomfortable spot that we start to get annoyed and snarky. All of that aside, I wouldn't have him trade his job for anything. The perks of having a police officer for a husband definitely outweigh any disadvantages. After all, who else is going to know where to take me for the best donuts in town? (Come on...you didn't actually think I could write a story about my cop husband and not throw a donut joke in there, did you?)

A New Creation

By TAMAR KNOCHEL



suddenly had NO urge to go back to those substances ever again!

I certainly have had experiences where the Spirit of God has rushed upon me and turned me into a new creation. I was definitely different after I got baptized in the Spirit. I could literally FEEL the Spirit of God inside me acting like a rudder on a ship, pointing me in the direction I should go. He's led me down many paths I thought I had no reason to go down only to find out I did have a reason to go down them after all. Over the years I've learned that if my insides are spinning and churning in agitation over something, then there's something wrong - even if it seems right to my 'thinker". I've learned that things aren't always as they seem. What our eyes perceive can deceive us. It says in Genesis chapter two that the forbidden fruit looked race of life?

good to eat and was pleasing to the eye; yet "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, He is look at the tremendous harm it brought all a new creation. The of humanity! Just because something looks passed good for us doesn't mean that it is, or isn't. And that's where we've got to have the Holy Spirit to guide us in the way that we should go.

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Jesus told us (in John 16:13) that the LORD changes peo- Holy Spirit would come and lead us into all Truth. And I've prayed for Him to come ple say they don't and do that for you today. God gave me a breath prayer that I'd like to share with you. ter being saved, but It only takes one breath to speak this powermany times they do. ful prayer that can literally change who you I've heard testimo- are on the inside because it's asking the This is by far the most aggravating nies of people who were deeply addicted to Spirit of God to come and live inside you substances until they received the Spirit and and guide your gut along paths of righteousness for His name's sake. (Psalm 23:3)

> Now be prepared, because you will not be given a spirit of Fear. This is a spirit of POWER and of LOVE and of a SOUND MIND. (2 Timothy 1:7) And it will change you into a NEW creation. You will be immediately changed, and will continue changing for the rest of your life - it's called growth.

> OK, here it comes, are you ready to be made new?

'Come Holy Spirit, fill me with Your fire, I want to be more like you."

That's it! Simple right?

Jesus loves you. He wants to be a part of your life. He's GOD. He knows everything there is to possibly know about everything. Isn't that someone YOU want to have guiding your steps to success through the rat

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Letter to the Editor

Let's make Sheridan a great place to call home

My name is Glen Bougher and I am seeking re-election for Sheridan Town Council.

I am married, my wife's name is Margaret and I have two children and three volunteer at Riverview Health in Noblesville. I graduated from Sheridan Indiana Wesleyan University.

Lodge and Past Master, Indiana Sheriff

Association, Board of Zoning Appeals, Redevelopment Commission, Storm water Board, Board of Public Safety and Board of Public Works. I attend the First

on the Board of Trustees.

I have lived in the Sheridan area for 51 time I started to get involved with the Town government, 2008 is when I was appointed

I was elected by the citizens of Sheridan three years ago, and I feel it is my duty to continue with what I started out to do. Those who have attend the council meetings

know what kind of struggle it has been. first in mind when casting my vote. If considering such a thing. re-elected I will continue with what I can to make Sheridan a place where people want would be proud to call HOME. to call home.

One of the important issues we are facing is to see what can be done to have Sheridan ready for growth. With the new Sports Park in Westfield on our doorstep, we need to react as soon as possible. There grandchildren. I retired from Caterpillar is going to be a large Golf Course and as a Tool Maker, I also retired from housing development also going in. There Chrysler Corp. in Indianapolis and I will be need for more Hotels and restaurants in the very near future. We will need to look at zoning issues and possible annexations High School and attended IVY Tech and in prime areas around Sheridan. We need to move forward and concentrate on what I am a Member of the Sheridan Masonic we can do to bring in more business such as some of the restaurants and possibly a Hotel. I feel we need to seriously look at State Road 38 for future growth within a few years. Growth is on our doorstep and we need to act now. With growth comes more revenue for the Town of Sheridan Methodist Church in Sheridan and serve which in turn will help us with improving infrastructure.

There has been news articles about years. Moved into town in 2007 at which Sheridan losing its Police force and going with the Sheriff's Department for Public Safety. I will do what I can to see that we on the Board of Zoning Appeals. 2012 is keep our Police Department intact. I feel when I started my first term on the Town without our own Police force we will be taking a step back, that is not what we need to do. I feel we would be sending out the wrong message to business and possibly home owners considering on calling Sheridan their home. I know I would not make a move to a town that had disbanded I have always kept the Town of Sheridan its local law enforcement or even

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County turned down for FEMA funds

By DON JELLISON **Reporter Editor**

If at first you don't succeed, try, try

That's what Hamilton County will do after being informed by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in early January.

FEMA will allow grants to 19 counties.

approximately \$960,000.

"We were turned down because they said part of what we submitted did not qualify," Hamilton County Commissioner Steve Dillinger told The Reporter.

that it will not be granted federal assistance include: Boone, Clay, Hendricks, us, it is not a life or death issue. We have the control facilities, parks and recreational for the severe winter storms that hit the state Huntington Jasper, Kosciusko, Madison, Morgan, New, Noble, Noble, Parke,

Hamilton County had applied for Putnam, Sullivan, Tipton, Vigo, Wabash, White and Whitley.

> Boone County borders Hamilton County on the west; Tipton on the north and Madison County on the east.

Counties granted public assistance that we will qualify," Dillinger said. "For funds to handle it ourselves. However, we feel we meet their qualifications for this reimbursement, so we should receive it.

"After all, it is Hamilton County's money that provides these funds," the Commissioner added.

FEMA public assistance grants will pay 75 percent of eligible expenses for damage 'We have resubmitted and feel confident to roads, bridges, utilities, debris removal, buildings' contents and equipment, water facilities and others

Along with Hamilton County, 28 other counties that were denied assistance.

Women of Vision honored at Riverview Luncheon

tion hosted the 10th Annual Women of through business, civic or philanthropic Vision Luncheon. The luncheon was created in 2004 to bring together interesting and health and inspire them to follow their dreams. Over the last ten years, Riverview Health Foundation has reached out to 3,000 women and men who have helped us raise more than \$600,000 for women's services, programs and equipment at Riverview Health. In addition, this year's luncheon raised nearly \$62,000 to help fund women's initiatives.

Riverview Medical Group physician, Amy Banter, MD, and her sister, Cynthia Husted, PhD, shared their knowledge of holistic medicine and Dr. Husted's story of strength and healing after being bitten by a black widow spider. Dr. Husted was also presented with the Women's Retreat Impact Award, which is given to women who best efited a great cause. exemplify life balance through who they

Reading through the Bible in a

year, for LIFE!

On April 17, Riverview Health Founda- are and the time, talent and energy they give leadership.

Lastly, the Riverview Health Foundatalented women to educate them about their tion was honored to present eleven 'Women of Vision Giving Club' grants, totaling \$28,287, to the following areas and programs at Riverview Health: Maternity Center, OB/GYN Specialists, Rehab & Fitness and Women's Boutique. These grants are awarded to programs at Riverview Health that impact the lives of women and girls in Hamilton County. (See a picture on Page 3).

> On the day of the event, the attendees opened their hearts by raising \$24,879 and 48 women renewed or joined the Women of Vision Giving Club. If you'd like more information on how to join, please contact Jessica Deering at 317.776.7938 or jdeering@riverview.org.

The day was fun, inspirational and ben-

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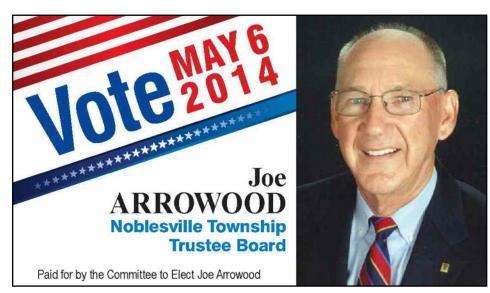
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End of an era: Cook retires from Cicero Town Board

By DON JELLISON **Reporter Editor**

Town of Cicero soon will be running out of

Jerry Cook, an eight-year member of the Cicero Town Board, is not running for re-election. That will mark the end, officially, for now, for a member of the now, I'm done.' Cook family not being a public servant in the northern Hamilton County community.

"My Dad (Gus) was Cicero Town Marshall from 1942-1961," Cook told The construction is the biggest thing which has Reporter in an exclusive interview earlier

Jerry Cook has done it all, seen it all as Cicero has grown. In his earlier years he served as the Town Marshall, a job Cook said also meant handling the duties as the "unofficial" Fire Chief for a period of time. That was in 1964-67 and then again in 1970-98. Jerry left for three years to work for the Hamilton County Sheriff Department.

'Our base station was our home, and my wife was the dispatcher," Cook said about his first service as Town Marshall.

The Cook family, arguably, has been the No. 1 family in law enforcement in Hamilton County. Brother Larry was the Cicero Town Marshall from 1961-64 after his Dad's death and the Hamilton County Sheriff from 1971 to 1979. Brother Gary, who currently serves in the Hamilton County probation department and also does Marshall 1998 to 2010.

'This time I'm done," Jerry said in a manner in which he appeared to be trying to convince himself.

"There is no term limit for being on the Town Board, but I came to this positions biggest reason why Cicero hasn't grown in For the first time in a long time, the with my own limits. I told myself eight years would be enough. I limited myself to two terms. I believe in the two party system and I believe in term limits."

Would he reconsider at a later date? "Maybe," Cook answered. "But, for

is leaving behind many Cook

accomplishments.

"I guess the causeway currently under happened in Cicero in my eight yeas on the board," Cook said. "Heck, that's a \$2.5 million project. It will connect the two sides of Morse Reservoir, and that's something which is badly needed. It's a 12-foot wide walkway (not connected to the bridge) on

the south side of the bridge. There are 420 homes in Morse Landing (on the west) and many of those homes have young kids who use the bridge to cross the reservoir. That has been a dangerous situation.

open in June. (Currently, there is a stop-andgo traffic light on both sides of the bridge). After that, the road will be repaved from the don't bet he is finished with what he helped cemetery to the east end of Jackson Street. start. Completion date is June.'

There will be no parking on the north side of the bridge and no fishing from the causeway.

The area on the west side of the bridge, drug testing for the county, was the Town Morse Landing, has been Cicero's biggest growth area since the hosing section first opened in 1980

"Drainage problems have been the other directions," Cook said.

'We starting to grow a little on he south side. We have a new Dollar General Store and a CVS and a couple of new restaurants have opened in the downtown

'We need more businesses in order to grow," Cook believes. "We need more retail. We could use a factory, too, but that is a dog eat dog battle with southern Hamilton

The west side of Cicero certainly looks promising for growth, the area bounded by 231 Street and Tollgate, near Bear Slide Golf Course, There are about 50 homes I a subdivision, Vintage Woods.

Cook also is proud of the growth of park facilities and walking trails. Cicero Community Park, located near the library, has seen grown with leaps and bounds, especially with the number of new youth baseball and softball diamonds.

Cicero will continue to grow in the "The road (State Road 47) should be future. It may be the best kept secret in Hamilton County. Among others, Cicero can thank Jerry Cook for what it is today. And,

Kinkead declines to speak before **Atlanta Town Council**

A spokesperson for the Town of Atlanta indicated Sheridan Town Council President David Kinkead withdrew his request to appear before the Atlanta Town Council.

The Hamilton County Reporter earlier reported Kinkead had requested to discuss with the Atlanta Town Board the transition of law enforcement duties from Atlanta to the sheriff's department.

Last week several Sheridan residents and business owners expressed concern Sheridan might be considering disbanding its police department and contracting out law enforcement duties to the sheriff.

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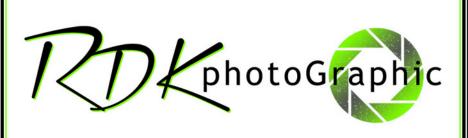
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Sports 8

Noblesville's Brooke Herron pitched two complete games for the Millers during their busy Saturday the Carmel Invitational.



Photo by Brian Reddick/RDK **PhotoGraphic**

Millers go 2-1 at Carmel Invitational

The Noblesville softball team was busy at the Carmel Invitational on Saturday, playing three games.

The Millers dropped their first game to Class 4A No. 10 Penn 6-2, but rebounded to defeat Castle 10-0 and West Lafayette

Zoe Schafer hit a home run for Noblesville in the Penn game. Ellie Baker also had a nice day at the plate, with a triple against Penn and two doubles in the Castle game.

Penn 6, Noblesville 2

Noblesville		AB	R	Н	RBI
Maddie Moore		2	0	1	0
Sydnie Green		2	1	1	0
Ellie Baker		2	0	1	1
Steph Ramsey		2	0	0	0
Hayley Lutz		1	0	0	0
Zoe Schafer		2	1	1	1
Megan Montgomery	/	3	0	1	0
Brooke Herron		2	0	0	0
Alyson Compton		3	0	1	0
Taylor Bounin		3	0	0	0
Cassandra Neal		3	0	0	0
Totals		25	2	6	2
Score by innings					
Noblesville 010	010	0 - 2	61		
Penn 103	020	x - 6	90		
Left on base: Noble	sville	5, P	enn 2	. HR:	Scha-
fer. 3B: Baker. SAC	: Her	ron, E	Bakeı	•.	
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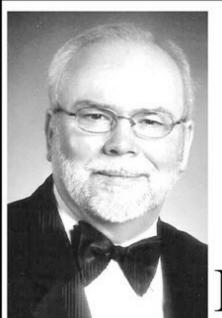
Noblesville 10. Castle 0

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Noblesville	AB	R	Н	RBI
Maddie Moore	3	3	1	0
Ellie Baker	4	0	3	3

Megan Montgo	omer	y	4	0	0	0
Zoe Schafer			2	0	0	1
Brooke Herron	l		2	0	0	0
Hayley Lutz			1	1	1	0
Alyson Compto	on		2	1	0	0
Ariel Gaskill			2	1	1	2
Taylor Bounin			2	1	2	0
Steph Ramsey	/		1	0	0	0
Sydnie Green			3	1	2	0
Jolie Wariner			0	1	0	0
Kimi Box			0	1	0	0
Totals			26	10	10	6
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2, Lutz. SAC: S	Scha	fer. G	askil	I. Rai	nsev	_
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Noblesville 6, **West Lafayette 2**

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Noblesville		AΒ	R	Н	RBI	
Sydnie Green	Sydnie Green					
Maddie Moore		3	1	2	0	
Megan Montgome	ry	3	1	1	1	
Ellie Baker	-	3	2	0	0	
Brooke Herron		3	1	3	1	
Hayley Lutz		3	0	2	3	
Alyson Compton		2	1	1	0	
Jolie Wariner		0	0	0	0	
Taylor Bounin		3	0	1	0	
Annie Conger		3	0	0	0	
Totals	27	6	11	5		
West Lafayette 00	1 000	1 - 2	2 12 ()		
Noblesville 30	2 100	x - 6	110)		
Left on base: Wes	t Lafay	/ette	11, N	lobles	sville	6.
3B: Moore. 2B: Lu	ıtz.					
NHS pitching	ΙP	R	ER	Н	KO	В
Conger	7.0	2	2	12	2	1



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Huskies win 3 at Muncie Relays

Hamilton Heights had three winners and three runners-up at the Muncie Central Relays.

Winners were Jared Osswald in the pole vault (13-0), Jacob Glover in the high jump (6-0) and Joel Boser in the discus (135-7.

Second place finishers were Jesse Brown in the long jump (18-4), Craig Schldeier in the 1600 and 3200, and the 4x800, distance medley, 400 and sprint edley realy

Complete results from Muncie Central were not available.

Heights baseball splits with Elwood

Editor's Note: The following information of the Saturday doubleheader at Elwood was not available to The Reporter in time for the Sunday

Hamilton Heights split a twinbill with Elwood, losing the first game 7-4 and winning the nightcap 13-2.

The Huskies, with a 4-7 record was to face Cass today (Tuesday).

Elwood 7, Heights 4 Heights Christian McGill Sam Reel, If Lukas Sipe rf Evan Haas, 2b Brady Spencer dh Jacob Hammel, ss Aaron House, p-3b Mitch Howie, c Nathan Watson, cr Braden Warner, 1b-p Seth Harris, 3b

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28

Ian Nicholson 1b

Score by Innings:

Totals

Heights 003 010 0 - 4 10 000 106 x-7 6 4 2B: McGill 1, Sipe 1, House 1. HBP: Haas 1. SAC: Harris 1. Heights Pitching IP R ER H KO BB 8 3 0 0 House Warner (L)

Heights 13, Elwood 2

Heights		AB	R	Н	RBI
Christian McGill		2	3	1	1
Aaron House cf		0	0	0	0
Sam Reel, If		4	2	3	5
Lukas Sipe, rf		4	2	2	1
Evan Haas, dh		4	1	2	2
Nathan Watson, p		0	0	0	0
Brady Spencer, 2b		4	0	2	1
Ian Nicholson 1b		3	1	1	0
Mitch Howie, c		2	0	1	0
Chase Fisher, cr		0	1	0	0
Jaccob Hammel, ss	3	2	2	1	1
Seth Harris, 3b		3	1	1	0
Totals		29	13	14	11
Score by Innings:					
Heights	004	522	2 – 13	14	1
Elwood	000	020) – 2	5	0
2B: Reel 1, Sipe 1,	Haa	s 1, I	Howie	1, H	ammel
1. SB: Reel 1, Sipe	1.				
Heights Pitching	ΙP	R	ER H	KC) BB
Watson	6	2	0 6	3	3

'Rocks go 1-1 in Saturday meets

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The Westfield tennis team hosted two Lafayette schools Saturday, falling to Harrison 3-2 and beating McCutcheon 5-0.

No. 1 singles Laura Moore and No. 2 Annika Mabe won both their matches. No. 3 singles Lauren Schrader, No. 1 doubles Megan Bell and Arie Sprout, and No. 2 doubles of Mariah Saturday and Hana Lutz won 6-1, 6-0 were winners against Harrison. The team is 4-4 on the season.









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Noblesville Varsity Baseball Home Games



Day	Date	Time	Opposing School	Place	Media
Mon	31-Mar	6:00 PM	New Castle H.S	Home	
Sat	5-Apr	11:00 AM	Miller Invitational	Home	TV
Thu	17-Apr	6:00 PM	Fishers High School	Home	TV
Sat	19-Apr	7:00 PM	Carmel High School	Home	TV
Mon	21-Apr	6:00 PM	Brownsburg H.S	Home	
Thu	24-Apr	6:00 PM	Zionsville High School	Home	
Thu	1-May	6:00 PM	Jefferson High School	Home	
Sat	3-May	7:00 PM	Frankfort High School	Home	
Mon	5-May	6:00 PM	McCutcheon H.S	Home	
Sat	10-May	12:00 PM	Avon High School	Home	
Thu	15-May	6:00 PM	Hamilton Southeastern	Home	TV
Sat	17-May	11:00 AM	Noblesville Classic	Home	TV
Mon	19-May	6:00 PM	Westfield High School	Home	TV
Thu	22-May	6:00 PM	Harrison High School	Home	

Noblesville Varsity Softball Home Games



Mon	31-Mar	5:15 PM	Tipton High School	Home	TV
Tues	1-Apr	5:00 PM	Guerin Catholic H.S	Home	TV
Wed	2-Apr	5:00 PM	Hamilton Heights	Home	TV
Tues	15-Apr	6:00 PM	Jefferson High School	Home	
Wed	16-Apr	5:30PM	Carmel High School	Home	TV
Mon	21-Apr	5:30 PM	Madison-Grant H.S	Home	
Tues	29-Apr	5:30 PM	Avon High School	Home	
Sat	3-May	10:00 AM	Miller Invitational	Home	TV
Mon	5-May	6:00 PM	Mt. Vernon H.S	Home	
Tues	6-May	5:00 PM	HamiltonSoutheastern	Home	TV
Thu	8-May	5:00 PM	Kokomo High School	Home	

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