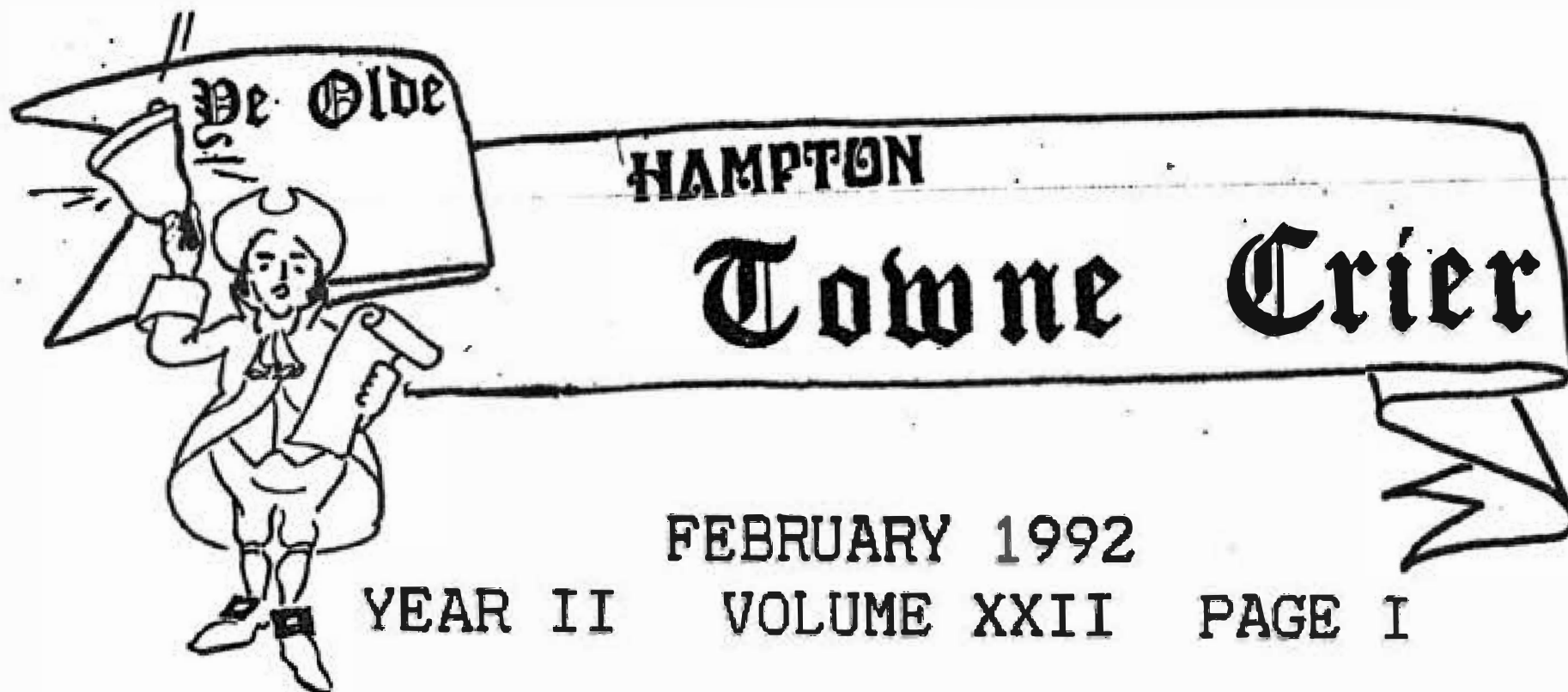




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The all-volunteer fire department provides training for the recruits and is ever practicing their skills. The recent purchase of the Jaws-of-life is available in the event of a serious auto accident to enable the rescuers to get to the victim in speedy order.

Currently the dept. is stressing the EMT (emergency medical technicians) program since most calls are of a medical nature. Hopefully many will go on to becoming paramedics. But to join the dept., one should not feel that he must take the medical end. Firefighters are equally welcomed.

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QUAD CITY KIDS & CO CHILDREN'S MUSEUM

Here is one great adventure for you and your kids/grandkids!...and it's a learning experience, too! The Q-C Children's Museum is located just off John Deere Rd & 7th Street Moline (By Velie's) at 600 Valley View Dr. In this lower level of a doctor's complex, you will find many 'hands on' opportunities of appeal to every youngster's interest. In the country market the child can shop with scaled down carts and shelves, and then use an authentic cash register to scan the bar codes, total the goods and make change. In the

'what can I be' area, clothing to portray all walks of life is available. There are also centers of interest for school, trains, prehistoric creatures, and a bubble maker that encases the whole body. For those of you who go to Blackhawk Family Physicians...ever wonder what happened to the playhouse? It is alive and well used at the Children's Museum. Every means of medical equipment is accessible to the children - stethoscopes, splints, X-ray machine, incubator, etc. The nutri-

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CURRENT EVENTS

CLASS OF 1992

By Joanne Lajeone, class secretary

The Hampton 8th grade would like to thank you for supporting our candy sales. The people receiving awards for selling candy are 1st, Brian Duke, \$25, 2nd, Sarah Grabin, \$15, 3rd, Michael Braddy, \$10.

February 14th we will be having a Valentine's Dance for 6th, 7th, and 8th grades from 7-10 PM. The Jr. High will also be having a court. King and Queen from the 8th grade; Prince and Princess from the 7th grade; and Duke and Duchess from the 6th grade. Be sure to wear **RED**!

Right now the class is busy picking class colors, the class motto, and designing T-shirts. We are also planning our trip to Chicago where we will be going to the Brookfield Zoo, Science & Industry Museum, and lunch at the Hard Rock Cafe.

GIRL SCOUT CADETTE/SENIOR TROOP 3086

By Elaine Ryerson

CHILI SUPPER

SAT. FEBRUARY 15 - 5:00 - 6:30

THE GIRL SCOUTS WILL BE SERVING A CHILI SUPPER ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15th from 5-6:30 PM AT THE HAMPTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. Tickets are being sold in advance and will also be available at the door for \$3.00 individual or \$10.00 for a family. **WE WILL DELIVER!** (50¢ charge) The menu is chili, relishes, crackers, dessert, and drink. Contact a troop member for tickets - Nancy Ward, Anne Ryerson, Mikaela Patton, Jonna VanDieren.

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VILLAGE HAPPENINGS

HAMPTON YOUTH COMMITTEE NEWS

By Mike Toalson

SOFTBALL SIGN UP!

Sign up activities for the 1992 Hampton Youth Committee softball season will be held at the Hampton School on Saturday, February 22 from 9:00 AM. to noon and from 1:00 PM. to 3:00 PM. We also need coaches and assistant coaches. If you would like to volunteer for a rewarding experience as a coach, sign up at the school on February 22.

We are still soliciting interest in soccer this spring. Contact Larry McNew at 755-3381 or drop us a line in the drop box at school.

Adult recreational volleyball started on January 5th (Sunday) at the school gym.

We play every Sunday night from 6:00 PM. to 8:00 PM., except "Super Bowl Sunday" of course. Get off the couch and come down and play! A good time is had by all!

No School Feb 12TH

UNITED TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL

3.

Via Jim Unrath, Activities Director

We're running into the tail end of the winter sports season.

We will probably be hosting the Girls Regional Basketball (if they are seeded - doesn't look like a very big if from these eyes) about the 18th of February. UT will be hosting the Individual Wrestling Sectional Feb. 14-15. On Feb. 15th they host the Western Big 6 Boys Swim and on the 22nd the Sectional Boys Swim.

Boys Basketball Regional for March 3rd will be announced. Boys Bowling Sectional will also be announced. The Girls Sectional Bowling will be at Kewanee on Feb. 8th.

The Booster Club is planning its 2nd Annual Craft Fair for April probably around the 11th. Final decisions will be determined at the next Booster Club meeting. Those interested in booth space call Mr. Unrath at 752-1621 or stay tuned - we will keep you informed.

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HAMPTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY

When the first Europeans came to our part of the American continent, they encountered a kind of country never seen before - great stretches of open space, covered, not with trees, but with tall grass, dotted with a plethora of flowers of unheard of varieties, and teeming with animal life. They were awed by it. Didn't know how to farm it or cope with it. Their efforts to do had profound effects on their life and even their character. Since it was unique, a new word had to be coined to name it. The word was "prairie".

The old prairie exists only in scattered patches today but on Wednesday, February 19, at the Hampton School library, at 7:30 PM, you can learn about the prairie and about the efforts of a small group of people to restore and study a piece of it. Mr. Tim Murphy will present a program entitled "Season of Bloom" dealing with the efforts to restore a patch of prairie in the Green Valley neighborhood of Moline. Mr. Murphy works as a probation officer at Rock Island County Court House but is also a member of the Audubon Society and chairman of the Green Valley Restoration Committee. We invite everyone, member or not, to meet with us February 19, and learn more about a subject that reaches far into Our roots and the roots of our community.

PTA

By Melinda Reamy

Our next PTA meeting will be held on TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25 at 1:00 PM. at the school.

The students will be selling pizzas in March!

Hot Lunch February 26

Goulash Hot Dog
Bread & Butter or Chips
and (2) Choc. Chip Cookies

Thank you 8th grade parents for the desserts.

(Remember if a hot lunch is on a snow day, it will be served the following school day.)



REFLECTIONS

One of the Hampton mothers

Congratulations to the participants of the National PTA Reflections program. Beth Grabin, Jackie Nino, Andrea Jamieson, Lyndy Jo Fredrick, Lisa Larrison, Elaine Kaple and Spring Douglas entered drawings and collages which were on display at Moline Public Library from January 16th to 21st. It was great to see the creativity shown. Special thanks to Christine Sederstrom for her help!

VILLAGE BOARD MEETING

Village President Scott Newberg mentioned that he had received a letter from the Dept. of Interior that said indeed several species of fish will be directly effected by the installation of a hydro plant. Requirements should be addressed for their protection.

Our current contract with Iowa-Ill Gas and Electric will be expiring the end of February and a proposed franchise was presented to the board. Village Attorney Graham Lee will go over this document, as well as, a proposal for a joint Q-C community dumping facility.

It was noted that a person had inquired if we had ever tried to get the "whole" town under one phone system after noting that his GTE phone bill was the highest he had ever paid and has lived in many areas of the country. (Have you got a few weeks, Brother, to hear our saga?)

A committee will be meeting to arrange a village appreciation dinner to be held in the near future.

The board voted that the Fire Dept. purchase a second Mast Pants so that Engine 3 will be as full equipped as the Emergency Squad. "Mast Pants" are a trauma device that is inflated. The air pressure immobilizes the patient by restricting the blood flow to the lower body useful especially when the blood pressure drops.

Dean Sparrow announced that the new village maintenance truck in in and is getting the box installed. Approval was given to have the name printed on the door by villager Charlie Howell and to have a hitch installed on it.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT

5.

VIA Terry Ott, Chief

"Officer Bo" has been quite popular of late. The Boy Scouts took a tour of the Police Department and on December 16th, Bo gave a demonstration to the grade school showing the students just how sharp his nose was in locating even the smallest amount of marijuana

Last year a good deal of information on "Neighborhood Watch" was passed out. Now would be a good time to prepare your neighborhood for the nicer weather coming up. All you need to do is set up a time with Terry and your neighbors. He will go over the information with you and answer any questions you may have.

NEWS FLASH!! - MOVING TO NEW LOCATION!!

We saw Dr. Bull (of Blackhawk Family Physicians) at the Rotary's evening at Playcrafters and asked the 'old' question, "So when are you going to be in the new building? Ha ha." "February 17!!" says he with a *big* smile. "Is that firm?" we ventured. "As firm as a sponge." he answered with a *most* angelic look.

Since last July we have been cautious as to where to appear for those troublesome checkups. (We already know what's wrong - but they do advise a second opinion and his is as good as most although not as interesting.) The new address for BFP will be 855 Hospital Road, Silvis. You can see it from the old place.

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TEACHER-OF-THE-MONTH, CHARLOTTE DENSFORD

We started out these interviews with Charlotte Densford. Since we have utilized her good nature in the past by asking her class for illustrated jokes, and poems and stories from her Creative Writing class for the *Towne Crier*, we thought we we might get away with pushing our luck a little further.

This teacher is one good sport! She has taught at Hampton since 1965. Although she has mostly taught the 5th graders, she has taught from 4 - 8. She is especially proud of the combined 5th grade Creative Writing Class (where we get to share their output with you). Two of the students will soon have their works published with possibilities on a third student. This spring Abby Bradshaw will have her story printed in the *Boodle Magazine* and this summer Lisa Hanseemann will be published in the same periodical.

1965 was the 'Year It All Happened' for Mrs. Densford. She graduated from Olivet College in Kankakee, obtained a teaching position at Hampton, and married Byron. They lived in Hampton the first three months they were married. She says she really loves the people here in Hampton. When she was first married and Byron was in service, many people invited her to stay over with them when the weather was too violent for travel. She has always respected the quality of life our small town affords its residence.

The Densfords have two children. Merideth is 14 and in the 8th grade at Washington Jr. High. Merideth follows her mother's writing interests and has been a Young Authors finalist from the Rock Island schools. David is 7 and is in the 1st grade at Eugene Field. David is creative in a different way. He can make absolutely anything out of nothing at all.

The joke around the Densford house is that David has to open his own construction company. Mrs. Densford does say that the two hats - mother and teacher - are very different.

Let's leave you with a bit of trivia from her life. Mrs. Densford shares both the same birth day and the same wedding day as Queen Elizabeth. The years reflect slightly different times.

Many more happy years at Hampton U.

INTRODUCING KERRY DUFF-WEINTRAUT

...entrepreneur, young mother, relatively new Hamptonian.

Here is another of our fellow villagers operating her own business. Kerry and her mother Sheron opened BABY WORLD at 508 16th Street downtown Moline in November of '89. This is a resource for bargain, previously owned baby clothing, toys and furniture. Sizes run from 0 to 14. It can also be an opportunity for you to recycle the items your family has outgrown by putting them on consignment with Kerry.

She also handles maternity clothes. They carry 'quality items at bargain prices' with many brand name items in stock. Hours for the store are 10-5 Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday; 12:30-6 on Thursday; and 11-3 on Saturday. The store is closed on Sunday and Monday.

Kerry graduated from UTHS in '79, her husband Phil graduated from there in '77. They have 2 boys Chad, who is 18 months old and Kyle, who will be 4 in February-Happy Birthday, Kyle. The Weintrauts celebrated their 10th anniversary on May 1, 1991. For five of those years they lived in Michigan. It was when they moved back to the area that Kerry and her mother opened the business. The family took up quarters in Hampton in August of 1990. When I asked Kerry about 'hobbies', she just chuckled. Her love is reading and she can work that in but hubby, Phil, is working full time at Cox Cable and practically doing full time studies at Black Hawk so hobbies are definitely on the back burner.

Best Wishes, and welcome.



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50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

MARY & GEORGE JOHNSTON



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The couple was married in Kahoka, Missouri in a double ceremony with best friends Mel & Lloyd Keegan now of Indiana. The two couples stood up for each other. Mary (nee Stone) is originally from Metro-polis, IL and George was born in the home where they currently reside. The couple has 5 children, Shirley Bideaux, Carol Weimer, Marvin Johnston, Peggy Babcock, and Nancy Bobb. They have 10 grandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren, 4 step grandchildren, and 10 step great-grandchildren. To commemorate the occasion, the children purchased a bench in the River Park. They invite you to sit down a spell and take in the lovely view.

OPEN HOUSE - DEB'S BRIDAL SHOPPE

FEBRUARY 2 - 12-4

An OPEN HOUSE for Deb's Bridal Shoppe and Ducky's at 4108 Blackhawk Rd, Rock Island will be held on February 2, from 12-4. There will be many 'in-store' specials and cash discounts. Stop by and see the very latest in bridal attire. They carry a full line in all sizes and colors. Refreshments will also be served.

50 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

HELEN and COLIN CAMPBELL

Helen and Colin Campbell will be feted with an Open House in honor of their 50th Wedding Anniversary at the Fire Station on Sunday February 9, 1992 from 2-4.

The Campbells were married on February 7th in Rapids City and moved to Hampton in the spring of '44. They paid a handsome sum (at the time) of \$2,200 for the still current homestead.

Colin retired from John Deere Harvester in '78 after 31 years; Helen retired from J.C. Penney in '84 after 25 years. They have two children. Linda is married to Tom McChurch; they live in Cosa Mesa, CA. Linda manages a stationery store and Tom is a sales rep for Miller Co. of industrial sales. The McChurches have two children Aimee is a stewardess for Continental Airlines and Tom, Jr. works for McGaw Pharmaceutical. Helen & Colin's other child is Tom (yes another Tom, they have to number the Christmas packages) who is a math (Algebra & Trigonometry) teacher at UTHS. This Tom is married to Carolyn (nee Marckese) who is a RN for Dr. Wm. McCormick. The couple live in Rock Island. We wish the Campbells many more years of happiness!!!



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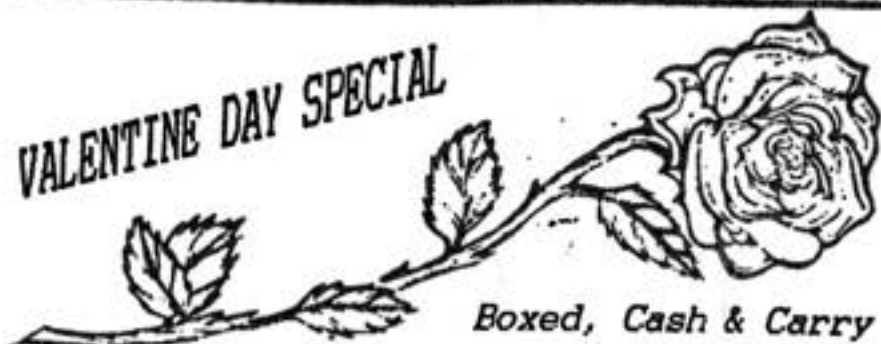
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FEBRUARY 1992

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9.	10. 4:30 7/8 Girl Colona-Home 5:30 7/8 Boys " " 7:00 Village Bd. Mtg.	11. 4:30 5/6 Girl Seton-Away 5:30 5/6 Boys " " 6:00 Soph.GBB Moline-Home 7:30 Var. GBB " " 7:00 School Bd. Mtg. 7:00 Fire Dept. Mtg.	12. NO SCHOOL LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY
16.	17. "PARENTS NIGHT" 4:30 7/8 Girl Seton -Home 5:50 7/8 Boys " " 7:30 Library Bd. Mtg. PRESIDENTS DAY	18. "Blue & Gold Night" 4:30 5/6 Girl Jordan-Home 5:30 5/6 Boy " " 7:00 Fire Dept. Mtg. ← H.S. GIRLS BASKETBALL REGIONALS →	19. Meth. Lunch \$1.00 Hot Dog or BBQ Chips & Donut 7:30 Historical Soc. Mtg. School Library
23.	24. 7:00 Village Bd. Mtg.	25. 1:00 PTA at the School 7:00 Fire Dept. Mtg.	26. PTA Lunch \$1.00 Goulash & Bread/btr. or Hot Dog & Chips 2 Choco.Chip Cookies

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13. 6:00 Soph GBB at Geneseo 7:30 Var GBB " "	14.  ← 5/6 Boys - Immanuel Luth Tourney Away → 6:00 Soph BBB Alleman-Away 7:30 Var BBB " " 7-10 Jr. High VALENTINE DANCE - Gym 6th - 8th VALENTINE'S DAY	15. 5-6:30 GIRL SCOUTS Chilli Supper Meth.Ch. 6:00 Soph BBB at LaSal/Peru 7:30 Var BBB " "
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27. 6:00 Soph.BBB at Moline 7:30 Var. BBB " " 6-8 Cub Scouts "BLUE & GOLD" Banquet Gym 7:00 H.A.R.P.	28. End of 4th (6 week) grading period-Hampton 6:00 Soph BBB at Rock Falls 7:30 Var BBB " " SADIE HAWKINS at UTHS	29.  LEAP YEAR

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10. CHURCH NEWS

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

By S.D. Samalon

Father John Gaughran is now on his annual vacation. He's travelling via Amtrak to Colorado and then to California. During his absence, Fathers Claude, Joseph, and Patrick of St. Bede's will be substituting for him.

After a Christmas and New year's break, Catechism classes have resumed after the 8:00 o'clock Mass each Sunday.

Next St. Mary's Circle meeting will take place on Feb. 20 with Lillian Fox as the hostess.

Parish members Gene & Sue Glanz welcomed their third grandchild on January 16th. Parents of the new arrival are Nick & Brenda Kupresin. Another member will be added to the Glanz family on February 29 when daughter Jana is married to William Sand.

WILDWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

Calendar of Special events:

- Feb. 9 - Youth Service 6:00 PM
- Feb. 14 - Bring-a-friend Dinner
- Feb. 21-22 - Understanding Teenagers Seminar at Edgewood Baptist-experts from Minirth-Meier Clinic, Dana Miller & Wayne Price. A "don't miss" seminar if you have teens!
- Feb. 28-29 - Peoria Ministries Convention
- Feb. 28 thru Mar. 1 - Jr. Hi. Winter Retreat at Camp Awana, Wis.



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SNOW

THE POEM TITLE FOR HAMPTON 5th GRADERS

Here are some of the responses.

SNOW - by Tara Polek

Snow is falling to the ground,
Never making a single sound.
Oh what a beautiful sight to see,
Wherever you might happen to be.

SNOW - by Allen Koster

Sometimes when there's snow outside,
Nobody is really full of pride.
Over the river there is snow too,
Wow, but there is no snow for you.

SNOW - by Sean Kruse

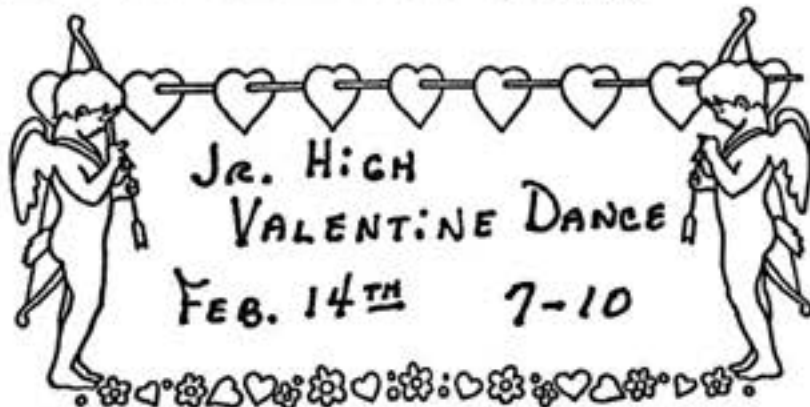
Soon there will be no snow.
Now I want it to go.
Oh no! Look at it go.
What will we do without snow?

SNOW - by Matt Gooch

Soon there will be snow.
Now when it comes we will know.
Outside will be winter and white.
We should have a ball tonight!

SNOW - by Becca Ramsey

Snow, snow, what a wonderful sight.
Now it has stopped its long, long flight.
Ot where it has fallen on the ground,
Winter has come without a sound.



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12. ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIRTHDAYS

Happy 1st Birthday to IAN DAY on January 26th. IAN is the son of DR. RICHARD & TAMMY DAY. A big family celebration is planned with brother JOSE heading the activities.

CHRISTOPHER BORNHOEFT will reach his 13th birthday on Feb. 4. A potential journalist, CHRIS has favored the Crier with some of his writings. CHRIS is the son of DARLENE & STEVE BORNHOEFT of Cedar Brook.

SURPRISE! Happy Birthday BRENDA PFAU!! Yes, we know it all here. On Feb. 6th BRENDA will celebrate her 34th birthday. Husband KENYON PFAU is in charge of the fireworks. Drop in at K & D Hampton Woodworks and relate your greetings to her.

AND A DOUBLE SPECIAL DAY for ROBERT LUBKE who will turn 14 on FEB. 14th. Happy Valentine Day & Birthday on this milestone day! ROBERT is the son of DEBBIE & DAN CLARK of Rapids City. Hampton grandparents are JEANNE & JOE McKAY.

TIFFANY MASON will be celebrating her 19th birthday on Feb. 16th. You've already made a good showing for those years.

Here are special birthday greetings to the 'Over-the-hill Gang'... Feb. 1 MARSHA KATZENBURGER; Feb. 2, JANET GREENE; Feb. 6, JEANNE WARD & SANDY CARMACK; AND Feb. 28 BILL DOOSE.

NEWCOMERS

We of the Village of Hampton are pleased to WELCOME KATHY & JOE TAYLOR to the community. The recently married couple (August 31st, '91) just moved to Hampton before Christmas. JOE, an avid reader, is the Director of Communications at the Q-C Convention & Visitors Bureau in Rock Island. KATHY is a Sr. Computer Operator at the 3-M Corp. in Cordova. She loves all sports and takes great enjoyment from her cat, Tiffany. TOM has been active with the Bike Trail. We will note that TOM praised the speedy removal of snow in the community.

ANNIVERSARIES

Celebrating the anniversary of their wedding date are DICK & SHIRLEY BIDEAUX. On Feb. 3rd DICK & SHIRLEY will have been married for 30 years. SHIRLEY is also proud that the birth of ALI MARIE has finally made her a great aunt. ALI was born Dec. 27th, she is 19" long and weighs 6 lbs 12 ozs.

WALLY & CAROLYN WILSON have an anniversary on Feb. 5th. Sorry we couldn't reach them to tell you which one.

Postmaster BARBARA MILLER has double anniversaries with us. On Feb. 1st she will have completed 25 years with the Post Office and on Dec. 27th, she had her 17th anniversary at the Hampton Post Office. We've been glad to have you taking care of us, BARB!

MOVED

We understand that 'SPEEDY' WHEELER has moved back to the area. SPEEDY and wife BONNIE moved to Geneseo from Olatha, KS. Their children are PATRICK, BECKY, & STEPHANIE.

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CONGRATS

On the 1st of January RONALD DOOSE received the rank of Major in the US Air Force. As a career man in the service, the DOOSES have lived in Taiwan, Phillipines, Spain, and several places in the US. Currently RON & wife JOANNE are stationed in Hawaii with their two daughters. CARRIE, 16 is a H.S. junior and JENNIFER, 19 is a freshman at the University of Hawaii. Parents are BILL & CAROL DOOSE of Hampton and DEAN DOOSE of Moline.

THOMAS CARMACK has been accepted into the Police Dept. at Fort Worth, TX. Tom was born in Texas and raised in Hampton having graduated from UTHS in '82 and Law Enforcement at Black Hawk College in 12-'91. TOM is married to DESIREE, they have 2 children SHANNA 6 & DALTON 16 months. The family will be moving from Milan in Feb. when Tom starts the academy. Hampton parents are BILL & SANDY CARMACK

We can all take pride with EVELYN MCGINNIS whose daughter SUZAN just became 1 of 3 persons awarded a Teachers' Assistantship at the University of Wisconsin. She will have freshmen classes in Jan., this summer & fall. SUZAN who is on the dean's list is a full time student in the masters program and holds down a part time job at the University library and is a law librarian clerk for one of the prestigious law firms in Milwaukee.

MELODY (MCGINNIS) KEEFE will receive her BA from Sangamon State University, Springfield, IL on May 16th. MELODY is the recent bride of DAN KEEFE.

BRANT GOERING, son of DON & PAULA GOERING, has been named to the Dean's honor list for the past semester at Bradley University, College of Engineering and Technology, Peoria, IL. BRANT is in his senior year at Bradley majoring in manufacturing technology with emphasis on design. He is currently employed, part time, by Komatsu-Dresser an engineering firm in Peoria. BRANT also recently was selected to receive a scholarship from the local chapter of the Society of Manufacturing Engineers. Dan Tworek, a member of this local chapter sponsored BRANT for the scholarship. BRANT is also the chairman for the Bradley University Chapter of the Society of Manufacturing Engineers.



DEATHS

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of DOLLIE GOSA as they go through these trying times. DOLLIE passed away on Jan. 16th at the age of 52. She leaves her husband of 32 years, HERMAN GOSA. Children are SHELIA of Silvis, J.C. of Hampton and JONA CODER of Evergreen Village and 7 grandchildren.

And too, the community would like to express their sorrow to SANDY CARMACK whose father, HORACE GRANT of Amarillo, TX, passed away on December 23rd at the age of 76. His wife is RUBY. SANDY is a village trustee.

BIRTHS

STACEY & MIKE GRAHAM had a daughter on December 13th. **HILARY PAIGE** weighed 7 lbs 10 ozs. and was 21" long. She has a sister **TAMI** 17 and a brother **JEREMY** 14. Hampton grandparents are **CHARLES "BOB" & VALERIE WEISS**. Uncle **CHARLES "CHIP" WEISS** was home for the holidays. We hope to hear more from him when he passes back through in Feb.

Finally! At last! **NICK & BRENDA KUPRESIN** have that new 'little' addition to their family. **KYLE MARTIN** was born Jan. 16th by C-section. He was 9lbs 1 oz and was 21" long (one can only guess how big he is now). At home in Evergreen Village is also sister **KATIE** 7 and brother **NICK** 4. Hampton grandparents are **SUE & HARLAN GLANZ**. Paternal grandparents are **STELLA** & the late **NICK KUPRESIN** of East Moline.

HOSPITALIZED

KIM CARTER daughter of **JOHN & LINDA PISMAN** had surgery but was back at home for the Christmas holidays. We wish you a speedy recovery.

LOST - REWARD OFFERED

When Dr. Day moved in the middle of Jan., his cat had flown the coop. **BRUTUS** is a black house cat who has been declawed. He has white spots by his nose, chest and paws. He was first spotted in the ravine by 12th Ave & 8 St and then around Jan 21st near Wildwood Baptist Church. Call Doc at 755-0554. P.S. Although things worked out that they were able to sell their home here in favor of more land to raise the kids (& pets) on, they fully intend to remain committed to Hampton and their practice here. He expresses regret that they wiped out Jim Walker's mailbox on their departure...

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENTS

DR. HAROLD BOBB and **DONNA SHEPPARD** will become husband and wife on August 1st. The wedding and reception will be at the Abbey Hotel (former Bett. Monastery). Dr. Bobb is familiar to many of us from his chiropractic clinic in Silvis. Best wishes!

Let the bells ring for **TERI HUBER** who will become the bride of **MARK BURRILL** on May 16th at St. Annes, East Moline. A reception will follow at the Teamsters Hall in Rock Island. **TERI** is the daughter of **PETE & BONNIE HUBER** and the granddaughter of **MILDRED HART** all of Hampton. **MARK's** parents are **JUDY & LOREN BURRILL** of Milan. We are very happy for you!

On Feb. 29th **JANA GLANZ & DOUG SAND** will pledge themselves in Holy matrimony. (Is this guy clever, or what? He can only get in trouble once every 4 years for forgetting the occasion! But, we have coached **JANA** to make sure that that 4th one is stupendous!) **JANA** is in nurses training at United Medical and will graduate in June. **DOUG** is an Augie graduate and coaches there in track & cross country. When not running in the Bix, etc. **DOUG** is employed at Nomura Interprise, Inc. of Rock Island. The couple has recently purchased a home in Moline. The wedding is scheduled for 2:30 at St. John's Catholic Church of Rapids City with reception immediately following at Tanglewood Hills Pavilion in Bettendorf. Parents are **SUE & HARLAN GLANZ** of Hampton and **HOWARD & MARY SAND** of Moline. Their motto is *Leap year has an extra day, So give some extra love away.* Don't let the honeymoon end!



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CHILDREN'S MUSEUM CONT. FROM PAGE 1

tion center is a big hit. Food from the basis 4 food groups can be served at the pint sized tables after it has been properly prepared. There is really too much to cover here.

But of course the skinny on the developers can never be omitted. This is a non-profit museum set up by Dr. Bruce and Roxanne Steffens. Roxanne is a medical assistant and the director of the museum.

While the Steffens attended medical conventions around the states, they always looked for quality ways to entertain their 4 children. The children actually motivated their desire to establish this museum in our area. Valerie is now 14, Breanne is 9, Jill 7, and Erik is 5. The museum opened its doors on June 29 of last year. Being goal oriented people, the Steffens anticipate growing into a larger facility by 1995. To keep that goal ever in their sites the phone number reflects that image, 762-1995.

There is a \$2.00 fee with memberships available. Winter hours are Noon - 4:00 Mon, Tues, Thurs, & Fri; 10-4 on Sat; and 12:30-3 on Sunday. Closed Wed. Mornings are for school tours. The summer hours will be expanded.

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*... did you like it when Japan called us lazy? Is there a ring of truth to it?

do you really want to live to 200? It's in the making. That's 100+ yrs. of retirement with 50 or more of them in a nursing home.

... if they made personal snow making machines, could we reverse the global warming effect?

*...and at HOME, 'Did you know they plan on putting the new boat parking across the only open stretch of beach that we have in the River Park?' Parking would be just as beneficial by the railroad tracks and less costly (over 350' of roadway coming from the RR tracks & over the bike path would be eliminated).

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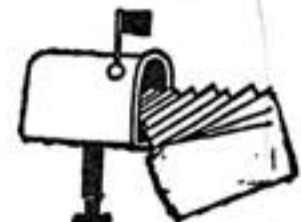
The department consists of officers CRAIG HAIGH, Chief; RICK NORIN, asst. Chief; KARL HERRICK, Capt.; GARY GOOCH, Capt.; NANCY NORIN, Capt.; GEORGE FELLOWS, Lieut.; KEITH WARD, Lieut.

EMT's are: CRAIG HAIGH, NANCY NORIN, RICK NORIN, KARL HERRICK, GEORGE FELLOWS, KEITH WARD, BRETT CLARK, GUY GERARD, ED MAYNARD, JOE SEDGWICK, TODD SPRINGSTEEN, RUSSELL ST JOHN, KERRY SANSALE, CARRIE CARLILE, DUSTY MACKE, RUSSELL KATAENBURGER. Firefighters are: GARY GOOCH, TIM ANDERSON, BILL CARMACK, DENNY GOTTWALT, JAMIE KING, MARC McKAY, PAT McGUFFY, TERRY SPINDLE, BILL WATSON, GREG WELLMAN, CRAIG FRANCIS, BEN FELLOWS.

Be sure to attend the Pancake Breakfast on March 29th and give these people your support. One day your life just might depend on them. Thanks!

*** What are you're thoughts? Like 'speak out', we do not have to print your name but we would reserve the right to judge articles for print. No personality conflicts or off color comments welcome. I would appreciate a name & number to call for clarification but it is not necessary. Since I do not take shorthand, I request comments in writing to - 1217 8th St. Ct., Hampton.

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Dear Hampton Residents,

It is with pleasure your Village Board of Trustees and I report on the "State of the Village." Although 1991 was not a year of astounding progress, it was a year of continued growth and development. It is a tribute to a fine community and the people living in it.

During 1991, a number of new homes have been constructed and we welcome their owners to our town. Adding to the business "mix" of Hampton is the recently opened "Round Inn." We can also look toward the recreational opportunity which the "Puttin' Around" miniature golf course affords all of us. We look forward to the new marina in 1992 and are also working toward the annexation of riverfront property upriver from Lock & Dam 14.

With the opening of the "East Moline Connection" of the Great River Trail last May 4th, our recreational trail is seeing many new visitors. From the Moline Ben Butterworth Parkway through Hampton, outdoor enthusiasts can now enjoy 6.7 miles of completed route. This past year, First Avenue was widened to accommodate the bike path. The broadened avenue accents the lovely older homes of Hampton and reaffirms the 150 year old heritage we have with the Mississippi River. To complete the project, some additional seeding will be done at the appropriate time.

We can look with pride on our large Municipal Park. It is a testimony to cooperation between the public and private sectors. Continuing improvements include additional tree plantings, flag poles and a completed water line to service the acreage. This year work will be completed on a new boat launch adjacent to East Moline's facility. We are grateful for 100% funding from the Illinois Motor Fuel Tax grant program. Another element of the park which will relate to our rich history is the proposed nature reserve. It will be a mini-wetland area with native plants and grasses. An informal trail will enable visitors to experience a sampling of "how things used to be."

It is only appropriate I call attention to the many memorials which we have received for the park. It is a program which is exceeding our expectations. It continues as a tribute to loved ones and a testimony to the donors for their considered graciousness of remembrance.

The safety of people and property must be the priority of any village administration. This past year, our Police Department acquired a new squad car and a most unique law enforcement "personality" for a smaller community. It is a K-9 dog, well-trained for many investigative purposes. This gift to us has seen outstanding service in neighboring areas and is a valuable adjunct.

The Hampton Volunteer Fire Department has a new truck. Although an

expensive investment, it is needed for the protection of lives and property. Consideration is being given to additional training for our Emergency Medical Technicians. Heightened training and skills are important keys in resolving emergency health conditions.

We are happy to report the Village of Hampton remains fiscally sound. The budget is regularly scrutinized. Large and small items alike are reviewed for need and feasibility before agreements are entered. A modest adjustment was required, however, to accommodate the relatively small demands of inflation and regulatory changes. Bottom line? We are staying within our budget!

During 1992 we plan to resist the proposed hydroelectric plant in Lock & Dam 14. Some federal regulatory changes offer a small window of opportunity for us to help defeat the facility's construction. We will continue to seek economic development for Hampton. Whether new homes or new businesses, all development helps build the community and broaden the tax bases. We will also explore a subject which will eventually be a fact of life for everyone; the matter of recycling. It is an issue complicated by many factors but we want to remain current with state and federal regulations as they are devised.

We will continue "networking." By being involved with civic organizations it is an effective way to learn new ideas and options of ultimate benefit to all of us. Currently, I serve as a Commissioner to Bi-State Regional Commission, Vice President of the Great River Trail Council and Secretary to the Quad City Riverfront Council. Trustee Lorraine Mabis is the Secretary-Treasurer of the Northwest Municipal League. Our Board is represented on the Hampton Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary and many other organizations designed to support the Metropolitan Quad Cities.

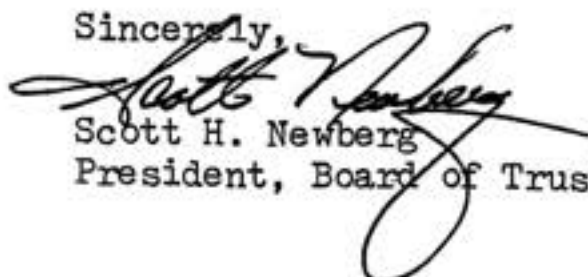
Appreciation is offered to two people who have given many hours of time to benefit you and the Village. Thanks to Bill Krause for his many years of service as Chief of the Volunteer Fire Department. We trust he will enjoy his "retirement" from this demanding post. Our thanks, too, to Bill Francis. Bill served as a Village trustee until he moved to another community. We wish him good fortune.

Finally, a concluding thought dedicated to you. Hampton's progress in large measure can be attributed to volunteerism. Our track record of volunteer support runs strong and positively even though it has its peaks and valleys. Volunteerism means the donation of time, talent and treasure. All three elements are important, of course. But we seek your time and talent well above treasure.

If you have the time and talent, we need your help to build an even finer community. Don't wait to be asked! Become involved. Let us know what you believe is needed and what you can do to help make it possible. Many willing hands make for easier work. You will achieve personal satisfaction in a job well done -- and receive the accolades of your friends and neighbors.

Best wishes for a happy and prosperous year of 1992.

Sincerely,


Scott H. Newberg
President, Board of Trustees