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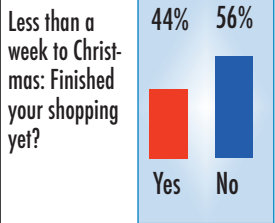
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Charles 'Lindy' Cyrus  
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Marjorie Buckoski

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## BOE member questions library choice

**By KEVIN HOWELL**  
Staff Writer

The school board Thursday night tabled the appointment of a Leetonia library board member to discuss in more detail the appointment process.

The board agenda called for the re-appointment of Will Lutz to another seven-year term on the library board, but school board President Kurt Jennings asked the issue to be tabled in order to determine how the library board members are selected. The school board acts as fiscal agent for the library and must approve appointments to the library board.

“Since the school has jurisdiction over the (library) board, we shouldn’t just be rubber stamping (appointments),” he said.

Schools Superintendent Rob Mehno noted that per legal counsel,

► LEETONIA

there is no formal procedure for selecting library board members and the school board only has the option of approving or disapproving the appointments presented by the library director.

Jennings emphasized that the tabling of the issue is not a reflection on Lutz, but an attempt to ensure the positions on the library board are being offered to all taxpayers if needed.

In other business the board approved Emily Schneider, Derek Bell and Mitchell Baker as winter sports workers for the 2013-2014 season; Amy Gibson as a volunteer for the remainder of the school year; and Wallace Myers Jr. as a volunteer wrestling coach for the remainder of

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**Leetonia BOE President Karl Jennings**

the school year. The board also granted supplemental contracts to Bob Wiery, softball, and Ron Voituis, seventh-grade track; and accepted the resignation of William Altenhof for the assistant weightroom position.

The board also accepted donations of \$100 for the Girls Basketball Supplemental Fund from the Washingtonville VFW and a total of \$1,700 for the baseball/softball scoreboard project from the Washingtonville VFW, Rulli Bros., Louis and Diane Raneri and Butech Bliss.

Also at the meeting 1983 alumnus

Shawn Smith expressed displeasure with the state of the athletic department, noting that the sports programs were performing at a high level and school spirit was strong when he was in school. After spending time out of state, he said he returned to a poor program that he feels is being ruined by politics.

He implored the board to seek a change, stating that until the athletic department changes, the school will no longer be Leetonia High School. He also criticized the availability of some board members.

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## Children treated for rabies exposure

**By MARY ANN GREIER**  
Staff Writer

In an update regarding a recent bat incident with a 12-month-old boy, Salem City Health Commissioner Richard Setty said he was told by the family’s physician that the child and his siblings are receiving treatment.

Setty said Thursday that he learned the children are receiving the post-rabies exposure medication through Akron Children’s Hospital in Akron, which he called good news.

He had told city health board members about the situation during their meeting Wednesday. The health department was trying to find some help for the family to receive the needed treatment since there was no way to test the bat to see if it was rabid or not.

He noted that they at least received some good information out of the situation. He learned that the manufacturers have an assistance program for people who may not be able to afford the cost of the necessary treatment for a possible rabies exposure.

The incident occurred in a rental home in the city on Nov. 12. Setty said that apparently two cats inside the home caught a bat and tore it apart, leaving pieces on the kitchen floor. The pieces were found and the 12-month-old boy had been taken to the living room and put on the floor to play. The mother noticed he had something in his mouth that he then spit out. It was described as “a small hairy ball with little tiny teeth in it.”

The mother called poison control, then took the child to the emergency room and eventually her family physician.

The health department wasn’t notified about the possible exposure until Nov. 27, according to Setty.

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### A decade of celebration

New Year’s Eve Salem Committee member Connie Cranmer, center, shows off the winning design for this year’s New Year’s Eve Salem poster, flanked by the winning artist, Salem High School freshman Mary Double, left, who is an art student in Tony Martinelli’s class, and the runner up, SHS senior Anna Wyss, who is an art student in Lisa Frederick’s class. The poster contest was open to all SHS students. The winning design shows a clock with the downtown skyline behind it. Advance tickets will remain on sale for \$5 per person through Tuesday, with the price jumping to \$8 from Christmas Day through New Year’s Eve at the door. Tickets are available at all Salem area banks, Salem Giant Eagle, Salem Community Center and Salem Area Chamber of Commerce. Check the website at [www.newyear-sevesalem.com](http://www.newyear-sevesalem.com) for the event schedule. (Submitted photo)

## Fairfield trustees hold off on rail crossing decision

**By MARY ANN GREIER**  
Staff Writer

FAIRFIELD TWP. — Township trustees won’t vote on whether to close the Esterly Drive railroad crossing until their second meeting in January, set for 7 p.m. Jan. 23, due in part to a required 14-day comment period.

“The parameters have all been met up to this point,” Trustee Barry Miner said.

He explained they had the recent public hearing and now the comment period must be observed, per the guidelines of the Ohio Rail Development Commission. Even if no one had shown up for the public hearing, which was well-attended last week, there would still be a 14-day comment period.

Trustee Chairman Bob Hum

started the meeting Thursday night by saying he thought they were going to take action on the Buckeye Transfer Realty request regarding the closing of the railroad crossing.

However, he said he had two conversations with a representative of Norfolk Southern during the day and there was also the 14-day review period, which wasn’t over yet.

“It would be in everyone’s best interest that we not take action tonight,” he said.

Hum said he also spoke to Catherine Stout of the ORDC and she suggested they delay the vote until the second meeting in January so any final details could be worked out.

“Did ORDC request the 14 days?” attorney Mark Hutson asked, with Hum saying it was part of the procedure.

Hutson, part of the legal team for

Buckeye Transfer, asked if there was anything they could do or anything more they could offer, but Hum said not at this time. Buckeye Transfer wants the crossing closed because it would benefit from a closed-loop rail inside its 90-acre facility if the crossing closed.

Several people had come to speak about the proposed closing, but most had no comment when they learned no decision would be made yet.

Mary Ann Ossoff, who with her husband Ted owns the Valley Golf Club off of Esterly and Cherry Fork Road, said she was there because she’s a concerned citizen of the township and keeps abreast of what’s going on. They’ve gone on record against the closure.

“I’m very concerned and worried about what can happen with safety.

I’m still concerned with my business,” she said. “Whatever happens in the township affects me personally and affects our business personally.”

During the public hearing, the Ossoffs expressed concern with the intersection of Esterly Drive and state Route 344, saying it was already unsafe.

In other business, the trustees approved a road use management agreement (RUMA) with Cardinal Gas Services, working with Access Midstream, for use of Crestview Road from state Route 164 to the Salem Township line. Access Midstream Specialist Scott Hrivnak explained that the roadway work had already been done previously by Chesapeake and this was just giving

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**Choir performs tonight**  
The choir of Allegheny Wesleyan College will be presenting “The Sounds of His Love” at 7 p.m. tonight at United Local High School. The public is invited to attend. The school is located on state Route 9. (Submitted photo)

Good morning Walter Leibhart. Thank you for subscribing to the Salem News.

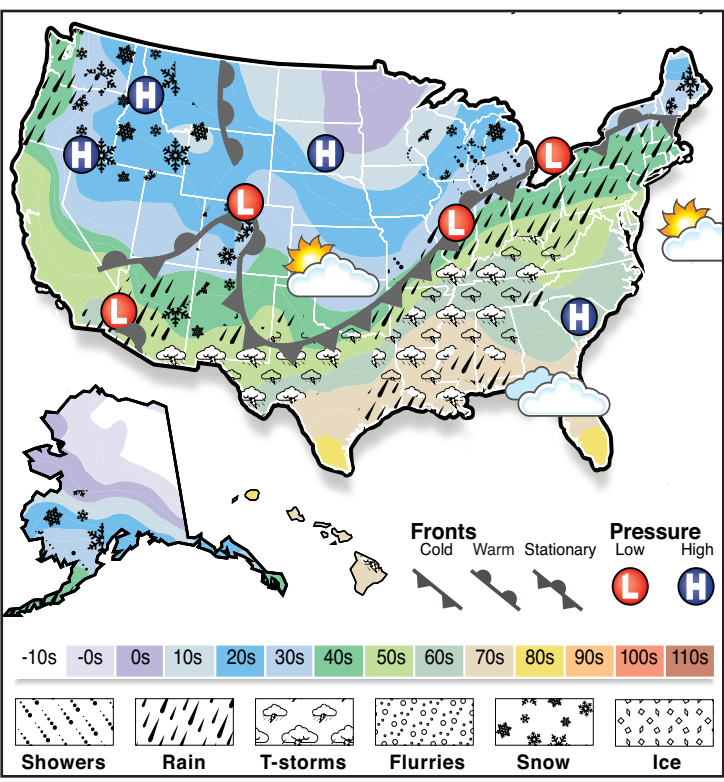


WEATHER

THE FORECAST

**AREA:** Today...Occasional rain. Highs in the upper 40s. Tonight...Occasional rain. Lows in the mid 40s. Saturday...Rain. Highs in the lower 50s. Saturday night...Rain. Rain may be heavy at times. Lows around 50. Sunday...Rain likely. Breezy with highs in the upper 50s. Temperature falling into the lower 50s in the afternoon. Sunday night...Mostly cloudy with a chance of rain and snow showers. Much cooler with lows around 30. Monday...Partly sunny with a chance of snow showers. Much cooler with highs in the mid 30s. Monday night...Mostly cloudy. Cooler with lows around 20. Tuesday...Partly sunny. Highs in the lower 30s. Tuesday night...Partly cloudy with a chance of flurries. Lows around 20. Christmas Day...Partly sunny. Highs in the mid 30s. Wednesday night...Mostly cloudy with a chance of snow showers. Lows in the mid 20s. Thursday...Cloudy with a chance of snow showers. Highs in the mid 30s.

**CLEVELAND:** Today...Occasional rain. Highs in the upper 40s. Tonight...Occasional rain. Lows around 40. Saturday...Rain. Highs in the mid 40s. Saturday night...Rain. Rain may be heavy at times. Lows in the mid 40s. Sunday...Rain. Breezy and warmer with highs in the mid 50s. Temperature falling into the mid 40s in the afternoon. Chance of rain near 100 percent. Sunday night...Mostly cloudy with a chance of rain and snow showers. Breezy and much cooler with lows in the upper 20s. Monday...Partly sunny with a chance of snow showers. Much cooler with highs in the lower 30s. Monday night...Mostly cloudy. Lows around 20. Tuesday...Partly sunny with a chance of snow showers. Highs in the upper 20s. Tuesday night...Partly cloudy with a chance of flurries. Lows in the lower 20s.



Today's Forecast

Forecast for Friday, Dec. 20

| City/Region | High   Low temps |
|-------------|------------------|
| Toledo      | 42°   34°        |
| Cleveland   | 45°   36°        |
| Youngstown  | 45°   35°        |
| Mansfield   | 46°   37°        |
| Dayton      | 50°   37°        |
| Columbus    | 49°   37°        |
| Cincinnati  | 58°   43°        |
| Portsmouth  | 61°   43°        |

Cloudy, Showers, Thunderstorms, Rain, Flurries, Snow, Ice

Extended Forecast

| Today | Saturday | Sunday | Monday |
|-------|----------|--------|--------|
| 48/44 | 53/50    | 58/30  | 35/20  |

**Over 75 injured as ceiling of London theater partially collapses on packed audience**

LONDON (AP) — Hunks of plaster and dust rained down on a packed audience when the ceiling of a London theater partially collapsed Thursday night. More than 75 people were injured — seven seriously, authorities said.

The collapse at the Apollo Theatre took place around 8:15 p.m. during a performance of “The Curious Incident Of The Dog In The Night-Time” at the height of the Christmas holiday season. Plaster and masonry from a section of the ceiling tumbled down, bringing parts of the theater’s balconies down with it onto the audience, police said.

More than 700 people were in the theater at the time, according to the London Fire

Brigade.

Officials said most of the injured were “walking wounded” with upper-body injuries, and that all are conscious and breathing.

Police and fire officials said it was too soon to say what had caused the partial collapse of the ceiling, but that a full investigation is being carried out.

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**In sharp shift, NSA surveillance debate is turning in favor of those seeking limits**

WASHINGTON (AP) — In a sharp and unexpected shift, the national debate over U.S. government surveillance seems to be turning in favor of reining in the National Security Agency’s expansive spying powers at home and abroad.

It’s happened suddenly, over a span of just three days. First, a federal judge ruled that the NSA’s bulk collection of telephone records was unconstitutional, and then a presidential advisory panel recommended sweeping changes to the agency. Together, the developments are ratcheting up the pressure on President Barack Obama to scale back the controversial surveillance programs.

Even Russian President Vladimir Putin chimed in on Thursday. He said U.S. surveillance efforts are necessary to fight terrorism and “not a cause for repentance,” but he, too, said they should be limited by clear rules.

Obama is in no way obligated to make substantial changes. And, countering the public criticism he faces, he hears internal appeals from intelligence officials who insist the collection of phone and Internet data is necessary to protect the U.S. from terror attacks.

But even that argument has been undermined in the course of an extraordinary week. Federal Judge Richard Leon said in a ruling on Monday — its effect stayed, pending appeal — that even if the phone data collection is constitutional, there is little evidence that it has prevented terror attacks. The intelligence advisory panel, which had access to significant amounts of classified information and counted as a member a former acting director of the CIA, came to the same conclusion in its 300-page report.

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**Fired US nuke general allegedly engaged in alcohol-fueled ‘inappropriate behavior’**

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Air Force general who was fired from command of U.S. land-based nuclear missile forces had engaged in “inappropriate behavior” while on official business in Russia last summer, including heavy drinking, rudeness to his hosts and associating with “suspect” women, according to an investigation report released Thursday.

The events that led to the dismissal took place while Maj. Gen. Michael Carey was in Russia in July as head of a U.S. government delegation to a nuclear security training exercise. At the time, he was commander of the 20th Air Force, responsible for all 450 of the

Air Force’s Minuteman 3 intercontinental ballistic missiles stationed in five U.S. states.

When Carey was relieved of command in October, the Air Force said he had engaged in unspecified misbehavior while on a business trip, but it did not say the episode was in Russia, nor did it indicate the specific allegations against him.

Carey’s firing was one of several setbacks for the nuclear force this year. The Associated Press has documented serious security lapses and complaints of low morale and “rot” within the force, as well as an independent assessment of “burnout” among a sampling of nuclear missile launch officers and security forces.

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**Pakistan protests may make US fly war cargo out**

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. officials, frustrated that hundreds of military shipments heading out of Afghanistan have been stopped on the land route through Pakistan because of anti-American protests, face the possibility of flying out equipment at an additional cost of \$1 billion.

More than a week after Pakistani officials promised Defense Secretary Chuck Hagel that they would take “immediate action” to resolve the problem, dozens of protesters are still gathering on the busy overland route, posing a security threat to convoys carrying U.S. military equipment out of the war zone before combat ends a year from now.

U.S. officials said Wednesday they have seen no effort by the Pakistanis to stop the protests, which prompted the U.S. three weeks ago to halt NATO cargo shipments going through the Torkham border crossing and toward the port city of Karachi.

A Pakistani official says the government is looking for a peaceful settlement but notes that citizens have the right to protest as long as they are not violent.

The U.S. officials, speaking on condition of anonymity because they were not authorized to speak publicly about the planning, said flying the military equipment out of Afghanistan to a port will cost five to seven times as much as it does to truck it through Pakistan. About a hundred trucks are stacked up at the border, and hundreds more are loaded and stalled in compounds, waiting to leave Afghanistan.

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them the okay to use the road to get to the Hartz wellsite on Crestview Road. Columbiana County Engineer Bert Dawson had already signed off on the RUMA, along with the prosecutor’s office.

Hrivnak said the company is running a gathering line from the Hartz wellsite which will be an extension of the gathering line project in Salem Township and eventually flow to the Kensington gas processing plant. No boring will take place on Crestview Road, but in Salem Township, the line will cross Leetonia Road south of the Oakdale Cemetery. The pipeline is running across private property along secured easements.

The trustees took no action on a driveway permit he also requested so they will have their own access drive to the wellsite property.

Road Supervisor Mel Miller reported the road crews have been busy with snow on the roads on 11 out of the last 14 days. He said the new snow plow had been delivered and he was making some adjustments and replaced two cutting edges on two trucks. New tires were installed on the loader and 94 tons of salt were delivered. He said they’ve been mixing in some ash as needed.

Zoning Inspector Kym Seabolt announced to the public in attendance that the township is looking for a volunteer to serve on the zoning commission as an alternate.

“It’s a great way to get involved in the township. We would love to have your volunteerism,” she said.

Anyone interested should send a letter to Fairfield Township, Attention Zoning Inspector, 3062 Fairfield School Road, Columbiana, Ohio 44408.

She also reported she checked on the cost for getting Comcast internet into the township building and was shocked to learn it would cost \$10,641, with the company willing to cover at least \$3,500. She said they would have to run the line down from Apples Way. She’s going to check with AT&T, their current DSL carrier, to see if they can get wireless in the building.

The trustees agreed to give Minor permission to sign an addendum to extend the deadline for the Esterly Drive and Cherry Fork Road road project. The contract for the grant was set to expire and had to be extended to May 31, 2014.

The trustees also:

- authorized payment of the general liability insurance for \$13,611
- reappointed Richard Fisher to the township Zoning Commission for another five-year term which expires in 2018
- reappointed Myron Wehr to the township Zoning Board of Appeals for another five-year term which expires in 2018
- reappointed Agnes Jones as an alternate member to the township Zoning Board of Appeals for a one-year term
- approved temporary appropriations of \$700,000 for the first quarter of 2014
- added 370 feet to the township miles on Red Tail Drive and removed 1,292.28 feet of one lane of Metz Road from the township miles due to annexation
- released a check of \$5,899 for the new copier from Valley Office Solutions.

An end-of-year meeting will be held at noon Dec. 31 to handle any last-minute business, with meetings in January moved to 7 p.m. Jan. 9 and Jan. 23.

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DEATHS

**Charles M. “Mike” Graham**  
LISBON — Charles “Mike” Graham, 62, of West Lincoln Way, died at 7 a.m. Thursday at his home following a lengthy illness.

Born Sept. 11, 1951, in East Liverpool, he was the son of the late Marion Graham and Wilma (Sprouse) Graham.

Mr. Graham worked for the Lisbon Village Street Department for 18 years. He then worked in the maintenance department for Shepherd of the Valley, until his declining health forced him to retire. He was a Methodist by faith.

In addition to his mother of Pennsylvania, he is survived by his wife, Opal (Knight) Graham, whom he married May 2, 1981; four daughters, Belinda (Dan) Cochran, Annette Frantz, Bonnie (Jeff) Wilson and Amanda (Todd) Korda; a son, Scott Seeley; a sister, Geraldine Coblentz; 13 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Following his wishes, no calling hours or funeral services will be held at this time. A memorial service will be held at a later date.

Arrangements were handled by the Eells-Leggett-Stauffer Funeral Home.

Friends may also view Mike’s memorial webpage and send condolences online at [www.eells-leggett-stauffer.com](http://www.eells-leggett-stauffer.com).

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**Joan Ann (Allison) Thomas**  
SALEM — Joan Ann (Allison) Thomas, 56, of Salem, died Dec. 16 at her home.

Born Feb. 9, 1957, in Salem, she was the daughter of Robert and Evelyn (Hahn) Allison.

Mrs. Thomas was employed at Fresh Mark in Salem.

In addition to her mother, she leaves a son, Danny Miller Jr. of Charlotte, N.C.; a daughter, Heather Thomas of Salem; two grandchildren; a brother, Robert L. Allison of Hiram; and a sister, Barbara King of Florida.

She was preceded in death by her father.

A private family service will be held.

Friends and family may sign the guest register online at [www.brownfhonline.com](http://www.brownfhonline.com).

Arrangements are by Brown Funeral Home of Salem.

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**Joseph R. Raymond**  
EAST ROCHESTER — Joseph R. Raymond, 68, of East Rochester, Ohio, died at 1:37 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 19, 2013 at the Hospice House in Poland, Ohio.

He was born Aug. 20, 1945 in Mount Pleasant, Pa., son of the late Joseph and Pauline Marie (Yasher) Raymond.

He attended Lincoln High School in Cleveland and before his retirement in 1999 was a quality inspector for General Motors, Fisher Division for 34 years. Joe was a member of the U.A.W. Local 1714 and enjoyed woodworking.

His wife of 48 years, Margie (Johnson) Raymond, whom he married July 31, 1965, survives him along with his children, Joseph (Peggy) Raymond of Salem, Vickie Raymond of Salem and Jason (Lorraine) Raymond of Hanoverton; sisters, Joyce (Tom) Strimple of Cleveland, Janet (John) Hayes of Cleveland and Ann (Richard) Passerell of Parma, Ohio; a brother, William (Barbara) Raymond of Murphy, N.C.; four grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

No services or calling hours will be held. Burial will be at the Grove Hill Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of the Valley, 5190 Market Street, Youngstown, OH 44512.

Arrangements were handled by the Stark Memorial Funeral Home. His obituary may be viewed and condolences sent online at [www.starkmemorial.com](http://www.starkmemorial.com).

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**Walter E. Dyke**  
NEGLEY — Walter E. Dyke, 74, of Negley died Wednesday.

He retired in 1997 from Murray trucking where he had been employed as a supervisor, having spent the bulk of his employment as a diesel mechanic, as well as having served time in the U.S. Army. He was a Christian by faith.

He is survived by his wife Bonnie (Zalick) whom he married March 2, 1963; three children, Rick (Kathy) Dyke of Negley, Amanda (Joseph) Reed of Monaca, Pa., and Jennifer (Jason) Mackall of New Waterford; three grandchildren; and his mother, Carolyn Louise Dyke.

He was preceded in death by his father, Richard E. Dyke, and a granddaughter.

A memorial service celebrating Walt will be held at the Oliver-Linsley Funeral Home at 7 p.m. Saturday. Friends will be received prior to the service from 4 to 7 p.m.

The family has asked that material tributes take the form of contributions to the Negley Volunteer Fire Dept, Southern Care Hospice, 5401 Ashely Circle Ste E, Austintown, Oh 44515, or the charity of one's choice.

[www.oliver-linsley.com](http://www.oliver-linsley.com)

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(Paid obituary)

**Charles "Lindy" Cyrus**  
EAST PALESTINE — Charles "Lindy" Cyrus, 85, of West High Street, died at 8:55 p.m. Wednesday at Covington Community Campus.

He was born Dec. 20, 1927 in New Middletown, a son of the late Grover and Elma Raub Cyrus and had been a lifelong resident. He was a self-employed carpenter retiring in the late 1990s.

He was a member of the Centenary United Methodist Church of East Palestine and a former East Palestine Park board member.

He is survived by his wife, the former Wilma Saviers, whom he married April 18, 1952. He is also survived by two sons, Charles Cyrus of Mt. Jackson, Pa., and Lee Cyrus of East Palestine; a daughter, Barbara Greaves of East Palestine; nine grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. Three sisters, Twila Bacon of Tiffin, Doris Rice of New Middletown, and Esther Pallock of Tainovner also survive him.

Friends will be received from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the Oliver-Linsley Funeral Home. The funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Centenary United Methodist Church. Burial will follow in Columbiana Cemetery.

[www.oliver-linsley.com](http://www.oliver-linsley.com)

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**Hildegard (Hilde) Thiess**  
SALEM — Hildegard (Hilde) Thiess, 89, died at 6:20 p.m. Thursday at the Blossom Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. Arrangements are pending at Stark Memorial Funeral Home.

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COMMON PLEAS COURT

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| <b>New Cases</b><br>Jennifer Anne Jordan, East Palestine, vs. Randolph Scott Jordan, East Palestine, divorce sought.<br>Christy Jo Smith, East Liverpool, and Paul D. Smith, North Huntingdon, Pa., dissolution sought.<br>Denise Kuhlman, Columbiana, and Patrick W. Kuhlman, Columbiana, dissolution sought.<br>Donald R. Morrow, Ashtabula, vs. | Clyde A. Hamilton of C and M Trucking, et al., appeal sought of denied workers' compensation claim.<br><b>Docket Entry</b><br>Wells Fargo Bank vs. William J. Lamp, et al., property withdrawn from sheriff's sale.<br>Victoria Lanham, Lisbon, vs. Douglas Lanham, Mansfield, divorce granted.<br>Sean Michael Cochran, Lisbon, vs. | Jordan Rae Cochran, Lexington Park, Md., dissolution granted.<br>Jackie Poynter, East Liverpool, and Clayton F. Poynter, East Liverpool, dissolution granted.<br>State of Ohio vs. Barry M. Weyand, forfeiture of \$1,170 granted to plaintiff.<br><b>Marriage Licenses</b><br>Mervin House Jr., 39, Salem, laborer, and Stevie Jo Shultz, 38, Salem, stay at home mom. |
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**Kenneth O. Sorrels**  
COLUMBUS — Kenneth O. Sorrels, 86, of Columbus, formerly of Youngstown, died at 8:55 p.m. Tuesday at Grant Medical Center.

He was born on May 3, 1927 in Greenville, Pa., the son of the late Hershel and Johnnie May (Davis) Sorrels.

He served in the US Air Force for 27 years and was last employed at General Motors.

He is survived by his care giver, Carla Robinson and a couple of nieces in Youngstown.

There will be no calling hours or funeral services held per his request.

Arrangements by the Arbaugh-Pearce-Greenisen & Sons Funeral and Cremation Services, Salem.

Please go to sign the guestbook at [www.apgreenisenfh.com](http://www.apgreenisenfh.com).

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**Marjorie Buckoski**  
SALEM — Marjorie E. Buckoski 86, of Salem, died at 9:55 a.m. Wednesday at the Blossom Nursing Home.

She was born Feb. 3, 1927 in Signal, the daughter of the late Louis and Katherine (Newsom) Rubich.

Mrs. Buckoski had been a waitress at the Timberlanes Restaurant for 40 years and a member of the Faith Fellowship Church.

She is survived by a son, David (Connie) A. Buckoski of Salem, and two grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Chester J. Buckoski whom she married April 24, 1948 and who died on Oct. 22, 1985.

Services will be 11 a.m. Saturday at the Arbaugh-Pearce-Greenisen & Sons Funeral and Cremation Services with the Rev. Larry Paxson officiating. Burial will follow at Grandview Cemetery.

Memorial tributes may be made to the Century House in Salem.

Please go to sign the guestbook at [www.apgreenisenfh.com](http://www.apgreenisenfh.com)

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POLICE REPORTS

**PERRY TWP.**  
— An officer assisted a female motorist who had run out of gas at 11:15 p.m. Wednesday on state Route 45 between Goshen Road and state Route 14. The motorist had called someone to bring gas, so the officer waited until the gas arrived and the vehicle was running.

— Salem Police received a complaint about a reckless driver turning from state Route 14 onto state Route 45, southbound, heading towards Lisbon and notified Perry Township at 3:14 p.m. Wednesday. Township police checked state Route 45 from Depot Road to Goshen Road and were unable to locate the vehicle. Information was forwarded to the Ohio State Highway Patrol and Lisbon Police Department to be on the lookout for the vehicle.

— Police were advised at 12:16 p.m. Wednesday about an open door to a vacant residence in the 1100 block of West State Street. Police searched the interior and did not find anyone inside. A room in the basement area appeared to have been damaged and the copper pipe removed from the residence. The owner was advised of the findings.

**SALEM**  
— A reckless driver was reported at 10:42 a.m. Thursday in the 1300 block of South Lincoln Avenue coming into the city limits. An officer located the only vehicle matching the description and observed no traffic violations.

— Police responded to the Home Depot parking lot on East State Street after receiving a report at 3:58 a.m. Thursday for a suspicious vehicle with three people inside. The vehicle was described as a black Dodge Durango and was found in the Home Depot parking lot unoccupied. The officer saw employees arriving for work and believed the occupants may have been employees of the business.

— Lorraine Utter, 32, of 781 E. Third St., was cited for driving under FRA suspension after a traffic stop in the 200 block of North Lincoln Avenue for a turn signal and equipment violation. Both the front and rear license plates were confiscated on behalf of the registrar and the vehicle was towed away.

— An anonymous person at 10:19 p.m. Wednesday reported finding a wallet in the 900 block of North Ellsworth Avenue. A family member of the owner was contacted to tell the owner to retrieve the wallet at the police station.

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Car stuck on private drive crossing destroyed by train, driver unhurt

**Staff Reports**  
LISBON — A Negley woman’s vehicle was totaled Wednesday evening after it was struck by a Norfolk Southern train while stuck on the crossing on a private drive in Salem Township.

According to the county sheriff’s office, Courtney M. Eberly, state Route 170, Negley, was crossing the tracks going northbound just south of Old Route 558 in her 2006 Jeep Liberty. The undercarriage of her vehicle became stuck on the tracks and a westbound train later struck her vehicle.

Eberly reportedly got out of her vehicle before it was struck, possibly to go look for someone to help her get it off the tracks. The crash was reported by Norfolk Southern Railroad.

Eberly was cited with insufficient clearance of undercarriage to cross a railroad crossing safely.

The Norfolk Southern train, conducted by Eric Klingensmith, Monaca, Pa., was not damaged by the impact.

Pleads guilty to stolen property count

LISBON — Sterling Hughey, 25, Steubenville, pleaded guilty in Columbiana County Common Pleas Court to receiving stolen property. He faces up to 180 days in jail and a \$1,000 fine. Sentencing is set for March 7.

According to court documents, Hughey was southbound on state Route 11 in Elkrun Township on Aug. 5, 2012, in a Chevy Impala, which belonged to Avis Budget Group and had been reported stolen on June 15, 2012.

MUNICIPAL COURT

LISBON — Alicia A. Foreman, 44, Oak Grove Road, Salineville, waived her right to a preliminary hearing in Columbiana County Municipal Court on charges of misuse of credit cards and theft for allegedly using a stolen credit card at the Salineville Carry Out on Nov. 7. She was bound over to the county grand jury.

Jackson C. Lane, 35, Summit Street, Salem, was fined \$725, had his license suspended for one year and was sentenced to 25 days in jail for OVI first offense and failure to control.

Robert J. Bandy, 32, Georgetown Road, Homeworth, was fined \$500 and required 40 hours community service for driving under suspension. An ATV operation citation was dismissed.

Donald Alan Thomas, 53, Homestead Drive, Columbiana, was fined \$200, credited with one day served and required 20 hours community service for disorderly conduct amended from domestic violence for allegedly pushing his wife against a wall, hitting her on both sides of her head, taking her cell phone and then hitting her again when she attempted to get it back.

Frederick V. Simpson, 61, Phoenix, Ariz., was fined \$150 for an equipment violation amended from commercial speed.

Anastasha E. Blinn, 30, West Lincoln Way, Lisbon, was fined \$150 and required 20 hours community service for disorderly conduct amended from obstructing official business for telling deputies Robert Davis was not home on Oct. 24 when they came to serve him with a warrant.

Michael J. Conway, 37, West Seventh Street, Salem, was fined \$150, credited with one day served in jail and required 25 hours community service for persistent disorderly conduct for grabbing the steering wheel and causing an accident while he was intoxicated and his wife was driving him home.

Mark A. Thompkins, 45, East Martin Street, East Palestine, was fined \$120, credited with three days served in jail and sentenced to 27 additional days for driving under 12-point suspension and failure to display a valid sticker.

Matthew R. McBride, 32, North Walnut Street, East Palestine, was fined \$100 for disorderly conduct for reportedly becoming angry with a school secretary who informed him the child he came to pick up had already been picked up, cursing in front of several small children and damaging the door on the way out.

Ronda Narehood, 43, Alice Street, East Palestine, was fined \$80 for littering, left of center and open container.

A disorderly conduct charge against Dalia Bennett, West Main Street, East Palestine, was dismissed.

A Jan. 16 pretrial was set for Rose

M. Anderson, 55, Clark Avenue, Wellsville, charged with theft for allegedly taking five gallon plastic buckets from Century Container Corp. In September, nine of which were located at the Rogers Sale.

A Jan. 21 pretrial was set for Jodi A. Massey, 44, Waynewood Drive, New Waterford, charged with domestic violence and obstructing official business. Massey allegedly punched her husband three times in the back, threatened to kill him and refused to cooperate with police investigating the issue.

A Jan. 21 pretrial was set for Tammy J. Mason, 41, North Howard Avenue, Salem, charged with theft for allegedly attempting to leave Dollar General, East State Street, Salem, without paying for \$36 in items.

A Jan. 23 pretrial was set for Scott d. Kaltenbach, 36, Guy Road, Lisbon, cited with theft for allegedly taking a tablet from Tiffany Heaton in September and a Wii from Brandy Kaltenbach in November. He then allegedly used the items to obtain a loan at Cashland.

A Jan. 27 pretrial was set for Linda L. Bowling, 52, West Fifth Street, Salem, charged with theft for allegedly attempting to leave the Salem Walmart with \$292 in merchandise concealed in her purse.

A Jan. 27 pretrial was set for David A. Gaston, 46, Beaver Springfield Road, New Springfield, cited with failure to control.

A Jan. 28 pretrial was set for Katherine R. Beat, 26, South Cross Street, Columbiana, cited with obstructing official business for allegedly attempting to outrun police in her vehicle while she had a person with a warrant riding with her.

A Jan. 28 pretrial was set for William A. Tomlin, 43, North Union Avenue, Salem, charged with assault for allegedly attacking Josie Ezell, punching her in the head and face, knocking her to the ground, getting on top of her and continuing to punch her.

A Jan. 30 pretrial was set for Brandon C. Craig, 19, Sprucevale Road, East Liverpool, cited with driving under FRA suspension.

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### OUR SIDE

## Research options before getting pet

With the gift-giving season upon us we urge potential pet owners to have patience and think things through before bringing home a cute and cuddly companion.

This time of the year adorable pets are a common sight at area shopping malls and pet supply stores.

The canines and felines making appearances at the shopping centers are in need of good homes, and local humane societies and animal shelters are hoping the mere sight of a cute puppy or cuddly kitten will win over many hearts just in time for the holidays.

But despite the pleas, and maybe even temper tantrums, of children, we ask parents to refrain from purchasing pets as gifts this time of year, or any time for that matter, before carefully considering all options.

There are many responsibilities associated with animal adoption, and potential pet owners should have all the facts before bringing a new pet home.

Potential pet adopters should brush up on the various types of dogs and cats available in order to find the best breed for them. For example, find out which animals require special exercise needs, are prone to certain ailments and may not be good with children.

Make no mistake, choosing a family pet means a lot of time, commitment and money.

A pet should never be ignored because an owner is too tired or busy. And owners, including children, should know how and when to provide food, water, care, companionship and exercise for animals.

Cost is another factor. Licenses, food, grooming and veterinary care costs need to be considered besides paying for spaying or neutering, which is extremely important.

Other things to ponder include suitable living arrangements for a pet, caring for a pet while on vacation and training classes.

Stop and think about why many older animals live at shelters. They are there because someone didn't take responsibility.

The playful whippers may draw many to four-legged friends this time of year, but we're asking area residents with pleading children to research the best possible pet options. Study up on the basics of animal care.

In the end, you and your family will be rewarded for your efforts in providing a caring home for a pet for many years to come.



## Dreaming of penguin Christmas



KATHLEEN PARKER

*When, what to my wondering eyes should appear, but a miniature sleigh, and eight tiny reindeer.*

And a penguin? In case you missed the most pressing issue of the season -- Santa's race -- Fox News' Megyn Kelly reaped a whirlwind when she recently declared that not only is Santa white but so was Jesus.

"Santa is what he is," she said. "Just because it makes you feel uncomfortable doesn't mean it has to change. You

know, I mean, Jesus was a white man, too."

Kelly was directing her verdict to Slate blogger Aisha Harris, who wrote that Santa should be a penguin instead of a "fat white guy." Harris recounted growing up with two Santas, one black and one white, but felt ashamed that her Santa was overshadowed by the more broadly accepted, default white Santa.

Not surprisingly, Kelly's commentary earned her ridicule, mockery and a full-scale national debate (at least on cable TV, where time must be filled) and absurd charges of racism. Where is Chris Crocker when you need him: *"Leave Megyn alone! She's a human!"*

Had Kelly ignored the article, we might not be engaged in this consequential conversation. No one but Kelly even mentioned Jesus. Instead, she has learned the lesson once articulated by P.J. O'Rourke: "Just as some things are too strange for fiction, others are too true for journalism."

Obviously, Santa has always been white -- at least in white households. And Jesus *has* to be white. Haven't you seen all those stained-glass windows?

Except, seriously, he probably wasn't. A Jew living in the Middle East 2,000 years ago -- pre-sunscreen, not to mention at least 40 days wandering in the desert -- Jesus probably wasn't the light-skinned, brown-haired, sometimes blue-eyed lad most Americans of a certain age thought they knew.

As a child I often wondered how black people felt about Jesus and, therefore, God being white. There was a lovely little African-American church on the corner of Gervais and Millwood in Columbia, S.C., where I visited family during the summer, that featured the familiar image of Jesus kneeling in Gethsemane. He

was beautiful in a Brad Pitt Legends-of-the-Fall kind of way so I had a little crush. But I never passed that church without also thinking about the worshipers inside. Didn't they want a Jesus who looked like them?

And, by extrapolation, a Santa?

Well, yes, it turns out that many did and do, including Harris.

This story would have no flippers if it didn't hint at a larger issue that isn't really about race. The skin color of magical elves who fly around in reindeer-drawn sleighs is a far easier conversation than the broader iconoclasm that is really at the root of what Kelly perhaps intuited but failed to convey. But then cable TV, tethered as it is to hits, blips and buzz, doesn't often lend itself to deep reflection.

It should be no surprise that, as demographics shift, so do cultural icons. It is also understandable that such challenges would be unsettling to many, but there are more sophisticated ways of discussing them without resorting to "The War on (fill in the blank)."

Among other reasons, war demands victory rather than understanding.

At first glance, Santa, the most innocent of icons, seems a gratuitous target for revision. Looking closer, however, diversifying Santa in a nation that elected a black president seems appropriate. When you make up stuff, you can make it up again.

Besides, very young children are oblivious to race. Assuming no racial animus at home, most children would as eagerly climb on the lap of a jolly black Santa as a white one (or any other race/ethnicity). They only want the thrill of the gift and the reassurance (note to New York's brawling Santas) that all is right with the world.

This is the true gift of Santa. He is a gentle grandfather -- a benevolent figure to whom all impossibilities can be presented and conquered. As such, he is a human gesture of kindness to children whose innocence will be ravaged soon enough.

Myths transcend race and serve purposes beyond the material. They elevate our spirits, impart hope, and convey values: *It is better to give than to receive*. Such lessons are more pleasantly absorbed when visions of sugar plums are dancing in our heads.

Which is probably what Kelly meant to say, and might have added: Just because something makes you comfortable doesn't mean you shouldn't change it. †

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### OTHER VOICES

*The (Toledo) Blade, Dec. 16*

The United States' decision to cut off nonlethal aid to opposition forces in Syria because the rebels are fighting among themselves probably ends the Obama Administration's current Syria policy, although not the country's civil war.

When the conflict began three years ago, President Obama and then-Secretary of State Hillary Clinton declared loudly that Syrian president Bashar Assad had to go and that he no longer had the support of his people. He probably didn't; Assad has badly abused his constituents. But his troops have been able to hold off a divided opposition....

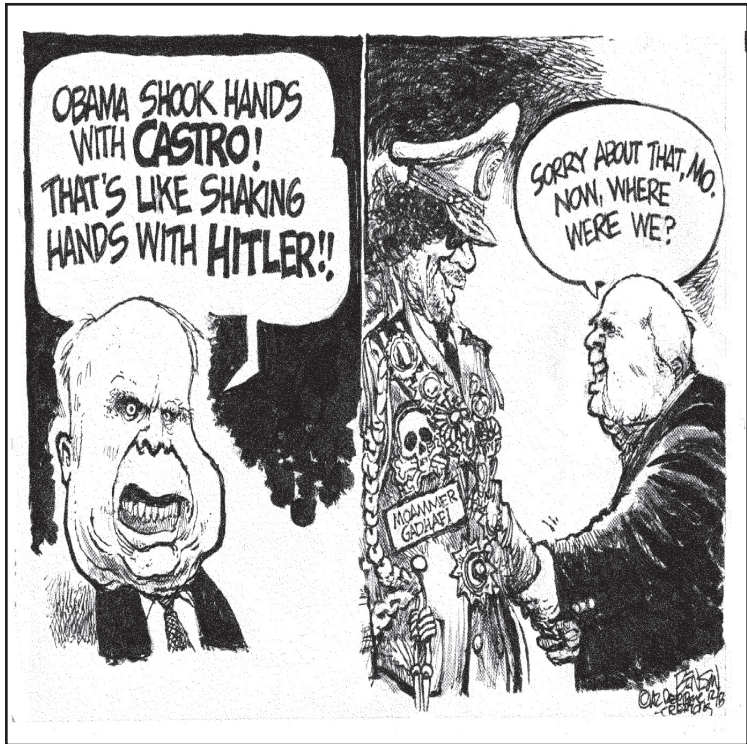
A conference between the Assad government and its opposition, with international participation, is

scheduled for next month. With rebel groups shooting at each other and some U.S. military aid cut off, reducing if not removing American leverage, prospects for the conference occurring, much less succeeding, have shrunk drastically.

Apart from the embarrassment to the Obama Administration, which should have realized much earlier that the Syrian opposition was an unlikely horse to back, the world is still left with an ugly war that has produced millions of refugees in an explosive part of the world.

At the least, the United States must work to put as many players as possible at the table in January to try to scale down, if not end, the war in Syria.

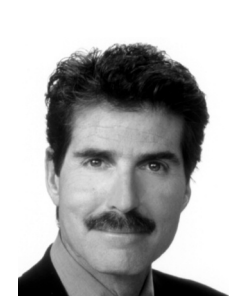
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## 2013 not a great year for liberty, and 2014 likely to be even worse



JOHN STOSSELL

care policy. The result? Soviet-style consumer service comes to America.

--Government shutdown. The real disaster was the unnecessary panic over it. Zoos would shut down, and baby pandas would starve. The media made it sound like America might not survive even slightly limited government. They were happy to echo the politicians' claim that there's no wasteful or stupid spending to cut.

"The cupboard is bare," said Rep. Nancy Pelosi, D-Calif. "There's no more cuts to make."

Nothing to cut? Government spends \$3.8 trillion a year!

Many Republicans are almost as eager to spend as Democrats, despite the difference in rhetoric between the two parties. About the only spending reduction Republicans accomplished in the past few years was the so-called sequester -- which really happened by legal default because the two parties couldn't reach an agreement. The sequester instituted cuts of about \$85 billion a year, a mere duster of that \$3.8 trillion budget and a still smaller sliver of our \$17 trillion debt.

Yet even those modest cuts will not happen now under the new congressional agreement. Because some Republicans were upset the sequester made small cuts to the military's budget and were fearful another partial government shutdown might hurt their chances in upcoming elections, they gave up the modest spending discipline the sequester imposed. Speaker of the House John Boehner, R-Ohio, said conservatives who want to keep the sequester are "ridiculous."

The Republican behind the new agreement, Rep. Paul Ryan, R-Wis., was once called a fanatical budget-slasher who wanted to push Granny off a cliff. People talked about him reading Ayn Rand and being a cutthroat capitalist. But now, even he abandons the meager budget cuts that

were already scheduled.

I suppose Republicans feel they have no choice. They face Democrats who will cut *nothing*. They hope to win the Senate next election and realize that spending cuts are not particularly popular with the general public.

Americans say they want less spending. But then they fight for farm subsidies, flood insurance and "economic development" schemes. Most federal spending funds Social Security, Medicare and the military. Even citizens who sound fiscally conservative, especially elderly ones, don't want these things cut.

--This was also the year we found out just how much the federal government spies on its own citizens. I annoyed my fellow libertarians by saying the privacy I lose to data mining seems a small price to pay for surveillance against terrorism. I posted a list of a hundred other things government does that upset me more. Some people responded by calling me a "traitor" and "LINO" (libertarian in name only).

Look, libertarians, I'm constantly angry at my government for lots of things, but I just can't get worked up about data mining. My emails fly through the air. For all I know, my political enemies already read them.

It is upsetting, though, that the National Security Agency snooping goes far beyond what the government first claimed. President Barack Obama assured us the NSA does not read our emails or listen to our phone calls. But it turns out they sometimes do.

They say they only look for terrorists, and they won't use the records to harass and punish their critics. But why would we trust that the same big government that spends \$3.8 trillion a year, raids our homes looking for drugs and regulates almost every part of our lives won't use its snooping powers to look into things other than terrorism?

Given the truth of Thomas Jefferson's warning -- "The natural progress of things is for liberty to yield, and government to gain ground" -- I fear next year will be still worse for liberty.

To make it a better year, we can't trust such a powerful government to restrain itself. We should cut back its duties to reduce its power.

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# Columbiana councilman opposes energy program

**By KATIE SCHWENDEMAN**  
Staff Writer

COLUMBIANA — The city did not voluntarily participate in an energy efficiency program three years ago and should not participate now, Councilman Bryan Blakeman said Tuesday.

Blakeman was one of two who voted against contracting with American Municipal Power for its Efficiency Smart program. James King also opposed.

After the meeting Blakeman said he believes the contract does not make sense and is a waste of money. He compared the program to socialized medicine and said the rebates and savings offered don't make up for the overall cost.

The city would pay \$352,675 over three years on the contract.

Efficiency Smart was launched in 2011 and is focused on providing energy-efficiency and implementation services and participation allows users to be eligible for appliance and other rebates.

Earlier this month council heard from Randy Corbin, AMP assistant vice president of energy policy and sustainability. Corbin said the city could earn a significant amount of grants by renewing for another three years prior to January.

The program has about \$18,000 to \$25,000 available in grant funding from revenue contribution during the first three years of the program, he said.

If the city chooses to renew residents would be paying slightly less than the .0015 cents per kilowatt hour they paid on the first contract.

Blakeman said the first contract was entered into only because it was facing an Environmental Protection Agency fine for its past purchase of electricity from a Marietta-area power plant that was fined for violating the Clean Air Act.

The 213-megawatt Richard H. Gorsuch coal-fired power plant had a sulfur dioxide emission rate in the highest three percent of coal-fired utility sources in the country, according to the EPA.

The plant was permanently retired by AMP as part of the EPA settlement.

In August 2010 council was faced with a decision to either pay the fine or pay for participation in an energy savings plan. The decision was hard-met, with three in favor and three against. Mayor David Spatholt broke the tie in favor of the savings plan.

Those in favor were Lowell Schloneger, Pat Keylor and Tom Ferguson and those opposed were Bob Bieshelt, Bryan Blakeman and James King.

The EPA fine would not have exceeded \$415,000, according to reports.

On Tuesday, council was presented with emergency legislation to renew the energy savings contract, and it died with three in favor and two opposed. Councilman Tom Ferguson was absent.

Councilman Dick McBane said later he favored the plan because it allows the city to purchase power at a lower cost.

"In the past year, the city electric department has had to purchase a portion of our power on the open market. The cost of this power is significantly higher than power from sources where we have long-term contracts or own a portion of the generating facility. The program's cost to help customers conserve electricity is significantly lower than purchasing power on the open market or building additional generating facilities," he said.

He went on to say that by reducing the amount of high-cost power purchased on the open market, through conservation, the city reduces the total cost of power purchased and in turn lowers the overall electric rate to consumers.

"The Efficiency Smart program is available to all Columbiana residents to help reduce their electric bills," he said.

Upon Schloneger's suggestion a special meeting was set for 7 p.m. Dec. 30 to reconsider the legislation for a second reading.

## Okla. imposes hold on Capitol monuments

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — After hearing from satanists, Hindus and an animal rights group, the panel that oversees the grounds at the Oklahoma Capitol says it's not taking any more requests for new displays at the Statehouse.

The Oklahoma Capitol Preservation Commission voted Thursday to approve the ban until a court dispute over the current Ten Commandments monument is settled. It was that monument that the New York-based Satanic Temple said opened the door for it to seek its own display at the Statehouse in Oklahoma City.

That was followed by similar requests from a Hindu leader in Nevada, the People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals, and the satirical Church of the Flying Spaghetti Monster.

## Leetonia council to cover insurance costs for workers

**Staff Reports**

LEETONIA — Village Council Wednesday night agreed to reimburse village employees for additional costs incurred in health insurance coverage.

Council had previously cut health care coverage for the five employees effective at the end of this calendar year. The employees will be reimbursed the excess cost for coverage through the Affordable Care Act for as long as they are employed by the village.

Council also approved the sale of the vacant lot at 56 Elm St. to Brian Cross for \$1,750. Cross was the only one to submit a sealed bid for the property.

Additionally council approved \$25 gift cards for village employees. Council President Dan Summers said Thursday that he recommended the action as his last motion before leaving council at the end of the month.



Maj. Gen. Deborah Ashenhurst, front right, leader of the Ohio National Guard, talks with Ohio Department of Public Safety Director John Born, front center, during a demonstration Thursday at the department's Emergency Operations Center in Columbus. The state is trying to better prepare for events like damaging storms with power failures by pre-positioning several large generators around Ohio, improving tracking of resources, and creating teams who can respond when communities need help. (AP Photo)

# Ohio pre-positioning, tracking emergency resources

COLUMBUS (AP) — The state is trying to better prepare for events such as damaging storms and power failures by pre-positioning several large generators around Ohio, improving tracking of such resources and creating teams of employees who can respond when communities say they need help, even if an emergency isn't statewide, officials said Thursday.

The new approach, slated to be in full swing by spring, aims to make sure the state is ready to quickly respond both before and during emergencies.

In situations that are more localized than would merit activating the state's emergency center, the state sees room for improvement in getting equipment, people and information to where they're most needed, Department of Public Safety Director John Born said.

"Hopefully we'll have the people right on the ground so when the emergency managers and the local officials realize they have the need, they can just reach out, and the subject-matter ex-

perts are right there at their doorstep already," said Maj. Gen. Deborah Ashenhurst, who leads the Ohio National Guard.

The new strategy builds on lessons learned from previous emergencies, said Nancy Dragani, executive director of the Ohio Emergency Management Agency.

Ohio EMA didn't own large power generators until recently, when it used federal Homeland Security grant money to buy eight of them, Dragani said. They're big enough to be useful if, for example, an area lost electricity and needed to power a lift station that keeps up the flow in the water treatment process.

Also in the equipment category: Officials realized the State Highway Patrol's new fleet of Dodge Charger cars could have trouble in blizzard conditions, so the patrol is deploying at least one all-wheel drive vehicle to each post, Born said.

The changes in information flow are

more behind-the-scenes, advantageous to those in charge of emergency response but unlikely to be noticed by most residents.

Ohio EMA has started using a Web-based system to track and map available resources, such as generators, helicopters and water treatment equipment, that are owned by state and local governments and a few nonprofit partners. That makes it much easier to visualize those resources than when the information was provided only in spreadsheets, Dragani said.

The state also plans to create teams of public workers who can be deployed when communities need help. Those employees — likely including state troopers, Ohio National Guard members and representatives from Ohio Homeland Security, EMA and the Department of Transportation — would be equipped to send photos and video back to the emergency operations center to give officials there a clearer picture of what's happening.

## LEETONIA FROM 1A

Jennings responded that the board continues to discuss issues within the athletic department and that the board is open to discussion with residents. He invited Smith to future discussions of his concerns.

Additionally Mehno reported that the library and school administrations are developing a draft of a long-term use of facilities policy for the soccer field at the library.

Jennings said he wants to make sure the use of library facilities remains in line with what was promised to voters when they approved the library bond issue, noting that the plans released to the

public prior to being passed included a LASA soccer field.

The board also recognized outgoing board members Tom Eastek, on the board for four years, and John Rydarowicz, on the board for eight years after serving as a teacher and administrator at the school for over 30 years.

The board appointed Jennings as resident pro-tem-pore for the reorganizational, scheduled for 6:30 p.m. Jan.9 in Room 20.

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SHERIFF'S OFFICE

— A Salineville woman reported at 4:43 p.m. Wednesday another woman she knows is posting half nude photos of her on Facebook and also threatened to come to her house and beat her up. Deputies called the woman responsible for posting the photos and she reportedly admitted to both actions, stating she did these things out of anger after finding the photos on her husband's phone. They were reportedly sent to him by the Salineville woman. The other woman also told deputies none of the photos show the woman completely nude, nor did they show her face.

— Bill Smith, state Route 45, Lisbon, reported at 1:11 p.m. Wednesday someone stole the archery targets from Scenic Vista Park. Smith told deputies he saw a dark colored four-wheel drive pickup leaving the park when he arrived and there was something in the back of the truck, but it wasn't until he found the targets had been taken and saw tire tracks leading up to the archery area that he realized the items in the back were the targets.

— Deb Morris of Kaleidoscope reported at 12:32 p.m. Wednesday someone stole two 32-inch televisions and an X-box from the group home on Neeld Road on Tuesday. The caregivers had taken the clients to the Peace Valley Road facility on Tuesday morning and the items were missing when they returned.

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Fill in the blank cells using numbers 1 to 9. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and 3x3 block. Use logic and process elimination to solve the puzzle. The difficulty level ranges from Bronze (easiest) to Silver to Gold (hardest).

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Solution to 12/19/13

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All is Well

by Michael Barrett and David Angerman

The Christmas Cantata “All is Well” blends traditional carols with contemporary Christian seasonal selections.

It will be presented for the public by the Bethel United Church of Christ Chancel Choir on Sunday, December 22 at 10:00 am

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# Target: 40 million card accounts may be breached

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|                     |     |        | CoreBond            | 11.53      | -0.02      | -1.5       |
|                     |     |        | CoreBondSelect      | 11.52      | -0.02      | -1.6       |
| M&T                 |     |        | HighYldV            | 8.01       | +0.01      | +6.7       |
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|                     |     |        | LIgT b              | 15.36      | -0.01+14.5 |            |
| PIMCO               |     |        | LIgT b              | 16.15      | -0.01+19.9 |            |
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|                     |     |        | RetRetb b           | 10.56      | -0.01      | +0.2       |
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| PIMCO               |     |        | SNISbDY             | 11.85      | -0.01      | +0.9       |
|                     |     |        | Neuberger Berman    |            |            |            |
|                     |     |        | GenesisInsl         | 60.33      | -0.52+33.7 |            |
| PIMCO               |     |        | EqIncl x            | 32.08      | -2.69+22.1 |            |
|                     |     |        | IntlI x             | 25.55      | -0.66+25.6 |            |
|                     |     |        | Oakmark I x         | 62.09      | -2.92+34.0 |            |
| PIMCO               |     |        | Old Westbury        |            |            |            |
|                     |     |        | GLSbSMdCp           | 15.71      | -0.04+21.1 |            |
|                     |     |        | LpCpStR             | 12.17      | -0.01+22.3 |            |
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|                     |     |        | DevMktI b           | 37.22      | -0.23      | -6.1       |
|                     |     |        | DevMktI b           | 36.77      | -0.23      | +6.4       |
| PIMCO               |     |        | GlobA m             | 76.46      | -0.05+23.0 |            |
|                     |     |        | IntlGrY             | 36.85      | +0.18+21.2 |            |



## HOROSCOPE

By HOLIDAY MATHIS  
12/20/13

## Applause Moon

Passionate fire-sign energy prevails as the Leo moon leads us through the final day of the Sagittarian solar journey of 2013. High levels of motivation combined with ambitious aims make for action-packed hours. The Leo moon puts a spotlight on the entertainment value of our interactions, so be sure to applaud when it's really good.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19).** If you ask, people will tell you a dozen different ways to accomplish the same thing. Today there is no bad advice, only advice that works for you and advice that doesn't.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20).** You'll say what you mean and be heard loud and clear by those who are on your wavelength. As for the others, you might be surprised at who they are. Were they just pretending to understand you before?

**GEMINI (May 21-June 21).** When your aim is to entertain people, the worst thing you can be is boring. Focus less on what's appropriate and what's worked before, and figure out how you're going to present things in a new way.

**CANCER (June 22-July 22).** Take social risks. The marvelous perk of this day is an endless supply of "do-overs" for fixing minor gaffes. As for major mistakes, you're already too much of a pro for those.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22).** It's a good thing you're living honestly, because today you'll reveal the truth even when you don't mean to. That's how someone finds out the depth of your feelings.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22).** Be careful in making your task list for the day. The difference between choice A and choice B may seem small, but it's significant. You will determine what to do, and what you do will determine who you are.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23).** Your guiding planet is about to change directions, and you may feel that your heart is on the verge of a new direction, as well. Your feelings for someone won't go away; they'll just shift.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21).** You're allowing yourself to be led by a capricious spirit who will only give you mysterious hints as to her destination. It's all in the name of fun, so don't invest anything significant in the relationship.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21).** As hard as it is to regulate that unpredictable force in your life, it's even harder to regulate your own predictable nature. But once you've practiced self-control in one area, it will be easier to apply it to the next.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19).** The changes that are coming tomorrow may have your mind whirling even deep into the night. This isn't a good time to make big fateful decisions. Get some rest instead.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18).** Just when you're wondering whether an endeavor or a relationship is worthwhile, things will shift to show you that there is enough value there to warrant your perseverance.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20).** You'll notice that everyone is looking in to you for a bit of amusement. If you're going to have a story to tell them, you have to get out there and experience life. Increase your involvement, even in the messy things.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Dec. 20).** You'll challenge your determination and earn a financial bonus before the year is up. Your popularity is at a comfortable level, though by February you may cut back on social obligations in favor of developing a project. March sees you building, selling and repeating. Family is enriched by your efforts. Aries and Gemini people adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 11, 43, 27, 39 and 48.

**WEEKEND LOVE FORECAST:** ARIES: You help a loved one in practical ways, but you're also silly when it counts. TAURUS: You'll choose your words carefully, hoping someone is attuned to you enough to read between the lines.

GEMINI: Before you start a romance, give some thought as to how it is likely to unfold. This prevents you from repeating past mistakes. CANCER: Same partner? Then you'll need new ideas in order to make this work for the long term.

LEO: Don't wait until you're tired of talking to become a good listener. VIRGO: The most attractive person will be the one who is keenly aware of surroundings, people and the opportunities that lie therein. LIBRA: You won't be able to accurately judge a potential love's merits by assessing their family tree. SCORPIO: While trying to impress someone, the worst thing you can do is try too hard. SAGITTARIUS: You've mastered the romantic gaze and will effectively give away your intentions in a split second of eye contact. CAPRICORN: Your confidence tells the story that you're comfortable with and proud of who are. AQUARIUS: Give your crush something to notice about you. PISCES: Don't let another person determine the worth of your efforts.

## Stars for our troops



Heloise

**Dear Heloise:** Information about RETIRING FLAGS via cremation by funeral homes recently was published in one of your columns. I am writing to tell you about Stars for Our Troops.

Flags are sent to Stars for Our Troops from all over the country. The canton (blue) area is removed and washed, and then the stars are cut out and placed in a small pouch with a note to let our military know

that they are not forgotten.

These stars are placed in care packages going to our military who are currently serving. Stars also are given with thank-you cards to our veterans in veterans hospitals, nursing homes, etc.

There are Star Parties going on throughout this great country. It is a great project for any age. Families find it a great "family time," and they learn about our country, flag and military. -- **Susan Wells, organizer, Stars for Our Troops**

**Dear Readers:** I called Susan to find out more about this wonderful organization. What a heart-warming effort she and volunteers all across the country do, repurposing a flag that otherwise would have no further use. To learn more and find out how you can help, visit [www.starsforourtroops.org](http://www.starsforourtroops.org). To donate a flag, send it to: Susan/Stars for Our Troops, Gettysburg Flag Works, 715 Columbia Turnpike, East Greenbush, NY 12061. -- **Heloise**

P.S.: I told her she probably will be swamped!

## SEND A GREAT HINT TO:

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## TRAVEL HINT

**Dear Heloise:** When I travel, I look for Christmas ornaments to put on my tree. They were impossible to find in some places. While at Niagara Falls, I noticed a key chain decorated with a boatload of passengers dressed in rain gear -- so cute!

I bought a small, artificial Christmas tree. The key chains slip easily on the branches. My little tree is now covered with key chains from Italy, London, India, etc., and it gets more attention than my large, 7-1/2-foot tree! -- **Phyllis W. in California**

## DEAF DOG

**Dear Heloise:** Thanks for printing the advice from blind dog owners. Our dog is a large 13-year-old in good health for her age, but she was rapidly becoming deaf.

We learned to still talk but also use hand signals at the same time. Facial expressions and eye contact are important to dogs, especially those who really know and trust us. She caught on to the hand signals right away. -- **A Reader, Bellaire, Texas**

## He sould give his wife a break, too

**DEAR ABBY:** I have been married to my wife for a year and a half, and we have an infant child. I work while my wife stays home. My problem is she doesn't like me playing sports and hanging out with friends.

I have tried to make concessions and cut down playing sports to once a week. (I used to play two or three times a week, but that's not good enough for my wife.) On game night, when I get home she gives me the silent treatment. She used to come to my games but won't now, even though she has girlfriends who attend them.

As for hanging out with my friends, I barely see them anymore -- and when I do, they come here. If they stay any longer than 30 minutes, it causes a problem and my wife again won't talk to me for the rest of the night.

I have tried to compromise, but she feels as though any time I spend away from her and the baby is a no-no. Am I wrong to want to play sports and see my guy friends? I have tried talking to her about this, but she thinks any compromise is basically me doing what I want and her having to deal with it. -- **ONTARIO, CANADA, READER**

**DEAR READER:** You should not become a couch potato or become isolated from your friends because you are married and a parent. And neither should your wife. She may resent the time you spend with your friends because she's stuck at home taking care of the baby. You are her only adult company, and in a way she may be jealous that you're enjoying freedom that she can't.

Your wife should not be doing all the parenting. One day or evening a week YOU should take care of the baby while SHE takes a break with her friends or family. It could do wonders for your relationship.

If you can agree on this, it could save your marriage. If you can't, then the two of you should get counseling. Marriage isn't supposed to put people in isolation -- and that's what it appears your wife is trying to accomplish with you.

**DEAR ABBY:** For the past 10 years, the holiday season has brought with it arguments between my wife and me. We both get along with our in-laws and do many things with both sides of our families. But for some reason, my wife makes arrangements for the holidays without discussing them with me first. This year, she told her mom we would host Thanksgiving and that I would have to tell my family we wouldn't be coming to them.

My wife's sisters are not close to their in-laws. Am I wrong to think she should have discussed the matter with me before deciding unilaterally what we're doing for the holidays? Our kids need to see ALL their grandparents on Thanksgiving and Christmas. Oh -- our parents live only seven minutes from each other. -- **HOLIDAY BLUES IN WISCONSIN**

**DEAR HOLIDAY BLUES:** What your wife did was inconsiderate. You are a couple, and she should have discussed her plan with you before issuing any invitations to see if you were in agreement. If your home is too small to accommodate both sets of in-laws at the same time, a compromise would be to alternate holidays with each set so no family feels excluded.

**DEAR ABBY:** Is it acceptable to wear a silver dress to a wedding if you are going as a guest and not a member of the bridal party? Or is silver too close to white and therefore taboo? -- **INVITEE IN COLLEGE PARK, MD.**

**DEAR INVITEE:** The rule is that wedding guests should not wear anything that might distract attention from the bride. If your dress is silver lame or covered in silver sequins, it would be better to dress less conspicuously.

| FRIDAY      |                                               |                |                                                    |            |                                                               |         |                                     |          |                                          |          | DEC. 20                             |                     |
|-------------|-----------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------------------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|----------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
|             | 6 PM                                          | 6:30           | 7 PM                                               | 7:30       | 8 PM                                                          | 8:30    | 9 PM                                | 9:30     | 10 PM                                    | 10:30    | 11 PM                               | 11:30               |
| (2) (KDKA)  | News                                          |                | CBS                                                | Insider    | I Love Lucy                                                   |         | Hawaii Five-0 '14'                  |          | Blue Bloods (N) '14'                     |          | News                                | Late Sh.            |
| (3) (WKYC)  | News                                          | News           | News                                               | Ent        | Movie: **** 'It's a Wonderful Life' (1946)                    |         | James Stewart                       |          | News                                     |          | Jay Leno                            |                     |
| (4) (WTAE)  | News                                          | ABC            | Inside                                             | Ent        | Shark Tank '14' PG                                            |         | Shark Tank '14' PG                  |          | 20/20 '14' PG                            |          | News                                | Kimmel              |
| (5) (WEWS)  | News                                          | ABC            | The List                                           | Let's Ask  | Shark Tank '14' PG                                            |         | Shark Tank '14' PG                  |          | 20/20 '14' PG                            |          | News                                | Kimmel              |
| (8) (WJW)   | Fox 8 News at 6PM                             | News           | Big Bang                                           | Bones '14' |                                                               |         | 'Happiness Is'                      |          | News                                     |          | Arsenio Hall                        |                     |
| (9) (WTOV)  | News 9                                        | News           | Jeopardy                                           | Wheel      | Movie: **** 'It's a Wonderful Life' (1946)                    |         | James Stewart                       |          | Sports                                   |          | Jay Leno                            |                     |
| (11) (WPXI) | News                                          | News           | Jeopardy                                           | Wheel      | Movie: **** 'It's a Wonderful Life' (1946)                    |         | James Stewart                       |          | News                                     |          | Jay Leno                            |                     |
| (17) (WDLI) | The Music City                                |                | Supernat.                                          | Potters    | Behind                                                        | Lindsey | Harvest                             | P. Stone | Praise the Lord 'Y' '14'                 |          |                                     |                     |
| (19) (WOIO) | News                                          | CBS            | Wheel                                              | Jeopardy   | I Love Lucy                                                   |         | Hawaii Five-0 '14'                  |          | Blue Bloods (N) '14'                     |          | News                                | Late Sh.            |
| (21) (WFMY) | News                                          | News           | Inside                                             | FamFeud    | Movie: **** 'It's a Wonderful Life' (1946)                    |         | James Stewart                       |          | News                                     |          | Jay Leno                            |                     |
| (22) (WCWB) | Mod Fam                                       | Middle         | Mod Fam                                            | Middle     | Monk '14' PG                                                  |         | Monk '14' PG                        |          | Law & Order: SVU                         |          | Commun                              | Commun              |
| (23) (WVPX) | Criminal Minds '14'                           |                | Criminal Minds 'PG'                                |            | Criminal Minds '14'                                           |         | Criminal Minds 'PG'                 |          | Criminal Minds '14'                      |          | Criminal Minds '14'                 |                     |
| (27) (WKBN) | First                                         | CBS            | Wheel                                              | Jeopardy   | I Love Lucy                                                   |         | Hawaii Five-0 '14'                  |          | Blue Bloods (N) '14'                     |          | First                               | Late Sh.            |
| (33) (WYTV) | News                                          | ABC            | Ent                                                | Insider    | Shark Tank '14' PG                                            |         | Shark Tank '14' PG                  |          | 20/20 '14' PG                            |          | News                                | Kimmel              |
| (43) (WUAB) | Insider                                       | Inside         | Mod Fam                                            | Mod Fam    | Monk '14' PG                                                  |         | Monk '14' PG                        |          | News                                     | Sports   | Extra (N)                           | Access              |
| (49) (WEAO) | Sesame                                        | Just           | PBS NewsHour (N)                                   |            | Wash                                                          | Charlie | Return to Downton Abbey 'G'         |          | Mormon                                   |          |                                     | Business            |
| (53) (WPGH) | Big Bang                                      | Two Men        | Big Bang                                           | Two Men    | Bones '14' PG                                                 |         | 'Happiness Is'                      |          | Channel 11 News                          |          | Seinfeld                            | Seinfeld            |
| (55) (WBNI) | Rules                                         | Commun         | Middle                                             | Middle     | The Carrie Diaries                                            |         | Nikita 'Bubble' '14'                |          | Friends                                  |          | Rules                               | Commun              |
| (67) (WOAC) | Health                                        | History        | Rejoice                                            |            | TCT                                                           | Hope    | Benny                               | Life     | J Hagee                                  | Yr Bible | Wom                                 | Youngren            |
| (A&E)       | The First 48 '14'                             |                | The First 48 '14'                                  |            | The First 48 '14'                                             |         | The First 48 (N) '14'               |          | The First 48 (N) 'PG'                    |          | (.01) The First 48                  |                     |
| (AMC)       | (5:30) Movie: *** 'Glorious Road' (2006)      |                |                                                    |            | Movie: *** 'Remember the Titans' (2000)                       |         |                                     |          | Movie: 'We Are Marshall' '14'            |          |                                     |                     |
| (AP)        | Tanked 'PG' '14'                              |                | Tanked 'PG' '14'                                   |            | Tanked 'PG' '14'                                              |         | Tanked (N) '14' PG                  |          | Tanked 'PG' '14'                         |          | Tanked '14' PG                      |                     |
| (BET)       | 106 & Park: BET's Top 10 Live                 |                | Mandela                                            |            | Movie: ** 'For Colored Girls' (2010)                          |         | Kimberly Elise, Janet Jackson, '14' |          |                                          |          |                                     | Game                |
| (BRAV)      | Housewives/Atl.                               |                | Housewives/Atl.                                    |            | Styled to Rock 'PG'                                           |         | Movie: ** 'Enough' (2002, Suspense) |          | Movie: 'Enough'                          |          |                                     |                     |
| (CNBC)      | Mad Money (N)                                 |                | The Kudlow Report                                  |            | Amer. Greed                                                   |         | Marijuana USA                       |          | American Greed                           |          | Mad Money                           |                     |
| (CNN)       | Situation                                     | Crossfire      | E. B. OutFront                                     |            | Anderson Cooper                                               |         | Piers Morgan Live                   |          | Crossfire                                |          | Unguard                             | Anthony Bourd.      |
| (CSPN)      | Key Capitol Hill Hearings                     | Speeches. '14' |                                                    |            | Capitol Hill Hearings                                         |         | First Ladies: Influence             |          | (.32) Key Capitol Hill Hearings          |          |                                     |                     |
| (DISC)      | Gold Rush '14' PG                             |                | Gold Rush '14' PG                                  |            | Gold Rush - The                                               |         | Gold Rush (N) 'PG'                  |          | Bering Sea Gold (N)                      |          | (.02) Gold Rush 'PG'                |                     |
| (DISN)      | Good                                          | Jessie         | Good                                               | Jessie     | Movie: 'Secret of the Wings'                                  |         | Liv-Mad.                            |          | Austin                                   |          | ANT                                 | Austin              |
| (E!)        | Biggest Reality                               |                | El News (N) 'PG'                                   |            | E!ES Anchorman 2: Fashion Police '14'                         |         | JCYMI: In                           |          | JCYMI: In                                |          | Chelsea                             | El News             |
| (ESPN)      | SportsCenter (N)                              |                | NBA Countdown (N)                                  |            | NBA Basketball Houston Rockets at Indiana Pacers.             |         |                                     |          | NBA Basketball                           |          |                                     |                     |
| (ESPN2)     | Around                                        | Pardon         | NFL Kickoff (N)                                    |            | College Football NCAA Division I, First Semifinal: Teams TBA. |         |                                     |          |                                          |          | SportsCenter (N)                    |                     |
| (FAM)       | Chip                                          |                | Movie: 'Dr. Seuss' How the Grinch Stole Christmas' |            | 'National Lamp. Christmas'                                    |         |                                     |          |                                          |          | The 700 Club '14' G                 |                     |
| (FNC)       | Special Report                                |                | Greta Van Susteren                                 |            | The O'Reilly Factor                                           |         | The Kelly File (N)                  |          | Hannity (N)                              |          |                                     | The O'Reilly Factor |
| (FOOD)      | Guy's Games                                   |                | Disney Holiday                                     |            | Diners, Drive                                                 |         | Diners                              |          | Diners                                   |          | Diners, Drive                       |                     |
| (FSOH)      | Cavaliers                                     |                | Cavaliers                                          |            | Pregame NBA Basketball: Bucks at Cavaliers                    |         |                                     |          | Post                                     |          | Bearcats                            | World Poker Tour    |
| (GAC)       | Christmas Crazy 'G'                           |                | Christmas Crazier                                  |            | Top 20 Country Countdown (N)                                  |         |                                     |          | Top 20 Country Countdown                 |          |                                     |                     |
| (HBO)       | Sport in America                              |                | (.15) Movie: ** 'Mama' (2013) '14'                 |            | Will                                                          |         | REAL Sports                         |          | Getting                                  |          | Ja'mie                              | 24/7                |
| (HGTV)      | Hunt Intl                                     |                | Hunt Intl                                          |            | Hunt Intl                                                     |         | Hot Beach Houses                    |          | Hawaii                                   |          | Hunters                             | Hunt Intl           |
| (I)         | Criminal Minds '14'                           |                | Criminal Minds 'PG'                                |            | Criminal Minds '14'                                           |         | Criminal Minds 'PG'                 |          | Criminal Minds '14'                      |          | Criminal Minds '14'                 |                     |
| (LIFE)      | 'All She Wants for Christmas' (2006)          |                |                                                    |            | 'The March Sisters at Christmas' (2012)                       |         |                                     |          | Austin                                   |          | ANT                                 | Austin              |
| (MAX)       | (5:50) Movie: ** 'Rock of Ages' (2012)        |                |                                                    |            | Movie: *** 'Assault on Precinct 13'                           |         |                                     |          | Banshee 'MA' '14'                        |          | Banshee 'MA' '14'                   |                     |
| (MSNBC)     | PoliticsNation (N)                            |                | Hardball Matthews                                  |            | All In With Chris                                             |         | Rachel Maddow                       |          | Alec Baldwin                             |          | Lockup 'G'                          |                     |
| (MTV)       | Little Bk                                     |                | Snooki                                             |            | Snooki                                                        |         | Snooki                              |          | Ridic.                                   |          | Ridic.                              | Ridic.              |
| (NICK)      | Sponge.                                       |                | Sponge.                                            |            | Turtles                                                       |         | Turtles                             |          | Full H'se                                |          | Full H'se                           | Friends             |
| (OVC)       | (5:00) EternaGold                             |                | Great Gifts 'G'                                    |            |                                                               |         |                                     |          | Friday Night Beauty Featuring gifts. 'G' |          |                                     |                     |
| (SHOW)      | Lincoln                                       |                | (.25) Movie: ** 'Gone' '14'                        |            | Masters of Sex 'MA'                                           |         | Rolling Stones: Sweet               |          | Another Day, Another Time                |          |                                     |                     |
| (SYFY)      | (5:00) Movie: *** 'Batman Begins'             |                |                                                    |            | WWE Friday Night SmackDown! (N) '14'                          |         |                                     |          | Movie: *** 'Fright Night' (2011)         |          |                                     |                     |
| (TBN)       | The Music City                                |                | Supernat.                                          |            | Potters                                                       |         | Behind                              |          | Lindsey                                  |          | Harvest                             | P. Stone            |
| (TCM)       | Love Affr                                     |                | Movie: 'My Favorite Wife'                          |            |                                                               |         | Movie: *** 'Send Me No Flowers'     |          | Movie: ** 'The Big Heat'                 |          |                                     | Dog Day             |
| (TLC)       | Say Yes                                       |                | Say Yes                                            |            | Say Yes                                                       |         | Say Yes, Dress                      |          | Four Weddings 'PG'                       |          | Say Yes, Dress                      |                     |
| (TNN)       | (.01) Movie: *** 'The Incredible Hulk' (2008) |                | Liv Tyler '14'                                     |            |                                                               |         | Movie: *** 'The Rundown' (2003)     |          | The Rock. '14'                           |          |                                     | Doom '14'           |
| (TNT)       | Castle '14' PG                                |                | Castle '14' '14'                                   |            | Christmas 2013                                                |         | Movie: ** 'A Christmas Carol' 'G'   |          |                                          |          | Christmas 2013                      |                     |
| (TOON)      | (5:00) 'The Smurfs'                           |                | Steven                                             |            | Adven                                                         |         | Gumball                             |          | Teen                                     |          | Reindeer                            |                     |
| (TRAV)      | Ghost Adventures                              |                | Ghost Adventures                                   |            | Ghost Adventures                                              |         | Ghost Adventures                    |          | Ghost Adventures                         |          | The Dead Files 'PG'                 | The Dead Files 'PG' |
| (TRUTV)     | Panic                                         |                | Panic                                              |            | World's Dumbest...                                            |         | Pawn                                |          | Pawn                                     |          | Pawn                                | Pawn                |
| (TVLAND)    | Griffith                                      |                | Griffith                                           |            | Griffith                                                      |         | Andy Griffith Show                  |          | Raymond                                  |          | Raymond                             | Raymond             |
| (USA)       | Law & Order: SVU                              |                | Law & Order: SVU                                   |            | Law & Order: SVU                                              |         | Mod Fam                             |          | Mod Fam                                  |          | Mod Fam                             | Mod Fam             |
| (WGN)       | Funny Home Videos                             |                | Funny Home Videos                                  |            | Mother                                                        |         | Mother                              |          | Mother                                   |          | Mother                              | Rules               |
| (WTBS)      | Seinfeld                                      |                | Seinfeld                                           |            | Fam. Guy                                                      |         | 'Anchorman: Legend of Ron'          |          |                                          |          | Movie: *** 'Blades of Glory' (2007) |                     |

## Much that can be done for GERD



Dr. Keith Roach

blockers and proton pump inhibitors, I am left with an extreme sore throat, and I find it so uncomfortable to eat anything. What can you tell me about this horrible situation? -- **L.H.**

**ANSWER:** Acid reflux is caused by stomach acid going backward up into the esophagus, and it can damage the esophagus as well as causing pain. Many conditions predispose toward acid reflux (often called GERD -- gastroesophageal reflux disease), especially those that affect the lower esophageal sphincter, a structure of smooth muscle at the end of the esophagus, which acts as a valve to prevent the acid from going backward. Calcium channel blockers like verapamil relax smooth muscle, as can other medications, such as albuterol, nitroglycerine and theophylline. These medications cause the LES to weaken, and they do so immediately.

In your situation, there probably is more to it than just the medication, since it didn't start right away. GERD symptoms are very common. Although the medications you mention, H2 blockers (antihistamines that work on stomach acid production) and proton pump inhibitors (which directly stop acid production), can help, non-drug treatments -- including not eating three hours before bed, raising the head of the bed and stopping any other potential irritants,

## DEAR DR.

**ROACH:** I have evidently gotten acid reflux from using verapamil for many years. I understand that calcium channel blockers can cause this over time. I had my blood pressure medicine changed three months ago, but this problem just doesn't go away. Since I get very nauseated taking H2

especially anti-inflammatory medication, fatty foods and caffeine -- can be very effective. Tobacco and alcohol are triggers for most people. Many people can find other food triggers that can be avoided. Antacids are effective for occasional symptoms, but your symptoms sound too severe for antacids to be effective (usually used only once a week or so). Chewing gum often is helpful.

There are some situations in which an esophagogastroduodenoscopy (EGD, an upper endoscopy) should be done right away. People who require an EGD are those with evidence of bleeding, weight loss, recurrent vomiting, difficulty swallowing or anemia.

**DEAR DR. ROACH:** I was on Pradaxa because I have atrial fibrillation. I had a total knee replacement in November 2012, and within a month I had to have hematomas removed on two separate occasions. My surgeon said that the blood thinner, Pradaxa, might have been the culprit. What are your thoughts?

I am going to start taking Xarelto. Could this cause the same problem in the future?

**ANSWER:** Both of these medications reduce the body's ability to make blood clots. The major side effect of both is excessive bleeding. Any surgery increases the likelihood of bleeding, so the combination of a major surgery, like a total knee replacement, with a medication that increases bleeding risk means that bleeding is going to be likely. However, as the body heals in the days and even months after surgery, the risk of bleeding goes down. If you were to require another surgery, the risk of bleeding would be high.

On the other hand, the risk of a blood clot causing stroke in people with atrial fibrillation is about 5 percent per year without treatment, which is why treatment is recommended. It sometimes can be hard to balance clot/stroke risk against bleeding risk.

## Wants to give up smokeless tobacco



Annie's Mailbox

**Dear Annie:** After many years of using smokeless tobacco, I'd like to quit. Are there any effective measures one can take to beat this highly addictive habit?

I use the kind of tobacco that comes in a can, and it goes wherever I go. It wakes me up in the morning demanding attention. I believe it is partially responsible for my high blood pressure. My dentist has concerns for my teeth and gums. I mentioned my tobacco use to my doctor, but he couldn't give me a response that would be an effective way to quit. I see commercials on TV for a drug that helps smokers, but I don't know whether it would be helpful for those of us who dip. I, and the many others with this problem, would appreciate any advice. -- **Not a Baseball Player**

**Dear Not:** Smokeless tobacco is also called chew, snuff, spit and oral tobacco, but it still can cause cancer, just like cigarettes, along with other health problems such as tooth loss and gum disease. While some nicotine replacement therapy (patches, lozenges, sprays) can be helpful, not all work for smokeless tobacco. Some people prefer alternative medicine (hypnosis, acupuncture, herbal treatments, etc.), although studies are inconclusive as to its effectiveness.

The American Cancer Society offers a Guide to Quitting Smokeless Tobacco on its website



# You can trust us on this, but you probably won't

**By CONNIE CASS**  
Associated Press

Do you keep a close watch when you hand over your credit card? Assume the other fellow on the road is texting or drunk? Worry that a careless post will be spread by your Facebook friends? If so, you're not alone. Americans are a mistrustful bunch. Nearly two-thirds say you can't be too careful in dealing with people, according to the General Social Survey, a massive survey of Americans conducted regularly since 1972 with funding from the National Science Foundation.

To find out more, an Associated Press-GfK poll conducted in October asked Americans how much they trust others in everyday situations.

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**STRANGER DANGER**

—78 percent have little faith in people they meet while traveling, saying they trust them “just somewhat,” “not too much” or “not at all.”

—19 percent don't worry — they feel “quite a bit” or “a great deal” of trust in people away from home.

Adults under 30 are especially wary of

strangers, just like mom said.

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**DEFENSIVE DRIVING**

—75 percent mistrust people driving cars while they're driving, biking or walking.

—21 percent put a lot of faith in others behind the wheel.

Those 30 and under worry more about bad drivers than their elders do.

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**CAUTIOUS CUSTOMERS**

—67 percent have little confidence in people who swipe their credit or debit card when they buy something.

—30 percent don't worry much about that.

Liberals are more laid back at the check-out than either conservatives or moderates.

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**ONLINE JITTERS**

—59 percent don't have much faith in people with whom they have shared photos, videos or information on social media.

—38 percent have confidence in these “friends.”

Americans ages 50 and up worry the most about online sharing.

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**CONTRACTORS AND CLEANING CREWS**

—55 percent don't much trust the people

they hire to come into their homes to do work.

—41 percent feel confident opening the door to them.

Gun owners worry less about inviting workers into their homes than other Americans do.

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**NERVOUS STOMACHS**

—50 percent have little trust in the people who prepare their food when they eat out.

—About as many — 47 percent — chow down with ease, however.

Wealthy Americans, with household incomes over \$100,000, are less likely than most to fret about the restaurants where they dine.

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**DR. TRUSTWORTHY**

—46 percent have little confidence in people at the doctor's office or hospital who have access to their medical records.

—But more — 50 percent — don't sweat it. Doctors and their staffs were the most trusted group in the poll.

People who oppose President Barack Obama's health care law worry more about privacy at the doctor's office than the law's supporters do.

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**IF YOU THINK THOSE NUMBERS ARE BAD ...**

Just look at how little faith Americans have in their leaders.

Asked how much of the time they trust the government in Washington to do what is right, people say:

—81 percent: only some of the time.

—15 percent: most of the time.

—2 percent: just about always.

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The AP-GfK Poll was conducted Oct. 3-7, 2013, using KnowledgePanel, GfK's probability-based online panel. It involved on-line interviews with 1,227 adults. The survey has a margin of sampling error of plus or minus 3.4 percentage points for all respondents.

The survey was conducted using KnowledgePanel, a probability-based Internet panel designed to be representative of the U.S. population. Respondents to the survey were first selected randomly using phone or mail survey methods and were later interviewed for this survey online. People selected for KnowledgePanel who didn't otherwise have access to the Internet were provided with the ability to access the Internet at no cost to them.

# Detached dads mostly a myth, parenting survey says

CHICAGO (AP) — The detached dad, turning up his nose at diapering and too busy to bathe, dress and play with his kids, is mostly a myth, a big government survey suggests. Most American fathers say they

are heavily involved in hands-on parenting, the researchers found.

The nationally representative survey shows fathers' involvement has increased slightly since the government first asked in 2002,

coinciding with research since then that bolsters the benefits of hands-on fathering.

The results are encouraging and important “because others have found the more involved dads are, the better the outcomes for their children,” said researcher Jo Jones of the National Center for Health Statistics, part of the Centers for Disease Control Prevention. She co-authored the report released Friday.

More academic success, fewer behavior problems and healthier eating habits are just some of the ways fathers' involvement has been linked with children's well-being.

“Times have changed,” said Robert Loftus, 34, of Yonkers, N.Y. He quit a six-figure sales job a year ago to care for his two young children while his wife works full time. “We're trying to

rethink our priorities and family seems to be the No. 1 priority whereas in the past maybe people were more focused on career.”

The results build on volumes of research showing changes in the American family since the baby boom years and before, when women were mostly stay-at-home moms and dads were the major breadwinners. As those roles shifted, so did the view that moms are the only nurturers.

University of Chicago sociologist Jennifer Bellamy, who also studies fathering, said some old stereotypes persist, “that dads are sort of the co-pilots in their families,” absent or less involved than moms.

But she said the survey confirms that fathers “are quite involved in a variety of different and important ways.”

The study involved nearly

4,000 fathers aged 15 to 44 who were interviewed in person between 2006 and 2010. One caveat: They self-reported their involvement, without input from their partners or others. Most men were married or living with a partner.

Key findings among fathers living with children younger than 5:

—9 in 10 bathed, diapered, helped them use the toilet or get dressed at least several times weekly.

—Even higher numbers played with them and ate meals with them that often.

—Almost 2 out of 3 read to them at least several times weekly.

Among dads living with kids aged 5-18:

—More than 9 out of 10 ate meals with them at least several times weekly and talked with them about what happened during the kids' day that often.

—Almost 2 out of 3 helped with homework several times weekly.

—About half took their kids to or from activities that often.

Overall, almost 90 percent of dads said they thought they were doing at least a good job of fathering.

The researchers noted that during the study years, 45 percent of U.S. men — 28 million — aged 15 to 44 had a biological child. About the same number had a biological, adopted or non-related child living with them or an adopted or biological child living elsewhere.

Survey questions were based on whether dads were living with their biological or unrelated kids, or apart.

Most lived with their kids. Not surprisingly, men who didn't were less involved with parenting activities. Even so, several times weekly, at least 1 in 5 still managed to help bathe, diaper, dress, eat or play with their kids. Fathers of older children were generally less involved than those with kids younger than 5 but that's at least partly due to

the changing nature of parenting as children mature.

The survey suggests black fathers may be more involved than whites or Hispanics with some activities, including homework, but Jones downplayed racial differences and said some were not statistically significant.

Men with at least some college education were generally more involved with their kids than less educated fathers.

The CDC did a similar survey in 2002 that showed slightly less father involvement. Previous CDC surveys relied only on mothers' responses about family life so aren't comparable.

A national parenting survey by University of Maryland researchers found that in 2000, married U.S. fathers spent about two hours weekly interacting with their kids aged 18 and younger, more than double the time spent in 1965.

Dr. David Hill, a Wilmington, N.C., pediatrician and author of “Dad to Dad: Parenting Like a Pro,” said the survey echoes what he's seen among his patients' fathers. Increasingly, fathers rather than mothers take their kids to the doctor, he said. Some “are anxious about changing a diaper,” he said, but the study offers reassuring evidence “that everybody's doing this.”

Men weren't asked about employment, or whether they were stay-at-home dads, who still are rare though their ranks have increased. Census numbers show almost 190,000 nationwide last year versus 93,000 in 2000. Those numbers only include men whose wives have been employed for at least one year.

Loftus, the New York stay-at-home dad, said he feels lucky to be able to be such a hands-on father.

“I'm doing the most important job in the world,” he said.

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## FDA to make food safety rules more farmer-friendly

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Food and Drug Administration says it will revise sweeping food safety rules proposed earlier this year after farmers complained the rules could hurt business.

Michael Taylor, FDA's commissioner for foods, said the agency wants to make sure the rules are practical for farmers who have to abide by them. The rules proposed in January would require farmers to take new precautions against contamination, making sure workers' hands are washed, irrigation water is clean, and that animals stay out of fields. Food manufacturers would have to submit food safety plans to the government to show they are keeping their operations clean. Those changes would in many cases require new equipment, paperwork and record keeping.

Taylor said the agency's thinking has evolved after talking to farmers. “Because of the input we received from farmers and the concerns they expressed about the impact of these rules on their lives and livelihood, we realized that significant changes must be made, while ensuring that the proposed rules remain consistent with our food safety goals,” Taylor said in a blog post on the FDA website. The rules would mark the first time the FDA would have real authority to regulate food on farms, and the FDA said when it proposed the rules that they could cost large farms \$30,000 a year.

The food safety law was passed by Congress at the end of 2010, weeks before Republicans assumed control of the House. Since then, many GOP lawmakers have said the rules are too burdensome for farmers, and the House version of a five-year farm bill would delay some of the rules.





Christmas celebration

Senior citizens and staff gather round the Christmas tree at the Columbiana County Office on Aging located inside the Salem Memorial Building for the Adult Day Care party Thursday. Those pictured include: front, Ryan Vogla; seated from left, Almajean Brown, Ilah Meunier, Clarence Mallory; and standing from left, Alma Nortrup, Donna Manning, Kathy Cox, Libby Piccolo, Dee Kenney, Pat Stuckey and director/RN Juliann Davis. The Adult Day Care is open from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Thursday, with transportation, a hot lunch and activities provided. Passport and private pay are accepted. Earlier this week they had a visit from Santa, made cookies and celebrated December birthdays. The office is located on the ground floor of the Memorial Building, 785 E. State St., Salem. For information about the program, call Juliann Davis at 330-332-1163. (Submitted photo)

Vegan leather, faux fur are hot holiday gifts

ATLANTA (AP) — Finding a knockoff version of the fur you want under the Christmas tree would ordinarily be a disappointment. Not this year. Faux is the new black this season for holiday gifts. But this isn't the "pleather" of the 1980s — that cheap, plastic-looking material made popular by Michael Jackson during his "Thriller" days. A \$198 fuzzy brown coat at Banana Republic has a prominently placed tag that reads "faux fur." Dresses with "vegan leather" accents are flying off virtual shelves at shopbop.com. And at luxury retailer Barney's, a Marni faux leather three-quarter sleeve jacket sells for \$1,900. Faux is gaining popularity in part because there have been advances in technology enabling designers to make better-looking fakes. In a still-shaky economy that has made Americans more frugal, faux also can be seen as a good way to be trendy without breaking the bank. And a movement toward socially conscious shopping makes some people feel better about faux purchases. It helps that some A-listers have given faux their seal of approval. Models have been seen on the runway wearing faux leather pieces in shows for big-name designers like Tom Ford and Rag & Bone. And actresses Anne Hathaway and Kate Hudson have strutted on the red carpet in

faux leather and fur. While it's difficult to pin down overall sales for faux goods, retailers say they are benefiting from their growing popularity. Target says faux fur home goods like pillows and throws are performing "exceptionally well." And Macy's says new techniques used with faux leather, like scalloping and quilted stitching, have given tops and jackets "new relevance." "It used to be that 'faux' meant less expensive and quality less than desirable, but not any longer," said Josh Saterman, vice president and fashion director for millennials at Macy's. "Faux is a part of our next evolution to our fashion 'must-haves.'" Andrew Dent, who is a vice president at global materials consultancy Material Connexion, says that the trend is being fueled by the fact that faux fur and leather are nearly indistinguishable from the real thing nowadays. He said that's because designers are replacing older plastic like PVC with improved polyurethane that is more leather-like to the touch. They're also tapering synthetic fibers to make faux fur seem more luxe and softer. The improved quality is what spurred Brandon Vidal, 28, to buy two faux fur blankets as Christmas presents this year for his mother and a roommate. "They feel great," said Vidal, who lives in Calgary.

"They're warm and cozy and it is freezing up here in Canada." In addition to better technology, a growing social consciousness about buying fabric that doesn't involve cruelty to animals has made faux fashion more acceptable. "The fact that this is the season's big trend has to do with a social movement toward greater acceptability of faux versus real," said Alison Levy, senior manager at consulting firm Kurt Salmon. "It's seen as the right and responsible choice as opposed to cheaper value choice." That message certainly

struck a chord with Kristin Birkey's 7-year-old son after he asked for a real leather jacket for Christmas. "I explained to him what had to be done to make a leather jacket and he nearly started crying," said Birkey, 26, a marketing professional in Kokomo, Ind. Birkey happened to be wearing a faux leather jacket at the time. So her son asked for one like that instead. But for others, buying faux is a matter of simple mathematics. A \$69.50 faux fur neckwarmer is much cheaper than a designer version with real fur, which can run as much as \$1,000.

ACROSS OUR COMMUNITIES

**Lou Holtz Hall of Fame open Saturday**  
EAST LIVERPOOL — The Lou Holtz Hall of Fame will be open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday on the Christmas train display, the Polar Express and-sign up for the Lionel Penn Flyer freight train to be given away to a visitor. The drawing will be held at 5 p.m. Saturday. The winner does not need to be present to win.

**Salem 'Festive Lights' tour set Saturday**  
SALEM — Back by request, the Christmas "Festive Lights" tour has been scheduled for 6 p.m. Saturday on the Salem Historical Society Quakertown Trolley. Other times will be available if needed. Featured on the 45-minute tour are the winners of the Fabulous Five Festive Lights contest sponsored by the Salem Area Chamber of Commerce. Other drive-by sites will be included. Reservations are encouraged but, if space available, walk-ups are welcome. Loading on the Quakertown Trolley will be at the chamber of commerce parking lot on East State Street. Cost is \$2 for adults and \$1 for children. For further information and reservations, leave a message at 330-337-6733. Your call will be returned.

**MLK illustration contest planned**  
EAST LIVERPOOL — The East Liverpool-Wellsville NAACP and the East Liverpool Campus of Kent State University East Liverpool announce an illustration contest to celebrate the life of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Illustrations will be based on ideas of students about books by African Americans that have won or been honor books for the Coretta Scott King/American Library Association Awards. Students from three grade levels, kindergarten to second, third to fifth and sixth to eighth are eligible to enter work in the contest. An award will also be given for the best MLK March poster, a contest that can be entered by a person of any age who creates a poster and participates in the annual march. The Coretta Scott King Awards are given to African American authors whose work makes a contribution to peace and justice and demonstrates an awareness of African American history. The awards commemorate Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and his wife Coretta Scott King for continuing work toward peace and justice. Coretta Scott King Award books are available in local libraries. Books are available for readers from early childhood through high school. Entries for the contest should be delivered to Dr. Patti Swartz, Kent State University East Liverpool Campus, 400 East Fourth Street, East Liverpool by Jan. 10. Winners will be announced at the Wellsville Martin Luther King Celebration on Jan. 20. Prizes will be awarded by KSUEL. For more information contact Swartz at pswartz@kent.edu or 330-382-9574.

**Computer classes offered in Leetonia**  
LEETONIA— Computer classes are scheduled for January at the Leetonia Community Public Library. Two e-reader workshops are planned: 1 p.m. Monday, Jan. 13 and 6 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 30. A series of computer classes are also starting with the first one on "computer basics" at 6 p.m. Jan. 23 and the second on Internet searching at 6 p.m. Feb. 27. More classes in the series will include using Facebook for business and for social networking and other topics. Call the library at 330-427-6635 to register for these classes as space is limited.

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6. Your courage and bravery still inspire us all, and the memory of your smile fills us with joy.
7. Though out of sight, you'll forever be in heart and mind.
8. The days may come and go, but the times we shared will always remain.
9. May God's angels guide you and protect you throughout time.
10. You were a light in our life that burns forever in our hearts.
11. May God's graces shine over you for all time.
12. You are in our thoughts and prayers from morning to night and from year to year.
13. We send this message with a loving kiss for eternal rest and happiness.
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**FRI/20 BOARDMAN**  
Gamblers Anonymous meeting, 7:30 p.m., Westminster Church, 119 Stadium Dr.; 330-505-5060.

**CANFIELD**  
Alzheimer Network family support group meeting, 10 a.m., Canfield Christian Church, 123 S. Broad St.; 330-788-9755.

**EAST PALESTINE**  
Food pantry at the Grace Lutheran Church, open 9:30-11 a.m., for East Palestine School District residents.

**LEETONIA**  
Leetonia High School Class of 1962, breakfast, 9 a.m., Skyline Diner in Salem.

**NEW WATERFORD**  
"The First Christmas," 7 p.m., New Waterford United Methodist Church, 46925 state Route 46; free dinner, 6 p.m. Reservations, 330-457-7436.

**SALEM**  
Food distribution, 9-11:30 a.m., Salem Community Pantry, 794 E. Third St.

Addiction recovery, open meeting, 7 p.m., Faith Chapel, 511 E. Pershing St.; 330-332-8573.

Stuffed meatloaf dinner with mashed potatoes, corn, salad and cake, \$6, Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 892, 496 Arch St.; carryouts available.

Dance, 9 p.m.-midnight, Salem Eagles Club; music by Cowboy Up. Kitchen open 8-10 p.m.

**SAT/21 COLUMBIANA**  
Crestview Middle School Drama Club's "Ebenezer's Christmas Carol," 7 p.m., Performing Arts Center; free admission.

**DAMASCUS**  
Monthly community breakfast, 7-11 a.m., Damascus United Methodist Church, 300 Valley Road; \$5 for adults, \$3 for children under 10.

**EAST PALESTINE**  
Santa Claus will visit with children from 6-9 p.m. in the brick pavilion at East Palestine Park.

Ugly Christmas Sweater Dance, 8-11 p.m., East Palestine Eagles Club.

**LEETONIA**  
Friends of the Library luncheon, noon-2 p.m., Leetonia library; register, 330-427-6635.

**MINERVA**  
Tri-County Opry's annual Christmas show, 7 p.m., Roxy Theater, 114 N. Market St.; doors open at 6:30 p.m.

**SALEM**  
All-you-can-eat homemade breakfast, 7-10 a.m., Saxon Club; \$6, includes beverage. All-you-can eat eggs, bacon, sausage, biscuits and sausage gravy, hashbrowns, pancakes, waffles, pastries.

Kitchen open 5-7:30 p.m., Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 892, 496 Arch St., burgers, fries, etc. Ugly Christmas sweater contest, 8 p.m., prizes awarded; 330-337-8015.

Christmas "Festive Lights" tour, 6 p.m., on the Salem Historical Society Quakertown Trolley, loading at the chamber of commerce parking lot on East State Street; \$2 for adults, \$1 for children. Reservations, 330-337-6733.

**WINONA**  
Food distribution, 10 a.m.-noon, Winona Friends Church, 4615 Whinnery Road.

**SUN/22 COLUMBIANA**  
Seasons of Hope, support group for the bereaved, meeting, 3 p.m., St. Jude Church, 180 Seventh St.; 330-402-5450 or 330-482-2351.

**CORNERBURG**  
Gamblers Anonymous meeting, 7:30 p.m., Christ Church Presbyterian, 3425 Hopkins Road; 330-505-5060.

**EAST PALESTINE**  
Santa Claus will visit with children from 6-9 p.m. in the brick pavilion at East Palestine Park.

**SALEM**

Blue Christmas Service, 7 p.m., Holy Trinity Lutheran Church.

**WASHINGTONVILLE**  
Breakfast, 8-11 a.m., Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5532; carry-outs available, 330-427-2522.

**MON/23 COLUMBIANA**  
TOPS 720, Presbyterian Church, weigh-ins, 9-9:35 a.m.; 330-482-5946.

**EAST PALSTINE**  
East Palestine Village Council, regular meeting, 7 p.m.

**ELKTON**  
Elkrun Township trustees, meeting, 7 p.m., township administration garage building on state Route 154.

**LEETONIA**  
Christmas celebration with Santa, 6-8 p.m., Leetonia library.

**LISBON**  
Al-Anon meeting, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Fleming House, 7300 Rose Dr.

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**SALEM**  
No Banquet in Salem today.

R-Weigh groups, meetings canceled due to the holidays; meetings resume Jan. 6.

Food distribution, 9-11:30 a.m., Salem Community Pantry, 794 E. Third St.

R-Weigh weight groups, 1:45 and 6:15 p.m., First Friends Church. Weigh-ins 1-1:30 p.m. and 5-6 p.m.; 330-332-1078.

Emotions Anonymous meeting, 2-3 p.m., Holy Trinity Church; 330-337-3089.

TOPS 1380, 6:15 p.m., Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 251 S. Broadway Ave.; 330-584-7952.

**WED/25 SALEM**  
Christmas Banquet in Salem, 5 p.m., Memorial Building; turkey, ham, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, applesauce, ice cream sundaes.

**THU/26 ALLIANCE**  
Alzheimer's Association, caregiver support group meeting, 2 p.m. Rodman Public Library, 215 E. Broadway St.; 330-650-0552 or 800-272-3900.

**BELOIT**  
West Branch school board, 7:30 p.m., high school media center.

**DAMASCUS**  
TOPS Chapter 1329, 9:30 a.m., Damascus United Methodist Church; 330-537-3796.

**LEETONIA**  
Veterans Outpost support meetings, 7 p.m., Point Man of Leetonia, 116 1/2 Oak St.; 330-692-1832.

**LISBON**  
Area Singles Group meeting, 6 p.m., Chef's Table.

**SALEM**  
No Fourth Thursday Banquet in Salem today.

**FRI/27 SALEM**  
Food distribution, 9-11:30 a.m., Salem Community Pantry, 794 E. Third St.

Salem Community Hospital and Salem Community Center co-sponsoring an American Red Cross blood drive, 1-7 p.m. at

the SCC; appointments, 800-RED-CROSS.

Addiction recovery, open meeting, 7 p.m., Faith Chapel, 511 E. Pershing St.; 330-332-8573.

**SAT/28 NORTH LIMA**  
All-you-can-eat breakfast buffet, 7-10 a.m., North Lima Mennonite Church, 90 Mennonite Drive; 330-549-2333.

**SALEM**  
Public breakfast buffet, 7:30-10 a.m., Masonic Building, 788 E. State St., \$6 for adults, \$3 for children under age 10 and free for children under 2; pancakes, waffles, sausage, bacon, scrambled eggs, homemade sausage gravy, biscuits, homefries, toast, fruit cocktail, orange juice, coffee, tea.

Concealed carry class, Salem Hunting Club. Pre-registration required, 330-332-9847; www.salemhuntingclub.com.

Salem High School Class of 1969, lunch, 12:30 p.m., BB Rooners.

**SUN/29 COLUMBIANA**  
Seasons of Hope, support group for the bereaved, meeting, 3 p.m., St. Jude Church, 180 Seventh St.; 330-402-5450 or 330-482-2351.

**WASHINGTONVILLE**  
Breakfast, 8-11 a.m., Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5532; carry-outs available, 330-427-2522.

**MON/30 ALLIANCE**  
Alzheimer's Association, Caregiver Support Group, 2 p.m., Rodman Public Library, 215 E. Broadway St.; 330-650-0552 or 800-272-3900.

**COLUMBIANA**  
TOPS 720, Presbyterian Church, weigh-ins, 9-9:35 a.m.; 330-482-5946.



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► **WRESTLING — MINERVA AT SALEM**



Above, Salem’s Zain Rogers tussles with Minerva’s Jesse McGee during a 145-pound match Thursday at Salem High School. Below left, Salem’s Kade Byland is pinned by Minerva’s Dalton Hartshorn in a 152-pound match. Below right, Salem’s Tyler McCoy prepares to battle Minerva’s Cainen Bryant in a 170-pound match. For results, see 2B. (Salem News/Gary Leininger)



► **BASKETBALL**

## Crestview girls squeeze by United

By **NATHAN BOLEY**  
Staff Writer

COLUMBIANA — They call it the ‘clutch gene.’ Some people have it, others don’t.

Count Crestview freshman Alexis Gates among those that do.

Gates coolly made a pair of free throws with 2.6 seconds left to lead the Rebels over United 34-33 on Thursday.

“I just really needed to make them to put us ahead,” Gates said. “I was really nervous. I was thinking about beating a team that hadn’t really been beat in five years.”

Gates’ foul throws came at the end of a chaotic second half that saw Crestview (4-4, 4-1 Inter-Tri County League upper tier) claw back from a halftime deficit.

Trailing 18-14 at the half, the Rebels ignited a 8-0 run midway through the third quarter to nab their first lead of the game. Crestview senior Anna Hardenbrook scored seven points in that span.

“Anna has been our rock-solid player all year,” Crestview coach Rick Gates said. “She’s our senior leader and only starter back. When the game was on the line and things got tough, she stepped up.”

It was a sharp contrast to the second half, where the Golden Eagles held Crestview to 14 points.

“We didn’t come out in the third quarter and own the boards like we did in the first half,” United coach Sam Mathias said. “They got a couple more chances and putbacks that hurt us.”

The Rebels led 27-24 after the third quarter, though United (5-2, 3-2) crept back while Hardenbrook sat due to foul trouble.

“We went with another guard,” coach Gates said. “At that point, we were hoping to get another guard a good shot and cover de-

fensively with a guard instead of a post.”

Hardenbrook fouled out with 1:02 remaining. United senior Mackenzie Gatchel made a pair of foul shots to grab a 33-32 lead with just 25 seconds to play.

That’s when Alexis Gates stepped up.

“I drive and get a lot of fouls called,” Alexis said. “That’s what I practice, free throw shots.”

They certainly paid off.

Gates finished with seven points for the Rebels. Hardenbrook had 10 points, 11 rebounds and three steals. Emilee Chlebus scored eight points, while Tristen Huff added five points and two assists.

The loss puts United in an unfamiliar position — trying to halt a losing streak. After their 35-game ITCL winning streak was snapped on Tuesday with a 53-32 loss to Springfield, the Golden Eagles have sunk into a minor tailspin.

“They’re going to continue to work hard,” Mathias said. “We know we’re still in a league race. We still have to play South Range twice, Crestview and Springfield once. Those are the teams that are ahead of us.”

United, Crestview and Springfield all entered Tuesday’s games with identical 3-1 conference records. South Range leads the upper tier at 5-0. After the Rebels, Tigers and Raiders all won on Thursday, the Golden Eagles tumble to fourth place.

“This group’s not going to quit,” Mathias said. “They’re young and learning their lessons right now. Whatever happens this year, we’re going to improve out of it.”

Gatchel led United with seven points, seven steals, six assists and five rebounds. Sydney Moats, Kassie Chestnut, and Shanna Miller all had six points.

In jayvee action, Crestview

**See UNITED, 2B**



United’s Sydney Moats passes the ball as she fends off Crestview’s Hope Halas during a game Thursday at Crestview. (Salem News/Patti Schaeffer)



► WRESTLING

# Quakers crushed by Lions

SALEM — It wasn't a good night for Salem's wrestling team as Minerva topped the Quakers 74-0 on Thursday.

Salem falls to 0-7 and 0-3 in the Northeastern Buckeye Conference.

Minerva won eight matches by pin.

106: Lucas (Min) win by forfeit  
113: Seth McGee (Min) pin Fullum, 1:49  
120: Hancock (Min) pin Kellogg, 2:27  
126: Hrusch (Min) pin Wheeler, :58  
132: Canonico (Min) pin Crouse, 1:52  
138: Zbasnik (Min) pin Bickerton, :43  
145: McGee (Min) pin Rogers, 3:59  
152: Harshorn (Min) dec Byland, 10-4  
160: Grubb (Min) pin Johnson, 3:49  
170: Bryant (Min) dec McCoy, 13-5  
182: Walter (Min) dec Metzgar, 7-6  
195: Fritz (Min) dec Wynyard, 12-3  
220: Hoppel (Min) win by forfeit  
285: Smith (Min) pin Wertz, 1:06

# GIRLS FROM 1B

won 24-20. Danielle Yanssens led the Rebels with 16 points. Haleigh Anderson had seven points for United.

UNITED: 12-6-9 — 33  
CRESTVIEW: 8-6-13 — 34

UNITED SCORING: Lauren Beech 0-0-0, Sydney Moats 2-2-6, Kassie Chestnut 3-0-6, Mackenzie Gatchel 2-3-7, Shanna Miller 3-0-6, Morgan Smith 2-0-4, Mackenzie Firth 0-0-0, Jenna Plummer 2-0-4. TOTALS: 14, 5-11: 33.

CRESTVIEW SCORING: Alexis Gates 1-5-7, Emilee Chelbus 3-2-8, Anna Hard-enbrook 4-2-10, Tristan Huff 1-3-5, Emily Ferris 0-1-1, Hope Halas 0-0-0, Sydni Bowker 1-0-3, Dana Drinnon 0-0-0. TO-TALS: 10, 13-23: 34.

Three-pointers made: Crestview 1 (Bowker).

► GIRLS BASKETBALL

# South Range overtakes Lisbon

LISBON — Morgan Czopur had 17 points and Starla Sharp added 15 more as South Range maintained control of the ITCL upper tier lead with a 60-43 win over Lisbon on Thursday.

South Range is 5-0 in the league and leads Springfield and Crestview by one game. Defending champion United is two games back.

Lisbon falls to 2-4 and 1-4.

Tiffany Ketchum had 12 points for the Devils. Sarah Boyd added nine boards.

Range won the jayvee game, 66-40. Taylor Naples had 23 points for the winners. Karlee Pezzano added 16 points.

S. RANGE: 11-14-17-18 — 60  
LISBON: 8-12-13-10 — 43

S. RANGE SCORING: Ashley Sharp 3-1-7, Kendall Sims 0-1-1, Jordan Youngs 2-0-4, Morgan Czopur 5-4-17, Starla Sharp 7-1-15, Sierra Petrella 4-0-8, Sara Durr 4-0-8. TEAM TOTALS: 25, 7-15: 60.

LISBON SCORING: Tiffany Ketchum 4-4-12, Karlee Pezzano 3-3-9, Sarah Boyd 1-4-6, Hannah Prasco 0-4-4, Taylor Siefke 4-0-8, Mackenzie Madison 1-2-4. TEAM TOTALS: 13, 17-32: 43.

Three-point goals: S. Range 3 (Czopur).

Wellsville 59, Leetonia 22

LEETONIA — Shartece Taylor tallied 14 points while Sabrina Thompson and Brittany Clendenning had 11 points each as Wellsville topped Leetonia 59-22 on Thursday in Inter-Tri County League lower tier action.

The Tigers led 23-12 at the half before pulling

away in the third quarter.

Ashley Bennett was the Tigers' top rebounder with eight.

Leetonia falls to 3-5, 1-4.

The Bears host Jackson-Milton on Monday.

Wellsville won the jayvee game 30-27. Rasheeda Kalam had 15 points for the winners. McKensy Gardner had eight points for the Bears.

WELLSVILLE: 12-11-21-15 — 59  
LEETONIA: 8-4-6-4 — 22

WELLSVILLE SCORING: Sabrina Thompson 5-1-11, Brittany Clendenning 4-3-11, Shartece Taylor 7-0-14, Kallee Powell 2-0-4, Kira Kelly 1-0-2, Destiny Crow 3-0-6, Rasheeda Kalam 1-0-2, Ashley Bennett 4-0-8, Autumn Harris 0-1-1. TEAM TOTALS: 27, 5-9: 59.

LEETONIA SCORING: Mekensy Gardner 0-0-0, Maddie Penhold 2-0-4, Casey Grace 1-0-2, Mara Newton 1-0-2, Trisha Ogle 0-0-0, Emily Schneider 2-2-6, Julia Chuey 0-0-0, Haley Scoville 1-0-2, Autimn Champ-ney 0-2-2, Tori Norman 2-0-4. TEAM TOTALS: 9-53, 4-8: 22.

Three-point goals: None.

Western Resere 72, Southern 25

BERLIN CENTER — Tory White had 15 points as Western Reserve kept control of the lead in the Inter-Tri County League lower tier with a 72-25 win over Southern on Thurs-day.

Aleah Hughes added 13 points, while Rachel Maslach and Lauren Falasca poured in 10 each. Gabby Stubbs was the top rebounder with 10.

Abby Smalley and Brit-tany Webber had eight points each for Southern.

Western Reserve is 5-2 and 5-0.

The Blue Devils won the

jayvee portion 38-13. Syd-ney Miller and Maddie Kreitzburg had eight points each for the winners.

Western Reserve hosts Lake Center on Monday.

SOUTHERN: 5-4-6-10 — 25  
W. RESERVE: 24-17-16-15 — 72

SOUTHERN SCORING: McKen-zie Mosti 0-0-0, Sarah Phillis 0-0-0, Abby Smalley 4-0-8, Natalie Utt 2-2-6, Natalie May 0-0-0, Brittany Web-ber 2-4-8, Beckah Phillis 1-1-3. TEAM TOTALS: 9, 7-12: 25.

W. RESERVE SCORING: Sydney Miller 0-2-2, Lauren Falasca 4-1-10, Bethany Burger 2-0-5, Rachel Maslach 5-0-10, Paige Ewing 3-2-8, Gabby Doran 0-0-0, Taylor Kilbert 1-0-2, Emily Henderson 0-0-0, Tory White 5-2-15, Maddie Kreitzburg 2-0-6, Gabby Stubbs 0-0-0, Aleah Hughes 5-3-13, Heather Lude 0-1-1. TEAM TOTALS: 27, 11-15: 72.

Three-point goals: Western Re-serve 7 (White 3, Kreitzburg 2, Falasca, Burger).

Jackson-Milton 42, East Palestine 30

NORTH JACKSON — Jackson-Milton secured a 42-30 win over East Pale-stine on Thursday.

The Bluejays are 3-4 and 3-2 in the ITCL upper tier.

Becca Jones and Kaitlyn Totani had 10 points and eight rebounds each for the winners.

Marisa Gorby had 13 points for the Bulldogs.

East Palestine won the jayvee game, 27-19. Sadie Walker had 15 points for the Bulldogs.

E. PALESTINE: 3-8-5-14 — 30  
J. MILTON: 17-4-15-11 — 42

E. PALESTINE: Hannah Hall 0-1-1, Haley Hall 1-2-4, Marisa Gorby 4-3-13, Abby Fuller 2-0-4, Kelsey McKim 2-0-4, Courtney Weber 1-2-4. TEAM TOTALS: 10-47, 8-16: 32.

J. MILTON SCORING: Becca Jones 5-0-10, Gabby Tharp 2-0-5,

Kaitlyn Totani 3-2-10, Izzy Scarl 2-1-5, Kaitlyn Rago 1-1-3, Ashley Totani 0-2-2, Maddy Tomaino 3-1-7. TEAM TOTALS: 16-45, 7-13: 42.

Three-point goals: East Palestine 2 (Gorby), J. Milton 3 (Totani 2, Tharp).

Sebring 61, McDonald 30

MCDONALD — Se-bring's good start contin-ued with a 61-30 win over McDonald on Thursday.

Kelsi Settle had 22 points and 11 rebounds for the winners, 7-2, 4-1 in the ITCL lower tier.

Murphy Flowers added 13 points and five assists.

Sebring hosts Southing-ton on Monday in the old Brook Gym.

SEBRING: 11-14-17-19 — 61  
MCDONALD: 3-12-4-11 — 30

SEBRING SCORING: McKenna Meir 3-0-6, Sydney Smith 1-0-2, Ari-anna Papic 2-0-4, Murphy Flowers 4-2-13, Kelsi Settle 9-4-22, Nikita McMullen 4-0-8, Isis Ketchum 3-0-6. TEAM TOTALS: 26, 6-11: 61.

MCDONALD SCORING: Brenna Rupe 3-1-7, Sarah Joseph 2-5-9, Alissa Ritz 1-3-5, Sam Johnson 1-0-2, Sam Homa 1-0-2, Sierra Welch 0-2-2, Madison Kraynek 1-0-2, Morgan Green 0-1-1. TEAM TOTALS: 8, 8-17: 30.

Three-point goals: Sebring 3 (Flowers).

Springfield 78, Mineral Ridge 41

MINERAL RIDGE — Springfield handed Min-eral Ridge a lopsided de-feat, 78-41, on Thursday.

The Tigers are now 6-2 and are tied for second place with Crestview in the upper tier.

Mary Ritter led Spring-field with 19 points. Jillian Tabaka scored 16 while Baylee Felger added 14.

Springfield will visit Poland on December 27.

SPRING: 12-13-25-28 — 78  
RIDGE: 11-11-8-11 — 41

SPRINGFIELD SCORING: Baylee Felger 7-0-14, Kennedy Richey 3-0-7, Jillian Tabaka 8-0-16, Callie Ford 8-3-19, Mary Ritter 5-0-10, Emily Stacy 2-0-4, Joanie Foster 2-0-4, Kasey Kohler 1-0-2, Rachel Leach 1-0-2. TOTALS: 37, 3-9: 78.

RIDGE SCORING: Gleason 0-2-2, Harris 1-0-2, Allen 4-2-10, Harkins 6-5-17, Governor 1-3-5, Reese 1-3-5. TOTALS: 13, 15-26: 41.

Three-pointers made: Springfield 1 (Richey).

Columbiana 52, Lowellville 24

LOWELLVILLE — Columbiana picked up its fifth win of the season with a 52-24 victory over Low-ellville on Thursday.

The Clippers are now 5-1 for the year.

Baylie Mook led Columbiana with 19 points. Emily Witmer added 12 points.

Courtney Conklin had 12 points for the Rockets.

In jayvee action, Columbiana won 71-17.

The Clippers will host Southern on Monday.

COL.: 10-17-16-11 — 52  
LOWELLVILLE: 3-9-2-10 — 24

COLUMBIANA SCORING: Baylie Mook 8-3-19, Emily Witmer 5-1-12, Bri Gingham 1-1-4, Lauren Schlueter 2-1-5, Aleah Whitacre 3-0-6, Mollie Donnelly 1-1-4, Elise Hammond 1-0-2. TOTALS: 21, 7-14: 52.

LOWELLVILLE SCORING: Emily Petrella 2-1-6, Courtney Conklin 6-0-12, Pam Chickalowe 1-0-2, Madison Bolen 1-0-2, Madison Vanover 1-0-2. TOTALS: 11, 1-6: 24.

Three-pointers made: Columbiana 3 (Witmer, Gingham, Donnelly), Lowellville 1 (Petrella).

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THE GAME

- No. 1 ranked University of Mount Union plays No. 5 ranked University of Wisconsin-Whitewater in the NCAA Division III National Championship Game — the Amos Alonzo Stagg Bowl — at 7 p.m. today at Salem Stadium in Salem, Va.
- The game will be broadcast live on ESPN and ESPN3 (check with your cable/satellite provider for information).
- Whitewater is 14-0 overall and in the tournament after winning the Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference title and its automatic bid. The Warhawks are making their 11th playoff appearance with a 37-6 record in the playoffs including a 31-7 win over St. Norbert (Wis.) in the first round, a 33-3 win over Franklin (Ind.) in the second round, a 28-17 quarterfinal win over Linfield (Ore.) and a 16-15 victory in the semifinals at Mary Hardin-Baylor (Texas).
- The Purple Raiders are 14-0 overall and one of 24 conference champions to claim an automatic bid as Mount Union won its 22nd straight and 25th overall Ohio Athletic Conference championship with a 9-0 record.
- Mount Union has a 82-13 record in NCAA playoff games including a 34-20 win against Washington & Jefferson (Pa.) in the first round, a 56-21 win over Wittenberg in the second round, a 62-59 win over Wesley (Del.) in the quarterfinals with a 41-40 semifinal win against North Central (Ill.).



At left, Mount Union's Nick Rodriguez shares the bench with coach Clyde Ross earlier this season. Ross, a Damascus resident, is in his 17th season as the kicking coach. He returned this season after a two-year absence. At right, West Branch High School graduate Steve McNeely is in his second season as the quarterbacks coach at the University of Mount Union. (Salem News/Ron Firth)



# Familiar foes Mount Union and Wis-Whitewater meet again

SALEM, Va. (AP) — It will be familiar opponents when Mount Union and Wisconsin-Whitewater meet in the Amos Alonzo Stagg Bowl for the Division III national championship Friday night at Salem Stadium.

But there will a new twist.

The teams have been the last two standing in Division III in eight of the past nine seasons, but the Purple Raiders of Mount Union (14-0) got there this year with a new coach, 37-year-old Vince Kehres.

Kehres is the son and former defensive coordinator under his father, Larry Kehres, who guided the Purple Raiders to 21 unbeaten regular seasons and 11 national championships in 27 years as coach.

"You can see that they haven't really skipped a beat with Vince taking over for his father," Warhawks coach Lance Leipold said this week. The older Kehres retired after last season, when he won his 11th national championship, with a career record of 332-24-3, and

Leipold dealt him four of those losses.

The Warhawks had won three in a row before last season, when they missed the playoffs entirely while Mount Union gave Larry Kehres a retirement gift with a 28-10 victory against St. Thomas (Minn.).

When Kehres retired in May, but remained as athletic director, his son took over. Vince Kehres played for the Purple Raiders and was connected in some way to 10 of the 11 national championship winners.

"I feel like I got handed the keys to a Cadillac, and I put a coat of wax on it and I gassed it up," Vince Kehres said. "The football program at Mount Union didn't need a lot of touching up."

Especially not with Kevin Burke, last year's Stagg Bowl MVP and this year's Gagliardi winner as the top player in Division III returning. Burke has thrown for 3,514 yards and 44 touchdowns with just seven interceptions, and he's run for another 1,035 yards and 13 touchdowns, often on play-saving

scrambles.

In the last two weeks, Burke has guided the Purple Raiders to a 62-59 victory against Wesley, and last week's 41-40 victory against North Central (Ill.).

It has been, Kehres said, "a wild ride."

The Warhawks, by contrast, advanced by beating Linfield 28-17 in the quarterfinals, then edged Mary Hardin-Baylor 16-15 last weekend. Leipold, though, said none of that will matter come Friday night, and with his 100-man roster including 47 freshmen, he hopes the Warhawks' history will help fill in some gaps.

"Hopefully we can take in the confidence that we've had some success in past years," he said.

They've also had success this season, especially their quarterback.

Matt Behrendt has thrown for 3,041 yards with 36 TDs and one interception.

It should all make for another competitive showdown between the teams.

# Fechko, Burke named to All-America team

ALLIANCE — Mount Union senior defensive lineman Matt Fechko and junior quarterback Kevin Burke have been named to the Associated Press Little All-America Team.

The AP Little All-America team honors the top football players in Division II, III and NAIA.

Fechko was named to the first team and was also named to the AFCA All-America team earlier this week.

He has started all 14 games and was awarded Ohio Athletic Conference's Paul Hoernemann Award as the conference's top defensive lineman this season. He has 40 tackles, 5.5 sacks and a forced fumble. That forced fumble came on a sack in this past week's NCAA Playoff semifinal against North Central.

A four-year starter, Fechko has never missed a game as he will play in his 60th game and make his 58th start this week. This season, the team captain also played offensive tackle the first three games this season.

Burke was named to the third team after winning the Gagliardi Trophy as the top all-around player in NCAA Division III football last night.

Burke is 29-0 as the Purple Raiders' starting quarterback. A year ago, he earned All-American honors and was the OAC's Bob Packard Offensive Back of the Year as he led Mount Union to a 15-0 record, an Ohio Athletic Conference title and a record 11th NCAA Division III title.

This season as the only returning starter on offense, he has led an offense that is currently the nation's top scoring offense as the Raiders are 13-0, ranked No. 1 in the nation, won their 22nd straight OAC title and are in the national semifinals for a 19th straight season.

This season he is the nation's No. 1 rated passer and leads the nation with 44 touchdown passes. He has completed 63-percent of his passes (212-of-337) for 3,514 yards while he is also the team's second leading rusher with 904 rushing yards and eight touchdowns. His 1,035 rushing yards is a school single season record for a quarterback.

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NFL standings

National Football League

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

|             | W  | L | T | Pct   | PF  | PA  |
|-------------|----|---|---|-------|-----|-----|
| New England | 10 | 4 | 0 | 0.714 | 369 | 311 |
| Miami       | 8  | 6 | 0 | 0.571 | 310 | 296 |
| N.Y. Jets   | 6  | 8 | 0 | 0.429 | 246 | 367 |
| Buffalo     | 5  | 9 | 0 | 0.357 | 300 | 354 |

South

|                | W | L  | T | Pct   | PF  | PA  |
|----------------|---|----|---|-------|-----|-----|
| y-Indianapolis | 9 | 5  | 0 | 0.643 | 338 | 319 |
| Tennessee      | 5 | 9  | 0 | 0.357 | 326 | 355 |
| Jacksonville   | 4 | 10 | 0 | 0.286 | 221 | 399 |
| Houston        | 2 | 12 | 0 | 0.143 | 253 | 375 |

North

|            | W | L  | T | Pct   | PF  | PA  |
|------------|---|----|---|-------|-----|-----|
| Cincinnati | 9 | 5  | 0 | 0.643 | 354 | 274 |
| Baltimore  | 8 | 6  | 0 | 0.571 | 296 | 277 |
| Pittsburgh | 6 | 8  | 0 | 0.429 | 321 | 332 |
| Cleveland  | 4 | 10 | 0 | 0.286 | 288 | 362 |

West

|               | W  | L  | T | Pct   | PF  | PA  |
|---------------|----|----|---|-------|-----|-----|
| x-Denver      | 11 | 3  | 0 | 0.786 | 535 | 372 |
| x-Kansas City | 11 | 3  | 0 | 0.786 | 399 | 255 |
| San Diego     | 7  | 7  | 0 | 0.500 | 343 | 311 |
| Oakland       | 4  | 10 | 0 | 0.286 | 295 | 393 |

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

|              | W | L  | T | Pct   | PF  | PA  |
|--------------|---|----|---|-------|-----|-----|
| Philadelphia | 8 | 6  | 0 | 0.571 | 364 | 349 |
| Dallas       | 7 | 7  | 0 | 0.500 | 393 | 385 |
| N.Y. Giants  | 5 | 9  | 0 | 0.357 | 251 | 357 |
| Washington   | 3 | 11 | 0 | 0.214 | 305 | 434 |

South

|             | W  | L  | T | Pct   | PF  | PA  |
|-------------|----|----|---|-------|-----|-----|
| New Orleans | 10 | 4  | 0 | 0.714 | 359 | 270 |
| Carolina    | 10 | 4  | 0 | 0.714 | 328 | 208 |
| Tampa Bay   | 4  | 10 | 0 | 0.286 | 258 | 324 |
| Atlanta     | 4  | 10 | 0 | 0.286 | 309 | 388 |

North

|           | W | L | T | Pct   | PF  | PA  |
|-----------|---|---|---|-------|-----|-----|
| Chicago   | 8 | 6 | 0 | 0.571 | 406 | 391 |
| Green Bay | 7 | 6 | 1 | 0.536 | 353 | 362 |
| Detroit   | 7 | 7 | 0 | 0.500 | 362 | 339 |
| Minnesota | 4 | 9 | 1 | 0.321 | 363 | 425 |

West

|               | W  | L | T | Pct   | PF  | PA  |
|---------------|----|---|---|-------|-----|-----|
| x-Seattle     | 12 | 2 | 0 | 0.857 | 380 | 205 |
| San Francisco | 10 | 4 | 0 | 0.714 | 349 | 228 |
| Arizona       | 9  | 5 | 0 | 0.643 | 342 | 291 |
| St. Louis     | 6  | 8 | 0 | 0.429 | 316 | 324 |

x-clinched playoff spot

y-clinched division

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Sunday, Dec. 22

Tampa Bay at St. Louis, 1 p.m.

Indianapolis at Kansas City, 1 p.m.

Denver at Houston, 1 p.m.

Miami at Buffalo, 1 p.m.

New Orleans at Carolina, 1 p.m.

Dallas at Washington, 1 p.m.

Cleveland at N.Y. Jets, 1 p.m.

Minnesota at Cincinnati, 1 p.m.

Tennessee at Jacksonville, 1 p.m.

Arizona at Seattle, 4:05 p.m.

N.Y. Giants at Detroit, 4:05 p.m.

Oakland at San Diego, 4:25 p.m.

Pittsburgh at Green Bay, 4:25 p.m.

New England at Baltimore, 4:25 p.m.

Chicago at Philadelphia, 8:30 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 23

Atlanta at San Francisco, 8:40 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 29

Green Bay at Chicago, 1 p.m.

Houston at Tennessee, 1 p.m.

Philadelphia at Dallas, 1 p.m.

Detroit at Minnesota, 1 p.m.

Tampa Bay at New Orleans, 1 p.m.

Carolina at Atlanta, 1 p.m.

Cleveland at Pittsburgh, 1 p.m.

Washington at N.Y. Giants, 1 p.m.

Baltimore at Cincinnati, 1 p.m.

Jacksonville at Indianapolis, 1 p.m.

N.Y. Jets at Miami, 1 p.m.

Buffalo at New England, 1 p.m.

Denver at Oakland, 4:25 p.m.

Kansas City at San Diego, 4:25 p.m.

St. Louis at Seattle, 4:25 p.m.

San Francisco at Arizona, 4:25 p.m.

NBA standings

National Basketball Association

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

|              | W  | L  | Pct  | GB |
|--------------|----|----|------|----|
| Boston       | 12 | 15 | .444 | —  |
| Toronto      | 9  | 14 | .391 | 1  |
| Brooklyn     | 9  | 16 | .360 | 2  |
| New York     | 8  | 17 | .320 | 3  |
| Philadelphia | 7  | 19 | .269 | 4½ |

Southeast Division

|            | W  | L  | Pct  | GB  |
|------------|----|----|------|-----|
| Miami      | 19 | 6  | .760 | —   |
| Atlanta    | 14 | 12 | .538 | 5½  |
| Charlotte  | 12 | 14 | .462 | 7½  |
| Washington | 11 | 13 | .458 | 7½  |
| Orlando    | 8  | 18 | .308 | 11½ |

Central Division

|           | W  | L  | Pct  | GB  |
|-----------|----|----|------|-----|
| Indiana   | 20 | 5  | .800 | —   |
| Detroit   | 13 | 14 | .481 | 8   |
| Cleveland | 9  | 15 | .375 | 10½ |
| Chicago   | 9  | 16 | .360 | 11  |
| Milwaukee | 5  | 20 | .200 | 15  |

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Southwest Division

|             | W  | L  | Pct  | GB |
|-------------|----|----|------|----|
| San Antonio | 20 | 5  | .800 | —  |
| Houston     | 17 | 9  | .654 | 3½ |
| Dallas      | 15 | 10 | .600 | 5  |
| New Orleans | 11 | 13 | .458 | 8½ |
| Memphis     | 10 | 15 | .400 | 10 |

Northwest Division

|               | W  | L  | Pct  | GB  |
|---------------|----|----|------|-----|
| Oklahoma City | 21 | 4  | .840 | —   |
| Portland      | 22 | 5  | .815 | —   |
| Denver        | 14 | 10 | .583 | 6½  |
| Minnesota     | 13 | 13 | .500 | 8½  |
| Utah          | 7  | 21 | .250 | 15½ |

Pacific Division

|               | W  | L  | Pct  | GB |
|---------------|----|----|------|----|
| L.A. Clippers | 18 | 9  | .667 | —  |
| Phoenix       | 14 | 10 | .583 | 2½ |
| Golden State  | 14 | 12 | .538 | 3½ |
| L.A. Lakers   | 12 | 13 | .480 | 5  |
| Sacramento    | 7  | 17 | .292 | 9½ |

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Thursday's Games

Oklahoma City 107, Chicago 95

San Antonio at Golden State, (n)

Friday's Games

Brooklyn at Philadelphia, 7 p.m.

Milwaukee at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.

Sacramento at Miami, 7:30 p.m.

Utah at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.

Charlotte at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.

Houston at Indiana, 8 p.m.

Toronto at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.

Phoenix at Denver, 9 p.m.

Minnesota at L.A. Lakers, 10:30 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Memphis at New York, 12 p.m.

Washington at Boston, 1 p.m.

Sacramento at Orlando, 7 p.m.

Houston at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.

Utah at Charlotte, 7:30 p.m.

Cleveland at Chicago, 8 p.m.

Philadelphia at Milwaukee, 8:30 p.m.

Oklahoma City at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.

Dallas at Phoenix, 9 p.m.

New Orleans at Portland, 10 p.m.

L.A. Lakers at Golden State, 10:30 p.m.

Denver at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m.

NHL standings

National Hockey League

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

|           | GP | W  | L  | OT | Pts | GF  | GA  |
|-----------|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| Boston    | 35 | 23 | 10 | 2  | 48  | 96  | 74  |
| Tampa Bay | 35 | 21 | 11 | 3  | 45  | 97  | 84  |
| Montreal  | 37 | 21 | 13 | 3  | 45  | 92  | 81  |
| Detroit   | 37 | 16 | 12 | 9  | 41  | 94  | 101 |
| Toronto   | 37 | 18 | 16 | 3  | 39  | 101 | 106 |
| Ottawa    | 37 | 14 | 17 | 6  | 34  | 103 | 122 |
| Florida   | 36 | 14 | 17 | 5  | 33  | 85  | 112 |
| Buffalo   | 35 | 9  | 23 | 3  | 21  | 63  | 100 |

Metropolitan Division

|                | GP | W  | L  | OT | Pts | GF  | GA  |
|----------------|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| Pittsburgh     | 37 | 26 | 10 | 1  | 53  | 117 | 80  |
| Washington     | 34 | 18 | 13 | 3  | 39  | 107 | 102 |
| Philadelphia   | 35 | 16 | 15 | 4  | 36  | 86  | 97  |
| Carolina       | 34 | 14 | 13 | 7  | 35  | 79  | 94  |
| N.Y. Rangers   | 35 | 16 | 17 | 2  | 34  | 79  | 95  |
| New Jersey     | 35 | 14 | 15 | 6  | 34  | 83  | 87  |
| Columbus       | 35 | 14 | 17 | 4  | 32  | 91  | 100 |
| N.Y. Islanders | 35 | 9  | 19 | 7  | 25  | 85  | 121 |

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Central Division

|           | GP | W  | L  | OT | Pts | GF  | GA  |
|-----------|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| Chicago   | 37 | 25 | 7  | 5  | 55  | 138 | 102 |
| St. Louis | 34 | 23 | 7  | 4  | 50  | 119 | 81  |
| Colorado  | 33 | 22 | 10 | 1  | 45  | 96  | 78  |
| Minnesota | 37 | 20 | 12 | 5  | 45  | 86  | 88  |
| Dallas    | 33 | 16 | 12 | 5  | 37  | 95  | 101 |
| Nashville | 35 | 16 | 16 | 3  | 35  | 80  | 99  |
| Winnipeg  | 36 | 15 | 16 | 5  | 35  | 95  | 106 |

Pacific Division

|             | GP | W  | L  | OT | Pts | GF  | GA  |
|-------------|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| Anaheim     | 36 | 24 | 7  | 5  | 53  | 116 | 91  |
| Los Angeles | 35 | 23 | 8  | 4  | 50  | 97  | 68  |
| San Jose    | 34 | 21 | 7  | 6  | 48  | 112 | 84  |
| Vancouver   | 36 | 20 | 10 | 6  | 46  | 100 | 86  |
| Phoenix     | 34 | 18 | 10 | 6  | 42  | 106 | 105 |
| Calgary     | 35 | 13 | 16 | 6  | 32  | 88  | 111 |
| Edmonton    | 36 | 11 | 22 | 3  | 25  | 93  | 123 |

NOTE: Two points for a win, one point for overtime loss.

Wednesday's Games

Pittsburgh 4, N.Y. Rangers 3, SO

New Jersey 5, Ottawa 2

Thursday's Games

Toronto 2, Phoenix 1, SO

Buffalo 4, Boston 2

Philadelphia 5, Columbus 4

Pittsburgh 5, Minnesota 2

Florida 4, Ottawa 2

Detroit 3, Calgary 2, OT

Tampa Bay 4, Nashville 2

St. Louis 5, Montreal 1

Vancouver at Dallas, (n)

Edmonton at Colorado, (n)

San Jose at Los Angeles, (n)

Friday's Games

Anaheim at New Jersey, 7 p.m.

N.Y. Islanders at N.Y. Rangers, 7 p.m.

Washington at Carolina, 7 p.m.

Vancouver at Chicago, 8 p.m.

Florida at Winnipeg, 8 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Calgary at Pittsburgh, 1 p.m.

Phoenix at Ottawa, 2 p.m.

Colorado at Los Angeles, 4 p.m.

New Jersey at Washington, 7 p.m.

Philadelphia at Columbus, 7 p.m.

Montreal at Nashville, 7 p.m.

Buffalo at Boston, 7 p.m.

Detroit at Toronto, 7 p.m.

Carolina at Tampa Bay, 7 p.m.

Anaheim at N.Y. Islanders, 7 p.m.

St. Louis at Edmonton, 10 p.m.

Dallas at San Jose, 10:30 p.m.

Penguins-Wild

Minnesota

0

1

1-2

Pittsburgh

1

3

1-5

First Period—1, Pittsburgh, Kunitz 19 (Crosby, Dupuis), :49. Penalties—Konopka, Min, major (fighting), 2:19; Adams, Pit, major (fighting), 2:19; Ballard, Min, major (fighting), 4:19; Kobasew, Pit, major (fighting), 4:19; Koivu, Min (hooking), 10:14.

Second Period—2, Pittsburgh, Sutter 8 (Maatta, Vitale), 1:54, 3, Pittsburgh, Niskanen 2 (Jokinen, Neal), 3:33 (pp), 4, Pittsburgh, Kunitz 20 (Crosby, Niskanen), 10:43, 5, Minnesota, Pominville 16 (Niederreiter, Suter), 11:20. Penalties—Niederreiter, Min (interference), 2:27; Dumoulin, Pit (hooking), 3:55; Crosby, Pit (goaltender interference), 6:36; Ballard, Min, minor-major (clipping, fighting), 10:18; Neal, Pit, minor-major (roughing, fighting), 10:18.

Third Period—6, Minnesota, Heatley 7 (Coyle, Ballard), 3:13, 7, Pittsburgh, Maatta 3 (penalty shot), 7:54 (sh). Penalties—Maatta, Pit (hooking), 5:44; Adams, Pit (interference), 5:58; Niskanen, Pit (holding), 13:12; Coyle, Min (interference), 14:41; Bulmer, Min (interference), 17:58.

Shots on Goal—Minnesota 9-7-10—26. Pittsburgh 13-16-7—36.

Power-play opportunities—Minnesota 0 of 5; Pittsburgh 1 of 4.

Goalies—Minnesota, Backstrom 2-6-2 (36 shots-31 saves). Pittsburgh, Zatkoff 6-2-0 (26-24).

A—18,623 (18,387). T—2:33.

Referees—Brad Watson, Chris Rooney.

Linesmen—Tim Nowak, Derek Amell.

Hockey notes

Kunitz, Crosby lead Penguins to 5-2 win over Wild

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Chris Kunitz scored his 19th goal, Sidney Crosby had two assists and the Pittsburgh Penguins jumped out to a four-goal lead before beating the Minnesota Wild 5-2 Thursday night for their season-high sixth straight victory.

Rookie defenseman Oli Maatta sealed the Penguins' win when he scored on a third-period penalty shot. Pascal Dupuis and Brandon Sutter each scored for the second consecutive game, and defenseman Matt Niskanen also tallied for Pittsburgh, which has won 11 of 12 overall and a nine straight home game.

Crosby extended his season-best point streak to nine games. He leads the league with 51 points.

Jason Pominville netted his team-high 16th goal and Danny Heatley scored 3:13 into the third period for the Wild, turning a three-goal deficit into a 4-2 game.

The Wild had an opportunity to make it a one-goal game shortly after with a 5-on-3 power play for 1:46, but the Penguins killed both penalties.

Matta was awarded a penalty shot after he was hauled down by Jonas Brodin on a breakaway.

The Wild played their first game without starting goalie Josh Harding, who was placed on injured reserve Wednesday. It's a move that allows Harding time to make adjustments to medication for his multiple sclerosis. Harding, expected to return Dec. 27 at Winnipeg, led the league in goals-against average and ranked second in save percentage entering Thursday.

The Penguins, playing for the fifth time in nine nights, were without star forward Evgeni Malkin for the third straight game. Malkin, third in the league in scoring, injured his left leg last Saturday at Detroit. The Penguins were also without five of their top six defensemen for the third straight game, four injured and Derik Engelland serving the third game of a five-game suspension for his hit on Detroit's Justin Abdelkader.

Transactions

Thursday's Sports Transactions

BASEBALL

American League

CHICAGO WHITE SOX — Agreed to terms with RHP Ronald Belisario on a one-year contract.

CLEVELAND INDIANS — Agreed to terms with RHP John Axford on a one-year contract. Designated RHP Trey Haley for assignment.

NEW YORK YANKEES — Agreed to terms with OF Carlos Beltran on a three-year contract. Designated RHP Brett Marshall for assignment.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS — Acquired OF Corey Brown from Washington for cash considerations.

National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum

NBHFM — Announced Thomas Tull was elected to the board of directors.

Frontier League

FLORENCE FREEDOM — Traded 1B Jeremy Hamilton to the Gary SouthShore (AA) for RHP Tim Verthein.

JOLIET SLAMMERS — Exercised the 2014 contract options on OF Nick Akins, RHP Andrew Busby, C Zak Colby, C Kolin Conner, RHP Chase Doremus, INF Grant DeBruin, RHP Matt Dillon, RHP Shawn Kale, OF Joe Meggs, OF Darian Sandford, INF Niko Vasquez, and RHP Brett Zawacki. Declined the contract options on RHP Ryan Hartman, OF David Christensen, RHP Anthony Figlioia, LHP Lucas Goodgoin, LHP Corey Kimes, OF Seth Schwindenhammer, RHP Jason Sullivan and OF Jarrod Yakubik.

ROCKFORD AVIATORS — Signed RHP Kyle Brueggemann and OF Jeff Kremer to contract extensions.

SCHAUMBURG BOOMERS — Signed 1B Brian McConkey to a contract extension. Exercised the 2014 contract options on RHP Tony Delmonico, RHP Mike Giovenco, RHP Preston Hatcher, RHP Danny Jimenez, RHP Matt LaMothe, RHP Clark Labitan, LHP Cameron Roth, LHP Adam Tollefson, RHP Seth Webster, C Ty Nelson, C Mike Valadez, INF Gerard Hall, INF Frank Pfister, INF Keith Werman and OF Alexi Colon. Declined the contract options on RHP Cody Griebeling and LHP Randy Sturgill.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

CHICAGO BEARS — Signed S Sean Catthouse to the practice squad.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS — Signed DT Jerrell Powe. Released WR Chad Hall.

Canadian Football League

EDMONTON Eskimos — Signed DT Al-mondo Sewell to a contract extension through 2015.

WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS — Signed DT Bryant Turner to a three-year contract extension. Released K Sandro DeAngelis.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS — Recalled G Jason LaBarbera from Rockford (AHL). Re-assigned G Kent Simpson (AHL).

NEW YORK RANGERS — Recalled F J.T. Miller from Hartford (AHL). Assigned F Arron Asham and D Dylan Mcllrath to Hartford.

PHOENIX COYOTES— Recalled D Rostislav Kleisla from Portland (AHL).

WINNIPEG JETS — Agreed to terms with F Scott Kosmachuk on a three-year entry level contract.

American Hockey League

BRIDGEPORT SOUND TIGERS — Signed F Andrew Clark to a professional tryout agreement. Released F Jon Sim from his professional tryout contract.

Southern Professional Hockey League

PEORIA RIVERMEN — Acquired G Kyle Rank from Fayetteville for future considerations.

SOCCER

Major League Soccer

SEATTLE SOUNDERS FC — Signed F Kenny Cooper.

W-League

W-LEAGUE — Announced the addition of the Gulf Coast Texans, beginning with the 2014 season.

COLLEGE

ARKANSAS STATE — Named Blake Anderson football coach.

CENTRAL ARKANSAS — Named Steve Campbell football coach.

College football

No. 12 Clemson seeking Orange Bowl redemption

CLEMSON, S.C. (AP) — It's been nearly two years and 21 victories and the Clemson Tigers can't wipe away the memories of the drubbing they took the last time they played in the Orange Bowl.

Left tackle Brandon Thomas says the Tigers' 70-33 loss to West Virginia stings to this day, no matter how many accomplishments the team has piled up since. Thomas and the No. 12 Tigers (10-2) believe they're ready to make amends this time around against No. 7 Ohio State (12-1) when the teams meet Jan. 3.

"The last time we went down there, it didn't go as planned," said Thomas, a fifth-year senior who played in the Mountaineers debacle. "So hopefully, this time we can pull out the win."

Clemson has some history at rebounding from disappointing defeats. In each of the previous two years, the Tigers have bounced back from losses to rival South Carolina to close the regular season with victories in the postseason — in 2011 to win their first Atlantic Coast Conference title in 20 years and in 2012 to defeat LSU in the Chick-Fil-A Bowl for Clemson's first 11-win season in more than three decades.

Clemson faces the same hurdle this time around after dropping a 31-17 contest to the Gamecocks, its fifth straight loss in the rivalry series.

"We're putting the last game behind us," Thomas said. "It's the next game, we have to prepare, we have to play. We can't let that game stop us from trying to play this game."

The Tigers were just as hopeful two years ago as ACC champions heading to their first ever BCS game. Early in the second quarter, though, tailback Andre Ellington had the ball stripped near the West Virginia goal line — a miscue that was returned for a 99-yard touch-down that sent the Tigers reeling.

Clemson was outscored 42-16 the rest of way as West Virginia set a bowl record for points scored.

The defensive breakdowns led Tigers coach Dabo Swinney to let go of coordinator Kevin Steele and replace him with Brent Venables.

In the past two years, Venables has turned the Tigers' D from a group to be laughed at to one that makes plays. Clemson improved to 23rd nationally in defense this year, up from 63rd in 2012.

Defensive end Vic Beasley was third in the country with 12 sacks this season.

"We're really going to have play our tails off to move the ball against them," Ohio State coach Urban Meyer said. "They have some very good personnel and a couple of those games, they haven't given up much yardage at all."

Venables said he's using early bowl practices to beef up the Tigers physically and prepare them for an Ohio State attack led by dynamic quarterback Braxton Miller and run-

AP Little All-America

Associated Press Little All-America

Football Team

FIRST TEAM

OFFENSE

Quarterback — Dustin Vaughan, senior, 6-foot-5, 220 pounds, West Texas A&M.

Running backs — Franklyn Quiteh, senior, 5-10, 206, Bloomsburg; Domanique Hayden, 5-9, 210, junior, Thomas More.

Linemen — Matt Armstrong, senior, 6-3, 290, Grand Valley State; Armand Jenifer, 6-4, 295, senior, Johns Hopkins; Brian Clarke, senior, 6-3, 290, Bloomsburg; Cole Manhart, 6-6, 300, Nebraska-Kearney; Cody Carlson, senior, 6-3, 275, Northwest Missouri State.

Receivers — Jeff Janis, senior, 6-3, 218, Saginaw Valley State; Tyler Rutenbeck, junior, 6-4, 185, Dubuque.

Tight End — Joe Don Duncan, senior, 6-4, 270, Dixie State.

All-purpose player — Rondell White, senior, 5-9, 180, West Chester.

Kicker — Steven Wakefield, senior, 5-11, 175, Mercyhurst.

DEFENSE

Linemen — Jake Metz, senior, 6-7, 255, Shippensburg; **Matt Fechko, senior, 6-1, 260, Mount Union**; Darius Allen, junior, 6-3, 239, Colorado State-Pueblo; Matt Longacre, sophomore, 6-3, 240, Northwest Missouri State.

Linebackers — Nate Dreiling, senior, 6-4, 226, Pittsburg State; Seth Mathis, senior, 6-3, 240, Bethel (Minn.); Tavarius Wilson, 5-11, 235, North Alabama.

Backs — Jack Moro, senior, 5-11, 190, St. Cloud State; Pierre Desir, senior, 6-2, 206, Lindenwood; Andre Carter, senior, 5-10, 185, Salisbury; Justin Bell, senior, 5-10, 185, Ohio Dominican.

Punter — Scottie Gallardo, senior, 6-0, 215, Fort Lewis.

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SECOND TEAM

OFFENSE

Quarterback — Kevin Rodgers, junior, Henderson State.

Running backs — Tyler Tonderum, junior, Southwest Minnesota; Daiquone Ford, sophomore, Findlay.

Linemen — Kelton Hays, senior, Henderson State; Dillon Carmichael, senior, Doane; William Wright, senior, West Georgia; Taylor Sprague, senior, Trine; Matthew Reese, junior, Tuskegee.

Receivers — Freddie Martino, senior, North Greenville; Travon Harman, junior, Shippensburg.

Tight end — Ryan Mizgate, senior, Aurora (Ill.).

All-purpose player — John Brown, senior, Pittsburg State.

Kicker — Kresimir Ivkovic, junior, John Carroll.

DEFENSE

Linemen — Ethan Westbrook, senior, West Texas A&M; Jamie Meder, senior, Ashland; Silvio Diaz, senior, Mary Hardin-Baylor; Shonquese Nelson, senior, St. Augustine's.

Linebackers — Dominique Forrest, senior, 6-10; Leron Furr, senior, Fort Valley; Colby Ring, senior, Minnesota-Duluth.

Backs — Darnell Evans, senior, Shaw; Tony Sierra, senior, Defiance; Thomas Wolfe, senior, Fort Valley State; Michael Green, senior, Lenoir-Rhyne.

Punter — Zach Pulkinen, senior, Bemidji.

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THIRD TEAM

OFFENSE

Quarterback — **Kevin Burke, junior, Mount Union.**

Running backs — Octavias McKay, senior, Western Connecticut; Glen Clinton, senior, Chadron State.

Linemen — Joe Ray, sophomore, Lenoir-Rhyne; Craig Watts, senior, West Texas A&M; Chris Langan, senior, Galludet; Matt Feilder, senior, Bloomsburg; Matt Hall, senior, Belhaven.

Receivers — Kyle Linville, senior, Franklin; Darius Davis, junior, Henderson State.

Tight end — Ryan Corbin, junior, Southwest Oklahoma State.

All-purpose player — Marquez Clark, junior, Central Oklahoma.

Kicker — Brent Wahle, sophomore, Ohio Dominican.

DEFENSE

Linemen — Charlie Tuauu, junior, Texas A&M-Commerce; Blake Baker, junior, Lenoir-Rhyne; Chris Schaudt, senior, Minnesota State-Mankato; Brandon Fedorka, senior, Waynesburg.

Linebackers — Cole Klotz, senior, Wisconsin-Whitewater; Obi Nwaigwe, senior, St. Lawrence; Taylor McCuller, senior, West Texas-A&M.

Backs — Malcolm Butler, senior, West Alabama; Reggie Williams, senior, Grand Valley State; Deandre Bonner, senior, Arkansas Tech; Drew Peterson, senior, Albright.

Punter — Matt Klingler, junior, Ambrose.

USA soccer

Hamm, Fawcett, Akers head US women's Best XI

CHICAGO (AP) — Forward Mia Hamm and defender Joy Fawcett were unanimous selections for the U.S. Soccer Federation's All-Time Women's National Team Best XI as part of the governing body's 100th anniversary celebration.

Midfielders Michelle Akers and Kristine Lilly were one vote shy of unanimous in balloting announced Thursday.

Forwards Abby Wambach and Alex Morgan, and defender Christie Rampone were the only active players picked. Morgan, at 24, was the youngest.

The rest of the team included goalkeeper Briana Scurry; defenders Brandi Chastain and Carla Overbeck; and midfielders Julie Foudy and Kristine Lilly.

There were 56 voters from among media members, administrators and former players.

NBA today

Kobe likely to miss 6 weeks

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Kobe Bryant is expected to miss about six weeks with an injured left knee, dealing the second major injury setback of the year to the Los Angeles Lakers' superstar guard.

An MRI exam on Thursday revealed Bryant has a fracture in his lateral tibial plateau — the top of his shinbone near his knee.

Bryant made his season debut with the Lakers Dec. 8 after nearly eight months away while recovering from a torn Achilles tendon. He apparently was hurt again Tuesday night in Memphis while playing his fourth game in five nights.

After playing six games in 10 days, the fourth-leading scorer in NBA history is out again until February or longer — and the Lakers' already miserable run of injuries got even uglier.

"You hate it for Kobe," Lakers coach Mike D'Antoni told reporters after practice Thursday. "He's worked so hard to get back, he'll be OK." He's expected to be back in six weeks. We've just got to weather the storm until he gets back."

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Salem basketball broadcasts

SALEM — Salem Quakers boys basketball homes games will be on the radio on WSOB AM 600 starting Monday. The station will also broadcast two away games in February — West Branch on Feb. 7 and Canfield on Feb. 21.

Salem Hunting Club CCW classes

SALEM — The Salem Hunting Club is holding one day concealed carry classes on Dec. 28 and Jan. 18. Classes start at 8 a.m.

Pre registration is required. Please call (330) 332-9847 or visit www.salemhuntingclub for additional information.

Lisbon frosh beat South Range

GREENFORD — Lisbon's boys freshman basketball team beat South Range 30-19 on Thursday. For Lisbon, Bailey McCullough had 12 points. For South Range, Anthony Ritter had six points.

Salem frosh defeat West Branch

SALEM — Garrett Dickey had 13 points, while Cooper Bezerdi added eight points as Salem's boys freshman basketball team beat West Branch 44-35 on Thursday.

Brett Butcher had eight points for the Warriors. Salem is 4-3, while West Branch falls to 3-2.

East Palestine frosh win over Columbiana

EAST PALESTINE — Tom Dumbauld led the East Palestine boys freshman basketball team to a 34-33 victory over Columbiana on Thursday. Dumbauld had 13 points for the Bulldogs, who will host Carrollton on January 4.

Crestview falls to United

HANOVERTON — United's boys freshman basketball team won a 38-25 decision over Crestview on Thursday.

Jake Clark led the Golden Eagles with 23 points. Chance Mustake had 10 points for the Rebels.

Crestview falls to 0-3 and will host McDonald on Monday.

Indians close deal with closer John Axford

CLEVELAND (AP) — John Axford had other choices where he could pitch next season. The Indians closed the deal.

Axford, who had 46 saves for Milwaukee in 2011 but lost his closer's job last season and was traded to St. Louis, finalized a \$4.5 million, one-year contract Thursday and will close for Cleveland in 2014.

The 30-year-old Axford had other teams interested in signing him, but he decided to join the Indians because of their turnaround in 2013, a strong clubhouse and manager Terry Francona, who sold Axford with his typical straightforward approach.

"He was very, very up front with me about the team, the organization, the city," Axford said. "It just sounded to me like a situation I want to be a part of."

Axford replaces two-time All-Star closer Chris Perez, who was released in October after Cleveland made its first playoff appearance since 2007. Axford agreed to the contract with Cleveland earlier this week, and completed the deal after taking a physical on Wednesday. The right-hander can earn another \$1.75 million in performance bonuses based on games finished: \$250,000 for 38 and \$300,000 apiece for 43, 48, 53, 58 and 63.

Browns' Horton says defense feeling pressure

BEREA (AP) — The numbers in crunch time are appalling. Browns defensive coordinator Ray Horton, a statistical nut, can't stomach them.

In Cleveland's last three losses, the Browns' defense has given up 47 points in the fourth quarter. They've allowed eight scores — six touchdowns — in the last nine possessions while losing to Jacksonville, New England and Chicago. Those games were all winnable, but the Browns, who have given up 128 points in the fourth, couldn't make the plays when they needed to.

When they had to be their strongest, the Browns broke down.

Under pressure, they buckled.

"It's very disappointing," Horton said Thursday as the Browns prepared for this week's game against the New York Jets. "We talk to our players about it. You can not play well for three quarters and then come crunch time tighten up."

Horton has spent his first season in Cleveland building a defense he can be proud of. And while the Browns rank eighth overall in total defense — after finishing 23rd last season — and there are strong signs of progress, the team's inability to close out games has Horton scratching his head. This week, he's pushed his players to finish what they've started.

"We're talking about accountability," he said. "All of our games except for two are close or one-score games and we need somebody to step up and not take that backstep and say, 'I'm going to wait for somebody else to do it.' To me, that's been the biggest disappointment as our big-time players play well, but we also need our role players to do their role."

Brown nearing several Steelers receiving marks

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The memory has never really gone away. It's still in the back of Antonio Brown's mind, gnawing at him during the long workouts, the ones he doesn't talk about and his teammates only mention in somewhat reverent tones.

Six rounds. Nearly 200 players. How was it possible for 194 other players to be taken ahead of him in the 2010 NFL Draft? Even now, in the midst of the breakout season he always believed would come, the Pittsburgh Steelers wide receiver doesn't want to think about it.

"It just stirs up more difficult thoughts," Brown said.

More pleasant ones lay ahead for a player having perhaps the finest year by a wide receiver in the 81-year history of the franchise.

With two weeks to go in the season, already has 95 receptions. He needs 18 more to break Hines Ward's club record of 112 set in 2002. If Brown tops 92 yards receiving on Sunday against Green Bay (7-6-1) — a number he's already reached five times this season — he'll smash Yancey Thigpen's mark of 1,398 yards receiving from 1997.

TV SCHEDULE

7 p.m. (ESPNU) College football: NCAA, Div. III Championship, Mount Union vs. Wisconsin Whitewater.  
7:30 p.m. (FOXSO) NBA: Bucks at Cavaliers.  
8 p.m. (ESPN2) College football: NCAA, FCS, semifinal, New Hampshire at North Dakota S.  
8 p.m. (NBCSN) Women's hockey, Olympic trials, United States vs. Canada, at Grand Forks, N.D.  
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1 Give comfort  
6 Wired  
11 Biker's protection  
13 Greeted warmly  
14 Kind of job  
15 Popular watches  
16 Theater company, briefly  
17 Mantra chants  
18 Ms. Thurman  
21 Chipper  
23 NASA destination  
26 - de plume  
27 Impose taxes  
28 Rani's servant  
29 Secretly (2 wds.)  
31 "In Xanadu did - Khan ..."  
32 Soothe  
33 Listless  
35 Vassal's land  
36 Type of ranch

DOWN

37 Festive night  
38 Coast Guard off.  
39 Irk  
40 Heavy-hearted  
41 - -tac-toe  
42 Tokyo, to shoguns  
44 Rock layers  
47 Bring to mind  
51 Like some grins  
52 Double-cross  
53 Unable to sit still  
54 Composure

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10 Gridiron meas.  
12 Conical tents  
13 Goofy  
18 Rickety  
19 Cancan's - Rouge  
20 Moseys  
22 Insulation measure (hyph.)  
23 Suffuses  
24 Digestive fluid  
25 Cast a shadow  
28 Dog days mo.  
30 U.K. fliers

31 Seriously embroiled (hyph.)  
34 Very or too  
36 Dental woe  
39 Concise  
41 Trims a doily  
43 Eight, to Caesar (abbr.)  
44 Depot (abbr.)  
45 2,000 pounds  
46 Go bad  
48 Onassis nickname  
49 Refrain syllables  
50 Drain cleaner

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**OF FORECLOSURE OF LIENS FOR DELINQUENT LAND TAXES CASE NUMBER: 2013-DT-0035**

In the Common Pleas Court of Columbiana County, Ohio

In the matter of foreclosure of liens for delinquent land taxes County Treasurer of Columbiana County, Ohio

**County Treasurer, Nicholas M Barborak c/o Robert L Herron, Prosecuting Attorney**

**PLAINTIFF**

vs.

Parcels of land encumbered with delinquent tax liens,

**SUSAN K. COY AKA SUSAN K. PILON, et. al.**

**DEFENDANTS**

Whereas, judgement has been rendered against certain parcels of Real Property for taxes, assessments, penalties, interest, costs and charges as follows:

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Sheriff Sales

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**NAME AND ADDRESS OF LAST OWNERS AS SHOWN ON GENERAL TAX LIST:**  
LEWIS A. WILLIAMS  
**TOTAL AMOUNT OF JUDGEMENT: \$5,000 PLUS FINDINGS & COST**

Whereas, such judgement orders such Real Property to be sold by the undersigned to satisfy the total amount of such judgement;

Now, therefore, Public Notice is hereby given that I, Raymond L. Stone, Sheriff of Columbiana County, Ohio, will sell such Real Property at Public Auction, for cash, to the highest bidder of an amount sufficient to satisfy the judgement against each Parcel at 10:00 A.M., in the Columbiana County Commissioner's Meeting Room, First Floor, County Courthouse, 105 South Market Street, Lisbon, Ohio 44432, on Tuesday, the 7th day of January, 2014, for an amount sufficient to satisfy the judgement against the parcel.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SUCH REAL PROPERTY TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION MAY BE SUBJECT TO A FEDERAL TAX LIEN THAT MAY NOT BE EXTINGUISHED BY THE SALE, AND PURCHASERS OF ANY SUCH REAL PROPERTY ARE URGED TO SEARCH THE FEDERAL TAX LIEN INDEX THAT IS KEPT BY THE COUNTY RECORDER TO DETERMINE IF NOTICE OF A FEDERAL TAX LIEN HAS BEEN FILED WITH RESPECT TO ANY SUCH REAL PROPERTY.**

**TERMS OF SALE:**  
10% DOWN THE DAY OF THE SALE. 30 BUSINESS DAYS TO PAY OFF THE BALANCE. NO PERSONAL CHECKS. CASH ONLY, CASHIER OR CERTIFIED CHECKS ACCEPTED.

**RAYMOND L. STONE**  
SHERIFF OF COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO

Robert L. Herron (#22159), County Prosecutor of Columbiana County, Ohio  
Tad A. Herold (#81862), Asst. County Prosecutor of Columbiana County, Ohio.

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**SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE**  
O.R.C. Section 5721.19

**NOTICE OF SALE UNDER JUDGEMENT OF FORECLOSURE OF LIENS FOR DELINQUENT LAND TAXES**  
CASE NUMBER: 2013-DT-0050

In the Common Pleas Court of Columbiana County, Ohio

In the matter of foreclosure of liens for delinquent land taxes County Treasurer of Columbiana County, Ohio

County Treasurer, Nicholas M Barborak  
c/o Robert L Herron, Prosecuting Attorney

PLAINTIFF

vs.

Parcels of land encumbered with delinquent tax liens,

RUTH EDISON, et. al.

DEFENDANTS

Whereas, judgement has been rendered against certain parcels of Real Property for taxes, assessments, penalties, interest, costs and charges as follows:

**PERMANENT PARCEL NUMBER:**  
37-05391.000

**PREMISES LOCATION:**  
961 ST. GEORGE STREET, EAST LIVERPOOL, OH 43920

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION NOTE:**  
The Legal description, map of property and Auditor's card is available upon request at the Sheriff's Office in the County Courthouse. For more information please call 330-424-1104

**NAME AND ADDRESS OF LAST OWNERS AS SHOWN ON GENERAL TAX LIST:**  
RUTH EDISON, 100 WILBERT AVE, APT. 16, EAST LIVERPOOL, OH 43920

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF JUDGEMENT: \$1,300 PLUS FINDINGS & COST**

Whereas, such judgement orders such Real Property to be sold by the undersigned to satisfy the total amount of such judgement;

Now, therefore, Public Notice is hereby given that I, Raymond L. Stone, Sheriff of Columbiana County, Ohio, will sell such Real Property at Public Auction, for cash, to the highest bidder of an amount sufficient to satisfy the judgement against each Parcel at 10:00 A.M., in the Columbiana County Commissioner's Meeting Room, First Floor, County Courthouse, 105 South Market Street, Lisbon, Ohio 44432, on Tuesday, the 7th day of January, 2014, for an amount sufficient to satisfy the judgement against the parcel.

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**Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate**  
Revised Code, Sec. 2329.26

COMMON PLEAS COURT No. 2012-CV-0521

The State of Ohio, Columbiana County,

**DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF THE FIRST FRANKLIN MORTGAGE LOAN TRUST 2006-FF8**

PLAINTIFF

VS.

**JUSTIN S. MEISER, ET AL**

Defendant

In pursuance of an Order of Sale in the above entitled action I will offer for sale at public auction in the Columbiana County Commissioner's Meeting Room 105 S. Market St. in Lisbon, Ohio, in the above named County on Tuesday the 31st of DECEMBER, 2013 at 10:00 o'clock A.M., the following described real estate situate in the County of Columbiana and the State of Ohio and in the CITY OF EAST LIVERPOOL to wit:

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION NOTE:**  
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**NOTE TO THE PUBLIC: THIS APPRAISAL WAS NOT AN INSIDE INSPECTION OF THE PROPERTY AND THE SHERIFF AND APPRAISERS ARE NOT LIABLE FOR THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY THAT WAS APPRAISED ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2013**

And "Public Notice is hereby given that such real property to be sold at Public Auction may be subject to Federal Tax Lien that may not be extinguished by the Sale, and purchasers of any such real property are urged to search the Federal Tax Lien index that is kept by the County Recorder to determine if notice of a Federal Tax Lien has been filed with respect to any such Real Property"

"Said Premises Located at 451 JACKMAN STREET, EAST LIVERPOOL, OH 43920

AKA PP Numbers: 37-02096.000, 37-02097.000

Said Premises Appraised at: \$9,000.00 and cannot be sold for less than two - thirds that amount.

**STARTING BID: \$6,000.00 2/3rds**

**TERMS OF SALE:**  
CASH ONLY, NO PERSONAL CHECKS

ACCEPTED. 10% DOWN THE DAY OF THE SALE. 30 BUSINESS DAYS TO PAY OFF THE BALANCE. CASHIER OR CERTIFIED CHECKS ACCEPTED. TRAVELERS CHECKS ACCEPTED ALSO.

**RAYMOND L. STONE**  
Sheriff, Columbiana County, Ohio

**CHARLES V GASIOR**  
(0075946)

ATTORNEY, STOW, OHIO

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**Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate**  
Revised Code, Sec. 2329.26

COMMON PLEAS COURT No. 2013-CV-0521

The State of Ohio, Columbiana County,

**WELLS FARGO BANK NA**

PLAINTIFF

VS.

**JOHN JENNINGS, ET AL**

Defendant

In pursuance of an Order of Sale in the above entitled action I will offer for sale at public auction in the Columbiana County Commissioner's Meeting Room 105 S. Market St. in Lisbon, Ohio, in the above named County on Tuesday the 31st of DECEMBER, 2013 at 10:00 o'clock A.M., the following described real estate situate in the County of Columbiana and the State of Ohio and in the TOWNSHIP OF LIVERPOOL to wit:

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION NOTE:**  
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"Said Premises Located at 940 MYLER ROAD, EAST LIVERPOOL, OH 43920

AKA PP Number: 36-01840.000

Said Premises Appraised at: \$48,000.00 and cannot be sold for less than two - thirds that amount.

**STARTING BID: \$32,000.00 2/3rds**

**TERMS OF SALE:**  
CASH ONLY, NO PERSONAL CHECKS

ACCEPTED. 10% DOWN THE DAY OF THE SALE. 30 BUSINESS DAYS TO PAY OFF THE BALANCE. CASHIER OR CERTIFIED CHECKS ACCEPTED. TRAVELERS CHECKS ACCEPTED ALSO.

**RAYMOND L. STONE**  
Sheriff, Columbiana County, Ohio

**CRAIG J. SPADAFORE**  
(0081279)

ATTORNEY, COLUMBUS, OHIO

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**Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate**  
Revised Code, Sec. 2329.26

COMMON PLEAS COURT No. 2009-CV-0021

The State of Ohio, Columbiana County,

**WELLS FARGO BANK, NA TRUSTEE FOR THE MLMI TRUST SERIES 2005-FF6**

PLAINTIFF

VS.

**DAVID ALLEN SNYDER AKA DAVID A. SNYDER, ET AL**

Defendant

In pursuance of an 11TH PLURIES Order of Sale in the above entitled action I will offer for sale at public auction in the Columbiana County Commissioner's Meeting Room 105 S. Market St. in Lisbon, Ohio, in the above named County on Tuesday the 31st of DECEMBER, 2013 at 10:00 o'clock A.M., the following described real estate situate in the County of Columbiana and the State of Ohio and in the TOWNSHIP OF PERRY to wit:

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"Said Premises Located at 155 WEST PINE LAKE ROAD, SALEM, OH 44460

AKA PP Number: 50-00944.000

Said Premises Appraised at: \$90,000.00 and cannot be sold for less than two - thirds that amount.

**STARTING BID: \$60,000.00 2/3rds**

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**RAYMOND L. STONE**  
Sheriff, Columbiana County, Ohio

**ELLEN L. FURNASH**  
(0085284)

ATTORNEY,

**PRAISAL WAS NOT AN INSIDE INSPECTION OF THE PROPERTY AND THE SHERIFF AND APPRAISERS ARE NOT LIABLE FOR THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY THAT WAS APPRAISED ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2013**

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"Said Premises Located at 702 NORTH OHIO BOULEVARD, SALEM, OH 44460

AKA PP Numbers: 50-03195, 50-03146, 50-03145, 50-03151, 50-03156, 50-03157, 50-03167, 50-03169, 50-03178, 50-03180, 50-03196

Said Premises Appraised at: \$76,000.00 and cannot be sold for less than two - thirds that amount.

**STARTING BID: \$50,666.67 2/3rds**

**TERMS OF SALE:**  
CASH ONLY, NO PERSONAL CHECKS

ACCEPTED. 10% DOWN THE DAY OF THE SALE. 30 BUSINESS DAYS TO PAY OFF THE BALANCE. CASHIER OR CERTIFIED CHECKS ACCEPTED. TRAVELERS CHECKS ACCEPTED ALSO.

**RAYMOND L. STONE**  
Sheriff, Columbiana County, Ohio

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**Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate**  
Revised Code, Sec. 2329.26

COMMON PLEAS COURT No. 2010-CV-0365

The State of Ohio, Columbiana County,

**US BANK, NA AS SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE TO BANK OF AMERICA, NA AS SBM TO LASALLE BANK, NA AS TRUSTEE FOR FIRST FRANKLIN MORTGAGE LOAN TRUST**

PLAINTIFF

VS.

**WILLIAM R. SPENCER, ET AL**

Defendant

In pursuance of an ALIAS Order of Sale in the above entitled action I will offer for sale at public auction in the Columbiana County Commissioner's Meeting Room 105 S. Market St. in Lisbon, Ohio, in the above named County on Tuesday the 31st of DECEMBER, 2013 at 10:00 o'clock A.M., the following described real estate situate in the County of Columbiana and the State of Ohio and in the TOWNSHIP OF PERRY to wit:

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION NOTE:**  
The Legal description, map of property and Auditor's card is available upon request at the Sheriff's Office in the County Courthouse. For more information please call 330-424-1104

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"Said Premises Located at 611 NORTH UNION AVENUE, SALEM, OH 44460

AKA PP Number: 51-00229.000

Said Premises Appraised at: \$90,000.00 and cannot be sold for less than two - thirds that amount.

**STARTING BID: \$60,000.00 2/3rds**

**TERMS OF SALE:**  
CASH ONLY, NO PERSONAL CHECKS

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**RAYMOND L. STONE**  
Sheriff, Columbiana County, Ohio

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COMMON PLEAS COURT No. 2013-CV-0441

The State of Ohio, Columbiana County,

**WELLS FARGO BANK, NA**

PLAINTIFF

VS.

**JILL S. ERVIN, ET AL**

Defendant

In pursuance of an Order of Sale in the above entitled action I will offer for sale at public auction in the Columbiana County Commissioner's Meeting Room 105 S. Market St. in Lisbon, Ohio, in the above named County on Tuesday the 31st of DECEMBER, 2013 at 10:00 o'clock A.M., the following described real estate situate in the County of Columbiana and the State of Ohio and in the TOWNSHIP OF PERRY to wit:

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"Said Premises Located at 155 WEST PINE LAKE ROAD, SALEM, OH 44460

AKA PP Number: 50-00944.000

Said Premises Appraised at: \$90,000.00 and cannot be sold for less than two - thirds that amount.

**STARTING BID: \$60,000.00 2/3rds**

**TERMS OF SALE:**  
CASH ONLY, NO PERSONAL CHECKS

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**RAYMOND L. STONE**  
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COMMON PLEAS COURT No. 2010-CV-0353

The State of Ohio, Columbiana County,

**DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE FOR FFMLT TRUST 2006-FF4, MORTGAGE PASS THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-FF4**

PLAINTIFF

VS.

**ANGELA S. PANZOTT, ET AL**

Defendant

In pursuance of a 3RD PLURIES Order of Sale in the above entitled action I will offer for sale at public auction in the Columbiana County Commissioner's Meeting Room 105 S. Market St. in Lisbon, Ohio, in the above named County on Tuesday the 31st of DECEMBER, 2013 at 10:00 o'clock A.M., the following described real estate situate in the County of Columbiana and the State of Ohio and in the CITY OF SALEM to wit:

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"Said Premises Located at 611 NORTH UNION AVENUE, SALEM, OH 44460

AKA PP Number: 51-00229.000

Said Premises Appraised at: \$90,000.00 and cannot be sold for less than two - thirds that amount.

**STARTING BID: \$60,000.00 2/3rds**

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**RAYMOND L. STONE**  
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COMMON PLEAS COURT No. 2013-CV-0572

The State of Ohio, Columbiana County,

**JPMORGAN CHASE BANK NA**

PLAINTIFF

VS.

**CRAIG A. ECKMAN, ET AL**

Defendant

In pursuance of an Order of Sale in the above entitled action I will offer for sale at public auction in the Columbiana County Commissioner's Meeting Room 105 S. Market St. in Lisbon, Ohio, in the above named County on Tuesday the 31st of DECEMBER, 2013 at 10:00 o'clock A.M., the following described real estate situate in the County of Columbiana and the State of Ohio and in the CITY OF SALEM to wit:

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