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Monday fire engulfs vacant home

Fire struck same vacant building five years ago

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG
PCC EDITOR

FORT MADISON - A late evening fire broke out in the 2600 block of Avenue O Monday evening just south of Hy-Vee.

The fire fully engulfed the home shortly after 9 p.m. when a witness called the fire department after seeing flames coming from the home.

An all-call was dispatched about about 9:30 p.m. Fort Madison Police and Lee County EMS were on the scene assisting.

The witness told police the same structure caught fire about five years ago and that someone had been seen at the structure at about noon on Monday.

Other witnesses at the scene said the building was vacant and was being used by the owner for storage. One neighbor said he tried to reach the owner of the house by phone, but couldn't make contact.

The cause of the fire is unknown.



Photo by Chuck Vandenberg/PCC

Fort Madison firefighters enter the door of a smoke-filled house in the 2600 block of Avenue O Monday evening at about 9:30. Witnesses say the house was vacant and was being used for storage. Flames fully engulfed the building, but firefighters had flames under control quickly.

School board sets April 3 vote

Bond would cost \$75K homeowner \$72.75/year for 20 years.

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FORT MADISON - The Fort Madison School board accepted 193 signatures Monday night and quickly voted 7-0 to add a question to an April 3 ballot to build a new preK-3 school on Bluff Road.

The referendum is for a \$30 million, 20-year bond to build, furnish, and equip the new school just east of the current Fort Madison Middle School as well as new baseball and softball facilities.

The referendum will have a

.97/\$1,000 assessed valuation impact on homeowners in the district. A \$75,000 assessed home would see a \$72.75 increase in their annual tax bill for 20 years or until the bond has been paid off by the district.

The cost is \$3 million higher than the previous referendum due to an increase in construction costs over the past year.

District Business Manager Sandra Elmore took a roll call vote to approve the resolution to submit the signatures and request the ballot, which passed 7-0.

Superintendent Erin Slater said in a recent article that the district may look at satellite voting to help



SLATER

get people who couldn't or didn't vote in the last referendum election in June.

In June, district residents voted 56% in favor of building the new school, however state law requires a supermajority of 60% plus one vote for the measure to be approved.

Central Lee school district unveiled plans last week to ask voters for close to \$10 million for construction in that district. That referendum will also be on the ballot on April 3.

In other action, the district set the last day of the school year for students at May 31 and June 1 for teachers. The original school calendar had those days set for May 30 and 31, but the recent snow day has pushed the school year out one day.

Loebsack gives shutdown pay to veteran charities

WASHINGTON D.C. - Congressman Dave Loebsack released the following statement after the House voted on legislation to reopen the government.



LOEBSACK

"Let me be clear, the shutdown is the result of one thing: the inability to compromise. This whole disaster shows just how broken Washington really is. While I remain deeply skeptical that today's agreement will actually lead to the change that is needed, it at least provides a framework to begin dealing with issues Iowans tell me they want addressed. I will support the effort in hopes that Congress can somehow do better.

"With the shutdown being the most recent example of the dysfunction in Washington, it makes no sense to me that the only people who did not feel any of the pain are Members of Congress themselves. I do not believe Members of Congress should be treated differently from the thousands of other federal employees who were furloughed and Iowans who suffered from Washington's incompetence. I will be donating my

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Obituaries/Weather

OBITUARIES

GEORGE W. GRAY



GRAY

George W. Gray, 87, of Donnellson, Iowa, passed away at 3:24 p.m. Sunday, January 21, 2018 at the Fort Madison Community Hospital in Fort Madison.

Born July 19, 1930 in Athens, Missouri the son of Lon and Ruth (Vice) Gray. On July 6, 1956 he married Vera Malone in Kahoka, Missouri.

Survivors include his wife: Vera of Donnellson; three sons: Allen (Lani) Gray of Fort Madison, Chris (Barb) Gray of Donnellson and Kent (Jill) Gray of Argyle; one daughter: Heather Nichols of Washington; eleven grandchildren, five great grandchildren and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents, twelve brothers and four sisters.

George was a United States Army Veteran having served during the Korean War. He worked for Schlichers Well Co. and Lee County Secondary Roads, during this time and after, he was a handyman. He attended Donnellson Presbyterian Church and now Zion Mennonite Church. George was a member of the Donnellson American Legion Post #474. He enjoyed traveling, boating, camping, fishing, gardening, turkey and deer hunting, being outdoors and spending time with his family.

Friends may call from 12:00 noon to 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 23, 2018 at the Schmitz Funeral Home in Donnellson.

Family will receive friends from 9:30 a.m. until the time of service Wednesday, January 24, 2018 at Schmitz Funeral Home in Donnellson.

A funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, January 24, 2018 at Schmitz Funeral Home in Donnellson with Pastor Pam Unruh officiating.

Burial will be at Charleston Cemetery, Charleston, Iowa with full military rites presented by the Donnellson American Legion Post #474.

A memorial has been established in his memory for the Charleston Cemetery.

Schmitz Funeral Home in Donnellson is assisting the family with arrangements. On-line condolences to the family may be left at www.schmitzfuneralhomes.com.



SHIRLEY ANN ERB



ERB

Shirley Ann Erb, 90 of Argyle, IA died Monday, January 22, 2018 at the Ft. Madison Community Hospital in Ft. Madison, IA.

She was born January 19, 1928 the daughter of Harvey R. and Iceil Hurd Cook. On February 15, 1947 she was united in marriage to Theodore Erb in Keokuk, IA. He preceded her in death on December 20, 1997.

Shirley attended the Melrose United Methodist Church in Argyle, IA.

Shirley enjoyed being a homemaker and spent her life making a wonderful home for her family. She adored her grandchildren and treasured the time she spent with them. She loved to watch hummingbirds, enjoyed doing embroidery and was an avid reader.

She is survived by three sons, Theodore N. Erb (Myrtle) of North Liberty, IA, Michael E. Erb (Julie) of Argyle, IA and John A. Erb of Montrose, IA, one daughter, Christina A. McBride (Darrell) of Farmington, IA, eight grandchildren, D. James McBride, Kathleen Miller, William Erb, Jason Erb, Sharon Erb, Melissa Stiffler, Brandon Erb and Tiffany Robins, many great grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren, three brothers, Jerry Cook of Florida, Leonard Cook of Illinois and Harvey R. "Buddy" Cook, Jr. (Margaret) of Keokuk and several nieces and nephews.

She was also preceded in death by her parents, two brothers, Frank Cook and Tom Cook and two sisters, Judy Danker and LeVeta Spring.

A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m., Friday at the Vigen Memorial Home in Keokuk with Pastor Dawn Butler officiating. Burial will be in the Keokuk National Cemetery in Keokuk, IA.

Visitation will be held after 1 p.m., Thursday, at the funeral home with family meeting from 5-7 p.m.

Memorials may be made to the Melrose United Methodist Church or the Jackson Township Fire Department.

Online condolences may be left for the family at www.vigenmemorialhome.com.

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WED 24 Jan — Clear Skies
High – 31.1° F | Low – 24.8° F

THU 25 Jan — Clear Skies
High – 27.5° F | Low – 27.3° F

FRI 26 Jan — Clear Skies
High – 48.7° F | Low – 47.7° F

SAT 27 Jan — Moderate Rain
High – 51.8° F | Low – 44.5° F

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For the Record

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Fort Madison Police Report

01/16/18 - 2:21 a.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a burglary in the 900 block of Avenue D. 01/16/18 - 12:42 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of vandalism. 01/16/18 - 4:56 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a burglary in the 400 block of Avenue A. 01/16/18 - 8:55 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a gas drive off in the 1700 block of Avenue H. 01/16/18 - 11:56 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a burglary in the 2900 block of Avenue K. 01/16/18 - 11:58 p.m. - Fort Madison Police arrested Obie Taylor, II, 38, of Burlington, in the 600 block of 11th Street on a warrant for failure to serve time and possession of drug paraphernalia. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and held. 01/17/18 - 12:15 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a property damage accident in the 700 block of Avenue G. 01/17/18 - 2:29 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a larceny/theft in the 6000 block of Avenue O. 01/17/18 - 2:49 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a property damage accident in the 6000 block of Reve Court. 01/17/18 - 6:45 p.m. - Fort Madison Police arrested Christine Michelle Pennington, 38, of Hamilton, in the 2500 block of Avenue L, on a charge of driving while barred. She was released on a promise to appear. 01/17/18 - 8:47 p.m. - Fort Madison Police arrested Eric Roger George De Muyenek, 52, in the 800 block of Avenue G on a charge of driving while barred. He was released on a promise to appear. 01/18/18 - 1:06 a.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a stolen vehicle in the 500 block of Avenue E. 01/18/18 - 9:12 p.m. - Fort Madison Police cited Lindsey Leanette Morgan, 35, of Fort Madison in the 3400 block of Avenue L, on a charge of driving under suspension. She was released upon citation. 01/18/18 - 10:18 p.m. - Fort Madison Police arrested James Christopher Grelk, 47, of Fort Madison in the 2800 block of Avenue N South, on a charge of OWI. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and held. 01/19/18 - 10:36 a.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a property damage accident in the 1100 block of 48th Street. 01/19/18 - 11:28 a.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a larceny/theft in the 3000 block of Avenue N. 01/19/18 - 2:57 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a larceny/theft in the 1900 block of Avenue H. 01/20/18 - 3:33 a.m. - Fort Madison Police cited Stephen Michael Waggoner, 36, in

the 1800 block of 33rd Street for driving while barred. He was released upon citation. 01/20/18 - 10:27 a.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a gas drive off in the 1700 block of Avenue H. 01/20/18 - 12:45 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a property damage accident in the 1100 block of Avenue E. 01/20/18 - 12:45 p.m. - Fort Madison Police cited Emilie Louise Geoffrion, 18, of Fort Madison in the 1100 block of Avenue E, for failure to obey stop sign or yield the right of way. She was released upon citation. 01/20/18 - 8:02 p.m. - Fort Madison Police cited Mackenna Leigh Smith, 18, of Fort Madison, in the 2300 block of Avenue L, for driving under suspension. She was released upon citation. 01/20/18 - 8:22 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a property damage accident in the 2300 block of Avenue G. 01/20/18 - 8:52 p.m. - Fort Madison Police arrested Nicholas Wayne Reuther, 37, of Fort Madison, in the south alley of the 2400 block of Avenue G, on a charges of OWI 3rd offense (accident related) and driving while revoked. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and held. 01/21/18 - 2:05 a.m. - Fort Madison Police arrested Michael Bernard Pieper, 47, of Donnellson, in the 4100 block of Avenue O, on charges of OWI-1st offense and possession of a controlled substance. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and held. 01/21/18 - 3:58 a.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a vandalism in the 1200 block of Avenue E. 01/21/18 - 8:31 a.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a stolen vehicle in the 1200 block of Avenue D. 01/21/18 - 12:21 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of vandalism in the 300 block of Crescent Lane. 01/21/18 - 12:32 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of vandalism in the 2500 block of Avenue D. 1/21/18 - 4:10 p.m. - Fort Madison police cited Jeffrey George Sniegowski, Jr., 34, of Fort Madison, in the 2000 block of Avenue L, for driving under suspension, no insurance and improper use of registration. He was released upon citation. 01/21/18 - 4:23 p.m. - Fort Madison cited Jessica Kim Bower, 27, of Fort Madison in the 1900 block of Avenue A for no valid drivers license. She was also arrested on a charge of possession of drug paraphernalia. She was released on her recognizance. 01/21/18 - 7:21 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a larceny/theft in the 1100 block of 26th Street. 01/22/18 - 4:52 a.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a larceny theft in the 400 block of Avenue A.

01/22/18 - 4:46 a.m. - Fort Madison Police cited Frank Dean Davis, 20, of Fort Madison, in the 1500 block of 37th Street, for possession of drug paraphernalia. He was released upon citation.

Lee County Sheriff's Report

01/17/18 - 10:22 a.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested a 17-year-old Keokuk male juvenile on a warrant for 3rd degree burglary. 01/17/18 - 10:45 a.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Kyle Wayne Rea, 21, of Fort Madison at the Lee County Sheriff's office on a charge of violation of a restraining order. 01/18/18 - 00:00 - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Timothy Aaron Williams, 35, of Donnellson at the sheriff's office on a warrant for failure to appear and a court ordered hold. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and held. 01/18/18 - 11:11 a.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Mathey Rohan Boon, 32, of Fort Madison in the 800 block of Avenue G on a warrant for 3rd degree harassment. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and released on bond. 01/18/18 - 1:11 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Jennifer Kay Sherwood, 44, of Waterloo, at the sheriff's office on a warrant for failure to appear/contempt of court. She was released on bond. 01/19/18 - 2:59 a.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Justin Andrew Whitaker, 26 of West Point, in the 2600 block of Highway 2 on a charge of OWI. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and held. 01/19/18 - 10:37 a.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Tanya Anne Jones, 54, of Fort Madison, at the sheriff's office on a warrant for being a fugitive from justice. She was taken to the Lee County Jail and released on bond. 01/19/18 - 3:00 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Shaunna Lynn Ellingson, 23, of Farmington at the Van Buren County Jail, on a warrant for violation of parole. She was held in custody. 01/20/18 - 3:21 a.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Kevin Thomas Tucker, 29, of Fort Madison at V's Restaurant and Brew Pub, on charges of OWI-1st offense, possession of a controlled substance, and possession of drug paraphernalia. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and released on personal recognizance. 01/20/18 - 1:48 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies responded to a one-vehicle accident. A vehicle driven by Jerry Dean Bessine, 62, of Fort Madison, was traveling south on Hwy. 61 and left the roadway on the left shoulder and lost control coming to rest in a roadside ditch. Bessine was charged with OWI-1st offense and failure to maintain control.

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Sports

Steffensmeier making most of senior year

Senior commits in December to wrestle for U.S. Air Force Academy; wants to fly fighter jets

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG

PCC EDITOR

FORT MADISON - After finishing 3rd at last year's state wrestling tournament, Central Lee senior Harlan Steffensmeier, who wrestles for Fort Madison High School, said he finished 7th as a freshman, 5th as a sophomore and 3rd as a junior. So his senior year he was looking for a state title.

The soft-spoken, but laser-focused son of 2017 Iowa High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame inductee Gary Steffensmeier, said this year he's grown into his style of wrestling and it's shown results.

On Saturday, the 35-2 Steffensmeier rode out a 5-4 victory over West Des Moines Valley's Grant Stotts, at the Ed Winger Classic in Urbandale. A week ago he faced Cayd Lara from North Scott and lost a 6-3 decision. IAWrestle.com has Stotts as the state's top wrestler at 152, but [The Predicament.com](http://ThePredicament.com) has Lara as the No. 1 ranked wrestler in the weight class. Steffensmeier, as of the Jan. 18 rankings, was No. 4 in both ranking publications.

Steffensmeier said he believes he can win every time he takes the mat.

"Looking back on the year, I definitely feel like I've grown a lot since the first tournament of the year at Independence," he said after practice Monday. "I lost there, and I lost last week, but each week I feel like I'm getting better and better."

Results would prove that correct. The only other loss Steffensmeier has suffered this year was to New Hampton's Noah Fye at the Independence Invite at the beginning of December. Fye beat Steffensmeier on the front side of the bracket in a 6-0 decision, but Steffensmeier ran into Fye again for 3rd place and got the better of him in a 6-2 decision.

Wrestling at 138 lbs, Steffensmeier was bumped from the championship match by Triston Lara, the older brother of Cayd, in a major decision. This year with the move to 152 lbs, Steffensmeier said he feels his style of wrestling fits better at the heavier weight.

"I feel like every year I've had a chance to win state, but this year my style is really clicking and I've made a lot of improvements over the summer and during the season. I had to go back and re-evaluate my technique."

He said he credits his dad, his coaches, and Pablo Ubasa from Ubasa Wrestling Academy.

"Yeah, for sure my dad," he said. "I wasn't always wrestling. I didn't start until 3rd grade and that's as not young as it gets. My dad always brought me to wrestling meets and I just got a feel for it and love for it."

As the wins pile up and the state meet at Wells Fargo Arena set for Feb. 15-17 in Des Moines, Steffensmeier said he just keeps preparing and gearing up for each match.

"I just keep preparing. They're all tough guys and I have to treat every match the same and can't look over



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I always wrestle because I enjoy it, Everything else comes after that. If you go out there and wrestle and you love getting better, then you're going to get the scholarships and achievements.”

-Harlan Steffensmeier,
FMHS senior wrestler

anybody," he said. "You make it to state and everyone there is tough in their own way. I just go and prepare myself and get ready to fight."

This weekend's win over Stott's gave him his first

title ever at the Urbandale meet, and was the school's first Outstanding Wrestler award since Bryce Meyer in 2013. Steffensmeier said he was excited with the honor but humbly deflected, saying a lot of the wrestlers there could have earned the award.

"They usually consider the people that get first-place, so I knew I had a chance but I just didn't know," he said. "There were people who were more controlling in their matches and they pinned every guy and put up more points than I did. I guess they just liked the way I wrestled and saw I had a good tournament. But I was really excited and I can't remember if I've ever made it to the finals, but I know it was the first time I won the title."

He said with regards to the match with Stotts, he had to get to his game early.

He's a really really tough kid and I had to get to my stuff early," Steffensmeier said. "He scored a couple take downs and that's 100% on me. I have to go back and change up some things."

The two each had take downs and escapes in the first period for a 4-4 tie.

"He deferred to me in the second period and I chose bottom and got out and I got a point for that and it was 5-4. The third period he chose down and I was able to ride him through the period. I know if I get on top of someone I have the ability to put a hammer down on them. I feel like I've gained some comfort there but I can still wrestle in the other positions, too."

Steffensmeier revealed that he has committed to attend the U.S. Air Force Academy on a wrestling scholarship where he plans to wrestle for four years and then he'll have a five-year commitment to the Air Force. But in a move that seems to befit this young man, he said he would like to become a pilot and fly fighter jets, which would move his commitment to 10 years of military service.

"I always wrestle because I enjoy it. Everything else comes after that. If you go out there and wrestle and you love getting better then you're going to get the scholarships and achievements."

His commitment to the U.S. Air Force begins in June where he'll go through basic training prior to attending the academy.



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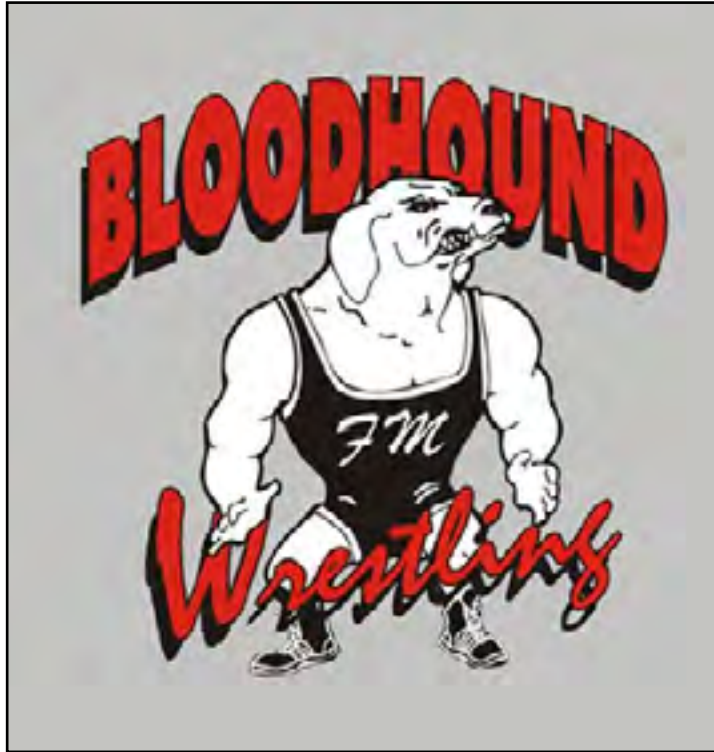
JV grapplers get three 1sts at L-M Invite

LETTS - The Fort Madison junior varsity wrestlers competed in the Louisa-Muscatine Invitational on Friday. Results for all FMHS wrestlers are listed below as posted by trackwrestling.com.

Junior Varsity 7: Logan Kearns (Fort Madison) - 4th Junior Varsity - Round 1 - Levi Boudewyn (Keokuk) over Logan Kearns (Fort Madison) (Dec 6-2) Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Wylie Jacobs (Louisa-Muscatine) over Logan Kearns (Fort Madison) (Dec 8-6) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Ty Griffin (Lone Tree) over Logan Kearns (Fort Madison) (Fall 0:44) Junior Varsity 8: Will Larson (Fort Madison) - 3rd Junior Varsity - Round 1 - Zavaan Mueller (Davenport Central) over Will Larson (Fort Madison) (Dec 6-1) Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Will Larson (Fort Madison) over Blake Metz (Fairfield) (Fall 2:26) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Corey Skinner (Keokuk) over Will Larson (Fort Madison) (Dec 6-2) Junior Varsity 12: Martin Vineyard (Fort Madison) - 2nd Junior Varsity - Round 1 - Drake Smith (West Burlington/Notre Dame/Danville) over Martin Vine-

yard (Fort Madison) (Dec 4-2) Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Martin Vineyard (Fort Madison) over Zack Glasscock (Keokuk) (SV-1 10-8) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Martin Vineyard (Fort Madison) over Chancey Miller (WACO) (MD 8-0) Junior Varsity 17: Gunther Johnson (Fort Madison) - 1st Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Gunther Johnson (Fort Madison) over Juanito Shoup (Keokuk) (Fall 1:02) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Gunther Johnson (Fort Madison) over Cooper Pullis (Mount Pleasant) (Fall 1:09) Junior Varsity 9: Bryce Britton (Fort Madison) - 4th Junior Varsity - Round 1 - Nickel Iseman (Fairfield) over Bryce Britton (Fort Madison) (Fall 0:26) Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Mitchell Tixel (West Burlington/Notre Dame/Danville) over Bryce Britton (Fort Madison) (Fall 1:12) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Zach Johnson (Davenport Central) over Bryce Britton (Fort Madison) (Dec 8-7) Junior Varsity 13: Austin Haas (Fort Madison) - 4th Junior Varsity - Round 1 - Callum Swanson (Davenport Central) over Austin Haas (Fort Madison) (SV-1 4-2) Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Cael Yeggy (Highland) over Austin Haas (Fort Madison) (Dec 4-0) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Chance Hocker (Fort Madison) over Aus-

tin Haas (Fort Madison) (Fall 3:38) Junior Varsity 13: Chance son (Davenport Central) (Fall 0:46) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Chance



Hocker (Fort Madison) - 1st Junior Varsity - Round 1 - Chance Hocker (Fort Madison) over Cael Yeggy (Highland) (Fall 2:58) Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Chance Hocker (Fort Madison) over Callum Swanson (Davenport Central) over Austin Haas (Fort Madison) (Fall 3:38) Junior Varsity 6: Quinton Ross (Fort Madison) - 1st Junior Varsity - Round 1 - Quinton Ross (Fort Madison) over Alex-

is Olguin (Highland) (MD 12-2) Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Quinton Ross (Fort Madison) over Tyler Hansen (Louisa-Muscatine) (MD 9-1) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Logan Adam (Fairfield) over Quinton Ross (Fort Madison) (Dec 5-1) Junior Varsity 14: Jarrett Settles (Fort Madison) - 2nd Junior Varsity - Round 1 - Tim Mills (Lone Tree) over Jarrett Settles (Fort Madison) (Dec 7-2) Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Jarrett Settles (Fort Madison) over Wyatt Baker (Fairfield) (Dec 6-1) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Jarrett Settles (Fort Madison) over Brock Schaedler (Highland) (Fall 0:13) Chance Decker (Fort Madison) - DNP Junior Varsity - Round 1 - Will Hotz (Lone Tree) over Chance Decker (Fort Madison) (Fall 1:33) Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Chance Decker (Fort Madison) over Alex Camero (Fairfield) (Dec 2-0) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Keaton Poe (Fort Madison) over Chance Decker (Fort Madison) (Dec 4-0) Owen Kruse (Fort Madison) - DNP Junior Varsity - Round 1 - Owen Kruse (Fort Madison) over Dalton Mitchell (Wapello) (Fall 1:41) Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Owen Kruse (Fort Madison) over Brecken Courtright (Fairfield) (Dec 6-0) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Bryce Thompson (Lone Tree) over Owen Kruse (Fort Madison) (Fall 2:00) Alex Lauber (Fort Madison) - DNP Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Alex Lauber (Fort Madison) over Aidan Pohren (Fairfield) (Fall 1:20) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Alex Lauber (Fort Madison) over Cole Jarrett (West Burlington/Notre Dame/Danville) (Inj. [time]) Keaton Poe (Fort Madison) - DNP Junior Varsity - Round 1 - Keaton Poe (Fort Madison) over Alex Camero (Fairfield) (Dec 4-0) Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Will Hotz (Lone Tree) over Keaton Poe (Fort Madison) (Dec 8-1) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Keaton Poe (Fort Madison) over Chance Decker (Fort Madison) (Dec 4-0) Mason Schau (Fort Madison) - DNP Junior Varsity - Round 1 - Mason Schau (Fort Madison) over Matthew Gillaspie (Louisa-Muscatine) (Dec 4-0) Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Mason Schau (Fort Madison) over Tommy Jones (Fairfield) (Fall 1:40) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Mason Schau (Fort Madison) over Hunter Mais (Wapello) (Fall 2:56) Courtney Six (Fort Madison) - DNP Junior Varsity - Round 1 - Courtney Six (Fort Madison) over Toby Oliver (Fairfield) (Fall 0:48) Junior Varsity - Round 2 - Aaron Slaughter (Lone Tree) over Courtney Six (Fort Madison) (Fall 1:08) Junior Varsity - Round 3 - Brody Angstead (Fairfield) over Courtney Six (Fort Madison) (Fall 1:55)

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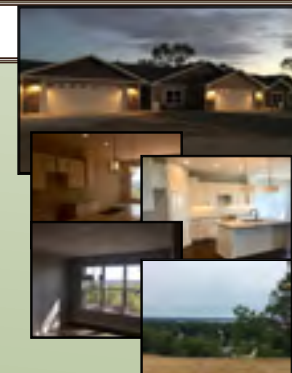
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Work ahead on long-term commonsense budget

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“Whether the government is open or closed, my number one priority is making sure the needs of Iowans continue to be met. That is why my offices will remain open one hour later, until 6:00pm CST, through the end of the week to accommodate any additional needs

Iowans may have. Iowans need and deserve assistance dealing with federal agencies and working families will have my support.

“Now the work begins on coming to an agreement on a long-term, commonsense budget. Our nation cannot afford to continue kicking the can down the road. Over the past fiscal year, the government has been funded by a series of

short-term budget plans, a process Defense Secretary Mattis said does more harm to our military readiness than “any enemy in the field.” As a military parent, I stand ready to continue working with anyone on a long-term solution instead of pursuing partisan, short-term funding plans that puts our men and women in uniform at risk.”

For the Record

01/20/18 - 2:45 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Jerry Dean Bessine, 62, of Fort Madison in the 2100 block of Hwy 61 on a charges of OWI and failure to maintain control. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and release on personal recognizance.
01/21/18 - 5:45 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Adam James Huss, 29, of Fort Madison at the

intersection of 280th Street and Hwy 218 on a warrant for failure to appear. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and released on bond.
01/21/18 - 11:21 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Tyler Keith Jennings, 30, of Fort Madison, in Des Moines County, on warrants for 3rd degree burglary, 2nd degree criminal mischief, and 3rd degree vehicular

burglary. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and held.
01/22/18 - 12:53 a.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Thomas Niles Pruitt, Jr., 41, of Burlington at the Des Moines County Jail on a judgement warrant. He was held in custody. Those listed above are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.



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