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Kewanna Methodist gets new pastor

Chris Tiedeman is now serving as pastor of the Kewanna United Methodist Church, effective July 1. He is shown here with his family, wife Emily and children Carter, Nate and Ella.

Tiedeman comes to Kewanna from the Pennville United Methodist Church, his first appointment, where he served for six years. The 28-year-old recently graduated from Ball State University with a major in history, focusing mainly on world foreign policy since 1914 and the Atlantic slave trade. He will be attending United Theological Seminary beginning in the fall. The seminary offers an online degree program so he will be able to spend most of his time here. The only time he will be away will be one week per semester.

The couple will celebrate their 10th wedding anniversary July 15. Their children are all adopted. Nate is nine years old and, according to his father, he is inquisitive. Carter is their five-year-old "miracle child" and Ella is almost two years old.

Tiedeman replaces Pastor Steven McPeek who has been appointed to the Markle United Methodist Church.

Everyone is invited to attend Sunday worship services at the Methodist Church which are at 10:30 a.m. and meet the Tiedemans. A carry-in dinner will be held after services Sunday, July 25, to welcome the new church family.

The Kewanna United Methodist Church also offers Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. (Members of the adult Sunday school class gather at about 9 a.m. for coffee and conversation.) A children's church is held during the worship service, except for

the first Sunday of the month, which is communion Sunday. The church also offers youth groups, Crossroads and Turning Point, which meet at 6 p.m. Sunday evenings under the direction of Daniel and Karla Kreamer.

A woman's group meets the first Monday of the month, except for the months of January - March. Due to the Independence Day holiday, the July meeting will be held the 12th at the home of Shirley Bussert. The men meet for breakfast one Saturday a month during the fall and winter.

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Immunizations available at Health Department

The Fulton County Health Department offers an immunization clinic every Wednesday from 8 to 11:30 a.m. and 2-5 p.m. The fourth Wednesday of every month clinic hours are extended to 6 p.m. Parents are urged to beat the school rush and take their children to the clinic early to receive their school immunizations.

Children entering kindergarten in the 2010-2011 school year will need to be immunized before attending school. Students entering the 6th through 12th grade and first year college students are required additional immunizations as well.

In addition to the previously required immunizations, students entering pre-school or kindergarten (4-6 years old) must have two documented varicella vaccines, separated by at least three months, or written documentation that they have had the disease (chicken pox).

Students entering 6th through 12th grade and first year college students must have one DTap vaccine (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Acellular Pertussis); one meningitis vaccine (MCV4); two varicella vaccines (chicken pox) or documentation of the disease.

Guidelines for immunizations can be found at www.cdc.gov/vaccines.

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Water quality report

The Kewanna Water Works has mailed or hand-delivered copies of the 2010 Consumer Confidence Report (water quality report) to water patrons, as required by law. Copies of the report are also available at the Kewanna Town Hall, or by calling the clerk's office at 574-653-2112.

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FSA reporting deadlines

Julia A. Wickard, Executive Director of USDA's Farm Service Agency in Indiana, has announced that reporting deadlines are approaching. Producers of crops that are prevented from being planted or have failed due to disaster related conditions are encouraged to report crop acreages to their local FSA office.

For failed crops acreage to be considered timely filed, the acreage must be reported to the local FSA office prior to the crop being destroyed. In addition, prevented planted crop acreage must be reported to the local FSA office within 15 days of the final planting date for the intended crop. The final planting date for corn in Indiana was June 5 and the final planting date for beans was June 20. Late fees will apply for corn reports filed after June 21 and for bean reports filed after July 6.

The final date to report all cropland acreage to FSA is July 15. Failure to report all crop acreage to FSA by this date directly affects the producer's eligibility for FSA program payments.

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The News In Brief

The Fulton County Park Board will meet at 5 p.m. Tuesday, July 13, at Prairie Edge Park then tour the other county parks, weather permitting.

The Fulton County Tourism Commission recently awarded grants in the amount of \$750 to the Rochester Chamber to advertise the Fourth of July fireworks and \$1,000 to Kewanna H.E.A.R.T. to advertise the Kewanna Fall Festival.

The Town of Fulton has been awarded a grant in the amount of \$855,000 to build a new stormwater drainage system. The plan calls for the installation of 3,795 linear feet of stormwater drains and 25 inlets and manholes.

Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) is training a new group of advocates soon and is accepting applications from those who would like to serve as an advocate for children in the legal system. Interested persons should call 574-223-2183.

If you are headed south on U.S. 31 (Kokomo area), watch for road paving crews. Work began Tuesday on various heavily rutted sections between State Road 26 and U.S. 35.

Donald Tribbett, a Logansport attorney, is one of 34 who have applied for a position on the Indiana Supreme Court. A position on the court will become open in September when Justice Theodore R. Boehm steps down from the bench.

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Garden tour, July 10

The Fulton County Master Gardeners will host a garden tour Saturday, July 10, from 1 to 5 p.m., rain or shine. Proceeds will benefit Master Gardener community projects.

Hosts for the garden tour will be the butterfly garden at Lake Manitou Beach, State Road 14 East at Manitou Dam; John and Sue Little, 2209 Westside Drive; Stan and Judy Musgrave, 370 N 500 W; Jackson Family Estates, 1674 N 750 W; and Earl and Phyllis Wisely, 1621 N, 300 W.

Tickets are available from Master Gardeners, The Bloomin' Corner and at each garden the day of the tour. The cost is \$6 each or four for \$20. Persons touring all five gardens will be eligible to win a \$50 Bloomin' Corner gift certificate. Be sure to get your ticket punched at each location to be eligible for the drawing.

Three Red Cross blood collection dates coming up

The American Red Cross is holding three blood collection days in this area during July.

Blood collection dates and times include Tuesday, July 20, from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. at St. Joseph Parish Hall, 1310 Main St., Rochester; Friday, July 30, from 12 noon until 5 p.m. at Talma Community Building, 6873 North SR 25, Talma; and Friday, July 30, from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. at Wal-mart, 2100 Peace Tree Village, Rochester.

You may not realize it, but you could be the lifesaving type.

Blood typing is vital to medical care, says the American Red Cross, particularly during emergencies when every second counts.

"There are times when someone needs blood immediately to help save their life," said Sharyn Whitman, CEO for the Indiana-Ohio Blood Services Region of the American Red Cross. "Not only is it important for blood to be available, it's also crucial that the patient receive the same or a compatible type."

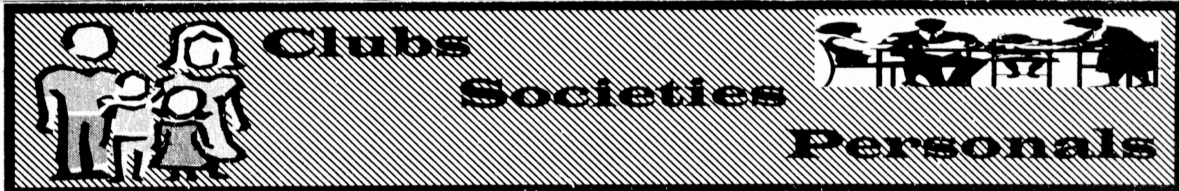
Type O negative, for instance, is the blood type medical providers transfuse in most emergency situations when the patient's blood type is unknown. And that, Red Cross officials say, is why type O negative is the blood most requested by hospitals. Other types in high demand include type O positive, which can be transfused to patients with all positive blood types—or about 80 percent of the population. Type B blood is also in high demand and can be subject to seasonal shortfalls.

First-time donors through the American Red Cross will find out their blood type within a few short weeks of blood donation. Donors receive an ID card with their name and blood type, which can be presented the next time they give through a Red Cross blood drive.

"Sometimes, our donors like to ascribe certain personality characteristics to certain blood types," said Whitman, "But whether you're type A, B, O or AB, when you roll up your sleeve, you become the giving type, and show you're someone who cares about the well-being of others."

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**Fulton County
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Friday - 8 to 5
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Class of 1960 enjoys reunions

Members and former members of the Kewanna High School graduating class of 1960 held a couple mini-reunions this past week to reconnect with visiting classmates.

Saturday, a group met for breakfast at the Kewanna Kafe to visit with Jerry and Pat Hiland of Phoenix, Arizona. Reminiscing with the Hilands were Steve and Donna Rude of Rochester; Susan Turner, Logansport; Diane Smith, Plymouth; Dick Good, Logansport; and Joe and Karen Good. The Hilands were in the area for a Kelsey family get-together in Monterey. The group also enjoyed visiting with several members of the Kelsey family whose father, Dr. Lawrence Kelsey, was a local physician with his office located just west of the library.

Another breakfast gathering was held Tuesday morning at Karen's in Rochester to visit with Bob and Lynn Newgent of Sarasota, Florida. Other class members present were Steve and Donna Rude, Rochester; Steve Ley, Indianapolis; Nancy Kline, Leiters Ford; Diane Smith, Plymouth; Dick Good, Logansport; and Joe and Karen Good. Also joining the group to visit with the Newgents were Earl and Nancy Vance and Paul and Pat Grube, all of Rochester.

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LOCALS

Leonard and Nancy Evers, Janet and C.J. Yocum and the Yocums' daughter, Andrea Konchak, were in town Saturday evening. They were among the many who watched the local fireworks display at the town park.

Dick Fedorchak and Renee Colley were in Crown Point Sunday, July 4. They enjoyed watching the city's holiday parade.

Virginia Agnew spent the 4th of July in Rochester at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Greg and Jackie Agnew. Other guests included Jarrod and Amy Agnew, Zachary and Alexis, and Jason and Kelly Grube. After a delicious lunch, they enjoyed a pontoon ride and swimming on Lake Manitou.

Helen Whiteman had a caller Sunday afternoon. Stopping by for a pleasant holiday chat was her daughter, Sherri Lett.

Barb and Tom LaFollette spent Sunday visiting and celebrating the Fourth of July holiday with family and friends. They enjoyed spending the afternoon as guests of their daughter and her family, Karina and Terry Bohac and Nick of Rochester. Also visiting with the Bohacs' were Terry's brother and sister-in-law, Kevin and Melissa Bohac. The family enjoyed a visit and cookout. In the evening, the LaFollettes visited with Dan and Melody Kline.

Ruth Cogdill had company Sunday. Joining her for an afternoon of visiting were her daughters and sons-in-law,

Jane and Jim Teeter of Bluffton and Linda and Gordon Ligocki of Winamac; her son and daughter-in-law, Tim and Deb Cogdill; her granddaughter, Candice Cogdill, and her friend, Clint; and her sister, Janel Norris. Everyone enjoyed a delicious birthday cake in honor of Ruth's 81st birthday.

Mike Brown hosted a large family gathering in honor of the Fourth of July holiday Sunday. Over 33 members of Mike's family enjoyed swimming, visiting, playing cards and dining on lots of good food.

Tom and Barb LaFollette were busy Monday, July 5. They began their day by picking blueberries before it became too warm. Then they traveled to Plymouth for lunch and to purchase some plants and flowers. In the afternoon, they were joined for a pleasant visit by their grand-daughter and her family, Shelby, Duva and Eli.

Virginia Agnew spent a few days last week in Hebron visiting her daughter and "son", Marsha and Ed Tomerlin and their family, Eric, Erin, Ashlyn and Jason. Tuesday they traveled to Valparaiso to visit Virginia's brother-in-law, George Wood.

Those persons who will be having birthdays next week (so please remember to give them your best regards) are: Pauline Brown, Jennifer Baker, Wiladean DeWitt, Chad Polstra, Phoenix Ritter, Ashlyn Tomerlin, Derek Wentzel and Ryan Wentzel, July 11; Chanse Baldwin and Brad Hall, July 12; Candice Evers, July 13; Summer Garver, Ken Hamman, Ray Weller, Tosha Nice and Caleb Wilson, July 14; Coral Montine and Jeff Nies Jr., July 15; Gary Kline, July 16; and Cale DeWees, Buddy LaFollette, Thomas R. LaFollette, Zek Kesler, Hayley Nimitz, Dan Pesaresi, Ralph Shotts, Emery Smith

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and Nicholas Wentzel, July 17.

There are nine couples who will be celebrating their wedding anniversaries next week: Mr. and Mrs. Herb Zellers, July 12; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson, July 13; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Smitley, July 14; Mr. and Mrs. David Briney, July 15; Mr. and Mrs. Doug Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Weller, July 16; and Mr. and Mrs. Adam Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Rans and Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Springfield, July 17.

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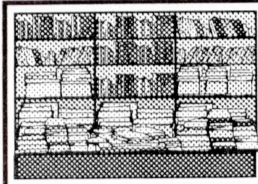
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Kewanna/Union Township Public Library News...

Nicholas Hughes

WOODLAWN HOSPITAL

June 25
Births - Billy and Amanda Burden, Claypool, a daughter; Guy and Natalie Leslie, Rochester, a daughter

June 28
Admissions - Henry Bradley, Rochester
Dismissals - Claudia Medsker, Vivian Crippen and Natalie Leslie and daughter, Rochester; Shirley Wolf, Tippecanoe; and Amanda Burden and daughter, Claypool

Births - Tiphany Day, Rochester, a daughter

June 29
Admissions - John Depue, Argos; Thomas Landis and Shirley Freels, Rochester

Births - Alyssa Grandstaff, Rochester, a son

June 30
Dismissals - Tiphany Day, Rochester

July 1
Admissions - Connie Grube, Winamac

Dismissals - Tyrone Stidham, Rochester; and Connie Grube, Winamac

Births - Mark and Kelly McCall, Rochester, a daughter

July 2
Dismissals - Alyssa Grandstaff and son, Thomas Landis and Shirley Freels, Rochester; John Depue, Argos

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There is some good news going on here at the Kewanna-Union Township Public Library. Things are still changing about the building. For all of you who missed last week's announcement, there are new computers in the library. These three up-to-date desktop computers will easily allow you to do everything from surf the internet to type up any documents you might have. They have been tested and will work with every school website we have run across, including Ivy Tech's. Honestly, this is still a point of pride for us. Come in and use them. That's why they are here.

As anyone familiar with recent library events has seen, there is a list for requesting titles and authors on our circulation desk. Names from James Patterson to Dean Koontz to Nora Roberts have already graced it. Well, more good news there. Many of these new books are in, including some of the latest works from those very authors. Several other authors also had works added to our catalog. Please come in and take a look. If you see something missing that you would like to read, let us know. If the book you want is in, check it out. But I wish to remind all patrons that check out times last for only two weeks. Please return items on time so that another person can borrow it. Share and share alike; there is always plenty to read.

This week's summer

reading program features... Well, I do not know exactly. This week we are winding up our summer reading program. I have been promised that there will be a surprise, but as to what exactly that is, I have no idea. But, as always, it will be fun for everyone. Parents and children are invited, so come on over and enjoy a couple of hours of entertainment. The event starts at 2 p.m. Wednesday afternoons in the library.

Finally, after taking a week off, this Saturday marks the return of open play Magic: the Gathering at the library. Starting at noon, come in and meet new people playing this interactive card game. If you don't know how to play, come in anyway and we will teach you. And if that isn't quite your style, try a round of chess or bring your own game. We are also looking for game suggestions for future weekends. All opinions are welcome. This is a friendly, all-ages event. Come join in.

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\$75,000 USDA Rural Development Grant will Promote Economic Growth in Fulton County

The United States Department of Agriculture Rural Development will present a \$75,000 USDA Rural Business Enterprise Grant to the Fulton Economic Development Corporation on Tuesday, July 6, 2010, during a ceremonial presentation hosted by Congressman Joe Donnelly. The grant is designed to provide an incentive for business expansion, job retention and creation, and private investment in rural areas of Indiana.

USDA Rural Development State Director Phil Lehmkuhler said, "With these funds, Fulton Economic Development Corporation will be able to assist numerous small businesses who, in the past, have had very few options for alternatives to traditional bank financing."

This latest grant is one of several recently awarded in Indiana by USDA Rural Development. "These grants are in keeping with the mission of USDA Rural Development which is to provide equity and technical assistance to finance and foster growth in homeownership, business development, and critical community and technology infrastructure," said Lehmkuhler. "USDA Rural Development is committed to improving the quality of life in rural Indiana. When rural Indiana makes progress, all of Indiana benefits."

A \$5,000 local match will also be added to the fund total.

Single family home loans, rural rental housing, water and waste water facility funding, business and industry guaranteed loans, and community facility loans and grants are financial resources available from USDA Rural Development. Further information on rural programs is also available at USDA's web site at <http://www.rurdev.usda.gov>.

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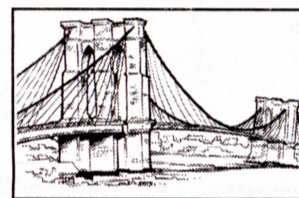
Democracy is a process by which people are free to choose the man who will get the blame.

—Laurence J. Peter

STRATEGIC VISIONING SESSION

The Fulton Economic Development Corporation (FEDCO) in conjunction with the Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs, will host a "Strategic Visioning Session" to gather information, identify areas of needs and establish priorities for the county, city and towns for organizational efforts when addressing community and economic development priorities. This "Strategic Visioning Session" will be held on Wednesday, July 14 at 6-8 pm at the Fulton County Public Library in Rochester. The session is for all county, city and town elected officials and all local business leaders who want to be a part of this vital process. Steven Ray and David Terrell of the Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs will facilitate the session. FEDCO Board President Terry Lee states, "We need this kind of exercise to plan together as a county. All elected officials are encouraged to attend." Wednesday, July 14, 6-8 p.m. Fulton County Public Library 320 W. 7th Street Rochester, IN 46975 Advance registration not required.

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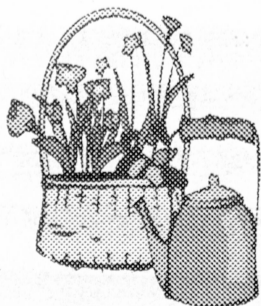
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Looking Back.....

SIXTY YEARS AGO July 7, 1950

Postmaster Lute Shoemaker has received notice from the Post Office Department that on the 31st day of August he will have met the requirements for automatic retirement.

George Grosskopf has been named coach at Grass Creek High School for the 1950-51 basketball season it was announced earlier this week. A graduate of Huntington College, he succeeds Charles Stephens who has been coach for the past four years. Stephens will remain as principal at the Wayne Township School.

A fire of undetermined origin destroyed a barn and a nearby twin boxcar-type building on the Leonard Beehler farm, one mile southeast of Grass Creek, Saturday evening. An amount of lumber, feed and a calf were also lost in the blaze.

The third weekend fire in the county destroyed a barn on the Joe Burns farm Sunday afternoon. The Grass Creek Fire Department battled the blaze for 2 1/2 hours. The fire was started by lightening.

An estimated \$10,000 worth of damage was done on the Clyde Ault farm, three miles north of Fulton, Sunday afternoon when lightening struck a large 60 x 42 foot barn at about 4:20 p.m. and caused it to burn to the ground. Lost besides the barn were a registered Jersey bull, a barn full of hay and straw, a new tractor-type mounted sprayer and other machinery.

Group two of the Methodist WSCS will meet Tuesday, July 11, at the home of Mrs. Clyde Collins.

Announcement has been made of the engagement and forthcoming marriage of Miss Anna Marie Jester to Jerry Talbott. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Jester of here and Mrs. Helen Talbott is the mother of the groom-to-be.

The Macy Christian Church was the scene of the wedding of Miss Romaine Smith to Covert L. Wentzel Sunday at 2:30 p.m. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. David Rogers, pastor. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith, Rt. 1, Macy. She graduated from Fulton High School and Indiana University School of Nursing. Wentzel is a graduate of Leiters Ford High School and is the son of Mrs. Amanda Wentzel of here.

Mrs. Pauline Cowles has received word that the Indiana Alcoholic Beverage Commission has granted her a package liquor license for a store which she plans to open in Kewanna, next to the Shafer Furniture Store.

Tom Larkin, Albert Walsh, Jake Evans and Bob Hendrickson cultivated 22 acres of beans and seven acres of corn on land farmed by D. R. Rans Saturday, June 25. One week later, on July 2, several men with mowers, wagons, tractors and balers, mowed 18 acres and baled and stored 825 bales of hay. Those with balers included Lincoln Burton, Burl Eber and Dan Miller.

Roy Whybrew has announced that he has purchased the Whybrew Mill from his father, C. E. Whybrew. The change of ownership was effective July 1. Roy has been managing the mill for some years.

Montgomery Joe Grube, four-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Grube, Rt. 4, Rochester, died Thursday at Woodlawn Hospital in Rochester shortly after he had been admitted. The child had been at the home of the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Grube, Kewanna, when he suddenly became ill.

Jack Vigus, Kewanna, was pictured pitching horseshoes on a lot recently resurrected from the weeds. The lot, which is owned by the Masonic Lodge, is located next to the lodge hall and the work was done by its members.

John G. Huber, 83, passed away July 1 at the Morrow Nursing Home in South Bend after a long illness. He was born December 27, 1872 on the Huber farm northwest of here, the son of Gottlieb and Magdalena Huber. He spent his earlier life in and around Kewanna and later moved to South Bend. He was the last surviving member of the Huber family.

Bobby Lee Rans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rans, was featured as the "Future Citizen".

FIFTY YEARS AGO July 7, 1960

Funeral services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Monday at the Kewanna Baptist Church for Charles G. Henning, 74, Kewanna, a retired C & O railroad telegrapher and agent. Mr. Henning died Saturday morning at his home after being in poor health for the past five years. Surviving besides his wife are a daughter, Mary Esther, at home; a son, John, Winchester; two grandchildren and a brother.

Wilma (Woolever) Hasman, Kewanna home economics teacher, has resigned to teach in Florida. Replacing her will be Mrs. Mary

Margaret Moyer, Star City.

Mrs. Georgia Rife Davis and son, Johnny, were among the victims in the path of Saturday night's storm which hit Peru. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Davis and son recently moved their trailer from Danville, Illinois, to the trailer park in Peru. Their trailer was one of ten which were overturned. Johnny received a cut lip and Mrs. Davis was hospitalized briefly.

During Mrs. Sophia Bauman's recent illness and death many friends helped with farming and housework. Of special mention was the job done Sunday morning, June 26, when Ned and Raymond Warfield, Fred and Sherald Hines, Ralph Kreamer and Al Heater cultivated 40 acres of corn and beans on the Bauman farm. The following day, Al Heater, using his baler, Eli Heater, Bob Hendrickson, Bob Rafferty and Ralph Crist, who is Capper's hire hand, baled Mr. Bauman's hay and put it in the barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rans, Kewanna, are the parents of a daughter born July 2 at Woodlawn Hospital, Rochester.

Florance Hendrickson, Rt. 3, Kewanna, suffered a heart attack at his home Monday

morning and was taken to Woodlawn Hospital.

Mrs. Alpha Hoesel, Rt. 2, Kewanna, fell last week in Logansport, breaking a small bone in her left wrist which required a cast.

FORTY-FIVE YEARS AGO July 1, 1965


Two Kewanna girls were listed in satisfactory condition today in Pulaski Memorial Hospital, Winamac, following a one-car accident in Aubbeenubbee Township Saturday. They are Sherry Engle, Rt. 1, Kewanna, who suffered a slight concussion and multiple injuries, and Janice Hattery, also Rt. 1, Kewanna, who sustained severe facial injuries.

George Miller, Greenville, South Carolina, suffered a heart attack last week while he and his family were visiting in the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Clyde Collins. He was rushed to Woodlawn Hospital where he is slowly improving. He will be flown back to his home as soon as he is strong enough.

Major Howard Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnston, Rt. 4, Rochester, has been awarded the Air

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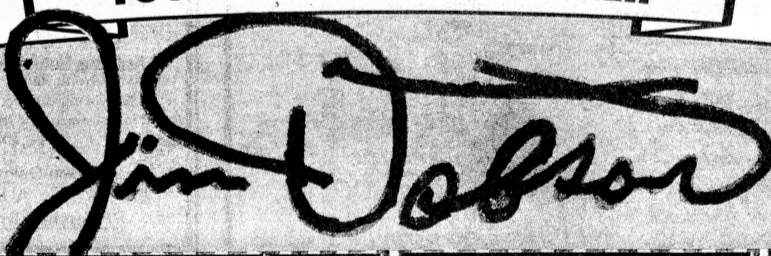


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FIFTY-FIVE YEARS AGO July 7, 1955

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Medal and the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service in Vietnam.

The Worthwhile Home Economics Club met at the home of Mrs. Eva Rhoades with Mrs. Violet Smith as her co-hostess. Mrs. Lorena Sheridan gave devotions and prayer was offered by Mrs. Lydia Stingley.

Miss Betty Graffis, 1964 Kewanna Harvest Festival queen, has taken over the position of preparing this year's contest to select the queen.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kumler observed their 55th wedding anniversary Sunday, June 27, at their home in Grass Creek. Helping them celebrate the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Kumler and family, Kewanna, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Ewen and family, Rochester, and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Kumler and family of Troy, Michigan.

Joyce Hizer of Grass Creek and Judy Dague, Kewanna, were among the students attending Indiana State University's first five-week summer session in Terre Haute.

Nineteen children attended the first story hour held June 26 at the local library. Mrs. Aron Ousley was the storyteller.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

July 3, 1980

Services were held at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Harrison-Metzger Funeral

Home, Kewanna chapel, for Grant C. Felder, 78, formerly of here. Mr. Felder died at his residence in Miamisburg, Ohio at 10:45 a.m. Sunday. Rev. Gene V. Personett officiated and burial was in the Moon Cemetery. Survivors include one son, Carroll, and a daughter, Alice Williams, both of Miamisburg, and three grandchildren.

Ken Musselman, Twelve Mile, won the 10-speed bicycle given away in a drawing at the local Marlo restaurant.

Beth DeWitt, Rt. 1, Kewanna, and Andy Rude, Rt. 1, Rochester, were among the 120 young people attending a four-day safety seminar June 30 through July 3 sponsored by Indiana Farm Bureau, Inc., at the Columbus Youth Center in Columbus.

A group of nine children sponsored by the Jasper County Association for Retarded Citizens and their counselors enjoyed a stay at Lake Bruce Resort last week. The children enjoyed pontoon and paddle boat rides by Kenny and Donna Grether, a dog show by George Harmon, various crafts, swimming, fishing, boating, campfires and hikes. Mrs. Pat Hurst of Lake Bruce Resort prepared all the meals.

Andrea Kamp observed her first birthday Sunday. Helping her celebrate the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Philip Anderson, Mrs. Naomi Mills, Mrs. Lera McKinney and Mrs. Mary Anderson, all of Kewanna; Mary Ruth Ingram, Larry and Carla

Anderson, Julie Huffman, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Funk and son, Daniel, of Rochester; Dave Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kamp, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Kamp and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kamp and Jonathan, and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Powell, all of Akron; and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kamp of Osceola. Lestra is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Kamp.

Kathy Rans and son, Kyle, Dave Patty of Rochester, Jim Hickle and Barb Webb of Winamac were Sunday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hickle.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

July 5, 1990

Wilber Rude, Kewanna, won a bronze medal in the White River Park bowling tournament in Logansport Saturday evening.

Dana Marie Day, Rt. 2, Kewanna, and Don Wentzel, Rt. 1, Kewanna, were among the 3,617 Purdue University students named to the distinguished student list for the spring semester.

Rites will be conducted at 10 a.m. today (Thursday) in the Frain Mortuary, Winamac, for David Joseph Williams, 29, Winamac. Tim Rohrbacher, pastor of the Kewanna Church of Christ, will officiate and burial will be in the Pleasant Hill Cemetery at Lake Bruce. Born April 14, 1961, in Logansport, he was the son of Carl C. and Audrey A. Wagner Williams. A 1980 graduate of Winamac Community High School, he was a member of the Academy of Model Aeronautics and was

employed at Sander's IGA, Winamac.

Wayne Pearl, former superintendent, principal and coach at Kewanna, has accepted the position of principal at Tri-County Middle-Senior High School for the 1990-91 school year. For the past six years, Pearl has been principal at North Daviess High School in Elnora. He and his wife, Glenda, and three grandsons of which they have custody, will be moving to the Remington-Wolcott area in mid-July.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bussert spent the weekend in Medford, Wisconsin, with friends and attended the 50th wedding anniversary celebration honoring Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Margetta.

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Mickey Gilley at Bearcreek Farms

Mickey Gilley will perform at Bearcreek Farms, Bryant, Friday, November 19, at 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Tickets will go on sale Tuesday, June 29.

Mickey Gilley was scheduled to appear in 2009, but was injured in an accident that left him in intensive care, paralyzed from the neck down after he fell helping a friend move a piece of furniture.

The entertainer returned to his own theater in Branson, Missouri, April 12, where he is doing five shows a week. He is excited about going back to work after being down for 7 1/2 months. Call 260-997-6822 for tickets or go to www.bearcreekfarms.com.

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Kewanna Town Council Meetings

First Thursday of Each Month 7 p.m. - Town Hall

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RECYCLING DATES


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High school reunion - Ten members of the Star City High School class of 1960 reunited for a 50th year celebration Saturday, June 26, at the home of Larry and Linda Leasure near Kewanna. Those enjoying the event were, left to right, Monte Day, Shirley Elston Williams,

Betty Bonnell Riffil, Carolyn Lehman Brown, Marvin Good, Russell Shidler, Carol Jump Chamness, Donna White Ruff, Linda Markley Leasure and Paul Hoffman. Many also attended the Star City High School alumni dinner later in the evening. +++

Star City alumni gather

The Star City Alumni Association held its annual dinner meeting Saturday, June 26, at the community building in Star City.

The president, Nancy Ruff, welcomed those in attendance. She also shared numerous jokes, riddles, etc. The meal was prepared and served by Moss Creek Catering. Harold Smith gave the opening prayer.

After the meal, Mary K. Williamson, pianist, and Dean Kistler and Gena Roe Smith led the alumni in singing "Cheer, Cheer for Star City High (to the tune of the Notre Dame Victory Song), the words to which were written years ago by Dorothy Hiatt Gast. The group also sang two songs about Star City alumni to the

tunes of "Put on Your Old Gray Bonnet" and "When the Saints go Marching In".

Last year's minutes and the treasurer's report were given by permanent officer, Kay Sheets Foerg. New officers elected for 2011 include Mary Jane Bonnell Koons, president; Edwina Gudas Martin, first vice president; and Nancy Ruff, second vice president. Harold Rife volunteered to be next year's master of ceremonies.

Millie Gudas Redweik, class of 1956, made a motion to make Paul Hoffman, class of 1960, an honorary member. Also, the 1969 class that attended Star City for 11 years and the classes of 1970 and 1971, requested honorary status as well, which was approved.

Nancy Ruff recognized the 50 year class and each member present told of an experience. Everyone enjoy-

ed hearing about Linda Markley Leasure's senior (citizen) cords, which she was wearing. The class of 1960 included Betty Bonnell, Sandra Clark, Linda Crist, Shirley Elston, Marvin Good, Saybra Handschu, Janice Haskins, Joan Weaver, Carol Jump, Carolyn Lehman, Linda Markley, Jerry T. Mays, Peggy Roth, Russell Shidler, Karena Sparks and Donna White. Class members who are deceased include Larry Brew, George Crist and Judy DeWitt. Each received a commemorative cup and saucer and a huge salmon colored rose.

Millie Redweik also reminded everyone to order their Star City Sesquicentennial family history and local stories booklet. It can be ordered through August 10. The booklet can be mailed or picked up at the Star City Day events on August 28. The cost is \$20 plus \$5 for shipping and handling. Contact Kathi Thompson at 574-595-7562 for more information.

Recognized and receiving certificates for being the oldest from their respective classes were Arbutus Hatfield Crist, class of 1930; Bill Murphy, 1932; Dorothy Hiatt Gast, 1931; and Helen Weeks, 1935. The alumnus traveling the farthest to attend was a toss up between Argel Bonnell and Betty Bonnell Riffil, both from Arizona and living a few blocks apart. (Betty won). Melvin Good received a certificate for being the youngest alumnus present.

A memorial service in remembrance of alumni who passed away since the last gathering was conducted by Edwina Gudas Martin. Those honored include Paul Newell and Barbara Bonnell Sipes, honorary members; Neil Hiatt, class of 1934; Mabel Bucks Rockey, 1939; Merlin Funk, 1945; Margaret Ruff Penn, 1946; Mickey Maloney, Orville Smith and Dorothy Hartman, 1948; Kenneth Whipple, 1953; Loren Knebel, 1956; Larry Day, 1958; and Shirley Penn Carpenter, 1967. A candle was lit and a moment of silence was observed. The

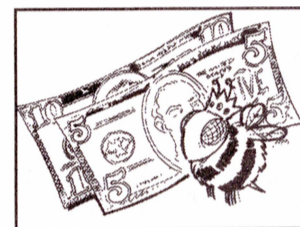
names were read and "I'm Free" and "Time Passes By" written by Jon Vezner and Susan Longaker were shared. Steve Jackson, communications technician, arranged the karaoke speakers (donated by Bob and Irene Moss in 2009) and had music playing from different decades. The classes enjoyed visiting and sharing time.

Attendees included: Honorary members - Norman Felker and Betty Parcel

- 1931 - Dorothy Hiatt Gast
- 1936 - Argel Bonnell
- 1937 - Mary Kay Williamson, Mary Thompson Powers and Marietta Ruby
- 1938 - Tom Davis
- 1940 - Ivan Haselby and Richard Raub
- 1942 - Ed Fisher
- 1945 - Veneda Galbreath Davis
- 1947 - Darl Knebel
- 1948 - Kenneth Kistler, Virginia Brown Knebel, William Thompson, Ellen Horn, Margaret Bonnell Bechdol and Lois Heater
- 1950 - Merle Kiser, Wayne Bonnell, Sam Simmermaker, Donna Brown Grostefon, Don Grostefon
- 1951 - Madaline Fisher Sommers, Richard Sommers, Dolores Smeltzer and

- Delores Galbreath
- 1952 - Dean Kistler and Sandra Grostefon
- 1954 - Maryann Brown Warner
- 1955 - Bob Moss
- 1956 - Gerald Bonnell, Mildred Gudas Redweik and Gena Roe Smith
- 1957 - Otto Ruff
- 1958 - Marlene Roe Smith, Ray Brown and Edwina Gudas Martin
- 1959 - Nancy Ruff
- 1960 (honor class) - Carol Jump Chamness, Carolyn Lehman Brown, Linda Markley Leasure, Donna White Ruff, Betty Bonnell Riffil, Marvin Good, Shirley Elston Williams and Paul Hoffman
- 1961 - Kay Foerg
- 1962 - Mary Gudas Perry
- 1963 - Chuck Brust
- 1964 - Harold Rife, Lester Good and Nancy Geiger Brust
- 1965 - Judith Wilder Lange and Mary Thompson Cole
- 1967 - Melvin Good

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—Marcus Aurelius

Music is the effort we make to explain to ourselves how our brains work. We listen to Bach transfixed because this is listening to a human mind.

—Lewis Thomas

EUCHRE TOURNAMENT

The Fulton Liberty Lions Club will be hosting a Euchre Tournament during the Fulton Fun Days Festival. Teams may register from 6-6:30 p.m., Saturday, August 7 at/near the South Pavilion at the Liberty Twp.Park in Fulton. Entry is \$10 per team. Prizes are based on the number of entries. Players must be at least 16 years old.

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*Can register as an individual or group.

*Parents will be required to sign a waiver.

Time Limits: 3-5 Minute Presentations

The talent show will not be a judged event. We would like for students to come show off their talents to the community. Participants will receive a ribbon for their effort.

If you are interested in participating in the talent show, please take one of these registration forms. Fill out the bottom portion and place it in the decorated box. We will contact you with information regarding practice times and dates. **Registration forms must be turned in by Saturday, July 10th.** We hope to be speaking with you soon!

Sincerely,
Tina Paschen (574-857-3022)
Diana Smith (574-653-2381)

(Place this portion in the decorated box.)

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Parent's Name: _____

Phone Number(s): _____

Address: _____

Talent: _____

Thanks for signing up to participate! We appreciate your support!

Pulaski County Public Library

Every Monday the PCPL in Winamac offers Genealogy help from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. For more information, please call 574-946-3432.

Every Tuesday the PCPL in Winamac offers Toddler Time from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. For more information, please call 574-946-3432.

Every Wednesday the PCPL in Winamac offers a Pokémon League at 4:00 p.m. For more information please call 574-946-3432.

Every Thursday the PCPL in Winamac offers Family Game Night from 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. For more information, please call 574-946-3432.

The Third Thursday of each month the PCPL in Medaryville will be having a book club discussion at 4:00 p.m. For more information, call 219-843-3021.

The PCPL in Medaryville offers Toddler Time every other Friday. For more information, call 219-843-3021.

Every Saturday the PCPL in Winamac and Medaryville offers a Story Hour from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. For more information, please call 574-946-3432 (Winamac) and 219-843-3021 (Medaryville).

Joan Drach will be at the PCPL in Winamac on July 12th at 5:00 p.m. to demonstrate how to make crafts out of plastic bags. For more information, call 946-3432.

Ancestry Library Edition and Heritage Quest Online training will be held at the PCPL in Winamac on July 19th at 4:00 p.m. For more information, call 946-3432.

End of Summer Reading Program Be a Reading Star Pizza Party will be on Thursday, July 29th at 5:00

p.m. For more information, call 946-3432.

Pulaski Memorial Hospital Home Health/Hospice Representatives will be at the PCPL in Winamac on Thursday, July 29th, to discuss the services provided by Home Health and Hospice. For more information, call 946-3432.

Move Over, Slow Down Law Updated

Effective July 1, there are two changes to Indiana's Move Over Law. Motorists must reduce their vehicle's speed 10 mph under the posted speed limit if they cannot move to an adjacent lane safely. Secondly, the updated law now includes utility service vehicles.

The Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) and Indiana State Police (ISP) remind drivers that Indiana law requires motorists to approach cautiously when an emergency or highway maintenance vehicle is stopped with emergency lights flashing. This is the time of year when highway construction zones repaving roadways throughout Indiana. Use extra care and reduce your speed in these work zones.

On March 16, a construction worker was struck and killed by a vehicle on I-80 at the 12.6 mile marker in Lake County while patching the road. Also on March 24, a worker was struck by a vehicle, and injured on I-65 at the 131 mile marker in Boone County while performing survey work in the median.

Motorists must change lanes away from the emergency vehicle if they can do so safely. **If not, they must reduce the posted speed limit and proceed with caution.** INDOT and ISP are

asking motorists **NOT TO STOP** in the roadway, as this may cause a chain reaction rear end collision with other vehicles, but to **MOVE OVER and/or SLOW DOWN.** As you are driving, plan well ahead by watching for these vehicles.

Indiana emergency vehicles include:

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- Highway incident-response vehicles
- Highway maintenance vehicles
- Utility service vehicles
- Vehicle recovery equipment, including tow trucks

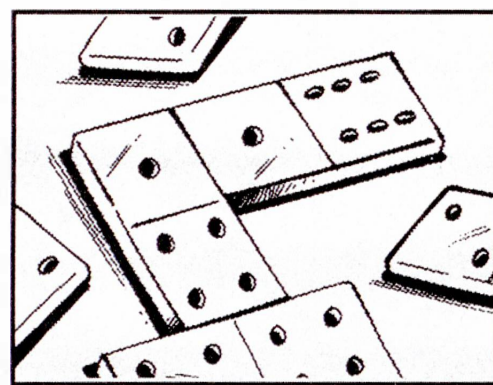
The intent of this law is to protect the emergency and highway personnel who serve the public. Please be alert when you see emergency lights flashing and give them room to do their job safely. Violating the law can result in a fine and your license will be suspended up to two years if you cause damage to emergency equipment, injury or death to an emergency worker.

Be wiser than other people if you can, but do not tell them so.

—Lord Chesterfield

Being powerful is like being a lady. If you have to tell people you are, you aren't.

—Margaret Thatcher



The spots on dominoes are called pips.

The feeling of "aha, that's it," which accompanies the clothing of a situation with meaning, is emotionally very satisfying and is the major charm of scientific research, of artistic creation, and of the solution of crossword puzzles. It is why the intellectual life is fun.

—Hudson Hoagland

Public Notice

NOTICE OF VACATE PUBLIC WAY OR PLACE

State of Indiana Before the Town Council of Kewanna Notice is hereby given that Barbara J. Andrews has petitioned the Town Council of Kewanna to vacate all of Brunk St. adjoining lots 301 and 309 beginning at the NE corner of lot 309 and ending at the SW corner of lot 301. And 10 ft. alley between lots 301 and 309.

A public hearing on said petition will be held before the Town Council of Kewanna on the 22 day of July, 2010 at 4:30 o'clock in the p.m. at the Kewanna Town Hall.

Barbara J. Andrews
Petitioner

Pub. 7-8-2010

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PROPOSED LEASE KEWANNA-UNION TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY

You are hereby notified that a public hearing will be held before the Board of Trustees of Kewanna-Union Township Public Library on July 26, 2010 at the hour of 6 p.m. (Local Time) at the Kewanna-Union Township Public Library located at 210 East Main Street, Kewanna, Indiana, upon a proposed lease to be entered into between Kewanna-Union Township Public Library Leasing Corporation, as lessor, and Kewanna-Union Township Public Library, as lessee.

The proposed lease upon which hearing will be held is for a term of twenty-two (22) years, commencing with the acquisition of title to the building to be renovated by Kewanna-Union Township Public Library Leasing Corporation. The lease provides

for rental during renovation in the amount of \$37,500 per payment payable on June 30, 2011. Thereafter, the lease provides for an annual rental of \$75,000 per year, payable on June 30 and December 31 of each year during the term of the lease, commencing with the completion of the building or December 31, 2011, whichever is later. As additional rental, the lessee shall maintain insurance on the building as required in the lease, shall pay all taxes and assessments against such property, as well as the cost of alterations and repairs, and shall pay rebate amounts to the United States Treasury. After the sale by the Corporation of its First Mortgage Bonds to pay for the cost of said building, including the acquisition of the sites thereof and other expenses incidental thereto, the annual rental shall be reduced to an amount equal to the multiple of \$1,000 next higher than the sum of principal and interest due on such bonds in each twelve-month period ending on January 15 plus \$3,000 payable in equal semiannual installments.

The lease gives an option to the lessee to purchase the property on any rental payment date.

The building to be removed will be Kewanna-Union Township Public Library in said library district located at 210 East Main Street, Kewanna, Indiana.

The drawings, plans and specifications, including the estimates for the cost of said renovation as well as a copy of the proposed lease, are available for inspection by the public on all business days, during business hours, at the Kewanna-Union Township Public Library, 210 East Main Street, Kewanna, Indiana.

At such hearing all persons interested shall have a right to be heard upon necessity for the execution of such lease, and upon whether the lease rental provided for therein to be paid to Kewanna-Union Township Public Library Leasing Corporation is a fair and reasonable rental for the proposed building. Such hearing may be adjourned to a later date or dates, and following such hearing the Board of Trustees may either authorize the execution of such lease as originally agreed upon or may make modifications therein as may be agreed upon with Kewanna-Union Township Public Library Leasing Corporation.

Dated this 1st day of July, 2010.
Julie Shafer
Secretary, Board of Trustees
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Combined Notice:
Notice to Public of No Significant Impact on the Environment and Notice to Public of Request for Release of Funds
(This publication requires a fifteen day local comment period and a fifteen day state comment period.)

Town of Kewanna
PO Box 5
Kewanna, Indiana 46939

To All Interested Agencies, Groups and Persons:

On or about July 24, 2010 the above named Town of Kewanna will request the State of Indiana to release federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (P.L. 93-383) for the following project:

Public Library Addition & Renovation Project

This project will consist of the construction of an addition to the Kewanna-Union Township Public Library and the renovation of the existing building and associated facilities. Kewanna, Fulton County, Indiana

Finding of No Significant Impact

It has been determined that such request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and accordingly the above named Town of Kewanna has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (P.L. 91-190). The reasons for such decision not to prepare such statement are as follows:

All preliminary environmental reviews by state and county agencies indicated that the proposed project would not endanger the environment under any capacity.

An Environmental Review Record respecting the proposed project has been made by the above named Town of Kewanna which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such statement is not required. The Environmental Review Record is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying upon request at the Kewanna Town Hall between the hours of 8:00 AM and 4:00 PM, Monday through Friday. No further environmental review of such project is proposed to be conducted prior to the request for release of funds.

Public Comment of Findings

All interested agencies, groups, and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by the Town of Kewanna to the Town Hall, PO Box 5 Kewanna, Indiana 46939. Such written comments should be received by July 24, 2010. All such comments so received will be considered and the Town of Kewanna will not request release of federal funds or take any administrative action on the proposed project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentences.

Release of Funds

The Town of Kewanna will undertake the project described above with Community Development Block Grant funds from the State of Indiana under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. Kewanna is certifying to the State that the Town of Kewanna and Jeff Finke, in his official capacity as President of the Town Council, consents to accept the jurisdiction of the federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to certification, decision making, and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval the Town of Kewanna may use the Block Grant funds and the State will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969.

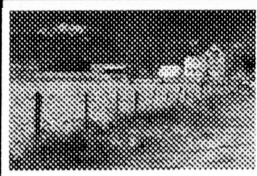
Objections to State Release of Funds

The State will accept an objection to its approval only if it is on one of the following basis: (a) that the certification was not in fact executed by the certifying officer or other officer of the applicant approved by the State; or (b) that the applicant's environmental review record for the project indicated omission of a required review process. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR Part 58) and may be addressed to the State of Indiana, Grant Services, Environmental Officer, One North Capitol, Suite 600, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-2288

Objections to the release of funds on basis other than those stated above will not be considered by the State. No objections received after August 9, 2010 will be considered by the State.

Jeff Finke
President, Town Council
Town of Kewanna

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Town & Country CHATTER...

By: Julie Brown Ph.: (574) 653-2451

Dan and Julie Birge recently visited Mackinac Island in Michigan's Upper Peninsula. They had a wonderful time celebrating their 30th wedding anniversary a little early and Julie's birthday. No cars are allowed on the island. All transportation is in the form of horse taxis, shuttles and bicycles. Only emergency vehicles are permitted to be motorized.

Ashley Pugh was the guest of honor at a birthday party Monday, June 21, hosted by her parents and sister, Jeff and Amy Pugh and Lizzie of Rochester. Helping Ashley celebrate her third birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Steven Reinhold of Monterey; Mr. Lowell Reinhold of Winamac; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Loehmer of Pulaski; Mrs. Jayme Baker, Clar and Allie, Mr. and Mrs. Josh Pugh and Steven and Mr. and Mrs. Shawn Murphy, all of Culver; Mr. and Mrs. Steven Pugh, Kewanna; and Jackye Pugh of Lake Bruce. The party went off well, in spite of having no electricity for four days!

Helen Whiteman had a

couple of callers Monday, June 28. Coming over in the evening for a visit and bringing supper were her son and daughter-in-law, Kevin and Monica Whiteman of Pulaski.

Renee Colley and Bunny Brogdon traveled to Kokomo Tuesday, June 29. They visited Lowe's home supply store and bought some more "goodies" for Renee's home.

Don and Pauline Scales enjoyed spending Wednesday, June 30, with several members of their family. Joining them for lunch at the Fulton Feed Bag restaurant were their daughter and son-in-law, Phyllis and Gene Koontz of Rochester; their daughters, Barbara Grandstaff of Kendallville and Linda Garner; and their granddaughter and great-granddaughter, Amy Allison and Shelby of Columbia City. Stopping in to visit with the group just as they finished their meals were the Scales' grand-daughter and her family, Missy and Steve Young, Trey, Brianna, Kaylyn and Stevanna of Twelve Mile.

In the afternoon, Barb, Amy and Shelby traveled to the Scales' home in Grass Creek to continue their visit with Don and Pauline.

Tom Cogdill of Macy visited with his mother, Ruth Cogdill, Wednesday.

Jerry and Kay Brown had company Thursday, July 1. Joining them for a pleasant afternoon visit were Kerry and Karen Brown of Connersville (who remained overnight), and Kerry and Karen's daughter and her family, Kimberly and Jason Young, Drew, Cameron and Jenna.

Pauline Brown had a visitor Thursday. Stopping by for a delightful afternoon chat was Carol Jo Hickle.

Florence Hogan had a caller one day last week. Coming by for a pleasant visit was Kathy Isbell. Stopping by to visit with Kathy was Florence's son, Mike Hogan.

Leonard and Nancy Evers enjoyed celebrating their wedding anniversary as guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Janet and C.J. Yocum, Thursday. The Yocums treated the Everses to supper in honor of the special occasion.

Kay and Jerry Brown and

their sons and daughters-in-law, Mark and Mick Brown and Kerry and Karen Brown, were in Culver Thursday evening. They enjoyed dining at the Edgewater restaurant in celebration of Mark and Mick's wedding anniversary.

Tom and Linda Garner had company Friday, July 2. Staying with them overnight was their granddaughter, Stevanna Young.

Tom and Barb LaFollette were busy Friday. Early in the day, they accompanied Renee Colley to Logansport for some shopping. In the evening, they were joined for dinner by their son and grandchildren, Chris LaFollette, Michael, Rebecca, Elizabeth and Thomas of LaPorte. Chris and his family are looking forward to their vacation trip out west.

Helen Miller had a holiday houseguest. Arriving Friday for an overnight working visit was her grandson, Scott Mills of Bluffton.

Renee Colley and Stephanie Highlinger enjoyed dining at Poblanos restaurant in Winamac Friday.

Angie Smith of Rochester joined her parents, Jerry and Kay Brown, and her brother and sister-in-law, Kerry and Karen Brown, for a visit over

lunch Friday.

Romayne Wentzel had houseguests over the holiday weekend. Most of her family was able to join her for a wonderful visit that included a cookout and bonfire in celebration of the Fourth of July.

Jon and Barb Gast and their daughter, Angela, had a visitor Saturday morning, July 3. Stopping in for a family chat was their son, Rick Weller of LaPorte.

Helen Miller and Scott Mills had a visitor Saturday. Coming up to help with the chores was Helen's granddaughter and Scott's sister, Suzanne Crump of Muncie.

Betty Leazenby had several visitors Saturday evening. Joining her for a chat were her son, Gary Leazenby of Carol Stream, Illinois; her sister and brother-in-law, Barb and Jon Gast; her niece and her husband, Cora Lynn and Howard Clemans; and her niece, Angela Gast. Part of the group remained to watch the town's fireworks display after dusk.

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