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Fire destroys road commission garage

By Cheryl Peterson Editor

During the late hours of Saturday and early hours of Sunday, Alcona County experienced the loss of an iconic building and wounding to its infrastructure when the Alcona County Road Commission garage was destroyed by

The Lincoln Fire Department was the first to be called out to the structure fire at about 10:45 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28. "The fire was located in the back of the building and flames were shooting 20 to 30 feet through the peak of the roof when we arrived," said Lincoln Fire Chief Leroy Hall.

While fire fighters were arriving and putting on their turnout gear, road commission crew members arrived on the scene and decided to retrieve vehicles from the burning building. According to Alcona County Road Commission Director Jesse Campbell, he, Jim Quick, Mike Escareno and Dennis Scott "started trying to get trucks (outside) along the fence line away from the building... we extinguished one that was on fire... then we proceded to go inside... we went through the front door with the loader and pulled out two trucks...'

Hall said fire crews "started spraying water immediately" upon arrival. "We held off on gaining entry to make sure the full crew was suited up and ready... we knew our entry would push flames forward (to the front of the building) to where trucks were parked inside. We wanted to keep the heat off of the trucks," Hall said.

Fire departments from across the county - Harrisville, Mikado, Barton City, Alcona Township, South Shore and Greenbush responded to the fire that eventually consumed all 15,000 square feet of the building. Curtis Township Fire Department, Curran Fire Department and Hubbard Lake Fire Department went on standby status and provided assis-

"The team work of the fire fighters was unified and command among all chiefs was very effective," said DNR Fire Officer Roger MacNeill, who also responded to the fire. "The strategy and tactics among the chiefs impacted all aspects of the fire and the dangers it presented... it was a win-win situation as (the fire) didn't spread to other structures."

MacNeill explained fire fighters responded with offensive tactics in an effort to save the building, however, the response changed to defensive tactics to keep other buildings from being de-

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Fire claims the Alcona County Road Commission garage on Lake Street in Lincoln Saturday night. Photo courtesy of Kathleen Sanders of Lincoln.

Road commission employees at work Monday

By Cheryl Peterson

Editor

Alcona County Road Commission employees were at work Monday morning despite the loss of the main building that housed the garage, service center, parts center, meeting area and offices for the foremen and superintendent.

The building on Lake Street in Lincoln was destroyed by fire over the weekend with a preliminary estimated loss of more than \$4 million including the structure, vehicles, equipment and tools.

Alcona County Road Commission Director Jesse Campbell said that estimate will probably increase as insurance assessments are ongoing. As of Monday the loss included five orange (dump/heavy maintenance) trucks including a new truck, three pickup trucks, one forklift, one main service truck, one one-ton medium duty truck, a coal patch trailer, a leased crack sealing machine and countless other equipment, tools and parts.

Then there's the loss of the 15,000 square foot building which is the central location and heart of the road commission. The first section of the building was originally constructed in the 1930s and was added on to four different times with the last addition completed in 1956.

Employees, former employees, family members and members of the community have a strong tie to the building. Campbell said he has heard countless stories about personal experiences throughout the years from a wide variety of people. "There has been a lot of reminiscing and sharing of stories by employees and their families, retirees and their children," Campbell said.

Mingled with the shared memories is the feeling of extreme loss and uncertainty of what is to come. Morale is

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Michigan Court of Appeals rules against county in embezzelment auditor case

Special to the Review

Six years and five months after former county treasurer Tom Katona entered a plea of guilty to embezzling more than \$1.2 million from Alcona County, the Michigan Court of Appeals has ruled on the last of a series of appeals that grew out of the

The appeals court ruling effectively eliminates the \$1 million originally awarded to the county and, in addition allows the auditing firm to "tax costs" - recovering court costs in the appeal.

In an unpublished opinion issued on September 23, written by justices Mark J. Cavanaugh, Kirsten Frank Kelly and Karen M. Fort Hood, the appeals court reversed an order issued in a 2010 23rd Circuit Court jury trial

By Kathryn Fritz Kniep against Robson Accounting ditors was June 28, 2006 faithful performance of duand Rehman Group, a Saginaw, Mich. based firm. The firms were auditors for the county during the years in which the embezzlement oc-

> Originally, two appeals were filed, one from each of the firms, but the court chose to review them as a single

The issue on appeal arose from a decision by Circuit Court Judge Ronald M. Bergeron to deny a motion for summary judgment (disposing of the case) based on language within the auditing contract which established a 12-month period of limitations after performance of service during which claims could be filed.

Both the county and the auditing firm agreed that the last day of service by the au-

and that the county's complaint was filed on March 4, 2008. However, attorneys for the county argued that the state's statute of limitations for accounting malpractice overrode the contract language.

In last week's opinion, the appeals court disagreed.

The embezzlement of funds by Katona came in the form of wire transfers in excess of \$1.2 million to what the appeals court called "The Nigerian Advance Fee Fraud Scam."

In 2006, when investigation into county financial irregularities began, the Alcona County Board of Commissioners directed Katona to report, in writing, regarding certain transactions and to provide a bond in the amount of \$7,000,000 to secure his

ties as county treasurer. Upon failure to do so, the county board removed him from office.

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low with employees, but they together. This is a time to met as usual at 7:30 a.m. Monday to find out what was going to happen next.

"It's devastating," Campbell said. "We have to keep and move forward. We have a

start over. There is no sense in crying over spilled milk."

"This didn't just affect the crew of the road commission - but their wives and kids as moving, hold our heads high well. And, it really effects the population of all of Alcona great crew. They work great County. It's sad, it really is.

Monday morning also saw an informal road commission meeting where some goals were identified and strategy was put in place.

"Within the next two weeks the goal is to have a repair facility where regular maintenance can be done on the trucks and our maintenance crew can work. We need a location where we can keep our trucks and work out of," Campbell said.

While the assessment of damage regarding the loss of vehicles, equipment, tools and parts is ongoing, the road improvement projects on Trask Lake Road and Barlow Road will continue. "These projects have to get done,"

Campbell said.

"This is the worst possible time for this to happen with winter right around the corner," Campbell said. "With the cuts we've had in the last year and now this loss, it will be hard to keep up with snow removal this winter," Campbell said. "Our response time is going to suffer and service won't be as it used to be that's for sure. I'm hoping for an easy winter, but I doubt that will happen."

Despite the uncertainty of what will transpire in the days to come Campbell has been pleasantly surprised at the outpouring of support he and the road commission has received since Saturday night. "Everyone has been very supportive - fire crews, law enforcement, our crew... I've been overwhelmed with the support that has come from the community. A lot of counties around us have been wonderful and have let us know that they are willing to help in any way that they can with anything we need."

The road commission office on Lake Street in Lincoln will be open during regular business hours and can be reached by calling (989) 736-8168.

Obituaries

Nancy M. Brooks

Nancy M. Brooks, 74, of Greenbush, died on Sunday, Sept. 29, 2013 at St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw, Mich.

She was born Nancy M. Schulz on October 8, 1938 in Richmond, Mich. and she was raised in New Haven, Mich.

On December 10, 1959, she married William Brooks. They were residents of St. Clair Shores, Mich. for seveal years until they moved to Sterling Heights, Mich. where they were longtime residents.

Mrs. Brooks worked as an assembler for Eaton Corporation in Rochester Hills, Mich. for 10 years.

She has been a resident of Greenbush for the past 10 years. She enjoyed spending time with her family.

Mrs. Brooks is survived by her husband, William; one daughter, Susan (James) Gray of Clinton Township, Mich.; one son, Ronald (Robyn) Brooks of Sterling Heights, Mich.; and three grandchildren.

Visitation is at Gillies Funeral Home, Harrisville on Wednesday, Oct. 2 from 4 to 6 p.m.

Bruce E. Caldwell

Bruce E. Caldwell, 80, of AuSable died on Friday, Sept. 27, 2013 at home.

He was born on May 13, 1933 in AuSable the son of John and Sadie (Lockhart) Caldwell.

He graduated from Oscoda High School in 1951.

After working a few years with a local plumber, he moved to Flint, Mich. to take a job at Buick.

He married Lois (Leahy) on November 5, 1955.

After moving back to AuSable in 1959 he started Bruce Caldwell Plumbing and Heating. In November of 1963 he went to work at Wurtsmith Air Force Base where he worked in civil engineering, first as a plumber and retiring as the deputy chief of operations on June 1, 1993.

Mr. Caldwell was a past member of the AuSable Township Board as well as the planning commission. He was a member of the Rotary Club, Lake Huron Sport Fishing Club, Oscoda Yacht Club and Oscoda Jaycees. He served 13 years as a volunteer for the Oscoda AuSable Fire Department.

He enjoyed studying the Great Lakes freighters, woodworking and fishing. He also loved sharing his knowledge of local and family history.

Mr. Caldwell is survived by one son, Bruce Caldwell, Jr. of Oscoda; one daughter, Julie Caldwell of Lakewood, Ohio; two grandchildren, Tina (Zach) Williams and Holly Caldwell; three great-grandchildren Elijah, Hannah and Kaleb Williams; and his beloved dog, Bailey.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Lois; and one daughter, Janet.

A memorial mass will be held on Saturday, Oct. 12 at 10 a.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Oscoda. Memorial contributions may be directed to Heartland Hospice, 564 Progress Street, West Branch, Mich. 48661. Arrangements were handled by Buresh Funeral Home.

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Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2012-2013

	Weekly	<u>Report</u>	Miles Pe	r Hour	
Temperature (F°) High Low		Precipitation	Av. Wind	High	Dominant
<u>High</u>	Low	<u>Inches</u>	Speed	Speed	<u>Direction</u>
52	41	0.01	2.0	16	NE
59	44	0.00	2.0	14	ENE
61	41	0.00	2.9	9	ENE
63	43	0.00	3.3	12	NE
65	46	0.00	2.9	13	NE
69	47	0.00	1.3	6	NE
67	56	0.00	8.6	25	SSW
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	Precipitation S	ummary (Inches)	2012-2013
			Normal
	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	Water Content
Weekly Total	0.01	0.40	0.61
September to Date	1.65	2.13	2.64
Year to Date	24.06	19.72	22.00

Climatological Observations taken by Stanley L. Darmofal at the Harrisville National Weather Service Coop Station located 1.8 miles NNE of Harrisville Post Office. Observations for each day are from midnight through 11:59 p.m. T=Trace (less than 0.005" Water Content.)

Calendar of Events

(Editor's Note: Entries for Calendar are always welcome. They will be published in chronological order as space allows. Entries should be turned in at least two weeks prior to the date of the event. Events sponsored by businesses or individuals to make a profit or governmental units for meeting notification are not eligible for this free public service. Sorry, "bingo," "garage sales" or "raffle ticket sales" information is also not eligible.)

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2

Alcona County Baby Pantry will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at St. Raphael Church, 2531 East F-30, Mikado. Free items for newborns through age five to residents of Alcona County. Diapers, formula, clothes, bedding and more will be available.

Food pantry from 1 to 3 p.m. at Spruce Lutheran Church, 1246 East Spruce Road, Spruce. Clients must be present to receive food and identification is required. For more information, call (989) 471-5013.

Northeast Michigan UAW Retired Workers Alpena Council will hold its membership meeting at 11 a.m. at the VFW hall, 2900 Connon, Alpena, at the corner of Brooke and Connon, near Diamonds Pointe. Lunch will be served. To reserve a place, call (989) 356-4959 or (989) 727-4080. Bring a can of food for the needy.

Strawberry Fields Grocery Co-op, sponsored by the new Alcona County Food Association will hold a farmer's market from 4 to 7 p.m. at 200 North State Street (US-23), Harrisville. Local produce will be sold by area farmers and the gardeners who are growing in the Harrisville Community Garden. For more information, call (989) 607-0187.

Sing-a-long with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush site, 3029 Campbell Road.

Needle crafters are making hats, scarves and more at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Bring necessary supplies. Items made will be donated to local organizations for distribution.

Alcona woodcarvers will meet from 2 to 4 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. All levels of woodcarvers including beginners are welcome.

Friends of Alcona County Library will meet at 1 p.m. at the Harrisville branch, 312 West Main Street.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3

Veterans join your fellow comrades for coffee hour from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Westminster Presbyterian Church, 201 Second Street, Harrisville.

Retirees will meet for a potluck lunch at noon at the

Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Bring a dish to pass.

TOPS MI 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:15 a.m. and meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. All are welcome. Handicap accessible. First meeting is free. For more information, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 739-4483.

Blood pressure clinic at 3:30 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Community Walking Club for everyone will meet at 8:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

State Representative Peter Pettalia will host a meeting at 10:30 a.m. in the Alcona County building commissioner's meeting room, 106 5th Street, Harrisville. The event will cover identity theft and scams perpetrated by telephone, traditional mail and e-mail. For more information, call (877) 737-4106.

Open house for featured artists Jim Shaffer and James Manning from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at Thunder Bay Arts Council Gallery, 127 West Chisholm Street, Alpena. This event is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served.

Popcorn and a movie at 2 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Storytime and craft for children from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street.

Fish fry from 5 to 7 p.m. at the American Legion, 2205 Alger Street, Mikado. Cost is \$8 for adults, \$4 for children age six to 12 and no charge for children under age five. Public is welcome.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5

The ARA Farm Market will be open from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the ARA site on Barlow Road in Lincoln. For more information, call (989) 724-5077

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6

Harrisville City and Township Fire Department will host an open house to kick-off Fire Safety week from 1 to 4 p.m. There will be games, prizes, displays, and tours of the fire trucks. Bring your camera for many photo opportunities. The Alpena Fire Department smoke house will be on-site for hands on demonstrations. For more information, call fire chief Randall Goodman at (989) 335-0380.

Robbie McGinnes, Jr. annual horseshoe tournament will be held at the Barton City Eagles, 671 Sanborn Road. Registration and qualifying at noon. Tournament at 1 n.m.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 7

Senior commodities will be distributed from 9 to 10 a.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street.

Get Crafty for Adults from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. The project for October is oil painting with Mary Freiberg. There is a \$10 charge. To register, call (989) 724-6796.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8

The Harrisville United Methodist Church is having their annual apple pie sale. Sugar free, crumb topping and two crusts pies available for \$8 each. To place an order, call (989) 724-6268.

The Alcona County Alzheimer's Support Group will

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To the Editor,

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Harry Harvey, Commissioner Alcona County Road Commission

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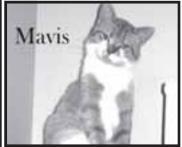
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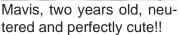
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Miss Sunrise Side will receive a cash scholarship, along with a \$4,000 scholarship to Alpena Community College sponsored by the ACC Foundation. Any young lady between the ages of 13-17 is eligible in the Miss Sunrise Side's Outstanding Teen program.

Both shows will take place on Saturday, Nov. 2 at 4 p.m. in the Alpena High School, Stanley C. Beck Auditorium. All contestant information is available on the Miss Sunrise Side website: www.wix.com/misssunriseside/msrs, click on Miss Contestant or Teen Contestant. Contact coexecutive directors Cari Stenz and Katie Lee with questions at (989) 340-0092 or miss.sunriseside@yahoo.com.

Senior Menu

The following meals will be served at various times during the week at senior centers in Glennie, Greenbush and Lincoln. Anyone planning to attend a meal is asked to reserve a place by calling (989) 736-8879 by 10 a.m. Monday through Friday.

- Monday, Oct. 7—Smothered chicken, mashed potatoes, squash, tossed salad, fruit and ice cream.
- Tuesday, Oct. 8—Pork chop bake with sweet potatoes and apples, cauliflower, fruited Jell-O and fruit.
- Wednesday, Oct. 9—Chili dog with cheese, potato Lyonnais, green beans, coleslaw and fruit.
- Thursday, Oct. 10— Stuffed green peppers, red parsley potato, wax beans, pickled beets and fruit.
 - Friday, Oct. 11—Lemon

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pepper chicken over buttered noodles, Prince Charles blend vegetables, red fluff salad and fruit

(Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

ARA Farm Market

The ARA Farm Market is open Saturday, Oct. 5 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the ARA Site in Lincoln. Everything is grown, created and produced in Alcona County. Bridge cards are accepted. Available this week: Radishes, turnips, pumpkins, carrots, cabbage, potatoes, eggplant, tomatoes, buttercup, acorn, butternut, grey ghost, yellow and zucchini squash, hot and sweet peppers, onions, kale, arugula, lettuce, broccoli, leeks, pears, apples, rutabagas, garlic, cilantro and other herbs, farm fresh eggs, variety of baked goods, all cuts of hormone and antibiotic free grass and grain fed beef, brats and snack sticks, dried herbs, jams and jellies, homemade laundry detergent, handmade greeting cards, tatted jewelry, potholders, market bags, crocheted and knitted items, candles, mini bales, dish gardens, firewood, live rabbits and more. For more information, call (989) 724-5077.

Tracing German Ancestors

The Huron Shores Genealogical Society will present "Tracing Your German Ancestors with Frieda Hirschenberger" Saturday, Oct. 12 at the Robert Parks Public Library, Skeel Ave, Oscoda, from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. German is the largest ancestral group in the United States, counting 49.8 million in the 2010 Census, which is about 16 percent of the population. Frieda Hirschenberger is a member of the Northeastern Michigan Genealogical Society of Alpena. She was raised in Germany and moved to the United States when she was 21 years old. Family research has been a passion of hers for over 30 years, during which time she has researched man records in the German language and guided others on tours of Germany, France, the Netherlands and Switzerland.

Hirschenberger will be speaking in the morning, lunch is brown-bag with beverages and dessert provided by Huron Shores Genealogical Society, the afternoon will give attendees an opportunity to ask for help in their research. Door prizes will include one free page of translation by Hirschenberger. For

more information, contact Judy Sheldon at (989) 739-5497 or huronshoresgs@yahoo.com. Bring a laptop for research. The program is free and open to the public. Register by calling the library at (989) 739-9581.

Lighthouse Festival

Sturgeon Point Lighthouse participates in the Great Lakes Lighthouse Festival each year. The lighthouse museum, grounds and gift shope will be open on all four days – Thursday, Oct. 10, through Sunday, Oct. 13 from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. The tower will be open to climb on Friday, Saturday and Sunday from 11 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. with a charge of \$3 per person.

The 18th Annual Great Lakes Lighthouse Festival will be centered in Alpena from October 10 through October 13. The festival is a non profit event that promotes the historic lighthouses and lifesaving stations of the Great Lakes. Over the course of the four day event, festival goers have an opportunity to visit 12 lighthouses. Weather permitting, there will be boat tours to Middle Island Lighthouse and Thunder Bay Island Lighthouse, and helicopter photo tours to up to five different lighthouses. Ten of the 12 lighthouses that weekend can be visited with personal vehicles.

In addition to visiting lighthouses along the shoreline, there will be over 20 lighthouse exhibits attending from around the Great Lakes - including the featured lighthouse this year, Big Sable Point Lighthouse. There will be photographers, artists, crafters and more at Alpena's Event Center, the APlex, located at 701 Woodward Ave. Dinner with free live entertainment and silent auctions will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday evening's at Alpena's Sanctuary Inn. Special events will be held throughout the weekend. A lighthouse photography workshop will be available all four days. Saturday, at the APlex, the festival hosts a live auction with over 75 nautical items to bid on. Monies raised at this auction will help participating lighthouse organiforts.

For more information on events, activities and reservations, visit www.lighthousefestival.org, call Alpena Area Chamber of Commerce, 800-4-ALPENA, or contact festival coordinator, Melanie Kirn (mjk361@comcast.net or 586-566-1603).

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"We lost the building, but we kept the fire from going from the parameters of the building to the road commission office building and several houses nearby," MacNeill said.

"It's a tragedy that we lost the building," Hall said. "But, shortly after we got there we knew it wasn't going to be

However, fire fighters returned throughout the day on Sunday to keep an eye on the scene to ensure hot spots didn't flare up. The scene will be continuously watched until the debris is cleared.

"If it wasn't for the community - people willing to assist - we couldn't have done what we did," MacNeill said. "We had assistance from all

trucks we pulled out - that we thought that night would be okay - have a lot more damage than anticipated," Campbell said. "No one was hurt or killed – that is a blessing. I think we handled it very well. We made some good decisions on what we could get out, but, at a certain point it's too risky... the fire expanded a lot when we went



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The main building of the Alcona County Road Commission was reduced to rubble by fire Saturday night. Photo by Cheryl Peterson.

Hall explained two brush rigs were assigned to a roving patrol for surrounding structures. MacNeill said some residents were evacuated for safety measures.

In addition to a steady south wind, fire fighters faced safety issues in relation to the contents of the building. "Due to the fact that it was in an industrial building and it had industrial materials - fuel tanks, tires... everyone was very conscious of the hazards," MacNeill said.

Hall explained the biggest explosion-like instances that erupted from the building were tires rupturing. "That sounds like explosions," he

Hundreds of bystanders including almost all of the road commission employees - watched the building turn into rubble throughout the night and into the morning.

Hall's crew cleared the scene at around 5:30 a.m. fire departments in the community - not all were on scene, but we had their assistance... Viking Energy also assisted with water supply. Without their cooperation in the community this would have been very difficult.

The Alcona County Sheriff's Department and Alcona County EMS were also on the scene throughout the evening and morning.

'Carolyn Brummund and Shelia Phillips - county commissioners - provided what they had on hand - water, sandwiches, et cetera to assist fire fighters. It was outstanding for them to step up like that.'

The State Fire Marshall is investigating the cause of the fire and was at the scene on Monday. According to Campbell, the insurance investigator was on the scene Sunday and the insurance assessor was there Monday.

"It looks like two of the

in, which we knew would happen...

'I don't believe we should have been in there - especially now, after seeing the damage on the two trucks we did pull out... It was my call at the last minute (to try to get the new truck out). The fire crew even asked and I said, 'no, leave it.' I think we went beyond our safety level. I'm very thankful no one got hurt," Campbell said.





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We all realize how lucky we are to live in this community during times like this. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

Nancy, Deb and Greg, Dave and Patty, Samantha, Rachel, Nicole, Ellie and Lexie



Strong offense play gives Lady Tigers momentum

By Hope Smith Volleyball Writer

After losing a tough battle against AuGres last week the Lady Tigers came back to prove to themselves, and the home crowd, that they are a force to be reckoned.

The Alcona varsity volleyball team had a productive week earning wins over Hale at home Tuesday, Sept 24 in three sets and against Mio Thursday, Sept. 26 in four sets.

In the match up against Hale the Lady Tigers led the way offensively, delivering powerful kills and penetrating aces with confidence and energy. Alcona came out strong sweeping Hale 25-8, 25-10, 25-10 for an early night.

"We played very focused all night. Katelyn Nelson and Kalie Zerbst did a great job distributing the ball and our defense did a nice job covering the floor. It was a great team effort," Coach Kristi Arnold said.

The Lady Tigers were led offensively by senior Karina Cole with 11 kills, five aces and defensively with eight digs. K. Zerbst had nine assists and five aces. Sam

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In January, 2007, Katona was arrested and charged with nine counts of embezzlement by a public officer and two counts of forgery resulting in a \$1.2 million loss to the county. In May 0f 2007, he pleaded guilty to the charges and was sentenced to serve 112 (nine years and four months) to 168 months (14 years) in state prison.

At present, he has served almost half of the maximum sentence.

To date, Alcona County has recovered approximately \$450,000 of funds as restitution, largely from Katona's personal holdings.

In March of 2011, the Review reported that, based on documents obtained under the Freedom of Information Act, legal fees paid by the county prior to the most recent appeal had reached more than half a million dollars.

In order to further pursue the case, it would be necessary for the county to bring it before the Michigan Supreme Court. Zerbst had five aces. The junior varsity team defeated Hale 25-4, 25-15 and 15-8.

Mio proved to be more of a challenge as they battled back and forth to keep the score close between the two teams. Alcona buckled down and got the job done in four sets beating the thunderbolts 25-21, 25-21, 26-24 and 25-11.

"The girls did an awesome job on the net. Sierra Forsythe and Cole had solid games and did well placing their hits," Arnold said.

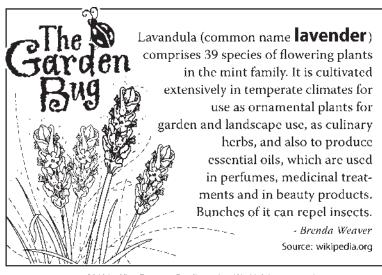
A focused Cole dialed in

delivering four aces, 15 kills, seven digs and 1 block. Nelson added four aces and 16 assists. Forsythe had four aces and K. Zerbst put up 16 assists. The JV team came up short 25-20, 25-22 against Mio.

The Lady Tigers were in action at home Tuesday, Oct 1 against Hillman and travel to Posen Thursday, Oct. 3 for more North Star action. Both games start at 6 p.m. when the JV team takes the floor followed by varsity at 7:30 p.m.



The Alcona Tigers took on two tough teams last week, which resulted in very close games. The first game was against Oscoda and the Tigers fell 5-4. Tiger Jeffery Schram (15) battles for the ball against Oscoda. In the second game, Alcona fought hard in their best game of the season against a talented Bay City John Glenn opponent again falling 4-3 but with some bright spots. Trenton LaVergne scored his second hat trick (three goals) of the week and keeper Chase Matthews broke a school record for saves in net, recording 24, including a blocked penalty kick. (The previous record was 22 held by Aaron Ritchie). Between these two rigorous games Alcona blanked Whittemore-Prescott 8-0. Alcona will take on Oscoda for a share of the North Star League title at press time. They will host Tawas on Wednesday and travel to Kalkaska on Thursday. *Photo by Kathy Steiner*.



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Concerned Grandmother

Dear Concerned,

The safest and most responsible way to dispose of unwanted, unused or expired, medications is to take it to a medicine take-back event. And the next prime opportunity to do this is on **National Prescription Drug** Take-Back Day, which is slated for Saturday, Oct. 26 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

National Take-Back Day is a free, anonymous program that will have around 6,000 designated sites nationwide - including many fire and police stations, and community centers - where the toilet - unless instructed

you can drop off your unwanted medications.

Developed by U.S. Drug **Enforcement Administration**, the take-back program was created to help address the ongoing problem of prescription drug abuse, as well as improper use of medications and accidental poisonings.

In the three years of semiannual collections, more than 1,400 tons of prescription meds have been collected and incinerated. To find a collection site near you, visit dea.gov or call (800) 882-9539.

The reasons take-back sites are a better option than tossing the medications yourself are because throwing drugs in the trash gives kids, grandkids and pets the opportunity to get at them, and a wastebasket is a likely place for family drug abusers to check after they've looked in the medicine cabinet.

And flushing them down

- is generally a bad idea because the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) wants to minimize drug residues in the public water supply.

If you happen to miss takeback day or there's no site available near you, talk to your pharmacist to see if he or she knows of another medicine disposal program in your area, or call your city or county government's household trash and recycling service. Or, if you want to dispose of your pills on your own, here are some tips recommended by the FDA.

• First, remove all personal information and drug names from the label by scratching it off, or marking over it with a permanent marker.

· Then take the medications out of their original bottles and mix them in another container (like a sealable bag or empty margarine tub) with an undesirable substance, such as cooking oil, coffee grounds or cat litter.

Then seal the container and throw it in the trash. This will make the medication less appealing to children, pets and unrecognizable to people who may intentionally go through your trash.

There are, however, a few medicines that may be especially harmful or even fatal if used by someone other than the person for whom the medicine was prescribed. These medicines have specific disposal instructions indicating they should be flushed down the sink or toilet as soon as they're no longer needed, and when they cannot be disposed of through a medicine takeback program. To see an FDA list of medications that should be flushed once expired, go to www.fda.-gov, and type "flush drugs" into the search box.

If you have other questions about proper drug disposal, talk to your pharma-

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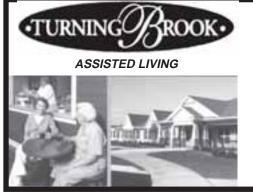
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Alcona defeats Whittemore-Prescott in double overtime

By Kendra Cole Football Writer

Gas was \$1.13 a gallon, a dozen eggs cost \$0.93 and George Bush was president the last time the Alcona Tigers beat the Whittemore-Prescott Cardinals in a high

school football game.

The 21-year record of the Cardinals defeating the Tigers was broken Friday night when the Tigers were victorious with a score of 28-26 in a game that went into double overtime.

things off for the Tigers with two carries. A Whittemore penalty set Franklin up to throw a pass that was received by Dawson Forsythe for a 44 yard touchdown. Garrette Norling added on two

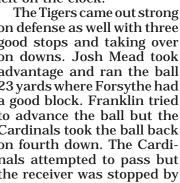
Cody Franklin started more points with a successful two point conversion and made the score 8-0 with 8:54 left on the clock.

on defense as well with three good stops and taking over on downs. Josh Mead took advantage and ran the ball 23 yards where Forsythe had a good block. Franklin tried to advance the ball but the Cardinals took the ball back on fourth down. The Cardinals attempted to pass but the receiver was stopped by Alec Neumann.

Tony DuBay took down the quarterback forcing a fumble which was recovered by Whittemore. A Whittemore pass completion lit the fire of the Tiger defense where they stopped the Cardinals, and forced them to punt. Mead received the punt and that ended the first quarter.

'You prepare by working as hard as you absolutely can. We start fast and finish strong," said Coach Dave Schneider.

At the start of the second



version. After half time, the Cardinals struggled with their offense as stops by Neumann, Fettes and Mead kept tight on Tiger defense.

quarter, Franklin scored a

touchdown off of two good

runs by Nathan Fettes and

Mead proving that the Tigers

do start strong. The score

board displayed 14-0 with

9:43 left in the quarter. The

Cardinals advanced the ball

down the field with two com-

pleted passes. At fourth and

ten and a stop from Norling

and DuBay, Alcona took over

on downs. With less than two

minutes left in the quarter,

Whittemore intercepted a

pass to Forsythe. The Cardi-

nals advanced the ball all the

way to touchdown making

the score 14-6. Fettes stopped the two point con-

Alcona got the ball to fourth and one when a penalty was called which moved them back and they were forced to punt. On the punt receive, Whittemore dropped the ball and it was recovered by Mead. The Tigers struggled to get the offense going and had to punt once again. Lucas Weichel, Neumann, Mead and Fettes took over on downs. Fettes got a first down which ended the third quar-

Mead came short of a first down for the Tigers and punted the ball to the Cardinals to start the fourth quarter. The Cardinals got a first down and moved down the field by completing a long pass. Mead stopped them right in front of the goal line. The Cardinals got a touchdown with 8:34 left and the two-point conversion is good making the score tied at 14-

Mead returned the ball 37 yards off the kickoff. Two passes from Franklin to Mead and Fettes get a touchdown for Alcona. Fettes got the touchdown and 19 yards on the play. With three good stops by the Tigers, Whittemore still managed to get a first down. Whittemore kept advancing down the field and got a touchdown on a completed pass and a long run. Norling and Adam Somers contributed to the stop of the two-point conversion that could have allowed the Cardinals to win.

With 2:33 left in the game, the score was 20-20, the Tigers tried to get a quick offense off but were unsuccessful and had to punt. With 50 seconds left Whittemore tried for a quick touchdown but did not have enough time. When time expired, the teams were still tied and the game went into overtime.

In high school football overtime consists of each team getting a chance to score. A coin toss determines which team gets the ball first and which end of the field they want. The ball is set at the 10 yard line and each team gets four downs to

Whittemore won the coin toss and got the ball first. With two good stops by Fettes and two incomplete passes,

The Alcona Tigers celebrate their victory over Whittemore-Prescott Friday night. The last time the Alcona High School varsity football team beat the Cardinals was in 1992. Photo by Pat Brussel.



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Tyler Somers, 14, shot a fivepoint while hunting with his dad, Ryan Somers in Gustin Township on Saturday, Sept. 21. His parents are Ryan and Stacey Somers of Midland, Mich. and Lincoln. Courtesy

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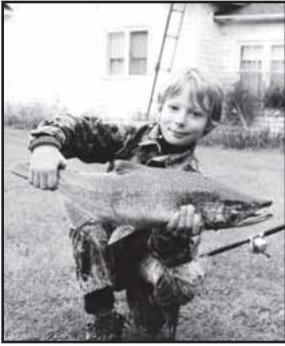
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Sam Cook, 8, landed his first salmon Sunday, Sept. 22 on the Black River. He is the son of J.B. and Teri Cook. Courtesy photo.



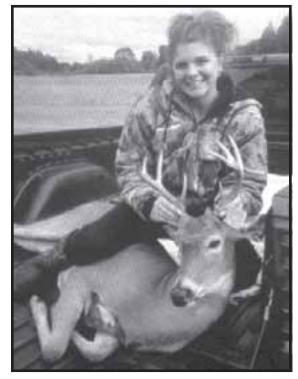
Raymond Geddert, 7, of Barton City bagged a doe while hunting in the Barton City area with Holly Klukowski on Saturday, Sept. 21. Courtesy photo.



Jaiden Tudor of Alcona County shot an eightpoint on September 21 while hunting with her father. Courtesy photo.



Jack Cook, 8, bagged a seven-point on Sunday, Sept. 22 in the Ossineke area. This is his first buck. He is the son of J.B. and Teri Cook. Courtesy photo.



Burghan Williams, 14, of Lincoln bagged an eight-oint while hunting with her dad, Todd Williams, in the Lincoln area. She shot it on Sunday, Sept. 22. Her parents are Amy Gonyea of Lincoln and Todd Williams of Lincoln. Courtesy photo.

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

New City of Harrisville Zoning Ordinance Adoption

The City of Harrisville Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on October 8, 2013 at 7 p.m. to recommend adoption of a new Zoning Ordinance to the City Council. The public hearing will be held at the Harrisville City offices at 200 Fifth Street, Harrisville, Michigan.

The full text of the new Zoning Ordinance is available at the Harrisville City office and at http://www.nemcog.org/ plan zone.asp or by contacting Cecile Pizer at (989) 724-6403. Written comments may be sent to Mayor John Dobis, 200 Fifth Street, Harrisville, Michigan 48740 or Cecile Pizer, P.O. Box 188, Harrisville, Michigan 48740 prior to the meeting. The public may appear at the public hearing in person or by counsel. The new Zoning Ordinance includes the rezoning of adjacent blocks of properties throughout the city and several individual lots including: parcel 120-100-013-003-00, parcel 120-100-013-002-02, parcel 120-150-037-020-00, parcel 120-110-012-115-00, and parcel 120-110-012-070-00.



Ray Chase of Harrisville shows off red skin potatoes from his organic garden. In addition to the spuds, he grows pepers, tomatoes, cabbage, head lettuce, celery, couliflower, corn and pumpkins. Review photo.

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Calendar of Events

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meet at 2 p.m. in the commons at Jamieson Nursing Home, 790 South US-23. Harrisville.

Weight loss support group will meet at the Lincoln United Methodist Church, 101 East Main Street, at 4 p.m. Visitors are welcome and there is no membership fee. For more information, call (989) 736-8645 or (989) 736-8338.

Sing-a-long with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church

Andy Feldbau a rising star on the world stage brings his pianistic brilliance to the Alpena High School Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Single tickets for this event are \$20 and admission is free for students. For more information, contact Nancy Hammond at (989) 356-8749 or David Usher at (989) 471-9182.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9

Region-14A MEA Retired meeting will be held at 10 a.m. at the Old Place Inn, 309 East Main Street, Harrisville. For more information call (989) 356-4551 or (800) 587-

The Harrisville United Methodist Church is having their annual apple pie sale. Sugar free, crumb topping and two crusts pies available for \$8 each. To place an order, call (989) 724-6268.

The Alcona County Chamber of Commerce will meet at 6 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 East Main Street.

Strawberry Fields Grocery Co-op, sponsored by the new Alcona County Food Association will hold a farmer's market from 4 to 7 p.m. at 200 North State Street (US-

23), Harrisville. Local produce will be sold by area farmers and the gardeners who are growing in the Harrisville Community Garden. For more information, call (989) 607-0187.

Sing-a-long with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush site, 3029 Campbell Road.

Needle crafters are making hats, scarves and more at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Bring necessary supplies. Items made will be donated to local organizations for distribution.

Alcona woodcarvers will meet from 2 to 4 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. All levels of woodcarvers including beginners are welcome.

Barton City Improvement Association will hold its monthly meeting at 7 p.m. at the VFW hall on Trask Lake Road. Citizens of Barton City are encouraged to attend. For more information, call Arlene at (989) 736-3294.

THURSDAY, **OCTOBER 10**

The Alcona Conservation District will hold its annual meeting and election of directors at 4:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. A pot luck dinner will be held at 5 p.m. followed by the annual meeting. For more information, call (989) 724-8229.

TOPS MI 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:15 a.m. and meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. All are welcome. Handicap accessible. First meeting is free. For more info., call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 739-4483.

Blood pressure clinic at 3:30 p.m. at the Greenbush site, 3029 Campbell Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Alcona Conservation District will present "Forest Invaders" from 4 to 6 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. This free event will educate private landowners about current and impending forest health threats and invasive plant endangering Michigan's forests. For more information, call (989) 335-1056.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11

There will be a fish fry from 5 to 7 p.m. at Maria Hall behind St. Anne Catholic Church in Harrisville. Cost is \$9 for adults, \$4 for children and free for age five and under. Everyone is welcome.

Popcorn and a movie at 2 o.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Storytime and craft for children from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street.

SATURDAY, **OCTOBER 12**

My Brother's Hope will be open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 76 North Barlow Road (across from the high school). The Potluck Café will be serving a meal from 10 a.m. to noon at the Harrisville United Methodist Church, 217 North State Street (US-23). For more information, call Susan Armstrong at (989) 724-6365.

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It was sunny skies and a warm breeze for the annual Curran Black Bear Festival last Saturday. Hundreds of people visited the day-long family-friendly event. Photo by Cheryl Peterson.





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Oct. 2, 2013

In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see sunny skies with a high

temperature of 71°, humidity of 56%. West

wind 5 to 10 mph. The record high temperature

for today is 82° set in 1967. Expect partly

cloudy skies tonight with an overnight low of

48°. Northwest wind 5 mph. The record low

*Last Week's Almanac

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*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

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The Northeast will see mostly clear skies today, partly cloudy to cloudy skies with a few

showers and thunderstorms Thursday and Friday, with the highest temperature of 87°

in Danville, Ill. The Southeast will see mostly clear skies with isolated thunderstorms

today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 91° in Brookesville, Fla. The



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the Cardinals were unsuccessful. On the Tigers attempt to score, Fettes carried the ball five yards and set Carson Jamieson up for a field goal. Jamieson kicked the ball, but it was tipped by the Cardinal defense and the field goal came up short.

The Tigers and Cardinals headed into the second overtime.

Alcona won the coin toss and Mead carryied the ball five yards. Franklin advanced it to the two-yard line and set up Fettes to score a touchdown. Franklin completed a pass to Mead.

The Cardinals had a nine yard run and scored a touchdown. Alcona stopped the two point-conversion to win.

This is the biggest thing that's happened to Alcona Football. We haven't beaten this team in twenty plus years. They are a great team. We knew they were going to

be good," said Schneider. Franklin ended the game with four for eight completions for 92 yards, 15 carries for 75 yards and one touchdown. Fettes finished with 14 carries for 72 yards, one reception for 22 yards, one touchdown and 17 tackles (five for loss). Mead had 10 carries for 62 yards, one reception for three yards, 10 tackles and one fumble recovery. Norling had10 carries for 50 yards, one reception for 22 yards, 16 tackles (seven for loss), and one sack.

Chad Cole had eight tackles (three for loss). Forsythe had one reception for 45 yards and four tackles (two for loss). Neumann and Weichel both had seven tackles.

The Alcona Tigers varsity football team is undefeated with a 5-0 record. There has only been two undefeated seasons in Alcona High School historty and that was by two varsity girls basketball teams.

The Tigers have a chance to make history again if they can stay undefeated when they play the Oscoda Owls at Oscoda on Friday, October 4.

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Seven Day Forecast



WEDNESDAY Sunny High: 71 Low: 48



THURSDAY

Few Showers High: 69 Low: 59



FRIDAY

Mostly Cloudy High: 70 Low: 59



SATURDAY

Mostly Cloudy High: 68 Low: 48



SUNDAY

Partly Cloudy High: 57 Low: 41



MONDAY

Mostly Sunny High: 60 Low: 42



TUESDAY

Few Showers High: 59 Low: 45

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Today's Regional Map

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Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week **Sunrise Sunset Moonrise Moonset** 7:10 p.m. 5:00 a.m. 5:50 p.m. 7:08 p.m. 6:04 a.m. 6:19 p.m. 7:07 p.m. 7:10 a.m. 6:48 p.m. 7:05 p.m. 8:17 a.m. 7:21 p.m. 7:03 p.m. 9:26 a.m. 7:57 p.m.

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National Weather Summary This Week

the highest temperature of 80° in Torrington, Wyo. The Southwest will see mostly clear skies today

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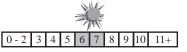
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0-2: Low, 3-5: Moderate, 6-7: High, 8-10: Very High, 11+: Extreme Exposure

Tonight's Planets

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Mercury	9:48 a.m.	7:53 p.m.
Venus	11:38 a.m.	8:47 p.m.
Mars	3:21 a.m.	5:33 p.m.
Jupiter	12:30 a.m.	3:45 p.m.
Saturn	10:10 a.m.	8:31 p.m.
Uranus	7:09 p.m.	7:45 a.m.

Weather History

Oct. 2, 1981 - Severe thunderstorms raked Phoenix with heavy rain, high winds and hail up to an inch and a half in diameter, for the second day in a row. Thunderstorms on Oct. 1 deluged Phoenix with .68 inches of rain in five minutes, equaling their all-time record.

Weather Trivia

What are cirrus clouds?

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Answer: High-level clouds on average of 16,000 feet

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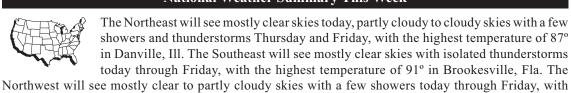
StarWatch By Gary Becker - Opa

🙏 I've often wondered what spurred me as a kid to look at the sky. Perhaps it was the bright meteor that I saw on my way to a cub pack meeting or a teacher asking

me if the cosmic information that she was conveying to her class was accurate. Then there was my poor father who I bombarded with a gazillion questions until

through Friday, with the highest temperature of 97° in Thermal, Calif.

one day he sighed and said, "Son, I just don't know." My response was, "Well, dad, give it your best shot." And on it went... My grandfather, Ewald Marcus (1893-1988), must have also played a role when he regaled me with vivid stories of his life, often using English and German words, interspersed within the same sentences as he spoke. As a student in the gymnasium, he was switched by his teacher when he conjectured about life on distant worlds in our galaxy. When he was 16 in 1910, he and a friend attended a May carnival in his hometown of Solingen-Wald. As the light from late afternoon waned into twilight, and then to darkness, there low in the sky was the bright gossamer tail of Halley's Comet, stretching, as he put it, "from horizon to horizon." The sheer surprise of its appearance always brought awe and wonder to his voice whenever he told me the story. As a German infantry soldier fighting on the Russian Front during WWI, my grandfather volunteered to take over culinary responsibilities when the cook in his regiment was killed. Ewald was an excellent, self-taught chef, and according to him, making a good meal was mostly a function of multiplying the correct ingredients by the number of hungry men who were to be served. My grandfather never received a complaint. At night when his chores were completed, he would often go outside and sit on a chair in the snowpack, reading the German newspaper by just the light of the moon. In the distance, hungry wolves howled at the stars, his "hooowing" sounds sending tingles up my spine. Opa died when I was 38, on my favorite day of the year, the summer solstice. www.astronomy.org



TRIVIA TEST ~ By Fifi Rodriguez

- 1. ADVERTISING: When did the United States ban cigarette ads on television?
- 2. GEOGRAPHY: What nation controls the Madeira Islands?
- 3. THEATER: Who wrote the play "Man and Superman"?
- 4. MEDICAL: The lack of what vitamin causes beriberi?
- **5. HISTORY:** Who founded the colony of Rhode Island?
- **6. MUSIC:** What kind of musical instrument is a zither?
- 7. TELEVISION: What is the longest running animated series on TV in the United
- 8. MOVIES: Who played a bit part in the 2008 movie "The Incredible Hulk" and also played the Hulk in the earlier TV series?
- 9. ROYALS: How long did Lady Jane Grey reign as queen of England?
- 10. FAMOUS QUOTATIONS: What famous actor once said, "Always get married early in the morning. That way, if it doesn't work out, you haven't wasted a whole day"?

Answers: 1. 1970; 2. Portugal; 3. George Bernard Shaw; 4. Vitamin B-1; 5. Roger Williams; 6. Stringed; 7. "The Simpsons"; 3. Lou Ferrigno; 9. Nine days; 10. Mickey Rooney, who was married eight times. (c) 2013 King Features Synd., Inc.

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STRANGE BUT TRUE by Samantha Weaver

- It was Albert Einstein who made the following sage observation: "There are only two ways to live your life. One is as though nothing is a miracle. The other is as though everything is a miracle."
- Many people believe that one should never remove one's wedding ring. However, one superstition holds that doing so is perfectly acceptable -- as long as the ring is being used to ward off a witch.
- There's nothing surprising about the fact that upon the death of British novelist, poet and essayist D.H. Lawrence, the author's body was cremated. What is unusual is that, at Lawrence's request, his ashes were mixed into the plaster used to build the D.H. Lawrence Ranch in Questa, N.M.
- As Halloween approaches, if you live in New Jersey, Pennsylvania or Iowa, you might want to keep in mind your state's tax policy. If you're buying a pumpkin to carve into a jack-o'-lantern, you'll need to pay tax on the gourd. Pumpkins used for food purposes, however, are subject to no such tax.
- In 2009, a Saudi couple who had spent their honeymoon in Malaysia encountered difficulty on the return flight home. It seems that the groom felt the bride was taking too long in the airport restroom, so he boarded the flight back to Saudi Arabia before she did. When he allowed the plane to leave without her, she insisted on an immediate divorce.
- The next time you've enjoyed a happy hour out with friends, you might want to consider the virtually unknown adjective "gambrinous," which means "to be content and happy due to a stomach full of beer.'

Thought for the Day: "My advice to you is to get married. If you find a good wife, you'll be happy; if not, you'll become a philosopher." **Socrates**

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MOMENTS IN TIME The History Channel

- On Oct. 17, 1906, Wilhelm Voigt, a German shoemaker, impersonates an army officer and leads an entire squad of soldiers to help him steal 4,000 marks. Voigt humiliated the German army by exploiting their blind obedience to authority and getting them to assist in his audacious rob-
- On Oct. 15, 1917, Mata Hari is executed for espionage by a French firing squad. Her military trial was riddled with bias and circumstantial evidence, and it is probable that French authorities trumped her up as "the greatest woman spy of the century" as a distraction for the huge losses the French army was suffering.
- On Oct. 14, 1947, U.S. Air Force Capt. Chuck Yeager becomes the first person to fly faster than the speed of sound. Yeager's X-1 rocket plane was lifted to an altitude of 25,000 feet by a B-29 aircraft and then released through the bomb bay.
- On Oct. 16, 1958, Chevrolet begins to sell the El Camino, a combination sedan-pickup truck. In 1964, the company introduced a version built on the brawnier Chevelle platform. Today, the car is a cult classic.
- On Oct. 20, 1962, the White House press corps is told that President John F. Kennedy has a cold; in reality, he is holding secret meetings with advisers on the eve of ordering a blockade of Cuba. Kennedy had seen photographic proof that the Soviets were building ballistic missile sites on the island of
- On Oct. 18, 1974, soul singer Al Green is attacked in his own bathtub when an exgirlfriend pours a pot of scalding-hot grits on his back. Her actions left Green with severe injuries but also shaken emotionally and spiritually. By 1976, Green had become an ordained Baptist minister and purchased a Memphis church, where he still preaches today.
- On Oct. 19, 1982, maverick automobile executive John DeLorean is arrested in a Los Angeles motel with a briefcase containing \$24 million worth of cocaine. According to authorities, DeLorean was attempting to make a drug deal in order to rescue his financially ailing DeLorean Motor Company.

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Weekly **SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle

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Scam alert trifecta

Dollars And Sense **By David Uffington**

"Mystery shopper opportunities" are making a resurgence in email boxes. Yes, there are legitimate companies. If you've been working for one for a long time and are happy with them, feel free to continue. But if you want to get started now, don't. Wading through the myriad offers and trying to decide which are on the level is asking for trouble.

When you sign up, you're likely to be asked for your name, address, email address and bank-account information for "instant" receipt of your pay via wire transfer. That's too much information for a company you don't know. You may be asked to pay a fee to sign up as well, or for "certification."

Barring that, chances are that the only "shopping" you'll be asked to do will involve receiving checks in the mail with instructions to take out your fee and send them the balance of the money by MoneyGram. The check will end up being no good, and you'll be out the money you wired to them.

If someone offers to pay a ridiculous amount of money to a stranger for a minimal amount of work, think: scam.

One inventive scam offers to pay people money to put advertising signs on their car and drive around. Amounts offered are up to \$1,000 in advance and then \$500 per

vinyl sign stuck to your car. You don't have to answer any questions, such as about the number of miles you drive, or where you drive. A legitimate advertiser would want to know where his ads will be seen. Your payment will be in the form of a check, which you are instructed to cash, take out your fee, and send the balance by Western Union back to the company.

Do you see a pattern here? Another scam can reach us right where we live: our homes. Security systems for the homes are designed to make us feel safer. The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) has investigated numerous complaints involving highpressure sales tactics, shoddy merchandise and more. The warning signs: Someone (likely part of a roving team) comes to your door in a cold call, impersonating a representative of the monitoring company you already use. You're told your old system is deficient in some way, and that the new equipment itself is free if you'll sign a

Check the FTC site at ftc.gov for more details on how to protect yourself.

David Uffington regrets that he cannot personally answer reader questions, but will incorporate them into his column whenever possible. Send email to columnreply2@gmail.com.

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VA health care for women vets

Veterans Post
By Freddy Groves

The American Legion recently released its report on the status of Department of Veterans Affairs health care for women veterans. Members of the System Worth Saving Task Force visited 15 VA facilities in 12 states around the country. Its purpose was to learn what barriers keep women veterans from enrolling in VA health care, understand the challenges women veterans face and make recommendations.

The 2013 Task Force Report on Women Veterans Health Care centered on three points:

1) Women veterans don't identify themselves as veterans and don't know about their benefits.

2) VA medical centers don't use baseline enrollment and marketing and outreach programs to keep women veterans in the health system. Women make up 15 percent of active-duty service members, yet the number of women using VA health care is considerably smaller.

3) Models of care need to be assessed for effectiveness. For example: Women veterans don't receive mammograms results quickly; VA facilities don't all have inpatient or residential mentalhealth programs for women; and the child-care pilot program is about to expire.

Here are some results of the survey, both good and bad:

• Women veterans keep their appointments when childcare is available during appointment times.

• Patient file flags about veterans "at risk" for violent behavior stay in-house, and therefore don't show up on the national records if a patient goes to a different facility

• Not all facilities are equal. Patients often are required to go to other facilities for care, or even go out of state.

The American Legion program has been in operation for 10 years, visiting VA medical facilities to assess veterans health care and offering information and recommendations to the VA, Congress and government officials.

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Mortgage Sale- Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Arlie D. Smith and Shannon M. Smith, husband and wife, mortgagors, to Green Tree Financial Servicing Corporation, mortgagee, dated the 22nd day of October, 1999 and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for the county of Alcona and state of Michigan, on the 2nd day of November, 1999 in Liber 335 of Alcona County records, page 1,230, said mortgage having been assigned to U.S. Bank, N.A. as trustee on behalf of Manufactured Housing Contract Senior/Subordinate Pass-Through Certificate Trust 2000-3 by Green Tree Servicing LLC, as servicer with delegated authority under the transaction documents on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of eighty seven thousand five hundred sixty six and 37/100 (\$87,566.37), and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of October, 2013 at 10 a.m. o'clock local time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the west entrance to the Alcona County Building in Harrisville, Mich. (that being the building where the circuit court for the county of Alcona is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid on said mortgage, with interest thereon at 10.79% per annum and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Which said premises piece or parcel of land, including any and all structures, and homes, manufactured or otherwise, located thereon, situated in the village of Barton City, county of Alcona, state of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Parcel A - Commencing at the northeast corner of Section 8, Town 26 North, Range 7 East, Millen Township, Alcona County, Michigan, thence north 89 degrees 06 minutes 50 seconds west along the north line of said section and the centerline of Walker Road 658.06 feet to the point of beginning, thence south 00 degrees 14 minutes 54 seconds east along the east line of the west 1/2 of the northeast 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of said section 508.00 feet, thence north 89 degrees 07 minutes 20 seconds west 672.33 feet, thence north 00 degrees 59 minutes 55 seconds east 508.00 feet, thence south 89 degrees 06 minutes 50 seconds east, along the north line of said section and the centerline of Walker Road 212.02 feet, thence south 00 degrees 53 minutes 10 seconds west 306.60 feet, thence south 89 degrees 06 minutes 50 seconds east 143 feet, thence north 00 degrees 53 minutes 10 seconds east 306.60 feet, thence south 89 degrees 06 minutes 50 seconds east 143.00 feet, thence north 00 degrees 53 minutes 10 seconds east 306.60 feet, thence south 89 degrees 06 minutes 50 seconds east along said north line and said centerline 306.26 feet to the point of beginning. Said parcel being a part of the west 1/2 of the northeast 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 and the northwest 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of said Section 8. Town 26 North, Range 7 East. Parcel B - Commencing at the northeast corner of Section 8, Town 26 North, Range 7 East, Millen Township, Alcona County, Michigan, thence north 89 degrees 06 minutes 50 seconds west along the north line of said section and the centerline of Walker Road 658.06 feet; thence south 00 degrees 14 minutes 54 seconds east along the east line of the west 1/2 of the northeast 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of said section 508.00 feet to the point of beginning, thence continuing south 00 degrees 14 minutes 54 seconds east along said east line 797.18 feet, thence north 89 degrees 20 minutes 52 seconds west

along the south line of the west 1/2 of the northeast 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 and the south line of the northwest 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of said section 8, 689.70 feet, thence north 00 degrees 59 minutes 55 seconds east 799.74 feet, thence south 89 degrees 07 minutes 20 seconds east 672.33 feet to the point of beginning. Said parcel being a part of the west 1/2 of the northeast 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 and the northwest 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of said Section 8, Town 26 North, Range 7 East. Except all that part of above described parcels A and B lying in the northwest 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of Section 8, Town 26 North, Range 7 East. Including manufactured home; 1999 Friendship manufactured home. Serial no. MY8815840ABF affixed to property during the six (6) months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed, except that in the event that the property is determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCLA 600.3241a, the property may be redeemed during 30 days immediately following the sale. Pursuant to MCLA 600.3278, the mortgagor(s) will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the mortgagee or the mortgagee's attorney Dated: 10/2/2013 U.S. Bank, N.A. as trustee on behalf of Manufactured Housing Contract Senior/Subordinate Pass-Through Certificate Trust 2000-3 by Green Tree Servicing LLC, as servicer with delegated authority under the transaction documents mortgagee. Fabrizio & Brook, P.C. Attorney for U.S.

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Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale As a debt collector, we are attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Notify us at the number below if you are in active military duty.

are described as follows: All that certain

Attention purchasers: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. Mortgage Sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Stephen Mackenzie and Joanne Mackenzie, husband and wife, original mortgagor(s), to Wells Fargo Bank, NA, mortgagee, dated February 16, 2006, and recorded on November 20, 2006 in Liber 437 on page 338, and assigned by said mortgagee to U.S. Bank National Association, as trustee for Wells Fargo Asset Securities Corporation, mortgage Pass-Through Certificates Series 20064 as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of one hundred nine thousand three hundred fifteen and 56/100 dollars (\$109,315.56).

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Alcona County, at 10 a.m., on October 30, 2013.

Said premises are situated in township of Greenbush, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Part of Lot 9, Martell's Cedar Ridge Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 1, page 92 of plats, Alcona County records.

The redemption period shall be six

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

If the property is sold at foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of the Revised Judicature Act of 1961, pursuant to MCL 600.3278 the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.

Dated: October 2, 2013
For more information, please call: (248) 593-1309
Trott & Trott, P.C.
Attorneys For Servicer
31440 Northwestern Hwy Ste 200
Farmington Hills, Mich. 48334-5422
File No. 432010F01
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ROAD COMMISSION SYNOPSIS

A regular meeting of the Alcona County Road Commission was held September 25 in Lincoln. Motions were passed to: Approve the minutes of the August 28 meeting; to approve open accounts paid on September 11 in the amount of \$112,098.86 and authorize payment of open accounts in the amount of \$133,772.26; to approve road improvement agreements with Greenbush, Gustin, Hawes, Harrisville, and Mikado townships; to confirm no jurisdiction over

King's Corner Road east of the Pine River; to authorize a pension distribution; to submit a ballot for a change to the County Road Association of Michigan by laws

This synopsis of the minutes is published prior to Board review and approval. Complete minutes are available upon request via email at roads@alconacrc.com or by calling (989) 736-8168. The next regularly-scheduled meeting is October 9 at 4 p.m.

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Mortgage Sale

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Notice is hereby given that default has occurred in a mortgage given by Luke A. Johnson and Timothea S. Johnson, husband and wife, mortgagors, to Huron Lending Services, L.L.C., as assigned to Huron Community Bank, a Michigan banking corporation, mortgagee. The mortgage is dated July 14, 2006, and was recorded on July 18, 2006, in Liber 432, on page 1,340 of the Alcona County records, and subject to an assignment of real estate mortgage recorded at Liber 499, page 208.

The balance owing on the mortgage as of the date of this notice is \$15,746.47, including interest at 3.375 percentper year variable. The mortgage contains a power of sale clause and no proceedings have been instituted to recover any part of the debt ow-

The mortgage will be foreclosed by selling the property described below at a public auction to the highest bidder. The sale will be held on October 30, 2013, at 10 a.m. local time at the main entrance to the Alcona County court facility, 106 Fifth Street, Harrisville, Michigan, that being the place of holding circuit court for Alcona County, Michigan. The property will be sold to pay the amount then due on the mortgage, including interest, legal costs, attorney fees and any taxes or insurance which may be paid

Notice of Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by David S. McGuire, a single man, of 2280 Buhl Road, Mikado, Mich. 48745 to Huron Community Bank, 301 Newman Street. East Tawas. Mich. 48730, dated March 31, 1999 and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for the county of Alcona and state of Michigan, on April 12, 1999 in Liber 330, page 305, on which there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal, interest and late fees, the sum of \$7.652.44.

As no suit or other legal proceedings have been filed to recover the debt secured by the mortgage; now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in the mortgage, and pursuant to the statutes of the state of Michigan, notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 23rd day of October, 2013 at 10 o'clock a.m. the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the main entrance to the courthouse in the City of Harrisville, Alcona County, Michigan of that premises described in the mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on the mortgage, with interest thereon at the contract rate and

by the mortgagee before the sale. The property to be sold is located in the township of Curtis, county of Alcona Michigan and is described as: A parcel of land described as the north 340.0 ft. of the south 2040.0 ft. of the northeast 1/4 of Section 11, T25N, R6E, lying east of the county road leading to Forest Hunting Lodge Subdivision, Commonly known as vacant land on Cole Road, Glennie, Michigan. Tax I.D. No. 031-011-100-025-00.

If the property described in this notice is sold at a foreclosure sale, then under MCL 600.3278, the mortgagor(s) will be held responsible to the buyer of the property at the foreclosure sale, or to the mortgage holder, for damage done to the property during the redemption period.

The redemption period will expire six (6) months after the date of the foreclosure sale, unless the property is determined abandoned under MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period will expire 30 days after the date of the foreclosure sale, or when the time to provide notice under MCI 600.3241a(c) expires, whichever

Smith, Martin, Powers & Knier, P.C.

Dated: September 16, 2013 By Henry L. Knier Jr. (P46393) Attorney for Huron Community

Mortgagee 900 Washington Ave., P.O. Box 219 Bay City, MI 48707 (989) 892-4574 9-25, 10-2, 10-9, 10-16

all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sums which may be paid by the mortgagee to protect its interest in the premises.

The premises are described as follows: Situated in the township of Mikado, county of Alcona, state of Michigan, described as:

The west 363.0 feet of the north 600 feet of the northwest 1/4 of the southwest 1/4 of Section 5, Town 25 North, Range 8 East.

If the property described in this notice is sold at the foreclosure sale referred to above, the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period as provided by MCL 600.3278 or otherwise by law.

The redemption period shall be one (1) year from the date of the sale unless the property is determined to be abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a. Bodman PLC

Dated: September 18, 2013 By Sandra L. Jasinski (P37430) Debt Collector for Huron Community Bank

229 Court Street, P.O. Box 405 Cheboygan, MI 49721 (231) 627-8000

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Public notice-seeking bids: Mikado Township is seeking sealed bids for its fire hall to remove three existing forced air unit heaters and replace them with an energy efficient infrared heating system as per national and state codes. The project is to be completed no later than November 30, 2013. The contractor is to assist the township completing DTE's Incentive Program forms. Bidders must be insured and Mikado Township identified as an additional insured under that policy. The contractor shall be licensed to perform the proposed work. A performance bond is required. Submit references for past projects of a similar project. Please submit alternate bids for following: 1. T-8 light replacements. 2. Furring walls with insulation. 3. Addition of six-inches attic insulation. Contractor will be responsible for obtaining all required permits. Site visits, specifications and engineer drawings can be obtained at 2268 Hamilton Road, Mikado by appointment by calling (989) 736-7721. Project contact is: Jesus "Yogi" Yruegas (989) 736-7721. Mikado Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids for any reason. Bids must be received no later than October 11, 2013. Mail sealed bids to: Mikado Township Clerk, P.O. Box 60, Mikado, Michigan 48745. Mark on outside of envelope "Fire Hall Bid."

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Bids wanted: Alcona County Commission on Aging Senior Center, 207 Church Street, P.O. Box 218, Lincoln, now accepting bids until October 21 for snow plowing of parking lots for winter season 2013-2014. (989) 736-

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Wanted: Person interested in providing a survey of the grounds for the Labor Day Arts and Craft Show. Call (989) 724-6967 for more details. Deadline October 7, 2013.

Wanted: Persons interested in becoming an Arts Council member. Our main duties revolve around the Labor Day Arts and Craft Show. Meetings are once a month on the third Monday at 5:30 p.m. Call (989) 724-6967 or (989) 724-5886 for more details.

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