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Glennie man faces murder charge in death of toddler

By Cheryl Peterson
Editor

Glennie resident, Aaron Joseph Trout, 31, has been charged with the murder of a two-year-old girl following his arraignment in 81st District Court on Monday, July 25.

The murder investigation began in the mid-morning hours on Friday, July 22 when Michigan State Police (MSP) troopers were dispatched to MyMichigan Hospital in Alpena at the request of the Alpena Police Department.



Aaron Joseph Trout

According to F/Lt. John Grimshaw, commander of the MSP Alpena post, the child was taken to the hospital but was deceased when law enforcement arrived. Following an investigation by Alpena post detectives and troopers, the child's residence was located in Alcona County and Trout was identified as a suspect.

Grimshaw explained that due to the seriousness of the crime and location of the suspect – an area where several law enforcement jurisdictions overlap – many law enforcement agencies were “positioned in the area to deal with the situation.

Trout was located in the Glennie area and was arrested in a coordinated effort by members of the MSP Alpena post, MSP West Branch post, Alcona County Sheriff's Office, Oscoda Township Police Department, U.S. Forest Service, Michigan DNR conservation officers, and members

of the MSP Emergency Support Team.

No other details will be released, according to Grimshaw.

“I understand people want to know the details in a case like this. However, because we don't want to jeopardize tainting a jury if the case comes to trial, we have to withhold many of the details,” Grimshaw said.

“We are confident that we've arrested the person responsible and there is no danger to the public,” he said.

Trout was charged with one count of homicide-felony murder for the death of the child on Monday. Bond was denied. His next scheduled court appearance is August 3 at 10 a.m.



Helga, a bearded dragon native to Australian deserts, is one of several animals visiting the Alcona County Library in Harrisville in a special presentation by Rebecca Barrett of A.R.K. Animal Encounters. Michelle Marcouiller was one of those “brave” attendees of all ages, who touched Helga. Everyone attending last week's event was encouraged to pet the animals during the educational program. *Photo by Cheryl Peterson.*

AuSable River Canoe Marathon set for weekend

At 9 p.m. on Saturday, July 30, nearly 100 two-person marathon canoe racing teams, carrying their carbon-fiber racing canoes, will run through the streets of Grayling, Mich. in a LeMans-style dash to the river and the start of the 120 mile nonstop ultra-endurance event will begin.

The Consumers Energy 74th AuSable River Canoe Marathon will last anywhere from 14 to 19 hours by the time every canoe crosses the finish line in Oscoda.

Approximately 10 to 15,000 fans, packed into the small town (population 2,000) will cheer on the ultra-athletes as they begin their competitive dash into the night.

According to marathon spokesman Phil Weiler, this race is not for the timid. “Only the most accomplished marathon canoe racers have the necessary training and experience to compete at this level. The torrid pace, combined with the nonstop aspect of the AuSable Marathon, sets it apart from virtually all other canoe races. The stealthy, highly technical racing ca-

noes weigh 30 pounds or less, the paddles weigh as little as six ounces.”

The teams will paddle non-stop at 50 to 80 paddle strokes per minute for 120 miles while battling the river's natural

Energy AuSable River Canoe Marathon will be an exciting crowd pleaser. The defending champs are back plus six former AuSable Marathon Champs, overall, are entered in the race. We have a record

the champs at the AuSable Marathon, the middle leg of the Triple Crown of Canoe Racing.

According to Weiler, another factor that sets this race apart from other ultra-endurance events -- the dedication of its fans. Up to 50,000 fans are expected to catch at least some part of the race in person. Regular radio updates are carried by Black Diamond Broadcasting's 98.5 UPS and the other AuSable River Marathon radio network stations. There are GPS trackers on each canoe entered allowing online spectators to follow their favorite teams down the 120-mile river course and there is significant social media coverage of the race.

Weiler encouraged fans to check out AuSable River Canoe Marathon's Facebook Page or, for a complete look at the Consumers Energy 74th AuSable River Canoe Marathon including in-person and online fan information plus links to other resources, visit the website at: www.AuSableCanoeMarathon.org.

“We have a record number of teams entered and a very competitive field from top to bottom. A number of new AuSable Marathon and individual records are likely to be set.”

~ Phil Weiler,
AuSable Marathon spokesperson

obstructions, at first in darkness then in the next day's glaring sun and will portage six Consumers Energy hydroelectric dams. Potentially inclement weather, possible injury and sheer exhaustion all take their toll, Weiler said.

The winners will reach the Oscoda finish line between 11 a.m. and noon on Sunday, July 31. Timing cutoff deadlines are enforced throughout the race and teams must complete the course within nineteen (19) hours to be recognized as official finishers.

“We expect that the 2022 edition of the Consumers

number of teams entered and a very competitive field from top to bottom. A number of new AuSable Marathon and individual records are likely to be set.”

The 2021 AuSable Marathon winners and defending champs -- Jordan Wakeley, 31, of Grayling, Mich. and Matt Meersman, 44, of South Bend, Ind. -- set a new all-time AuSable Marathon record time of 13 hours, 54 minutes, nine seconds in last year's victory. Quebec's powerful duo of Steve Lajoie and Guillaume Blais are among the teams expected to battle



God Bless America



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Congratulations to the Alcona County Commission on Aging for the grant received. Wishing you much success. Thank you to my health care worker Jim.

John Tenny, Lincoln

Northern Strike returns to Michigan

Northern Strike 22-2, the country's largest National Guard Bureau-sponsored military exercise, is scheduled to take place across Northern Michigan's National All-Domain Warfighting Center (NADWC) the week of August 6-20.

Approximately 7,400 participants from 19 states and several coalition countries will participate in one of Michigan's largest-ever iterations of Northern Strike, designed to validate readiness of the joint and reserve force.

"For a decade, Northern Strike has evolved into one of our nation's most important tools for shaping our reserve forces into some of the best warfighters in the world," said U.S. Army Lt. Col. Adam Jenzen, Northern Strike land component exercise director. "We are excited to build on this legacy by demonstrating how the exercise allows units from all branches and components to train in a complex, joint environment while completing pre-mobilization requirements."

According to Jenzen, the Northern Strike exercise series is designed to effectively build responsive, ready and lethal formations through the validation of readiness requirements by National Guard Bureau, First Army, and the Department of Defense.

He explained that visiting units will have access to 148,000 acres of maneuver space and more than 17,000 square miles of special-use airspace available at the NADWC. Centered around the Camp Grayling Maneuver Training Center and the Alpena Combat Readiness Training Center, the NADWC provides an adaptable, cost-effective training environment.

"Northern Strike provides units a chance to experience the unique military training resources Michigan has to offer," said U.S. Army Maj. Gen. Paul D. Rogers, adjutant general and director of the Michigan Department of Military and Veterans Affairs. "After training in an innovative environment like the NADWC, they become more effective warfighters, ready to meet any demand our nation asks of them."

The latest iteration will feature participants from all three Army components, Air Force active duty and Guard, as well as both Marine components and Navy reserve. Latvia, the Michigan National Guard's state partner; the United Kingdom and Canada will also participate.

"Our exercise tests the ability of units to coordinate across coalitions and components in a variety of warfighting functions," said Jenzen. "We push participants past their comfort zones, so when they leave

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Obituaries

Evan C. Whitford

Evan C. Whitford, 58, of Glennie, died on Saturday, July 16, 2022, at Michigan Medicine Hospital in Ann Arbor, Mich.

He was born January 8, 1964, to Larry and Dewella (Frayer) Whitford in Saginaw, Mich. He was raised in Glennie. On June 29, 1985, he married Lisa Ireland in Glennie.

He was an avid outdoorsman and enjoyed hunting, fishing and playing golf.

Mr. Whitford is survived by his wife, Lisa; one daughter, Katherine (Mike) Spencer of Oakley, Mich.; one sister, Cynthia Ann Whitford of Glennie; and two brothers, Phillip Lee (Trudy) Whitford of Glennie, and Larry Todd (Melanie) Whitford of Oscoda.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

A memorial service will be announced at a later date. Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Nancy A. Holst

Nancy Ann Holst, 73, of Eden Prairie, Minn. died on Wednesday, July 13, 2022, at home.

She was born on May 22, 1949, in Pontiac, Mich. to Morrell and Maxine (White) Browne. She graduated from Alcona High School in 1967 and completed a practical nursing program at Northwestern Michigan College in 1969.

Mrs. Holst worked as a nurse for 50 years and held several leadership roles. While working full-time she earned a full scholarship and obtained a registered nurse degree from Minnesota State College Southeast Technical in 2004.

She married Wayne Holst in October of 1969 in Alpena.

She was the ultimate caregiver, a lover of all animals and extremely charitable and generous with her time. Her great joy in life was cooking delicious meals for those she loved and spending time with family and friends.

Mrs. Holst is survived by her husband, Wayne; one daughter, Heidi (Kyle) Ross; one son, Scott Holst; one brother, Jeff (Jo) Browne; two sisters, Cindy (Gary) Leeseberg of Harrisville and Jill (Ray) Zuidema; and numerous extended family and in-laws.

She was preceded in death by her father, Morrell Browne, her mother, Maxine Browne and one grandson, Greyson Ross.

Funeral services will be held at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 320 West Ave., Red Wing, Minn. on Friday, July 29 at 1:30 p.m. Visitation is one hour prior. Interment will be in Oakwood Cemetery in Red Wing, Minn.

Dianne K. Thornton

Dianne K. Thornton, 82, of Wayne, Mich. and formerly of Glennie, died on Sunday, July 17, 2022, at Lakeview Nursing Home in Tawas City.

She was born July 7, 1940, in Inkster, Mich. to John and Norma (Rickel) Hackett.

She spent most of her life in Glennie before moving back to Wayne, Mich. in 1986.

She earned an associate degree in social work and spent many years as a caregiver in adult group homes. She also worked for 10 years at Industrial Strainer in Plymouth, Mich.

Mrs. Thornton was a former board member of Curtis Township and Alcona Park. She worked as an EMT for Curtis Township and she was a member of the Hale Fraternal Order of Eagles.

She enjoyed playing cards, mainly poker with family, going on casino trips, fishing with her children and grandchildren, cooking for her family and tending to her flower gardens. She loved to play her guitar and sing along with her mom while she played the harmonica. She also liked to play pool and served as captain of her league.

Mrs. Thornton is survived by two sons, Joe (Dawn Lowrey) Orefice of Belleville, Mich. and Jerome (Barb)



Orefice of Glennie; two daughters, Annmarie (Mark) Orefice-Wajdowicz of Belleville, Mich. and Catherine (Leslie) Rimanoci of Wayne, Mich.; seven grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; one great-great grandchild; and one sister, Linda Samson of Whittemore, Mich.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Clyde Thornton; one son, John Orefice; one grandson, John Orefice; and two brothers, Gary Hackett and Rick Hackett.

A celebration of life event will take place from 1 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, July 24 at Eagle Ridge Golf Course in Glennie. Arrangements were handled by Buresh Funeral Homes.

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Local Notes



Watch Voter Forums Online

Recently held candidate forums by the League of Women Voters of Northeast Michigan is available online via the group's Facebook page. Here is how to access the recorded events.

The recordings of the following forums are available via the information on the LWV Facebook. Just go to www.facebook.com/lwvalpena to access the forums.

- Alcona County candidates in contested races for County Commissioner District No. 2 and No. 5.

- 106th District state representative candidates in contested races.

- Alpena County Candidates in contested races for county clerk, county commissioner Districts No. 5, 6, and 7.

Mom-to-Mom Swap Shop

Families in the community are invited to participate in the Mom-to-Mom Swap Shop that will be held on Friday, Aug. 5 from 2 to 5 p.m. at NEMCSA Early Head Start, 51 N. Barlow Road, Lincoln. This is an opportunity for all families to bring items they no longer need and find items they can use. Swapping is not a requirement. Anyone who doesn't have anything to swap is welcome to participate for items they need.

Items to swap include all sizes of infant and children's clothing, maternity clothing, toys, books, infant bedding, infant gear, unopened diapers, wipes, and formula. Items accepted are gently used.

There is no admission price, items are free. Shopping bags are provided and refreshments are available. Anything left over will be donated to charity.

Anyone who would like to donate items prior to the swap may on Monday, Aug. 1 from 12:30 to 5 p.m. at the Head Start building. For more information, contact Natalie at (989) 464-9781 or by email at GoldstromN@nemcsa.org. This event is hosted by

NEMCSA Early Head Start Alcona County.

August Recycle Date Change

Due to the Alcona County Fair being held the week of August 9 through August 13, the Recycle Drop Off day is moved to Saturday, Aug. 20 (third Saturday of the month) from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. The regular schedule of the second Saturday of the month will resume in September. The same time from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Bee/Butterfly Habitat Fund

Learn about the Bee & Butterfly Habitat Fund's Seed a Legacy Program in a webinar on August 4 from 7 to 8 p.m. This organization supports large-scale pollinator habitat. Elsa Gallagher, habitat program coordinator, will talk about the program, and Jeremy Rhodes will share his experience and provide a case study. For more information, contact Ana Heck via email at heckanar@msu.edu.

Senior Fresh Produce Markets

In an effort to bring fresh, healthy, local and Michigan grown produce directly to senior citizens of Alcona County, a senior pop-up produce market is held weekly at the ARA site in Lincoln on behalf of the Lincoln Senior Center. The market is each Tuesday from July through mid-October from 3 to 4 p.m.

Through the growing season, Allen's Produce, LLC will have produce available for purchase. The product list expands weekly as the growing season progresses. Allen's Produce is a family owned and operated farm in Ogemaw County and offers fresh, locally and Michigan grown produce. The majority of the produce is grown within 60 miles of Alcona County residents.

Cash, Senior Project Fresh, WIC Project Fresh coupons are accepted, along with SNAP benefits for those who qualify. For questions and more information, contact Steve

Wright, Healthy Food Coordinator by email at healthyfoodnemi@gmail.com or call (989) 464-5556.

This initiative is part of the Healthy NE Michigan project funded by Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan Foundation, the Michigan Health Endowment Fund and the W. K. Kellogg Foundation.

Work at Tuttle Marsh

The U.S. Forest Service, Huron Pines and the Iosco County Road Commission, is working at Tuttle Marsh from July through September.

This work includes deferred maintenance on roads and culverts, mowing to keep the viewshed open, treating non-native invasive species with cutting, mowing and hand pulling in and adjacent to Tuttle Marsh. Phragmites, purple loose strife and reed canary grass are the non-native invasive species.

While visiting the area this summer, visitors may see contractors and equipment performing this work. For more information on this project and the benefits it will provide, contact Ben Wiese, Huron Shores District Ranger at (989) 739-0728.

Americanisms



“Barbeque may not be the road to world peace, but it’s a start.”
— Anthony Bourdain

Re-elect

John (Terry) Small

District 5 County Commissioner

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- ★ U.S. Air Force Veteran
- ★ Involved in public service for 40 years

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Calendar of Events



WEDNESDAY, JULY 27

Sunrise Community Food Pantry is open from 1 to 3 p.m. at Hubbard Lake Bible Church. Clients are asked to come only one time per month and must be present to receive food. Recipients must remain in their vehicle for curbside pick up and follow volunteer traffic control. The pantry accepts clients regardless of county residence. Identification is required. Bring box or bag. The church is located at 13508 Hubbard Lake Road, Hubbard Lake. Call (989) 727-3606 for more information.

A pottery workshop for youth ages 10 to 18 will be held at 1:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Call (989) 724-6796 to register for this free activity and for more details.

The Alcona County Library Board will meet at the Harrisville branch at 4 p.m.

The Harrisville Summer Concert Series features the

Jon Archambault Band which plays music to make souls sing and bodies move. Blues is the main influence of the group; however, this is not a traditional Blues band. The group combines the passion of blues with the energy of Rock, the storytelling of Country, and the improvisation of Jazz. Timeless classics cast in new light and fresh, original music played by accomplished musicians performing in their prime. Band members are Matt Marsh, vocals and bass guitar; Matt Prorok, keyboards and vocals; Larry Hammond, drums and vocals; and Jon Archambault on guitar and vocals. The concert begins at 7 p.m. at the Harrisville Harbor. Seating is on the lawn. Bring chairs or blankets. Donations welcome. Sponsored by the City of Harrisville.

THURSDAY, JULY 28

The Community Walking Club for Everyone will meet in the parking lot of the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 9 a.m. Call

(989) 724-6796 for more information.

TOPS 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 E. F-30, Mikado with weigh-in at 9 a.m. and meeting at 9:15 a.m. Everyone is welcome. Site is handicap accessible. For details, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 739-8600.

A free family movie matinee will be shown at 2 p.m. A newly released DVD and theater-style popcorn is on tap. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

FRIDAY, JULY 29

A "Frog Day" storytime and craft activity for children will be held at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 10:30 a.m. Youngsters will enjoy free froggy crafts, froggy stories and froggy treats. For details, call (989) 724-6796.

Woodcarving with Friends will meet at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from noon to 4 p.m.

Woodcarvers ages 16 and up are welcome. Participants should bring their own knives and wood project. For more information, call Mary Denning at (810) 263-7571.

Michael McNevin takes the stage for the Harbor Nights Concert Series. McNevin's songs read like short stories — full of heart, humor, and a keen eye for detail. Accomplished guitar work and seasoned vocals underscore the characters and places he comes across in his travels. Sponsored by Inspiration Alcona, the free concert runs from 7 to 9 p.m. on the lawn at Harbor Park above Harrisville harbor. Bring a lawn chair or a blanket. If the weather is bad, Harbor Nights will move to the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main Street, Harrisville.

CrossRoads Recovery, a faith-based addiction program, will meet at 7 p.m. at Greenbush Community Baptist Church, 2430 S. State Street, Greenbush. For more

information, contact Pastor Caincross at (989) 569-1298.

SUNDAY, JULY 31

A nature hike will be held at Lumberman's Monument starting at 11 a.m. Hikers will take the Discovery Trail with a ranger and learn about forest management, local wildlife and plant life. The hike will conclude at the sand dune overlook. Lumberman's Monument is located at the junction of River and Monument roads in Iosco County. For more information, call (989) 362-8961.

Meet new friends and enjoy coffee and fellowship at the former Old Place Inn, 309 E. Main Street, Harrisville at 10:30 a.m. "Believers in Christ" defines the purpose of organizers who believe the Bible is true and Jesus is our savior.

MONDAY, AUGUST 1

Quarterly TEFAP food distribution will be held from 1 to 2 p.m. at the ACCOA (Senior Center), 207 Church Street, Lincoln. It will be drive through and participants need to bring a box. Call (989) 334-3466 for more information.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2

Euchre is played at the Lincoln Senior Center, lower level, 207 Church Street, Lincoln from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. All seniors are welcome.

Macro invertebrates are the topic of the educational program at Lumberman's Monument. With a magi scope participants can view a world that often gets overlooked. The program begins at 1 p.m. This is a free program. Donations are accepted. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Programs are subject to change. For additional information, call the Lumberman's Monument Visitors Center at (989) 362-8961. Lumberman's Monument is located in Iosco County at the junction of Monument and River roads.

Believers in Christ Fellowship invite residents and visitors to join in the study of "The Holy Spirit and His Gifts," by Kenneth E. Hagin. Workbooks will be furnished. Attendees are asked to bring a Bible to the 6 p.m. gathering at the former Old Place Inn, 309 E. Main Street, Harrisville. For more information, call Ruth Merrick at (989) 736-1004.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3

The Alcona County Baby Pantry is open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 4 to 6 p.m. at St. Raphael Church, 2531 E. F-30, Mikado. Alcona County residents with newborns through age four are eligible and welcome. This is not an income-based program. There is free formula, diapers, toys and new and gently used clothes and shoes. Layettes are available in the eighth month.

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AREA CHURCH DIRECTORY


St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

 Corner of US-23 & Medor Rd.
 Harrisville • 724-5160
 Sunday service 10 am, also on facebook

Haynes Community Church
 4505 Shaw Road, Harrisville, Michigan 48740
 Sunday Morning Service 11 a.m. • 989-724-6665
 Pastor Claire Duncan • haynescommunitychurch.org


Family Heritage Baptist Church
 4260 M-72 Harrisville (2.5 miles west of the light)
 Pastor Ernest Ruemenapp 989-335-8282 • www.church72.org
 Sunday school 10 a.m.
 Sunday worship 11 a.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study and Coffee 10 a.m.
 Patch the Pirate children's ministry on Wednesday at 6 p.m.

First Baptist Church of Lincoln

 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. - Worship 11 a.m.
 Bible Study/Prayer, Wed. 7 p.m.
 Pastor Dr. Arie VanBrenk • 202 Main Street • 736-8796


New Life Lutheran Church (ELCA)

 Sunday Worship & Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Hubbard Lake Rd.,
 3/4 mile south of White Pine National Golf Course
 Pastor Christina Bright Office 736-7816


Spruce Presbyterian Church

 Induction Loop equipped for tele-coil hearing aids
 6230 Gillard Road (P.O. Box 37) Spruce, MI 48762 • 471-5464
 Worship 9 a.m.

Our Savior Lutheran Church

 3639 South M-65, Glennie, Michigan
 Sunday Morning 9 a.m. Worship Service
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 Pastor Wayne Ramey • Full Gospel
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m. • Family Bible Study 7 p.m. Wednesday


Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church (WELS)

 Church Street at Traverse Bay Road
 Lincoln, Mich. 48742 ~ 736-1227
 Pastor David Putz ~ Service, Sunday 9 a.m.

Westminster Presbyterian Church U.S.A.

 201 N. Second at Jefferson, Harrisville
 Induction Loop equipped for tele-coil hearing aids
 Worship ~ 11 a.m. Handicap Accessible
 724-6734


Hope Lutheran Church NALC
 5462 Nickelson Hill Road, Hubbard Lake
 Sunday Worship 10 a.m.
 989-727-3206

COMMUNITY OF CHRIST
 Church School 10 a.m. ~ Worship 11 a.m.
 3155 E. F-30, Mikado MI • Church 736-8727
 Pastor Char McGuire • 736-3486

Catholic Parishes of the Resurrection
 St. Raphael, Mikado Saturday 4:30 p.m.
 St. Anne, Harrisville Sunday 11 a.m.
 St. Gabriel, Black River, Saturday 6:30 p.m.
 St. Catherine, Ossineke Sunday 9 a.m.
 Pastor John William • (989)471-5121 • (989) 724-6713

HARRISVILLE UNITED METHODIST

 217 N. State St.
 Worship at 11:15 a.m.
 Rev. Reeve Segrest - Pastor - 989-724-5450

GREENBUSH COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH
 2430 S. State, Greenbush • 724-5264 • Pastor A. C. Caincross
 • Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 • Sunday Morning Service 11 a.m.
 • Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Meeting 6 p.m.

LINCOLN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

 101 E. Main St., Lincoln
 Sunday Worship at 8:30 a.m.
 Rev. Reeve Segrest - Pastor ~ 989-335-4282

Josiah Donaldson's Civil War

By Eric Paul Roorda
Artist & Author

This is the story of Josiah Donaldson (1847-1937), Alcona County's last surviving Civil War veteran.

When the Civil War broke out in April 1861, Josiah Donaldson was not yet 14 years old, living in Allegheny County, Pa., the area around Pittsburgh. He enlisted in the Union Army on August 23, 1864, when he was 17, together with his father, Joel. They mustered into Company G of the 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry Regiment, Joel signing up for three years, his young son for one. They left Mary Donaldson, mother and wife, behind.

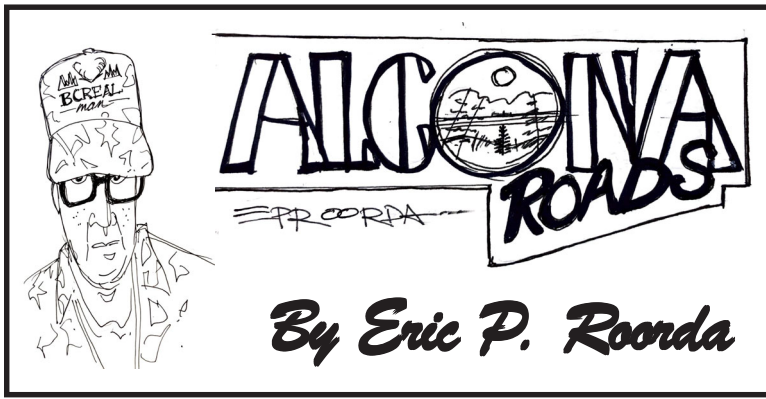
Josiah and Joel Donaldson joined the 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry in time to witness the awful final act of the Civil War. They fought until the bitter end, when the Confederate Army surrendered at Appomattox Courthouse, Virginia, in April 1865.

The 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry had already seen the worst fighting of the worst war fought in this hemisphere. They fought in the first major campaign, which culminated in the Seven Days Battles around Richmond in early summer 1862. They were in the thick of things on the bloodiest day of all on September 17, at the Battle of Antietam, where a cannon ball disemboweled their dashing young colonel, J. A. Childs. They found themselves on the front line during the bloodiest battle, Gettysburg, which lasted three days in July 1863.

The Donaldsons travelled to meet the 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry outside the besieged city of Petersburg, Va., as the bloody summer of 1864 waned. The 4th had fought its way south with the rest of Gen. U. S. Grant's Army of the Potomac since May, chasing Robert E. Lee's Army of Northern Virginia. The regiment had witnessed the slaughter at the Battle of Cold Harbor, when 10,000 Union soldiers fell in a half hour on June 7.

As the two armies settled into an 11-month siege, the 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry had gone off on a raid, and at the Battle of St. Mary's Church, on June 24, 1864, they lost another colonel, George H. Covode, riddled with bullets and left behind during a rout.

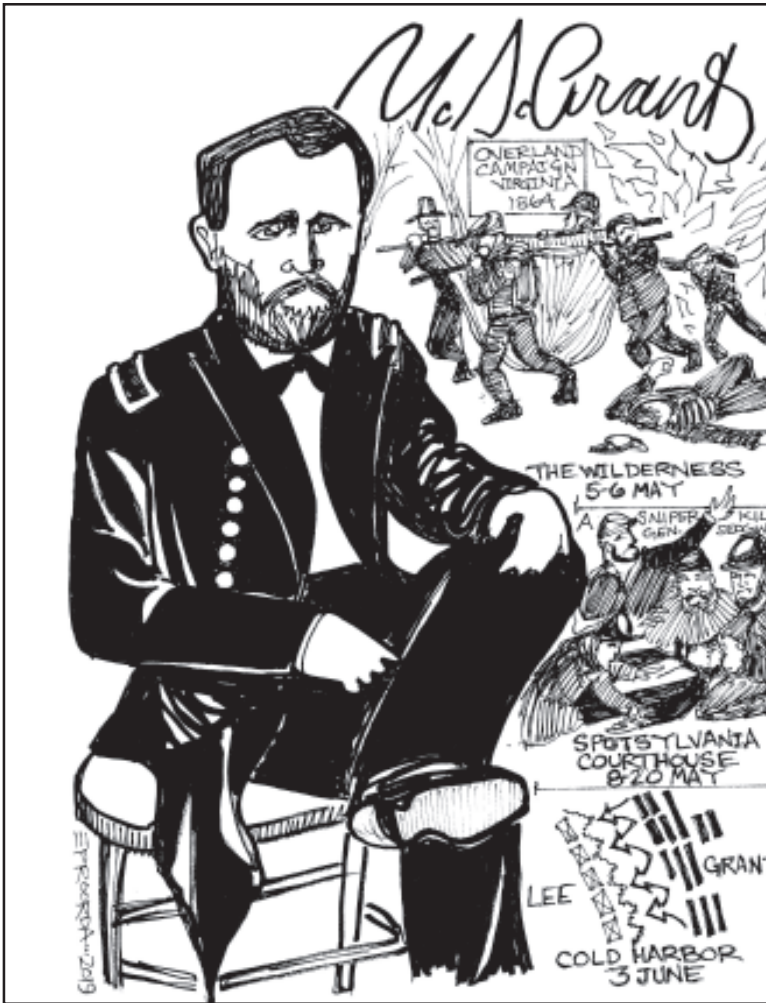
The veterans of the unit must have kept the memories of Col. Childs and Col. Covode alive in their conversations by the campfire during the winter of 1846-65, and Josiah Donaldson would



have learned of their bravery. The Donaldsons would have been shown the ropes by the veterans, counselled about self-survival techniques, and offered helpful hints, such as how to soak "hardtack," an apt name for the granite-like "crackers" issued to the men, in coffee, before trying to bite into them.

of war, and saw its awful sights for the first time. Peeble's Farm was a debacle for the northerners, who lost nearly 3,000 men, killed, wounded and captured, while just 900 southerners counted as casualties.

Most of Josiah and Joel's deployment was spent on reconnaissance missions last-



U.S. Grant and the Overland Campaign.

Josiah and Joel Donaldson were also almost certainly subjected to ribbing about being the baby and the old man of the unit (Joel was almost 40), and about being a son and father. "Hey, Josiah, does your old man wipe your nose for you?" "Joel, why don't you get that boy of yours to carry that pack?"

Josiah and Joel Donaldson, having enlisted on August 23, 1864, must have arrived to join Company G of the 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry Regiment at the front lines at the Siege of Petersburg in time for the Battle of Peeble's Farm, September 30 to October 2. That's probably when they caught their first acrid whiff

ing days at a time, which is what they were doing before Peeble's Farm, or forays to cut Confederate supply lines, both of which led to clashes with rebel horsemen on several occasions. The Battle of Hatcher's Run was an example of the latter. The 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry was at the center of the fighting, which took place over three days in early February 1865. The result was roughly similar butcher's bills, about

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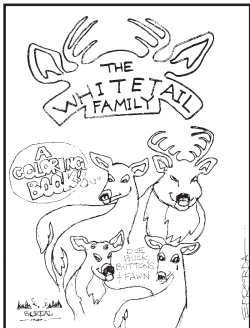
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Life in the Bronze Age

By Terry Roorda

Teenage Beach Bum

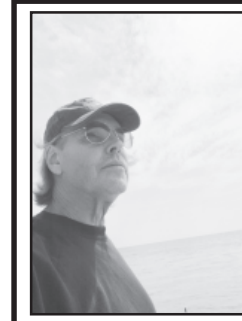
Mother was a bathing beauty and a beachcomber, and in pursuit of her interests she would hitch up our 19-foot Cree travel trailer, pack the kids in the station wagon, and head for the beaches of Lakes Huron and Michigan for the entire summer.

Throughout the late 60s and early 70s, that Cree was the Mother Roorda summer home and road show, checking into state parks and remaining there for the full two-week maximum stay before hitching back up and moving the family circus to the next beachfront state park campsite for the next two weeks.

The principal stops on Mother's summer circuit were Harrisville State Park, Hoeft State Park in Rogers City, Wilderness State Park up at the Straits, and Mears State Park in Pentwater. It was on those beaches that we spent the high summer of July and August barefoot and half naked, swimming, dune surfing, eating popsicles, committing serial summer love affairs like lakeside Lotharios and Lolitas, and otherwise squandering our youth on riotous lollygagging.

Yet it wasn't all just fun and games, because we were there for one overarching and grueling assignment: We were there to work on our suntan!

Mother was a devout devotee of a deep, flawless tan,



A VIEW FROM LAKE STREET

By Terry Roorda

and demanded it of her children in those heady days before the discovery of UVA and UVB when a dark suntan was considered the absolute pinnacle of haute chic and toasty sexiness everywhere from Malibu to St. Tropez, and especially on the sandy Great Lakes beaches where the Baby Boom had brought forth a multitude of

adding iodine to the tincture, a proven coloring agent.

To this day, baby oil and iodine are clinically considered the fastest and most effective deep tanning promoter, but not advised because it has an SPF of exactly <0, which is exactly the SPF of the original Bain de Soleil which cost a hell of a lot more. Mother could be so cost



Malibu Barbie, the poster child of the Bronze Age, circa 1971.

pubescent Midwestern sun sponges to lay their lubricious bodies out on towels and slowly rotate like rotisserie pullets.

Mother knew best when it came to tanning techniques starting with getting down that all-important suntan foundation, and she wisely counseled her children: You can't get a good tan without a good burn. So, job one was getting fricasseed right off the bat, and since my sister and I were both blonds, she further prescribed lemon juice on our heads to whiten up the locks for a dazzling color contrast with the developing copper patina of the dermis.

Mother could be so scientific about such matters. She further prescribed Johnson's Baby Oil to facilitate the deep multi-strata assault of the sun's rays, and also advised

efficient in these matters.

Though we didn't know it at the time, those long languid days of deliciously unprotected sunbathing were insidiously damaging our dermis at a cellular level, such that today the bronze Adonis of my youth has given way to a wrinkled, age-spotted, freckled old man with suspicious pre-cancerous growths on my arms. The rotisserie pullet has become beef jerky.

I spend a lot of time online comparing my blemishes with photos of melanoma moles, convinced I'm a goner. (Relax, everyone, I'm not.) And that all brings up the sensible question of whether, knowing what I know now, I would have sensibly covered up and foregone my sexy teenage tan for the promise of a healthy dotage.

And to this I respond: Not on your life.

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The Garden Bug

Bush beans

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- Brenda Weaver
Sources: veranda.com, thespruce.com, gardenerspath.com

How to find and claim your family's forgotten assets

Dear Savvy Senior,

A while back I read an article about some online tools that can help people search for lost or forgotten money left behind by their deceased relatives, but I've misplaced it. Can you help me with this? My mom, who passed away in January, was always bad about keeping up with her money, so I'm wondering if there was anything she left behind.

Searching Son

Dear Searching,

Forgotten or lost money is actually very common in the United States. According to the National Association of Unclaimed Property Administrators, there are literally billions of dollars in unclaimed funds sitting in state treasuries and other agencies just waiting to be found.

These unclaimed funds are from accounts that are inactive or whose owners, or their heirs, cannot be located. Un-

claimed funds can include things like lost or forgotten saving or checking accounts, stocks, utility security deposits, tax refunds, life insurance policy proceeds, uncashed dividend checks, matured savings bonds and much more.

This typically happens because of a change of address (the owner moved), a name change (the owner got married or divorced), or the owner dies, and the estate was unaware of the money or the heirs could not be located. By law, companies and financial institutions that can't find the owner or their next of kin within two to five years must turn the property over to the state where it's held indefinitely.

Where to Search

About 10 percent of all Americans have some unclaimed money out there waiting to be found, so it's very possible your mother had some too. To start your search, go to Unclaimed.org, which has links to all state programs that will let you do a state benefits search online for free. Or you can do a multi-state search in 39 states at MissingMoney.com.

Be sure to check every state in which your mother lived, worked or did business. Also, make sure to check under your mom's maiden name, and if she had a frequently misspelled name, search



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those misspellings too. Using her first initial and her last name is also encouraged to make sure everything comes up.

Every state can tell you immediately if your mom has some unclaimed money, as well as how to go about collecting it.

Look Here Too

In addition to state treasuries, here are some other resources that can help you look for unclaimed money that may have been overlooked.

- Forgotten retirement benefits: To search for lost or forgotten 401(k) funds your mom may have left behind with an old employer, use the National Registry of Unclaimed Retirement Benefits at UnclaimedRetirementBenefits.com. Or to search for lost pension benefits, use the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation trustee plan search tool at PBGCC.gov/search-trusteed-plans.

- Lost life insurance: To track down a lost or forgotten life insurance policy, the Na-

tional Association of Insurance Commissioners, an insurance regulatory support organization, offers a free policy locator service at <https://eapps.naic.org/life-policy-locator>.

- Unredeemed savings bonds: It's very common for people to lose track of U.S. saving bonds because they are often given to children as gifts, then forgotten before the bonds reach maturity. To find out if your mom had any, the U.S. Department of the Treasury provides an online search tool at TreasuryHunt.gov for finding matured, uncashed savings bonds over 30 years old and no longer earning interest.

- Federal tax refunds: Each year thousands of refund checks totaling millions of dollars are returned to the IRS by the post office. To look for lost Federal tax refund checks go to IRS.gov/refunds or call (800) 829-1954.

(Send your senior questions to: Savvy Senior, P.O. Box 5443, Norman, Okla. 73070, or visit SavvySenior.org.)

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here they are more proficient in core battlefield skills, whether that is maneuver, logistics, or communication."

A new feature this year is the integration of the Michigan Air National Guard's exercise Northern Agility 22-2, which will feature A-10 Thunderbolt II aircraft, MC-12 aircraft, W/MC-130 aircraft and KC-135 aircraft conducting operations from Cherry Capital Airport, Grayling Army Airfield, Oscoda-Wurtsmith Airport, Alpena CRTC and Battle Creek Executive Airport on consecutive days, Aug. 8-12. This will demonstrate joint integration into the Air Force's Agile Combat Employment (ACE) concept, which is the ability to generate airpower anytime, anywhere.

In addition to enhancing readiness, Northern Strike provides a boost to the local

Alpena and Grayling economies. On average it brings approximately \$30 million to northern Michigan's economy through military pay, travel and local spending each year.

"The local communities of northern Michigan have been critical in growing Northern Strike over the last decade," said Jenzen. "The patriotism and support they continue to provide has truly helped amplify the readiness of the men and women who serve our state and nation."

For more information, contact the Michigan National Guard Public Affairs office at (517) 481-7735 or by email, ng.mi.miarnng.list.pao@army.mil

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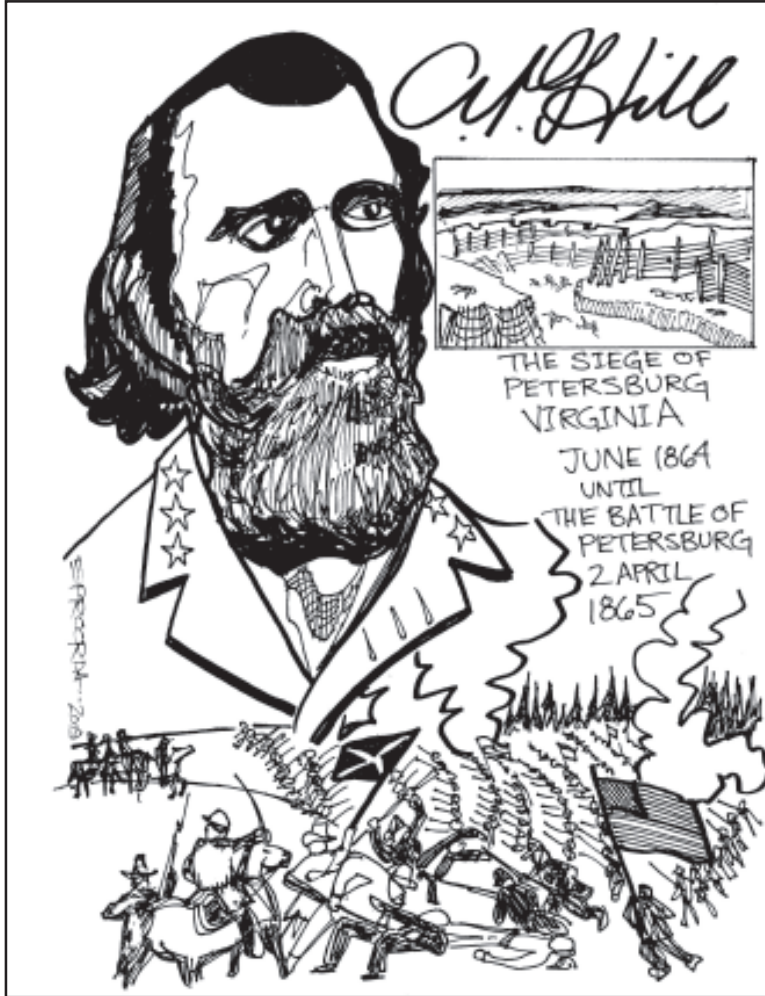
In terms of body counts, these "minor engagements" the Donaldsons witnessed were on a par with the famous Battle of First Bull Run at the outset of the war, when the nation enjoyed a brief, blissful ignorance of war's realities.

The Siege of Petersburg ended and the Appomattox Campaign began in late March 1865, when Lee ordered a series of breakout attempts from Grant's noose of trenches, which stretched more than 100 miles. One was the Battle of Five Forks, April 1, which turned into a lopsided defeat for the disintegrating rebel forces, with about 3,000 losses, as opposed to 830 Yankees. The 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry captured more than 1,000 of their starving enemies after charging their lines.

On April 2, Lee's army finally broke through the Union lines and fled west, at the cost of his favorite lieutenant, A. P. Hill. The end game of the Civil War unfolded then, with the 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry in hot pursuit of their enemies. They caught up with them at the Battle of Sailor's Creek, April 6, which was like a second Five Forks, with southerners surrendering in droves.

It is very possible that the 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry was drawn up in the mounted ranks assembled for the surrender ceremony at Appomattox Courthouse on April 9, with Josiah and his father among them.

After surviving the war, the Donaldsons mustered out on July 1, 1865, went home, packed up, and moved to Alcona County. (That was a far better life decision than enlisting had been!) In the healthy environment Up North, Joel lived to the age of 94, and was buried at Twin Lakes Cemetery in Lincoln in 1919. Josiah joined him there



A.P. Hill and the Siege of Petersburg.

in 1937, at 89 years old. Preceding them both to that lovely place, the patient Mary Donaldson passed in 1915, a week short of her 94th birthday, and now reposes with her veteran husband and son on either side of her.

(Eric Paul Roorda of Spring-

port became obsessed with the Civil War at the age of seven and went on to teach the subject in college for 25 years. His book, "Battles and Leaders of the Civil War: A Graphic Gallery," is available for \$15 at eproorda@gmail.com.)

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All's well that ends well Happy Ending of a Family Misunderstanding

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Thursday of last week Robert A. Howard who claims to be a veteran of the civil war, and who came here from the Soldiers Home at Marlon, Ind., left for Detroit accompanied by his niece, Mrs. Minnie Miller, whose guest he had been for about six weeks.

Howard's company had become distasteful to Mr. Miller as he thought the visitor had an undue influence over his wife.

The Detroit trip had been discussed in the family, and it was not in any way clandestine, but the time of departure was not disclosed to Mr. Miller, he know nothing of it until Friday morning when he ascertained that they had purchased tickets for Detroit at West Harrisville the night before, he discovered also that a bank book of the oldest child was missing, and that his wife had borrowed

\$35 off a business man a few days before on her husband's credit. The conclusion was jumped at that the couple had taken their departure for good. A dispatch was sent to the Detroit police to intercept them.

They were found at the bank where the boy's money was deposited. Sheriff Edwards went down Saturday provided with one warrant. He had no warrant for Howard but the police insisted on his taking Howard off their hands too. The Sheriff and his guests arrived up Monday night. They were given the liberty of the town and went to the Alcona House.

Husband and wife met, satisfactory explanations followed all around and a reconciliation was easily effected. Mrs. Miller asserted on her return that they fully intended to come back this week and had no intention of going further than Detroit. Her husband wasn't taken into their confidence as to the time of departure because they were not on confidential terms at the time.

They laid in wait for Howard

July 29, 1897 ~ A crowd of men hung around the Alcona House until long after midnight Monday. They were after R. A. Howard, who was blamed for the Miller family troubles. Just what the crowd wanted to do with Howard is of course not known but it is said there was talk of tar and feathers, of dunking him in the lake, and of various other tortures which a crowd usually inflicts upon individuals for whom there is a feeling of contempt.

Mrs. Carle, proprietor of the hotel, was offered \$30 by the spokesman, to leave the side dore open and let the crowd have full swing, but she declined, and said she had two seven shooters and she would open fire on the first man who crossed the threshold.

Crystalline
since ovals are not used in printing, the following is a list of the letters.

Another big deal in Alcona County land

July 27, 1922 ~ Close on the close of the deal whereby R. M. Rasmussen of Spruce became the owner of the McClatchey Ranch in Northern Hawes Township, comes the announcement that Rasmussen has also contracted for the purchase of the Alcona Ranch property in Alcona township, locally known as the Roe Lake Ranch.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Foreclosure by Advertisement

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The amount due on the mortgage may be greater on the day of the sale. Placing the highest bid at the sale does not automatically entitle the purchaser to free and clear ownership of the property. A potential purchaser is encouraged to contact the county register of deeds office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge a fee for this information.

Mortgage: Mortgagor(s): Wayne A. Reske and Carol A. Reske, husband and wife. Original mortgage: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. ("MERS"), solely as nominee for lender and lender's successors and assigns. Date of mortgage: October 16, 2017. Recorded on October 30, 2017, Liber 536, on Page 660. Foreclosing Assignee (if any): Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC. Amount claimed to be due at the date hereof: Eighty-four thousand five

hundred eighty-nine and 75/100 dollars (\$84,589.75).

Mortgaged premises: Situated in Alcona County, and described as: Parcel A- Lot 323 of Huron Cedar Lakes Subdivision No. 2, according to the recorded Plat thereof, as found in Liber 1 of Plats, page 91, Alcona County records; and that part of Government Lot 1, Section 14, Town 25 North, Range 9 East, thence north 20 feet, along the west right of way of US-23 highway, thence west 200 feet, thence south 20 feet, thence east 200 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel B- That part of Government Lot 1, Section 14, Town 25 North, Range 9 East and Government Lot 4, Section 11, Town 25 North, Range 9 East, described as beginning at a point on the west side of US-23 highway right of way north 0 degrees 46 minutes 24 seconds west 20 feet from the northeast corner of Lot 323 of Huron Cedar Lakes Subdivision No. 2, thence north 0 degrees 46 minutes 24 seconds west along right of way 80 feet, thence south 89 degrees 13 minutes 36 seconds west 200 feet, thence south 0 degrees 46 minutes 25 seconds east 80 feet, thence north 89 degrees 13 minutes 36 seconds east 200 feet to the point

of beginning.

Commonly known as 2998 S. US Hwy 23, Greenbush, MI 48738. The redemption period will be six months from the date of such sale, unless abandoned under MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period will be 30 days from the date of such sale, or 15 days from the MCL 600.3241a(b) notice, whichever is later; or unless extinguished pursuant to MCL 600.3238. If the above referenced property is sold at a foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of Act 236 of 1961, under MCL 600.3278, the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.

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State of Michigan Probate Court Alcona County Notice to Creditors Decedent's Estate Case No. 22-6292-DE

106 N. 5th Street Harrisville, Mich. 48740 (989) 724-9490 Estate of Shellie M. Miles Date of birth: August 30, 1974 To all creditors Notice to creditors: The decedent, Shellie M. Miles, died January 19, 2022.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Kathie Taylor Miles, personal representative, or to both the probate court at 106 N. 5th Street, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 and the personal representative within four months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date: July 27, 2022 David H. Cook, P40560 Attorney 5466 M-72, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 Kathie Taylor Miles Personal representative 518 Thompson Street, Apt. 304 Saginaw, Mich. 48607 (989) 392-4518

State of Michigan Probate Court Alcona County Notice to Creditors Decedent's Estate Case No. 22-6291-DE

106 N. 5th Street Harrisville, Mich. 48740 (989) 724-9490 Estate of John Randall Smith Date of birth: September 27, 1953 To all creditors Notice to creditors: The decedent, John Randall Smith, died October 5, 2021.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Rhonda Smith, personal representative, or to both the probate court at 106 N. 5th Street, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 and the personal representative within four months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date: July 27, 2022 David H. Cook, P40560 Attorney 5466 M-72, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 Rhonda Smith Personal representative 816 E. Swede Road Spruce, Mich. 48762 (989) 464-3809

State of Michigan 23rd Circuit Court Alcona County

Publication Notice of Hearing Petition to Change Name File No. 22-3736-NC

In the matter of: Karen Michelle Gill

To all interested persons: Take notice: A hearing will be held on September 22, 2022 at 9:30 a.m. at the Alcona County Courthouse before the Honorable Laura A. Frawley for the purpose of a final hearing to change name from Karen Gill to Catherine Gill, address: 1425 Stout Road, Barton City, Mich. 48705, (989) 736-1453. Date: July 27, 2022

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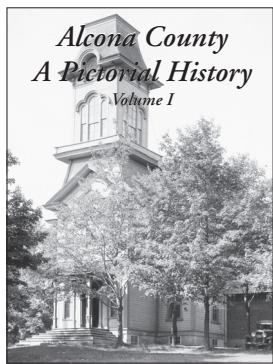
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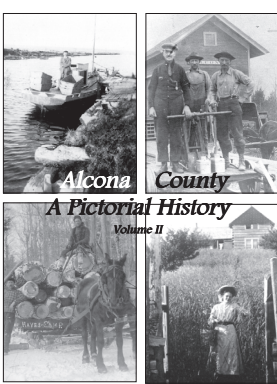
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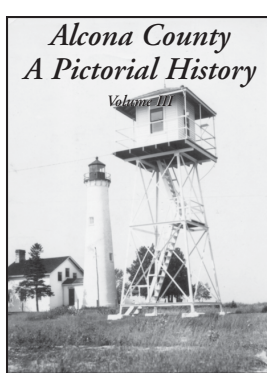
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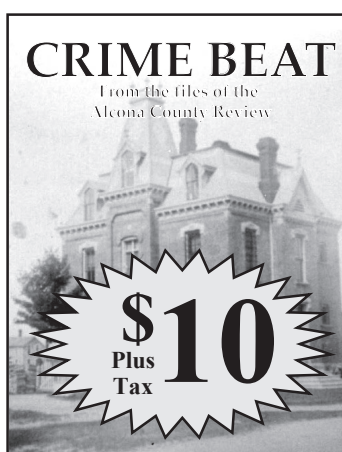
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“T-bone” Wagner on drums. Their latest record, “Kings & Queens,” was produced in 2019. The concert begins at 7 p.m. at the Harrisville Harbor. Seating is on the lawn. Bring chairs or blankets. Donations welcome. Sponsored by the City of Harrisville.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4

Veterans are invited to join fellow comrades for coffee and fellowship from 9 to 11 a.m.

at Westminster Presbyterian Church in Harrisville. For additional details, call (989) 724-9581.

TOPS 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 E. F-30, Mikado with weigh-in at 9 a.m. and meeting at 9:15 a.m. Everyone is welcome. Site is handicap accessible. For details, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 739-8600.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5

Woodcarving with Friends will meet at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from noon to 4 p.m. Woodcarvers ages 16 and up are welcome. Participants should bring their own knives and wood project. For more information, call Mary Denning at (810) 263-7571.

Claudia Schmidt takes the stage for the Harbor Nights Concert Series. She is one of the Midwest’s most popular folk and jazz musicians. With her smoky alto vocals and multi-instrumental skills, Schmidt has crafted a unique style from the musical traditions of the past. Sponsored by Inspiration Alcona, the free concert runs from 7 to 9 p.m. on the lawn at Harbor Park above Harrisville harbor. Bring a lawn chair or a blanket. If the weather is bad, Harbor Nights will move to the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main Street, Harrisville.

CrossRoads Recovery, a faith-based addiction program, will meet at 7 p.m. at Greenbush Community Bap-

tist Church, 2430 S. State Street, Greenbush. For more information, contact Pastor Caincross at (989) 569-1298.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6

The Class of 1963 will gather at The Mountain Bar and Grill in Black River on Saturday, Aug. 6 at 4 p.m. for a social time and dinner. Classmates and others interested are welcome to attend. For more information and to RSVP, contact Carolyn at (810) 348-0653 or Harold at (810) 624-0752.

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

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