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Paper date change

Please take note that The Citizen-Journal will be one day late next week because of the Memorial Day holiday weekend.

Teacher In-service

Boyne City Schools will be holding a Teacher In-service in the afternoon on Friday, May 23. There will be a half-day of school and all students will be dismissed at 11:13 a.m. Breakfast will be available.

City Boyne Public Schools will not be in session on Monday, May 26, in honor of Memorial Day.

Memorial Day breakfast

The Boyne City Booster Foundation's Annual Memorial Day Breakfast will be held Monday, May 26, from 7 to 10:30 a.m., at Boyne City High School. The meal includes pancakes, eggs, ham, sausage, fried potatoes, toast and beverages. The cost is \$7 for adults, \$3 for children age 5 to 10 years and free for children under 5.

Elsenheimer announces May office hours

State Rep. Kevin Elsenheimer, R-Kewadin, will be available at office hours in Charlevoix County at the East Jordan City Hall, 201 Main St., Friday, May 30, from 9 to 10 a.m., to talk with area residents.

"I want to hear residents" thoughts and concerns about their state government," Elsenheimer said. "The more people tell me, the better job I can do representing the needs and issues facing northern Michigan."

Residents unable to attend can contact Elsenheimer's Lansing office toll free at 877-536-4105, by e-mail at kevinelsenheim-

er@house.mi.gov, or by writing to the lawmaker at State Capitol, Lansing, MI

WEATHER

Wednesday, May 21 Hi: 51 Lo: 39 **Condition: Showers**

Thursday, May 22 Hi: 57 Lo: 39 Condition: Partly Cloudy

Friday, May 23 Hi: 61 Lo: 41 **Condition: Partly Cloudy**

> Saturday, May 24 Hi: 67 Lo: 46 Condition: Sunny

Sunday, May 25 Hi: 72 Lo: 53 **Condition: Partly Cloudy**

Monday, May 26 Hi: 70 Lo: 49 Condition: Few Showers

> Tuesday, May 27 Hi: 67 Lo: 45 **Condition: Sunny**

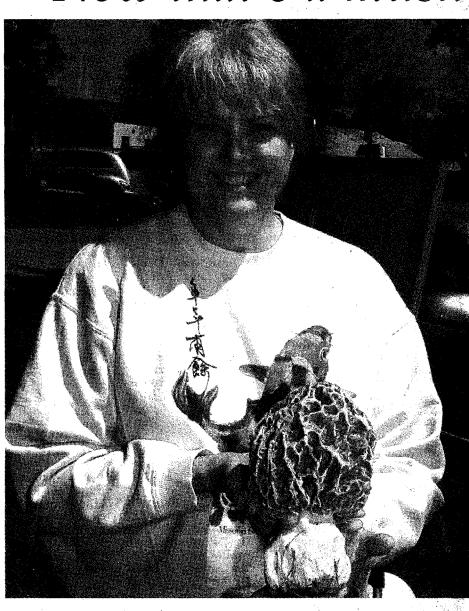
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Now that's a mushroom



Marianne Ballard of Midland shows off a very large mushroom at the festival this past week-end. Although it was not found during the contest it was still worthy of a photograph. This mush-room filled a small cooler all by itself.

Parking redesign a go

By B. J. HETLER CONTRIBUTING WRITER

BOYNE CITY — The downtown parking redesign will be implemented following the Memorial Day weekend. The changes approved by city commissioners at a meeting on Tuesday, May 13, will take about two days to com-

Angle parking is altered from 60-degree angles to 50-degree angles, giving drivers a better view when backing out of the spaces and widening each space by about four inches. A total of 11 handicapped spaces are designated, several of which will accommodate vans.

Providing handicapped parking spaces was a goal of city commissioner Mike Cummings.

"I want to thank the city for recognizing (the needs of) handicapped people. This is what the people wanted," he said.

Eight spaces will have 15-minute time limits for people who have quick errands to make, and a number of two-hour limit parking spaces will be

designated on Lake and Water streets where many of the retail shops and restaurants are located. Unspecified parking time limits will still be available in the downtown area.

Employees of the downtown businesses will have areas for parking on nearby streets so that prime spaces will be available for shoppers and visitors.

Parking ' enforcement will be based primarily on police response to complaints they receive.

The parking redesign was based in part on comments made by residents and business owners at meetings hosted by city staff in April. Maps that show the parking designations may be obtained at City Hall.

The redesign is on a trial basis this summer to determine the practicality of the changes. The city seeks comments from business owners and others on any changes that may need fine-tuning.

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tacted at 231-622-2645 or at citizen@voyager.net.

Lasater will not seek re-election

By JEFF BERGREN **E**DITOR

CHARLEVOIX

COUNTY — The longest serving sheriff in the state of Michigan has decided not to seek re-election to his office this fall after 32 years of service. Charle-County Sheriff George T. Lasater announced his decision on Wednesday, May 14, saying it was "long thought and difficult after investing 32 years in service to the residents of Charlevoix County.'

After last Tuesday's filing deadline passed the nominating petitions filed for the office of sheriff were by current undersheriff Don Schneider and retired detective Don Sproul, both as Republi-

"I promised my undersheriff, William Schneider, four years ago, if re-elected I would not seek re-election and do everything I could to see that he was able to be elected as Sheriff of Charlevoix County," Lasater said. "I feel keeping my word is more important to me than seeking re-election, therefore, my decision has been made."

Lasater, 70, was adamant this was not the end of his career by not seeking re-election, saying he will seek other opportunities in Charlevoix County to serve his family and

"The citizens have been very good to me. They



have allowed me to fulfill a childhood dream and I appreciate that very much," Lasater commented. "I've seen a lot of changes and we have had a lot of challenges but I've been able to surround myself with an excellent staff, so they have made

the job a lot easier than it would have been."

Lasater will support Schneider, 65, of Eveline Township who has been with the Charlevoix County Sheriff's office the past 26 years. Schneider started as a road patrol deputy and has been undersheriff the past 11 years.

Schneider has filled in as sheriff in the past when Lasater was injured and Lasater credited him with doing an excellent job. While he is backing Schneider, Lasater said Sproul has always done a good job and has nothing but respect for him as an excellent officer.

Sproul, 57, of Charlevoix Township, retired Charlevoix the from

County Sheriff's office in April of 2007 and has been working for the Boyne City Police Department the past few

"I would like to thank

the citizens of Charlevoix County who have supported and believed in me for the last 32 years," Lasater said. "Hopefully, the one area remembered about my leadership in the sheriff's office is that I was able to surround myself with an excellent and outstanding staff who consequently has given the Charlevoix County Sheriff's office the reputation as one of the finest law enforcement agencies in Michigan."

Lasater was quick to thank all the people he has worked with and his message for the next sheriff was simple.

"When people praise me they probably give me too much credit. The credit should be to the people I have surrounded myself with," Lasater added. "The message is the same as I presented to them from the very beginning. That is treat people as you would like to be treated and that goes a long way. Just be honest and loyal to Charlevoix County and things will work out okay.

Lasater's term ends on December 31.

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East Jordan new budget approved

But not all agree

By B. J. HETLER CONTRIBUTING WRITER

EAST JORDAN — In a 4-3 vote the city commis-

sion adopted the new city budget for 2008-2009 at a May 6 commission meeting, following what Mayor Dan Bennett said was eight weeks of budget work ses-

Commissioners Lee Symonds, Ron Klooster. Mark Postma and Mayor Dan Bennett voted to adopt the budget. Commissioners Ray Fisher, Paul Timmons and Deneille Moes voted not to adopt the budget, generally because they wanted more cuts in expen-

The new budget's general fund shows revenues in the amount of \$1,671,992 and expenditures in the amount of \$1,671,815.

Property taxes in the anticipated amount of \$1,158,306 provide the largest source of revenue on which the city operates. State revenue at an expected \$270,000 provides the second largest source of revenue. Permits, interest, township contracts and cable franchise fees are some of the other sources of reve-

The police department is the city's largest expendi-

ture at \$465,555. The Department of Public Works at \$164,497 is the second largest expense budgeted in the 2008-2009 budget. Attorney fees, administration, recreation and parks, buildings and grounds and sidewalks are some of the other expenditures.

The non-union employees will receive a 2.5 percent raise under the 2008-2009 budget. Commissioner Moes

submitted proposed cuts and asked that the commission discuss them at the next meeting

"We should try to make some cuts because it would make a difference in the health of the city," Moes said. "We're spending every penny and we have no reserve for an emergen-

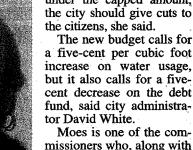
The city's police department, which is budgeted at \$465,555, could be cut back by approximately \$75,000 under Moes's proposal. Much of that amount would be from cuts in personnel, for instance reducing the police force by one full-time officer. The department would then employ four officers instead of

Moes compared crime statistics for the year 2000 with the year 2007 and found larceny was one of the few crimes that had increased. Assault and battery, breaking and entering, malicious destruction of property and criminal sexual assault were among the



Deneille Moes

crimes that have significantly decreased, she said. balance at \$2.6 million and



With the sewer fund's

the water fund's balance at \$1.2 million, Moes said the funds should be capped at a specified amount. When the money exceeds expenses under the capped amount; the city should give cuts to the citizens, she said. The new budget calls for a five-cent per cubic foot increase on water usage,

fund, said city administrator David White. Moes is one of the commissioners who, along with a group of citizens, have questioned the city's finan-

cial status. 'All I want is disclosure to the people and that the city is honest with them and with the commissioners. We need to have efficiency and accountability," Moes

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Amendment would extend permits

BY B. J. HETLER CONTRIBUTING WRITER

BOYNE CITY — A proposed amendment to the zoning ordinance would extend the time that a zoning permit is valid from one year to two years.

Zoning permits are required by the city when someone wants to build a house or a developer plans construction of a project.

Planning director, Scott McPherson, recommended construction that the city commission consider the amendment at

the commission's May 13 meeting. The adverse and unpredictable nature of the north-

ern Michigan construction season does impact many projects, McPherson said at the meeting. "It was viewed by the

planning commission that extending the zoning permit for a second construction season would be reasonable and allow projects sufficient time for completion."

Many permit holders have made substantial progress on their projects, but are not 100

percent complete within the one-year time frame, McPherson said. The twoyear permit would allow a second construction season for projects.

A two-year permit would also allow for longer term financing of projects, he

said.

viewed the amendment to section 28.35 of the zoning ordinance and scheduled a second review for June 24.

City commissioners re-

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CHRIS OSTERHOUSE CONTRIBUTING WRITER

The Boyne City Performing Arts Center was packed for the Horton Creek concert Saturday night, May 17. Cheering exploded from the audience as the band started their opening number. The songs were dripping with old timeyness, loaded with banjo and fiddle twanging. They had a sound that was reminiscent of the tunes on Oh Brother Where Art Thou, a movie set in the dust bowl era.

Horton Creek's harmonies were precise, and there was a strong gospel feeling to some of the songs. It was the kind of music that goes well with peach pie or a tall glass of ice-cold country lemonade - down homey with a religious drawl. The lyrics and bluegrass sound were like the performances that can be seen on Sunday mornings on cable.

During tune-ups Scott Boss, one of the singers, joked around to the delight of the crowd. They erupted into laughter at his comments on wife Cindy's country western outfit. After the initial jokes and teasing, the band let loose into the performance.

The third song was interesting with its imagery of a little sparrow, small and fragile, flying high without pain. Mike Harmeling, the banjo and mandolin player, said it was a Dolly Parton tune. The songs had a steady rambling beat on the trolling bass, and the crowd clapped in time here and there to the music.

One song was particularly intriguing. The band played it through once and then ran through it a second time with a kicked-up tempo. The guitar and banjo were very fast-paced, yet no one fumbled at the high speed. Later, Scott Boss took out a ukulele with no strings. He pretended to play along with an instrumental piece that gained much applause. At the end of the song the banjo player, John Warstler, teased that the monitor should have been turned down on the ukulele.

One beautiful number with a very subdued instrumental beginning caught the crowd's attention. The lines "Dressed in flannel and blue jeans, I was no beauty queen," spoke of the importance of the inside not the outside.

At one point Brian Eggers, the electric guitar and mandolin player, performed a song he wrote. It was a softly sung modern rock ballad with a touch of blue-

The lineup for Horton Creek, for those of you who do not know it, consists of Brian Eggers on electric guitar/mandolin, Bob Harmeling on bass, Dave Eggebrecht on fiddle/mandolin, John Warstler on guitar/fraleing banjo, Tom Eggers on lead guitar, Mike Harmeling on banjo/mandolin, Cindy Boss, lead singer/percussion, and Scott Boss, singer.

I am sure that with the popularity of the Horton Creek band in this area we'll be happy to see (and hear) them again soon.

Free rides for seniors

Charlevoix County Commission on Aging and County Board of Commissioners in collaboration with Charlevoix County Transit Oversight Committee are doing their part to assist seniors with the increased demand of the high cost of gasoline by providing free transportation for seniors 60 and over by Charlevoix County Transit bus system, including use of transit bus on Beaver Island.

Free rides for senior customers will start June 2 for 3 months. This is a pilot program to provide more senior-friendly transportation and alleviate the cost of driving your own car, thus decreasing global demands for gasoline. Seniors will still need to call ahead to arrange for transportation at 231-582-6900. The free rides will be limited to within the county for any activity such as shopping, senior center activities, and out-of-county to medical appointments (unreimbursed) only by using the Charlevoix County Transit bus system.

The new transit director, Ray Leach, and COA director, Sue Bergmann, are striving to make Charlevoix County a Senior Friendly County and to improve services provided to its elderly residents. Cost of this program is being funded by Charlevoix County Senior Millage.

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2	Residential Property Check	1	Domestic Situation
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1	Juvenile Complaint	5	

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District Court

The following cases were recently decided in the 90th District Court for the County of Charle-

Oren Ezra Dustin, 23, Charlevoix. Domestic violence. Sentenced to pay \$500 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 93 days in jail with credit for one day, 92 days held in abeyance; one year on probation.

David Joshua Hanks, 18, Boyne City. Driving without a license. Sentenced to pay \$200 in fines. and costs.

Russell Kurtis Nichols, 43, East Jordan. Driving while lisuspended. Sentenced to pay \$260 in fines and

Jason Craig Hazel, 6, East Jordan. Driving with no operator's license on person. Sentenced to pay \$150 in fines and costs.

Jessica Erin Keener, 19, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol, 2nd offense. Sentenced to pay \$500 in fines and costs and to perform 40 hours of community service work; six months on probation.

Lynn Sue Pauly, 39, Traverse City. Driving while impaired. Sentenced to pay \$985 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 93 days in jail with credit for one day, 77 days held in abeyance, perform 15 days of community service work; one year on probation.

Ronald Dale Higley, 51, Gaylord. Driving while impaired. Sentenced to pay \$980 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 41 days in jail with credit for one day, 30 days held in abeyance, perform 10 days of community service work; nine Bartz III, 24, East Jordan. Assault and battery. Sentenced to pay \$350 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 90 days in jail with credit for one day, 89 days held in abeyance; four months on probation.

Rvan James McDonald, 18, Beaver Island. Motor vehicle tampering. Sentenced to pay \$800 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 90 days in jail, serve 12 days, 78 days held in abeyance; one year on probation.

James Ryan McDonald, 18, Beaver Island. Driving intoxicated. Sentenced to pay \$930 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 93 days in jail, 78 days held in abeyance, perform 15 days of community service work; one year on probation.

businesses recently filed with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office for an assumed name for doing busi-Bear River Décor,

6040 Lake Patricia, East Jordan, by Thomas James Matz. Northern Maintenance, 5195 U.S. 31

South, Charlevoix, by Darrin Farmer. Shorty's High-Performance and Restoration Projects, 5092 Mt. Bliss Road, East Jordan, by

Kauska. Past and Presents etc., 5092 Mt. Bliss Road, East Jordan, by Miriah Kauska.

Enterprises, 11290 Woodward Road, Vanderbilt, by Gary Wayne Stilson.

Michael Ricks Builders, 1422 Bridge St., Charlevoix, by Michael J. Ricks.

S.H.A.R.P. Performance, 5092 Mt. Marriage Licenses following The

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people have recently filed for marriage licenses with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Jeremy Richard Palmrose, 26, East Jordan and Nicole Peck, 24, East Jordan.

Daniel Leonard Merriman, 51, Beaver Island and Kathe-Elizabeth rine Adams, 54, Beaver Island.

Donovan Lawrence Swanson, 23, Charlevoix and Rachel Dena Wyniawskyi, 212, Charlevoix. Christopher Abra-

ham Christensen, 36, Boyne City, and Sara Elizabeth Richards, 32, Boyne City.

Andrew Berl Fos-Conway, sitt, 22, Ariz. and Katherine Marie Warner, 23, Conway, Ariz.

55, Boyne City. Richard Steven

Cosgrove, 28, Charlevoix and Korie Lynne Leach, 23, Charlevoix.

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Jonah Carl Kurth, 23, Chicago, Ill. and Elizabeth Marie Tebeau, 23, Chicago,

Andrew Michael Granath, 26, St. Augustine, Fla. and Ve-Elizabeth ronica Tizon, 27, St. Augustine, Fla.

Paul Douglas Seaney, 20, Charlevoix and Jessica Marie Radtke, 19, Charle-

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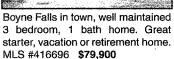
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Medical personnel attend to Harold Keck of Petoskey after he became trapped underneath a motor coach bus while doing repairs.

Man trapped underneath bus

BOYNE FALLS — The County Sheriff's Office responded to a call on Tuesday, May 13, when a man became trapped underneath a motor coach bus in a parking lot at Boyne Mountain at about 2 p.m.

Harold Frank Keck, 62, of Petoskey, was Bus' brakes when he asked the Charles Schreiber, 58, of Midland to start the vehicle to charge the brake line.

When front brake to keep the bus from moving called 911.

Keck was transported to Northern Michigan Hospital by the Boyne Valley EMS where he was treated

fice was assisted by Boyne Valley EMS, Boyne City EMS, Boyne Valley Fire Department, Boyne City Fire Department,

partment.

The officer on the scene did not know the extent of Keck's injuries and he was listed in serious condition on Wednesday,

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High priority

BY MICHAEL TOLZMANN SPECIAL REPORT

FORT BRAGG, N.C. Wounded soldiers need highly specialized care. Getting soldiers healed from physical, psychological or emotional wounds is recognized as an Army mission of highest priority, second only to combat.

The son of a Boyne City couple is one of America's warriors in transition. The care he receives is personal and as important as serving in a war zone.

Army Sgt. Matthew A. Brong, son of Arthur and Marilyn Brong, is assigned to the Warrior Battalion Transition here. He is being treated by a newly formed Army unit that exists solely to facilitate the recovery of soldiers. Brong is in a recovery setting unlike any the Army had yet to offer.

"I was riding in an uparmored Humvee in Iraq. The Humvee was struck by an IED (roadside bomb)," said Brong, a 2002 graduate of Boyne

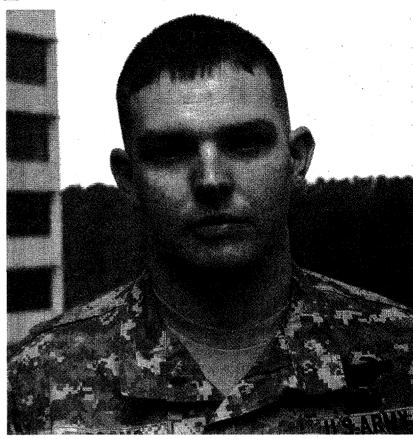
team leader. I was medically evacuated to Germany for surgery and then was sent to Walter Reed," said Brong. "I sustained multiple lumbar vertebral fractures and traumatic brain injury," he said. "Now, I am waiting to reclassify to a job that I can still medplained Brong.

Army Sgt. Matthew A. Brong is recovering at the Warrior Transition Battalion located at Fort Bragg, N.C. and also helps their families with issues they might be having. Soldiers like Brong recognize how convalescing

> covery.
> "The transition battalion has provided me with physical therapy to work towards my return to active duty," said Brong. They have also provided me with administrative support by helping to reclassify me into a job that is less physically de-

Each soldier is cared and accounted for continually until he or she is ready to transition back to their unit or into the civilian world. Before his recovery began, Brong was assigned to multiple locations.

"I have been on active duty for just under four years," said Brong. "I trained at Fort Benning, Ga., and then was assigned to Fort Bragg. I plan to remain on active duty and hope to reclassify into military intelligence," said Brong.



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James Charlevoix

> Schreiber turned on the bus he noticed the motor coach had rolled back and quickly put on the

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manding," he said.

Emerald Ash Borer is an exotic insect native to Asia that attacks ash trees in its larval stage; EAB feeds undetected under the bark of ash trees, disrupting water and nutrient flow, and ultimately, killing the trees in just a few years. First discovered in 2002, the borer is responsible for.

the death or damage of

approximately 20 mil-

Governor declares EAB Awareness Week

ernor Jennifer M. Granholm has declared the week of May 18, Emerald Ash Awareness Borer Week in Michigan, which is part of an effort to limit the spread of EAB to Michigan's Upper Peninsula and across the nation.

"Across the Lower" Peninsula, Michigan residents have witnessed the loss of millions movement of regulatof ash trees, which in some cases has dramatically changed the landscape of what were once beautiful tree-lined streets," said Granholm. "We continue to fight the battle

to save what is left of this precious natural resource and call on residents to join us in that fight."

State officials are asking residents to honor quarantines that are in place, which make the transport of hardwood firewood off-limits to the Upper Peninsula or out of quarantined areas. Also banned is the ed articles such as ash trees, ash logs and lumber with bark, and wood chips greater than one inch.

State agriculture officials note that for residents in Michi-

gan's Lower Peninsula, EAB has been a household name for the last six years; however, it's relatively new to residents and travelers in the Upper Peninsula. Michigan is participating in a national prevention effort to halt the spread of EAB the United

"Michigan continues in efforts to identify biological control organisms and treatment options as well as national research efforts to learn more about how we can live with EAB," said Michigan

Department of Agriculture (MDA) Director Don Koivisto.

"Although there are isolated areas of infestation, the U.P. continues to be a primary focus in preventing the pest from spreading to Michigan's western U.P. and neighboring states. Awareness Week further highlights our efforts to to be on the front-line ensure the UP's forest resources don't suffer the same devastating effects experienced in much of the Lower Peninsula."

Michigan residents and visitors are urged to learn about EAB

and adhere to the state's quarantine banning the transport of ash trees, ash materials, and all hardwood firewood from quarantined areas. Quarantine violators face fines/penalties ranging from \$1,000 up to \$250,000 and face up to five years in jail if found guilty of transporting hardwood firewood out of the quarantine zones or Lower Peninsula into the Upper Peninsula or surrounding states.

Along with Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Maryland, Nebraska, Ohio, and Wisconsin are using the national

Awareness Week to underscore the need for continued cooperation and support of citizens, tourcommunities, government, and industry partners for containing this pest and protecting the millions of ash trees blanketing North America.

The battalion here is

among 35 warrior tran-

unit's staff focuses on a

system called "triad of

care," staffed by a pla-

toon or squad leader,

primary care manager

and a case manager for

The "triad of care"

maintains soldiers' rec-

each soldier.

In 2008, MDA, the United States Departand other EAB partners will be participating in a federal trapping strategy to help establish a national footprint of where the pest is located in the U.S. Michigan motorists traveling in the

ning in early June.
"Preventing the artificial spread of EAB in the Upper Peninsula continues to be critical to safeguarding ash as a genus in Michigan's forest landscape," said Rauscher, MDA's Pesticide and ment of Agriculture, Plant Pest Manage-

U.P. will begin to see

purple traps hanging

from ash trees begin-

three-dimensional

ment Division Director. Slowing the spread of ash mortality affords researchers the opportunity to identify additional tools necessary to combat this devastating pest,"

lion ash trees in Michigan. For more information on the Michigan quarantine... EABplease www.michigan.gov/ eab or www.emeraldashborer.info.



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OPINION

Mystery chicken

When my friend Shary picked me up for a ride to our aerobics class, I knew at once that something was afoot.

"We have to make a quick stop on the way so that $\overline{\mathbf{I}}$ can deal with this chicken fiasco," she said, indicating a grocery sack that occupied a place on the floorboard by my feet. "They're not going to get away with it this time.



A light inquiry about what it might be that they were trying to get away with elicited a barrage of venom.

'I am so sick of this. Within the last week I've paid \$5 for a bag of mealy oranges, a small fortune on avocados that tasted like watered-down mulch and I bought a piece of salmon that smelled like cat food when I opened the package. It's not enough that the grocery bill is only slightly less than a vacation in the south of France - I'm spending half of it on gar-

'Are you returning this chicken?" I asked her, nudging the bundle with my toe.

"I am." Shary shifted into third gear with a vengeance and gunned it in the direction of the grocery store.

What's wrong with it?'

"It's diseased! I baked it last night and when I took it out of the oven, it looked fine. But when I stuck a fork in the breast, it just deflated. Phttt. Nothing but air. There is no breast meat on the thing."

'So let me understand this: You have a baked chicken with no breast meat in this bag, and you are returning it for a re-

"Damn straight."

Oh, goody. This was going to be interesting. There aren't many people that I know that can expound from astride a very high horse more eloquently than Shary. While she is levelheaded and philosophical most of the time, every once in a while something will strike her as blatantly outrageous and she will perform like a disrespected diva. It's always entertaining to witness the spectacle from a safe distance.

When we arrived at the grocery store, she wheeled into a parking space and killed the engine. Grabbing the bag, she stomped furiously across the parking lot while I trotted along in an attempt to match her stride.

There was a line at the meat counter and we waited while, one by one, customers were handed their white paperwrapped bundles. Shary didn't speak, but her eyes flashed with righteous indignation from behind her tortoise shell frames and her hand gripped the bag in a death-lock.

Finally, the man in the white apron turned his attention to Shary. He smiled, resting his hands on his hips, and innocently inquired as to how he could help her.

"I bought this chicken yesterday and it is obviously cancerous," she began evenly. "It has no breast meat. I baked it and it looked fine when I took it out of the oven, but when I cut into it, the skin just flattened out down to the bone. I would

like my money back."
"I'm sorry?" The man's smile had turned quizzical.

"So am I," Shary snapped. "This is beyond irresponsible. You are selling poultry to the public that is genetically flawed. God only knows what the long-term repercussions could be of ingesting something so revolting. It isn't enough that we have to be constantly aware of pesticides and additives and everything else that's used to make our food look appealing at the expense of our health. Now we're being treated to chickens that have mutated to the point of deform-

With this dramatic declaration, Shary deposited the bag upon the countertop with a thump.

Did you say that there's no breast meat on this chicken?" The man's tone was serious and concerned as he unwrapped

the suspect bird for inspection. "Exactly," Shary affirmed.

The man removed the chicken and, holding it aloft in gloved hands, he examined it with a critical eye. Then he began to laugh. He proffered the feckless fowl out towards Shary and flipped it over.

You baked it upside-down," he reported gleefully. "Upside-down. See? The breast was on the bottom.'

He and I shared a chorus of laughter as Shary snatched back

the bird, mumbled an apology and wheeled toward the door. "Great," she muttered as we walked back to the car and I mopped my streaming eyes. "The best meat department within 20 miles and I can never go back there again."

Christine Gwidt welcomes reader's comments. Email her at moreorlesschristine@yahoo.com.

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"IT ALL DEPENDS ON WHAT THE MEANING OF 'IS' IS ... RIGHT, BILL?"

May is National Older Americans Month

The Administration on Aging is celebrating National Older Americans Month and this year's theme is Working Together for Strong, Healthy and Supportive Communities. Americans 65 and older are encouraged to observe the contributions of the past and present of individuals who enhance the community and personal lives by sharing and transferring knowledge of cultures, values, and life experiences among generations.

The AOA estimates that older citizens of the future are expected to be some of the most active in America's history and historically, Older Americans Month has been a time to acknowledge contribu-

tions, particularly those who defended our country. Older Americans Month was established in 1963 when only 17 million living Americans had reached their 65th birthdays. At the time, there were very few programs to meet senior needs and concerns were growing. In April of that year, President John F. Kennedy met with the National Council of Senior Citizens and this served as a prelude to

designating May as Senior Citizens Month. In 1980, President Jimmy Carter replaced Senior Citizen Month as Older Americans Month as it stands today. Every President since has issued a proclamation during or before May asking the entire nation to pay tribute in some way to older persons in their community.

This special day is celebrated across the country through ceremonies, events, fairs and other such activities.

With a large population of senior citizens in our area, this is the perfect time to celebrate individuals who have shaped our community. With Memorial Day right around the corner, this is the perfect time to honor all those who served our country.

There are so many stories to tell about the veterans in Charlevoix County and Sheriff George T. Lasater has been working diligently in the community to resurrect the memorial of Boyne City residents who served in World War II.

Lasater has even written a book on all the contributions of Charlevoix County residents who served our country during that time. While many people aren't aware of Older Americans Month, now is the perfect time to celebrate the older generation.

Both senior citizens and the younger population should recognize this event and in some small way honor the people who have shaped our lives. Whether it is at home or by attending events, take the time to recognize our seniors and their contributions.

For more information visit the AOA website at www.aoa.gov/press/ oam/oam.asp or contact your local Commission on Aging for ideas on how to honor people in your community.

YOUR HOLE

Protect our water

To the editor:

Anyone who has ever canoed, fished, or hiked in the Jordan River valley knows it is one of the last pristine wild areas in northern Michigan. The proposed deep injection wells in Alba could threaten to change that.

Cement kiln dust (CKD), when mixed with water, becomes a toxic bleach-like soup releasing large amounts of mercury, arsenic and other contaminants. The State, DEQ and developers have known for over 20 years that ground water was mixing with CKD from the former PennDixie cement plant and leaching its poisons into Little Traverse Bay. Their solution? Build luxury homes and a golf course over the piles and hope no one would notice. CMS Energy was one of the development partners.

The toxic leachate entered Little Traverse Bay. East Park was closed. The EPA, in 2005, ordered CMS to isolate, contain or remove the CKD piles to eliminate groundwater contamination. Such containment would necessitate digging up the golf course. CMS says its too expensive. Their solution? Allow the groundwater to become contaminated, then collect a small percentage of it (the rest is still

flowing into the bay), transport it to Alba, a community with far fewer economic resources and once again bury the problem. 135,000 gallons shipped by tanker trucks on hilly country roads every day for the next 10-20 years - the potential for transport problems are reason enough to oppose the well.

And what if the leachate doesn't stay buried? These wells have an 8% malfunction rate. A deep injection well in Romulus, Michigan failed, the company responsible for its maintenance vanished, leaving the community to clean up the mess.

Do we want to risk poisoning the Jordan River or the drinking water of area residents? Do we want to continue to allow leachate to flow into Little Traverse Bay? The CKD piles should be removed, not dumped in another community, possibly contaminating another watershed. Join with Friends of the Jordan and Star Township in opposing the deep injection wells and protect our water.

> —Anne Zukowski Charlevoix

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landed and I should be at the base in two hours." The news my family had waited seven months to hear had finally come. Our Marine was back on U.S. soil, having landed at the Marine Corps Air Base at Cherry Point, North Carolina. After checking weapons there, buses would bring the Marines to Camp LeJeune, a 45-minute drive, to meet their anxiously awaiting families. Our Marine had spent seven months as a weapons platoon commander in the Anbar Province of Iraq. About 4 a.m., the buses arrived to "welcome home" signs, cameras flashing and smiling faces of moms, dads, wives, sisters, brothers, children and friends. Seeing his face for the first time since October was an indescribable joy! I thanked God for keeping our Marine safe through two deployments in the Anbar Province of

At 2 a.m., my cell phone rang. The voice on the phone said, "We just

That same week in April, another Marine arrived at his home in Wisconsin. Lance Corporal Dean Opicka was escorted off the arriving plane by Marine honor guards in a flag draped coffin. LCpl Opicka had made the ultimate sacrifice for our nation's freedom. Instead of a welcoming hug, his parents received a folded American flag and appreciation from a grateful nation. At his burial service, Dean's younger brother, Darren, also a Marine, who has served two combat missions to Iraq, stated that he and his brother were both proud to be brothers and to serve in the United States Marine Corps, "to serve the great nation, to serve an outstanding tradition and freedom...Dean's passion and what he believed in led him to the greatest sacrifice for freedom---his life, which he gave honorably." (Quoted from Greenbaygazette.com, by Andy Nelesen, April 30, 2008).

As Memorial Day approaches, and families celebrate the holiday with

Memorial Day tribute from a Marine mom cookouts, parties, picnics and fun activities, may we take a few moments to remember those, like LCpl. Dean Opicka, who throughout our 232-year history have given their lives in war to secure the freedoms we enjoy today.

Traditional observances of the holiday have diminished over the last fifty years following the end of World War II. Memorial Day parades and services in cities across our nation have steadily decreased in numbers. Fewer families seem to be affected by war today than in the early 1900's when 18 and 19 year-old young men were signing up to fight for the freedom of our nation. The entire country was affected and it seemed like everybody knew a soldier who died while serving his country.

Thankfully, in the current war on terror, fewer casualties are experienced because of improved military weapons and different strategies of war. Currently, 4,077 of our service members have made the ultimate sacrifice in Operation Iraqi Freedom. Every life given in the pursuit of defending our liberties deserves tribute from those who live to enjoy it. Americans should never forget the sacrifices made by brave men and women who died while serving in war.

This Memorial Day, take time to thank a veteran, current military personnel, and military family members. Fly the American Flag proudly. Pray for our nation's political leaders and troops serving to defend our freedom. Make a pledge to uphold the freedoms granted in our Constitution and find ways to improve life in local communities. May the sacrifice of our military never be forgotten.

-Susan McConnell Mother of a Marine





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Gaylord to Mackinaw City Trail.

Dedication

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with simultaneous ribbon cuttings in Gaylord, Vanderbilt, Wolverine, Cheboygan and Mackinaw City, the towns south to north. The morning's events will culminate in Indian River at 1 p.m., when the dedication cere-Marina Park. The public is invited to bicycle to the event from any of the ribbon cutting communities and, if registered, to enjoy a lunch in Indian River and obtain a commemorative tee shirt. Registration and trail line at www.trail-

scouncil.org year effort of many lic sector. When aban-1994, was in the fore-Jeff Bodzik, Gerald ace M. Huffman, Roy Kuczawara, Neal

well as TOMTC's original executive director, Jennifer Srigley. The Department trail of Natural Resources welcomed the encouragement of TOMTC and sought the funding necessary from the Commission to purchase the trail from the Detroit and Mackinaw Railroad. DNR personnel, past and present, did and continue to do yeomen's work in the acquisition, improvement and maintenance of trails throughout Michigan. In addition the Michigan Department of Transportation, which is the conduit for federal trail funds, has been of great assis-

Support also came from the Rails-to-Trails Conservancy Michigan Chapter who assisted with lobbying efforts when the Natural Resources Commission was being asked not to fund the trail purchase. That chapter has evolved into the Michigan Trails & Greenways Alliance (MTGA) headquartered in Lansing (http://www.michifosters and facilitates terconnected statewide system of trails and greenways. Led by MTGA on the state level, and TOMTC on the local level there is tremendous growth of interest in and use of existing trails. Trails help connect people with nature, trails help children get to school safely, trails help more people get helpful exercise, trails bring families together and trails are

good for our state's economy. On the national level the Rails to Trails Conservancy leads the charge for development from its Washington D.C. office, since its inception in 1986 RTC has assisted hundreds of communities and rail-trail advocates in building nearly 13,935 miles of rail-trails throughout the United States. For further information on RTC see www.railtrails.org

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primary sources of trail acquisition and improvement, local funding and support is the catalyst for trail development. Those who control the federal and state purse strings need to know there is local support for trails. That support was most evident in the development of the Gaylord - Cheboygan - Mackinaw City trail. Virtually every municipality through which the trail runs supported the trail development by resolution and financial contribution in addition to the County of Cheboygan. In addition a number of service businesses, gantrails.org) which chambers of commerce and tourism councils supported the trail effort financially.

> to advocate for imeight counties within its jurisdiction. However, this work can only continue with the active support of its bership information see TOMTC's web

in East Jordan, 231-536-2941.

> Church of the Nazarene

We invite you to visit our weekly Sunday morning services. The service time is Sunday at 11 a.m. Children's church is provided for children ages 4-12. For more information call the office, 231-582-9611, from 10 a.m. to noon, or the pastor, 231-582-2635, or visit our website at www.boy-

necitynaz.org The church is located at 225 W. Morgan Street, on the corner of West and Morgan.

Walloon Lake **Community Church**

Sunday, May 25, Word and Worship start at 9 and 10:45 a.m. Children Groups will meet at 9 and 10:45 a.m. Infant and toddler nursery is available. Junior and senior high youth will attend Worship and Word at 9 and then meet at the youth center from 10:30 to noon. Senior high youth meet on Sunday evening, please contact Pastor Jason for more information at 231-535-2288.

The church office will be closed on Monday, May 26. On Wednesday, May 28, the Food Pantry will be open from 5:30 to

6:45 p.m. On Thursday, May 29, the Men's Bible Study will meet at 6:30 a.m.

For more information, please contact the church office at 231-535-2288 or visit website www.walloonchurch.com.

Boyne City, **Boyne Falls United**

Methodist Church Services in Boyne Falls are at 9:15 a.m. at 3057 Mill Street. Children's programming is held during the service. In Boyne City, worship is at 11 a.m. at 324 S. Park St., with Sunday School during the service.

The Boyne Falls Church is holding F.R.O.G. Club on Tuesdays, twice a month, after school, from 3:15 until 4:30 p.m.

First Presbyterian First Presbyterian Church, 401 South Park Street, Boyne City, welcomes all for worship every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. This Sunday, May 25, Pastor Jonathan Mays continues the "Living in Love" series with a entitled message "Being Free" from Isaiah 49 and Matthew

Session invites members and friends to celebrate the installation of Reverend

Jonathan Mays as Pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Boyne City. Join us in this special service at 3 p.m., Sunday, May 25. Pastor Jonathan has been serving us since Jan. 2. We waited for our snow birds to re-

All are invited to

Bible Study, 9 a.m. Tuesdays, in the Hill and Fellowship (bring a lunch), noon Wednesdays, in Faulman Hall. The Lord's Supper is celebrated on the first Sunday contemporary worship is featured on the last Sunday of each month. Beginning June 1, two services will be offered every Sunday, contemporary at 9 a.m. and traditional at 10:30 a.m., with Coffee and Conversation between services. For more information call

Christ Lutheran Church

231-582-7983.

Sunday services start at 8 a.m. for early service, and late service starts at 10:30 a.m., with a Bible school for all ages at 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.

Saturday, May 31, volunteers are needed to help with window washing. We will start at 9 a.m. If enough people show up to help, we should be

done within an hour or hour-and a-half, or less.

For more information, call 231-582-9301. Check us out on the web, www.christlutheranboyne.org.

> Community of **Christ**

The Community of Christ, 777 Vogel Street in Boyne City, House and to Prayer holds Sunday worship and classes at 9:45 a.m., and Worship with the Spoken Word at 10:50 a.m.

Wednesday, Prayer and Share is held at 7

Vacation School will be June 9 - 13, from 6 - 9 p.m.

All are welcome to worship. Pastor: Lee Website: Ecker. www.boynecitycofchrist.com.

Top of Michigan Kretchman and Se-Trails Council will bron Litzenberger as Cheboygan – Mackinaw City Trail on Saturday, June 7. This 62-mile crushed stone tiguous improved rail system. Natural The dedication will begin at 8:30 a.m., Topinabee,

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Community Church

Lakeshore Community Church is located at 624 State St. in Boyne City. It is a charismatic congregation and a 'Resurrection Life' Affili-

Services are Sundaý morning at 10 a.m. and Wednesday at 7 p.m. Children's church is available for ages 2 through 12. For more information, you can call Pastor Dave Crumbaugh at 231-582-5294.

Lakeshore Community Free Clinic is a ministry of Lakeshore Community Church and is open every Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Anyone who does not have insurance or is underinsured is welcome to utilize this service. Dr. Richard Mansfield and Kathy Helsley, along with many volunteers from the community, continue to help make this possible. The clinic is run strictly on donations. If you are interested in donating to the Free Clinic, send your donation to PO Box 933, Boyne City, MI, 49712, or call 231-582-6828 Tuesday through Friday.

First Presbyterian Church

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> Gary Walker, Secretary **Board of Education East Jordan Public Schools** P.O. Box 399 East Jordan, MI 49727

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Due to construction, until further notice. Evthe East Jordan Senior eryone is welcome to go Center will be closed over to Boyne Area

Senior Center for lunch. Meals on Wheels will be available.

The Boyne Area Senior Center welcomes you to join your friends for lunch each weekday at

Wednesday, May 21, the day will begin at 10 a.m. with line dancing. The Concord dancers will arrive at 11 a.m. for an hour of entertainment. At noon lunch will include crunchy drummies, beets, corn and apple salad.

Thursday, May 22, liver and onions will be served. Bingo will fol-

County Commission on

Aging is now offering

an easier alternative to

the lawn contract pro-

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cleanup. This is in re-

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assistance with raking

and cleaning of debris

that the Sheriff was

previously providing

with community serv-

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low lunch on Thursday. Friday, May 23, enjoy Karaoke at 11 a.m. Veggie lasagna, salad, cauliflower and peaches are planned for lunch.

Monday, May 26, the senior center will be closed for Memorial Tuesday, May 27, will

be homemade soup, a full salad bar and make your own sandwich.

Wednesday, May 28, line dancing will begin the day at 10 a.m. For lunch, swiss steak is on

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for a person 60 years of

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Charlevoix olent prisoners.

the menu along with potatoes, beans and fruit salad. For more information

regarding the senior center call 231-582-6682. The suggested donation for lunch is \$2 for those 60 and over, or \$4 for under 60. The Charlevoix County Commission on Aging can be contacted at 231-237-0103. The toll free number is 866-428-5185. Check out the web

site at www.charlevoix-

county.org/coa.asp.

New option for lawn care sides in Charlevoix County and owns his/ her own home. Please call the Commission

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Velva Ann Baker

Velva Ann Baker, age 78 of Boyne Falls, passed away peacefully at her home on May 10, 2008, surrounded by

her family. Velva was born on January 28, 1930, in Escanaba, the daughter of Bert and Nancy

(Martin) Gillespie. On December 24, she married Sylvester (Smokey)

Baker Jr. in Charlevoix. Velva had a love for music and loved to yodel and sing. She sang in a small band. Velva also won many

yodeling contest. Family came first before anything else. She loved to go camping, mushrooming and deer hunting. Velva never missed the Polish Festival. She and Smokey loved to go down and watch their grandchildren and great-grandchildren ride the rides

and eat at their favorite

Kathryn S. Jolly, age 55 of Kingston, Tenn.,

passed away Thursday,

May 15, 2008. Kathryn

was a very active

member of Bradbury

Church. She was chair-

person of Health and

member of Evangelism

Committee and faithful

to prayers and bible study groups; member

of Nurture Committee.

Active member in

Bradbury United Meth-

Women, past

Methodist

Committee;

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picnic table.

Velva worked at Camp Sherwood, Circuit Controls (ITT), Essex, Bovne Mountain and then Velva and Smokey traveled for his work on the road. For the past six years they both delivered the Petoskey News Review.

Velva attended Northern Lights Fellowship Church in

Vanderbilt. She is survived by her husband Sylvester (Smokey); son, Steven R. (Pam) Anthony of

Falls;

Kathryn S. Jolly

member of Pastor/Par-

member of East Roane

County Ruritan Club.

Preceded in death by

her parents, Betty Jean

Paulsen, and sister,

husband, Carl D. Jolly

of Kingston, Tenn.; daughter, Katrina M. Jolly of Knoxville,

Tenn.; son, Carl D.

Jolly III of Knoxville,

Tenn.; and sister, Ann

M. Rebman of Haslett,

Survivors include her

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daughters, Mary Lou Baker of Blue Springs, Mo., Debbie Miller of Boyne Falls, Lorenda Sevenski (Roger) Boyne Falls and Tami (Fred) Figiel of Elmira; eleven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Velva is preceded in death by her parents; five brothers, Bill, Floyd, Calvin, Dort and Cebert all of whom served during WWII and returned home safely; sisters, Margaret Wallace, Mina Dun-

can and Opal Leist. A funeral service was held on Wednesday, May 14, at Walloon Community Lake Church with visitation being held prior to the

time of service. Burial will take place at Boyne Valley Town-

ship Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be directed to the family.

was held Monday, May

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Used book sale

The Jordan Valley Library Friends are sponsoring a used book sale on Friday, May 23, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Huntington Bank during Sidewalk Sales in East Jordan. Books in good condition may be dropped off at the East Jordan Community Pool. Please do not bring encyclopedias, magazines, or books without covers. Proceeds will go towards future programs. Book purchases are made by donation. For more information, call Kim Prebble,

231-536-

Library yard sale The Boyne Falls Crooked Tree District Library will be accepting items for their June 6 and 7 yard sale to benefit the library. Drop off dates are May 28, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., May 30, 4 to 8 p.m., and June 5, 4 to 8 p.m., behind the Village Hall, Railroad Street, Boyne Falls. Call 231-549-5647, 231-549-2623, or 231-

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1st - Kristy Szczesny, Lansing, 144; 2nd - Jennifer Lincoln, Shingleton, Mich., 104; 3rd - Annette Huntoon, Elsie, Mich., 67. Non-Resident Men

1st - Darrin Huntoon, Elsie, Mich., 381; 2nd - Larry Pixley, Palmyra, Mich., 214; 3rd - David Neering, Bay City, Mich.,

Resident Women

1st - Gayle Embree, Vanderbilt, 53; 2nd - Susan Florenski, Boyne City, 48; 3rd - Mary Florenski, Boyne City, 39. Resident Men

1st - Dave Crumbaugh, Boyne City, 224; 2nd - Josh Strazysewski, Traverse City, 121; 3rd - Marty Ruzinsky, Wolverine, 48. Grand Champion - Scott Neering, Tawas, 501.

5th Annual Mushroom Pole Winners, sponsored by Boyne

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Winner of the morel painting by Jerry Douglas - Brian Booth, Leelanau

Winner of the grand prize of Buy Into Boyne - Sheri Hocquard, Boyne City



Morels were not the only tasty treats to be sampled in the tent on Saturday, as the "sweet" ladies from Kilwins, Jen Towns, Gayle Harbaugh, and Kelly Sweet, offered another local Northern Michigan del-



Boyne City and great cars have been synonymous for a long time. This weekend was no exception as Classic Instruments hosted its 8th annual Northern Michigan NSRA (National Street Rod Association) Appreciation Day.



Photo by Vic Ruggles

It surely was a 'Happy Mother's Day' for Boyne City's Linda Caverly. Her home was filled with her children and grandchildren -15 total - there for the day. A real surprise for her was receiving a beautiful brand new complete dining room set from her children.

Enjoying all of them, she said," It was a wonderful day!"

There was a good turnout last week Thursday for the Mother's Day potluck at Deer Meadows. It was a fun time of sharing dinner as well as stories about mothers.

Bart and Jody Gasco, their son, Bart Jr. and first cookout of the



By Nancy Northup

friend, Saleena, were here from Tenn. for the graduation of their daughter, Holly Gasco, from North Central Michigan College. On Mother's Day everyone gathered at Jody's par-Murray and ents. JoAnn Folette's, for the

summer.

Last Friday, the residents of Litzenburger Place held what looked like an old time country auction, with Dorothy Daniels clad in suspendered pants and a straw hat, calling out for bids and straw-hatted Judy Owen recording the They raised sales. enough to buy a larger outside grill and are looking forward to a lot of tenant cookouts throughout the summer. This past Friday, a group from there went via Charlevoix County Transit to Grandvue to visit form-

er Litzenburger Place residents now living there.

Vasco and Joni Zucchiatti spent a few days in Marine City visiting their granddaughter Remie and son and daughter-in-law, Damon and Kris, who celebrated their 13th wedding anniversary on May 13.

On Tuesday, The

Boyne Area Rehab was pleased to have registered 26 people from Boyne City as marrow donors, in conjunction with the Charlevoix Area Hospital and Northern Michigan Regional Hospital, and as participants of northern Michigan's National

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Patrons enjoy some carnival fun in Veterans Park.

Bonnie Hiller is now back home at her Litzenburger Place apartment after last week's major surgery, Her daughter, Kelly Kline, was to be returning to her home in Palmer, Alaska, on Friday.

Leslie Luebke, a comic artist, was up from downstate to visit his daughter Jessica over the weekend. On Sunday, he surprised his McCallum, with a timely visit. And was

mother, Freda

she ever surprised and happy as it had been quite some time since last visit,

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BOYNE CITY RAMBLERS, BOYNE FALLS LOGGERS AND THE EAST JORDAN RED DEVILS

Three Rambler girls qualify for states

Skrocki wins two events for Red Devils

By GREG GIELCZYK SPORTS WRITER

BENZONIA — Natasha Bell and Caitlyn Wonski are returning to the state championships in their strongest events for the Boyne City girls track team.

Lacee VanAlstine broke the school record in the discus with a throw of 109 feet 4 inches on her second attempt.

That came in the preliminaries at the regional competition hosted by Benzie Central last Satur-

In the finals, VanAlstine had a throw of 109 feet 7 inches to finish second overall and take home a silver medal. She eclipsed the old school

record of 107 feet 1 inch set by Angela Reich in 1986. Reich is Kristina LaVake's mother. Bell won the 200-meter dash,

an event in which she earned All-State honors last year as a sophomore.

Wonski earned a second place tie with training partner Shauna Spencley of Charlevoix. It qualified both for state.

LaVake had a great day as

She finished third in the 100meter dash and fifth in the shot

Boyne City's other individual scorer was Corrina Hoekwater, who placed eighth in the discus with a personal best throw of 79 feet 6 inches.

Erin Haley ran her personal best in the 1600-meter run with a time of 6:05.3, but did not place. It was seven seconds faster than her previous best time.

"It was a great team day, as all four relay teams placed in the top eight and won medals," Boyne City coach Andy Place said.

The 3200-meter relay team ran its best time of the year to finish fifth overall. It included freshman sprinter Mackenzie Macksey for the first time.

"She ran a good split, and the rest of the team of Melissa Seelye, Haley and Casmear Kerr all ran their personal best splits," Place said.

Emma Stuewer, Macksey, Shala Archer and Maureen Lee finished eighth in the 800-meter

LaVake, Sammy McLeod, Amanda Spence and Bell finished sixth in the 400-meter relay, and the 1600 relay team of Kerr, Hoekwater, Wonski and Sarah Archer finished sixth.

Boyne City finished seventh



Photo by Brian Keiler

Boyne City and East Jordan will both have runners competing at the state meet on May 31.

as a team out of a field of 13 teams with 45 points. Benzie Central was regional champion with 120.5 points, Gladwin finished second with 89 and Kings-

ley third with 78.5.

The top two teams qualify to compete for the state title.

Next up for the Ramblers is Skrocki will be the lone Red the Lake Michigan Conference Devil competing at the state of 48.98.

Championship meet at Charlevoix today (Wednesday).

East Jordan's Ashley

meet May 31. Skrocki won the 100 meter hurdles in 16.24, and she came away with the victory in the 300 hurdles with a time

Ramblers sweep Charlevoix, split two at Hillman tourney

BY GREG GIELCZYK SPORTS WRITER

BOYNE CITY — Coach Sandy Clausen isn't concerned too much about the Boyne City girls softball team's record in the Lake Michigan Conference right

The Ramblers still have four games left to play in the makeup contests that may be game in a 1-0 win over Char- batter, Shumaker got the win

cast holds true this week.

So she's just put the league record on the back burner and turned her team's attention to the next game.

Despite splitting two games in the Hillman Invitational tournament last Saturday, the Ramblers are sill one game under .500 at 13-14.

Clausen went old school to rained out anyway if the Na- levoix in the opener of an as Boyne City took the night-

tional Weather Service fore- LMC doubleheader last Wednesday, and she scored on Allison Aown's sacrifice bunt.

Stephanee Woodward picked up the win in the pitcher's circle, striking out four. Boyne City also got a dou-

ble from Cheyenne Shumaker, and Shelby Mittig singled.

Those were the only hits for the Ramblers.

Despite giving up seven hits and striking

Two runs scored on a throwing error by Charlevoix's catcher in the third inning.

Boyne City had four hits in the sixth inning, and the Rayders committed one error as the Ramblers scored three

Woodward led off the inning with a hit and Shumaker drove her home with a dou-

Shumaker with a single. a triple and two singles. As jans the rest of the way.

Teresa Sessions reached on an error and Sarah Gerberding singled to drive in a run.

for two hits. Lindsey

Shumaker also had a double

Clemens and Aown also had singles. Boyne City lost to Hillman

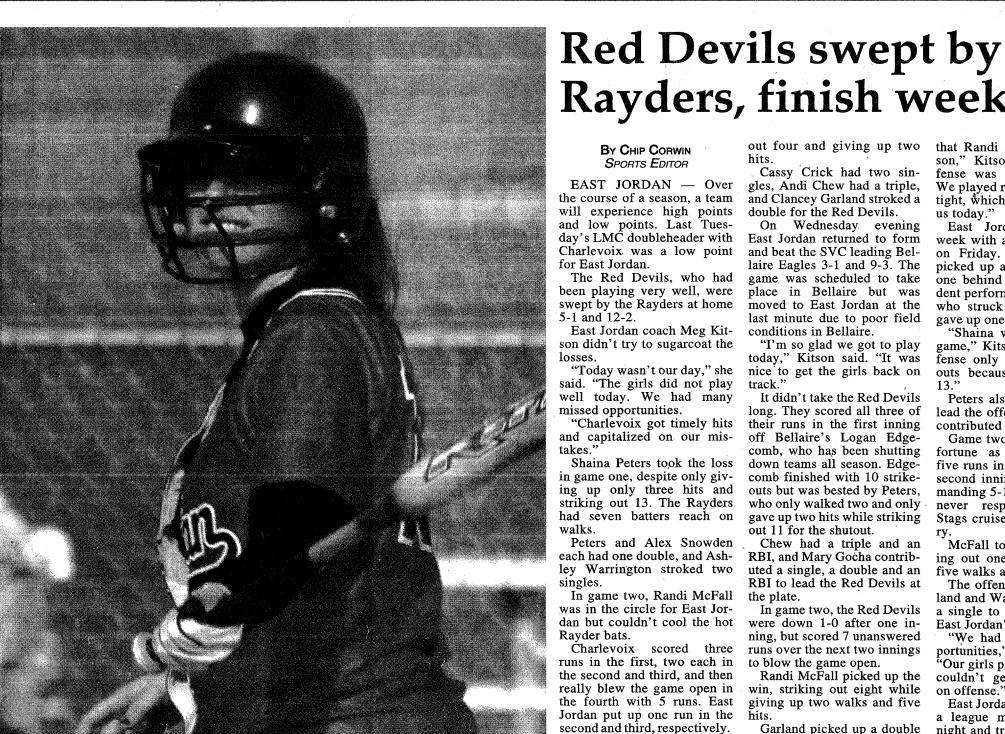
5-4 in the first game on Saturday after taking a 4-0 lead.

Woodward was the pitcher of record for the Ramblers.

had a double and a single. The Ramblers beat Central Lake 8-6 in the second game as Shumaker struck out five.

Woodward had an in-thepark home run and a single to lead the Ramblers at the plate. Jessica Knysz finished with a double. Aown, Trisha Tomkins and Nicole Higgins all

Boyne City scored four runs Tanya Persons drove in the Ramblers at the plate with aged to stay ahead of the Tro-



EAST JORDAN — Over the course of a season, a team will experience high points and low points. Last Tuesday's LMC doubleheader with Charlevoix was a low point for East Jordan.

BY CHIP CORWIN

SPORTS EDITOR

The Red Devils, who had been playing very well, were swept by the Rayders at home 5-1 and 12-2.

East Jordan coach Meg Kitson didn't try to sugarcoat the

"Today wasn't our day," she said. "The girls did not play well today. We had many missed opportunities.

"Charlevoix got timely hits and capitalized on our mis-

Shaina Peters took the loss in game one, despite only giv-ing up only three hits and striking out 13. The Rayders had seven batters reach on walks.

Peters and Alex Snowden each had one double, and Ashley Warrington stroked two

In game two, Randi McFall was in the circle for East Jordan but couldn't cool the hot Rayder bats.

Charlevoix scored three runs in the first, two each in the second and third, and then really blew the game open in the fourth with 5 runs. East Jordan put up one run in the second and third, respectively.

McFall walked six, fanned one and gave up five hits. Peters came on in relief and walked five while striking

Rayders, finish week 3-3 out four and giving up two

> Cassy Crick had two singles, Andi Chew had a triple, and Clancey Garland stroked a double for the Red Devils.

On Wednesday evening East Jordan returned to form and beat the SVC leading Bellaire Eagles 3-1 and 9-3. The game was scheduled to take place in Bellaire but was moved to East Jordan at the last minute due to poor field conditions in Bellaire.

"I'm so glad we got to play today," Kitson said. "It was nice to get the girls back on

It didn't take the Red Devils long. They scored all three of their runs in the first inning off Bellaire's Logan Edgecomb, who has been shutting down teams all season. Edgecomb finished with 10 strikeouts but was bested by Peters, who only walked two and only gave up two hits while striking

out 11 for the shutout. Chew had a triple and an RBI, and Mary Gocha contributed a single, a double and an RBI to lead the Red Devils at

the plate. In game two, the Red Devils were down 1-0 after one inning, but scored 7 unanswered runs over the next two innings

to blow the game open. Randi McFall picked up the win, striking out eight while giving up two walks and five

Garland picked up a double and three RBIs, while Warrington, Alyssa Piechocki and

Crick each had an RBI. "This was the best pitching that Randi had done all season," Kitson said. "Her defense was solid behind her. We played relaxed and not uptight, which really worked for us today."

East Jordan finished the week with a split at Kingsley on Friday. The Red Devils picked up a 3-0 win in game one behind another transcendent performance from Peters, who struck out 13 and only gave up one walk and one hit.

"Shaina was dominant this game," Kitson said. "Our defense only had to make five outs because she struck out

Peters also had a double to lead the offense. Emily Bajko contributed a single.

Game two saw a reversal of fortune as Kingsley scored five runs in the bottom of the second inning to take a commanding 5-1 lead. East Jordan never responded, and the Stags cruised to an 8-1 victo-

McFall took the loss, striking out one while giving up five walks and six hits.

The offense struggled. Garland and Warrington each had a single to account for all of East Jordan's hits.

"We had many missed opportunities," Kitson said. "Our girls played hard but just couldn't get anything going on offense.'

East Jordan (20-10, 9-5) had a league makeup game last night and travels to Ellsworth tonight (Wednesday) to finish up their regular season schedule. Districts are at Inland Lakes May 30 and 31.

East Jordan's Cassy Crick checks for the sign before stepping into the batter's box.

East Jordan soccer finishes week 1-1-1

BY CHIP CORWIN SPORTS EDITOR

EAST JORDAN — East Jordan's girls soccer team experienced every possible outcome in their three games last week — a win, a tie, and a loss, in that order.

On Tuesday, May 13, they traveled to

host Vikings by a score of 1-0.

"The ladies all worked hard for the win and did a much better job of winning the ball and moving it forward to a teammate," head coach Peter Elliott said.

The game's lone score came with 10 minutes left in the contest when Katherine Grayling and beat the Rowley gained posses-

corner and completed a pass to Whitney to Kraemer, who then passed to Paige Fuller. Fuller found the back of the net to score the

game-winner.

"Whitney picks up the assist with the pass and Paige was the finisher with the goal, but it came on the back of the strong effort Katherine put out," Elliott said. "At that point the momentum swung our way and we had several more strong attacks with near misses. The entire game was exciting, but the last 10 minutes were much

more intense.' Maribeth Poindexter recorded the shutout in goal, making 17 saves. Elliott also

noted the strong play of Briana Sladick, Shelby Campbell and Amanda Zipp.

"Graying played hard from the beginning to the end and gave us a great game," Elliott said. "We had fun and were very excited to be the ones who picked up the

Poindexter picked

her third in a row against Burt Lake NMCA last Thursday, making 27 saves. This time, however, the offense couldn't score, and the game ended as

a 0-0 tie. East Jordan lost to Burt Lake 5-1 earlier in the season.

"I am very pleased with the tie," Elliott "The ladies said.

worked hard to keep in the game all night. This was a very good effort that showed a lot of heart and determination.

On Friday, the Red Devils squared off against Harbor Springs and lost 5-0. Harbor led 2-0 at half-

"Everyone had a bit of an off night to-

night," Elliott said. "Our passes weren't connecting and our timing was off." Poindexter had 24 saves. Rowley and Fuller led the team in shots on goal.

East Jordan was at Elk Rapids last night and travels to Boyne City tomorrow (Thursday) to wrap up regular season play.

Loggers sweep Lancers

BY PHIL TROMBLEY SPORTS WRITER

BOYNE FALLS -Boyne Falls pitchers Anthony Carpenter and Jared Mathers held the visiting Ellsworth hitters to just six hits and one run for the day to lead the Boyne Falls boys varsity baseball team to a sweep at home on Thursday, May 15.

Mathers struck out six batters, while giving up three hits, one base on balls and one run as Boyne Falls took the opening game

Carpenter shut out the Lancers and recorded five strike outs, while yielding three hits and no walks in the second game 10-0 vic-

The Loggers improved to 4-2-2 in the Northern Lakes Conference standings.

Chad Deming led the Boyne Falls hitters with four hits and two runs batted in for the double header. Mathers had three hits

and four RBIs, Reggie Fiel added three hits and three RBIs and Ryan Matelski chipped in with three hits and two RBIs.

"We played some pretty good ball today," said Boyne Falls coach Chris Fiel. "Both games our pitching was there, as was our defense. Offensively, we are starting to hit the ball in key situations and with runners in scoring position."

Loggers stopped by

Warriors Ski Valley Conference opponent Forest Area captured a pair of non-conference wins on Tuesday, May 13, defeating Boyne Falls 5-3 and 6-2.

Forest Area scored four runs in the bottom of the fourth inning to overcome a two run deficit in the first game. Boyne Falls led the

contest 3-1 after the first inning. "We started strong

offensively, had one bad inning defensively,

and they capitalized on it," said Fiel.

The Warriors spread out the scoring in the second game striking for three runs in the first inning, two in the third and one in the fourth to blow past an early 2-0 Boyne Falls

"We started Devin Simon to rest some of

our regular arms and I thought he did a fine job," Fiel said.

At the plate Car-penter had four hits, while Deming, Fiel, and Justin Aytes all had two hits apiece to pace the Boyne Falls hitting:

Boyne Falls (6-6-2 overall) will travel to Inland Lakes on Thursday, May 22.

with Charlevoix in LMC baseball doubleheader

BY GREG GIELCZYK SPORTS WRITER

HILLMAN They're not out of the Lake Michigan Conference baseball race by any stretch of

the imagination. But splitting with Charlevoix last week certainly didn't enthe Boyne hance Ramblers' City chances of taking the

crown. **Forbes** Jarred pitched the first game and spun a masterful threehitter, striking out four and walking

only two. With the Ramblers getting eight hits against the Rayders, it would appear from the statistics that Boyne City won.

Unfortunately, three of those hits came from one player, Robby Jensen. And all were pretty scattered

throughout the sixinning contest. Charlevoix made the most of its opportunities to come away with a

4-3 victory. The Ramblers rallied for a 3-1 win in the nightcap to put their LMC record at

Jensen gave up just five hits and had five strike outs in another outstanding performance on the mound.

Boyne City had five hits as well, led Trever Kruzel who had a home run and a double.

The Ramblers lost both games in the Hillman Invitational last Saturday 10-4

After traveling to Petoskey on Monday the Ramblers were scheduled to play at Harbor Springs on Tuesday and host Traverse City St. Francis on Thurs-

Ramblers split | NHL forces Detroit fans into tough choice

By PAT CAPUTO OF THE OAKLAND

It's a classic matchup on a number of differ-

Experience youth. Champions vs. challengers. Superstars vs. superstars.

The spice comes with the reality the Red Wings have as much to prove as the Pittsburgh Penguins during what figures to be the most intriguing Stanley Cup

finals in eons. The Red Wings have consistently been the NHL's top team for nearly two decades. Yet, they haven't captured the Stanley Cup title since 2002.

As such, doubt tends to creep in about the Red Wings at the first sign of adversity. After the Nashville Predators rallied to tie the opening round series at two games apiece. After the Dallas Stars made it too close for comfort by winning two straight games after the Red Wings roared to victory in the first three.

At every turn, the Red Wings have answered the challenge

this spring — especially by wrapping up the Western Conference finals with an impressive 4-1 Game 6 triumph over the Stars

Monday night. Too bad the NHL led by commissioner Gary Bettman, continues to figuratively spit in the face of the Red

Wings and their fans. The latest: Playing the first three games of the Stanley Cup finals on dates — and at roughly the same start times — that mirror the Pistons' Eastern Conference final series

against the Celtics. So while this area is united behind the Red Wings and Pistons, they are forced to be divided during what figures to be epic match-

ups on both fronts. Why is the NHL doing this? Why not start the finals on Friday — and then go Sunday and Tuesday? Why force Detroit fans to choose?

Given the paltry vision ratings of the NHL, and that much of the country will be shutout of coverage of the first two games anyway because of the

league's short-sighted TV deal with Versus, Bettman couldn't help Detroit out by scheduling the series on the off days of the Celtics-Pistons series?

It's one thing to make us watch Nashville and Columbus every other night all winter long and never let us see the Maple Leafs or Canadiens. And mess with Al Sabotka and the time-honored tradition of the octopus. But this is the topper. It's be-

yond foolish. It's cruel. No wonder there is no sport on earth as exciting as ice hockey, yet the NHL remains the fourth wheel. Unfortunately, even in Detroit. Ah, we can't let that

knucklehead Gary Bettman ruin our Deetroit party, can win? Not when there was

so much pressure on the Red Wings Monday and they responded like true champions. Not when the Stanley Cup final presents such marquee matchup.

Who do you think is better? Detroit's duo of Pavel Datsyuk and Henrik Zetterberg? Or the Penguins' Sidney

Crosby and Evgeni Malkin? Seems like trying to decide who is mightier — Batman and Robin or the Green Hornet and Kato.

The goaltenders present an obvious contrast between the savvy of Red Wings' veteran Chris Osgood and the raw talent of Penguins' youngster Marc-Andre

Want an edge? The

Red Wings appear to should be a series for have a big one on dethe ages. fense with Nicklas Lid-Despite Gary Bettstrom and Brian Rafalsman and his schedule ki leading the way. Defrom hell.

and the Red Wings have much more depth. But the Penguins haven't flinched during the postseason. If anything, they have been more dominant than the

Wings.

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MORTGAGE SALE Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Cheryl L. Scott ,a single woman, Mortgagors, to Argent Mortgage Company LLC, Mortgagee, dated the 29th day of October, 2004 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for The County of Charlevoix and State of Michigan, on the 6th day of December, 2004 in Liber 654 of

Records, page 218, said under Pooling and Through public auction, to the highest bidder, main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse, Charlevoix, MI MI (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid on said mortgage, with interest thereon at 11.50% per annum and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land, including any and all structures, and homes, manufactured or otherwise, located thereon, situated in the City of Boyne, of Charlevoix, County State of Michigan, and described as follows, to

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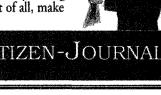
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE FOSTER. SWIFT

COLLINS & SMITH, P.C. IS ATTEMPTING TO COL-LECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PUR-POSE. PLEASE CON-TACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF MORTGAGOR IS IN **ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.**

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made on August 1, 2006, by Clayton M. Sarasin and Charlotte L. Sarasin, husband and wife, as Mortgagor, given by them to First National Bank of America, whose address is 241 E. Saginaw Hwy., Suite 600, P.O. Box 980, East Lansing, Michigan 48826-0980, Mortgagee, and recorded on August 8, 2006, in the office of the Register of

for Charlevoix

County, Michigan, in Liber

760, Page 768, on which

Mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid, as of the date of this Notice. the sum of Sixty-Two Thousand Sixty-Two and 65/100 Dollars (\$62,062.65); and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part thereof secured by said Mortgage, and the power of sale in said Mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Friday, June 6, 2008 at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon, in the Main lobby of the Charlevoix Courthouse, Charlevoix, Michigan, that being one of the places for holding the Circuit Court for Charlevoix County, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder or bidders at public auction or venue for purposes of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid on said Mortgage, together with all allowable costs of sale and

said Mortgage mentioned and described as follows: LAND SITUATED IN THE CITY OF EAST JORDAN, CHARLEVOIX, MICHIGAN, DESCRIBED AS: Commencing at a point 2 rods West and 2 rods South of the Northeast corner of Section 23, Township 32 North, Range 7 West; thence South on West line of Maple Street, 153 feet, for the point of beginning of this description; thence continuing South, 147 feet, more or less, on West line of said street to a point 60 feet North of the North line of North Street; thence West parallel with North line of said North Street, 85.5 feet: thence North parallel with said West line of Maple Street, 147 feet, more or less, to a point West of the point of beginning for this description; thence East 85.5 feet parallel with said North line of

North Street, to the point

Mobile Home. The period within which the time of such sale.

Mortgage having been assigned to Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. as Trustee Servicing Agreement Dated as of October 1, 2004 Asset-Backed Pass-Certificates Series 2004-MHQ1 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of Ninety Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Nineteen & 30/100 (\$98,719.30), and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of June, 2008 at 11:00 o'clock am Local Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at

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Dated: 5/7/2008

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Mortgagee FABRIZIO & BROOK, P.C.

Attorney for Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. as Trustee 888 W. Big Beaver, Suite 1470 Troy, MI 48084

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The City of East Jordan Hereby Ordains:

dered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Enos M. Bacon survivor of himself and his desceased wife Zella M. Bacon, Enos M. Bacon, a single man, original mortgagor(s), to Wells Fargo Financial America, inc., Mortgagee, dated September 29, 2006, and recorded on October 23, 2006 in Liber 770 on Page 821, in Charlevoix county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the

ORDINANCE #201-C

FISCAL YEAR 2007/2008 BUDGET AMENDMENT

date hereof the sum of Forty-Two Thousand Five Seventy-Four Hundred 24/100 Dollars (\$42,574.24), including interest at 9.63% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Charlevoix County, at 11:00 AM, on June 13, 2008.

TIFA FUND 247:

403.001 Taxes Tifa

699, 000 Transfer In

694.000 Miscellaneous

801.000 Professional &

Revenues:

Expenditures:

726.000 Supplies

Contractual

818.013 Contractual

818,006 Contractual

Ser/Solid Waste

Ser./Downtown

860.000 Travel & School

927.000 Sewer & Water Bldg.

NAYS: MOES AND TIMMONS

821.000 Engineering

880.002 Promotion

900.000 Publishing

931.010 M&R General

943.000 Eqpt. Rental

977.000 Egpt, Other

ROLL CALL VOTE:

ABSENT: NONE

ABSTAIN: NONE

ADOPTED: 05-06-08

PUBLISHED: 05-21-08

EFFECTIVE: 05-28-08

Said premises are situated in City of Charlevoix, Charlevoix County, and Michigan, are described as: Lot 11. Heinmann's Addition to the Village of Ironton, Charlevoix County,

Michigan. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: May 14, 2008

\$260,000

\$1,000.

\$3,000.

\$10,000.

\$500.

\$7,000.

\$9,500.

\$500.

\$500.

\$600

\$2,000

\$8,000.

\$2.500

\$1,000.

AYES: SYMONDS, POSTMA, KLOOSTER, FISHER AND BENNETT

For more information, please call: FC D 248.593.1309 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills,

Michigan 48334-2525

File #202218F01

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\$199,288. (decrease 60,712)

\$29,087. (increase 29,087.)

\$2,500. (increase 1,500.)

\$5,000 (increase 2,000.)

\$275. (decrease 9,725.)

\$2,200. (decrease 4,800.)

-0- (decrease 500.)

-0- (decrease 500.)

-0- (decrease 600.)

-0- (decrease 9,500.)

\$2,500. (increase 500.)

\$4,000 (decrease 4,000.)

\$1,000. (decrease 1,500.)

-0- (decrease 1.000.)

-0- (decrease 500.)

AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

MORTGAGE SALE Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Alan Barnes and Aldene J. Barnes, his wife, and Tammy J. Baudoux, to NBD Mortgage Company, Mortgagee, dated February 22, 1996 and recorded February 27, 1996 in Liber 296, Page 506, Charlevoix County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Electronic Mortgage Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successor and/or assigns by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Thirty-One Thousand Two Hundred

including interest at 8% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the main lobby of Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix in Charlevoix County, Michigan at 11:00 a.m. on JUNE 13, 2008.

Twenty-Seven and 16/100

Dollars

(\$31,227.16)

Said premises are located in the Township of Melrose, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are

described as: The West 2 Acres of the following: the South onethird of the West one-half of the Northwest onequarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 13. Township 33 North, Range 5 West; except that part lying South of Springvale Road.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Notice Of Mortgage THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPT-ING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMA-TION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW

ed by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE

the conditions of a mortgage made by Roger L Betten a married man and Donna N Beeten aka Donna N Betten, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors assigns, Mortgagee, dated August 27, 2007, and recorded on January 4, 2008 in Liber 832 on Page 624, in Charlevoix county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Three Hundred Forty-Four Thousand One Hundred Fifty-Five And 09/100 Dollars (\$344,155.09), including interest at 6.75% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Charlevoix County, at 11:00 AM, on

Said premises are situated in City of Charlevoix, Charlevoix County, Michigan, described as: Parcel I: Commencing at an Iron Stake on the South

September 3, 1927: thence South 89 degrees 40 minutes 00 seconds East along said Dixon Avenue, as monumented 15.72 feet, being the point of commencing of this description; thence continuing south 89 degrees 40 minutes 00 seconds East along said Dixon Avenue 44.28 feet to a concrete monument: thence south 00 degrees 13 minutes 00 seconds West (recorded as south) 102.04 feet to an iron stake; thence North 89 degrees 40 minutes 00 seconds West 34.45 feet to an iron stake: thence North 03 degrees 13 minutes 25 second East 18.00

easement. across described

being а Government Range 8 West.

Dated: May 14, 2008

Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 File No. 362.3717

185.

\$66,270.

\$31,332.

\$ 51,701.

\$ 79,164.

\$ 19,197.

IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescind-

Default has been made in

June 6, 2008

line of Dixon Avenue which is 629.50 feet East

of the East line of Bridge

Street as existed prior to

feet; thence North 28 degrees 52 minutes 25 seconds West 24.48 feet; thence north 01 degrees 14 minutes 44 seconds East 62.70 feet to the point

of commencing; being a

part of Government Lot 2.

land:

section 26, town 34 north, range 8 west. Parcel II: (Easement Parcel). A non-exclusive easement for ingress and egress of pedestrians and motor vehicles, but without the right to park upon said t, over and the following Commencing at an iron stake on the south line of Dixon Avenue which is 629.50 feet East of the

East line of Bridge Street as existed prior to September 3, 1927; thence south 89 degrees 40 minutes 00 seconds East (recorded as East) along said South line of Dixon Avenue, 15,72 feet; thence South 01 degrees 14 minutes 44 seconds West 74.41 feet; thence north 89 degrees 40 minutes 00 Seconds West 14.38 feet to the west line of property recorded in deed at Liber 282, page 780, Charlevoix County Records; thence North 00 degrees 13 minutes 00 seconds East (recorded

as North) 74.40 feet to the point of commencing; part Section 26, town 34 North, Parcel III; (Easement Parcel). An exclusive easement for ingress and egress of pedestrians and motor vehicles, including the right of park upon

following described land; commencing at an iron stake on the south line of Dixon Avenue which is 629.50 feet east of the East line of Bridge Street as existed prior to September 3, 1927; thence South 89 degrees 40 minutes 00 seconds East along said avenue, as monumented 15.72 feet; thence south 01

same; over and across the

seconds West 82.40 feet. being the point of beginning of this description; thence south 28 degrees 52 minutes 25 seconds East 24.48 feet; thence south 03 degrees 13 minutes 25 seconds West 18.00 feet; thence north 89 degrees 40 minutes 00 seconds West 5.30 feet; thence north 03 degrees 09 minutes 50 seconds West 6.35 feet along a sidewalk; thence north 03 degrees 13 minutes 25 seconds East 6.47 feet; thence north 28 degrees 52 minutes 25 seconds West 17.00 feet; thence south 89 degrees 40 minutes 00 seconds East 2.43 feet; thence North 01 degrees 14 minutes 44 seconds East 11.71 feet to the point of beginning; being a part of Government Lot 2, section

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

26, town 34 north, Range

8 West.

Dated: May 7, 2008

For more information, please call: FC X 248.593.1302 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525 File #201430F01

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE 33RD CIRCUIT **COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX**

File No. 08-0108-22-CH

Hon. Richard M. Pajtas

SUBSTITUTED SERVICE

KLEVORN & KLEVORN Attorneys for Plaintiffs BY: Kevin G. Klevorn (P35531) 215 S. Lake St.

Boyne City, MI 49712 231-582-7911

BOYNE USA, Inc. (fka Boyne Mountain Lodge. Inc., a Michigan Corporation), **Plaintiff**

Edward J. Green and Georgia Green, Hattie Hunt, their heirs, successors or assigns, or anyone with an interest in a strip of the land on Deer Lake connected to parcels 002-008-017-00 and 002-018-019-00, a part of

Government Lot 4, Section 18, Town 32 North, Range 5 West, Boyne Valley Township, Charlevoix County, Michigan, Defendant.

Plaintiff has filed a Verified Complaint to Quiet Title and/or Reform a Deed, an action pending in the Circuit Court.

Defendants, their heirs, successors or assigns will be defaulted and the Title to a 13' strip of land on Deer Lake will be quieted in favor of Plaintiff and a Deed reformed to warrant good title to Plaintiff if Defendants do not file an Answer or take other action to the Plaintiff's Complaint by June 16,

This Order shall be published once each week for three consecutive weeks in a Charlevoix County and the newspaper Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department shall post a copy of this Order in Courthouse Charlevoix.

Dated: 5/6/08

Richard M. Pajtas (P18594) Circuit Judge

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPT-ING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMA-TION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE Jetauit nas deen made in the conditions of a mortigage made by Tracy M Turcott, AKA Tracy Turcott, and Perry J Matthew, AKA Perry Matthew, as joint tenants with right of survivorship, original mort-gagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated July 8, 2005, and recorded on July 15, 2005 in Liber 692 on Page 694, in Charlevoix county records Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Six Thousand: Seven Hundred Four And 20/100 Dollars (\$126,704.20), including interest at 10.85% per

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in: such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Charlevolx County, at 11:00 AM, on June 13, 2008.

Said premises are situated in Township of Hayes, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 9, Subdivision, Tunison according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 2 of Plats, Page 94, Charlevoix County Records

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: May 14, 2008

For more information, please call: FC X 248.593.1302 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills. Michigan 48334-2525 File #148680F02

That the Budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007 and ending June 30, 2008 shall be amended for operating the City of East Jordan. Ordinance #201 Budget Appropriations act of 2007-2008 is hereby amended as follows: Sec 1: Adoption of Budget **GENERAL FUND 101:** ADOPTED AMENDED Revenue: 675,000 Contributions/Donations \$2,000. \$3,500. (increase \$1,500.) \$25,036. (increase \$12,036.) 675.002 Grants Private Source \$14,000. 699.010 Fund Balance \$236139. \$207,052 (decrease 29,087) Expenditures: **GOVERNING BODY/COMMISSION DEPARTMENT 101:** \$15,000. \$12,915. (decrease \$2,085.) 910,000 Insurance **BUILDING & GROUNDS DEPARTMENT 265**: 910,000 Insurance \$15,900. \$9,900. (decrease \$6,000.) PARKS DEPARTMENT 751:

\$13,536. (increase \$13,536.)

\$9,385. (increase \$8,085.)

999.247 Transfer to TIFA Fund \$29,087. (increase 29,087.) **ORDINANCE #204** CITY OF EAST JORDAN

\$1,300.

FISCAL YEAR 2008/2009 ADOPTED BUDGET

CITY COMMISSION MEETING MAY 6, 2008

The City of East Jordan Hereby Ordains:

TRANSFERS OUT-CONTROL-DEPARTMENT 965:

Section 1: Adoption of Budget

975.003 Capital Outlay

931,000 M&R Building

CIVI C ENTER DEPARTMENT 758:

The Michigan Department of Treasury Uniform Budget Manual (August 2001) Section 16 Budget (General Appropriations Act) states a line item budget is not required therefore this budget is adopted as presented by the activity. The revenues and expenditures for the fiscal year commencing on July 1, 2008 and ending June 30, 2009 are hereby appropriated on a major organizational unit basis summarized as follows:

MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUND

PLANNED EXPENDITURES - GENERAL FUND	
Governing Body/Commission	\$ 29,745.
Administrator	
Elections	\$ 11,100.
Assessor	\$ 34,000.
Attorney/Counsel	\$ 26,404.
Clerk	
Board of Review	\$ 1.742.
Treasurer	\$106,942.
Data Processing/Computer Dept	\$ 20.015.
Building and Grounds	\$111.323.
Cemetery	
Police Department	
Fire Department	
Zoning Board/Commission	
Department of Public Works	\$ 164,497.
Airport	
Street Lighting	
Brownfield Redevelopment	
Recreation/Parks Department	
Community & Skate Parks Department	
Elm Pointe Recreation Facility	
Civic Center Recreational Facility	\$ 28,355.
Sidewalks	
Transfer Out Control	\$ 61.544.

Total General Fund Expenditures	\$1.671.815
ANTICIPATED REVENUE - GENERAL FUND	

Tax Collection Fees\$
 State Revenue
 \$ 270,000

 State Liquor Control
 \$ 3,000

 State Grant Others
 \$ 1,350
 Grants Private Source\$ Cable Franchise Fee......\$ 21,500. Permits......\$ Township Contracts\$ 46,200. Airport User Fees\$ 9,000. Cemetery Fees\$ Interest.....\$ 24,000 Rentals.....\$ 6.001. Rebates\$ 4.500 Miscellaneous......\$ 13,005. Operating Transfers In\$ 42,000 Sand Salt Reimbursement.....\$ 8,000 Sidewalk Receipts\$ 6,000. Sub Total General Fund Revenue\$1,671,992. Use of Funds on Hand (General Fund).....\$-0-

Total General Fund Revenue......\$1,671,992 MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUND

PLANNED EXPENDITURES - MAJOR STREET FUND Major Streets\$245,584. Total Major Street Fund Expenditures\$245,584. ANTICIPATED REVENUE - MAJOR STREET FUND

Total Major Street Fund Revenue\$245,584. MAJOR BUSINESS TYPE FUNDS EXPENSE REVENUE Ambulance Fund......\$546,639. \$565,800. Ambulance Fund Balance..... \$233.624 Harbor Fund......\$188,618. \$160,183 Harbor Fund Balance \$56,680.

Transfer Station Fund Balance \$140,823.

Tourist Park Fund Balance \$400,797. \$993,568 \$ 54,250. \$ 64,882. \$123,350. \$ 37,125. \$412,198

Sewer Fund Fund Balance \$539,733. \$2,596,995. \$566,023. Water Fund Fund Balance..... \$1,265,314. INTERNAL SERVICE FUND Equipment Fund\$468,809. \$469,450 Equipment Fund Fund Balance..... \$370,317

NON-MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

DEBT SERVICE FUNDS EXPENSE REVENUE 2002 Capital Improvement Bond Debt Fund..... \$13,598. 2002 Capital Imp. Bond Debt Fund Fund Balance 102. 1999 MI Transportation Debt Retirement Fund..... \$33,920. 1999 MI Transp.Debt Ret. Fund Fund Balance 104. 2001 MI Transportation Debt Retirement Fund...... \$22,790. 2001 MI Transp. Debt Ret. Fund Fund Balance 2007 GO Capital Improve. Bond Debt Fund \$12,095 \$12,095. 2007 GO Capital Improve. Bd Dt. Fund Balance \$ 1,737. 2007B GO Capital Improve. Bd. Dt. Fund......\$24,423. 2007B Go Capital Improve. Bd Dt. Fund Balance \$24,423. \$1,000.

CAPITAL PROJECT FUNDS **REVENUE EXPENSE** \$ 9.600. Bandshell Construction Fund\$ 9,150. Bandshell Fund Fund Balance \$6.407. \$ 15,004. Industrial Complex Const. Fund\$ 1,000. Industrial Complex Const. Fund Fund Balance Fire-EMS Bldg. Const. Fund\$5,000. \$5,000. Fire-EMS Bldg, Const, Fund Balance -0-

REVENUE FIDUCIANY FUND Perpetual Care Fund\$2,000. \$ 3,000. Perpetual Care Fund Fund Balance...... \$171,518. SPECIAL REVENUE FUND \$14,400.

Rehab I & II.....\$ 25,000. Local Streets Fund Balance

CITY OF EAST JORDAN DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY FISCAL YEAR 2008/2009 PROPOSED BUDGET

MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUND

Tifa Fund Tifa Fund Fund Balance	<u>EXPENSE</u> \$252,296,	REVENUE \$252,296. \$ 217.
CAPITAL PROJECT FUNDS Tifa Construction Fund Balance Tifa-MSHDA Project Fund Balance Tifa-MSHDA Project Fund Balance	\$640,000.	\$135,000. \$ -0- \$640,000. \$ -0-
NON-MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUND	3	
DEBT SERVICE FUNDS	EXPENSE	REVENUE
DEBT SERVICE FUNDS DDA 1997A Debt Retirement Fund DDA 1997A Debt Ret. Fund Fund Balan 1998 DDA Debt Retirement Fund 1998 DDA Debt Ret. Fund Fund Balan 2003A DDA Bond Debt Fund 2003A DDA Bond Debt Fund Fund Bala 2004 DDA M-66 Bike Path Bond Debt Fund	\$ 79,525. ce \$ 74,494. e \$ 29,765. ince	REVENUE \$ 79,525 \$ 98. \$ 74,494. \$ 100. \$ 29,765. \$ 99. \$ 12,925.

2004 DDA M-66 Bike Path Bd Dt Fund Fd Balance Section 2: Millage Levy to Support Budget

General Operations:

Fire Equipment:

The Property Tax Millage Rate to support the 2008/2009 budget will be 18.2401 mills or less, subject to Michigan State Tax Statutes and will be levied as follows:

Section 3: User Fee Increases Over Prior Year to Support Budget (effective 07/01/08 unless noted otherwise)

17.7953 mills (or less)

.4448 mills (or less)

Water OM &R (all users)\$2.87/100 c.f. \$2.92/100 c.f. Debt Retirement......\$1.60/100 c.f. \$1.55/100 c.f. Sewer OM & R......\$3.85/100 c.f. \$3.95/100 c.f. Sewer Debt.....\$.71/100 c.f. \$.72/100 c.f.

All other current rates are to remain the same.

AYES: POSTMA, KLOOSTER, SYMONDS AND BENNETT

NAYS: MOES, TIMMONS AND FISHER

ABSENT: NONE ADOPTED: 05-06-08

PUBLISHED: 05-21-08

EFFECTIVE: 05-28-08

ATTN

PURCHASERS:

This sale may be rescind-

ed by the foreclosing mort-

gagee. In that event, your

damages, if any, shall be

limited solely to the return

of the bid amount ten-

dered at sale, plus inter-

Default has been made in

the conditions of a mort-

gage made by Seth G. Howie and Kelly M. Howie,

Husband and Wife, origi-

Mortgagee, dated July 26,

2004, and recorded on

August 9, 2004 in Liber

630 on Page 618, in

Charlevoix county records,

Michigan, and assigned by

mesne assignments to

Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.,

for the Benefit of the

Certificateholders of Asset

Backed Pass Through

Certificates Series 2004-

MCW1 as assignee, on

which mortgage there is

claimed to be due at the

date hereof the sum of

Hundred

Thousand Three Hundred

Thirty-Four And 37/100

Under the power of sale

contained in said mort-

gage and the statute in

such case made and pro-

vided, notice is hereby

given that said mortgage

will be foreclosed by a sale

of the mortgaged premis-

es, or some part of them,

at public vendue, at the

place of holding the circuit

court within Charlevoix

County, at 11:00 AM, on

Said premises are situ-

ated in Township of

County, Michigan, and are

Commencing at a 1 Inch

Pipe at the Southeast cor-

ner of Section 24, Town 32

North, Range 6 West;

thence South 86 Degrees

27 Minutes 01 Seconds

West 1,339.82 Feet along

the South line of Said

Section to a 1/2 inch Rod;

thence North 29 Degrees

32 Minutes 48 Seconds

East 1315.63 Feet to a 1/2

inch Rod, being the Point

of Beginning of this

description: thence North

60 Degrees 27 Minutes 45

Seconds West 1488,29

Feet to a 1/2 inch rod on

the Southeasterly line of

Boyne City-East Jordan

Road; thence North 44

Degrees 32 Minutes 01

Seconds East 300.00 Feet

along said Road line to a

1/2 inch Rod; thence leav-

ing said Road line south

61 Degrees 23 Minutes 45

Seconds East 1410.90

Feet to a 1/2 inch Rod;

thence South 29 Degrees

32 Minutes 48 Seconds

West 313.00 Feet to a

Point of Beginning: being a

part of the Southeast 1/4

Charlevoix

June 20, 2008.

Wilson.

described

11.35% per annum.

(\$102,334.37),

interest

to

Mortgage

nal mortgagor(s),

Argent

One

Dollars

including

Company,

MORTGAGE SALE

Public Notices

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPT-ING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMA-TION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

ATTN **PURCHASERS:** This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Gregory T Cary and Lynn Anne Cary, Husband and wife, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated April 27, 2006, and recorded on May 3, 2006 in Liber 744 on Page 391, in Charlevoix county records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to HSBC Bank UŠA, N.A., Trustee on behalf of ACE Securities Corp. Home Equity Loan Trust and for the registered holders of Securities Corp. ACE Home Equity Loan Trust. Series 2006-HE4, Asset Backed Pass-Through Certificates as assignee, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Sixty-Two Thousand One Hundred Fifty-Six And 66/100 (\$162,156,66) Dollars including interest at 9.95% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Charlevoix County, at 11:00 AM, on June 13, 2008.

Said premises are situated in Township of St James, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and described as: Lots 611 and 612, plat of Port St. James No. 8, as recorded in Liber 2 of plats, Page 179, Charlevoix County Records

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless

determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: May 14, 2008

For more information, please call: FC J 248.593.1311 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525 File #133609F02

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPT-ING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMA-TION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU 'ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

MORTGAGE SALE Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Phillip R. Chipman, a married man, Citizens Bank. Mortgagee, dated March 28, 2001 and recorded April 5, 2001 in Liber 413, 732, Charlevoix County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Chase Home Finance, LLC, successor by merger to Chase Manhattan Corporation, Mortgage successor by merger with Mortgage Company, an Corporation by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Sixty-Five and 94/100 Dollars (\$128,565.94) including interest at 7.125% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them. at public vendue at the main lobby of Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix in Charlevoix County, Michigan at 11:00 a.m. on MAY 30, 2008.

Said premises are located in the Township of South Arm, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing at the South stake of one-quarter Section 26, Town 32 North, Range 7 West; thence North 255 feet, West 170.8 feet thence thence South 255 feet thence East 170.8 feet to the point of beginning. Being a part of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter

of Section 26.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Dated: April 30, 2008

Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 2485021499 File No. 310.2703

Notice Of Mortgage

Foreclosure Sale THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPT-TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMA-TION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PLEASE PURPOSE. CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

MORTGAGE SALE Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Vi Keller Forreider, a married and Scott Forreider, her husband, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems. Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns. Mortgagee, dated October 28, 2005, and recorded on November 3, 2005 in Liber 714 on Page 191, in Charlevoix county records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to EMC Mortgage Corporation as assignee, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Forty-One Thousand Four

Hundred Ninety-One And **Dollars** 82/100 (\$141,491.82), including interest at 10.09% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Charlevoix County, at 11:00 AM, on May 30, 2008. Said premises are situ-

ated in Township of Charlevoix, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described Commencing at the West 1/4 corner of Section 34. Town 34 North, Range 8 West, thence Easterly along the East and West 1/4 line of said Section, 100 feet, being the point of beginning of this description; thence continuing Easterly along said 1/4 line 100 feet; thence Southerly parallel with the West line of said Section 538.88 feet to an Iron Stake on fence line. thence Westerly along said fence line 100.35 feet to an Iron Stake, thence Northerly, parallel with said West Section line, 532.51 feet to the point of beginning, being a part of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 34, Town 34 North, Range

8 West. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: April 30, 2008

For more information, please call: FC D 248.593.1309 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525 File #200016F01

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

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> of Section 24, Town 32 North, Range 6 West. The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such

Dated: May 21, 2008

For more information, please call: FC X 248.593.1302 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525 File #062081F02

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ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

MORTGAGE SALE

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Judy L. Lang and Frederick D. Lang, wife and husband, original mortgagor(s), to Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., Mortgagee, dated July 6, 2006, and recorded on July 12, 2006 in Liber 755 Page 608, Charlevoix county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Thirty-Three Thousand Forty-Nine And 23/100 (\$233,049.23), Dollars

including interest 8.625% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Charlevoix County, at 11:00 AM, on June 6, 2008. Said premises are situ-

ated in Township of South Arm, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and described Commencing at a point 1165.9 feet South of the East 1/4 post of Section 25, Township 32 North Range 7 West; thence West 270 feet to the Point of Beginning of this description; thence West 110 feet; thence South to waters edge of Lake Patricia; thence Easterly along said waters edge to a point directly South of the point of beginning; thence North to point of beginning; being a part of East 1/2 of Southeast 1/4 of said Section 25, Town 32 North, Range 7 West.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale

Dated: May 7, 2008

For more information, please call: FC D 248.593.1309 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525 File #170013F03

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MORTGAGE SALE Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Robert Musser and Brenda Musser, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated May 4, 2004 and recorded May 11, 2004 in Liber 613. Page 692, Charlevoix County Records, Michigan. There claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Two Thousand Nine Hundred Fifteen and Dollars 43/100 (\$72,915.43) including interest at 5.625% per

annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the main lobby of Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix in Charlevoix County, Michigan at 11:00 a.m. on JUNE 20, 2008.

Said premises are locat-

ed in the City of East Jordan. Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit Number 1, Wilson Estates, Street Condominium according to the Master deed thereof as Recorded in Liber 388, Pages 684 through 746, Charlevoix County Records, and designated as Charlevoix County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 104; together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in the above Master Deed, and as described in Act 59 of the

amended. Said property contains a 1999 Fleetwood Mobile Home with Serial Number INFLX5506485BA13 as stated in Affidavit of Affixture of Manufactured Home recorded 06/10/2004 in Liber 619

Public Acts of 1978, as

age 1. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid

amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Dated: May 21, 2008

Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 File No. 362.3754

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MORTGAGE SALE

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Timothy Okerblom and Alice Okerblom, husband and wife, to Unicor Mortgage, Inc., Mortgagee, dated January 23, 1998 and recorded January 30, 1998 in Liber 330, Page 795, Charlevoix County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by EMC Mortgage Corporation by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety-Two and 96/100

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the main lobby of Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix in Charlevoix County, Michigan at 11:00

including interest at 12.4%

(\$12,792.96)

Dollars

per annum.

Said premises are located in the Township of Marion, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as:

a.m. on JUNE 20, 2008.

A part of the South onehalf of the Northeast oneguarter of Section 27. Town 33 North, Range 8 described West. as: the Beginning at Northeast corner of said South one-half of the Northeast one-quarter; thence Southerly along the East line of said Section 27 which is also the centerline of Marion Center Fload 310.00 feet; thence Westerly parallel with the North one-eighth line of said Section 27, 455.0 feet; Northerly parallel with the said East Section line 310.0 feet to the North one-eighth line of said thence Section 27; Easterly along said North one-eighth line 455.0 feet to the point of beginning. Mobile/Manufactured Home description: 1983 Townhouse Mobilehome 67 X 24 Serial No. 3794K. Borrower, being the true and lawful owner of record of the mobile home being mortgaged with the property, declares that it is Borrower's intent that the mobile home lose its nature as personality and become realty. Borrower further declares that the mobile home shall permanently remain attached as a part of the

be removed therefrom. The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such TO ALL PUR-CHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter-

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Dated: May 21, 2008

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> **Notice Of Mortgage** Foreclosure Sale

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PURCHASERS: ATTN This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interMORTGAGE SALE -Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Anne Marie Robbins Russell and Jack Milton Russell, wife and husband, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors assigns, Mortgagee, dated November 22, 2005, and recorded on December 6, 2005 in Liber 720 on Page 313, in Charlevoix county records, Michigan, and assigned by said assigned by said Mortgagee to US Bank National Association as Trustee as assignee, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Eighteen Thousand Four Hundred Eighteen And 84/100 Dollars (\$218,418.84), including interest 9.875% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Charlevoix County, at 11:00 AM, on June 13, 2008. Said premises are situ-

ated in City of Charlevoix,

County,

Charlevoix

and Michigan. are described as: Commencing at a point on the East line of section 27, town 34 North, Range 8 West, which is 20 rods south of the Northeast corner of the South 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of section 27; thence North on the section 120 feet; thence West 18 rods, thence south 120 feet; thence East 18 rods to the place of beginning, being a part of the south 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of section 27, town 34 North, Range 8 West, Except beginning at a point on the East line of section 27, town 34 North, Range 8 west which is 20 rods south of the Northeast corner of the south 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of said section;thence west parallel with the south 1/8 line of said section, 18 rods; thence north parallel with said East section line 15 feet; thence East parallel with said South 1/8 line 18 rods to said section line; thence South along said section line and along the centerline of State Street, 15 feet to the point of beginning; being a part of the South 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of section 27, town 34 North, Range 8 West.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: May 14, 2008

For more information, please call: FC D 248,593,1309 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills Michigan 48334-2525 File #201633F01

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT **COUNTY OF** CHARLEVOIX

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Decedent's Estate

> FILE NO. 08-011218-DE

Estate of Rita J. Moody, deceased Date of birth: 05/26/1928

TO ALL CREDITORS:* NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Rita J. Moody, who lived at 701 Spring Street, Boyne City, Michigan died 01/31/2008.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Stephanie J. Moody, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at Charlevoix County Bldg., 301 State Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720 and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date: 05/21/2008

Stephanie J. Moody 09773 Ferry Road East Jordan, MI 49727 (231) 547-4827 Robert A. Banner

P44709 213 South Lake Street Boyne City, MI 49712 (231) 582-1710

ENTITLED WATERFRONT ZONING DISTRICT

ORDINANCE #205

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 13 OF THE

The City of East Jordan Ordains:

Section 13.01. Purpose.

The waterfront district recognizes the unique nature of waterfront property and the relationship of that property to the city as a whole. Land use within the waterfront district should enhance the economic, social and recreational opportunities for the residents of the city and for visitors. The scale of structures in density should be maintained to prevent the view being obscured and allow for pedestrian access throughout the district from the city, so that automotive, pedestrian and visual access to the waterfront can be made available to the public wherever possible. The permitted principal, special and accessory uses in this district should relate to the establishment of a waterfront atmosphere and character of development of buildings and landscapes

Section 13.02. Permitted principal uses.

Antique shops

Art merchandising studios and craft shops.

Banks, credit unions, savings and loan associations. Barber and beauty shops. Bicycle stores.

Boat or yacht clubs and related facilities. Candy/confectionery shops. Clothing shops. Condominium residential projects.

Delicatessens Drug stores. Florists.

Gift and novelty shops. Harbormaster and harbor management facilities.

Ice cream stores Interior decorator shops. Jewelry stores. Marinas and related facilities for recreational boating, including boat rentals, boat cruises, boat and sales

equipment, boat maintenance and repair. Motels. Music stores. Novelty and souvenir shops. Optical goods stores.

Parks, beaches and water related sports facilities. Pedestrian walkways and promenades. Photographic equipment, supply and studios. Professional health care services on second floor.

Public buildings Recreational fishing facilities, including private and charter fishing boats, fishing equipment and bait sales. Restaurants.

Single-family residences, provided that all dimensional requirements of the R-1 zoning district, (sections 5.02 and 5.06) are met.

Video equipment sales, rentals and service stores. (Res. of 11-20-90; Res. No. 106/1993, 3-2-93)

Section 13.03. Prohibited principal and accessory Amusement parks, miniature golf courses and circus type facilities and activities Commercial fishing including bulk handling, processing,

storage and wholesale sales of fish and fish products. Section 13.04. Permitted principal special uses

with conditions.

Offices and dwelling units are permitted. Motel rooms may be used as dwelling units for nine months in any 12-month period. (Ord. No. 142G, § 8,

Drive-in retail and service establishments in accordance with the provisions of article XVII, "Special Uses"

Section 13.05. Permitted accessory uses.

Normal accessory uses to all "permitted principal uses." Normal accessory uses to all "permitted principal spe-

Section 13.06. Dimensional requirements, except as otherwise specified in this ordinance.

Lot area: No minimum lot area required. Lot width: The minimum lot width at the building setback line shall be 40 feet.

Lot coverage: Maximum of 75 percent. Yard and setback requirements: 1. Street front yard: The minimum required front yard

setback from the street right-of-way line shall be 30 feet 2. Waterfront yard: The minimum required waterfront yard setback from the established shoreline shall be 50

3. Side yards: The minimum required side yards shall be ten feet on each side of the principal structure except when adjacent to a residential lot, parcel or district 20 feet shall be required. No side yards shall be required when adjacent commercial uses are constructed on the property line and are attached by a

common wall. 4. Rear yard: The minimum required rear yard shall be 25 feet, except when adjacent to a residential lot

parcel or district 40 feet shall be required. E. Height limitations: Maximum of three stories or 35 feet, except that detached accessory structures shall not exceed 15 feet.

Width and length limitations: The purpose of limiting width and length of structures is to maintain a small community character and scale while still permitting reasonable development as well as preserving the view of Lake Charlevoix to the extent possible from inland areas, buildings and structures.

1. Width--Maximum of 60 feet. 2. Length--Maximum of 100 feet.

Section 13.07. Site development requirements.

A. The outdoor storage of goods, materials, trash and garbage is not permitted, except as provided in section 19.19.

B. Off-street parking requirements shall be in accordance with article XX.

Roll Call Vote:

AYES: MOES, KLOOSTER, TIMMONS, FISHER, SYMONDS, POSTMA AND BENNETT

NAYS: NONE

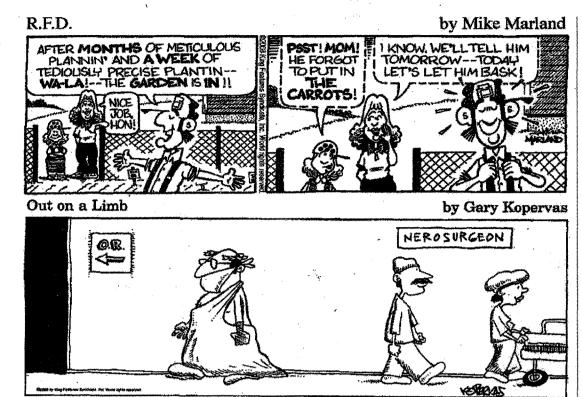
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TOP DVD RENTALS AND SALES

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Predator: Requiem(R)
Steven Pasquale (Fox)
5. There Will Be Blood(R)
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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

 On May 30, 1593, playwright Christopher Marlowe, 29, is killed.
 Marlowe had been arrested when "heretical" papers were found in his room. While out on bail, Marlowe became involved in a fight over a tavern bill and was stabbed to death.

· On May 31, 1859, in London the famous tower clock known as Big Ben rings out for the first time. Many claim the clock was named after the famously long-winded commissioner of works Sir Benjamin Hall. Another story argues that the bell was named for the popular heavyweight boxer Ben-jamin Caunt.

· On May 26, 1897, the first copies of the classic vampire novel "Dracu-la," by Irish writer Bram Stoker, appear in London bookshops. Dracula is the story of a vampire who makes his way from Transylvania to England, and preys on innocents there to get the blood he needs to live.

• On May 29, 1903, film, TV, and radio star Bob Hope is born Leslie Townes Hope in Eltham, England. After careers in vaudeville and radio, Hope's career as a film actor made him one of the most highly paid entertainers in Hollywood.

On May 27, 1941, the German battleship Bismarck sinks in the North Atlantic near France. Three days earlier the British navy engaged the Bismarck in a ferocious battle. The Bismarck sank the battle cruiser Hood and escaped, but was leaking fuel and crippled when British warships fin-ished her off.

• On May 28, 1957, National League owners vote unanimously to allow the New York Giants and Brooklyn Dodgers to move to San Francisco and Los Angeles, respectively. In 2000, the two teams faced off in the World Series, the first "subway series" since the Dodgers and the Yankees met in

• On June 1, 1980, CNN (Cable News Network), the world's first 24-hour television news network, makes its debut. In its first years of operation, CNN lost money and was ridiculed as the Chicken Noodle Network.



ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Lots of possibilities begin to open up by midweek. Some seem more appealing than others. But wait for more facts to emerge later on before you consider which to choose.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Bravo to the determined Bovine. While others might give up, you continue to search for answers. Expect your Taurean tenacity to begin paying off by week's end.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You might want to consider stepping back from the task at hand for a while. This could help you get a better perspective on what you've done and what still needs to be done.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Your keen Cancerian insight should help you determine whether a new offer is solid or just more fluff 'n' stuff. The clues are all there waiting for you to find them.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Being ignored is difficult for any proud Leo or Leona. But pushing yourself back into the spotlight might be unwise. Instead, let things work themselves out at their own pace.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Trying to uncover a colleague's secret under the pretext of showing concern is ill-advised. Control your curiosity to avoid raising resentment

in the workplace.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Expect to hear good news about a loved one. Also, be prepared for some changes in several family relationships that could develop from this lucky turn of events. SCORPIO (October 23 to Novem-

ber 21) Some surprises are expected to accompany a number of changes that will continue through part of next week. At least one could involve a romantic situation. SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to

December 21) You might be upset by some of your critics. But most of your associates continue to have faith in your ability to get the job done, and done well.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A workplace goal that suddenly seems out of reach is no problem for the sure-footed Goat, who moves steadily forward despite any obstacles placed in his or her way.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Uncertainty about who is right and who isn't might keep you from making a clear-cut decision. Wait until you know more about what you're being asked to decide.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Be careful to keep your emotions in check when dealing with a demanding personal situation. You need to set an example of strength for others to fol-

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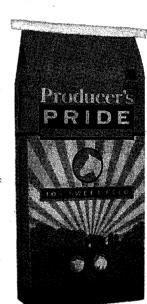
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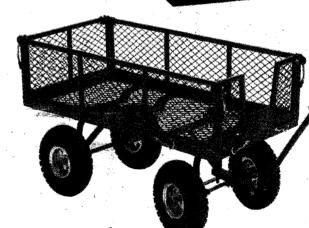
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