

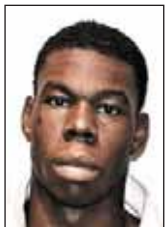


Inmates key in police-death trial

5 men jailed with defendant may testify he bragged of killing

BY MEGAN CREPEAU
Chicago Tribune

Nearly eight years ago, prosecutors say, Anton Carter sat behind bars and bragged to just about anyone who would listen about killing a Chicago police officer in broad daylight.



Carter

One inmate, a jailhouse barber, said Carter boasted during a haircut that he came upon Officer Michael Bailey and “had to put a cap in him.” A former cellmate told authorities that Carter outlined the crime in detail, including his plans to hide the murder weapon.

Carter even talked in a courthouse lockup about killing a cop, another inmate said.

When Carter, now 31, stands trial this week for Bailey’s killing, the prosecution case is likely to rely heavily on testimony from those informants, even though experts warn such witnesses are notoriously unreliable.

The off-duty Bailey, 62, was gunned down outside his South Side home in July 2010, while still in uniform just hours after finish-

ing an overnight shift on then-Mayor Richard M. Daley’s security detail. He was washing his Buick Regal, an early retirement gift to himself, when prosecutors say Carter attempted to rob him of the car, sparking a shootout in which Bailey emptied his gun but was shot three times. His son found him motionless next to a bottle of glass cleaner.

Bailey was among five Chicago police officers killed in 2010, one of the department’s deadliest

years in decades. Cook County prosecutors won convictions in the four other slayings as Carter’s case made its way through the system at a glacial pace even for the Leighton Criminal Court Building, the county’s main criminal court.

Among the reasons for the extraordinary, nearly eight-year delay is that prosecutors chose to first go on trial on a separate

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Impact of R&B doc still unclear

After ‘Surviving’ series, will fans renounce R. Kelly for good?

BY MORGAN GREENE
Chicago Tribune

The fallout from “Surviving R. Kelly” was immediate and the backlash unmistakable. In the wake of the six-hour Lifetime documentary series, the after-shocks keep coming.

Millions of people tuned in to the marathon viewing experience that tracked decades of abuse allegations against the “Pied Piper of R & B.”

Now, a new generation is grappling with Kelly’s legacy for the first time, and alleged victims and their parents who were interviewed in the documentary tell the Tribune about their ongoing quest for justice. Chicagoans, along with outsiders keeping an eye on how the city reacts to its fallen hometown star, are waiting to see if this time fans renounce Kelly for good.

There are still supporters of Kelly — cars pulled up at a recent rally blasting Kelly’s music and Erykah Badu sent up a “prayer” for the artist at a Chicago concert — but many who have watched Kelly’s saga unfold say this moment isn’t like previous tides.

“The difference is that if you now support R. Kelly, you can’t do so ignorantly, and you can’t do so naively,” said Salamishah Tillet, a co-founder of A Long Walk Home, a Chicago nonprofit that helped with counseling services on the Lifetime series and is focused on using art to end violence against women and girls. “It’s almost like this box has been opened up, and there’s

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Mulvaney: Trump will secure border with Mexico

President Donald Trump will secure the border with Mexico “with or without Congress,” acting White House chief of staff Mick Mulvaney said Sunday. Mulvaney also said another partial shutdown is possible. **Nation & World**, Page 9

Sox fielder knows how to fire up fans: Bash North Siders

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— Jennifer Francis, senior research scientist with Woods Hole Research Center in Massachusetts



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The lakefront near Monroe Harbor in Chicago attracts at least one visitor undaunted by the bitterly cold temperatures Sunday.

Coming polar vortex could shatter record for cold: -27

BY TONY BRISCOE
Chicago Tribune

One of the coldest air masses in years will envelop the Midwest and the Northeast this week, bringing potentially life-threatening cold to the Chicago area that will feel even harsher in tandem with strong winds.

In Chicago, the lowest temperatures of the year will arrive mid-week. After a high around 34 degrees on Monday at O’Hare International Airport, temperatures will drop to near zero before the end of the day, according to the National Weather Service. By Tuesday night, temperatures are expected to take another plunge, to 23 below zero, flirting with Chicago’s

coldest temperature ever: minus 27 on Jan. 20, 1985.

Temperatures are forecast to inch up to a daytime high of about minus 14 on Wednesday — the first subzero high temperature in five years and the coldest winter high ever recorded in Chicago — before dipping, again, to about minus 21 overnight. The coldest daytime high in Chicago was minus 11 on Christmas Eve 1983.

For younger Chicagoans, the burst of Arctic air set to overtake the city this week could be one of the coldest days of their lives. For Generation Z, this week’s predicted low temperatures have only two rivals: minus 16 on Jan. 6, 2014, and minus 19 on Feb. 3, 1996.

The lows Tuesday and Wednes-

day could break records set in 1966. They’ll also feel much worse with wind gusts up to 30 mph, which will make it feel as low as negative 50 degrees, according to the weather service.

But there could be as much as a 30-degree disparity from the north to the south end of the state, while lakefront communities could get a small reprieve, said Brian Kerschner, a spokesman for the Illinois State Climatologist Office. But that largely depends on how much ice cover there is on Lake Michigan.

The wintry onslaught will be driven by the Northern Hemisphere’s polar vortex, the pocket of cold air sitting atop the North Pole.

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Tom Skilling’s forecast

Monday
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Low 1



Tuesday
High 3
Low -22



Wednesday
High -12
Low -20



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‘L’ plan raises hopes for revitalization of park

Polish Triangle near renovation-targeted station



MARY WISNIEWSKI
Getting Around

The CTA plans to start a \$30 million renovation of three Blue Line “L” stations in West Town this year, and neighborhood advocates hope the project will spur new interest in ongoing efforts to revitalize the Polish Triangle, a small park at the Division Street stop.

The transit agency’s overall project will bring big improvements to the dismal, 68-year-old Grand, Chicago and Division stations, with upgrades to entrances and platforms, new

escalators and lighting, and repairs to the floors and tile walls. But once transit riders climb the stairs at the Division stop, they will step into a gray, pigeony place, with little seating or reason to linger.

Residents of the now-prosperous area have talked for decades about ways to beautify the Polish Triangle, once the center of Chicago’s large Polish immigrant community. One group — the Polish Triangle Coalition — got a neighboring architecture firm to draw up ambitious plans to add greenery, sculpture and other amenities.

But executing the plans could cost millions of dollars and right now, there’s no public or private money for big changes. Advocates hope that the city and/or private donors could give the spot some love, now that the



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Once CTA riders emerge from the Blue Line’s Division station, they step into a gray, pigeony place, with little seating or reason to linger.

CTA is renovating the station. “No one is paying attention to it,” said Polish-born architect Anna Bugaj, whose firm voluntarily offered the Coalition plans for a new Triangle. She said that the area could be a gathering place, given its proximity to transit, restaurants and entertainment. “It’s abandoned. It’s

forgotten. The birds are actually enjoying it.”

The main feature of the Polish Triangle is a Victorian-style, black iron fountain named for novelist Nelson Algren, who wrote about the Polish-American underclass. About a dozen

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The shutdown proved our country is dysfunctional. It weakened us as a whole and made us more vulnerable.



ABEL URIBE/CHICAGO TRIBUNE

A rally at Chicago's Federal Plaza this month demands an end to the partial government shutdown.

The shutdown is over for now. But everyone lost in the process.



DAHLEEN GLANTON

In the end, everyone involved in bolstering the longest government shutdown in U.S. history lost.

Regardless of which side claimed victory for the short-term accord reached Friday, the entire episode boiled down to a futile exercise in one-upmanship, a petty power struggle between opposing ideologies that held our nation hostage for 35 days.

Though a temporary agreement will reopen the government for three weeks, the battle over border funding is far from over. If no permanent agreement is reached in the interim, our democracy likely will again be held for ransom.

We all heard President Donald Trump make the threat in the Rose Garden. If he doesn't get \$5.7 billion for his border wall, he'll shut the government down next month. He indicated that he might go so far as to declare a national emergency if Democrats refuse to give in to his demands.

Regardless of how it plays out in Washington, when all is said and done,

the American people will be held liable for this mess.

Most of us understand this ongoing war between Trump and Democrats is about more than a barrier of steel bollards or whether it should be called a wall or a fence. It is a test of who we are as Americans.

Trump is determined to push forward the separatist agenda that moved his ultraconservative base to form an impenetrable cocoon around him. U.S. House Speaker Nancy Pelosi is following the orders of liberal supporters who entrusted Democrats to stop him at any cost.

With Trump at the helm, this is who we have become as a nation — two sides so bitterly opposed that we are willing to sacrifice the values on which our country was founded in order to get what we want. But is that who we want to be?

We look to our elected officials to figure out solutions. But in this divisive political climate, they cannot. Or they will not. Because we will not allow it.

As they battle it out in Washington, we egg them on from the sidelines, insisting that concession must never be an option. And when we finally come up for air, we are as bloody and damaged as they are, yet we push them back into

the ring.

It is easy to place all the blame on Trump or Pelosi, depending on whose team we support. But it's us — the American people — calling the shots in this bitter ideological war. The Constitution granted us that power. And we are the only ones who can call a truce.

In the upcoming weeks, as the political wrangling continues in Washington, we must ask ourselves some serious questions. How far are we willing to stretch the limits of our democracy before we have to worry about causing permanent damage? How much longer must we yell for our team to beat the other to a pulp before we realize that the fight can only end in a draw? And when will we recognize that the enemy is not the opposing view but rather our inability to seek middle ground?

At this point, most of us simply want to see normalcy again. For many, that means a return to days when we trusted that our government was working for our best interests, though we might not have agreed with every decision. For some it means standing against whatever Trump stands for, even when it brings our government to a halt. For others, it means

standing with the president, even when he causes great harm.

But for all of us, it means being able to declare ourselves the winner while deeming the other side the loser.

During the partial government shutdown, we closed our eyes to the damage being heaped upon our government. We were OK with looking away while federal employees worked without pay, flocked to food pantries and took second jobs to make ends meet. We were all too willing to render our government ineffective and put our nation's prosperity in jeopardy — if that's what it took for us to emerge as victors. In the end, all of us paid the price.

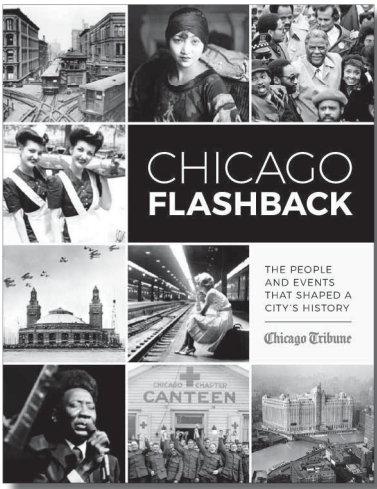
The shutdown proved our country is dysfunctional. It weakened us as a whole and made us more vulnerable.

It was a competition that only served to make us angrier with one another and less willing to reach out to one side to join the other.

Most of all, it made a mockery of our system of government. And when it was over, everyone in America ended up on the losing side.

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SEEKING TO SAVE SUNDAY MASS

Dick Barry rolls up a petition to Cardinal Blase Cupich about a decision to end Sunday Mass at Holy Family Church as part of a merger.

Polar vortex may set record

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When temperatures rise in the Arctic, the polar jet stream — the torrent of westerly winds that hold the polar vortex in place — can weaken and dip into parts of North America.

“Occasionally this ring of winds deforms or even splits, which allows the cold air to spill southward over mid latitudes — this is exactly what’s happening now,” said Jennifer Francis, a senior research scientist with Woods Hole Research Center in Massachusetts, in an email. “It just so happens that the lobe of cold air is located over central North America, with Chicago in the crosshairs.”

A destabilized polar vortex typically splits over Canada and Russia, and has the potential to move farther south. As the cold front bore down on northern Minnesota Sunday morning, the border city of International Falls set a record low of minus 44 degrees, shattering the previous record by 8 degrees.

“What this does is allow the coldest Arctic Canadian air to move over the Great Lakes region, bringing an active storm track, prolonged periods of well-below-average and subzero temperatures to Illinois and the Midwest,” said Brian Kerschner, a spokesman for the Illinois State Climatologist Office.

This is the same weather phenomenon that made the winters of 2013-14 and 2014-15 remarkably cold. And scientists say winters like these could become more common in the future due to climate change.

The Arctic is warming twice as fast compared with the rest of the planet, partly because there’s less ice cover, Francis said. Instead of ice reflecting sunlight away, the water is absorbing this heat.

A growing body of evidence suggests another warming trend in the Pacific Ocean is believed to be causing the jet stream that confines the polar vortex to warp further, with warm air penetrating near the Pacific Northwest and a lobe of cold air sinking into the Midwest and Northeast.

“The stronger ridge does two things: It pumps cold air into central North America, which deepens the downstream trough, and it also becomes more persistent because larger jet stream waves move more slowly than small ones,” Francis said. “This is partly why this jet stream pattern tends to be long-lived once it sets up.”

The winter of 2013-14, which ranked as the third-coldest on record, had 23 days with subzero lows. The average temperature was 18.8 degrees. It was this winter when the term “polar vortex” rose to prominence and local weather service meteorologist Ricky Castro coined the term



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Kathy Bakutis and dog Chen walk Friday on the Centennial Trail along the Des Plaines River in Romeoville.

North to see greatest snowfall Monday

By KATHERINE ROSENBERG-DOUGLAS
Chicago Tribune

More than with many snowstorms Chicagoans have endured in recent history, where you live will greatly impact how much snow you arise to Monday morning, forecasters said.

“Fifty miles in any direction is the difference between 1 to 3 inches to 6 to 10 inches of snow with this storm,” said Brett Edwards, an AccuWeather meteorologist.

He added it doesn’t mean there are many places in the region that will be entirely unaffected.

“We’re going to have a decent snowfall expected for most of the Chicagoland area,” Edwards said.

Snow is expected to begin falling about 10 p.m. Sunday. About midnight, a heavy band of snow is expected to start dropping flakes as quickly as 2 inches per hour, Edwards said.

That heavy band will stay in the area until about 4 a.m., he said, and the majority of snow from this event is expected to hit Chicago in that time. It will cross into northwest Indiana later and that band will be out of the area between 6 a.m. and 7 a.m., Edwards said.

The snow will continue falling throughout the area until about noon Monday, but at a much slower pace. From 4 a.m. to noon, only another 1 to 2 inches are expected to fall, Edwards said, noting again that it depends on geography.

So where is the heaviest snow going to fall?

Wisconsin should get totals closer to the 10-inch mark, with the amount tapering off as you go farther south, he said.

Counties such as McHenry, which shares its northern border with the Wisconsin state line, likely will be among the hardest hit in Illinois. There, Edwards said, residents can look for total snowfall in the range of 4 to 8 inches.

O’Hare International Airport and downtown can expect 3 to 6 inches. The city’s South Side may get only 1 to 3 inches from the first band of heavy snow and 2 to 4 inches of total accumulation, Edwards said.

Northwest Indiana, in the Merrillville area, should expect about 1 to 3 inches of snow, with 2- to 4-inch snowfall just to the north. Early risers in that area can expect to see the tail end of the heavier band of snow, he said.

Temperatures should be relatively warm Monday, with a high of 34 degrees. But that doesn’t mean the snow will melt away.

“Temps are going to crash right behind it, so in terms of melting, I wouldn’t expect much, if any, to occur,” Edwards said.

Although it will be warm enough to rain, Edwards said, forecasters expect only snow, not a wintry mix of rain and snow.

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Ruling favors church in battle

Attorney says federal appeals court bolsters case against Markham

By MIKE NOLAN
Daily Southtown

A federal appeals court ruling bolsters the case of a small Markham church that has been battling that city in its efforts to keep operating, an attorney for the church said.

Markham officials have separately, in Cook County Circuit Court, been seeking an injunction to stop Church of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ from holding services in a converted home, but a ruling on that injunction has been delayed while a separate case concerning the church is being heard in federal court.

In its Jan. 17 decision, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 7th Circuit reversed a federal judge’s ruling that had favored the city and sent the case back to federal court for reconsideration.

An attorney representing Markham did not immediately respond Friday to a request for comment.

The church has operated from a home at 16018 Spaulding Ave. for more than 15 years, and has about 25 to 30 members, according to Noel Sterett, an attorney for the church. Markham filed suit in circuit court in November 2012 seeking an injunction to stop the church from holding worship services.

The church was initially denied a permit by the city to operate, then later granted a conditional permit, Sterett said. The church filed a lawsuit in federal court in the summer of 2013, alleging among other things that Markham’s zoning code unfairly treats religious and non-religious uses differently.

Reginald McCracken, the church’s pastor, had bought the home in 1985 as a personal residence, and the congregation began holding worship services there in 2003, according to the appeals court.

The pastor later bought another house near the church property, and also owns two adjacent properties where church members park for worship services, Sterett said.

Adequate parking for parishioners was among the issues Markham had raised in seeking to deny the church permission to hold services.

While the church has been able to continue holding services while the court cases continue, the uncertainty has “hurt the congregation” and made it difficult for it to build its base of parishioners, Sterett said.

The dispute mirrors obstacles that had been faced by another church, Original Bible Church, which had to go to court and was ultimately successful.

The church was twice denied permission by Markham to hold services in a building at 3509 W. 159th St., which the church had bought and was rehabbing to hold worship services.

In that case and the current Church of Our Lord case, it was alleged that Markham had violated the federal Religious Land Use & Institutionalized Persons Act, which requires municipalities to treat religious assemblies on equal terms with nonreligious assemblies, such as movie theaters.

The federal judge who earlier heard the Church of Our Lord case didn’t specifically address that, and it is one of the issues that would be decided when the matter is assigned to a judge for reconsideration, Sterett said.

“Does the church have the right to be at that property?” he said of a key issue to be addressed.

The appeals court took the unusual step of requiring that the judge who originally considered the case not be assigned to hear it this time, the lawyer said.

In the new review of the case, a judge would also be asked to consider whether the church should receive monetary damages, Sterett said.

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Man arrested in trooper's death

Kenosha resident set to return to Illinois in connection with Interstate 294 crash

BY KATHERINE ROSENBERG-DOUGLAS
Chicago Tribune

A Kenosha man arrested in Wisconsin on an Illinois warrant was being held in connection with the traffic collision-related death of Illinois State Trooper Chris Lambert, officials said.

Lambert, 34, an Ohio native who had been living in Highland Park, was on his way home about 5 p.m. on Jan. 12 when he stopped to help with a crash involving multiple cars on the northbound lanes of I-294 near Willow Road. He had positioned his car in the left lane to help protect the stopped motorists from oncoming northbound traffic, when he was hit and killed, said Leo Schmitz, director of Illinois State Police.

The Illinois State Police said the driver of the vehicle that killed Lambert stopped and cooperated fully with the investigation. On Thursday, Scott Larsen,

61, was booked into the Kenosha County Jail on an extradition warrant, according to online records. He spent less than 24 hours in that facility and was released Friday, records show.

"ISP can confirm Larsen was arrested in Kenosha, Wisconsin, on a warrant in relation to Trooper Christopher Lambert's death. He is scheduled (to) turn himself over to ISP custody early next week," agency spokesman Lt. Joseph Hutchins wrote in an email to the Tribune.

Hutchins wasn't able to say more about the case, including what penal code was on the arrest warrant.

In an email unrelated to Larsen's case, a different agency spokesman, Ryan Cape, wrote about Scott's Law as it pertained to a different arrest for the injury of a different state trooper.

"The ISP would like to remind the public of Scott's



A procession honoring trooper Christopher Lambert arrives Jan. 13 at Cook County Medical Examiner's office.

Law, which requires vehicles to slow down, move over, and change lanes if possible, when they are approaching an emergency vehicle, or any vehicle with its hazard lights activated," Cape wrote.

Lambert is survived by

his wife, Halley, and their 14-month-old daughter, Delaney. His funeral was held Jan. 18, when hundreds of mourners packed the chapel at Willow Creek Community Church in South Barrington.

Lambert, a native of Day-

ton, Ohio, was an Army veteran who served in Iraq and Haiti. He had been with the Illinois State Police since 2013 and worked in the criminal patrol division.

He was also a member of the Lake County Metropolitan Enforcement



A Wisconsin man was arrested in connection with the death of Chris Lambert, left.

Group, a task force of officers from various departments who focus on illicit drugs, gangs and weapons. The work includes conducting house raids and drug seizures.

Guillermo Tello served as Lambert's platoon sergeant during a 15-month deployment to Iraq.

"He was dedicated to what he did while he was in the Army," Tello said. "He's gonna be missed. He was one of my soldiers. And I know all the guys that served with him. It was a shock to everybody."

"He was selfless," Tello said. "He was there for the people. Not only for himself, but he was there for the community and the country, and he will be missed."

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Chicago police investigate after Officer Michael Bailey was fatally shot as he washed his car in front of his home in 2010.

Inmates key in trial of man in officer's death

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carjacking charge against Carter.

Judge Stanley Sacks, who is presiding over the case, has delayed ruling until just days before trial on several key motions, including one defense request that has been pending for more than two years.

Little physical evidence links Carter to the killing. Prosecutors plan to play for jurors parts of Carter's video-recorded interview with detectives that the Chicago Tribune obtained and featured in a front-page story in 2016. They also want to admit letters into evidence in which Carter purportedly referred to the slaying as well as present evidence of the similar carjacking — for which Carter was convicted — around the same time and location as Bailey's killing.

But the jailhouse informants promise to provide some of the most compelling, and controversial, testimony. Prosecutors want jurors to hear from as many as five men, three still in custody, who served time with Carter.

Carter, whose first name is also spelled Antwon in court records, was sent to prison on a parole violation about two months after Bailey's shooting. He was not charged with the officer's killing until July 2011 after the inmates came forward, helping prosecutors to bring charges.

Last week, three of the informants took the witness stand in Sacks' courtroom, testifying in what is believed to be Cook County's first hearing under a new Illinois law that took effect Jan. 1 and is meant to assess the reliability of such testimony.

"In the old days, we'd call this a snitch basically," Sacks noted at one point during the hearing.

On Thursday, Sacks, seemingly caught off guard by the media interest in a cop killing, suddenly announced sweeping secrecy measures — unusually late with the trial just days away. He "gagged" lawyers from

talking about the case, sealed the entire court file from public view and ordered that his last-minute rulings on pretrial motions be kept secret.

That means that even though Sacks heard the informants' testimony in open court, his decision on whether they can testify wouldn't be publicly revealed — presumably until they did or did not take the stand at trial.

Lawyers for the Tribune challenged the legal basis for the judge's move and plan to appear in Sacks' courtroom Monday morning.

In the meantime, the testimony last week of three of the jailhouse informants provides a preview of the narrative that prosecutors hope to lay out for jurors.

Brian DeBlasio, who worked as a barber in Cook County Jail while awaiting trial on a residential burglary charge, said Carter bragged about killing Bailey while DeBlasio cut his hair in the jail's maximum-security Division 9.

Carter told him he had gotten rid of the murder weapon and was confident police had nothing on him, DeBlasio said.

"I would describe it like (he was) flamboyant, cocky about it," testified DeBlasio, now serving 26 years in state prison for the burglary conviction. "Kind of thug-ish."

A couple of days later, DeBlasio said, he wrote a letter to then-State's Attorney Anita Alvarez about what he claimed to hear. He testified he decided to speak up because his brother had been slain and he felt sorry for Bailey's family.

Another inmate, Adam Rivera, now serving an 18-year sentence in state prison for aggravated vehicular hijacking, testified Carter told him about the killing as the two spoke in a lockup at the courthouse in suburban Bridgeview.

Both inmates denied testifying in return for any promises by law enforce-

ment.

However, the third inmate, Isiah Johnson, now serving 21 years in state prison for aggravated battery with a firearm, recanted his previous testimony before a grand jury and alleged that detectives had offered him a substantial amount of money to cooperate against Carter.

At the hearing, prosecutors confronted Johnson with his grand jury testimony — a tactic they could again use at Carter's trial. In that testimony, he claimed that Carter confessed to him in 2011 when both were cellmates at Stateville Correctional Center, saying he had been armed and on the hunt for robbery victims when he came across a cop with a "brand new whip" — street slang for his car — and ended up shooting the officer.

On the stand Wednesday, though, Johnson said he couldn't remember anything substantial about his grand jury testimony or a signed handwritten statement.

On cross-examination by Carter's lawyer, Johnson said he wrote a letter about a week after his interview with detectives in which he said that police promised him money to talk about "some carjacking."

Karen Daniel, director of the Center on Wrongful Convictions at the Bluhm Legal Clinic at Northwestern University's Pritzker School of Law, said so-called "snitch" testimony can be extremely unreliable. Witnesses in custody have a strong incentive to tell prosecutors what they want to hear, she said.

Even if authorities do not explicitly offer promises, Daniel said, they can make their intentions clear with a wink and a nod — or witnesses may play along simply out of hope.

"The value of what an informant witness is getting is usually incalculable: years off your sentence, favorable

treatment, things that are worth a lot more than money," she said. "Some people will be willing to lie for that."

At the same time, jurors tend to find such testimony believable, Daniel said, and jailhouse informants play a role in many convictions that are thrown out years later.

"It's a person telling the jury that the defendant who's on trial confessed basically," she said. "There's a perception that, well you know, the defendant said this to somebody else ... kind of outside the police system, and makes it even more reliable because you know he's telling this to an intimate friend."

Daniel called the five jailhouse informants whom the prosecution hopes to call against Carter an unusually large number, adding it could signal an overall weakness in its case.

While little physical evidence ties him to the killing, Carter told detectives he was a "stickup man" in his video-recorded statement and admitted catching the "old man ... off guard" with his new car on the day of Bailey's killing. But he stopped short of a full confession and refused to answer if he knew Bailey was a cop.

"Just a regular person washing their car," Carter said.

Prosecutors also plan to show jurors parts of letters purportedly written by Carter in which he alludes to the slaying. Police seized the letters in a raid in June 2011 of a house that Carter often stayed in.

In a flurry of last-minute activity before trial, Sacks heard arguments last week about barring portions of those letters from the jury. Carter's attorneys also asked the judge to bar prosecutors from showing jurors parts of the videotaped statement — a request that had been pending for 2 1/2 years. Sacks said Friday he would watch the video that afternoon.

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Civics test is under scrutiny

Critics: Exam doesn't guarantee Indiana students obtain needed knowledge

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Alarmed by a perceived lack of knowledge by teens, an Indiana state lawmaker wants to require them to take a civics test to graduate high school, a position some educators and a national group view with reservations.

Sen. Dennis Kruse, R-Auburn, said via phone on Thursday that he was inspired by a civics education initiative started by former Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor.

"I think it's in the lack of basic education in our schools," he said. "We've got a generation of people who don't know where we came from."

Questions would be based off the citizenship test by the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services. That test covers the basics for new immigrants who must correctly answer six of 10 questions.

The agency posts a study guide online with 100 questions that includes naming one branch of government, one of the nation's biggest rivers and a state bordering Canada.

Students in public, private, charter schools could take it multiple times over five years — from eighth-grade to senior year, he said. The pass rate would be 60 percent. "The bar's not too high," Kruse said.

The bill passed the Senate on Thursday and now heads to the House. If signed into law, it would start in the 2020-21 school year.

Seeing that trend across several state legislatures, a national social studies advocacy group has opposed it - saying a one-time test cannot ensure that students will have the tools to become active and informed citizens.

The citizenship test "was not designed to measure civic literacy and learning," according to a March 2018 memo from Maryland-based National Council for the Social Studies (NCSS).

The questions were too easy and memorized answers would soon be forgotten, it said.

Students should learn by doing — with teachers fostering active discussions, highlighting opposite viewpoints and encouraging them to actively learn how government works, it said.

Kruse dismissed the argument against the test, saying memorization worked fine in prior generations.

"I like critical thinking and all that," Kruse said. "Something is not connecting, the kids, they are

not connecting and retaining" the information.

Since 2017, Indiana high school students have been required to take one year of U.S. History and one semester of U.S. government.

'Jumping to conclusions'

Since the Donald Trump presidency began two years ago, Hanover Central High School teacher Chris Cantoni has noticed more resistance in class to considering opposite points of view.

"My main thing is, I want them to be open-minded citizens, listening to both sides without jumping to conclusions," he said. "In the environment we live in today, I feel like that's kinda lost."

For students who are paying attention, media sources like CNN are being labeled as "fake news." Or others quickly conclude an action by Trump is racist, he said.

Cantoni was "50/50" on the idea of requiring a civics test. While he applauded the idea of making sure students had the knowledge, it would likely just encourage them to learn it as a one-off to pass the test. "To an extent, they would do what they have to do," he said.

Other teachers also expressed reservations.

"On paper, it's a great idea for students to at least have the same knowledge as someone who wants to be a citizen," Hebron High School teacher Scott Eriks said via email.

"Students are already tested over these ideas," he said. "I already believe as do some of my colleagues, that students are tested enough."

Building blocks of civics

The building blocks of a good civics education should promote an active understanding of how the pieces fit in political life and the best way to participate, according to NCSS.

That should include:

- Critical thinking and using primary source talking about current events and controversial issues, meaningful community service, trips to see government meetings; getting involved in mock trials/student groups-student government-mock elections.
- Other suggestions: news media literacy (judging fact from fiction online), building empathy and addressing inequitable school climates, such as dealing with unequal suspension rates or resources, it said.

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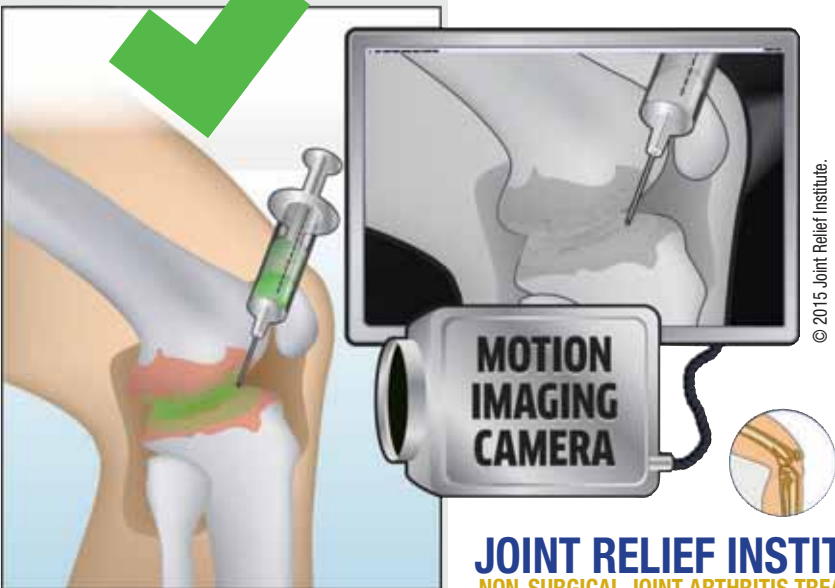
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Will R. Kelly fans renounce him now?

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just more and more people who are finding their voice in this collective.”

Tillet's sister Scheherazade, who is also a co-founder of A Long Walk Home and a driving force behind the emergence of the #MuteRKelly movement in Chicago, said the documentary was able to reach a massive audience because of executive producer Dream Hampton's mix of art and activism.

“Some people had these experiences, but the #MeToo movement didn't connect to them yet,” said Tillet. “It's like you're surviving it with them.”

Tillet said the response to the documentary reminds her of the backlash that has followed the release of videos depicting police brutality. “There's something very real about that element that doesn't allow you to turn your back in the same way,” she said.

In 2002, Cook County prosecutors indicted Kelly on child pornography charges, alleging he filmed himself having sex with a girl estimated to be as young as 13, but a jury acquitted him of all charges in 2008.

Kelly has long denied all allegations of sexual abuse and running a “sex cult” — and for decades, his career has carried on as usual.

Then, on Jan. 3, the first episode of the documentary aired, and local reaction was swift.

In the following days, Cook County State's Attorney Kim Foxx called on accusers to come forward. Chance the Rapper apologized for collaborating with Kelly and protesters gathered outside Kelly's Chicago studio. Police were called to Kelly's Trump Tower residence, building inspectors were allowed to inspect his studio and a Springfield concert was halted.

Kelly's attorney Steve Greenberg said it's been an overreaction.

“I finally got around to watching it, and it just seemed like episode after episode of the same sort of rehashed interviews spliced differently,” Greenberg said. “All these allegations that people have made and the allegations the parents are making now, they've all been investigated and dismissed.”

‘I looked at him like a hero’

Salamishah Tillet said there's a “pre- and post-documentary generation.”

“And so what does it mean for young people in Chicago to now listen to R. Kelly?” she asked.

At a recent rally outside Kelly's Near West Side studio, Tebitha Kulikowska, 26, of the Belmont Cragin neighborhood, held a sign that said “ ‘Age ain't nothing but a number’ WELL jail ain't nothing but a room.”

When Kelly went to court, Kulikowska said, she was too young to understand the situation. But the documentary provided a timeline and opened her eyes to the magnitude of the allegations. “The accessibility is the biggest thing,” said Kulikowska. “Because more people can see it, you become interested.”

It also meant more people were exposed to his music. Streaming numbers for R. Kelly reportedly almost doubled after the documentary, according to Nielsen Music. Kelly's music streamed 870,316 times on Jan. 2, the day before the series premiere, Nielsen said, and streamed nearly 1.73 million times after the last episode aired Jan. 6.

But many young people who grew up with Kelly's music — lip-syncing to “Ignition” at homecoming or celebrating a graduation with “I Believe I Can Fly” and “The World's Greatest” — are turning their backs.

Ally Bridges, 16, a participant in the theater program at Nicholas Senn High School, attended an earlier protest outside Kelly's studio.

“I'm not going to lie to you, I was a huge R. Kelly fan,” said Bridges. “And I used to really, really, really love his music. And I'm in the Chicago Children's Choir so he was an inspiration for me. I looked at him as a hero.”

Bridges said when she heard about the allegations growing up, she didn't take them seriously.

“With my family, a lot of people weren't really talking about it, or talking about their experiences with R. Kelly,” said Bridges, noting that members of her family had talked to the singer at events when he was coming up in Chicago's music scene.

But after watching the documentary with her mom and dad, something shifted. Bridges couldn't shake the moment in the series when Asante McGee revisits the empty Georgia home where she alleges she was abused by Kelly.

“It was hurtful, and no one's even in there,” Bridges said.

Bridges started an Instagram account to protest Kelly and uplift victims of domestic violence. She said she plans to let fellow students know about any upcoming protests and hopes to persuade those who are still apathetic to take a stand.

Bridges said she doesn't plan to listen to Kelly's music again: “Somebody we listen to almost every single day, for every event that we had,” she said. “We don't want to listen to him anymore.”

Allison's mom, Glenda Bridges, 55, of Austin, was a self-described “pretty big fan” of Kelly's. When he was acquitted, she gave the man who she thought was a brilliant musician the benefit of the doubt.

“You don't know what's going on in people's lives,” said Glenda Bridges. “He was proven not guilty, so I continued to listen.”

She said it was her daughter's idea to watch the Lifetime documentary. “And I was like, OK, we'll sit down and watch it because here's a chance to hear more.

“It was actually kind of traumatic to hear all of this stuff,” she said. “And the fact that it's so many different women basically



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Ally Bridges, 16, shown with mom Glenda outside Chicago's Senn High School, started an Instagram account to protest R. Kelly.



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Kelly's Chicago studio attracted protests and city inspectors' attention after the first episode of the Lifetime documentary aired.

saying the same type of thing, that's what made me say, ‘OK, yeah, enough is enough of this. All these different people are not just out to get him.’”

Bridges said she was glad her family had the viewing experience together, so she could field questions from her daughter — who's interested in music and acting — about why the women might stay in Kelly's orbit or why parents might let them go.

“No more R. Kelly,” said Glenda Bridges. “It's time to just stop. You have to put an end to it and let him know he needs to get help. People have to stand ground for these young women that have gone through this turmoil and tragedy.”

‘The ball is in law enforcement's hands’

Angelo Clary, a Florida father featured in the documentary, is still trying to make contact with his daughter Azriel, who he alleges has been part of Kelly's “cult” for the past three years.

“The awareness has been greatly needed,” said Clary. “It gave voice to people that have been holding this inside for the last 20 years.”

But there were aspects of his daughter's life that weren't presented in the documentary that drew the aspiring singer into Kelly's world, Clary said. He has previously accused a woman in Kelly's camp of misrepresenting herself in initial meetings.

“It's actually quite humiliating,” said Clary, about comments the family has received criticizing their role in connecting their daughter with Kelly.

In May, the Clarys flew to Chicago from their Florida home after receiving a report that their daughter was at Kelly's Near West Side studio, the Chicago location at the center of 2017 reporting by Jim DeRogatis on Kelly's “sex cult.” Once there, Clary said, police threatened to arrest them and appeared to be friendly with the bodyguards.

The Chicago Police Department said there was no record of reports or in-car camera footage of the incident and denied a Tribune request for body camera video.

Last week, Kelly's recording studio was found to have more than 60 code violations, including an illegal steam room and sauna, according to an amended complaint filed by the city, and a judge has ordered the second-floor living quarters to be shut down.

Clary said he is not deterred, and he and his wife plan to travel to Chicago again to protest.

“I will travel anywhere. If they tell me my daughter is in Hong Kong, I'll be there.”

Gerald Griggs, an Atlanta-based lawyer who represents Timothy and Jonjelyn Savage, who have repeatedly accused Kelly of keeping their daughter Joycelyn from contacting them, said he hopes the docu-

mentary will lead to the family reconnecting and justice being served.

Griggs said he's been in touch with 15 accusers, some recent and some dating back to 1992.

“I think that from what I know I provided, to both prosecutors' offices, they have enough to open an investigation and ultimately charge,” said Griggs, referring to investigations in Atlanta and Chicago. “I think the ball is in law enforcement's hands. And my hope is they will do what they've been charged to do.”

Griggs said that the “reluctancy here is kind of telling, that it took a docuseries for them to even take interest.”

A representative of the Fulton County, Ga., district attorney's office said the office has no comment at this time, but Griggs' office confirmed the firm has provided information to the district attorney's office. Cook County's Foxx has asked alleged victims to come forward, and CPD will follow up on all leads from prosecutors, said police spokesman Anthony Guglielmi.

‘We can't afford the luxury of overlooking those things’

Activists — and alleged victims — are seeking other paths to justice. Experts have warned that building a case could prove difficult and organizers have watched previous attention focused on Kelly rise and fall after the April cancellation of his hometown concert.

Still, local radio stations WGCI, Power 92 and V104, as well as local producer Jam Productions and Lollapalooza, did not return requests for comment on whether they would continue to play Kelly's music or book him again.

Scheherazade Tillet thought Kelly might face repercussions after the Time's Up movement, which had powerful black women at its helm, put its weight behind #MuteRKelly and called for a boycott of the artist. Spotify removed Kelly's music from playlists and Pitchfork said they wouldn't book him again.

“And then it went away so quickly. Like he could come back here and do a concert. I felt like the memories were wiped away, which is a constant pattern.”

Some activists want to spread the spotlight on Kelly to all victims of abuse.

Lizzette Martinez, who appeared in the Lifetime documentary, will speak at an upcoming “Believe Survivors: Surviving R. Kelly and Beyond” town hall at Euclid Avenue United Methodist Church in Oak Park in February. In the wake of the documentary, Martinez said women, teenagers and men have reached out through social media. In between taking care of her family, traveling and working with a domestic violence nonprofit, she tries to

respond to each message and posts about resources to assist others experiencing abuse.

“They feel like they know me because I've shared something so personal,” she said. “ “So it (the documentary) did its job. I wanted to help others, and that's where we are right now.”

Martinez said she had no idea the documentary would affect so many people.

“The world woke up,” she said. “We have to continue with the dialogue. We have to continue saving lives. We have to continue the talks in communities because that's where the kids are.”

For Martinez, justice means accountability for abusers, other victims getting the help they need and young women finding the courage to speak out. She hopes the upcoming panel inspires others to share their stories and changes minds.

“Back when I was a child, you didn't have this movement,” she said. “So me going up against someone so powerful, I didn't think it would work out too well for me. But today's a different day. And women feel like we're not going to take it anymore, and that's powerful.”

Naomi Leach, a senior at Oak Park and River Forest High School also involved in the “Believe Survivors” panel, watched as allegations involving some members of Chance the Rapper's collaborators popped up on social media following the documentary.

The allegations opened into the hashtag #SurvivingLoudly, created by high school senior Kaiann Nash as a way to centralize stories of abuse experienced in Chicago's music and activism circles.

“The climate of awareness because of the ‘Surviving R. Kelly’ series coming out, it's something that I'm capitalizing on and really trying to take advantage of to make sure all those parts of the conversation (around sexual assault) are addressed,” Nash said. “No one wants to have to delete artists off their playlist, they don't want to have to re-evaluate their actions or relationships or people they keep company with. But if we want to see real change, we can't afford the luxury of overlooking those things anymore.”

Leach has also fielded arguments from older generations about why Kelly is being targeted when there are others accused of abuse, like Hollywood's Harvey Weinstein.

“It's not taken seriously,” said Leach. “I think it's because it's black girls he's targeting.”

Salamishah Tillet said if there's a real reckoning with Kelly it has to happen in Chicago, where he was grown, sustained and protected. “And from there goes the nation,” she said.

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‘L’ plan raises hopes for park revitalization

Wisniewski, from Page 1

medium-sized trees, protected by iron fences, line the sidewalks.

“It’s not as welcoming an area as it should be,” said Stephen Rynkiewicz, a director of the Polish Triangle Coalition and East Village Association. “There’s a constant fight against pigeons.” Rynkiewicz, a former Tribune reporter, said there is also a problem with safety, as the Triangle tends to attract drunks and has seen some gang activity.

Bugaj said that sometimes the fountain is broken, or someone is bathing in it.

The CTA’s work on the Division station, which starts this summer, will not have much impact on the street level. CTA spokesman Brian Steele said the new entrance canopy will be the same size as the old one. He said the Coalition met with the CTA in late 2017.

Bugaj’s ambitious design imagines removing the Algren fountain and instead having a modern, steel, vine-covered grid over the Triangle. The plan includes a waterfall, large stones, seating and sculpture by Polish artist Magdalena Abakanowicz, known for her Agora iron figures in Grant Park. Quotes from such Polish historic figures as scientist Marie Skłodowska Curie would decorate the grid’s beams, said Bugaj.

She said that the Algren quote carved into stone around the base the fountain would remain: “For the masses who do the city’s labor also keep the city’s heart.”

The city’s transportation department has no money to spiff up the Triangle. The Wicker Park Bucktown Special Service Area gets about \$1.2 million annually from a tax on commercial streets. But about a third of this money is spent on plowing sidewalks and street cleaning, so there would not be enough to do anything big with the Triangle, said architect and Special Service Area commissioner Brent Norsman.

The Special Service Area has added bike racks to the Triangle and plans a winter decorative art cover for the fountain, Norsman said. It also supports the Coalition’s “outside the box” thinking on the area.

“There are bold plans there, but it needs investment,” said Norsman. He imagines that the Triangle could be as attractive as



A proposed design for changes to the Polish Triangle, located at the intersection of Division Street and Ashland and Milwaukee avenues in Chicago.

Mariano Park, the small, pocket park in the Gold Coast, located in what is popularly called the Viagra Triangle at Rush and State streets.

Hugh Iglarsh, a member of the both the Polish Triangle Coalition and the Nelson Algren Committee, said he does not think taking out the fountain would insult the author’s memory.

“It’s kind of an overscaled bird bath,” Iglarsh said. “It doesn’t really do very much in terms of raising Algren’s profile. It’s already cracking and it’s not aging terribly well.”

Zygmunt Dyrkacz, who owns the Chopin Theatre on Division across from the Triangle, does not like the Bugaj design. Polish-born Dyrkacz said a redesign of the Triangle should better reflect Polish culture and harmonize with the look of surrounding buildings, like the Classical-Revival style Home Bank and Trust Company Building, a city landmark that now houses a CVS.

Dyrkacz agreed that the Triangle should include an Algren memorial, but said there should also be something for Polish pianist and statesman Ignacy Jan Paderewski, a frequent Chicago visitor.

Dyrkacz said he talked with artists in the 1990s about ways to beautify the Triangle, but ran into opposition from a former alderman and local businessmen. Other attempts to improve the Triangle also failed, Dyrkacz noted. The city abandoned attempts to plant flowers around the fountain, he said. The Chopin tried placing ceramic pots with flowers at its own cost — but they were destroyed.

Dyrkacz pictures the Triangle as a gateway to the community. He imagines a metal Buckminster Fuller-style geodesic dome over the plaza, filled with portraits by Polish-American painter Ed Paschke.

“It could be something that makes Milwaukee and Division a

destination,” said Dyrkacz.

This is not the first dispute over what should happen to the Triangle. Back in the 1990s, there was a fight over whether to rename it for Algren, whose unsparing portraits of the neighborhood were not universally beloved by the Polish community.

This reporter wrote a biography of Algren and suspects that he might have been OK with the Triangle as it is — gritty and filled with people who are down on their luck. He would certainly have been staggered by the current costs of living in the once working-class neighborhood, where rent for a two-bedroom now averages about \$2,300 a month, according to the domu.com website.

But Norsman thinks Algren would have supported improvements that would add life to the Triangle, because it would provide more opportunities for people be out and encountering one another.

“I studied in Rome and saw firsthand how the streets there are living rooms for the community,” said Norsman. “The United States is a little behind in this. I’ll take the grit with the good — that’s city life.”

Transportation song quiz

■ Last week’s transportation song tells of romance thwarted by a defective piece of auto safety equipment. The song is “No Particular Place to Go,” by Chuck Berry. Kathy Manofsky of Naples, Fla., was first with the right answer.

■ You can dance to this week’s song, which refers to a nickname for Division Street. What’s the song and who does it? The first person with the right answer gets a Tribune bookmark, and glory.

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Mulvaney: Another shutdown possible

Trump will secure border ‘with or without Congress,’ acting WH chief of staff says

By FELICIA SONMEZ
The Washington Post

WASHINGTON — President Donald Trump will secure the U.S. border with Mexico “with or without Congress,” acting White House chief of staff Mick Mulvaney said Sunday, as negotiations over Trump’s long-sought border wall began anew.

In an interview on “Fox News Sunday,” Mulvaney declined to say whether Trump would accept less than the \$5.7 billion in funding he has demanded for the wall. But he maintained that Trump is ready to use emergency powers to secure the border if Democrats continue to balk at his demands.

“The president’s commitment is to defend the nation, and he will do it either with or without Congress,” Mulvaney said.

The partial government shutdown, which was the longest in U.S. history, ended on Friday with Trump agreeing to temporarily reopen the government without any money for his border wall.

But a new crisis looms, as the deal provided funding only through Feb. 15. A bipartisan, bicameral committee has been charged with negotiating an agreement on border security as part of the deal, and a stalemate could trigger another shutdown in the coming weeks.

Mulvaney said that if the legislation Congress sends to Trump’s desk is unsatisfactory, Trump could veto it, which would result in another shutdown.

“Yeah. I think he actually is,” Mulvaney said on CBS’ “Face the Nation” when asked whether Trump is prepared to bring about a shutdown next month.

Some conservatives swiftly rebuked Trump for agreeing to reopen the government last week without wall funding. But Mulvaney dismissed those critiques.

“Ultimately he’ll be judged by what happens at the end of this process, not by what happened this week,” Mulvaney said on Fox.

Trump argued Sunday that illegal immigration was costing the country tens of billions of dollars a month, although it was not clear on what data he was basing his estimate.

“We are not even into February and the cost of illegal immigration so far this year is \$18,959,495,168,” he tweeted. “Cost Friday was \$603,331,392.”

Trump has previously claimed that the cost of illegal immigration is more than \$200 billion a year, without providing any evidence.

Roughly 11 million people are estimated to be living in the United States without documentation. But on Sunday, Trump challenged that number, tweeting that “there are at least 25,772,342 illegal aliens, not the 11,000,000 that have been reported for years, in our Country. So ridiculous! DHS”

Asked on “Face the Nation” about that number, Mulvaney said he did not know where Trump was



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“The president’s commitment is to defend the nation,” Mick Mulvaney told Fox News.

Violence Against Women Act extended to mid-February

The Violence Against Women Act was extended through Feb. 15 as part of the continuing resolution Friday that reopened the government.

The landmark 1994 law expired in late December after multiple short-term extensions, a blow to lawmakers and activists who have sought a long-term reauthorization.

VAWA was enacted after Anita Hill’s testimony against Supreme Court nominee Clarence Thomas over alleged sexual harassment and the 1992 “Year of the Woman,” which brought a record number of women to the House and Senate. It lapsed less than three months after Christine Blasey Ford testified that then-Supreme Court nominee Brett Kavanaugh had sexually assaulted her when the two were in high school and after another election brought a wave of new female lawmakers to Capitol Hill.

The Washington Post

getting his information. But he argued that the figure “has to be larger than 11 million” because of the numbers of migrants who continue to cross into the United States each month.

“I think that number was accurate a couple of years ago. We know that it’s going up,” Mulvaney said.

Trump had previously been scheduled to deliver his State of the Union address on Tuesday, but those plans were canceled by House Speaker Nancy Pelosi, D-Calif., as the shutdown dragged on.

House Minority Whip Steve Scalise, R-La., on Sunday urged Pelosi to send a new letter to Trump early this week formally inviting him to deliver the address.

“February 5th is a date that seems to work well,” Scalise said. He accused Pelosi of “holding the State of the Union hostage” during the shutdown, calling it “disgraceful” that she rescinded her invitation to Trump.

Pelosi’s spokesman, Drew Hammill, said a date for the speech has not yet been set but that it will not be Tuesday.

As the negotiations begin anew, lawmakers from both parties stuck to their positions Sunday, with Republicans echoing Trump’s wall

call and Democrats rejecting the possibility.

“I don’t support any wall funding, but I do support border security,” Rep. Adam Schiff, D-Calif., said on ABC’s “This Week.” “And you know, the important thing, I think, to remember here is, Democrats and Republicans can not only reach an agreement on border security, we already have multiple times. ... The only thing that got in the way was the president was frightened off by Ann Coulter and Rush Limbaugh.”

Schiff was referring to legislation last year that passed the Senate but was scuttled after Trump, amid pressure from conservative pundits, made an abrupt reversal and announced his opposition.

House Minority Leader Kevin McCarthy, R-Calif., argued on NBC’s “Meet the Press” that Trump “made four different offers that were reasonable” and that ultimately Democrats were as responsible as Republicans for shutting down the government.

Some Republicans, however, cautioned against forcing another government shutdown over the border wall. Public opinion polls show that the public blames Trump and Republicans more than Democrats for the recent shutdown.

Sen. Susan Collins, R-Maine, said on “Face the Nation” that “absolutely nothing” was accomplished by partially shutting down the government.

“Shutdowns are never good policy, ever,” she said. “They are never to be used as a means to achieve any kind of goal, no matter how important that goal may seem to be.”

Federal workers wary as government reopens

Amid relief, fears loom of another shutdown in Feb.

By AMY FORLITI
Associated Press

MINNEAPOLIS — Park rangers were once again greeting visitors at some national parks across the United States and flight operations at major airports were returning to normal, one day after a partial government shutdown came to an end.

While there were signs Saturday that some government machinery was grinding back to life after a record 35 days without funding, many federal workers and their families approached the end of the shutdown cautiously, saying they were relieved they would receive paychecks again but would continue to restrict their spending amid fears that another shutdown could happen in weeks.

“You can only be so happy because you just have to know that it could happen again,” said Rachel Malcom, whose husband serves in the Coast Guard in Rhode Island. “We’re going to be playing catch up, so I don’t

want to overspend.”

President Donald Trump signed a short-term deal Friday to end the partial government shutdown, which caused 800,000 federal employees to miss two paychecks. The administration asked department heads to reopen offices in a “prompt and orderly manner.”

Many government agencies still had notices on their websites Saturday saying they were not fully operating due to the lack of appropriations. Calls to several agencies also went unanswered, with voicemails saying the offices were closed due to the shutdown. But many parks — from the U.S. Virgin Islands to Minnesota — were glad to open their doors to weekend visitors.

John Anfinson, superintendent of the Mississippi National River and Recreation Area, said it felt great to tell his employees to open the Mississippi River Visitor’s Center. He texted his manager and said “Roll up the gate!”

“They were just waiting for the green light,” he said. Park ranger Sharon Stiteler posted a video to Twitter that showed the center’s

gates opening with the word: “Weeeee!”

The visitor’s center, located in the lobby of the Science Museum of Minnesota, saw 180 visitors in its first hour of operation, Anfinson said, and when he stopped by, the employees had “big smiles on their faces.”

The National Park Service said it was working on reopening all of its parks as quickly as possible, but some parks may not open immediately depending on their staff size and complexity. The Virgin Islands National Park, Cape Hatteras National Seashore, the Wright Brothers National Memorial and the Great Smoky Mountains National Park were among the parks that reopened Saturday.

And Yellowstone National Park officials said visitor centers would reopen Sunday afternoon, with the majority of staff returning Monday to begin working on a backlog of permit requests, including from those seeking to do research in the park.

Mike Litterst, chief spokesman for the National Park Service, said the nation’s more than 400 parks are reopening on a rolling



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Park ranger Rhonda Schier, right, welcomes visitors on Sunday to the Gateway Arch in St. Louis, Mo. Sunday was first day the Arch was open after the government shutdown.

schedule. Some of the parks that were partially open and accessible during the shutdown are expected to get back to full operations more quickly.

In the New York area, airport operations were returning to normal, just a day after LaGuardia Airport and Newark Liberty International Airport both experienced at least 90-minute delays in takeoffs because of the shutdown — which caused a ripple effect throughout the system. On Saturday, the Federal Aviation Administration reported that flights at LaGuardia and John F. Kennedy International Airport were landing and taking off

Saturday morning with 15-minute delays. There were no other major delays nationwide, according to the FAA’s website, which tracks flight delays.

Some parts of the government were taking a little more time to open up.

The Smithsonian museums and National Zoo in Washington planned to reopen to the public on Tuesday. Spokeswoman Linda St. Thomas said until then, employees will check all audio-visual and interactive exhibits to make sure everything is working properly and curators will make a final check of the exhibits. Cafeterias will also be restocked and food shipments

will resume, but full food service might not be immediately available.

For families of workers, the government’s reopening came with a mix of relief and fear. While those who were furloughed or required to work without pay will receive back pay, it’s unclear when that will happen.

Crystal Simmons, whose husband serves in the Coast Guard in Connecticut, said it will likely take some time to process back pay, and then employees could be in the same situation again if another shutdown happens.

“I don’t think I can really relax and go back to the way things were,” she said.

Protests flare as world remembers Holocaust

By VANESSA GERA
Associated Press

WARSAW, Poland — The world marked International Holocaust Remembrance Day on Sunday amid a revival of hate-inspired violence and signs that younger generations know little about the genocide of Jews, Roma and others during World War II.

In Poland, which was under Nazi German occupation during the war, a far-right activist who has been imprisoned for burn-

ing the effigy of a Jew gathered with other nationalists Sunday outside the former death camp of Auschwitz ahead of official ceremonies remembering the 1.1 million people murdered there.

Since last year’s observances, an 85-year-old French Holocaust survivor, Mireille Knoll, was fatally stabbed in Paris and 11 Jews were gunned down in a Pittsburgh synagogue during Shabbat services, the deadliest attack on Jews in U.S. history.

Human Rights First, a U.S. organization, warned that “today’s threats do not come solely from the fringe.”

“In places such as Hungary and Poland, once proudly democratic nations, government leaders are traveling the road to authoritarianism,” said Ira Forman, the group’s senior adviser for combating anti-Semitism. “As they do so, they are distorting history to spin a fable about their nations and the Holocaust.”

Polish nationalist Piotr

Rybak said his group was protesting the Polish government, accusing it of remembering only murdered Jews and not murdered Poles in yearly observances at Auschwitz.

That is incorrect. The observances at the memorial site pay homage each Jan. 27 to all of the camp’s victims, both Jews and gentiles.

Counterprotesters at Auschwitz held up a “Fascism Stop” sign and an Israeli flag, while police kept the two groups apart.



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Ex-prisoner Stanislaw Zalewski attends the anniversary of the liberation of the Auschwitz death camp on Sunday.

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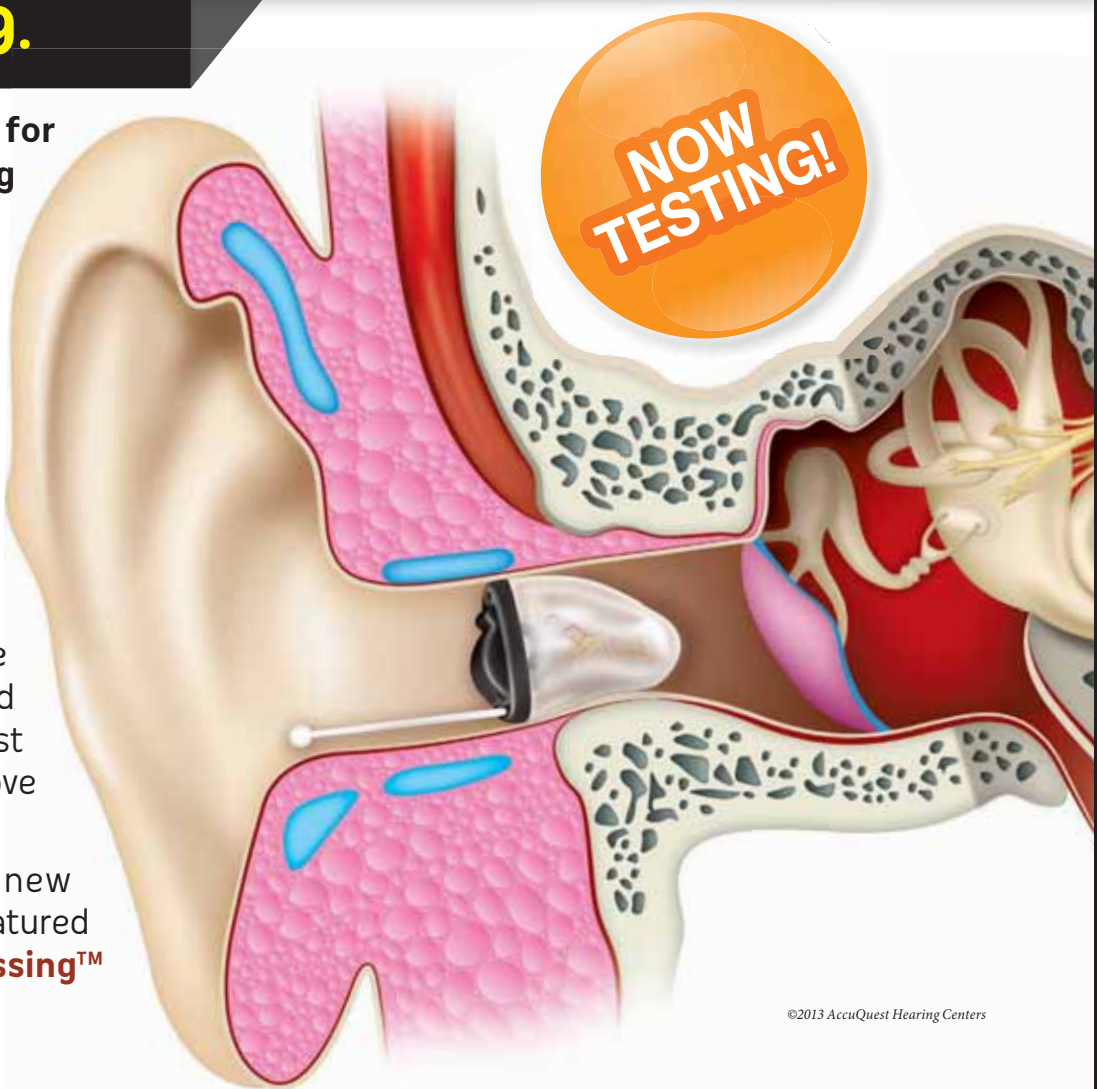
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President Nicolas Maduro runs with members of the Venezuelan military on Sunday.

Dueling leaders look toward the military in Venezuela

By MANUEL RUEDA
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Associated Press

CARACAS, Venezuela — The battle for control of Venezuela turned Sunday to the armed forces as President Nicolas Maduro, wearing tan military fatigues, attended army exercises, met with troops and watched as tanks fired into a hillside.

At the same time, supporters of opposition leader Juan Guaido handed out leaflets to soldiers, urging them to reject the socialist leader and explaining how they could be eligible for amnesty if they help return Venezuela to democracy.

“We are waiting for you, the soldiers of Venezuela,” Guaido told a news conference, urging the armed forces not to shoot fellow Venezuelans. “We are waiting for you and the commitment you have to our constitution.”

Sunday’s dueling appeals to the military followed a tense week as Venezuela took center stage in a global debate over who had a legitimate claim to power in the South American nation.

Maduro broke relations with the United States on Wednesday after the

Trump administration and many other nations in the region recognized Guaido, the head of the opposition-controlled National Assembly, as Venezuela’s interim president, a move that Maduro denounced as a coup attempt.

Maduro gave U.S. diplomats 72 hours to leave the country, but the Trump administration said it wouldn’t comply, arguing Maduro is no longer the legitimate president. That set the stage for a showdown at the hilltop U.S. Embassy compound Saturday night, when the deadline was to expire.

But the Foreign Ministry later issued a statement saying Maduro’s government was suspending the expulsion to provide a 30-day window for negotiations about setting up a “U.S. interests office” in Venezuela and a similar Venezuelan office in the United States.

The State Department did not confirm the Venezuelan government’s account, reiterating only that its priority remains the safety of its personnel and that it has no plans to close the embassy.

France and Britain joined Spain and Germany in turning up the pressure on Maduro, saying they

would follow the U.S. and others in recognizing Guaido as president unless Venezuela calls a new presidential election within eight days.

The European Union’s foreign policy chief, Federica Mogherini, said that if there is no announcement of a new election, the 28-nation bloc “will take further actions, including on the issue of recognition of the country’s leadership.”

Venezuelan Foreign Minister Jorge Arreaza dismissed the deadline.

“Europe is giving us eight days?” he asked the council. “Where do you get that you have the power to establish a deadline or an ultimatum to a sovereign people?”

Guaido said he is acting in accordance with two articles of the constitution that give the National Assembly president the right to hold power temporarily and call new elections.

While the council debated, Venezuela’s military attache in Washington posted a video saying he had broken with Maduro and now would report to Guaido.

“The armed forces have a fundamental role to play in the restoration of democracy,” Col. Jose Luis Silva said.

Death toll rises to 58 in collapse of Brazilian dam

Number could go up as rescuers reach hardest-hit

By MARCELO SILVA
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PRENGAMAN
Associated Press

BRUMADINHO, Brazil — Brazilian officials on Sunday resumed the search for hundreds of missing people in the wake of a massive dam collapse, with firefighter crews returning to mud-covered areas after a several-hour suspension over fears that a second dam was at risk of breach.

Authorities evacuated several neighborhoods in the southeastern city of Brumadinho that were within range of the B6 dam owned by the Brazilian mining company Vale. An estimated 24,000 people were told to get to higher ground, but by the afternoon, civil engineers said the second dam was no longer at risk.

Areas of water-soaked mud appeared to be drying out, which could help firefighters get to areas previously unreachable.

“Get out searching!” a woman yelled at firefighters near a refuge set up in the center of Brumadinho. “They could be out there in the bush.”

The Civil Defense office in Minas Gerais state raised the confirmed death toll to 58, with up to 300 people still missing following the avalanche of iron ore waste from a mine Friday.

Even before the half-day suspension of rescue efforts, hope that loved ones had survived a tsunami of iron ore mine waste from Friday’s dam collapse in the area was turning to anguish and anger over the increasing likelihood that many of the hundreds of people missing had died.

There was also mounting anger at Vale and questions



ANDRE PENNER/AP

A rescue worker on Sunday tries to reach a cow stuck in mud two days after a dam collapse in Brumadinho, Brazil.

about an apparent lack of an alarm system on Friday.

Caroline Steinfeld, who was evacuated, said she heard warning sirens on Sunday, but no such alert came on Friday, when the first dam collapsed.

“I only heard shouting, people saying to get out. I had to run with my family to get to higher ground, but there was no siren,” she said, adding that a cousin was still unaccounted for.

An email to Vale asking for comment was not immediately answered.

“I’m angry. There is no way I can stay calm,” said Sonia Fatima da Silva, as she tried to get information about her son, who had worked at Vale for 20 years. “My hope is that they be honest. I want news, even if it’s bad.”

Da Silva said she last spoke to her son before he went to work on Friday, when around midday a dam holding back mine waste collapsed, sending waves of mud for miles and burying much in its path.

She was one of scores of relatives in Brumadinho who desperately awaited word on their loved ones. Romeu Zema, the governor of Minas Gerais state, said by now most recovery efforts will entail pulling out bodies.

The flow of waste reached the nearby community of Vila Ferteco and an occupied Vale adminis-

trative office. It buried buildings to their rooftops and an extensive field of the mud cut off roads.

Some residents barely escaped with their lives.

“I saw all the mud coming down the hill, snapping the trees as it descended. It was a tremendous noise,” said a tearful Simone Pedrosa, from the neighborhood of Parque Cachoeira, 5 miles from where the dam collapsed.

Pedrosa, 45, and her parents dashed to their car and drove to the highest point in the neighborhood.

“If we had gone down the other direction, we would have died,” Pedrosa said.

“I cannot get that noise out of my head,” she said. “It’s a trauma I’ll never forget.”

In addition to the dead, 23 people were hospitalized, according to the Minas Gerais fire department. There had been some signs of hope earlier Saturday when authorities found 43 more people alive.

For many, hope was evaporating.

“I don’t think he is alive,” said Joao Bosco, speaking of his cousin, Jorge Luis Ferreira, who worked for Vale. “Right now, I can only hope for a miracle.”

The rivers of mining waste also raised fears of widespread environmental contamination and degradation.



HILARY SCHEINUK/THE ADVOCATE

Five people were killed Saturday in a shooting in two Louisiana parishes.

Va. police arrest fugitive suspect in 5 shooting deaths

By REBECCA SANTANA
Associated Press

GONZALES, La. — A man suspected of killing his parents and three other people — including a girl he was dating — was arrested Sunday when he showed up at his grandmother’s house in Virginia, a sheriff there said.



On Saturday, Theriot, 21, shot and killed three people — the woman believed to be his girlfriend, her brother and father — in Louisiana’s Livingston Parish before taking her father’s truck, driving to neighboring Ascension Parish, and shooting his parents, authorities said.

Theriot’s grandmother, who lives in Warsaw, Va., had checked into a hotel Saturday night because she feared he might show up at her house, Richmond County Sheriff Stephan B. Smith said in a phone interview. The woman asked authorities to check her home Sunday morning to make sure it was safe.

While deputies were there, Smith said, Theriot drove up. He had a gun, but he dropped it and was taken into custody without

incident, Smith said.

Theriot will be brought back to Ascension Parish to be booked on two counts of first-degree murder, home

invasion, and illegal use of weapons, according to a statement by Ascension Parish Sheriff Bobby Webre and Livingston Parish Sheriff Jason Ard. Smith said he believes the truck

Theriot was driving when he arrived at his grandmother’s house was the one taken in Louisiana.

Authorities have identified those killed in Livingston Parish as Billy Ernest, 43; Tanner Ernest, 17; and Summer Ernest, 20. Ard said Summer Ernest and Dakota Theriot were in a relationship and that Theriot had been living with her family for a few weeks.

Authorities earlier identified the other two victims as Theriot’s parents — Keith, 50, and Elizabeth Theriot, 50, of Gonzales. They were shot in their trailer Saturday morning.

“The father was gravely injured at the time we found him and has since passed away,” Webre said late Saturday. But before he died, Webre said authorities were able to get a

“dying declaration from him, and only enough information to let us know that it was his son that committed this act.”

A woman who lived with the Theriots said Dakota had a loving relationship with his mother but argued, sometimes violently, with his father.

Kim Mincks was in the house when the shooting happened but didn’t hear anything.

She was awoken Saturday morning by law enforcement officers who came into her room and woke her up.

“They said something terrible happened here. Get up, get dressed and walk outside,” she said.

Mincks said she’d known Keith and Elizabeth Theriot for about two years and described them as wonderful people.

“Give you the shirt off their back. They loved everybody. Never met a stranger. Loved each other. Just a happy couple,” she said.

But they said Dakota Theriot had struggled with drugs over the years and had recently been kicked out of the trailer.

“We know he had a drug problem. He did have a violent streak,” Mincks said.

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NATO leader says Trump is committed to military alliance

WASHINGTON — NATO's secretary-general said President Donald Trump is "committed" to the military alliance and that his "clear message" about members contributing more money is "having an impact."

Trump in the past has suggested he could probably withdraw from NATO if he wanted to, and he's complained that members don't pay their fair share of alliance defense expenses, leaving the U.S. with much of the burden.

NATO's Jens Stoltenberg told "Fox News Sunday" that NATO countries "have heard the president loud and clear and now NATO allies are stepping up."

He said NATO is "united because we are able to adapt to deliver" and that North America and Europe "are doing more together now than before."

Man clings to hood of moving SUV in apparent road rage

BOSTON — State police say they were called to the Massachusetts Turnpike because a man was clinging to the hood of a moving SUV in an apparent road rage episode, some of which was caught on video.

Massachusetts State Police responded to west-bound Interstate 90 on Friday, where witnesses had gotten the SUV to stop.

Police say that Mark Fitzgerald, 37, and Richard Kamrowski, 65, got into a minor crash, and that Kamrowski got onto Fitzgerald's SUV.

Police say Fitzgerald traveled at speeds as high as 70 mph, stopping and accelerating when Kamrowski didn't get off.

Fitzgerald is charged with assault with a dangerous weapon and other violations. Kamrowski was charged with disorderly conduct.

Dem Sen. Harris formally kicks off presidential campaign

OAKLAND, Calif. — Democratic presidential candidate Kamala Harris said Sunday that those in power are trying to turn people against each other, which she says is "not our America."

Harris, a first-term U.S. senator from California who announced her candidacy last Monday, rallied supporters outside City Hall in Oakland, her hometown and where she served as a prosecutor before becoming the state attorney general.

The event was the formal kickoff for her campaign.

"We are here because the American Dream and our American democracy are under attack and on the line like never before," she said.

Harris cast herself as the kind of leader who can unify the country and would fight for the needs of all Americans.



Spanish protest: Taxi drivers, many wearing yellow vests like protesters against the French government, block the Castellana avenue in Madrid, Spain, on Sunday during a strike against proposed regulations for VTCs (Tourism Vehicles with Chauffeur).

Bombs kill at least 20, hurt 111 at Philippine Catholic church

JOLO, Philippines — Two bombs minutes apart tore through a Roman Catholic cathedral on a southern Philippine island where Muslim militants are active, killing at least 20 people and wounding 111 others during a Sunday Mass, officials said.

Witnesses said the first blast inside the Jolo cathedral in the provincial capital sent churchgoers, some of them wounded, to stampede out of the main door. Army troops and police posted outside were rushing in when the second bomb went off about one minute later near the main entrance, causing more deaths and injuries. The military was checking a report that the second explosive device may have been attached to a parked motorcycle.

The initial explosion scattered the wooden pews inside the main hall and blasted windows, and the second bomb hurled debris across a town square fronting the Cathedral of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, witnesses said. Cellphone signal was cut off in the first hours after the attack. The witnesses who spoke to The Associated Press declined to give

their names or were busy at the scene of the blasts.

Police said at least 20 people died and 111 were wounded, correcting an earlier toll due to double counting. The fatalities included 15 civilians and five troops. Among the wounded were 17 troops, two police, two coast guard and 90 civilians.

Troops in armored carriers sealed off the main road leading to the church while vehicles transported the dead and wounded to the town hospital. Some casualties were evacuated by air to nearby Zamboanga city.

Police arrest man in bar shooting that wounds 5

INDIANAPOLIS — Indianapolis police say they've arrested a man in connection with a bar shooting that wounded five people.

Police announced Sunday that they arrested 38-year-old Dejuan Brown. He faces preliminary charges of two counts of

aggravated battery and three counts of felony battery.

Police said detectives learned that Brown was involved in a disturbance at the Brotherman Tavern and was removed by security but returned around 2 a.m. Saturday and began firing, wounding three men and two women ranging in age from 35 to 57.

Authorities say all of the victims are expected to survive and that two have been released from the hospital.

It wasn't immediately clear if Brown has an attorney who might comment on his behalf.

U.S., Canadian jets escort pair of Russian bombers

PETERSON AIR FORCE BASE, Colorado — Military authorities said U.S. Air Force and Canadian fighter jets were scrambled to escort two Russian bombers that were traveling in the Arctic region near the North American coastline.

NORAD said two F-22 and two CF-18 fighter jets identified two Russian Tu-160 Blackjack strategic bombers that were entering an area patrolled by the Royal Canadian Air Force on Saturday morning.

There were no reports of conflict between the Russian and the U.S. and Canadian jets.

"NORAD's top priority is defending Canada and the United States, and positively identifying aircraft of interest approaching U.S. and Canadian airspace," said Gen. Terrence J. O'Shaughnessy, the NORAD commander.

In North Carolina: A Republican congressman who has represented North Carolina for over two decades has entered hospice care, according to a news release issued Saturday. The official page for U.S. Rep. Walter Jones Jr. says that his health has declined since he recently broke his hip.

In Thailand: A popular Thai music act has apologized amid a scandal set off when one of its members wore a shirt showing the swastika flag of Nazi Germany during a performance.

The incident involving the girl group BNK48 occurred just two days ahead of International Holocaust Remembrance Day.

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EDITORIALS

Trump's effort to oust Venezuela's despot

The simmering crisis in Venezuela has come to a boil. An opposition leader, 35-year-old Juan Guaido, declared himself president, defying President Nicolas Maduro's authority. The Trump administration announced its recognition of Guaido as Venezuela's interim head of state. It's a move that dramatically raises the stakes for Washington and Venezuela.

Maduro, who replaced dictator Hugo Chavez in 2013, is slowly destroying Venezuela. Inflation is projected to reach 10 million percent this year. Hundreds of thousands of Venezuelans are starving. More than 2 million have fled the country. Maduro has stripped the nation's legislature of its authority, and remains in power only through elections last year widely condemned as rigged.

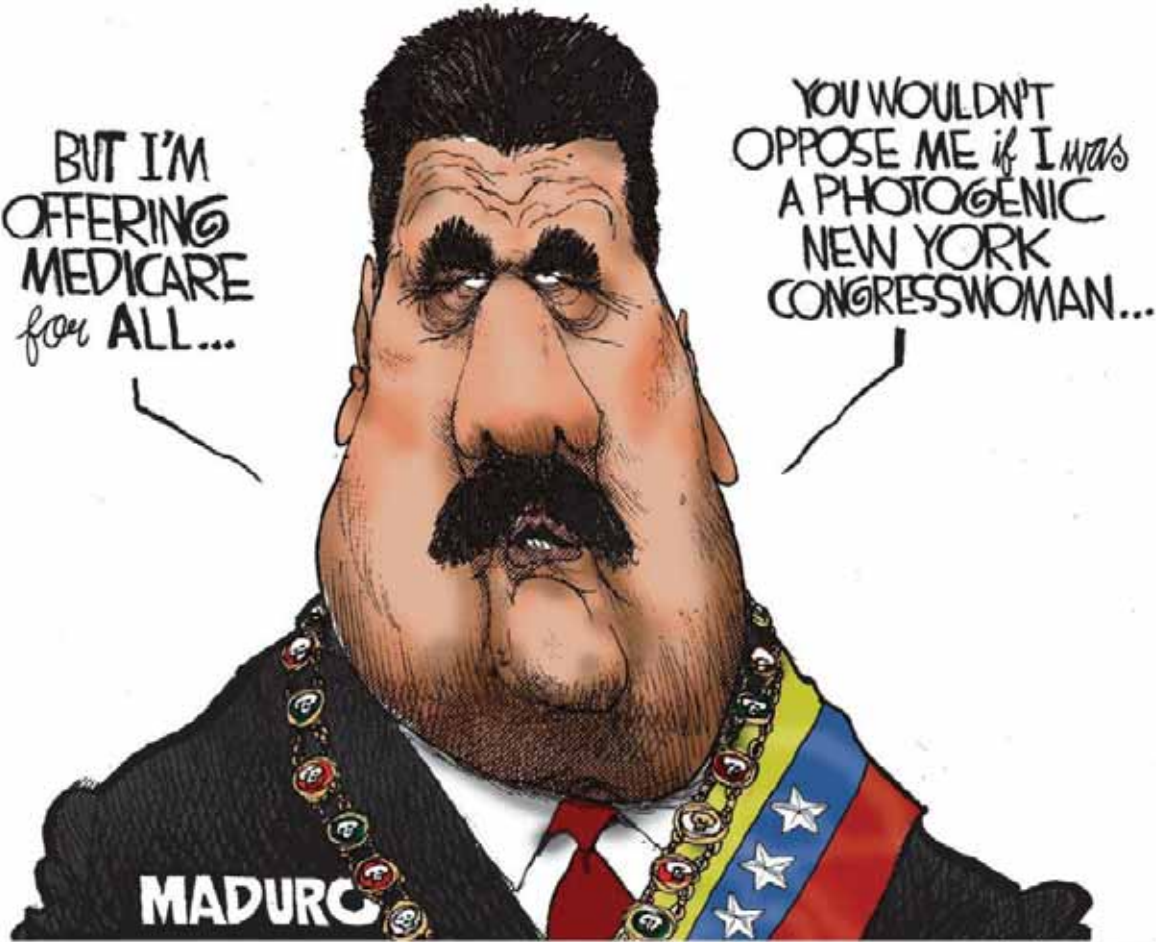
President Donald Trump's recognition of Guaido as Venezuela's interim head of state is an aggressive move for a U.S. leader who has taken an "America First" approach and sought to extricate this country from trouble spots. But Trump's in the right.

It's easy to forget Venezuela is an important neighbor, after Washington paid so little attention to Maduro's despotic rule. With a population of 32 million and the world's largest proven oil reserves, Venezuela's significance is heightened by Russian President Vladimir Putin's fervent interest in the place. Russia has invested billions, seeking to turn Maduro into a pliable ally just 1,160 miles from the U.S. coast.

Maybe that's why, of all the reactions to Trump's decision, Moscow's seemed so histrionic. Guaido and his opposition allies, said Russian Foreign Minister Sergei Lavrov, are "pawns in someone else's very dirty and criminal game."

If Venezuela's going to reclaim

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stability and democracy, this may be the moment. Hundreds of thousands have hit the streets to protest for change. The opposition, which up until now has been fractured, has coalesced behind Guaido, head of the National Assembly. Trump's support of Guaido has been backed by Canada, the Organization of American States and most Latin American nations, including Brazil, Colombia and Argentina.

But where does Washington take it from here? The administration plans to cut off from Maduro the millions his regime

desperately needs — and gets — in oil revenue from the U.S. That money will instead go to Guaido's alternate government, U.S. officials say.

Maduro still has Venezuelan security forces behind him. He could hunt down Guaido. Trump's goal, though, is to get Maduro to see no way out other than a quiet exit, without bloodshed. The fact that the U.S. isn't acting unilaterally, but as part of a coalition of nations pursuing an end to Maduro's corrosive dictatorship, makes that goal more attainable.



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Juan Guaido, center, who has declared himself president of Venezuela, leaves a meeting in Caracas on Friday.

Listen up, Chicago restaurants: We don't want to shout.

Chicago Restaurant Week, which runs until Feb. 7, gives restaurants an opportunity to drum up business and diners an incentive to scout new favorites. What a shame if customers walk away, ears ringing, thinking, "Too noisy. Won't be back."

We've all encountered the restaurant din, where "What's that?" "I'm sorry?" and "Huh?" play on repeat in the table chatter. The whys of this are easy to see. Plush carpets and thick curtains are out. Hard tabletops and exposed ductwork are in. A roar makes a place vibrate with energy and keys people up to spend more.

At some hot spots, cool music and cold metal send a stylistic message and set a tone for the experience. At others, the noise level is a poor fit for the clientele, but the owners saved some money on an acoustics expert and sound-proofing.

Most patrons aren't looking to see and be seen to a thunderous rattle and hum. They rely on restaurants to catch up with friends and family, or take a moment to wind down alone. Guests might be sharing a sad update, a delicate professional conversation, a first date or a last one. In none of these cases do they want any thumping vibes. "I DON'T THINK WE HAVE A FUTURE TOGETHER!" is best said in a



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Patrons dine at Somerset restaurant in Chicago in December 2017.

modulated tone.

Too quiet isn't desirable, either. Nothing inhibits conversation like noticing a neighbor absorbing your banal observations. If you are discussing something that is truly worth overhearing, there's a remote but real possibility the per-

son at the next table is live-tweeting your awkwardness, breakup or scandal for the entertainment of other strangers. Give us the comforting shelter of just enough background noise.

As the headphone generation comes of age for hearing loss,

perhaps there will be a velvet-toned revolution. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention says 15 percent of Americans age 18 and over report some trouble hearing. People with single-sided deafness or tinnitus have particular trouble with background noise.

Count those who socialize with them, and it adds up to a lot of people looking for a quieter place.

Consumer groups find the ability to hold a conversation is more important to restaurant patrons than previously thought, Grace Wong reported in the Tribune. Restaurant critics note volume as part of the dining experience. Our Tribune colleague Phil Vettel dubs places "conversation challenged" or "conversation friendly." Some reviewers carry decibel meters. The app Sound-Print allows diners to seek out restaurants by noise levels.

Some industry observers note that while people say they want quiet, it's the loud and lively restaurants that draw crowds (which then further amplify the noise). Less visible are the silent loss of dollars unspent and reservations unmade.

As a diner, let owners know if the clatter is driving you away. Ask if there's a quieter place to sit or if the music can be turned down. If you have a wonderful evening of conversation, give the venue a social media shoutout for its ambiance. Instagram means restaurants get outsized buzz for visuals and none for providing a humane hearing level. Together we can raise our voices — only so loudly, of course — and change that.

WHAT OTHERS ARE SAYING

Other than U.S. Rep. Tulsi Gabbard of Hawaii, who's also 37 and running for president, and Rep. Seth Moulton of Massachusetts, who's continued flirting with a run at 40, South Bend Mayor Pete Buttigieg is the only candidate in the giant Democratic field who's a veteran, who did a tour in Afghanistan as a Navy lieutenant. He will be the first and only openly gay presidential candidate. He is also one of the few Midwesterners looking at the race, and

might end up as the only one who actually jumps in. And he could be the only mayor to run for president in 2020.

Buttigieg, a Rhodes scholar, is clearly a very smart guy, so he knows this is a long shot, or maybe a loooong shot, just as he knows that ending up with the nomination or the White House would obliterate whatever conventional wisdom is left in presidential politics.

But he's not the only one who thinks that in a field like

this, at a time this wacky, when the race might be defined by impeachment or recession or war, anything could happen.

He's been encouraged by Howard Dean, who's in love with his youth, and the Barack Obama strategist David Axelrod, who talks about his distinct profile and potential in this moment.

— Edward-Isaac Dovere, *The Atlantic*

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And another thing!



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Rather than complain about the weather, volunteers Matt Lindner and Sarah Spunt with My Block, My Hood, My City, help clear sidewalks in Chatham on Jan. 19.

Americans have become a big bunch of complainers

By PATRICK T. REARDON

I want to complain about complaining.

Wait, let me rephrase that. I'd like to make some observations about the tendency of modern Americans to find fault with just about anything.

First things first, I'm not lobbying for a Pollyanna-ish approach to life. Lord knows there is enough pain, corruption, wrongheadedness, wickedness, oppression, lying and sheer stupidity in the world. We all have to take up our cudgels against such evils with righteous anger and complaint — and action.

What I'm looking at, however, is the epidemic of grumbling in American life, the way we've gotten into the knee-jerk habit of moaning and denouncing and criticizing. I do it. You do it. We all do it.

Many on the right contend that liberals are always getting offended and stamping around in high dudgeon, but I'd suggest conservatives are very good at that as well. Besides, this isn't something restricted to politics.

Think about it: You're standing in line at the grocery behind a family with two shopping carts full of stuff. If the

guy behind you strikes up a conversation, how likely is it that he's going to comment on how pretty the song now playing on the store's sound system is?

Isn't it more probable he's going to huff and puff about the family that's buying so much? Or about how it took him forever to find the toilet paper because "they" moved it to another aisle?

When it snows, a city such as Chicago is suddenly turned from a gritty landscape of skeletal trees amid hard-edge brick and steel structures into a charming white wonderland, the work of nature's artistry. Do people talk about that transformation, though? Not really. When it comes to snow, they're much more apt to lament the time they lost because they had to shovel their walks or gripe about the long, slow commute.

Of course, the longer, slower commute is a pain in the neck. Of course, shoveling snow is an inconvenience on a busy morning. A snowfall can make driving conditions difficult and even dangerous. A snowfall is a threat to seniors and others who aren't all that steady on their feet.

OK, I get it. But complaining doesn't have to be the only response that's

I'm suggesting there is a wide range of human responses to what happens in the world. Complaining is one of those responses, but it doesn't have to be our automatic reaction to everything.

possible when we find this blanket of beauty that has been cast over our world. Yet, frequently, it seems that it is.

I'm not really complaining about complaining.

I'm suggesting there is a wide range of human responses to what happens in the world. Complaining is one of those responses, but it doesn't have to be our automatic reaction to everything.

Let's take the guy who is upset because the toilet paper has been moved to another aisle. Instead of saying, "This

is bad," he might ask, "Why did they do this?" Trying to understand the decision might give him an insight into the change — perhaps, in the new aisle, the toilet paper is now near paper towels and facial tissue, like with like.

Or, if he looks at the family with all that stuff ahead of him, he doesn't have to grouse about how they are delaying him. If this guy took the time to really see them, he might find entertainment in the way the two 9-year-old boys are babbling about the intricacies of their latest "Fortnite" game.

I'm thinking that my life is pretty short. Whenever I complain — and I do complain — I'm opting for an angry, even sour way of experiencing things. Sometimes that negativity is necessary. But not all the time.

If I choose to roll with life and keep my eyes open to what is pleasant and hopeful, there is a lot more of my human existence to enjoy.

Whether it's new-fallen snow. Or two little boys debating a video game.

Patrick T. Reardon, the author of eight books, is completing a book on the significance of the elevated Loop to Chicago.

Now for the real deal: What is a 'wall'?



CLARENCE PAGE

Welcome to the eye of the hurricane.

For more than a month, the federal government was in partial shutdown while President Donald Trump and congressional leaders were deadlocked over the president's demands for money to build his long-promised border wall.

Neither side would budge and all the wiggle room for negotiation, particularly over the stickiest issue, Trump's proposed wall, had been squeezed out.

Then suddenly on Friday afternoon, Trump announced a deal to make a deal. After a 35-day impasse, the longest partial shutdown in U.S. history, the government would be reopened and back pay released to some 800,000 federal workers, if only for three weeks.

After that, what? Risky as it is to make predictions about this most unpredictable presidency, I believe the past offers clues to where this wagon train is heading: into a debate, I believe, over what is meant by "a wall."

Contrary to popular belief promoted by President Trump and his allies in this deeply partisan divide, Democrats have never opposed "border security." Over the past decade alone, the Democrats have voted for billions of dollars in funding for physical barriers.

In 2006 the Secure Fence Act passed with bipartisan support to construct physical barriers along 700 miles of the almost 2,000-mile Mexican border.

It won the votes of current Senate Minority Leader Chuck Schumer of New York, then-Sen. Hillary Clinton of New York, then-Sen. Joe Biden of Delaware and



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Fog blankets the valley over the Rio Grande that marks the boundary between the United States, left, and Mexico on Jan. 17, in Texas' Big Bend Ranch State Park.

then-Sen. Barack Obama of Illinois — who said it would "certainly do some good" and "help stem some of the tide of illegal immigration in this country."

Bipartisan majorities voted to fund physical barriers in 2006, 2013 and even last year.

After the failure of President George W. Bush's comprehensive immigration reform bill in 2007, enter candidate Trump to inflame the issue in 2015 by describing immigrants in the country illegally in terms of menace.

"Build that wall" became Trump's defining chant at his rallies. According to Joshua Green's book "Devil's Bargain: Steve Bannon, Donald Trump and the Nationalist Uprising," the "wall" was a mnemonic device to help Trump remember to refer to the immigration issue, a sure crowd-pleaser.

Footnote: One of the advisers was Roger Stone, a longtime Trump friend who was arrested Friday in connection with special counsel Robert Mueller's investigation of Russian interference in the 2016 presidential race. Small world, Washington.

Yet Trump was about to back away in December from his commitment to a wall-or-shutdown until conservative author-columnist Ann Coulter stepped in. The author of "In Trump We Trust" scorched her former hero in a column, titled "Gutless President in Wall-less Country." Other immigration-skeptic conservatives joined in the scorching.

Suddenly Trump turned away from the bipartisan bill he was about to sign and made new demands of a border wall. But there was no way the new Democrat-controlled House under Speaker Nancy Pelosi was going to approve what sounded

like a wall, although that left a long menu of other border security measures, including drones, sensors and additional Border Patrol personnel that would be more effective than an old-fashioned wall.

I see signs of hope, however modest, in Trump's evolving rhetoric. He has begun to describe his proposal as "a wall, a fence or whatever you want to call it." He also conceded that a "barrier" could be a fence or "steel slats," among other possibilities. That did not impress Speaker Pelosi much. "Beaded curtain," she sarcastically offered.

But that sounded to me and many others like a hint. Maybe the president was getting tired of this single issue, especially as it began to take a noticeable toll on his approval ratings. Estimates were reported of 1 in 5 Americans being affected directly and negatively by the shutdown. Some fraying was even beginning to show around the edges of Trump's base.

If things follow the traditional pattern in Trump's Washington, I expect to see both parties extract as many concessions as they can in negotiations, pressured by the possibility of another shutdown that nobody wants. With Democrats receiving almost none of the blame for the shutdown compared with Trump, who naively let himself take "the blame" for it even before it happened, I don't expect them to surrender their wall opposition while they're ahead.

But I also don't expect Trump to do anything so blatantly obvious as to give up either. Instead, I predict the debate will turn on a barrier of some sort and, regardless of whatever it is, I expect President Trump to call it a wall. He's never allowed himself to be confined very long to actual facts. Why should he start now?

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Twitter is a monster truck designed to veer out of control



HEATHER WILHELM

About a week ago, seemingly eons ago, deep in the heart of the Texas hill country — a delightful spot with rock-canyon walls where cellphone service is often dicey or nonexistent — a stray-yet-plucky Washington Post news alert found its way to my otherwise-quiet phone. “MAGA-hat-wearing teenagers who had attended the March for Life surrounded and taunted a Native American elder,” it read. “We spoke with him.”

Credit the fresh air, or perhaps the wide-open spaces, but to me, the headline seemed just a bit too on the nose. I did not see a video; I did not view the now-infamous “smirking MAGA teenager” screenshot. I had only a headline to read. “I don’t know,” I said to my husband. “But this seems like it could be one of those stories ginned up by a Twitter mob.”

I could have been wrong. As it turns out, I was right. Since that Saturday night, the Post’s one-sided version of events — made viral by a bloodthirsty Twitter frenzy — has largely unraveled. It turns out the story is far more complicated than it was initially made to seem. Oh, well: Sorry to single you out, kids! Too bad about the death threats! I mean, what high schoolers haven’t had the producer of “Beauty and the Beast” tell the world via social media that they should be immediately fed into a woodchipper?

Here I present a mystery: If a columnist idly comments on the news in a forest, as opposed to instantly broadcasting her knee-jerk, gut reaction to the world via Twitter — something no one should ever do, but we’ll get to that in a bit — does it even make a sound? Elsewhere, out in the digital distance, an alarming percentage of our chattering class spent days industriously diving headfirst into a fact-deprived, wild-eyed online rage mob — and as a

nation, we’re still cleaning up the factual wreckage.

While there are many potential explanations for this media debacle, one should seem almost screamingly obvious: Twitter.

Media mistakes, and even media dishonesty, are nothing new. But this type of story — complete with a short video clip and screenshot perfectly calibrated to confirm one side’s ideological biases — was tailor-made for the land of the retweet. Without Twitter, this frenzied display of snap judgments and public shaming would likely have vaporized before it was even a twinkle in a writer’s eye.

I’ve said it once, and I’ll say it again: Twitter is a disastrous scourge, which is particularly unfortunate given that a large bulk of the nation’s media is hopelessly addicted to Twitter. It is a great carbuncled pixel-based den of rumors, as bleak as one of those depressing old Wilfred Owen poems about the Great War. Also, don’t look now, but it may or may not be destroying our entire civilization from within.

With this in mind, I have a suggestion: Each and every responsible member of the media should immediately and dramatically declare a Twitter strike, preferably while wearing a monocle.

“Oh, come on, Heather,” you might be thinking. “People can be jerks, with or without Twitter. That’s human nature! For millennia, people have periodically been incited to mob-based action by shenanigans and fakery. You’re just a Luddite! Besides, I need Twitter to boost my career, even though it will likely one day lead to my being publicly shamed and cast out of society entirely. Also, it might be melting my brain.”

First things first: You’re right! Twitter is melting your brain. Also, I am kind of a Luddite. I’m still not really even sure how to use Venmo, and I’m not just feigning incompetence in order to avoid paying for my own movie tickets on girls’ night out.

I will admit that my stance on Twitter — I quit last year, creeping back to visit

once in a blue moon, always to my regret — makes me feel a bit old-fashioned, like the craggy old turn-of-the-century buggy-maker appalled at the arrival of those newfangled horseless carriages. But Twitter is no ordinary horseless carriage. It is a media-filled monster truck specifically designed to veer out of control, taking loads of clueless, gimlet-eyed journalists right over the edge of a cliff. Say what you will about the consistency of human nature — and believe me, I’m a believer in the fallen state of both humanity and the world — but Twitter is literally designed to amplify the worst in us. That’s its deal: mob action, viral groupthink, reality distortion and outrage in exchange for hits of dopamine.

Most Twitter users know this, but it’s hard to fight city hall. After all, everyone else is on Twitter too. It’s the only way to stay relevant! Many conservatives, moreover, valiantly argue that they must stay on Twitter to soldier on in the battle of ideas, lest this valuable intellectual arena be lost entirely to the progressive left. I might be convinced by this if Twitter weren’t already literally run by leftists who suspended a parody account poking fun at Beto O’Rourke while letting left-leaning woodchipper enthusiasts run free.

This argument would also make sense if anyone’s mind was ever actually changed by something they read on Twitter, or if it were actually a place where lessons were ever learned. Undaunted by the debunking of her preferred narrative in the great high-schooler shaming of 2019, actress Alyssa Milano recently told her 3.5 million followers that the story was essentially fake but accurate: “This entire event happened because a group of boys went on a school-sanctioned trip to protest against a women’s (sic) right to her own body and reproductive health care. It is not debatable that bigotry was at play from the start,” she wrote.

Ah. Welcome to Twitter, folks. Good luck logically arguing with that.

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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

Wall no match for drones

The speed of technology may be the death knell of the wall. Drones are controlled remotely, and they are increasing in size and how much weight they can carry. So imagine a 20-foot-high wall and a drone that could clear that and be under radar. Drop drugs or people on the other side and return without a pilot. Second-century defense against 21st-century technology. If you are a betting person, you know that outcome.

— Ed Washak, Yorkville

BuzzFeed guilty of ‘fake news’?

I hate to admit it, but President Donald Trump may have it half right when he accuses the media of producing fake news. With the questioning of the veracity of BuzzFeed’s news report that Trump directed his attorney Michael Cohen to lie to Congress in 2017 about a Moscow real estate deal, and special counsel Robert Mueller’s office deeming it “not accurate,” perhaps it’s time to take a closer look at the new media outlets and determine whether they are truly dependable news sources. After all, even longtime news icons like The New York Times, The Washington Post, The Wall Street Journal and Fox News have had their fair share of egg applied to their faces over the years.

BuzzFeed reporter Anthony Cormier defended his story’s accuracy and told CNN that they are confident in their reporting. But, you have to wonder when a man like Mueller, who is known for his honesty and candor, says it ain’t so, it probably is not. Stay tuned.

— Michael Oakes, Chicago

Give our veterans flexibility

Your call for allowing military veterans access to private medical care providers (“The VA solution: Expanding medical care choices for veterans,” Jan. 21) is most welcome. Care for veterans is not public welfare but a well-earned acknowledgment of their military service. Veterans must be free to receive medical care where it is available if the Department of Veterans Affairs cannot provide it. That care is simple justice in fulfillment of a moral obligation.

— Richard E. Ralston, Executive director, Americans for Free Choice in Medicine, Newport Beach, Calif.

Don’t privatize veterans’ care

The Tribune Editorial Board supports the Trump administration’s plan to replace the Veterans Choice program. Which it admits is very popular among us veterans. This plan would continue right-wing efforts to privatize veterans’ health care. The editorial cites Concerned Veterans of America, a Koch brothers-funded group, to support its argument. The American Legion has characterized the CVA as a mouthpiece group for the Koch brothers. Veterans Service Organizations, which include Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Paralyzed Veterans of America and represent millions of veterans, oppose privatization and fully support the VA. The Tribune would do well to include all groups before it throws its support to this terrible plan.

— Paul Breit, Tinley Park

‘Culture’ of noise afflicts games

Reader Dietrich Miller’s description of a “culture” of noise goes beyond restaurants and into sports venues throughout Chicago. For example, at the United Center, Blackhawks management somehow thinks that playing ear-splitting music during every stoppage of play, if only for a few seconds, enhances the “game experience” at Hawks games. Sitting in the 300 level the other night, I had to shout to hold a conversation with the person sitting next to me while the Foo Fighters blasted through the United Center speakers before the next faceoff.

And this starts with the moment the teams come on the ice for pregame warm-ups. Fans used to be able to hear skate blades on the ice and pucks hitting sticks during warmup. Now it’s one snippet of music after another played at headache-inducing decibel levels. Kiss cams and scoreboard shots of fans who’ve had a few too many beers can be ignored. But it’s hard to ignore loud music played throughout the evening other than when the game is actually underway.

— Michael Pajonk, Oak Park

Pritzker laughable regarding fair taxes

Had a great laugh listening to Gov. J.B. Pritzker talk about fair taxes. All this coming from the richest politician in the nation who got a more than \$300,000 property-tax cut by removing five toilets in one of his mansions in Cook County.

Once again, Illinois votes for stingy people who don’t want to pay their fair share of taxes.

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Roger Stone’s indictment is all bun, no beef

By Jon Healey

One of the enduring lessons of Richard Nixon’s fall from power is that the cover-up is easier to prove than the crime.

That lesson may have been lost on Roger Stone, a longtime Republican political operative who got his start playing dirty political tricks in Nixon’s 1972 campaign. Special counsel Robert Mueller obtained a seven-count indictment Thursday against Stone alleging he sought to cover up his efforts to obtain damaging information about Hillary Clinton from WikiLeaks in 2016 to advance Donald Trump’s candidacy.

The indictment is crystal-clear when it comes to Stone’s alleged lies to the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence and his alleged attempt to bully another witness — unnamed in the indictment, but identified by the Los Angeles Times’ Chris Megerian as radio host Randy Credico — into deceiving the committee. What’s not so clear is whether Stone’s efforts made an iota of difference to the Trump campaign.

Trump’s defenders keep asking, “Where’s the beef?” — err, “Where’s the collusion?” The Stone indictment provides little of substance on that front, just more fuel for speculation.

Here are a few data points that U.S. investigators already have established. Hackers affiliated with Russian intelligence services are believed to have been responsible for two data breaches in 2016 that damaged the Clinton campaign: one targeting the Democratic National Com-

mittee and another that hoovered up emails to and from Clinton’s campaign manager, John Podesta. The DNC’s hacked emails were made widely available by WikiLeaks in July 2016, and Podesta’s in October 2016.

It’s still a bit of a mystery how WikiLeaks got the emails. The Stone indictment offers nothing on that point. It only suggests Stone may have known about the first WikiLeaks email dump before it became public, and that his insights into WikiLeaks (referred to in the indictment as “Organization 1”) were subsequently sought by the Trump campaign.

“By in or around June and July 2016, Stone informed senior Trump Campaign officials that he had information indicating Organization 1 had documents whose release would be damaging to the Clinton Campaign. After the July 22, 2016 release of stolen DNC emails by Organization 1, a senior Trump Campaign official was directed to contact Stone about any additional releases and what other damaging information Organization 1 had regarding the Clinton Campaign. Stone thereafter told the Trump Campaign about potential future releases of damaging material by Organization 1.”

But what, exactly, did Stone know? How did he know it? And how did that help the Trump campaign?

The indictment doesn’t offer much grist for those mills. It portrays Stone as operating on the fringe of the Trump campaign, having trouble getting his calls returned by a top campaign official. It also suggests that he lied when he publi-

cly claimed to have been briefed directly by WikiLeaks leader Julian Assange; Stone appears to have relied on conspiracy theorist Jerome Corsi and Credico for all his information about WikiLeaks. And the only useful tip Stone is accused of providing the campaign is advance knowledge that WikiLeaks would make another Clinton-related data dump in October.

Perhaps that’s why Stone, whose official role as a Trump campaign adviser ended acrimoniously in 2015, had trouble getting his calls returned.

One of the more tantalizing allegations in the indictment is that Stone worked through Credico to ask Assange for any hacked emails he might have from Clinton herself or the State Department that could confirm an unspecified accusation about Clinton’s work as secretary of state. While the indictment asserts that Assange got the request, there’s no indication that anything came of it.

That’s the indictment in a nutshell. Stone comes across as someone who talked a good game about his insights into what WikiLeaks had obtained and what it planned, then allegedly lied to Congress about what he’d done and said. But Mueller’s team hasn’t offered much about what Stone actually knew and how he knew it, which seem like the most consequential questions.

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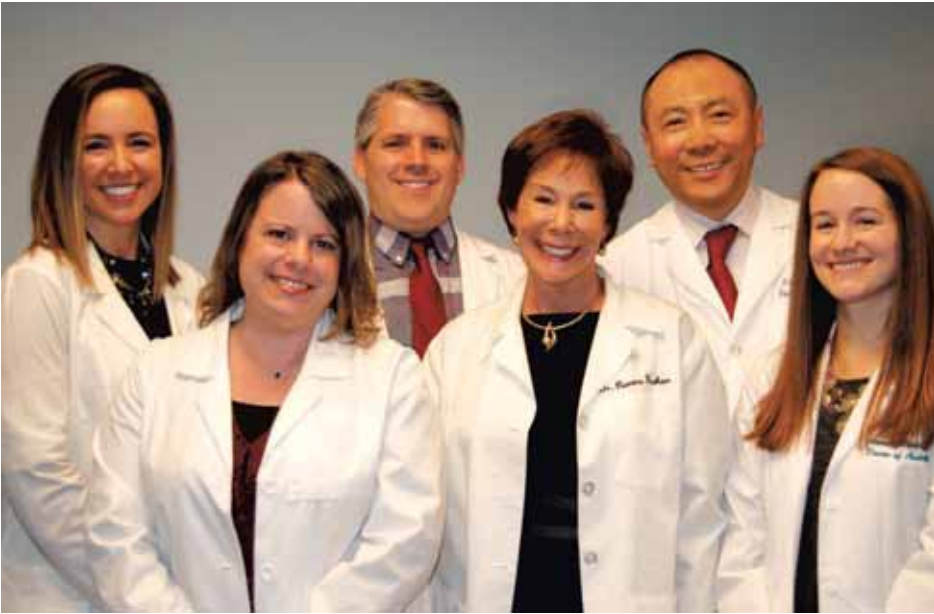
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Amid shutdown confusion, a reminder about tax fraud

About 800,000 federal employees and contractors have felt the sting of the government shutdown, juggling bills and hoping that cooler heads prevail in Washington. Meanwhile, economists are estimating how the shutdown might affect overall growth. “This shutdown could shave approximately \$1.2 billion off real GDP in the quarter for each week that part of the government is closed,” according to Beth Ann Bovino, chief U.S. economist at S&P.

The shutdown has a double-whammy effect: Those affected do not spend and the government itself will reduce purchases for products and services. On top of that, some consumers will not be able to secure federally backed loans and companies will have to wait to go public until the Security and Exchange Commission reopens.

As a result, first quarter growth could slow by 0.25-0.50 percent to 2.25-2.5 percent, a far cry from the peak growth seen during Q2 2018, when the economy expanded at a 4.2 percent clip.

Adding to the murkiness: With many agencies shuttered, it will be tougher to gauge the nation's progress. Although the Labor Department and Federal Reserve are both open for business, the Census Bureau is not, which means that housing, manufacturing and trade data is on ice.

Additionally, the Bureau of Economic Analysis, which is housed under the Commerce Department, is closed. That means the first estimates of fourth-quarter and full-year 2018 gross domestic product could be delayed beyond the scheduled release date of Jan. 30.

Meanwhile, the IRS is working with a diminished staff, but has stated that the tax-filing deadline remains in place (the only exception is for those victims of federally declared disaster areas).

Hundreds of IRS workers dealing with financial hardship were given permission to miss work during the shutdown, which could slow the government's ability to process taxpayer refunds, The Washington Post reported.

In the midst of all this chaos, it's easy to forget something important when doing your taxes. Tax identity theft happens when someone uses your Social Security number to file a tax return claiming a fraudulent refund. Some taxpayers discover that they are victims when they e-file and learn that a return has already been filed, while others are notified by the IRS.

And remember: The IRS does not initiate contact with taxpayers by email to request personal or financial information. Also, no one from the federal agency will ever call to demand immediate payment using a method such as a prepaid debit card, gift card or wire transfer. Generally, the IRS will first mail a bill to any taxpayer who owes taxes.

As you prepare for the upcoming tax season, the IRS offers these important tips:

- Use security software with firewall and anti-virus protections and set strong passwords.
- Learn to recognize and avoid phishing emails, threatening calls and texts from thieves posing as legitimate organizations such as your bank, credit card companies and even the IRS.
- Do not click on links or download attachments from unknown or suspicious emails.
- Protect your personal information and that of any dependents. Don't routinely carry SS cards, and make sure your tax records are secure.
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OPEN OFFICES WON'T DIE

Most employees hate them, so why do they persist?

By **KATHARINE SCHWAB**
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First, you tear down the walls and dispense with the soulless cubicles. Then you put everyone at long tables, shoulder to shoulder, so that they can talk more easily.

Ditch any remaining private offices, which only enforce the idea that some people are better than others, and seat your most senior employees in the mix. People will collaborate. Ideas will spark. Outsiders will think, “This place has energy.”

That is the myth of the open office, a workplace layout so pervasive that its presence is taken for granted, and its promises of collaboration and innovation are sacrosanct. According to a 2010 study by the International Facility Management Association, 68 percent of people worked in an office with either no walls or low walls, and the number has undoubtedly grown.

There's just one problem. Employees hate open offices. They're distracting. They're loud. There's little privacy.

“The sensory overload that comes with open-office plans gets to a point where I can barely function,” says one 47-year-old graphic designer. “I even had to quit a job once because of it.”

According to survey data collected by Bospar PR last year, 76 percent of employees surveyed said they hate open offices.

And, for as long as these floor plans have been in vogue, studies have debunked their touted benefits. Researchers have shown that people in open offices take nearly two-thirds more sick leave and report greater unhappiness, more stress, and less productivity than those with more privacy. A 2018 study by Harvard Business School found that open offices reduce face-to-face interaction by about 70 percent and increase email and instant messaging by roughly 50 percent, shattering the notion that they make workers collaborative.

And yet, the open plan persists, too symbolically powerful and cheap for many companies to abandon.

As with so many things today, we have Google, at least in part, to thank. Open floors have existed since the secretarial pools of the 1940s, but when the then 7-year-old Google renovated its headquarters in Mountain View, Calif., in 2005, the lofty, light-filled result signaled the dawn of a new professional era.

Architect Clive Wilkinson eschewed the cubicle-heavy interiors of the company's previous office for something that resembled a neighborhood. There were still some private spaces, but also lots of communal workplaces and small, glassed-in meeting rooms.

Around the same time, a more radical version of the open office was emerging from other startups founded during the dotcom boom of the late '90s. As these companies proliferated, they looked for cheap ways to differentiate themselves from each other and their predecessors. They found inspiration, Wilkinson says, in the more playful offices that had long been common in the advertising industry.

Some moved into the unfinished lofts of San Francisco's South of Market district and left them that way. Walls only make things complicated when you're rapidly adding (and eliminating) staff.

“Those places were terrible,” says Joel Spolsky, who co-founded Fog Creek Software in 2000 and is currently the co-founder and CEO of Stack Overflow. “They were so loud, because there were no drop ceilings. It was painful for everybody. But (dotcom startups) were doing it because they had literally no choice.”

Out of necessity, an aesthetic was born.

By the time Facebook opened its Frank Gehry–designed Menlo Park headquarters in 2015, the open office had become not just the face of innovation in Silicon Valley but a powerful metaphor. Facebook now houses roughly 2,800 employees in a 10-acre building that the company claims is the largest open floor plan in the world.

“The idea is to make the perfect engineering space: one giant room that fits thousands of people, all close enough to

collaborate together,” founder and CEO Mark Zuckerberg wrote when he announced the design in 2012.

The whiff of disruption that open offices carried became irresistible to startups and established companies alike.

“When you talk to leaders in corporate real estate or CEOs about why they designed their space (in an open plan), most will give some fluffy answer,” says Ben Waber, co-founder and CEO of workplace analytics company Humanyze, which uses sensors to track how people use offices and interact with each other. “But when you dig down, it's because this is what the workplaces look like at a couple of highly successful tech companies.”

Calvin Newport, a computer science professor at Georgetown University who studies how people work, takes an even more skeptical view: Open offices have become a way to indicate a company's value to venture capitalists and talent. The goal is “not to improve productivity and collaboration, but to signal that the company (is) doing something interesting.”

Lost amid the symbolism are the employees themselves. According to Humanyze, open plans are great at encouraging interaction between teams, which is useful when a company is trying to create new products. But they are terrible at encouraging interaction within teams, which is necessary for execution-based work, like writing code, when employees need to be in sync.

An open office might be suitable for a company coming up with new ideas, but when someone has to implement them, it becomes distracting.

Of course, one of the main reasons that business leaders default to open plans is simply that they're inexpensive.

According to commercial real estate association CoreNet Global, the average space allotted to individual employees globally fell from 225 square feet in 2010 to 176 square feet in 2013, and is projected to keep decreasing. This adds up to hundreds of millions of dollars in savings per year at the country's largest companies.

More flexibility with Medicare Advantage

By **KIMBERLY LANKFORD**
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Q: I switched to a different Medicare Advantage plan for 2019 because the premiums were lower than my previous plan. But I found that some of the doctors and hospitals I want to use aren't covered by the new plan. Can I switch again?

A: Yes. Previously, if you were unhappy with the Medicare Advantage plan that you chose during the fall enrollment, you were either stuck with it or you had from Jan. 1 to Feb. 14 to switch to traditional Medicare and get a Part D policy. But new rules starting in 2019 give consumers more flexibility — and time.

Now, if you're unhappy with your choice of plan, you have from Jan. 1 to March 31 to swap one Medicare Advantage plan for another. You can also switch from a Medicare Advantage plan to traditional Medi-

care with a Part D policy. However, there's no guarantee that you will qualify for a Medigap policy, which supplements traditional Medicare and helps with co-payments and deductibles.

Insurers can reject you for Medigap coverage or charge more because of pre-existing conditions if more than six months have passed since you signed up for Medicare Part B.

You can check out the plan options in your area, including premiums, coverage and estimated out-of-pocket costs for your drugs, using the Medicare Plan Finder at www.medicare.gov/find-a-plan. (Medicare Advantage plans are called “Medicare Health Plans” in the tool.)

Ask the doctors you'd like to use what plans they're covered by, and contact the plans you're considering to double check that those doctors are included.

After March 31 you still may have some limited opportunities to change plans. You



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BY HILLEL FULD
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A vital part of the entrepreneurial journey is putting together an A-team. I believe that you should be on the lookout for the most talented people you can find, not necessarily the people with the exact skills to fit your job description. Meaning, if someone is talented and is a hard worker, that person will always be more valuable than someone who happens to know how to code in a certain language. Talent always beats skills. Part of the process of recruiting your team is the face-to-face interview. Whether you are being interviewed or you are doing the interviewing, there are some things you need to be aware of to make the interaction successful and ultimately close the deal. I have interviewed several leading HR professionals, and here are five crucial things they recommend managers look for in an interview process.

Candidates who are curious and prepared
The best candidates spend time pre-interview to learn all about the company and come prepared. As one HR professional told me, “A curious person will go far. Did the candidate deeply check out your company/site/product? A serious candidate who has an entrepreneurial spirit will not only check out your product but also come in with questions and actual suggestions and or new ideas.”

Candidates who do these 5 things are winners

It is that extra step you are looking for when building your team. A person who displays this kind of professional curiosity is a person who will show initiative down the road.

Candidates who are humble, yet confident
Most professionals understand that mistakes are part of the process. In fact, mistakes often teach you more than success does. Look for that humility when building your team. Ask candidates about failures, what they learned, how they coped and what they did to end up turning it into a learning experience. On the flip side, if you are the one interviewing, own up to your mistakes and walk the fine line between confidence and humility.

Candidates who don't buckle under hard questions
If you are looking for the top talent for your team, one of the many things you are going to have to evaluate is how people conduct themselves under pressure. Does he or she buckle or flourish? “Ask hard questions. Put the candidate on the spot. For example, if a candidate

tells you that she thinks she's a great manager, be sure to ask, ‘Tell me what you see in yourself that makes you a good manager.’ Some candidates are great interviewers, but when you really dissect and ask for elaboration and examples, this will show true colors,” one HR manager told me.

Candidates who are self-possessed
Ask candidates to give you an example of how they performed under high pressure and for an example of when they did not. Testing how calm and collected someone is could be one of the most important aspects of an interview. As an interviewee, coming prepared with relevant knowledge will help you get the confidence you need to own the interview and project calmness.

Candidates who are collaborative
“Do you play competitive sports?” This might seem like a random job interview question, but it can tell people quite a lot. Often, it is a good sign of how a person will perform. Sports and other hobbies often indicate that the person is a collaborative team player and really wants to win. The important thing is that people have hobbies, they have passion, and they dedicate themselves to volunteer work, clubs and other activities throughout their lives.

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The Savage Truth

Tax filing changes to keep in mind this year

The partial government shutdown could hit home with a lot more people. Hundreds of IRS workers dealing with financial hardship have been allowed to miss work during the shutdown, which could slow the government's ability to process taxpayer refunds, The Washington Post reported last week. The tax-filing deadline still is in place, however, so do your taxes. The first big issue on everyone's mind this year is whether to itemize. We're about to see the real impact of two significant changes in the tax law. The first is the increase in the standard deduction to \$12,000 for single filers and \$24,000 for a joint return. No longer will the dependent exemption reduce your tax bill, but the increase in the standard deduction is expected to move about 90 percent of taxpayers to use the standard deduction, up from about 70 percent in previous years. That trend toward not itemizing will be accentuated by the second big change: the limit of \$10,000 on deductions for state and local taxes (income, sales and real estate taxes), whether you're filing a single or joint return. Capping those popular deductions in high-tax states pushes more people away from itemizing.

But how do you know where your own break-even point is for itemizing or not? TurboTax can provide the answer. As you start the process, the online tax preparer will ask you some basic questions that will help determine if you will benefit from claiming the standard deduction or itemizing. Key points about changes: ■ Self-employed people get a new tax benefit called the Qualified Business Income Deduction, which may allow you to deduct up to 20 percent of your “qualified business income.” Of course, the key is the details — and this program has limitations based on type of business and income. ■ Unreimbursed employee expenses are no longer deductible under the new tax law. Nor can you deduct moving expenses, except if you are active duty military. ■ Alimony deductions change for divorces finalized in 2019 and later. Alimony payments will no longer be a deduction for the paying spouse or income to the receiving spouse. ■ Although the exemption for dependents went away, you can still get some credits. The child tax credit was raised to \$2,000 from \$1,000 and the income limits to get the credit were increased to \$200,000 for those filing singly and \$400,000 married filing jointly. And there's a new expanded definition of “qualifying child.” Plus, there is a new \$500 credit for non-child dependents such as elderly parents or children over age 17.

Do you dread the task of doing your taxes? Then you are a prime candidate for help. TurboTax offers live help from TurboTax Live CPAs and enrolled agents, who can see your screen (but not you, lounging in your pajamas) as you go through the process — all starting at \$50. The TurboTax Live experts, with an average of 15 years' experience, can even review, sign and file your tax return for you. H&R Block and the IRS site also provide e-filing with tips to help you get what you need. People making less than \$66,000 per year can use the IRS free filing system. The government may continue its shutdown, but it still wants your taxes on time. And that's The Savage Truth

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Whole new game
Millennial Monopoly relies on cliches, but studies show not all is bleak for group

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Hasbro recently updated its classic game with the introduction of Monopoly for Millennials, which features Rich Uncle Pennybags taking a selfie, holding a cafe latte and wearing earbuds and a participation medal. Instead of buying property and amassing cash, players discover destinations, ranging from “Parents' Basement” to “Week-long Meditation Retreat,” and collect “experience” points. The game, which roasts millennials with the same one-liner cliches we've heard for years, was met with ire online but quickly sold out. At the suggestion of my editors, I tracked down the game on Amazon at triple its \$20 retail price and played with friends to see what Hasbro had to say about our generation. As we played, we were almost always strapped for cash and waiting for a break (pick up a fourth job, collect \$45) or a calamity (unpaid student loans, go to jail), with little chance to increase our income or save for future goals. The financial reality for millennials is challenging. Coming of age during the

Great Recession, when student debt ballooned, the job market shrank, wages flattened and credit was put in a vise, has left millennials with lower incomes and fewer assets than Gen Xers and boomers had at the same age, according to a recent Federal Reserve report. But things aren't as bleak as many have suggested. The same obstacles that have stacked the deck against millennials may have also made us better with money. The game implies that millennials live in the moment and spend without planning for the future. But more than 40 percent of us set money aside monthly, according to a study by financial services firm Allianz. Plus, we are prioritizing retirement, with about half of millennials with a 401(k) contributing 10 percent or more of their income each month, says Allianz. Granted, for others, saving for retirement draws the short straw. Two-thirds of working millennials haven't started saving for retirement, reports the National Institute on Retirement Security. That's cause for concern, but it tracks patterns set by prior generations. A survey by the financial site Comet found that 41 percent of Gen-Xers and 42 percent of boomers say they haven't started to save for retirement, either.

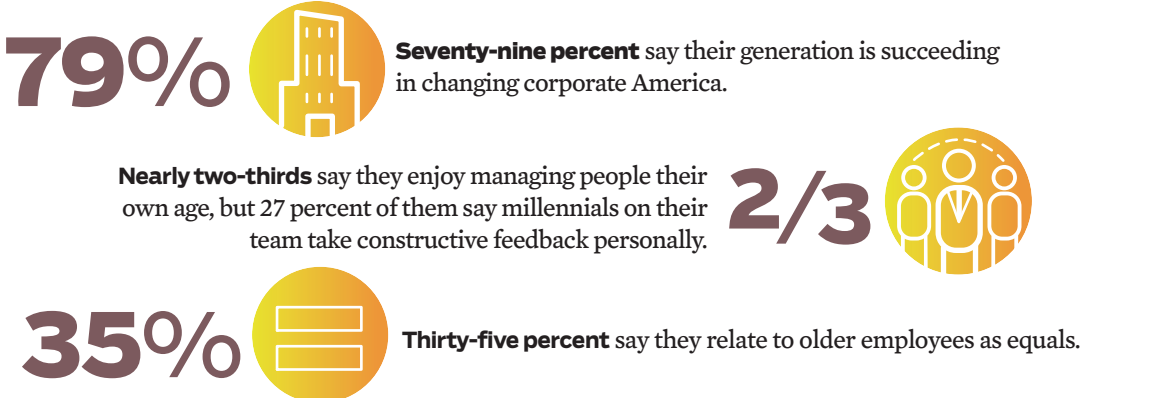


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For a long time, millennials also weren't buying homes at the same rate as previous generations did. In fact, the Monopoly game's tagline is “Forget real estate. You can't afford it anyway.” But now, millennials make up the largest group of home buyers, according to the National Association of Realtors. And in 2018, roughly four in 10 millennials owned their own home, while only 16 percent reported living with their parents, according to professional services firm EY. Millennials have also often been criticized for spending on experiences, such as travel and brunches with avocado toast. But after accounting for differences in earnings compared with prior generations, the Fed study found that millennials' spending habits and consumer preferences are similar to those of Gen-Xers and boomers. Kaitlin Pitsker is a staff writer at Kiplinger's Personal Finance magazine. Send your questions and comments to moneypower@kiplinger.com.

How millennials lead

Millennials aren't kids anymore. With the oldest of the cohort turning 40 in 2020, many are now executives and CEOs. Fast Company and Inc., with help from career-development site the Muse, surveyed 155 millennials about the way they manage.



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Tax prep primer

Some changes may be needed in filing this year



By **ELLIOT RAPHAELSON**
The Savings Game

Although the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017, the Trump administration's major tax overhaul, was enacted more than a year ago, most of its implications have not trickled down to the average taxpayer. As we head into the tax filing season, that is about to change.

There's a good chance that the law will have an impact on your tax return, so an overview of the changes is in order. Here are the highlights:

- You can no longer use Form 1040A and 1040-EZ. Form 1040 has been redesigned and supplemented by six new schedules. Instructions/references for these schedules are contained in the instructions for Form 1040.
- The standard deduction has essentially doubled. It is \$12,000 for individuals; \$24,000 for married persons filing jointly and qualified widows/widowers; and \$18,000 for heads of households. The aged and the blind qualify for higher deductions.
- The implication for many families is that it will pay to use the standard deduction rather than itemize. Another factor is that many items related to itemized deduction have either been reduced or eliminated.
- Another implication of the higher standard deductible is that people 70 1/2 and older who are required to make required minimum distributions from their retirement plans should make any charitable contributions in 2019 by asking their trustee to make direct contributions from the retirement plan to the charity.
- For those who use the standard deduc-



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- tion in 2019, this will impart a tax benefit equivalent to the amount of the charitable donation (up to \$100,000) times their marginal tax rate. There is no downside to this strategy even if you do decide to itemize in 2019.
- You can no longer claim a personal exemption for yourself, your spouse or your dependents.
- The child tax credit has been increased. The credit is up to \$2,000 per qualified child under age 17. The income limits have been notched up, so you may find that you are eligible for this credit even if you haven't been in prior years.
- You may be eligible for a new \$500 non-refundable credit for each eligible dependent for whom the child tax credit cannot be claimed. You can determine the possible credit by filling out the Child Tax Credit and Credit for Other Dependents Worksheet. The worksheet is referenced in Form 1040 instructions.
- There is now a cap of \$10,000 on itemized deductions for state and local taxes.
- Roth conversions are permanent. Prior to 2018, you had the option to convert from a traditional IRA to a Roth, and undo the conversion.

- As of 2018, and likely for subsequent years, the conversion is permanent. Accordingly, when you do consider a Roth conversion, understand that you will no longer be able to change your mind.
- The mortgage interest deduction for a principal residence and second residence is limited to acquisition debt of up to \$750,000 (for married couple filing jointly; \$375,000 for married couple filing separately) for loans acquired after December 15, 2017.
- No deduction is allowed for home equity debt.
- Cash charitable contributions are limited to 60 percent of adjusted gross income (compared to 50 percent in 2017).
- Other tax breaks are no longer allowed: moving expense deduction (except for certain military personnel); miscellaneous itemized deductions subject to the 2 percent of adjusted gross income floor.
- Other changes to consider: If you haven't made the maximum contribution to your 2018 IRA and/or health saving account, you have until April 15 to make additional contributions. Take into consideration allowable spousal contributions and additional contributions you can make

- to your retirement accounts if you are 50 or older.
- Estimate the amount of your refund or tax liability for 2018. If you find that your refund is lower or tax liability is higher than your expectations, consider reviewing your long-term retirement plan. There are some unfavorable tax changes in 2018 that can affect your long-term planning.
- You may also want to review your automatic payments for subscriptions and/or renewals in 2019, which would provide some reduction in expenses for 2019.
- Review existing contributions to your retirement plans for 2019, especially if your income is higher. If you can afford to increase your contributions in order to lower your tax liability in 2019, and increase savings, consider doing so.
- If you are over 70 1/2 and expect to have earned income in 2019, consider contributing to a Roth IRA account, because after 70 1/2, you can no longer contribute to a traditional IRA.

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This is a story about one of the oldest active players in the history of the NFL, a slam-dunk future Hall of Famer, and how he gets along with teammates who are many years younger and haven't yet proved themselves.

Tom Brady, the star quarterback for the New England Patriots for 19 years, has won five Super Bowls and been the NFL's most valuable player three times. And he's headed to yet another Super Bowl.

But brand-new Patriots players report that Brady doesn't put on airs or snub them. When they walk into the locker room for their first practice, they hear, "Hi. I'm Tom Brady."

Brady does this every time a player joins the team.

It doesn't matter who the new guy is. It doesn't matter if he's a no-name struggling to make the roster or a big free agent signing or a trade. The details come from a story by Adam Kilgore of The Washington Post.

"I'm like, 'I know who you are,'" one such new Patriots player, Phillip Dorsett, recalled for Kilgore, laughing as he told the story. "You don't have to introduce yourself."

There must be a reason for Brady to introduce himself to every new player on the team.

Actually, there are two reasons.

The first is the obvious one: the chasm. Nobody comes to the team as an equal of Brady's. Brady is a star and has thrown more than 500 passing touchdowns to more than 70 players in the NFL. Most of them are no longer

playing. So Brady likes to close the distance with the new guys and make an effort.

The second reason is just that Brady, 41, is getting old, and his new teammates are very young.

If you're a Boomer or Gen-Xer and you've worked with a lot of millennials, you know that the age difference can be very real. Some older workers find millennials to be a constant source of frustration. To heighten the challenge, the next generation — Gen Z — are beginning to enter the workplace. How older workers relate to these young generations is vital for success.

At 41, Brady is eight years older than his two next oldest teammates. On the day the youngest Patriot, linebacker Ja'Whaun Bentley was born, Brady was 19 and about to start the season as a backup quarterback at the University of Michigan.

Thirty of his teammates are closer in age to Brady's 11-year-old son than they are to Brady.

"We joke about it: He's 41, but he's really 24," backup quarterback Brian Hoyer said. "When I go home, I might feel 33. But when I come here, I feel the same age as I did when I was a rookie. The locker room doesn't change. ... I think he's very aware of those things. Doing this job keeps you that young."

Of course, we all deal with different generations at work, and Brady's habit can work for others as well.

Kilgore quotes Megan Gerhardt, a professor at Miami University who specializes in leadership and generational differences in the workplace, who says that whether it's a strategy or not,



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No. 12 Tom Brady, star quarterback for the Patriots for 19 years, has won five Super Bowls and been the NFL's most valuable player three times, but he gets along with teammates who are many years younger.

Brady has chosen the perfect way to relate to younger co-workers, just by treating them as equals.

"Somebody that's willing to build a relationship and connect with them and engage with them has a much better opportunity to pass down that experience and that wisdom than somebody who wouldn't have that relationship," Gerhardt said. "That means a lot more to millennials than it has to prior generations."

Gerhardt coined a term — "gentelligence" — to emphasize how important it is to be emotionally intelligent when dealing with multiple generations at work.

"The best organizations and the most successful ones — so in this case, that team — they're viewing that as an opportunity rather than a threat," Gerhardt said. "That, as a strategy, whether it's on a field or in a company, is a lot more rare than we would expect."

Brady's youngest teammates, according to Kilgore, say he's figured it out.

"He's a very down-to-earth guy, easy to talk to," Deatrich Wise Jr., a 24-year-old defensive end, said. "That's what makes him so likable and lovable on the team, how he builds team chemistry amongst everybody on the

team, through just talking, just interacting. ... He doesn't allow the stature he has to distance himself from everybody."

It doesn't matter how old or how experienced we are, we all crave respect. And, just as new employees need to respect older generations' seniority and experience, people with several years under their belt need to respect the talent and potential of younger generations, Mind Tools points out.

Both thrive when that happens.

Bill Murphy Jr. is a contributing editor at Inc.com.

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OBITUARIES

ROBERT J. CAMPBELL 1939-2019

Hall of Famer started 16-inch softball teams

BY BOB GOLDSBOROUGH
Chicago Tribune

Robert J. Campbell was a member of Chicago's 16-Inch Softball Hall of Fame and, while an avid player of the game, also had a long career working for Albany, N.Y.-based softball manufacturer J. deBeer and Sons.

"He was a great player and promoter of softball, and from my vantage point, he is one of the most important ambassadors in the history of the game," said Al Maag, the co-founder of the Chicago 16-inch Softball Hall of Fame. "He just did extraordinary things."

Campbell, 79, died Jan. 3 at Northwestern Memorial Hospital in Chicago of complications from an open-heart surgery that he had undergone about two weeks earlier, said his wife of more than 20 years, Barbara. He had been a Huntley resident for the past six years and previously had lived in the northwest suburbs.

Born in Oak Park, Campbell grew up in the West Side's Austin neighborhood and attended Austin High School. At age 17, he entered the Marine Corps.

Returning home, Campbell worked in construction for a time. In 1961, he started a 16-inch team called the Bucs that played at Clarendon Park on Chicago's North Side. He later played for teams including the Stoppers and the Bobcats before he moved to the



FAMILY PHOTO

Robert J. Campbell was inducted into the Chicago 16-inch Softball Hall of Fame in 1996.

suburbs and started the Buffalo Grove Bruins, a team that he also managed.

Campbell's enthusiasm for the game prompted him to co-found a magazine in 1974 called Windy City Softball. The magazine also co-sponsored the Windy City Classic, a tournament featuring the area's top 16-inch softball teams.

In 1977, Campbell joined deBeer as its Chicago-based promotion and sales director.

"It was a dream come true" for Campbell to join deBeer, his wife said. "And he was here (in the Chicago area), because this is the mecca for 16-inch softball."

Campbell rose to become deBeer's national sales and promotions director. While at deBeer, he designed the company's first aluminum softball bat, which was known as the "Clincher."

Campbell was inducted into the Chicago 16-inch Softball Hall of Fame in 1996.

Fellow Hall of Fame member George Bliss recalled broadcasting on the old SportsChannel cable channel in the 1990s with Mike North, and having Campbell on the show to provide pointers on 16-inch softball.

"His TV work was magnificent," Bliss said.

Campbell offered softball hitting clinics and seminars to players. Through his own company, Bob Campbell Enterprises, he sold a video, titled "The Art of Hitting Slow-Pitch Softball."

After retiring from deBeer in 2004, Campbell continued to golf and play basketball and also traveled on Christian mission trips around the world, including to Cuba.

"He brought much equipment to the poor kids on the streets of Havana," Bliss said.

A first marriage ended in divorce. In addition to his second wife, Campbell is survived by two sons, Scott and Rick; a stepson, Jonathan Hatch; a stepdaughter, Kristi Stempien; and four grandchildren.

A memorial service will take place at noon Feb. 8 in the chapel at Willow Creek Community Church, 67 Algonquin Road, South Barrington.

Bob Goldsborough is a freelance reporter.

Chicago Daily Tribune

ON JANUARY 28 ...

In 1878 the first commercial telephone switchboard went into operation, in New Haven, Conn. **Also in 1878** the first daily college newspaper, the Yale News, began publication in New Haven, Conn.

In 1909 the United States ended direct control over Cuba.

In 1915 the Coast Guard was created by an act of Congress.

In 1916 Louis Brandeis was appointed by President Woodrow Wilson to the Supreme Court, becoming its first Jewish member.

In 1922 the Decatur Staleys professional football franchise was renamed the Chicago Bears.

In 1945, during World War II, Allied supplies began reaching China over the newly reopened Burma Road.

In 1956 Elvis Presley made his first national TV appearance on "Stage Show," a CBS program hosted by Tommy and Jimmy Dorsey.

In 1973 a cease-fire officially went into effect in the Vietnam War.

In 1978 fire swept through the historic downtown Coates House hotel in Kansas City, Missouri, killing 20 people.

In 1980 six U.S. diplomats who had avoided being taken hostage at their embassy in Tehran were flown out of Iran with the help of Canadian diplomats.

In 1982 Italian anti-terrorism forces rescued U.S. Brig. Gen. James L. Dozier, 42 days after he had been kidnapped by the Red Brigades.

In 1986 the space shuttle Challenger exploded 73 seconds after blastoff from Cape Canaveral, killing all seven crew members, including schoolteacher Christa McAuliffe.

In 1988 a 13-day standoff in Marion, Utah, between police and a polygamist clan ended in gunfire that killed a state corrections officer, Fred House, and seriously wounded the group's leader, Addam Swapp, who ended up serving more than 25 years behind bars.

In 1991 football legend Harold "Red" Grange, who played for the University of Illinois and Chicago Bears in the 1920s and '30s, died in Lake Wales, Fla.; he was 87.

In 1993 the Israeli Supreme Court unanimously upheld the deportations of 400 Palestinians from the occupied territories to Lebanon.

In 1994, in Los Angeles, Superior Court Judge Stanley Weisberg declared a mistrial in the case of Lyle Menendez, just over two weeks after a mistrial was declared in the case of Lyle's brother, Erik; both juries had deadlocked over whether the brothers were guilty of murder in the shooting deaths of their wealthy parents. (Lyle and Erik Menendez were later retried, convicted of murder and sentenced to life in prison without parole.)

In 1996 France set off a

sixth underground nuclear blast in the South Pacific, the last in a series of atomic tests that generated protests worldwide.

In 1999 Ford Motor Co. announced it was buying the Volvo car division in a \$6.45 billion deal. (Ford ended up selling the Volvo unit in 2010 to China's Zhejiang Geely Holding Group for \$1.8 billion.) **Also in 1999** Missouri Gov. Mel Carnahan honored a personal request for mercy from Pope John Paul II, sparing triple murderer Darrell Mease from being executed.

In 2002 Hamid Karzai became the first Afghan leader to visit Washington in 39 years; President George W. Bush promised a "lasting partnership" with Afghanistan. **Also in 2002** "Pippi Longstocking" creator Astrid Lindgren died in Stockholm; she was 84.

In 2003 President George W. Bush, girding the nation for war, said in his State of the Union address that Saddam Hussein had shown "utter contempt" for the world community and had to be held to account.

In 2004 British Prime Minister Tony Blair won vindication when a judge said the BBC was wrong to report the government had "sexed up" intelligence to justify war in Iraq. **Also in 2004** former U.S. Navy commander Lloyd "Pete" Bucher, who helped his USS Pueblo crew survive brutal captivity in North Korea, then faced criticism back home, died in Poway, Calif.; he was 76.

In 2005 Iraqis overseas began three days of voting in 14 nations. **Also in 2005** consumer products giant Procter & Gamble Co. and Gillette Co. announced a \$57 billion merger.

In 2014 a winter storm trapped thousands of motorists on roadways in Alabama and Georgia and brought Atlanta, the ninth-largest U.S. city, to a standstill. Authorities said 10 people died across the Southeast. **Also in 2014** a group of Northwestern University football players filed papers to create the first labor union for college athletes.

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Pick 4 evening **5372 / 6**
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Jan. 28 Lotto: \$8M
Jan. 29 Mega Millions: \$109M
Jan. 30 Powerball: \$174M

WISCONSIN
Jan. 27
Pick 3 **908**
Pick 4 **0354**
Badger 5 **03 07 18 19 22**
SuperCash **08 10 24 29 30 32**

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Daily 4 midday **4368 / 7**
Daily 3 evening **077 / 7**
Daily 4 evening **8720 / 7**
Cash 5 **13 22 23 37 40**

MICHIGAN
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Daily 4 midday **6440**
Daily 3 evening **682**
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Death Notices

Berger, Dorothy

Dorothy "Nana" Berger, 99, beloved wife of the late Lawrence; loving mother of Bob (Helene) Berger and Dale Berger-Daar (the late Stephen Daar); loving grandmother of Rhonda (Robbie) Ball, Michele (Tony) Perkins, and Mitchell Daar; adoring great-grandmother to Alexa, Ashley & Ryan Ball and Shea, Blake & Britton Perkins; dear sister to Ralph (Betty) Becker; devoted daughter of the late Morris and Anna Becker; loved by many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Chapel service 12:15 PM Wednesday, Jan 30th at Shalom Memorial Park, 1700 W. Rand Rd., Arlington Heights. Private Interment. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in her memory to Cancer Research Institute (cancersearch.org) or Transplant Village at Northwestern Memorial Hospital (transplantvillage.org). For information or to leave condolences: 847-255-3520 or shalom2.com


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Brown, Richard Holbrook

BROWN, Richard Holbrook. Distinguished historian, educator and Academic Vice President of the Newberry Library, Richard H. Brown died January 16 after a brief illness. He was 91. Born in Boston, MA to Joseph R. and Sylvia (Cook) Brown, he grew up in Pasadena, CA, and graduated from Yale College in 1949. He earned a PhD. in American history, also at Yale, in 1955. He taught at the University of Massachusetts Amherst and at Northern Illinois University, and directed the Amherst Project, formally known as the Committee on Teaching History, an innovative program for training teachers of history to use primary source materials. He was the author of The Hero and the People: The Meaning of Jacksonian Democracy (1964), a number of influential textbooks, and The Ideal Library of the Continent (2012), which recounts the founding of the Newberry Library. At the Newberry he served successively as director of the Seminar in the Humanities, Associate Director for Research and Education, and Academic Vice President until his retirement in 1994. He is credited with creating the Newberry's groundbreaking research and education programs, which have been imitated widely in research libraries around the U.S., and he was mentor and friend to many young historians who passed through the Newberry. He was also a co-founder of the Chicago Metro History Fair, a member of the Ogden School Local School Council, and a lifelong fan of the Chicago Cubs. He was preceded in death by his partner of 38 years, William Lloyd Barber. Burial will be private, and a memorial is planned for spring at the Newberry.


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Caprini, Ronald G.

Ronald G. Caprini, 85, of Naperville, went to be with the Lord January 25, 2019. Beloved husband of Judith Caprini; loving father of Brian (Charlotte) Caprini and Jeff Caprini; proud grandfather of Dylan, Lauren, Ryan, Kylie and Ashley; dear brother of Linda (Dr. Ken) Sanders; fond brother in law/cousin of Dennis (Diane) Gaggini, fond cousin of Gloria Biccichi, Ray (Sharon) Caprini, Irene DeCarlo, David Malessa and Ron Malessa. Dear uncle of many nieces and nephews. Visitation Friday from 4 to 8 p.m. at **Williams-Kampp Funeral Home** 430 E. Roosevelt Rd. Wheaton, IL 60187. Funeral prayers Saturday 10 a.m. at the funeral home proceeding to 10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Michael Catholic Church 310 S. Wheaton Ave. Wheaton, IL 60187. Interment Assumption Cemetery Wheaton, IL. In lieu of flowers donations appreciated to The Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research P.O. Box 5014 Hagerstown, MD 21741-5014 or American Parkinson's Disease Association Midwest Chapter 1800 North Main Street Suite 215 Wheaton, Illinois 60187. Info @ www.williams-kampp.com or (630) 668-0016.
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Drozd, Alvina C.

Alvina C. Drozd nee Bermes, age 92, founding member of St. Rene Goupil Church, passed away peacefully at her home surrounded by her loving family. Beloved Wife of the late Benton K. Devoted and loving Mother of Donna (Robert) Mulcahy, Nancy (Thomas) Quinn, Garrett (Barbara) Drozd, Thomas (Georgia) Drozd, Sharon (Alan retired C.P.D.) Yakes, and Brian (Danielle) Drozd. Dearest Grandmother of Lisa (fiancé Peter Mahlmeister) Manzella, Nicole (James) Constantinidis, Kelly Drozd, Danielle Yakes, Justine (Joshua) Johnson, Joseph C.P.D. (Amanda)Yakes, Megan Drozd, Jamie (Jacob) Lincoln, Kathleen Drozd, Michael Drozd (U.S. Army), Allison Quinn and Grant Drozd. Proud Great Grandmother of Titus, Jude and Silas. Dear Sister of the late Jeanette Last and the late Bernard (Virginia) Bermes. She will be dearly missed by her loving family and friends. Her greatest joy was her loving family and we were blessed to have her in our lives. Visitation Tuesday 3 PM to 9 PM at **FORAN FUNERAL HOME** 7300 West Archer Ave. (55th Street just west of Harlem). Funeral Wednesday 9:30 AM from the funeral home to St. Rene Goupil Church for a 10 AM Mass of Christian Burial. Interment Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. In lieu of flowers donation to the American Kidney Fund (kidneyfund.org) would be appreciated. Condolences may be sent to Alvina's family on her personal tribute website at www.foranfuneralhome.com. For information 708-458-0208


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Finn May, Barbara Ann

Barbara Finn May nee Sullivan, 88 of Palatine, beloved wife of the late Jim Finn and Jim May; mother of James (Sue) Finn IV, Mary (Jim) Petermann, Maureen Finn, Bob (Kathy) Finn, Joanne Carroll, John Finn, and Michael Finn, Maryann (Steve) Radowski; her 29 grandchildren and great grandchildren; sisters-In-Law, Lois Sullivan, and Barbara Finn; and many nieces and nephews. Visitation from 9:30 am until time of Mass at 11:00 am, Thursday at Holy Family Catholic Church, 2515 W. Palatine Rd., Inverness. Interment St. Michael Cemetery. Please omit flowers. Funeral information and condolences www.GluckertFuneralHome.com or (847) 253-0168.


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Gayle, Donald D.

Donald D. Gayle, 86, beloved husband of Joyce nee Goodman for 61 years; loving father of Kenneth (the late Jacqueline), Amy and Julie Gayle; cherished Papa of Leah, Paige, Zane and Haley; dear brother of Roberta Ross, the late Warren (the late Roberta) Gayle and Lois Mosenson; many loving nieces and nephews. Chapel service, Wednesday 10 AM at **Shalom Memorial Funeral Home**, 1700 W. Rand Road, Arlington Heights. Interment Shalom Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (JDRF), Northeast Wisconsin Chapter - Team Paige's Partners, 1800 Appleton Road, Suite 2, Menasha, Wisconsin, 54952. For information or condolences, (847) 255-3520 or www.shalom2.com


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Gory, Betty

Betty Gory, of Oak Brook, formerly of North Riverside and Chicago; former parishoner at Old Saint Mary's Catholic Church; beloved friend, lover, partner and wife of Tom; loving mother of James, Lee (Sharon) and Bob (Kathy) Bailey, Cheryl (Mike) Burns, Michele (Charlie) Reeves, Dan (Christel) Gory and Bob (Gloria) Gory and Mary (David) Nash; proud grandmother of 19 including the late James Lee Bailey and great-grandmother of 8. Visitation Tuesday, 3:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. **Gibbons Funeral Home**, 134 South York Road, (1/2 mile North of Saint Charles Road), Elmhurst. Friends and family will meet for a Mass of Christian Burial Wednesday, 9:15 a.m. at Visitation Catholic Church, 779 South York Road, (at Madison), Elmhurst. Interment Resurrection Catholic Cemetery, Justice. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 225 N Michigan Ave., Ste 1200, Chicago, IL 60601 or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 51 S. Jude's Place, Memphis, TN 38105. For funeral information please call 630-832-0018 or www.gibbonsfuneralhome.com

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Gosciniak, Henry F.

Henry F. Gosciniak, age 94, World War II & Korean War U.S. Navy veteran, a resident of Naperville, IL since 1997, formerly of Chicago, IL, passed away on Saturday, January 26, 2019 at Seasons Hospice Home in Naperville. He was born December 31, 1924 in Chicago, IL. Beloved husband of Frieda J. Gosciniak (nee Kulinski), whom he married July 11, 1959, loving father of John (Gayle) Gosciniak of Naperville and Renee (Mark) Dworkin of Wheaton, IL, adored grandfather of John "Jay" and Patrick Gosciniak; Josie and Julieanne Dworkin, devoted son of the late Francis and Josephine (nee Buchholz) Gosciniak, dear brother of the late Marion, Casimir and Regina "Reggie", fond uncle, great-uncle and friend of many. Visitation Thursday, January 31, 2019, 9:30-10:45 AM in the narthex at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church, 1500 Brookdale Rd., Naperville. A Mass of Christian Burial will follow Thursday, 11:00 AM in the church. Interment: Assumption Cemetery, Wheaton, IL. Arrangements by **Friedrich-Jones Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Naperville, IL**. For a complete obituary, please visit www.friedrich-jones.com or call (630) 355-0213 for more information.


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Jacobs, Marvin Eli

Marvin Eli Jacobs. Beloved husband of Patsy Jacobs. Loving father of Marcee (Bruce) Kramer, Caryn (Larry) Davis, Keith (Juli) Jacobs, and the late Kenneth Jacobs. Proud grandfather of Danielle (Jonathan) Katz, Jessica (Scott) Rosen, Shanna (Mark) Carpenter, Brandon (Monica) Davis, Merrill Davis, Taylor Jacobs, Noah Jacobs, and Chelsey Jacobs. Cherished great-grandfather of Jordyn, Braden, and Hazel. Dear brother of Shirley Homer, the late Joseph (Barbara) Jacobs, and the late Leslie (Ralph) Silver. Memorial Service Tuesday, 12 Noon with shiva to follow until 5 PM at North Shore Congregation Israel, 1185 Sheridan Rd., Glencoe. In lieu of flowers, memorials in his memory to Honor Flight Chicago, www.honorflightchicago.org. Arrangements by **Chicago Jewish Funerals** - Buffalo Grove Chapel, 847.229.8822, www.cjfinfo.com.



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Krejczyk (Nowak), Josephine L.

Josephine L. Krejczyk was born in Chicago, Illinois on March 10, 1944 and has entered Heaven's gates on January 6, 2019. Residing in Tinley Park, Illinois with her family, Josephine was a Dear Mother and Homemaker. Josephine spent her life helping others and loved to volunteer her time in the community.

Josephine is survived by her husband of 57 yrs. John Krejczyk Sr., her children Linda Krejczyk-Benes, June (Daniel) Quigley, Kimberly (Andrew) Molter, Dawn Krejczyk and John Jr. (Colleen) Krejczyk. Cherished Grandmother of 10: Demi, David, Nicole, Joseph, Danielle, Scot, Jaydyn, Prestyn, Londyn and Landyn. She is also survived by many other relatives. Josephine was loved by many.

A Private Prayer service was held on January 8, 2019 at Oehler Funeral Home in Des Plaines, Illinois.

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Mais, Shirley

Shirley B. Mais, nee Brinsko, 86, of Addison, passed away January 16, 2019. Beloved wife for 63 years of Roland F. Mais. Loving mother of Catherine (Robert) Barthel, David Mais, Susan (Reinhold) Seidler, John (Misa) Mais, and James Mais. Cherished grandmother of 12 and great-grandmother of 13. Dear sister of Jacqueline and the late Carol, and aunt to many. Her beloved family was her priority, and friendships and travel were added joys in her life. Friends and family will meet Saturday, February 2nd, at St. Philip the Apostle Catholic Church, 1223 W. Holtz Avenue, Addison for Funeral Mass at 11 am.

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McKenna, Rev. George P.
Rev. George P. McKenna, Age 99, a Catholic priest for 75 years in the Archdiocese of Chicago, born into eternal life on January 25, 2019. Beloved son of the late Patrick and Mary O'Malley McKenna. Loving brother of the late Catherine (Frank) McGlynn, John (Kay) McKenna, and Frank (Anne) McKenna. Cherished uncle, grand uncle, and great grand uncle to many nieces and nephews. Fr. George was a graduate of St. Theodore Grammar School, Quigley Seminary North, and St. Mary of the Lake Seminary. He was ordained on May 6, 1944 by Samuel Cardinal Stritch and faithfully served the Archdiocese of Chicago for 75 years. His assignments included: Maryville Academy (1944-1949), Teacher at Quigley Seminary North and South (1949-1968), Christ the King (1963-1968), Pastor of St. Barnabas Parish (1970-1976), Missionary at Fairbanks Diocese in Northern Alaska (1976-1977), Pastor of St. Catherine of Alexandria (1978-1982), Associate Pastor of Our Lady of Snows (1982-1989). He was the Proud Founder and Chaplain of the Chicago Midway Airport Chapel (1988-2011). Jerusalem captured his heart and he pilgrimaged to the Holy Land 27 times over the years. Fr. George is fondly remembered as the author of four books on the "3-Minute Homily," publisher of his personal blog "God is Good" that reached 147 countries, and for his exceptional golf skills that made him 8-time champion at the Chicago Clergy Annual Tournament. Lying-in-State on Thursday, January 31st from 2:00pm-8:00pm and Friday morning, February 1st, from 10:00am-11:00am, at St. Barnabas Church, 10134 S. Longwood Dr. Chicago, IL 60643. Liturgical Wake Service Thursday evening at 7:00pm. Concelebrated Mass of Christian Burial on Friday at 11:00am. Interment Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Memorials to Poor Clares Monastery, 12210 S. Will Cook Road, Palos Park, IL 60464 are most appreciated. Funeral Info: **Heeney-Laughlin Funeral Directors**, 708-636-5500 or heeneyfh.com

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Muka, June
June C. Muka, nee Peter. Beloved wife of the late John; loving mother of Gary, Dean, Jerry (the late Gasper) Grasso, John M. (Victoria) and Lori (Larry) Papciak; dear Grandmother of 12; Gt. Grandmother of 8; fond sister of Richard and the late Fred Peter. Visitation at the **Cooney Funeral Home**, 625 Busse Hwy., Park Ridge, IL from 3 to 8pm Tuesday. Funeral service Wednesday at 10am. Int. (Private) Abraham Lincoln. In lieu of flowers donations to Special Olympics Illinois would be appreciated (www.soill.org).
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Stein, Lawrence
Lawrence Stein, age 82, beloved husband of Carole Stein (Cohn). Loving father of Cheryl (Robert) Wasserman and Douglas (Carolyn) Stein. Proud grandfather of Seth and Manya, Noah, Alexander, Carter, Andrew, Rachel, Brad, Jamie, Matthew, and Josh. Caring brother of the late Alvin Nemetz. Service Tuesday, 10 AM at **Chicago Jewish Funerals**, 195 North Buffalo Grove Rd., (one block North of Lake Cook Rd.) Buffalo Grove. Interment Shalom Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, memorials in his memory may be made to the Gurnee Chabad, www.chabadofgurnee.com. Arrangements by **Chicago Jewish Funerals** - Buffalo Grove - 847.229.8822, www.cjfnfo.com.

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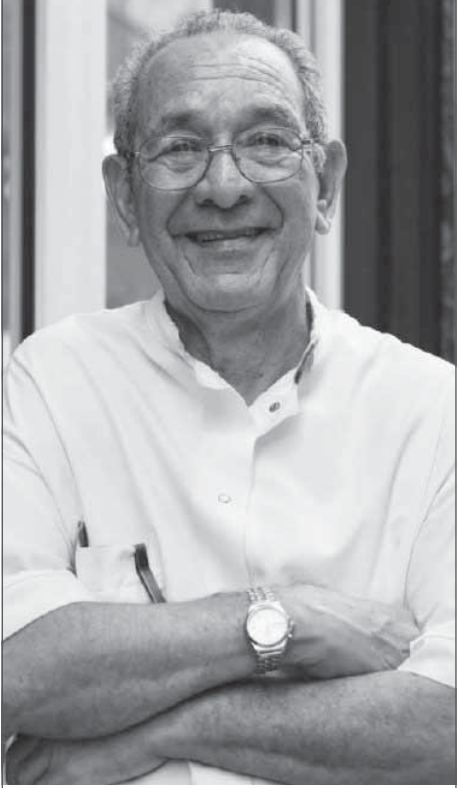
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James J. Svoboda, age 85, passed away January 25, 2019 in Westfield, Indiana. Loving husband of 64 years to Joyce Svoboda; dear brother of Helen (Tim) Heybrock; cherished uncle of 9, great uncle of 13, great-great uncle of 2; dearest friend many. Jim's humor & love of hunting brought joy to all he met. United States Marines Corps, Korean War Veteran. Visitation Tuesday January 29th 3:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Funeral Service Wednesday 11:00 AM at **Adams-Winterfield & Sullivan** Funeral Home, 4343 Main St. Downers Grove, Illinois. Interment Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Alzheimer's Association, www.alz.org appreciated. 630-968-1000 or www.adamswinterfieldsullivan.com

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS JUVENILE JUSTICE AND CHILD PROTECTION DEPARTMENT CHILD PROTECTION DIVISION

IN THE INTEREST OF
Jeremy Tatum

MINOR(S) CHILD(REN) OF Tavia Tate (Mother)

JUVENILE NO.: 18JA00932

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

NOTICE IS GIVEN YOU, **Antwain Ferguson (Father)**, AKA **Antwain Ferguson**, respondents, and to **All Whom It May Concern**, that on **September 19, 2018**, a petition was filed under the Juvenile Court Act by **KIM FOX** in this court and that in the courtroom of Judge **Maxwell Griffin** in the Cook County Juvenile Court Building, 1100 So. Hamilton Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, ON **02/19/2019**, at **2:30 PM** in CALENDAR 10 COURTROOM J, or as soon thereafter as this case may be heard, an adjudicatory hearing will be held upon the petition to have the minor declared to be a ward of the court and for other relief under the Act.

THE COURT HAS AUTHORITY IN THIS CASE TO TAKE FROM YOU THE CUSTODY AND GUARDIANSHIP OF THE MINOR, TO TERMINATE YOUR PARENTAL RIGHTS AND TO APPOINT A GUARDIAN WITH POWER TO CONSENT TO ADOPTION. YOU MAY LOSE ALL PARENTAL RIGHTS TO YOUR CHILD, IF THE PETITION REQUESTS THE TERMINATION OF YOUR PARENTAL RIGHTS AND APPOINTMENT OF A GUARDIAN WITH POWER TO CONSENT TO ADOPTION. YOU MAY LOSE ALL PARENTAL RIGHTS TO THE CHILD.

UNLESS YOU appear, you will not be entitled to further written notices or publication notices of the proceedings in this case, including the filing of an amended petition or a motion to terminate parental rights.

UNLESS YOU appear at the hearing and show cause against the petition, the allegations of the petition may stand admitted as against you and each of you, and an order or judgment entered.

DOROTHY BROWN, CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
January 28, 2019

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS JUVENILE JUSTICE AND CHILD PROTECTION DEPARTMENT JUVENILE JUSTICE DIVISION

IN THE INTEREST OF
Jeremiah Wilson

A MINOR
NO. 2017JD050053

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Notice is given you, **Shelia Wilson (Mother)**, respondents, and to **ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN**, that on **December 14, 2017**, a petition was filed under the Juvenile Court Act by **KIM FOX**, STATE'S ATTORNEY OF COOK COUNTY through her assistant State's Attorney in this court and that in the courtroom of Judge **Kristal Royce Rivers** in the Cook County 31st Municipal Courthouse located at 10220 South 76th Avenue, Bridgeview, Illinois on **02/01/2019** at **9:30 AM** in CALENDAR 75 COURTROOM 030 ,

or as soon thereafter as this case may be heard, an adjudicatory hearing will be held upon the petition to have the minor declared to be a ward of the court and for other relief under the Act. The court has authority in this case to take from you the custody and guardianship of the minor.

Unless you appear at the hearing and show cause to the contrary, an order or judgment by default may be entered against you for the relief asked in the petition.

DOROTHY BROWN, CLERK OF COURT
January 28, 2019

ASSISTANT STATE'S ATTORNEY:
L. Carlson, E. Sheehan, J. Konstantopoulos

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS
ADDRESS: 10220 South 76th Avenue
CITY/STATE: Bridgeview, Illinois 60455
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (708) 974-6260
ATTORNEY NO.: 33182

CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT,
COOK COUNTY OF ILLINOIS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS JUVENILE JUSTICE AND CHILD PROTECTION DEPARTMENT CHILD PROTECTION DIVISION

IN THE INTEREST OF
Joshua Sivels

MINOR(S) CHILD(REN) OF Tawanda Sivels (Mother)

JUVENILE NO.: 16JA00914

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

NOTICE IS GIVEN YOU, **Unknown (Father)**, respondents, and to **All Whom It May Concern**, that on **October 3, 2018**, a petition was filed under the Juvenile Court Act by **KIM FOX** in this court and that in the courtroom of Judge **Nicholas Geanopoulos** in the Cook County Juvenile Court Building, 1100 So. Hamilton Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, ON **02/19/2019**, at **10:30 AM** in CALENDAR 17 COURTROOM K, or as soon thereafter as this case may be heard, a hearing will be held upon the petition to terminate your parental rights and appoint a guardian with power to consent to adoption.

THE COURT HAS AUTHORITY IN THIS CASE TO TAKE FROM YOU THE CUSTODY AND GUARDIANSHIP OF THE MINOR, TO TERMINATE YOUR PARENTAL RIGHTS AND TO APPOINT A GUARDIAN WITH POWER TO CONSENT TO ADOPTION. YOU MAY LOSE ALL PARENTAL RIGHTS TO YOUR CHILD, IF THE PETITION REQUESTS THE TERMINATION OF YOUR PARENTAL RIGHTS AND APPOINTMENT OF A GUARDIAN WITH POWER TO CONSENT TO ADOPTION. YOU MAY LOSE ALL PARENTAL RIGHTS TO THE CHILD.

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UNLESS YOU appear at the hearing and show cause against the petition, the allegations of the petition may stand admitted as against you and each of you, and an order or judgment entered.

DOROTHY BROWN, CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
January 28, 2019

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS JUVENILE JUSTICE AND CHILD PROTECTION DEPARTMENT CHILD PROTECTION DIVISION

IN THE INTEREST OF
Keith Stevenson

MINOR(S) CHILD(REN) OF Tawanda Sivels (Mother)

JUVENILE NO.: 17JA01255

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

NOTICE IS GIVEN YOU, **Charles "Oshae" Long (Father)**, **Unknown (Father)**, respondents, and to **All Whom It May Concern**, that on **December 6, 2018**, a petition was filed under the Juvenile Court Act by **KIM FOX** in this court and that in the courtroom of Judge **Nicholas Geanopoulos** in the Cook County Juvenile Court Building, 1100 So. Hamilton Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, ON **02/19/2019**, at **10:30 AM** in CALENDAR 17 COURTROOM K, or as soon thereafter as this case may be heard, a hearing will be held upon the petition to terminate your parental rights and appoint a guardian with power to consent to adoption.

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DOROTHY BROWN, CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
January 28, 2019

LEGAL NOTICES
GOVERNMENT/EDUCATION

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS JUVENILE JUSTICE AND CHILD PROTECTION DEPARTMENT CHILD PROTECTION DIVISION

IN THE INTEREST OF
Rayne Melissa Morris

MINOR(S) CHILD(REN) OF Deloris Harris (Mother)

JUVENILE NO.: 16JA01032

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

NOTICE IS GIVEN YOU, **Deloris Harris (Mother)**, respondents, and to **All Whom It May Concern**, that on **September 25, 2019**, a petition was filed under the Juvenile Court Act by **KIM FOX** in this court and that in the courtroom of Judge **Bernard Sarley** in the Cook County Juvenile Court Building, 1100 So. Hamilton Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, ON **02/19/2019**, at **1:30 PM** in CALENDAR 9 COURTROOM I, or as soon thereafter as this case may be heard, a hearing will be held upon the petition to terminate your parental rights and appoint a guardian with power to consent to adoption.

THE COURT HAS AUTHORITY IN THIS CASE TO TAKE FROM YOU THE CUSTODY AND GUARDIANSHIP OF THE MINOR, TO TERMINATE YOUR PARENTAL RIGHTS AND TO APPOINT A GUARDIAN WITH POWER TO CONSENT TO ADOPTION. YOU MAY LOSE ALL PARENTAL RIGHTS TO YOUR CHILD, IF THE PETITION REQUESTS THE TERMINATION OF YOUR PARENTAL RIGHTS AND APPOINTMENT OF A GUARDIAN WITH POWER TO CONSENT TO ADOPTION. YOU MAY LOSE ALL PARENTAL RIGHTS TO THE CHILD.

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DOROTHY BROWN, CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
January 28, 2019

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS JUVENILE JUSTICE AND CHILD PROTECTION DEPARTMENT CHILD PROTECTION DIVISION

IN THE INTEREST OF
Tatneisha Hatter

MINOR(S) CHILD(REN) OF Cassandra Carradine (Mother)

JUVENILE NO.: 16JA00227

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

NOTICE IS GIVEN YOU, **Unknown (Father)**, and **Cassandra Carradine (Mother)**, respondents, and to **All Whom It May Concern**, that on **December 6, 2018**, a petition was filed under the Juvenile Court Act by **KIM FOX** in this court and that in the courtroom of Judge **Nicholas Geanopoulos** in the Cook County Juvenile Court Building, 1100 So. Hamilton Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, ON **02/19/2019**, at **10:00 AM** in CALENDAR 17 COURTROOM K, or as soon thereafter as this case may be heard, a hearing will be held upon the petition to terminate your parental rights and appoint a guardian with power to consent to adoption.

THE COURT HAS AUTHORITY IN THIS CASE TO TAKE FROM YOU THE CUSTODY AND GUARDIANSHIP OF THE MINOR, TO TERMINATE YOUR PARENTAL RIGHTS AND TO APPOINT A GUARDIAN WITH POWER TO CONSENT TO ADOPTION. YOU MAY LOSE ALL PARENTAL RIGHTS TO YOUR CHILD, IF THE PETITION REQUESTS THE TERMINATION OF YOUR PARENTAL RIGHTS AND APPOINTMENT OF A GUARDIAN WITH POWER TO CONSENT TO ADOPTION. YOU MAY LOSE ALL PARENTAL RIGHTS TO THE CHILD.

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DOROTHY BROWN, CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
January 28, 2019

LEGAL NOTICES

DATE ADVERTISED: MONDAY, JANUARY 28, 2019 COUNTY OF COOK OFFICE OF THE CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER FOR THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF JUDGE, STATE OF ILLINOIS: CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY INVITATION FOR BID (IFB) FOR LUNCH AND DINNER MEALS AND ADDITIONAL BEVERAGES FOR COOK COUNTY COURTHOUSES. CONTRACT NO. 1953-17736

IFB Document: The IFB document is available for download at: <https://legacy.cookcountygov.com/purchasing/bids/listAllBids.php>

Contact Person: If you are not able to download the IFB or if you have other questions, please contact Kevin Casey, Specifications Engineer III, at (312) 603-6830 or kevin.casey@cookcountyl.gov

Non-Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference Date, Time, and Location Thursday, February 7, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. (CST) Office of the Chief Procurement Officer Cook County Building 118 N. Clark Street, Room 1018 Chicago, Illinois 60602

Questions: Questions can be submitted in writing to the contact person above until Monday, February 11, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. (CST)

Bid Due Date, Time, and Location: Wednesday, February 27, 2019 at 10:00 AM (CST) Office of the Chief Procurement Officer Cook County Building 118 N. Clark Street, Room 1018 Chicago, Illinois 60602

Toni Preckwinkle, President Cook County Board of Commissioners

Raffi Sarrafian, Chief Procurement Officer

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Contact Person: If you are not able to download the Bid or if you have other questions, please contact Hermine Wise, Contract Negotiator, at (312) 603-3950 or hermine.wise@cookcountyl.gov

Questions: Questions can be submitted in writing to the contact person above until 5:00 PM, February 4, 2019.

Proposal Due Date, Time, and Location: February 20, 2019 at 10:00 A.M. (CST) Office of the Chief Procurement Officer Cook County Building 118 N. Clark Street, Room 1018 Chicago, Illinois 60602

Toni Preckwinkle, President Cook County Board of Commissioners

Raffi Sarrafian, Chief Procurement Officer

Late Proposals Will Not Be Accepted

NOTICE

METROPOLITAN WATER RECLAMATION DISTRICT OF GREATER CHICAGO

CONTRACT 19-612-21

ROOF RESTORATION AT THE LOCKPORT POWERHOUSE

Notice is hereby given that the bid opening for the above-cited contract has been changed from Tuesday, February 12, 2019, to **Tuesday, February 26, 2019**. Further information is included on Addendum #3, dated January 25, 2019, which has been posted to www.mwrd.org.

Darlene A. LoCascio
Director
Procurement and Materials Management
Chicago, Illinois
Pub: 1/28/2019 6110970

LEGAL NOTICES

The Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago will be accepting applications for the following classifications):

Machinist (Original)

Application Filing Period: January 25, 2019 through February 8, 2019. **Examination Date:** February 23, 2019. Location: To be announced. **Scope of Examination:** Knowledge of machinist practices, **Nature of Position and Duties:** Under supervision, performs skilled manual work in connection with the operation of precision machine tools used in fabricating metal parts. Installs, repairs and maintains mechanical equipment in the shop and in the field. **Pay:** \$48.38 per hour

Master Mechanic (Promotional)

Application Filing Period: January 25, 2019 through February 8, 2019. **Examination Date:** February 22, 2019 at MWRD Main Office Building Annex, 111 E. Erie Street, Chicago, IL. **Scope of Examination:** Knowledge of master mechanic practices, **Nature of Position and Duties:** Under direction, coordinates and directs the repair, maintenance and installation of mechanical equipment and the repair and alteration of structures at sewage treatment and disposal plants, pumping plants and related facilities. **Pay:** \$124,882.16 per year

Pollution Control Technician I (Original)

Application Filing Period: February 1, 2019 through February 8, 2019. **Examination Date:** March 9, 2019 at Northside College Preparatory High School, 5501 North Kedzie Street, Chicago, IL. **Scope of Examination:** Knowledge of Pollution Control Technician I practices, **Nature of Position and Duties:** Under supervision gathers samples of water from streams, waterways, and industrial waste discharges for use in laboratory analysis and performs related duties as required. **Pay:** \$29.07 per hour

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DECATUR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ANNEX & RENOVATIONS

ISSUED ON JANUARY 24, 2019

SUBMISSION DUE DATE: Site Utilities, Site Electric, Excavation, Caissons, Building Concrete, & Structural Steel submittals must be completed by 11:00 am on Thursday, February 07, 2019. Masonry, Fireproofing, Roofing, Glazing, Waterproofing, Asphalt, Paving, Site Concrete, Turf, Playground, Landscape, & Permanent Fence submittals must be completed by 11:00 am on Friday, March 22, 2019. All other trade scope submittals must be completed by 11:00 am on Monday, June 17, 2019. Statement of Qualification submittals must be completed electronically through SmartBid. Please send an email to decaturrequal@berglundco.com com Qualification submittals will be due at varying times depending on the trade scope. Please see above for required submittal dates.

CONTACT: Ms. Toni Graham, Diversity & Compliance Manager, tgraham@berglundco.com

DOCUMENT AVAILABLE: Statement of Qualification submittals must be completed electronically through SmartBid. Please send an email to decaturrequal@berglundco.com to receive the applicable materials and link.

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POE CLASSICAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ANNEX & RENOVATIONS

ISSUED ON JANUARY 24, 2019

SUBMISSION DUE DATE: Site Utilities, Site Electric, Excavation, Building Concrete, & Structural Steel submittals must be completed by 11:00 am on Thursday, February 07, 2019. Masonry, Fireproofing, Roofing, Glazing, Waterproofing, Asphalt, Paving, Site Concrete, Landscape, & Permanent Fence submittals must be completed by 11:00 am on Friday, March 22, 2019. All other trade scope submittals must be completed by 11:00 am on Monday, June 17, 2019. Statement of Qualification submittals must be completed electronically through SmartBid. Please send an email to poequal@berglundco.com to receive the applicable materials and link.

CONTACT: Ms. Toni Graham, Diversity & Compliance Manager, tgraham@berglundco.com

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FORECLOSURES

F18050232SVT FAY IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION Wells Fargo Bank, N/A, Plaintiff, vs. Myra L. Cox aka Myra L. Cox-Thompson aka Myra Cox aka Myra L. Cox Thompson; Unknown Beneficiaries of the Myra L. Cox-Thompson Trust, under the provisions of a certain Trust Agreement dated January 8, 1998 and known as Trust Number 7716; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, defendants in the above entitled cause, that suit has been commenced against you and other defendants in the Circuit Court of the Judicial Circuit by said plaintiff praying for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit: LOT 6 IN BLOCK 18 IN SOUTHEAST, A SUBDIVISION OF BLOCKS 17, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 AND 32 IN JAMES STINSON'S SUBDIVISION OF EAST GRAND CROSSING IN THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 25, TOWNSHIP 38 NORTH, RANGE 14, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS. PIN: 20-20-422-000-0000. Commonly known as 7716 South Euclid Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60649, and which said mortgage(s) was/were made by Myra L. Cox, as Successor Trustee, under the provisions of a certain Trust Agreement dated January 8, 1998 and known as Trust Number 7716 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds as Document Number 0727508200 and for other relief; that Summons was duly issued out of the above Court against you as provided by law and that said suit is now pending. NOW THEREFORE, unless you, the said above named defendants, file your answer to the complaint in the said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the Office of the clerk of the Court at Cook County on or before February 27, 2019, a default may be taken against you at any time after that date and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint. E-filing is now mandatory for documents in civil cases with limited exemptions. To e-file, you must first create an account with an e-filing service provider. Visit <http://efile.illinoiscourts.gov/service-providers.htm> to learn more and to select a service provider. If you need additional help or have trouble e-filing, visit <http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/faq/gethelp.asp> or contact the Clerk of this Court. Edward R. Peterka (6220416) MANLEY DEAS KOCHALSKI LLC Attorneys for Plaintiff One East Wacker, Suite 1250, Chicago, IL 60601 Phone: 312-651-6700; Fax: 614-220-5613 Atty. No.: 48928 Email: sef-sanetster@manleydeas.com file number: 18-016406 One of Plaintiff's Attorneys Pub: 1/28, 2/4, 11/2019 6106716

NOONAN & LIEBERMAN, Ltd. (Firm ID: 38245) Attorneys 105 W. Adams, Suite 1800 Chicago, Illinois 60603 STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF COOK, ss - IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION, CHONDRIE REO, LLC (3), Plaintiff, vs. DELOISE CROSS, DELIASBON LLC, A NEVADA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, UNKNOWN OWNERS-TENANTS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, et al., Defendants, Case No. 2018CH04461 The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given to you: UNKNOWN OWNERS-TENANTS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, defendants in the above entitled suit has been commenced in the IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION, by the said plaintiff against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit: LOT 32 IN BLOCK 11 IN ENGLEFIELD IN THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 30, TOWNSHIP 38 NORTH, RANGE 14, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS. PIN: 20-30-412-009-0000. Commonly known as: 7625 S. Damen Ave, Chicago, IL 60620, and which said Mortgage was made by DELIASBON LLC, A NEVADA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, as Mortgageor(s) to Chondrie REO, LLC (3), as Mortgagee, and recorded as Document number 1703822074, and the present owners(s) of the said property are: DELIASBON LLC, A NEVADA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, and for other relief: that summons was duly issued out of said Court against you as provided by law, and that the said suit is now pending. Now, therefore, unless you, the said above named defendants, file your answer to the Complaint in the said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 W. Washington, Room 802, Chicago, IL 60601, on or before February 27, 2019, default may be entered against you at any time after that date and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint. Dated, Chicago, Illinois, January 22, 2019. Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court. THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT PURSUANT TO THE FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT, AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Pub: 1/28, 2/4, 11/2019 6106731

MANLEY, DEAS, KOCHALSKI LLC One East Wacker - Suite 1250 Chicago, IL 60601 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, WELLS FARGO BANK, N/A, Plaintiff, v. CATHERINE MCCELROY; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF CHARLES E. MCCELROY, I, AKA CHARLES E. MCCELROY, AKA CHARLES MCCELROY, I, DECEASED; REGINA MCCELROY; CHARLES MCCELROY, JR.; CARY ROSENTHAL, AS SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE OF CHARLES E. MCCELROY, I, AKA CHARLES MCCELROY, AKA CHARLES MCCELROY, I, DECEASED, Defendants, Case No. 2018CH04661 The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you, Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants, Unknown Heirs and Legatees of Charles E. McElroy, I, AKA Charles E. McElroy, AKA Charles McElroy, I, deceased, Regina McElroy, and the said above named defendants, file your answer to the complaint in said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the Office of the Clerk of the Cook County Judicial Circuit, Cook County, Illinois, on or before February 13, 2019, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint. E-filing is now mandatory for documents in civil cases with limited exemptions. To e-file, you must first create an account with an e-filing service provider. Visit <http://efile.illinoiscourts.gov/service-providers.htm> to learn more and to select a service provider. If you need additional help or have trouble e-filing, visit <http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/faq/gethelp.asp> or contact the Clerk of this Court. Zachariah L. Manchester (6203385) MANLEY DEAS KOCHALSKI LLC Attorneys for Plaintiff One East Wacker, Suite 1250, Chicago, IL 60601 Phone: 312-651-6700; Fax: 614-220-5613 Atty. No.: 48928 Email: sef-sanetster@manleydeas.com file number: 18-010457 One of Plaintiff's Attorneys Pub: 1/14, 21, 28/2019 6085995

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MANLEY, DEAS, KOCHALSKI LLC One East Wacker - Suite 1250 Chicago, IL 60601 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE, LLC D/B/A CHAMPION MORTGAGE COMPANY, Plaintiff, v. CALENDAR LEWIS; FIRST AMERICAN BANK; THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; STATE OF ILLINOIS; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF CHARLES LEWIS AKA CHARLES L. LEWIS, DECEASED; CHANNEL LEWIS; CHARLES LEWIS, AKA CHARLES LEWIS, JR.; VICTOR LEWIS; PHILIP LEWIS; CHARLESTON LEWIS; JOHN LYDON, AKA JACK LYDON, AS SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE OF CHARLES LEWIS, AKA CHARLES L. LEWIS, DECEASED, Defendants, Case No. 2018CH07823 The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you, Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants, Unknown Heirs and Legatees of Charles Lewis AKA Charles L. Lewis, deceased, Charles Lewis, AKA Charles Lewis, Jr., Victor Lewis, that the said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the Cook County Judicial Circuit, Cook County, Illinois by the said plaintiff against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit: The North 1/2 of Lot 62 and all of Lot 63 in Block 4 in Walter H. Field's Addition to Pullman, being a subdivision of Blocks 3, 4, 5, 6 in Allen's Subdivision of the West 49 acres of the East 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 21, Township 37 North, Range 14, East of the Third Principal Meridian, Plat Document No. 842014, in Cook County, Illinois. 11720 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, IL 60628 25-21-418-020-0000 Now, therefore, unless you, Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants, Unknown Heirs and Legatees of Charles Lewis AKA Charles L. Lewis, deceased, Charles Lewis, AKA Charles Lewis, Jr., Victor Lewis, and the said above named defendants, file your answer to the complaint in said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the Office of the Clerk of the Cook County Judicial Circuit, Cook County, Illinois, on or before February 13 2019, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint. E-filing is now mandatory for documents in civil cases with limited exemptions. To e-file, you must first create an account with an e-filing service provider. Visit <http://efile.illinoiscourts.gov/service-providers.htm> to learn more and to select a service provider. If you need additional help or have trouble e-filing, visit <http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/faq/gethelp.asp> or contact the Clerk of this Court. Edward R. Peterka (6220416) MANLEY DEAS KOCHALSKI LLC Attorneys for Plaintiff One East Wacker, Suite 1250, Chicago, IL 60601 Phone: 312-651-6700; Fax: 614-220-5613 Atty. No.: 48928 Email: sef-sanetster@manleydeas.com file number: 18-016406 One of Plaintiff's Attorneys Pub: 1/14, 21, 28/2019 6086002

MANLEY, DEAS, KOCHALSKI LLC One East Wacker - Suite 1250 Chicago, IL 60601 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, DITCH FINANCIAL LLC, Plaintiff, v. RICKY DAVIS; LIBERTY LUMBER & GEN. CONSTR. CO, INC.; PORTLAND RECYCLOS ASSOCIATED LLC; STATE OF ILLINOIS; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF ROSE M. DAVIS, DECEASED; THE ASSOCIATES FINANCE, INC., Defendants, Case No. 2018CH08448 The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you, The Associates Finance, Inc., that the said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the Cook County Judicial Circuit, Cook County, Illinois by the said plaintiff against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit: Lot 4 in Block 11 in Mills and Sons Resubdivision of Sundry Lots in Blocks 2, 3, 10, and 11 in Gale's and Welch's Resubdivision of part of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 31 and the Southwest 1/4 of Section 32, Township 40 North, Range 13, East of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois. 1641 North Meade Avenue, Chicago, IL 60639 13-32-020-006-0000 Now, therefore, unless you, the said above named defendants, file your answer to the complaint in said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the office of the clerk of the Cook County Judicial Circuit, Cook County, Illinois, on or before February 13, 2019, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint. E-filing is now mandatory for documents in civil cases with limited exemptions. To e-file, you must first create an account with an e-filing service provider. Visit <http://efile.illinoiscourts.gov/service-providers.htm> to learn more and to select a service provider. If you need additional help or have trouble e-filing, visit <http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/faq/gethelp.asp> or contact the Clerk of this Court. Shara A. Netterstrom (6294499) MANLEY DEAS KOCHALSKI LLC Attorneys for Plaintiff One East Wacker, Suite 1250, Chicago, IL 60601 Phone: 312-651-6700; Fax: 614-220-5613 Atty. No.: 48928 Email: sef-sanetster@manleydeas.com file number: 18-009773 One of Plaintiff's Attorneys Pub: 1/14, 21, 28/2019 6085977

MANLEY, DEAS, KOCHALSKI LLC One East Wacker - Suite 1250 Chicago, IL 60601 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, CITIMORTGAGE, INC., Plaintiff, v. LISA FUNCHES; CITY OF CHICAGO; STATE OF ILLINOIS; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; PORTFOLIO RECOVERY ASSOCIATES LLC; MIDLAND FUNDING LLC; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS; ILLINOIS HOUSING DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, Defendants, Case No. 2018CH10297 The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you, Lisa Funches, Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants, and the said above named defendants, file your answer to the complaint in said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the Office of the Clerk of the Cook County Judicial Circuit, Cook County, Illinois, on or before February 21, 2019, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint. E-filing is now mandatory for documents in civil cases with limited exemptions. To e-file, you must first create an account with an e-filing service provider. Visit <http://efile.illinoiscourts.gov/service-providers.htm> to learn more and to select a service provider. If you need additional help or have trouble e-filing, visit <http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/faq/gethelp.asp> or contact the Clerk of this Court. Zachariah L. Manchester (6203385) MANLEY DEAS KOCHALSKI LLC Attorneys for Plaintiff One East Wacker, Suite 1250, Chicago, IL 60601 Phone: 312-651-6700; Fax: 614-220-5613 Atty. No.: 48928 Email: sef-zlmancaster@manleydeas.com file number: 18-022749 One of Plaintiff's Attorneys Pub: 1/21, 28, 2/5/2019 6095972

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION, S.B. Bank Trust, N/A, as Trustee for RC1 Master Participating Trust Plaintiff, vs. Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants; Doris Harris; Unknown Heirs and Legatees of Helen Taylor, deceased; Arlene Hambrick; The Unknown Heirs and Legatees of Joan Harris, deceased; Julie Fox, as Special Representative of Helen Taylor, deceased Defendants, Case No. 2018CH14168 11206 South Bishop Street, Chicago, IL 60643 Judge John J. Curry Jr. Cal 57 LEGAL NOTICE MANLEY, DEAS, KOCHALSKI LLC One East Wacker - Suite 1250 Chicago, IL 60601 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, U.S. BANK TRUST, N/A, AS TRUSTEE FOR RC1 MASTER PARTICIPATING TRUST, Plaintiff, v. UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS; DORIS HARRIS; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF HELEN TAYLOR, DECEASED; ARLENE HAMBRICK; THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF JOAN HARRIS, DECEASED; JULIE FOX, AS SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE OF HELEN TAYLOR, DECEASED, Defendants, Case No. 2018CH14168 11206 South Bishop Street, Chicago, IL 60643 Judge John J. Curry Jr. Cal 57 LEGAL NOTICE The said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the Cook County Judicial Circuit, Cook County, Illinois by the said plaintiff against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit: Lots Three (3) and Four (4) in Block Fifty-Nine (59) in Washington Heights, being a subdivision of Blue Island Land and Building Company, as recorded in Book 2 of Plats, Pages 45, 46 and 47, all in Section Eighteen (18), Nineteen (19), and Twenty (20), Township Thirty-Seven (37) North, Range Fourteen (14) East of the Third Principal Meridian, 11206 South Bishop Street, Chicago, IL 60643 25-20-108-008-0000 Now, therefore, unless you, Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants, Unknown Heirs and Legatees of Helen Taylor, deceased, The Unknown Heirs and Legatees of Joan Harris, deceased, and the said above named defendants, file your answer to the complaint in said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the office of the Clerk of the Cook County Judicial Circuit, Cook County, Illinois, on or before February 27, 2019, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint. E-filing is now mandatory for documents in civil cases with limited exemptions. To e-file, you must first create an account with an e-filing service provider. Visit <http://efile.illinoiscourts.gov/service-providers.htm> to learn more and to select a service provider. If you need additional help or have trouble e-filing, visit <http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/faq/gethelp.asp> or contact the Clerk of this Court. Zachariah L. Manchester (6303885) MANLEY DEAS KOCHALSKI LLC Attorneys for Plaintiff One East Wacker, Suite 1250, Chicago, IL 60601 Phone: 312-651-6700; Fax: 614-220-5613 Atty. No.: 48928 Email: sef-zlmancaster@manleydeas.com file number: 18-016723 One of Plaintiff's Attorneys Pub: 1/28, 2/4, 11/2019 6109430

WWR #01046080 STATE OF ILLINOIS COURT OF COOK IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION, U.S. BANK TRUST, N/A, AS TRUSTEE FOR LSF10 MASTER PARTICIPATION TRUST Plaintiff, vs. PATRICIA WILLIAMS, CLOVERLEAF CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION - A UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS Defendants, CASE NO.: 2018CH15819 Calendar: 62 Property Address: 375 Stony Island Avenue Apartment 304 Calumet City, IL 60409 NOTICE BY PUBLICATION The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you, Cloverleaf Condominium Association - A, Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants, Defendants in the above entitled suit, that the said suit is now pending. NOW, THEREFORE, UNLESS YOU, the said above defendant, file an answer to the complaint in the said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the Office of the Clerk of Chancery Department, Cook County, Illinois, on or before February 13, 2019, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said complaint. Weltman, Weinberg & Reis Co., L.P.A., 180 N. LaSalle Street, Suite 2400 Chicago, IL, 60601 Telephone: 312-782-9676 Facsimile: 312-782-4201 ChicagoREGD@weltman.com ARDC No. 6289784 Cook Atty. ID No. 31495 Pub: 1/14, 21, 28/2019 6086021

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff, v. MILA SEKULIC; MATO GRBAVAC; KRISTINA GRBAVAC; THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE TO MORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., AS SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE TO THE CERTIFICATE HOLDERS OF THE CWHEQ INC REVOLVING HOME EQUITY LOAN TRUST SERIES 2005-A; WEST ROGERS PARK CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION; 2037 W. MORSE CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS Defendants). Residential Mortgage Foreclosure Case No. 2019CH00121 Property Address: 2037 W. Morse Ave. #3 Chicago, IL 60645 NOTICED BY PUBLICATION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO YOU, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, Defendants, this case has been commenced in this Court against you and others, asking for foreclosure of the Mortgage held by the Plaintiff on the property located at 2037 W. Morse Ave., #3, Chicago, IL 60645, more particularly described as: LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY UNIT 3, TOGETHER WITH ITS UNDIVIDED PERCENTAGE INTEREST IN THE COMMON ELEMENTS IN THE COMMON ELEMENTS IN THE 2037 W. MORSE CONDOMINIUM UNIT 3, TOGETHER WITH ITS UNDIVIDED PERCENTAGE INTEREST IN THE COMMON ELEMENTS IN THE 2037 W. MORSE CONDOMINIUM UNIT 3, AS SHOWN ON THE PLAT SURVEY ATTACHED THERETO AS EXHIBIT D, AND AS LISTED ON EXHIBIT B ATTACHED THERETO, AND AS DELINEATED AND DEFINED IN THE DECLARATION RECORDED 02/05/2003 AS DOCUMENT NUMBER 0030717052, IN THE EAST 37 1/2 OF THE NORTH 1/2 OF THE NORTH 1/2 OF THE NORTH 1/2 OF LOTS 1, 2, AND 3 TAKEN AS A TRACT IN SMITH'S ADDITION TO ROGERS PARK, A SUBDIVISION OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 31, TOWNSHIP 38 NORTH, RANGE 14, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS. Permanent Index Number: 11-31-120-065-#03 Commonly known as: 2037 W. Morse Ave. #03, Chicago, IL 60645 UNLESS YOU FILE your answer or otherwise file your appearance in this cause in the Office of the Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, in the Richard J. Daley Center located at 50 W. Washington St., Chicago, IL 60602 on or before February 20, 2019, A JUDGMENT OR DECREE BY DEFAULT MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST YOU AND YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO PAY ANY FEE FOR FORECLOSURE. THIS COMMUNICATION IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT, AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Quintairo, Prieto, Wood & Boyer, P.A., 233 S. Wacker Drive, 70th Floor Chicago, IL 60606 FIC ID: 48767 Phone: (312) 504-0040 (312) 566-0041 (312) 566-0041 Pub: 1/21, 28, 2/4/2019 6098624

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NOONAN & LIEBERMAN, Ltd. (Firm ID: 38245) Attorneys 105 W. Adams, Suite 1800 Chicago, Illinois 60603 STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF COOK, ss - IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION, MCCORMICK 110, LLC, Plaintiff, vs. ROBERT E. HALL, UNKNOWN OWNERS-TENANTS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, et al., Defendants, Case No. 2018CH00026 The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given to you: UNKNOWN OWNERS-TENANTS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, defendants in the above entitled suit has been commenced in the IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION, by the said plaintiff against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit: LOT THREE (3) IN THE SUBDIVISION OF LOT 7, IN ACKERMAN'S SUBDIVISION OF LOT 7, IN BLOCK 5, IN THE CANAL TRUSTEE'S SUBDIVISION IN SECTION 33, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 14, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS. PIN: 20-33-021-027-0000. Commonly known as: 550 W. Belden, Chicago, IL 60614, and which said Mortgage was made by ROBERT HALL, as Mortgageor(s) to McCormick 110, LLC, as Mortgagee, and recorded as document number 0810801081, and the present owner(s) of the property being ROBERT HALL, and for other relief: that summons was duly issued out of said Court against you as provided by law, and that the said suit is now pending. Now, therefore, unless you, the said above named defendants, file your answer to the Complaint in the said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 W. Washington, Room 802, Chicago, Illinois 60602, on or before February 27, 2019, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint. Dated, Chicago, Illinois, January 22, 2019. Clerk of the Cook County Circuit Court. THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT PURSUANT TO THE FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT, AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Pub: 1/28, 2/4, 11/2019 6106742

TAKE NOTICES

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK LIEZBERTA MILETIC LIEZBERTA MILETIC OCCUPANT RICHAED MILETIC UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES INTERESTED IN DEBTS PURSUANT TO TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises Sold June 6, 2016 Certificate No. 14-0003133 Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014 Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at 1132 WHYTECLIFF RD, PALATINE, IL Legal Description or Property Index No. 02-21-409-009-0000 This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 50 W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602, Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30 am. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption can be made at any time on or before 7/19/2018 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ, LC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8, 2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091468

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK RAVINDRA CHIGURUPRATI OCCUPANT RAVINDRA CHIGURUPRATI JAMES K. LENOVAN ESQ. UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES INTERESTED IN DEBTS PURSUANT TO TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises Sold June 6, 2016 Certificate No. 14-0003133 Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014 Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at 915 E EUCLID AVE, ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, IL Legal Description or Property Index No. 03-29-415-006-0000 This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 50 W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602, Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30 am. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption can be made at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ, LC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8, 2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091501

TO: Occupant, 1430 Simpson St., Evanston, IL; Peter C. Alexander; Stephen A. Parris; Richard E. Zulky & Associates, Chartered; Kathleen D. Parris; R.N. Parris; Manchester Realty; Illinois Dept. of Labor; Illinois Attorney General; Illinois Dept. of Revenue; Robert Parris; Occupant, vacant land commonly known as 2022 Jackson Ave., Evanston, IL; Cook County Clerk; Parties in occupancy and possession; any unknown owners and occupants. TAX DEED No. 2018COTD0001413. FILED: 2/2/2018. AMENDED PETITION FILED: 3/14/2018. 2ND AMENDED PETITION FILED: 11/20/2018. TAKE NOTICE. County of Cook. Date Premises Sold 7/13/2017. Certificate No. 175-0002178. Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2017 Scavenger. Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A. THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES. Property located at: vacant land commonly known as 2022 Jackson Ave., Evanston, Illinois. Legal Description or Property Index No. 10-13-203-021-0000. This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on 7/19/2018. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before 7/19/2018. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in Room 1702, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois at 9:00 a.m., on 5/9/2019. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption can be made at any time on or before 7/19/2018 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 North Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602. TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 City of Evanston, Purchaser or Assignee. Dated: 1/17/2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6096701

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TO: Peter C. Alexander; Stephen A. Parris; Richard E. Zulky & Associates, Chartered; Manchester Apartments; Kathleen D. Parris; R.N. Parris; Manchester Realty; Illinois Dept. of Labor; Illinois Attorney General; Illinois Dept. of Revenue; Robert Parris; Occupant, vacant land commonly known as 2024 Wesley Ave. & 2021 Jackson Ave., Evanston, Illinois. Legal Description or Property Index No. 10-13-204-022-0000 & 10-13-204-022-0000. This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on 7/19/2018. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before 7/19/2018. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in Room 1702, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois at 9:00 a.m., on 5/9/2019. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption can be made at any time on or before 7/19/2018 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 North Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602. TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 City of Evanston, Purchaser or Assignee. Dated: 1/17/2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6096716

TO: Peter C. Alexander; Stephen A. Parris; Richard E. Zulky & Associates, Chartered; Manchester Apartments; Kathleen D. Parris; R.N. Parris; Manchester Realty; Illinois Dept. of Labor; Illinois Attorney General; Illinois Dept. of Revenue; Robert Parris; Occupant, vacant land commonly known as 2017 Jackson Ave., Evanston, IL; Cook County Clerk; Parties in occupancy and possession; any unknown owners and occupants. TAX DEED No. 2018COTD0001414. FILED: 2/2/2018. AMENDED PETITION FILED: 3/14/2018. 2ND AMENDED PETITION FILED: 11/20/2018. TAKE NOTICE. County of Cook. Date Premises Sold 7/13/2017. Certificate No. 175-0002182. Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2017 Scavenger. Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A. THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES. Property located at: vacant land commonly known as 2017 Jackson Ave., Evanston, Illinois. Legal Description or Property Index No. 10-13-204-023-0000. This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on 7/19/2018. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before 7/19/2018. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in Room 1702, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois at 9:00 a.m., on 5/9/2019. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption can be made at any time on or before 7/19/2018 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 North Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602. TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645. City of Evanston, Purchaser or Assignee. Dated: 1/17/2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6096688

TO: Principal Parties Company t/k/a Chicago Title Company, Stephen A. Parris; Manchester Apartments; Robert Parris; Kathleen D. Parris; R.N. Parris; Occupant, 1430 Simpson St., Evanston, IL; Illinois Attorney General; Illinois Department of Labor; Illinois Dept. of Revenue; Supreme Court of Illinois; Illinois Department of Public Safety; Illinois Department of Transportation; Chicago Title and Trust Company; Richard E. Zulky & Associates, Chartered; Occupant, vacant land commonly known as 1810 Grove St., 1718 Davis St. & 1822 Grove St., Evanston, IL; Cook County Clerk; Parties in occupancy and possession; any unknown owners and occupants. TAX DEED No. 2018COTD001413. FILED: 2/2/2018. AMENDED PETITION FILED: 3/14/2018. 2ND AMENDED PETITION FILED: 11/20/2018. TAKE NOTICE. County of Cook. Date Premises Sold 7/13/2017. Certificate No. 175-0002187, 175-0002188 & 175-0002189. Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2017 Scavenger. Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A. THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES. Property located at: vacant land commonly known as 1810 Grove St., 1718 Davis St. & 1822 Grove St., Evanston, Illinois. Legal Description or Property Index No. 10-13-406-018-0000, 10-13-407-015-0000 & 10-13-413-011-0000. This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on 7/19/2018. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before 7/19/2018. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in Room 1702, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois at 9:00 a.m., on 5/9/2019. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption can be made at any time on or before 7/19/2018 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 North Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602. TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645. City of Evanston, Purchaser or Assignee. Dated:

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TO: DAVID L. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
EMILY WALTON RODRICK, WIMBERLY
OCCUPANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY
GENERAL DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE UNITED
STATES DISTRICT ATTORNEY DISTRICT
DIRECTOR OF INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
INTERNAL REVENUE
WIMBERLY DANA KEMP STATE OF ILLINOIS,
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE STATE OF
ILLINOIS, C/O ATTORNEY GENERAL STEVEN
W HUANG ANDREW C LEE STEVEN W HUANG
& ANDREW C LEE, C/O GREEN A MAFFEI
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
PARTIES INTERESTING GENERALLY TAX DEED
NO. 2018COTC008441 FILED December 14
2018 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date
Premises Sold June 8, 2016 Certificate NO.
14-000005 Sold for General Taxes of (year)
2015-2016 for the County of Cook, Illinois
Assessment of (Municipality) and special
assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A
Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property located
at 3550 S 52ND ST, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60653
DRIVER CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60653
Legal Description or Property Index No. 17-
34-312-091-1001 This notice is to advise
you that the above property has been sold
for delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption has expired on May 21, 2019.
The amount to redeem is set to increase
at 6 month intervals from the date of sale
and may be further increased if the purchaser
at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays
any subsequently accruing interest and
penalties on the amount of the tax sale.
Property from subsequent forfeitures of tax
sales. Check with the county clerk as to the
exact amount you owe before redeeming.
This notice is also to advise you that a
petition has been filed for a tax deed which
will transfer title and all rights to the property
to the petitioner and will not be made on
or before May 24, 2019. This matter is
set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this
county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 50
W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602,
Courtroom 1000 on May 21, 2019 at 10:00
a.m. You may be present at this hearing
but your right to redeem will already have
expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO
REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS
OF PROPERTY Redemption can be made
by paying the amount of the tax sale plus
applying to the County Clerk of Cook County,
Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk
in Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118
N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60610
CLC Purchaser or Assignee, Dated January 8,
2019
P.1: 2/8, 29, 30/2019 6091928

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RAY DAVID ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
RAY R BOGDAN A/K/A RAYMOND R.
BOGDAN OCCUPANT - 2619 W 55TH ST, 1ST
FLR OCCUPANT - 2619 W 55TH ST, 2ND FLR
RICHARD R. BOGDAN CITY OF CHICAGO, C/O
CITY CLERK STATE OF ILLINOIS, DEPARTMENT
OF REVENUE, STATE OF ILLINOIS,
ATTENTION: GENERAL CLERK, GONZALEZ
UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS,
AND PARTIES INTERESTINGLY TAX DEED
NO. 2018COTD008390 FILED December 14,
2018 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date
Premises Sold June 7, 2016 Certificate
of Sale 118987823. The premises are
(year) 2014. Sold for Special Assessment
(of Municipality) and Special assessment
number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No.
N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR
DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at 2619
WEST 55TH ST, CHICAGO, IL Legal Description
2619 W 55TH ST, CHICAGO, IL 60632
This notice is to advise you that the above
property has been sold for delinquent taxes
and that the period of redemption from
the sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The
amount to redeem is subject to increase at
6 month intervals from the date of sale and
at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays
any subsequently accruing taxes or special
assessments to redeem the property from
subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check
with the county clerk as to the exact amount
you owe before redeeming. This notice is
being filed for a tax deed which will transfer title
and the right to possession of this property
if redemption is not made on or before May
24, 2019. This matter is set for hearing in the
Circuit Court of this county in the Richard J.
Daley Center, 50 W. Washington St., Chicago,
Illinois 60602, on May 24, 2019 at 9:30 a.m.
2019 at 9:30 a.m. You may be present at this
hearing but your right to redeem will already
have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED
TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS
OF PROPERTY Redemption may be made
at any time and place before the sale by
paying to the County Clerk or Cook County
Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk ADDRESS: 118
N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FAX: 8
60602 or by e-mail: chaser@cookcountyil.gov
or by e-mail: 781-2013-6081788

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TO: DAVID L ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
LAFARE R JOHNSON OCCUPANT - 4212 S
S WELLS ST, 1ST FLR OCCUPANT - 4212 S
WELLS ST, 2ND FLR EARLY JONES ANNIE
MAY JONES RICKY COLLINS NAPOLEON
BUCHANAN ANNA MAY JONES ALBANY
JAMES H TRUST COMPANY, INC
DEZONIA CARRINGTON JOSEPH
OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES
INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED NO
2018COTD008434 FILED December 14, 2018
TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises
Sold June 7, 2016 Certificate No. 14-0001257
County of Cook General Taxes Year 2014
This notice is given pursuant to Section 2-
2ND Illinois Compiled Statutes (CS) 19-1
(of Municipality) and Special assessment
number N/A Warrant No. N/A Ins No
N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR
DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at 4212 S
S WELLS ST, CHICAGO, IL Legal Description
See attached plat for details.
This notice is to advise you that the above
property has been sold for delinquent taxes
and that the period of redemption from
the sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The
amount to redeem is subject to increase at
6 month intervals from the date of sale and
may include interest, penalties, fees and
at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays
any subsequently accruing taxes or special
assessments to redeem the property from
subsequent foreclosures or tax sales. Check
with the county clerk as to the exact amount
you owe before redeeming. This notice is
being filed for your information and may be
filed for a tax deed which will transfer title
and the right to possession of this property
if redemption is not made on or before May
24, 2019. This matter is set for hearing in the
Circuit Court of this county in the Richard J
Petry Center, 50 W. Washington St., Chicago,
Illinois 60602. You are hereby notified that
on May 24, 2019 at 9:30 am, you may be present at this
hearing but your right to redeem will already
have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED
TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF
PROPERTY. Redemption can be made at
any time after noon on Monday, January 8,
2019 by the County Clerk of Cook County,
Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk ADDRESS: 118
N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FAX (312)
603-5646. Assignee's Notice January 8
2019, Pub. # 18-0001257 19-0608-02

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JO: Renita Griffin, Lawrence Campbell, JR.; Ernie Campbell; Linda Campbell; Jose Ramos; Terry Alena; Lawrence Campbell III Anthony D. Taylor; Occupant, 1253 W. 61st St., Chicago, IL; Cook County Clerk, Parties to this Sale; and the Commission on Public Owners and Occupants. TAKE DEED NO. 2018COTD007814. FILED: 11/20/2018. TAKEN NOTICE County of Cook Date Premise Sold 6/7/2016. Certificate No. 14-001077010 Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014. Solicitor's Description of Property Index No. 1253 W. 61st St. CHICAGO, IL 60621-0000. Special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A. THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES. Property located at: 1253 W. 61st St., Chicago, Illinois. Legal Description of Property Index No. 1253 W. 61st St. CHICAGO, IL 60621-0000. I advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on 5/2/2019. The amount to redeem is subject to the amount of taxes and interest due as of date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or taxes. I advise you that you may have the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of the property to the purchaser on or before 5/2/2019. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of Cook County at Room 1704, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois at 9:30 a.m., on 5/15/2019. You may be present at the hearing and may be heard. This matter will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption can be made at any time on or before 5/2/2019 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 North Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602. TELEPHONE: 312.360.3200. FAX: 312.360.3201. FUNDING LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated: 1/17/2019. File #: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6096877.

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TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
TAXPAYER OF JEFFREY COCHRAN
COCHRAN'S PLACE, RA: JEFFREY COCHRAN
DANIEL MOORE, KENISHA SMITH, TAMEKA
STEWART UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS
AND BENEFICIARIES OF THE PROPERTY
TAX DEED NO. 1018C0TD0008270 FILED
December 13, 2018 TAKE NOTICE
of Cook State Premises Sold June 6, 2018
Certificate No. 14-0007287 Sold for General
Taxes of Yearly 2014. Sold for Special
Assessments of Yearly 2014. The property
assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A.
Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property
located at 7253 S PRAIRIE AVE, CHICAGO,
IL. Legal description: Property tax map
110-03-00000 This notice is to advise you
that you the above property has been sold
for delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption from the sale will expire on May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
to change. The amount to be paid at the
date of sale and may be further increased
if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her
assignee pays any subsequently accruing
taxes or special assessments to redeem the
property from subsequent foreclosures or tax
sales. The amount to be paid is the exact
amount you owe before redeeming.
This notice is also to advise you that a
petition has been filed for a tax deed which
will transfer title and the right to possession
of the property to the redeemer. This matter
will set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this
county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 1
W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602
Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30
a.m. You are urged to appear at the hearing,
but your right to redeem will already have
expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO
REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS
OF PROPERTY Redemption can be made
at any time on or before May 24, 2019
at the Office of the County Clerk, Cook
County, Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 111
N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60610. For more information contact the
ILC Purchaser or Assignee, Dated January 23,
2019. P/28, 2/29, 30/2019 6091609

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To: Arno B. Brown; Kanitra L. Brown
Unknown Heirs & Legatees of Emily Y.
Brown; Myrtis F. Brown; Deborah Brown
Eavin; Occupant, 8523 S. South Park Ave.
IL; Cook County Clerk; Parties in
contingency and occupants, N/A
Owners and occupants, N/A DED NO
2018CTD007803. Filed: 11/20/2018 TALK
NOTICE. COUNTY OF COOK, ILLINOIS
Sold 6/6/2016. Certificate No. 14-0007444
SOLD FOR General Taxes of year (year 2014). Sold
for redemption of taxes due on the
special assessment number N/A Warrant No.
N/A Inst. No. N/A. THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES. Property
located at 8523 S. South Park Ave., Chicago,
Illinois. Legal Description or Property
Address: 8523 S. South Park Ave.,
Chicago, IL 60602. The purpose of this notice
is to advise you that the above property has been
sold for delinquent taxes and that the period
of redemption from the sale will expire on
5/2/2019. The amount to redeem is subject to
the amount of taxes due as of the date of
date of sale and may be further increased
if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her
assignee pays any subsequently accruing
taxes or special assessments to redeem the
property from subsequent forfeitures or tax
sales. You are advised that you must pay the
exact amount you owe before redeeming.
This notice is also to advise you that a
petition has been filed for a tax deed which
will transfer title and the right to possession
of this property to the petitioner made
on or before 5/2/2019. This matter is set for
hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in
Room 1704, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West
Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois at 9:00
a.m., on 5/15/2019. You may be present
at the hearing if you wish. Your appearance
will already have expired at that time. YOU
ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO
PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption can
be made at any time on or before
5/2/2019 by applying to the Office of the
County Clerk, Cook County, 118 North Clark
Street, Chicago, Illinois. For further
information contact the County Clerk
ADDRESS: 118 North Clark Street, Room
434, Chicago, Illinois 60602. TELEPHONE:
(312) 321-3000. FAX: (312) 321-3001.
FUNDING LLC, Purchaser or Assignee. Dates
1/17/2019 thru P/L 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6096814

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DEPT: Duiron General Construction, Inc.; Illinois Dept of Revenue; Illinois Attorney General; Adela Valadez Jose C. Corral; Edith Quintero; Liz Rojas; Rosalba Gonzalez; Edith Martinez; Raul Quintero; Occupant, 6058 S. 75th Ave., Summit, IL, Cook County Clerk; Parties in Interest: Cook County Clerk; Parties in Interest: Owners and occupants. TAX DEED NO. 2018COTD007771. Filed: 11/20/2018. TAKE NOTICE. County of Cook. Date Remised: March 6/3/2016. Certificate No. 14-0002267. Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014. Sold for Special Assessment of (year) 2014. N/A Insrt. N/A No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES. Property located at: 6058 S. 75th Ave., Summit, Illinois. Legal Description or Property Index No. 18-13-04-027-0000. This notice is to advise the purchaser that the redemption period for delinquent taxes and the period of redemption from the sale will expire on 5/2/2019. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser fails to pay the full amount due by the deadline. If you subsequently accrue taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent foreclosures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a foreclosure action has been filed against you and you will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before 5/2/2019. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in Room 1704, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois 60601, at 9:30 a.m., on 5/15/2019. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption can be made at any time on or before 5/2/2019. For more information contact the Office of Cook County, Illinois at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 North Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602. TELEPHONE: 312.321.2000. FAX: 312.321.2001. FUNDING LIC. Purchaser or Assignee. Dated: 1/17/2018. Pub# 1/28, 29, 30/2019 609756.

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FRANK DAVID ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
FRANK KENICK OCCUPANT LOTTIE KENICK
CITY OF CHICAGO, C/O CITY CLERK
WALTER KENICK HELEN KENICK CASIMIR
KENICK STATE OF ILLINOIS, DEPARTMENT
OF REVENUE, 100 SOUTH DEARBORN
ATTORNEY GENERAL UNKNOWN OWNERS,
OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES INTERESTED
GENERALLY TAX DEED NO 2018COTD0084
FILED December 14, 2018 TAKE NOTICE
County of Cook Date Premises Sold June
2018 Date of Sale for Delinquent Taxes
for General Taxes of (year) 2014 Sold for
Special Assessment of (Municipality) and
special assessment number N/A Warranty
No. N/A Issue No. N/A THIS PROPERTY
HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES
AND SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS OF THE CITY
OF CHICAGO, IL Legal Description or Property
Index No. 19-20-200-030-0000 this notice
is to advise you that the above property
has been sold for delinquent taxes and
that the period of redemption from the sale
will be 12 months from the date of sale
redemption is subject to increase at 6 month
intervals from the date of sale and may be
further increased if the purchaser at the
tax sale or his or her assignee pays any
subsequently accruing taxes or special
assessments or if the purchaser pays any
subsequent forfeitures or tax sales or checks
with the county clerk as to the exact amount
you owe before redeeming. This notice is
also to advise you that a petition has been
filed for a tax deed which will transfer title
to the purchaser if the redemption is not made
if redemption is not made on or before May
24, 2019. This matter is set for hearing in the
Circuit Court of the County in the Richard J.
Daley Center, 50 W. Washington St., Chicago,
Illinois, 60602, Courtroom 1704, on June 21,
2019 at 10:00 AM. If you wish to appear and
hearing but your right to redeem will already
have expired at that time, YOU ARE URGED
TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS
OF PROPERTY Redemption can be made
at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by
paying the amount due to the County Clerk
in Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118
N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 663-5645 FAX: (312)
663-5646 MAILING ADDRESS: 118 N. Clark
St., Room 1278, 2nd Fl., Chicago, IL 60602-1000

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TO: DAVID L. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
PETER C. CRUZ CITY OF CHICAGO, C/O CITY
CLERK UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS
AND PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX-
DEED NO. 2019COTD0000031 FILED January
7, 2019 TAKE NOTICE County Clerk of Cook Deed
Premised sold June 7, 2016 Certificate
No. 20160010200000000000000000000000
January 2014 Sold for Special Assessment
of (Municipality) and Special assessment
number N/A Warrant No. N/A Insr No.
N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR
DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at
406-041-0000 This notice is to advise you
Description or Property Index No. 20-04-
406-041-0000 This notice is to advise you
that the above property has been sold for
delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption from the sale will expire on May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
to the hearing set forth below. If the date of
sale of said tax and may be further increased
if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her
assignee pays any subsequently accruing
taxes or special assessments to redeem the
property from subsequent forfeitures or tax
sales. Check with the county clerk as to the
amount due. This notice is to advise you that
this petition has been filed for a tax deed which
will transfer title and the right to possession
of this property if redemption is not made
on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is
being heard by Circuit Court of Cook County,
County Clerk Richard A. Daley, Room 507
W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602
Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30 am.
You may be present at this hearing, but
your right to redeem will already have
expired at that time. You ARE URGED TO
attend this hearing. IF YOU DO NOT ATTEND
OF PROPERTY Redemption can be made
at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by
applying to the County Clerk of Cook County
Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk ADDRESS: 118
South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois
60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5545 FAX:
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January
16, 2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30, 2019 610027

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to: Cav OK Funding, LLC d/b/a; Arkenstone Trust
20147045; First, Preemptive Fundin, Trust
Boatright, as Trustee of the Arkenstone Trust
20147045; Law Office of Samuel J. Macaluso
P.C., as Trustee under 1637 North Merrimac
Avenue Trust u/a dated 1/29/2016; Law
Office of Samuel J. Macaluso, Trustee
Consulting Group LLC, The Kalka Firm, City
of Chicago, Occupant, 7045 S. Michigan Ave.
Chicago, IL; Cook County Clerk; Parties
occupancy and possession; any unknown
owners and occupants. TAX ID: 14-000698
NOTICE 2020/774. 20/2018. TAXES
NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises
Sold 6/8/2016. Certificate No. 14-000698
Sold for General Taxes of (year 2014). Sold
for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and
N/A Inst. No. N/A. THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES. Property
located at 7045 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago,
Illinois. Legal Description or Property Inter-
est: 20-2018. The following notices have been
issued to you that the above property has been
sold for delinquent taxes and that the period
of redemption from the sale will expire on
5/2/2019. The amount to redeem is subject
to increase at 6 month intervals from the
date of sale. If you fail to pay the amount
if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her
assignee pays any subsequently accruing
taxes or special assessments to redeem the
property from subsequent forfeitures or tax
sale, you will be liable to the County for the
exact amount you owe before redeeming
this. This notice is also to advise you that a
petition has been filed for a tax deed which
will transfer title and the right to possession
of this property if redemption is not made
on or before the date of the final hearing
hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in
Room 1704, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West
Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois at 9:30
a.m., on 5/15/2019. You may be present
at the hearing and your right to redeem
the property already has expired at that time. YOU
ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO
PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption
can be made at any time on or before
5/2/2019 by applying to the County Clerk
in Room 1704, Richard J. Daley Center, Cook
County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further
information contact the County Clerk
ADDRESS: 118 North Clark Street, Room
434, Chicago, Illinois 60602. TELEPHONE:
312.744.2000. FAX: 312.744.2000. E-MAIL:
FUNDING LLC.Purchaser or Assignee. Dated
1/17/2019. Page: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6096790

TAKE NOTICES

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
ILLINOIS LAND INVESTMENT, INC ILLINOIS
LAND INVESTMENT, INC, RA & PRESIDENT
BRIAN URBANOWSKI OCCUPANT DERRICK
D DOBBS ALLISON JONES LAURRA JACKSON
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DEONTA THOMAS DERRICK FAULKNER
DERRICK M FAULKNER MAY CHIN UNKNOWN
OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES
INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED
2018COTD08436 FILED December 14, 2018
TAX NOTICE County of Cook State of Illinois
Notice of Redemption of Property
SOLD for General Taxes of (year) 2014 SOLD
for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and
special assessment number N/A Warrant
No. N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY
HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES
of the County of Cook, State of Illinois
CHICAGO, Illinois, Legal Description of Property
Index No. 20-30-24-042-0000 This notice
is to advise you that the above property
has been sold for delinquent taxes and
that the period of redemption from the sale
will expire on May 24, 2019. The amount to
redeem the property is the sum of the
intervals from the date of sale and may be
further increased if the purchaser at the
tax sale or his or her assignee pays and
subsequently accruing taxes or special
assessments to redeem the property from
subsequent delinquent taxes or special
assessments. If you wish to redeem the
property with the County Clerk of Cook
County, Illinois, you must do so before
you owe before redeeming. This notice is
also to advise you that a petition has been
filed for a tax deed which will transfer title
and the right to possession of this property
if redemption is not made on or before May
24, 2019. For more information, contact the
Circuit Court of this county in the Richard
Daley Center, 60 W. Washington St., Chicago,
Illinois, 60602, Courtroom 1704, on June 21,
2019 at 9:30 a.m. You may be present at the
hearing but your right to redeem will already
have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED
TO TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION TO PREVENT LOSS
OF PROPERTY Redemption can be made
at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by
applying to the County Clerk of Cook County,
Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois. For further information,
contact the County Clerk of Cook County,
6 N. Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60610 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FAX: D
LLC Purchaser or Assignee, Dated January 8,
2019. P/urb, 2/8, 29, 30/2019691836

TAKE NOTICES

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
LADONNA J. BEAVERS CHICAGO TITLE LAND
TRUST
#1066079 DATED 05.01.1975 CHICAGO
TITLE LAND TRUST COMPANY, TRUSTEE OF
TRUST #1066079 DATED 05.01.1975, RA
CORPORATION SYSTEM MICHAEL BEAVER
LAVERNE BEAVERS OCCUPANT UNKNOWN
INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED
2019COTD008271 FILED December 13, 2019
TAKEN NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises
Sale Notice 6, 2016 Certificate No. 14-000744
Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014 Sold
for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and
County of Cook for the amount of \$10,000
N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property
located at 8514 S RHODES AVE, CHICAGO, IL
Legal Description or Property Index No.
20-30-047-019-0000 This notice is to advise
that the above property has been sold for
for delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption from the sale will expire on May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
to increase at 6 month intervals from the
date of sale and may be further increased
at the discretion of the County Clerk. The
assignee pays any subsequently accruing
taxes or special assessments to redeem the
property from subsequent forfeitures or tax
sales. Check with the county clerk as to the
exact amount you owe before redeeming
the property. A petition for redemption
has been filed for a tax deed which you
will transfer title and the right to possession
of this property if redemption is not made
on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is
set for hearing in the Circuit Court of the
county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 111
W. Washington, Chicago, Illinois, at the
Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30
am. You may be present at this hearing
but your right to redeem will already have
expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO
REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS
OF YOUR PROPERTY. Redemption may be
at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by
applying to the County Clerk of Cook County,
Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk,
Chicago, Illinois. For further information,
contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 111 W.
Washington, Chicago, Illinois 60602
60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5455 FAX: D
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 1,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091618

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TO: DAVID L ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
CHRISTINA GUERRA LEVY OCCUPANT - 4210 S
S ROCKWELL ST, LOWER UNIT OCCUPANT -
4210 S ROCKWELL ST, UPPER UNIT JEAN
DANIELS LEONARD STRICKLAND ALFREDO
DANIELS THOMAS STRICKLAND ALFREDO
DANIELS THOMAS STRICKLAND ALFREDO
GERAGHTY ROBERT MARIA VALERIO,
2017CH10734 MARIA VALERIO UNKNOWN
OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES
INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED NO.
2018COTD008388 FILED December 14, 2018
TAX NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises
Identified for Sale December 14, 2018
SOLD for General Taxes of Year 2014 Sold
for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and
Special assessment number N/A Warrant No.
N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property
located at 4210 S ROCKWELL ST, CHICAGO,
ILLINOIS 60608. This notice is to advise
you that the above property has been sold
for delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption from the sale will expire on May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
to increase at 6 month intervals from the
date of sale. If you wish to redeem the
property if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her
assignee pays any subsequently accruing
taxes or special assessments to redeem the
property from subsequent foreclosures or tax
sales. Check with the county clerk as to the
amount you will owe for taxes and redeeming.
This notice is also to advise you that the
purchaser has been given the right to possession
of this property if redemption is not made
on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is
set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this
County on May 24, 2019 at 9:30 am, 630
W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois 60602.
Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30
am. You may be present at this hearing
but your right to redeem will already have
expired at that time. You are URGED TO
REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS
OF PROPERTY OR REDEMPTION FROM THE
SALE. If you wish to redeem the property
at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by
applying to the County Clerk of Cook County,
Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois For further information
contact the County Clerk, Addressee: 118
Clark Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602
60602. TELEPHONE: (312) 600-6644. D.D.
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019 / 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091723

TAKE NOTICES

ESTEBAN DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
ESTEBAN GARCIA CITY OF CHICAGO, C/O
CITY CLERK ESTEBAN GARCIA, PROPERTY
MANAGER PROPERTY MANAGER RENT
COLLECTOR TERRELL H. GARCIA, TEAM
MANAGER, 1000 N. LAKE STREET, 10TH
FLOOR, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60610
SANDFORD NORMA REMDON MAPA CORTIZ
UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND
PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED
NO. 2018COT008433 Filed December 20,
2018. TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date
of Sale: 05/01/2019. COUNTY OF COOK
NO. 0010067 Sold for General Taxes of
(year) 2014 Sold for Special Assessment
of (Municipality) and special assessment
number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No.
N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR
DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at
1000 N. LAKE STREET, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
Description of Property Index No. 19-24-
216-005-0000 This notice is to advise you
that the above property has been sold for
delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption from the sale will expire on May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
to the hearing to be held on the date of sale
date of sale and may be further increased
if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her
assignee pays any subsequently accruing
taxes or special assessments to redeem the
property from subsequent forfeitures or tax
sales. Check with the county clerk as to the
amount to be redeemed. The hearing will be
held at the County Clerk's Office, 50
W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602,
Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30
am. You may be present at this hearing
but your right to redeem will already have
expired at that time. You ARE URGED TO
APPEAR AT THE HEARING. NOTICE OF
PROPERTY Redemption can be made
at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by
applying to the County Clerk of Cook County,
Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk, ADDRESS: 118
N. LAKE STREET, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60602
TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FAX: (312)
603-5645. Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. P# 1/28, 29, 30/2019 691815

TAKE NOTICES

TO: DAVID L. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
CHICAGO TITLE LAND TRUST COMPANY
TRUSTEE OF TRUST #1112043 DATED MAY
14, 2003 CHICAGO TITLE LAND TRUST
COMPANY, TRUSTEE OF TRUST #12043
DATED MAY 14, 2003, R/C CORPORATION
SYSTEM UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS
AND PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY
TAX DEED NO. 2018COTD008267 FILED
December 13, 2018 TAKE NOTICE County
Clerk David L. Orr, Cook County, Illinois
Certificate No. 14-006798 Notice for General
Taxes of (year) 2014 (2013 INCLUDED) Sold
for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and
special assessment number N/A Warrant No.
N/A Inst. No. N/A This PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD TO THE CHICAGO TITLE LAND TRUST
COMPANY, TRUSTEE OF TRUST #12043, which is
located at 6041 S RHODES AVE, CHICAGO,
IL. Legal Description or Property Index No.
20-15-404-016-0000 This notice is to advise
you that the above property has been sold
for delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption has expired on or before May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
to increase at 6 month intervals from the
date of sale and may be further increased
if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her
assignee pays any subsequently accruing
taxes. The amount to be paid to redeem the
property from subsequent forfeitures or tax
sales. Check with the county clerk as to the
exact amount you owe before redeeming.
This notice is also to advise you that a
petition has been filed for a tax deed which
may result in the property being sold. If
this property if redemption is not made
on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is
set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this
county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 111
Washington St., Chicago, Illinois 60602
Courtroom 704, J. Edgar Hoover Building
am. You may be present at this hearing
but your right to redeem will already have
expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO
REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS
OF THE PROPERTY. No redemption can
be made after the expiration date of May
at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by
applying to the County Clerk of Cook County,
Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk, Cook County, 118
North Dearborn Street, 4th Floor, Chicago,
Illinois 60602. TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5555, FNA D22
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8
2019. /s/ 2/8, 29, 30/2019 6019556

TAKE NOTICES

TO: DAVID ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
CURTIS MCKINNEY TANYA MCKINNEY
CURTIS MCKINNEY OCCUPANT - 7843 S
CHAPPEL AVE, 1ST FLR OCCUPANT - 7843 S
CHAPPEL AVE, 1ST FLR OCCUPANT - 7843 S
CHAPPEL AVE, 1ST FLR OCCUPANT - 7843 S
DRAPER LEO PATTON SHAKARA GARNNEY
ANITA DANIELS UNKNOWN OWNERS
OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES INTERESTED
GENERALLY TAX DEED NO. 2018C00028269
FILED December 13, 2018 TAKE NOTICE
THAT THE COOK COUNTY CLERK HAS
6, 2016 Certificate No. 14-0007184 sold for
General Taxes of (year) 2014 sold for Special
Assessment of (Municipality) and special
assessment number N/A Warrant No/N/A
Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
REDEEMED BY THE COOK COUNTY CLERK
located at 7843 S CHAPPEL AVE, CHICAGO
IL. Legal Description or Property Index No.
20-25-425-011-0000 This notice is to advise
you that the above property has been sold
for delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption has expired on or before May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
to increase at 6 month intervals from the
date of sale and may be further increased
if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her
assignee pays any subsequently accruing
taxes and charges. The redemption of the
property from subsequent forfeitures or tax
sales. Check with the county clerk as to the
exact amount you owe before redeeming.
This notice is also to advise you that a
petition has been filed for a tax deed which
may be heard by the Circuit Court of Cook
County at any time. If the redemption of
this property if redemption is not made
on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is
set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this
county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 111
S. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602
at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, June 17, 2019 at
10:00 a.m. You may be present at this hearing
but your right to redeem will already have
expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO
REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS
OF PROPERTY. The redemption can be
made at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by
applying at the County Clerk of Cook County
Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk, ADDRESS: 111 S.
Washington St., Room 400, Chicago, Illinois
60602. TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FAX: 312
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8
2019. P: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 691605

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TO: U.S. Attorney General; Rhonda Lofgren; Nicholas Dornio; Caitlin Lottie; James Lyon; David Mitchell; Markus L. Hobson; City of Chicago; U.S. Attorney, Northern District of Illinois; Cook County Clerk; Cook County Clerk; Cook County Clerk; Parties in possession and possession; any unknown owners and occupants. TAX DEED NO. 2018COTD007815. FILED: 11/20/2018. TAKE NOTICE, County Clerk, Cook County, Illinois, 6/7/2019. Certificate No. 14-0011462. Sold for General Taxes of Year (year) 2014. Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and Special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A. Inst. No. N/A. This PROPERTY HAS BEEN sold by redemption from the sale will occur on 5/2/2019. Located at 8535 S. Laflin St., Chicago, Illinois. Legal Description or Property Index No. 2018-32-317-013-0000. This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will occur on 5/2/2019. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing interest and taxes. If you wish to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales, check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which may be heard by the County Clerk. If you own this property if redemption is not made on or before 5/2/2019. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in Room 1704, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois at 9:30 AM. If you wish to redeem the property, you must appear at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption can be made by paying the amount to the County Clerk by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 18 North Clark Street, Room 1704, Chicago, Illinois 60601. Tel: (312) 303-5445. LONGSTREET CAPITAL FUNDING LLC, Purchaser or Assignee. Dated 1/17/2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6096888

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TO: Jean Griffin; Linda Coleman as Guardian of Jean Griffin; Timberview Health Care Center, 1000 West 20th Street, Chicago, Illinois 60618; Young; Donald Coleman, Occupant; Dante Ave., Chicago, IL Cook County Clerk's Parties in occupancy and possession; and unknown owners and occupants. TAX DEED NO. 20-35-414-007-0084. FILED: 11/20/2019. SOLD FOR DEED OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS. Sold 1/17/2016. Certificate No. 14-00-031313. Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014. Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A. THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD TO REDEMPTION. The property is located at 8621 S. Dante Ave., Chicago, Illinois. Legal Description or Property Index No. 20-35-414-007-0000. This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on 5/2/2019. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes and interest on the property. The property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will result in the redemption of this property if redemption is not made on or before 5/2/2019. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in Room 1704, Richard J. Daley Court, 50 West Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois at 9:30 AM on 5/2/2019. If you are not present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time, YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption can be made by paying the amount due on 5/2/2019 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 183 North Clark Street, Room 1704, Chicago, Illinois 60610. Phone: (312) 603-5445. LONGSTREET CAPITAL FUNDING LLC, Purchaser or Assignee. Dated: 1/17/2019. Pub: 1/28, 2/9, 3/19, 4/9, 6/9, 8/23

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NOTICES

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
WALTER BERNARD UNKNOWN OWNERS,
OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES INTERESTED
GENERALLY TAX DEED NO. 2018COTD000022
FILED January 7, 2019 TAKE NOTICE County
of Cook Date Premises Sold April 5, 2017
Certificate No. 15-0005417 Sold for General
Taxes of (year) 2015 (2010 2ND, 2012, 2013
1ST INCLUDED) Sold for Special Assessment
(Municipality) and special assessment
number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No.
N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR
DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at
7926 S SOUTH CHICAGO AVE, CHICAGO, IL
Legal Description or Property Index No. 20-
36-102-007-0000 This notice is to advise
you that the above property has been sold
for delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption from the sale will expire on May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
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property from subsequent forfeitures or tax
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petition has been filed for a tax deed which
will transfer title and the right to possession
of this property if redemption is not made
on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is
set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this
county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 50
W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602,
Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30
am. You may be present at this hearing
but your right to redeem will already have
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REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS
OF PROPERTY Redemption can be made
at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by
applying to the County Clerk of Cook County,
Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118
N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ,
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6100281

TAKE
NOTICES

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
BILLIE J BORUM OCCUPANT CAMEL RYKE
ANTHONY REILLY WILLIE WINFREY, CITY
OF CHICAGO, ANTHONY REILLY, ESTATE OF
JONATHAN WINFREY MB FINANCIAL BANK,
N/A MINNIE WINFREY UNKNOWN OWNERS,
OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES INTERESTED
GENERALLY TAX DEED NO. 2018COTD008376
FILED December 14, 2018 TAKE NOTICE
County of Cook Date Premises Sold June 7,
2016 Certificate No. 14-0007781 Sold
for General Taxes of (year) 2014 (2013 2ND
INCLUDED) Sold for Special Assessment of
(Municipality) and special assessment
number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No.
N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR
DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at
8407 S KINGSTON AVE, CHICAGO, IL Legal
Description or Property Index No. 21-31-
311-002-0000 This notice is to advise you
that the above property has been sold for
delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption from the sale will expire on May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
to increase at 6 month intervals from the
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Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118
N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ,
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091644

TAKE
NOTICES

TO: Roy Tellefsen; Roy E. Tellefsen; Elizabeth
Cochran; Dameion Cochran; Shardaie
Cochran; Robert Cochran; Elizabeth Howard;
Liz Rogers; William Walters; Walter Marquis;
Elizabeth Reeves; Margie Lopez; Michelle
Lopez; Betty J. McAfee; Occupant, 8832 S.
Cregier Ave., Chicago, IL; Cook County Clerk;
Parties in occupancy and possession; any
unknown owners and occupants. TAX DEED
NO. 2018COTD008376 FILED December 14,
2018 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date
Premises Sold 6/7/2016. Certificate No.
14-0007781. Sold for General Taxes of (year)
2014. Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality)
and special assessment number N/A Warrant No.
N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES. Property
located at 8832 S. Cregier Ave., Chicago,
Illinois. Legal Description or Property Index
No. 25-01-113-029-0000. This notice is to
advise you that the above property has been
sold for delinquent taxes and that the period
of redemption from the sale will expire on
5/2/2019. The amount to redeem is subject
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of this property if redemption is not made
on or before 5/2/2019. This matter is set for
hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in
Room 1704, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West
Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois, at 9:30
a.m., on 5/15/2019. You may be present at
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LOSS OF PROPERTY Redemption can be made
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Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118
N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ,
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091644

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NOTICES

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
L. SUPER SV STATION OCCUPANT DIXIE LEE
ALLEN MATTHEWS HEIRS OF C T MATTHEWS
LEGATES, KATHLEEN HEIRS OF ELORA LEE
UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND
PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED
NO. 2019COTD000028 FILED January 7, 2019
TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises
Sold June 7, 2016 Certificate No. 14-0008196,
14-0008197, 2014 Certificate No. 14-0008196,
2014; 2014 Sold for Special Assessment of
(Municipality) and special assessment
number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No.
N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR
DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at 534-
538 E. 95TH ST., CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60619
Legal Description or Property Index No.
25-03-430-037-0000; 25-03-430-038-0000
This notice is to advise you that the above
property has been sold for delinquent taxes
and that the period of redemption from the
sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The
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6 month intervals from the date of sale and
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Daley Center, 50 W. Washington St., Chicago,
Illinois, 60602, Courtroom 1704, on June 21,
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to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois,
at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago,
Illinois. For further information contact the
County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 N Clark Street,
Room 434, Chicago, Illinois, 60602
TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ, LLC
Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6100265

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TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
MYRTLE SHAW JONES COURTNEY MASON
OCCUPANT GENOVESE JACKSON TROY
STINSON JORDAN JACKSON TROY
JACKSON BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. CITY
OF CHICAGO, C/O CITY CLERK UNKNOWN
OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES
INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED NO.
2018COTD008380 FILED December 14, 2018
TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises
Sold June 7, 2016 Certificate No. 14-0008202
Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014 Sold
for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and
special assessment number N/A Warrant No.
N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property
located at 9742 S CALUMET AVE, CHICAGO,
IL Legal Description or Property Index No.
25-10-117-035-0000 This notice is to advise
you that the above property has been sold
for delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption from the sale will expire on May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
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Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118
N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ,
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091686

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TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
MARGARET TAYLOR OCCUPANT MARLOW
TAYLOR SAMONE TAYLOR JOSHUA TURNER
AARON ROGERS SANDY TAYLOR NEVADA
TAYLOR TONY TAYLOR LEON TAYLOR
UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND
PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED
NO. 2018COTD008438 FILED December 14,
2018 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date
Premises Sold June 7, 2016 Certificate No.
14-0012187 Sold for General Taxes of (year)
2014 Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality)
and special assessment number N/A Warrant No.
N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property
located at 11007 S UNION AVE, CHICAGO, IL
Legal Description or Property Index No. 25-16-
323-002-0000 This notice is to advise you
that the above property has been sold for
delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption from the sale will expire on May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
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60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ,
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091852

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
GAILE CARTER OCCUPANT - 8512 S
BENNETT AVE, 1ST FLR OCCUPANT - 8512 S
BENNETT AVE, 2ND FLR OCCUPANT - 8512 S
BENNETT AVE, 3RD FLR MICHAEL CARTER
JESSICA OWEN JESSICA J. CARTER JR
COOK COUNTY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE, LEGAL
DEPT MARGOLIS WELDON, LL UNKNOWN
OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES
INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED NO.
2018COTD008374 FILED December 14, 2018
TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises
Sold June 7, 2016 Certificate No. 14-0007403
Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014 Sold
for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and
special assessment number N/A Warrant No.
N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property
located at 8512 S BENNETT AVE, CHICAGO,
IL Legal Description or Property Index No.
20-36-321-023-0000 This notice is to advise
you that the above property has been sold
for delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption from the sale will expire on May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
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60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ,
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091631

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
ANN ARTMANN OCCUPANT MILLENNIUM
CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, RA:
CHERYL LYNNE STRONG MILLENNIUM
CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, CLARINAL
FANE, PRESIDENT MILLENNIUM
CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, KENYA
FRANKLIN, SECRETARY DANIEL ARTMANN
KAREN ARTMANN BRETT ARTMANN BRYCE
ARTMANN NICOLE ARTMANN HEATHER
ARTMANN ANNE ARTMANN GLEN ARTMANN
OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES
INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED NO.
2018COTD008264 FILED December 13, 2018
TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises
Sold June 6, 2016 Certificate No. 14-0006138
Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014 Sold
for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and
special assessment number N/A Warrant No.
N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property
located at 7108 WEST 99TH ST, UNIT 208,
CHICAGO RIDGE, IL Legal Description or
Property Index No. 24-07-012-045-1071
This notice is to advise you that the above
property has been sold for delinquent taxes
and that the period of redemption from the
sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The
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60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ,
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091570

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
L. SUPER SV STATION OCCUPANT DIXIE LEE
ALLEN MATTHEWS HEIRS OF C T MATTHEWS
LEGATES, KATHLEEN HEIRS OF ELORA LEE
UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND
PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED
NO. 2018COTD008377 FILED December 14,
2018 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date
Premises Sold June 7, 2016 Certificate No.
14-0008196, 14-0008197, 2014 Certificate No.
14-0008196, 2014; 2014 Sold for Special
Assessment of (Municipality) and special
assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A
Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property
located at 8832 S. Cregier Ave., Chicago,
Illinois. Legal Description or Property Index
No. 25-02-104-032-0000 This notice is to
advise you that the above property has been
sold for delinquent taxes and that the period
of redemption from the sale will expire on
May 24, 2019. The amount to redeem is
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60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ,
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091650

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
JOSEPH WILDER OCCUPANT FREDDIE H.
SIMMONS MARY B. SIMMONS JACQUELYN
SIMMONS MARY B. SIMMONS SAXON
MORTGAGE, INC., C/O ILLINOIS SECRETARY
OF STATE, BUSINESS SERVICES SAXON
MORTGAGE, INC., RA: ILLINOIS CORPORATION
SERVICE C SAXON MORTGAGE, INC.,
ANTHONY T MEOLA, PRESIDENT MORTGAGE
ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.
C/O GENPACT REGISTERED AGENT INC.
(REG. AGENT) GENPACT REGISTERED AGENT
REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. JPMORGAN
CHASE BANK, N.A. UNKNOWN OWNERS,
OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES INTERESTED
GENERALLY TAX DEED NO. 2018COTD008437
FILED December 14, 2018 TAKE NOTICE
County of Cook Date Premises Sold June 7,
2016 Certificate No. 14-0011796 Sold for
General Taxes of (year) 2014 (2007 2ND, 2010
2ND, 2011 2ND, 2013 2ND INCLUDED) Sold
for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and
special assessment number N/A Warrant No.
N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property
located at 8918 S WALLACE ST, CHICAGO,
IL Legal Description or Property Index No.
25-04-119-030-0000 This notice is to advise
you that the above property has been sold
for delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption from the sale will expire on May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
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Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118
N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ,
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091845

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
AVRIEL STERLING CHICAGO TITLE LAND
TRUST COMPANY, TRUSTEE OF TRUST
#129047 DATED 02.01.2003, C/O
TITLE LAND TRUST COMPANY, TRUSTEE OF
TRUST #129047 DATED 02.01.2003, RA:
CT CORPORATION SYSTEM OCCUPANT
DEANDRE WOULARD LOGAN EMANI
UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND
PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED
NO. 2018COTD008439 FILED December 14,
2018 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date
Premises Sold June 7, 2016 Certificate
No. 14-0008252 Sold for General Taxes of
(year) 2014 Sold for Special Assessment
of (Municipality) and special assessment
number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No.
N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR
DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at 9837
S ELLIS AVE, CHICAGO, IL Legal Description
or Property Index No. 25-11-122-013-0000
This notice is to advise you that the above
property has been sold for delinquent taxes
and that the period of redemption from the
sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The
amount to redeem is subject to increase at
6 month intervals from the date of sale and
may be further increased if the purchaser
at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays
any subsequently accruing taxes or special
assessments to redeem the property from
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60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ,
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091693

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
ANDRE AUSTIN OCCUPANT JAMES D.
PRICE, SR MARRELL PRICE EVELYN WATTS
TRACY JOHNSON FLORA PRICE RITA AUSTIN
UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND
PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED
NO. 2018COTD008439 FILED December 14,
2018 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date
Premises Sold June 8, 2016 Certificate No.
14-0012471 Sold for General Taxes of (year)
2014 (2006 2ND, 2007 2ND INCLUDED) Sold
for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and
special assessment number N/A Warrant No.
N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property
located at 11356 S EMERALD AVE, CHICAGO,
IL Legal Description or Property Index No.
25-21-116-017-0000 This notice is to advise
you that the above property has been sold
for delinquent taxes and that the period of
redemption from the sale will expire on May
24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject
to increase at 6 month intervals from the
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N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ,
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091892

To: Ronald Morris; Alan R. Handy; Marvin
Gerner; Chantel Handly; Gabriel Handly;
Deborah Handly; Vonita Johnson; Alan R.
Handly Jr; City of Chicago, Occupant, 8305 S.
Luellia Ave., Chicago, IL; Cook County Clerk;
Parties in occupancy and possession; any
unknown owners and occupants. TAX DEED
NO. 2018COTD007805. FILED: 11/20/2018.
TAKE NOTICE County of Cook. Date Premises
Sold 6/7/2016. Certificate No. 14-0007609.
Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014. Sold
for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and
special assessment number N/A Warrant No.
N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES. Property
located at 8305 S. Luella Ave., Chicago,
Illinois. Legal Description or Property Index
No. 20-36-404-002-0000. This notice is to
advise you that the above property has been
sold for delinquent taxes and that the period
of redemption from the sale will expire on
5/2/2019. The amount to redeem is subject
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on or before 5/2/2019. This matter is set
for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county
in Room 1704, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West
Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois at 9:30
a.m., on 5/15/2019. You may be present at
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LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption can be made
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Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in
Chicago, Illinois. For further information
contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118
North Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60602. TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645.
LONGSTREET CAPITAL FUNDING LLC, Purchaser or Assignee. Dated:
1/17/2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6096837

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
VIOLET L LATRONICA LARRY E LATRONICA
OCCUPANT ACORN GLEN CONDOMINIUM
ASSOCIATION, RA: CHERRY L. SKOUR JR
ACORN GLEN CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION,
DIANA FAGAN, PRESIDENT STATE OF
ILLINOIS, DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE STATE
OF ILLINOIS, C/O ATTORNEY GENERAL
MANOR CARE OF OAK LAWN (WEST) IL, INC.,
RA: C T CORPORATION SYSTEM INC.,
CARE OF OAK LAWN (WEST) IL, INC., HCR IV
HEATHCARE, LLC THOMAS P DALTON, ESQ.,
DALTON & DALTON, PC GLADYS P SANTANA,
ESQ. UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND
PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED
NO. 2018COTD008265 FILED December 13, 2018
TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date
Premises Sold June 6, 2016 Certificate No.
14-0006253 Sold for General Taxes of (year)
2014 Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality)
and special assessment number N/A Warrant No.
N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property located
at 11001 S DEBLIN LN, UNIT 105 (LEGALLY
DESCRIBED AS UNIT 11001-105) OAK
LAWN, ILLINOIS 60453 Legal Description or
Property Index No. 24-16-423-065-1053
This notice is to advise you that the above
property has been sold for delinquent taxes
and that the period of redemption from the
sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The
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N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois
60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ,
LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8,
2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091578

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK
CORTNEY L. JONES OCCUPANT CORTNEY
JONES THOMAS HUTTON JULIA JONES
UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND
PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED
NO. 2018COTD008378 FILED December 14,
2018 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date
Premises Sold June 7, 2016 Certificate No.
14-0008056 Sold for General Taxes of (year)
2014 Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality)
and special assessment number N/A Warrant No.
N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN
SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property
located at 9240 S DAUPHIN AVE, CHICAGO, IL
Legal Description or Property Index No. 25-02-
307-020-0000 This notice is to advise you
that the above property has been sold for
delinquent taxes and that the period of
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TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK JOSEPH M CRNAK LINDA H CRNAK PETER CRNAK TONY CRNAK BLOOM REALTY CO NICHOLAS JOSEPH CRNAK, AS INDEPENDENT REPRESENTATIVE IRENE CRNAK JOHN CRNAK LINDA CRNAK JAMES HAYES MICHAEL CRNAK ROSEMARY KARSON ALLAN W MASTERS UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED NO. 2019COTD000030 FILED January 7, 2019 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises Sold June 3, 2016 Certificate No. 14-0008805, 14-0008806 Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014; 2014 Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at 10755-10757 S BURLEY AVE, CHICAGO, IL Legal Description or Property Index No. 26-18-205-022-0000; 26-18-205-023-0000 This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 50 W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602, Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30 am. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY Redemption can be made at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ, LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 16, 2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6100274

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TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK DEBORAH A TERO OCCUPANT DEBORAH TERO ABBIE TERO UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED NO. 2018COTD008255 FILED December 13, 2018 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises Sold June 3, 2016 Certificate No. 14-0001224 Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014 Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at 18050 IDLEWILD DR, COUNTRY CLUB HILLS, IL Legal Description or Property Index No. 28-34-407-038-0000 This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 50 W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602, Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30 am. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY Redemption can be made at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ, LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8, 2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091429

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK JERALD PERKINS CORSHUN JACKSON VILLAGE OF SOUTH HOLLAND, VILLAGE CLERK LAURISA CLARK OCCUPANT CANDIS COLEMAN MICHAEL AMORIO LLC, RA: ILLINOIS CORPORATION SERVICE UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED NO. 2019COTD000202 FILED January 16, 2019 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises Sold June 6, 2016 Certificate No. 14-0004903 Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014 (2011 2ND, 2012 INCLUDED) Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at 14810 RIVERSIDE DR, SOUTH HOLLAND, IL Legal Description or Property Index No. 29-09-305-033-0000 This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 50 W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602, Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30 am. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY Redemption can be made at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ, LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 17, 2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6096336

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK SIMBORG DOLTON 1 STATE BANK OF TEXAS, SUCCESSOR TO SEAWAY BANK AND TRUST COMPANY CHICAGO TITLE LAND TRUST COMPANY, TRUSTEE OF TRUST #32991 DATED 05/10/1974 CHICAGO TITLE LAND TRUST COMPANY, TRUSTEE OF TRUST #32991 DATED 05/10/1974, RA: CT CORPORATION SYSTEM PROPERTY MANAGER GOOD HEALTH MEDICAL PRODUCTS E & L AUTO REPAIR UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED NO. 2019COTD000027 FILED January 7, 2019 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises Sold June 6, 2016 Certificate No. 14-000497, 14-000498 Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014; 2014 Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at 14800-14802 S DREXEL AVE (EXCEPT THE NORTH 281.35 FEET THEREOF) DOLTON, ILLINOIS 60419 Legal Description or Property Index No. 29-11-133-033-0000; 29-11-133-035-0000 This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 50 W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602, Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30 am. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY Redemption can be made at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ, LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 16, 2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6100259

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK RAYMOND E WACEK MARQUETTE NATIONAL BANK, TRUSTEE OF TRUST #5683 DATED 03.18.1972 DEBORAH M WACEK MARK WACEK STEVEN W WACEK OCCUPANTS UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED NO. 2018COTD008254 FILED December 13, 2018 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises Sold June 3, 2016 Certificate No. 14-0000990 Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014 Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at 4416 FORESTVIEW DR, OAK FOREST, IL Legal Description or Property Index No. 28-18-211-001-0000 This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 50 W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602, Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30 am. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY Redemption can be made at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ, LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8, 2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091383

TO: DAVID D. ORR, COOK COUNTY CLERK JOHN A BUIKA PAMELA M. WATKINS PAMELA WATKINS OCCUPANT CITIMORTGAGE, INC. RA: C T CORPORATION SYSTEM CITIMORTGAGE, INC. OCCUPANT ROSEMARY DAVIES, PRESIDENT UNKNOWN OWNERS, OCCUPANTS AND PARTIES INTERESTED GENERALLY TAX DEED NO. 2018COTD008262 FILED December 13, 2018 TAKE NOTICE County of Cook Date Premises Sold June 6, 2016 Certificate No. 14-0005122 Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014 Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES Property located at 14800-14802 S DREXEL AVE (EXCEPT THE NORTH 281.35 FEET THEREOF) DOLTON, ILLINOIS 60419 Legal Description or Property Index No. 29-11-133-033-0000 This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on May 24, 2019. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before May 24, 2019. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in the Richard J. Daley Center, 50 W. Washington St., Chicago, Illinois, 60602, Courtroom 1704, on June 21, 2019 at 9:30 am. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY Redemption can be made at any time on or before May 24, 2019 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 N Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602 TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645 FNA DZ, LLC Purchaser or Assignee. Dated January 8, 2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6091494

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TO: Jose M. Hernandez; Ana Hernandez; Jose A. Rodriguez; Ana C. Rodriguez; Roberto S. Hernandez; Jose Dondialbo; Bernice Callinan; Glenwood Manor Community Association; D. Callinan; Occupant, 808 W. Palm Dr., Glenwood, IL, Cook County Clerk; Parties in occupancy and possession; any unknown owners and occupants. TAX DEED NO. 2018COTD007775. FILED: 11/20/2018. TAKE NOTICE. County of Cook. Date Premises Sold 6/6/2016. Certificate No. 14-0005488. Sold for General Taxes of (year) 2014. Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and special assessment number N/A Warrant No. N/A Inst. No. N/A. THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES. Property located at, 808 W. Palm Dr., Glenwood, Illinois. Legal Description or Property Index No. 29-33-303-004-0000. This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on 5/2/2019. The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the county clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming. This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before 5/2/2019. This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of this county in Room 1704, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois at 9:30 a.m., on 5/15/2019. You may be present at this hearing but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY. Redemption can be made at any time on or before 5/2/2019 by applying to the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois at the Office of the County Clerk in Chicago, Illinois. For further information contact the County Clerk. ADDRESS: 118 North Clark Street, Room 434, Chicago, Illinois 60602. TELEPHONE: (312) 603-5645. LONGSTREET CAPITAL FUNDING LLC, Purchaser or Assignee. Dated: 1/17/2019. Pub: 1/28, 29, 30/2019 6096802

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Bears cornerback Kyle Fuller, playing for the NFC, intercepts a pass intended for AFC wide receiver Juju Smith-Schuster of the Steelers during the first half of the Pro Bowl on Sunday.

PRO BOWL AFC 26, NFC 7

It's Beary satisfying

Seven Bears went for fun in the sun but came away dripping wet, loaded with a ton of good memories

BY COLLEEN KANE | Chicago Tribune

ORLANDO, Fla. — The seven Bears players were dripping wet as they came off the Pro Bowl field at Camping World Stadium. But the soggy Sunday weather and the NFC's 26-7 loss to the AFC didn't appear to dampen their moods at the conclusion of their week as NFL all-stars.

Here are nine takeaways from talking to the Pro Bowlers after Sunday's game.

1. Kyle Fuller showed the Pro Bowl audience why he tied for the NFL lead in interceptions this season.

Fuller carried a football with him as he left the field after the first half Sunday, a

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physical reminder of one of the biggest plays of the NFC's day.

"I'm going to hold on to it," Fuller said.

The Bears cornerback, who had seven interceptions this season, dived in front of Andrew Luck's second-quarter pass intended for JuJu Smith-Schuster for the first interception of the game.

"Third-down route, inside break," Fuller

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PHELAN EBENHACK/AP

Bears quarterback Mitch Trubisky reaches for the ball after a botched play against the AFC during the second half of the Pro Bowl at Camping World Stadium in Orlando, Fla.

CAVALIERS 104, BULLS 101

A worst-case scenario: Lowly Cavs beat Bulls

More home groaning after 8th straight loss at UC, 13th in last 14

BY K.C. JOHNSON
Chicago Tribune

Before the Bulls' eighth straight home loss and 13th loss in 14 games, coach Jim Boylen said neither ownership nor management has ever mentioned to him where the franchise sits in the draft lottery standings.

There's no need. The Bulls find new and creative ways to improve their draft standing regardless.

The Cavaliers, the league's worst team, had lost 18 of 19. They sat Jordan Clarkson's hot hand down the stretch. They played without Kevin Love, David Nwaba, J.R. Smith and Tristan Thompson.

And yet they still managed to scratch out a 104-101 victory in Sunday's matinee at the United Center. The Bulls, the league's fourth-worst team, haven't won at home since Dec. 21 and lost to the Hawks and Cavaliers in the span of five days.

"Still a work in progress," Kris Dunn said. "We had a coaching change. The lineup has been changing. We're trying to stick with it. We're working every day."

The Bulls led 101-100 when Wayne Selden, who played well with 15 points and six rebounds in his first start for the injured Chandler Hutchison, sank a 3-pointer with 67 seconds left. But Robin Lopez's emphatic block of Rodney Hood's layup went right to Alec Burks, who scored with 17 seconds left.

After a timeout, Dunn, who

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Cavaliers forward Channing Frye blocks a shot by Bulls guard Zach LaVine in the first half Sunday afternoon at the United Center.

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■ Hutchison doesn't regret playing through pain. **Page 5**

Delmonico reignites a never-ending war

White Sox outfielder fires his shot at Cubs fans



PAUL SULLIVAN
On the White Sox

Nicky Delmonico ingratiated himself to White Sox fans at SoxFest on Saturday by declaring Cubs fans the most annoying in baseball.

A young Sox fan posed the clickbait question during a question-and-answer session, and Delmonico responded "Cubs fans" like hitting a batting-practice fastball.

It was a veteran move by a young outfielder. Delmonico knows his audience, and teammates Yolmer Sanchez and Tim Anderson quickly agreed with the sentiment.

Delmonico then doubled down by telling Sox fans: "Whenever

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Hawk Harrelson on retirement: "I don't mind telling you it's been a little tough." Phil Rosenthal, **Page 2**

the Cubs play (in) our home you all have got to literally give them hell."

We'll see whether Delmonico's plea is taken to heart by Sox fans when the City Series comes to Guaranteed Rate Field on July 6. But for now it's just another chapter in the never-ending war between North Side and South Side baseball fans.

Trolling Cubs fans is never a bad move for a Sox player, and it really was no different than Cubs third baseman Kris Bryant trolling Cardinals fans at the recent Cubs Convention, when he

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PHIL ROSENTHAL

Retirement ‘tough’ for Hawk

Spring training is still a couple of weeks away and Ken “Hawk” Harrelson already is suffering withdrawal symptoms.

“I don’t mind telling you it’s been a little tough this year,” Harrelson said.

Four months after calling his last game for the White Sox, ending a run of more than 35 years with the team and close to 60 years in and around pro baseball, the 77-year-old feels the game’s inexorable pull, as always.

“When baseball season rolls around, your metabolism changes,” Harrelson said during a quiet moment at SoxFest, where he moderated panels and interacted with fans just like always during a trip north from his winter home in Florida.

“Come late January, February, you get used to going to spring training, getting ready to go to spring training.”

Hawk said he may watch exhibition games on his iPad. If he goes to White Sox training camp in Arizona, it will be with the title “emeritus” or “ambassador” attached, not quite a visitor but not quite at home, either.

The problem, Harrelson will tell you, is he still hasn’t settled into a retirement routine.

“My golf game has been cut short because of my wrist — too many strikeouts, too many fat sand wedges — so I can’t play much golf anymore,” he said. “If I played golf, it would be no problem, but the pain is just too great.”

Harrelson has passed time watching a lot of television and movies.

“I used to be a voracious reader and I’m going to get back into that now,” he said. “I used to read, shoot, at least a book a week.”

A lot of his favorite titles were self-help books. Not anymore.

“I realized they don’t know what they’re talking about,” Harrelson said.

Books on Winston Churchill have held a good deal of fascination over the years, books on politics have too.

“Politics fascinates me,” he said. “That’s the toughest, nastiest, dirtiest game in the world.”

Unfortunately, that’s anything but escapism these days.

“It’s never been this nasty before,” Harrelson said. “Not in my lifetime anyhow. This is the worst it’s ever been, and it’s getting worse.”

To get away from the world, Harrelson always has found solace in golf, as his post-baseball pro career on the links would suggest.

There is a surgery that can repair the wrist problem that’s keeping Harrelson off the course. Alas, it is not an option for him.

“Not at my age,” Harrelson said. “I’ve had four of the best (wrist specialists) in the world look at it and they’ve all said exactly the same thing. I’m just getting old.”



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Ken “Hawk” Harrelson shares a moment with Ozzie Guillen at SoxFest over the weekend.

When it’s suggested maybe he needs a new hobby, he talks about “turning Smirnoff into urine,” which is neither a new diversion nor a new line for him.

“It’ll have to be reading,” Hawk said. “I was thinking about buying a boat, but I’ve had two boats and I’ve totaled both of those, so I’m not going to buy any boats. I ran into two cypress trees.”

The Boston baseball writers just honored Harrelson for long and meritorious service to the sport. A beloved member of the 1967 Red Sox, American League pennant winners who lost the World Series to the Cardinals, Harrelson later broadcast games for the team.

All told, he and Boston enjoyed a love affair that lasted almost 10 years. But he made a point to say at the dinner that he’s now a White Sox man through and through.

Harrelson publicly soured on Red Sox management and the White Sox came courting him to work with Don Drysdale in 1982. A disappointing ’86 season as White Sox general manager led to him leaving for announcing work with the Yankees and national outlets before returning to the White Sox.

Harrelson brightened a bit as he mentioned a couple of speaking engagements he has coming up on his schedule.

“You know, one thing I really enjoy is I really enjoy talking to White Sox fans about baseball,” Harrelson said. “I did a couple seminars last year at the ballpark with season ticket holders. A.J. (Pierzynski) and I did one, and it was just a ball.”

So maybe he can do more of that. He also said some radio stations called after his last White Sox telecast in September to ask if he might be interested in occasional work, but he hasn’t gotten around to responding.

The plan is to return to Indiana this summer, so he and wife Aris can escape Florida’s seasonal swelter and be closer to their grandkids.

“When I get settled in, I’ll think about maybe doing something,” Harrelson said. He knows he needs something.

“My wife, she’s trying everything she can, thinking up new things to get my (behind) out of the house,” Harrelson said. “She’ll come up with something.”

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SOXFEST NOTES

‘Technical’ foul: Engel, Getz get nerdy

BY PHIL THOMPSON | Chicago Tribune

“Posterior chain”? “Spin efficiency”? Adam Engel gave White Sox fans fair warning when he asked how “nerdy” they were prepared to get as he explained the retooled swing he has been working on this offseason during one of the final SoxFest seminars on Sunday.

When the outfielder played other sports, he often played off the balls of his feet.

“When it comes to hitting, you actually want to try before you get to your toes, start at the heel of your foot so you can engage. They call it the posterior chain.”

“You’re missing out on your posterior chain, like your glutes, your hamstrings, things of that nature if your heel’s not on the ground. That’s been a huge focus of mine.

“The biggest adjustment has been trying to feel that heel get into the ground, engage the ground and get that chain from the heel up.”

Director of player development Chris Getz also asked how inside baseball he should go in explaining pitcher Carson Fulmer’s work on spin efficiency.

“Sometimes pitchers have a tendency to get on the side of the ball, create side-spin and lack spin efficiency,” Getz said. “Our focus right now is for him is to get behind the ball so the ball carries through the zone.

And he done a nice job improving that. Same thing with his curveball as well.

“He’s really excited about his progress.”

Moncada-to-Machado connection: Yoan Moncada delved a little more into his desire to lure Manny Machado to the South Side. The team asked the second baseman to participate in a video message to convince Machado to sign with the Sox and Moncada agreed.

Moncada also was in on the call when Yonder Alonso FaceTimed with Machado before the SoxFest opening ceremony.

“I was there and we told him how much we needed him and how much we wanted him here with us just to help us be a better team,” Moncada said through an interpreter. “I think at that moment he was just getting read to play golf with some friends.”



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From left: Sox fans AJ Melendez, 8, Jaxson Rubio, 5, Liam Rubio, 7, and Isius Maciel, 7, pose for a photo with White Sox second baseman Yoan Moncada at SoxFest.

Daniel Palka’s left-field humor: Last season, slugger Daniel Palka surprised fans with his bat and his banter, showing off his comedic side on MLB Network and in interviews.

He kept his studio audience at the Hilton Chicago in stitches.

■ On his favorite player growing up: “(Former Sox player) Nick Swisher. ... He played first base and outfield. I just like the guy. Pretty exciting dude.” And on whether he has met Swisher: “Not personally. I slid into his DMs on Twitter one time. No response.”

■ A fan asked Palka, a big Bears fan, if he could kick, obviously alluding to Cody Parkey’s tipped field-goal attempt that derailed the Bears’ playoff game against the Eagles: “No, but from what I’ve been hearing, none of you guys can kick either. You went 0-for-100?” Palka said, referring to this month’s Goose Island field-goal challenge, in which 100 amateurs put up a goose egg.

■ Palka added, “I can kick a pigskin a quarter-mile. We find some mountains somewhere, I’ll kick it right over them mountains.” That was an obvious nod to Uncle Rico from the movie “Napoleon Dynamite,” despite Palka’s protests to the contrary.

Nick Madrigal power outage? Baseball America wrote about Sox infield prospect Nick Madrigal’s “modest power” and inability to pull the ball.

Getz said that at this stage he has no concerns about the 2018 first-round pick’s power or where he’s hitting the ball.

“Nick’s got elite bat-to-ball skills. He carries out a very consistent approach,” he said. “Over time, when he realizes, ‘Oh, wait, I’m able to get to that pitch and that pitch and that pitch’ over the course of time he’s going to be more aggressive on inner-half pitches.”

Closed case: The Sox haven’t locked themselves into defining a closer role, and that extends to the minor leagues, Getz said.

The Sox don’t want to risk training young pitchers in a way that would make them one-dimensional.

“I don’t want to develop closers,” Getz said. “I want to develop guys that can throw the sixth and seventh inning, not just the ninth inning. We won’t call it the opener (strategy), but we will expose those guys to different situations.”

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Delmonico sends message

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called St. Louis “boring.”

Bryant’s insult was greeted with heated responses from a few angry Cardinals players, including Yadier Molina, who called Bryant and former Cub Ryan Dempster “losers.”

Delmonico’s insult has so far fallen on deaf ears. Either Cubs players aren’t paying attention to SoxFest, they don’t care what the Sox players think, or both.

Many fans don’t know this, but the Sox once owned Chicago, especially back in the 1950s and early ’60s. But it has been a Cubs town more or less since the Ernie Banks-Billy Williams-Ron Santo teams of the late 1960s, the era that patented their reputation as “lovable losers.”

Antipathy toward the Cubs is real on the South Side, as evidenced by a new Hyde Park joint, The Hyde, which set “house rules” that includes: “No Cubs fans.”

There are many theories as to why the Cubs came into dominance, but actor George Wendt, a Sox fan who played Norm in the TV show “Cheers,” once told me it was just the way Chicago evolved over the years.

“Maybe you could’ve put it on the free TV-vs.-cable TV thing a few years back,” Wendt said, referring to the Sox being the first to put its games on cable. “But now they’re on WGN sometimes, so I don’t know.

“It seems like emigres to Chicago, the post-graduates who settle here in the suburbs, north or south, become Cubs fans. It seems like to be a Sox fan, you have to be born and raised on the South Side.”

The lure of Wrigley Field has something to do with the Cubs’ popularity. Bill Veeck, the Hall of Fame executive who famously planted the ivy at Wrigley and later had two terms owning the Sox, wrote in his autobiography, “Veeck As In Wreck,” that former Cubs owner P.K. Wrigley instructed him to market Wrigley Field as a fan-friendly destination.

“We sold ‘Beautiful Wrigley Field.’” Veeck wrote. “We advertised ‘Beautiful Wrigley Field.’ The announcers were instructed to use the phrase ‘Beautiful Wrigley Field’ as often as possible. We sold it so well that when I came back to Chicago in 1959 as president of the White Sox across town, I found ‘Beautiful Wrigley Field’ my greatest single obstacle. Because ‘Beautiful Wrigley Field’ tacitly implied ‘that run-down, crummy joint on the South Side.’”

White Sox Chairman Jerry Reinsdorf, who got the state of Illinois to build him a new Comiskey Park, once said the difference between Cubs and Sox fans was simple.

“They’re very enthusiastic fans,” Reinsdorf said of Cubs fans. “Sox fans are more demanding. They’re more knowledgeable about the game. They don’t like to watch bad baseball.”

Sox fans still don’t like to watch bad baseball, but the rest is debatable. Former Cubs outfielder Brian McRae and former Sox slugger Frank Thomas once had a spirited debate at the Comiskey Park batting cage about their teams’ respective fan bases.

“Our fans are the drunkest,” McRae bragged to Thomas. “We’ve got the drunkest fans in baseball.”

“We have the working-class fans here,” Thomas responded.

Those stereotypes persist: All Sox fans are blue-collar types who are into every pitch. All Cubs fans are yuppie types, oblivious to the game on the field.

It has lasted for generations, passed down from parents to their kids.

What’s indisputable is the Cubs still outdraw the Sox on an annual basis, whether the team is good or bad — as evidenced by the Cubs’ rebuilding phase from 2012 to 2014.

Ozzie Guillen, an expert in trolling Cubs fans during his reign as Sox manager, once was asked during a Sox-Dodgers series at what was then nicknamed the Cell why attendance was so disappointing.

“Because our fans are not stupid like Cubs fans,” he replied. “They know we’re horse (bleep).”

Guillen added that Cubs fans were willing to watch any game at Wrigley because “Wrigley Field is just a bar.” He later said he didn’t mean to insult Cubs fans and was just having fun, just as Delmonico seemed to be doing at SoxFest. Cubs fans enjoyed the annual back-and-forth with Guillen, who made the City Series more interesting with his tall tales of seeing rats at Wrigley.

Few Cubs or Sox players actually grow up in Chicago, so their loyalties lie with whoever signs their paychecks. But the late Kevin Foster was the exception to the rule.

In 1997 when the Cubs faced the Indians in August with a chance to help the Sox in their division race, Sox fans were in a quandary. Could they possibly root for the Cubs? I asked Foster, an Evanston native who grew up a Cubs fan, if he’d root for the Sox if the shoe was on the other foot.

“No, I’ve never liked the White Sox,” Foster replied. “For me to sit down and root for the White Sox would be out of the ordinary. I would never root for the White Sox in any situation. Well, as a player, sure, I’d root for them. But as a Cubs fan, no, I would never root for them.”

That sentiment is widely shared by fans of both teams, most of whom have found their peers to be “annoying” well before Delmonico chimed in this weekend.

Some things will never change.

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Bears running back Tarik Cohen carries the ball for the NFC on Sunday. Cohen had a 2-yard run. A penalty negated his 17-yard punt return.

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said of the play. "It was cool."

Fuller was called down where he made the pick, but he ran to the end zone to celebrate, with Bears teammate Tarik Cohen the first to greet him. Fuller then did something else for which the Bears prepared him well this season. He celebrated by posing for a group photo with other NFC players.

"It's a habit now anytime I see one of the guys on defense make a play," Cohen said. "I've got to go out there and celebrate with them."

2. Bears quarterback Mitch Trubisky had a difficult afternoon on the field, but he kept it in perspective.

As Trubisky ran toward the NFC locker room after the game, he asked the media with a smile, "Can we go somewhere warm?"

He stayed to answer some questions and kept the smile the whole time despite finishing 5-for-9 for 34 yards and an interception.

"It's just a great lifetime experience, and there is no substitute for it," Trubisky said. "It's awesome to get know these guys and their families and create those relationships that will last a lifetime. I just had a lot fun this week."

As the backup to quarterback Russell Wilson, Trubisky entered the game with 22 seconds to play in the second quarter and completed 3 of 4 passes. His arm was hit on the incompletion, a near-interception by Xavien Howard if it weren't for Howard's teammate, Jamal Adams, knocking him to the ground.

On the first play of the third quarter, Trubisky rolled out to his right and launched a pass right into the hands of Chris Harris for the AFC's first interception.

Trubisky also had two trick plays go wrong, through no fault of his own, including a flea flicker that left the quarterback flattened.

He handed off to Alvin Kamara, who pitched the ball back too high. As Trubisky jumped to secure the football, Adams crashed into him for a sack and a loss of 11 yards. On the same drive, Trubisky also tossed it to Adam Thielen, who threw an interception to Adams.

Still, he talked afterward mostly about the fun he had over the week.

"Hopefully, it will just carry on with me for the rest of my career and just set the foundation going forward and give me more confidence moving forward," Trubisky said.

3. The conditions were less than ideal for fans — and players.

A steady, heavy rain and a temperature of 55 degrees at kickoff made it a chilly affair, with fans throughout the stadium hiding their jerseys under colorful ponchos.

Players stood on the sidelines draped in long coats to stay dry as a strong wind occasionally shook the goal posts.

In the slick conditions, many plays ended not with a tackle but with defensive players holding receivers or ball carriers in place or pushing them down. Avoiding injury was of obvious importance, though not everyone made it through unharmed.

The NFL gave injury updates midgame and announced that Smith-Schuster and Keenan Allen suffered bruised knees. No



Bears safety Eddie Jackson (39) and defensive lineman Akiem Hicks stop AFC fullback Anthony Sherman of the Chiefs during the Pro Bowl on Sunday in Orlando, Fla.

Bears players were announced with injuries.

"What was that?" Trubisky said of the weather. "It was tough a little bit. It was a lot colder than you thought. I just want to thank all the fans for coming out, supporting the way they did and just making this thing fun. Guys got out healthy. That's all you could ask for. But yeah, you wish the rain was a little better, so it could be a better experience for everyone else."

4. Akiem Hicks didn't get his sack, but he did contribute to Fuller's big play.

The Bears defensive lineman got around the left edge to put his hand in Luck's face before Fuller made the interception.

"You've got to throw it up for your boys, right?" said Hicks, who mentioned before the game he wanted a sack.

Hicks was credited with two tackles in his first Pro Bowl appearance after seven NFL seasons.

"As far as meaning for me, this is one of the biggest accolades I've ever achieved," Hicks said. "Being recognized as one of the most elite players at my position in the league and owning it, it's awesome."

5. Eddie Jackson bonded with several other defensive backs during his week.

As the Bears safety packed up his belongings after the game, he shoved three jerseys he had acquired into a bag — from Vikings safety Harrison Smith, Cardinals cornerback Patrick Peterson and Saints running back Alvin Kamara.

Jackson said getting to know Smith and AFC safety Eric Weddle, of the Ravens, were among the highlights of his week.

"It was fun being around guys you look up to and admire, and being able to share the field with those guys was a great feeling," Jackson said. "I've watched (Weddle) play for a long time. Just to see he really noticed me and knows my game, and how well we connect, you would think I've known him my whole life."

6. Adams and Chiefs quarterback Patrick Mahomes walked away as the defensive and offensive MVPs.

Mahomes completed seven of 14 passes for 156 yards and a touchdown. He

connected on an 18-yard pass to Eric Ebron to open the scoring and also found Allen for a 50-yarder and Jared Cook for a 33-yarder on the AFC's second touchdown drive.

Adams had two tackles, the sack and the interception.

7. Cohen had one flashy highlight, though the play didn't go in the stats book.

The NFC's return specialist caught a first-quarter punt, spun through two defenders and returned it 17 yards. However, the NFC was called for too many men on the field, and the AFC opted to go for it on fourth down rather than punt again.

"I tried to do the most with what I got," Cohen said. "I just got out there and let the game come to me. The spin move came out there."

Cohen also had one carry for 2 yards in the first quarter.

8. While they were in Orlando, offensive linemen Charles Leno and Cody Whitehair received news from Chicago that added to their excitement this week.

The Bears announced they signed right tackle Bobby Massie to a four-year extension Saturday.

"Hell, yeah, let's go," said Leno, who started Sunday's game. "They're keeping our line together. I love what they're doing. We're trying to keep our core together. I'm just happy we got our guy back in the room."

Said Whitehair: "Continuity is a big thing on the offensive line, so anytime you can keep us all together is always a good thing."

9. Trubisky got his photo with his draft classmates.

Trubisky, Mahomes and Deshaun Watson were the first three quarterbacks taken in the 2017 draft, selected second, 10th and 12th. When they all made it to the Pro Bowl this year, the trio decided to commemorate the occasion.

That moment came with a photo from Sunday's game.

Watson finished 7-for-15 for 128 yards, a touchdown and an interception.

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COLLEGES

LOYOLA 75, SIU 50

Ramblers use 23-0 run to rip Salukis

Cameron Krutwig scored 22 points and Loyola won for the sixth time in its last eight games, beating visiting Southern Illinois 75-50 on Sunday at Gentile Arena to stay atop the Missouri Valley Conference standings.

After Marcus Bartley's 3-pointer gave the Salukis a 12-7 lead, Loyola erupted for a 23-0 run. Clayton Custer and Krutwig each scored six points and Aher Uguak five in the spurt.

The Ramblers (13-8, 6-2) led 42-19 at halftime on the strength of 577 percent shooting (15 of 26), while converting all nine free throws. Southern Illinois (10-11, 3-5) was 7 of 20 from the field before intermission. The Salukis never came closer than 17 points the rest of the way.

Marques Townes scored 14 and Custer 10 for the Ramblers.

Armon Fletcher led Southern Illinois with 12 points and Sean Lloyd scored 11. The Salukis have dropped five of their last six.

— Associated Press

PROVIDENCE 70, DEPAUL 67

Friars' clutch FTs hold off Blue Demons

PROVIDENCE, R.I. — Alpha Diallo scored 20 points and Drew Edwards had 13 and both made a pair of free throws in the closing seconds to help Providence defeat DePaul 70-67 on Sunday.

Neither team made a basket in the final two minutes. Max Strus made three free throws with 1:41 remaining to pull DePaul within 66-63.

The teams combined to miss four shots before DePaul's Devin Gage was fouled with less than eight seconds to go. His two free throws cut the difference to one and Diallo was immediately fouled. He restored the three-point lead and the Friars fouled Gage again at five seconds. He was perfect, but so was Edwards with under three seconds to play and DePaul threw the ball away as the game ended.

Nate Watson had 14 points for the Friars (13-7, 3-4 Big East). Diallo went 3 of 14 from the field and 14 of 14 from the foul line and grabbed nine rebounds. Providence got 11 points in 11 minutes from standout freshman A.J. Reeves in his first game since suffering a foot injury on Dec. 11.

Paul Reed had 20 points on 8-of-11 shooting and grabbed nine rebounds for the Blue Demons (11-8, 3-5).

— Associated Press

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Purdue upsets Michigan State

Associated Press

First, Purdue took a page from Michigan State's playbook.

Then Nojel Eastern rewrote the script.

Ryan Cline scored 17 points and Eastern overcame his season-long free throw troubles by making six straight down the stretch to help the Boilermakers fend off a frantic late charge and hang on for a 73-63 upset over the sixth-ranked Spartans on Sunday in West Lafayette, Ind.

"They kind of get down six or 20 (in road games) and they have you right where they want you," coach Matt Painter said, referring to the Spartans' proclivity to come back. "You're nervous the whole damn time. I was nervous till 30 seconds (left)."

With good reason, too.

Purdue opened with a 19-6 run, extended the margin to 23 midway through the second half before nearly giving it all away during a drought in which it missed eight straight shots. Michigan State took advantage by going on a 24-5 run to cut the deficit to 60-56 with 5:14 to play.

But just when it looked like the Boilermakers (14-6, 7-2 Big Ten) might crack, Eastern, a 50 percent free-throw shooter, was fouled three times in a row. He made all six to give the Boilermakers a 71-60 lead with 2:35 left.

Michigan State (18-3, 9-1) lost for the first time in 14 games and saw a pair of school-record streaks end — a 21-game regular-season winning streak against conference foes and a 12-game road winning streak in league play.

Purdue has won four in a row and 12 straight at home.

Villanova stays hot: Phil Booth hit seven 3-pointers and scored 25 points, helping No. 18 Villanova rout Seton Hall 80-52 in Philadelphia.

It was the defending national champions' eighth straight victory.

TENNIS



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Novak Djokovic lets it all out after winning his record seventh Australian Open title.

AUSTRALIAN OPEN

Djokovic on new level

Record 7th Aussie title is unstoppable — even by Nadal

By HOWARD FENDRICH | Associated Press

MELBOURNE, Australia — Novak Djokovic was so good, so relentless, so flawless, that Rafael Nadal never stood a chance.

Djokovic reduced one of the greats of the game to merely another outclassed opponent, and one so out of sorts that Nadal even whiffed on one of his famous forehands entirely.

In a breathtakingly mistake-free performance that yielded a remarkably lop-sided result, the No. 1-ranked Djokovic overwhelmed Nadal 6-3, 6-2, 6-3 on Sunday night to win a record seventh Australian Open championship and a third consecutive Grand Slam title, raising his count to 15 overall.

“Under the circumstances,” Djokovic said, “it was truly a perfect match.”

No one who saw it would disagree.

Djokovic’s coach, Marian Vajda, said: “I would describe it as dominance.”

Nadal’s take? “An amazing level of tennis.”

“Unbelievable,” said Nadal’s coach, Carlos Moya. “Novak probably could have won, no matter who the opponent was.”

That Djokovic would produce 34 winners and only nine unforced errors was impressive enough. That it came against Nadal — who is ranked No. 2, owns 17 major trophies himself and hadn’t dropped

a set in the tournament — was hard to comprehend.

Djokovic left Nadalgritting his teeth or punching his racket strings, unable to compete at all.

Here’s how Nadal explained it: To have a chance when Djokovic plays that well, something extra is required. Given that he’s coming off a series of injuries, given that he hadn’t played since the U.S. Open last September, Nadal couldn’t raise his game.

Then again, Nadal conceded, “When the player did almost everything better than you, you can’t complain much.”

So Djokovic added to previous triumphs in Melbourne in 2008, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2015 and 2016, along with four titles at Wimbledon, three at the U.S. Open and one at the French Open.

He broke his tie with Roger Federer and Roy Emerson for most Australian Open men’s titles. He also broke a tie with his idol, Pete Sampras, for third-most Grand Slam trophies; Djokovic now only trails Federer, with 20, and Nadal.

And he is gaining on them.

So let the talk begin about four majors in a row over two seasons, something Djokovic already managed to do from 2015-16. And, what’s more, about a true Grand Slam, winning all four majors in one calendar year, which only has been done by two men, Donald Budge in 1938 and Rod Laver in 1962 and 1969.

“I am aware that making history of the sport that I truly love is something special,” the 31-year-old Serb said. “Of course, it motivates me.”

BLACKHAWKS

Boqvist making strides on, off ice

Prospect’s point production, command of English soaring

By JIMMY GREENFIELD | Chicago Tribune

When Blackhawks prospect Adam Boqvist was in Chicago last fall for training camp, there was a reticence to his interviews.

It wasn’t because Boqvist was shy, he’s not at all. The 18-year-old Swede just wasn’t very confident about his English.

After taking a class last summer, Boqvist went to the Ontario Hockey League’s London Knights this season determined to develop a better command of the language.

“I try to talk English and not always sit there and be quiet,” he said.

The noticeable improvement in his English is surpassed by his improvement on the ice. The eighth pick of last year’s draft is the top defenseman in his first season on the Knights, the same junior team for which Patrick Kane played one season before joining the Hawks.

Boqvist’s season got off to a slow start, which could be attributed to him getting used to the smaller North American ice rinks. That’s one reason the Hawks preferred having him play for London instead of returning to his Swedish League team this season.

After going 11 games without a goal, Boqvist hit his stride. He has 34 points (11 goals, 23 assists) in 32 games and is in the top 10 in the OHL among defensemen in goals and points.

It was always a long shot for Boqvist to make the Hawks last fall, but he wound up being the final defenseman cut. Like every young player, he’s trying to get stronger to prepare himself for the NHL.

“If I want to play against Milan Lucic and Tom Wilson and those guys, I have to be bigger so I can take them in the corner,” Boqvist said. “(Wilson’s) pretty big and he’s pretty hard to move in the corners, so I think I have to be stronger. I have the summer to work on that.”

Like many of the Hawks’ best young prospects, Boqvist played in the World Juniors and stood out there. He had four points (one goal, three assists) in five games for Sweden but failed to win a medal.

That was a blow, but it didn’t put a damper on his overall season.

“The trajectory is very positive, very encouraging,” said Mark Kelley, Hawks



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Blackhawks prospect Adam Boqvist played well for Sweden at the World Juniors, but he knows he needs to add muscle to be successful in the NHL.



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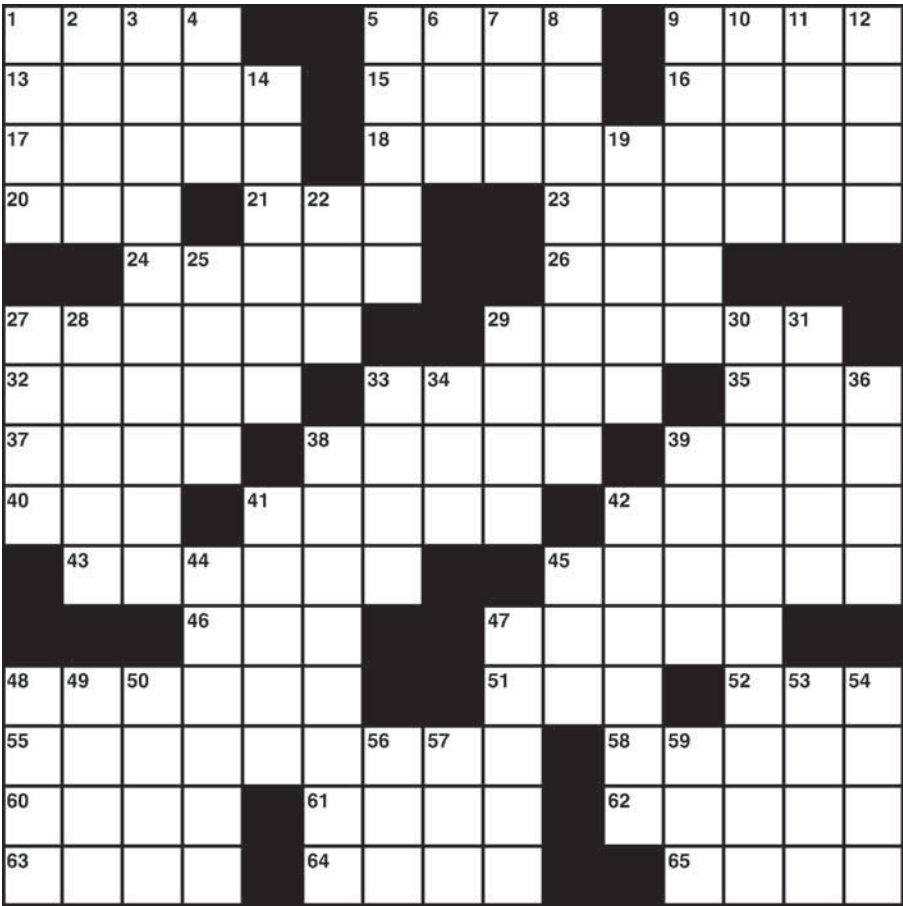
vice president of amateur scouting. “He’s got a lot of hockey left in him this year. He’s playing in London, we expect them to play in the conference final and have a good chance to go to the Memorial Cup. If that’s the case, he’s going to play right through to the end of May. So that gives him four more months of hockey, which can be huge in his development.”

Boqvist, whose parents and brother are with him in London, won’t turn 19 until just a few weeks before the Hawks open training camp in September. But one of his buddies, Henri Jokiharju, has performed well enough for the Hawks as a 19-year-old defenseman that it could pave the way for Boqvist to get a shot as well.

“I need to work on my defense most and my neutral-zone play,” Boqvist said. “Have the rest of the year and we’ll see what happens.”

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Crossword



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ACROSS

- 1 Impartial
- 5 Skin mark
- 9 ___ up;
- 13 Type of eclipse
- 15 Salary
- 16 Radar screen image
- 17 ___ drop of a hat; immediately
- 18 ___ of; next to
- 20 Taro root paste
- 21 Word after bowling or rolling
- 23 Fled and wed
- 24 ___ and groans; complains
- 26 Simple card game
- 27 Lesser-known facts & details
- 29 Morsel
- 32 Passenger
- 33 Dried fruit
- 35 Cow’s comment
- 37 As straight ___ arrow
- 38 For the time ___; meanwhile
- 39 Stretch across
- 40 Teacher’s favorite
- 41 “Blue ___ Shoes”; Elvis hit
- 42 Loop with a slipknot
- 43 Clergyman

DOWN

- 1 Envelope part
- 2 Car
- 3 Cow; frighten
- 4 Cheerleader’s cry
- 5 Waterbirds
- 6 Coolidge, for one
- 7 Not long ___;
- 8 Revitalizing
- 9 Soak up
- 10 Cut coupons
- 11 Movement of the waves
- 12 Ran fast
- 14 Fix

Solutions



- 19 Air freshener brand
- 22 ___ nutshell; briefly
- 25 Jenn-Air appliance
- 27 Ensnare
- 28 Early ___; one up at dawn
- 29 Melody
- 30 Out of the question
- 31 Browned bread
- 33 One’s equal
- 34 Get ___ of; shed
- 36 Singles
- 38 Tendency to float

- 39 Fly high
- 41 No longer fresh
- 42 Sounds
- 44 Vises
- 45 Womanizer
- 47 Serving implement
- 48 Heat rash symptom
- 49 Internal spy
- 50 Ship’s bow
- 53 No longer with us
- 54 Probability
- 56 “___ many cooks spoil the broth”
- 57 Corncob
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BULLS



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Bulls guard Kris Dunn misses a shot in the final minute against Cavaliers guard Rodney Hood on Sunday.

Cavaliers beat Bulls

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shot 2-for-8, missed a layup. After Matthew Dellavedova sank two free throws, Zach LaVine missed a 3-pointer at the buzzer. Given that Lopez attempted a jump hook in the final minute and Lauri Markkanen, who finished with 21 points and 15 rebounds, didn't attempt a shot in the final five minutes, shot selection dominated the postgame conversation. "They were face-guarding Lauri and face-guarding Zach," Boylen said. "There wasn't a guy within 10 feet of (Dunn). I thought he made a good move and you hope for a foul or bucket. We didn't finish the play. It's hard to get to the rim in the fourth quarter, especially the last minute. I thought we did that." Dunn said he drove when he saw Hood hedge toward

Markkanen in the corner. LaVine had yet to fully run off a staggered set of two screens on the weak side. Markkanen had no problem with Dunn's decision, especially since he got to the rim. "I trust him," Markkanen said. "He's a good player. He made what he thought was the right play. And he can make that shot. It just didn't go in." LaVine, who said he didn't think the Cavaliers face-guarded him, finished with 17 points and a career-high 12 rebounds. Markkanen became the first player in franchise history to make at least three 3-pointers in seven straight games. But the coaching staff has worked on getting him to be more selfish and hunt shots. "I always try to make the right play," Markkanen said. Boylen said Markkanen's choice this time not to force it

was the right one. "They have a switching defense and they're switching onto him," Boylen said. "Other guys have to make plays sometimes when that happens. That's just the game. He had 15 shots. I'm happy with that." The Bulls aren't happy with the constant losing. And seemingly every game, there's more evidence that LaVine, Dunn and Markkanen struggle to form consistent chemistry. Dunn finished with six points, seven assists and two turnovers but often labored to get the half-court offense into early shots. "He did overdrive some," Boylen said. "We've talked to him about that. Try to get to the rim. Try to find somebody. Try to throw it to the pocket."

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BULLS NOTES

Hutchison doesn't regret playing in pain

By K.C. JOHNSON
Chicago Tribune

Chandler Hutchison has no regrets about practicing Thursday and playing 41 minutes on Friday despite suffering an injury to the sesamoid bone in his right foot in the waning seconds of Wednesday's loss to the Hawks. Wearing a walking boot on the front end of at least a three-week absence, the Bulls rookie equated the injury to a jammed finger and said playing centered merely on pain management. He posted a double-double. "When it initially happened it was painful, but it wasn't like 'Oh, my gosh, there's no way I can play the next game,'" Hutchison said. "You're going to get dinged up over the course of the season. You just ice it and get ready to go. It's not until maybe you get a scan on it and you notice something's really up, you've got to take care of it." Hutchison also said doctors told him there's no way of knowing when the possible fracture occurred and that he didn't worsen it by playing two more days. Hutchison felt pain when he tried to block Justin Anderson's dunk in the waning seconds, which he called "a bozo play" because Anderson tried it during a blowout. "The boot helps a lot," Hutchison said. "It takes that stress off of bending that toe, which is kind of the thing that's going to continue to prolong the pain." Bulls coach Jim Boylen, who also expressed no regrets over Hutchison's decision, appreciated his rookie forward's toughness. "This guy wants to play, man," Boylen said. "He's a starter in the NBA. It's his dream. Obviously, he could function with it. I give him credit the toughness to fight through. Obviously, during the game it wasn't bothering him. And then afterward, it's sore. We X-ray'd it, and we move on. "There's part of me that likes that. You understand what I'm saying? I grew up in the old (days). I can't get into all the stories, because they're not for public (record), where guys, they're go-

ing to play hurt, they're going to play. Now, we want to understand what's going on with our guys, and we do. And this injury is a very difficult one to diagnose. "Sometimes that bone is in two pieces when you're born. We don't know. Your feet aren't X-ray'd all the time. Our guys have done a great job. ... It's unfortunate. It's disappointing for him. He's going to come back from it." The Bulls have been decimated by injuries this season. But Boylen, who said Hutchison and Wendell Carter Jr. will travel on the three-game trip to be around the team after getting evaluated on Monday, chose to look at the bright side. "We've identified that Chandler Hutchison is a heck of a pick man. And he's going to be a good Bull," Boylen said. "Wendell Carter is a heck of a pick and he's going to be a good Bull. They're hurt now, but they're going to be important to our future." Carter is most likely out the remainder of the season after left thumb surgery. **House call:** The Bulls have history with the tricky sesamoid bone, dating to when it cut short Eddie Robinson's career and led to a buyout of the high-flying forward's contract. They also have had several messy medical situations over the years, including Luol Deng's botched spinal tap, Nikola Mirotic's botched hematoma, Omer Asik playing on a fractured fibula and Joakim Noah playing on a badly sprained ankle. This wasn't one of those. Hutchison said he felt good enough to practice Thursday and play Friday. Boylen and team officials emphasized the training and medical staffs reacted properly, ordering tests once Hutchison indicated his pain increased. "From my experience, we have the best medical people and training staff I've been around," said the coach who has worked for several teams. "These guys are as good as anybody I've ever been with. Our people are on top of it."

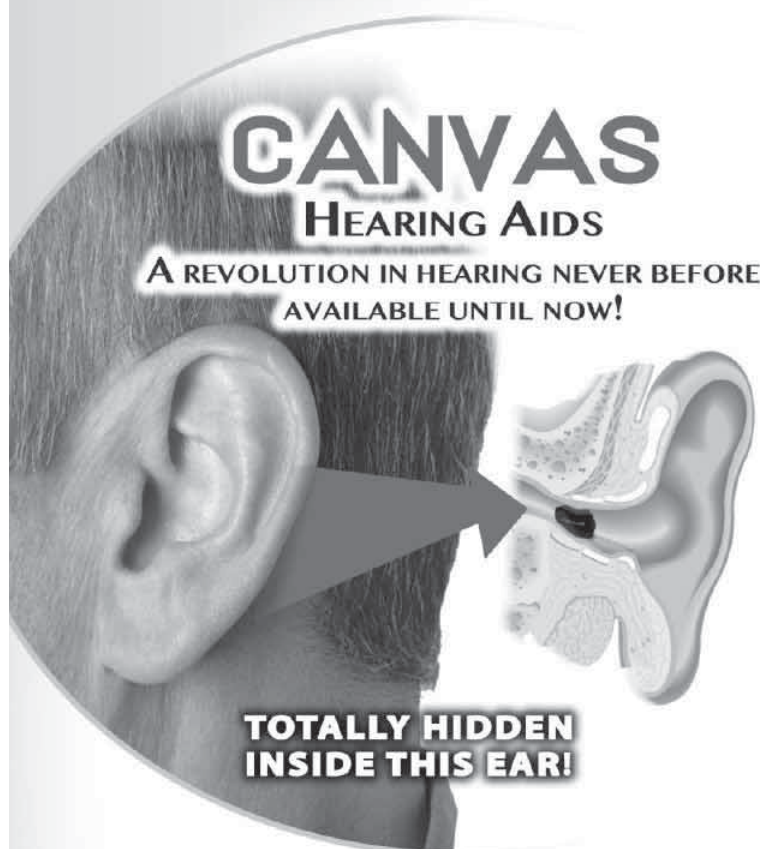


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BEARS

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OUTSIDE LINEBACKERS

Part 7 of an 11-part review of the 2018 Bears season.
Coming Wednesday: Inside linebackers

Chips shot: Gamble paid off

Bold trade for Mack turned good defense into one of the best

By BRAD BIGGS
Chicago Tribune

Ryan Pace already had a reputation for being aggressive. When he targeted a first-round pick that he and his staff had confidence in — and he didn't want to risk missing out — he packaged a pick or picks to move up and grab him. That's what he did in 2016 when the fear was the Giants would get Leonard Floyd. That's what he did again the next year when he traded up one spot not knowing if the 49ers would select Mitch Trubisky or another team would swoop in and trade for the No. 2 pick with the Bears sitting one pick back.

It's an entirely different thing to be aggressive in the manner in which the Bears played poker with the Raiders on final cutdown weekend. Pace moved all of his chips into the middle of the table and pulled off the trade for outside linebacker Khalil Mack.

"We'll remember this for a long time," Pace said on the day Mack arrived at Halas Hall, immediately becoming the best player on the roster.

"It's very easy to play it safe and play it cautious," Pace said. "And not that we're going to be reckless. But we're going to be aggressive."

There are very NFL few trades that have been more stunning over the last decade, heck, the last two decades, and Mack is the kind of talent that should carry the defense for a half-decade at minimum.

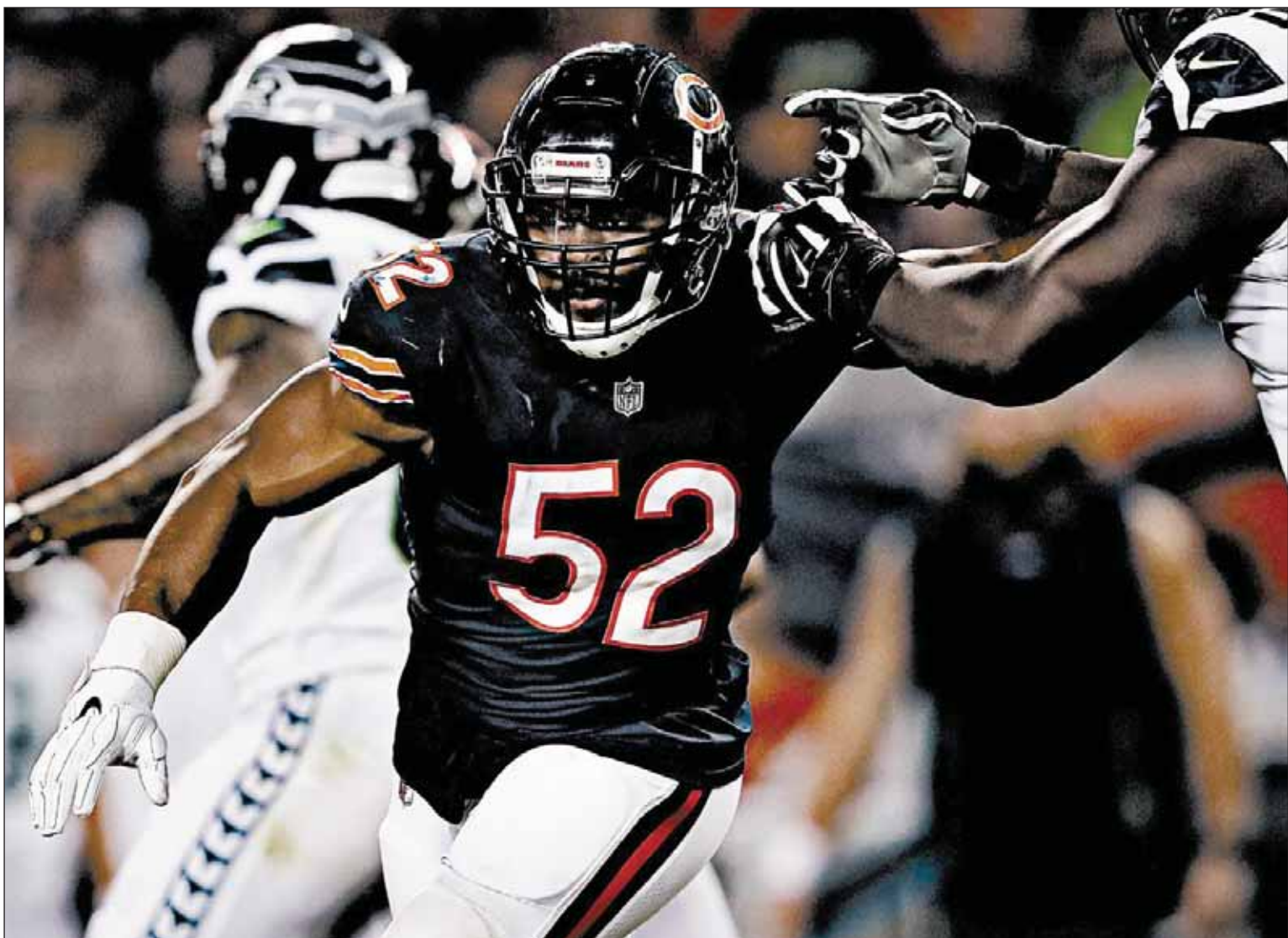
You hear about championship windows. Well, that window had been rusted shut for the Bears for a long time before Mack arrived. Now, coming off a 12-4 season and a division title, it's wide open.

Make no mistake, the Bears would have been good this past season without Mack. They would have competed and been a real factor in the conference. They wouldn't have won 12 games. They probably wouldn't have hosted a home playoff game. It would be hard to view them as a leading contender for next year's Super Bowl next year without an elite pass rusher.

The bill has not come due on Mack yet. Yes, he signed a blockbuster six-year, \$141 million extension that includes \$90 million guaranteed, but the Raiders have yet to get what is coming their way. They will receive the Bears' 2019 first-round pick, 2019 sixth-round pick, 2020 first-round pick and 2020 third-round pick. That's a lot of draft capital and will make putting together productive draft classes the next couple of years more challenging. The Bears struggled in the two draft classes after they acquired Jay Cutler for a similar price tag in 2009.

One key to the deal is the Bears receive the Raiders' 2020 second-round pick and a conditional fifth-round pick in 2020, but I doubt that conditional pick will remain that high. It's based on Mack's production, and if he plays next season like he did in 2018, the Bears are going to be getting a lower pick in return.

That's fine. When you boil the deal down, the Bears give up two-first round picks and a third-round pick for Mack and a second-round pick. You'd jump at



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Linebacker Khalil Mack was a force in his first season with the Bears, finishing with 12½ sacks and six forced fumbles. He signed a six-year deal.

that deal back in September and you'd jump at it again right now.

"You're talking about draft capital and also financial resources you're giving up, but fortunately we're in a really good space with our salary cap, and so our roster can handle this right now," Pace said. "We're a young team with a lot of depth we feel good about. I think the youth of our team, the depth of our team, the financial health of our team and then getting that second round pick back was important."

The deal was made much more possible because quarterback Mitch Trubisky remains on his rookie contract. When Trubisky gets paid, and it's certainly trending that way for the Bears, then those financial details Pace talks about get a lot more complicated because in essence the Bears will have two "quarterback contracts" on the roster with Mack and Trubisky.

But that's an issue for down the road and that's why it was even more important to make the move now.

2018 season review

Mack arrived with a bang, needing only a week of practice to get ready for the season opener in Green Bay when he filled just about every stat column you can imagine with three tackles, one sack, one interception (which he returned for a touchdown), one pass breakup, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery. He had a sack and a forced fumble in each of the first four games, becoming the first player in NFL history to do so, enough to win defensive player of the month for September.

Mack missed two games in the middle of the season with a high ankle sprain and was ineffective against the Patriots trying to play through the injury. So as former

ROLL CALL
Khalil Mack signed through 2024 2019 cap hit: \$22.3 million
Leonard Floyd signed through 2019 with 2020 club option 2019 cap hit: \$5,021,819
Aaron Lynch unrestricted free agent
Isaiah Irving exclusive-rights free agent
Kylie Fitts signed through 2021 2019 cap hit: \$613,050
Sam Acho signed through 2019 2019 cap hit: \$2.375 million

defensive coordinator Vic Fangio said, it was almost as if he missed three games. Still, he finished tied for fifth in the NFL with 68 quarterback pressures (sacks, hits and hurries), according to Pro Football Focus. The Chiefs' Dee Ford was first with 77. Mack finished with 755 snaps (71.8 percent) and had 47 tackles (37 solos) with 12½ sacks, six forced fumbles (tied for third-most in league), four pass breakups, 10 tackles for a loss and two fumble recoveries. He had three multi-sack games to give him 12 in his career.

Floyd was hampered at the start of the season after suffering broken index and middle fingers on his right hand during the pre-season. He was ineffective, particularly as a pass rusher, and later Fangio admitted that the coaches played Floyd too much through the injury. Still, it was a positive that Floyd remained on the field for all 16 regular-season games for the first time in his career. One fair question to ask is why he didn't have more than four sacks when he was lined up opposite Mack? That marked a career low after 4½ in 10 games in 2017 and seven

as a rookie in 2016. A lot of times complementary pass rushers will benefit greatly from having an elite player on the other side. Adewale Ogunleye's career took off in Miami playing on the other side of Hall of Famer Jason Taylor. Offenses will devote so much attention to stop a player like Taylor or Mack that it will leave a lot more solo blocks and inferior linemen for the other player to beat. Surely, the Bears will hope to get more pass-rush production from Floyd in 2019, but he came on at the end, ending a sack drought in the ninth game against the Lions. He finished with 36 quarterback pressures, per PFF, to rank 47th in the league. Floyd led Bears outside linebackers with 793 snaps (75.4 percent) and Pace announced after the season the team plans to pick up the 2020 option year in his rookie contract. That's a sound decision based on how Floyd played over the second half of the season but will come with a high price tag in 2020, likely around \$14 million. The option is guaranteed for injury only, so if Floyd's play slips in 2019, the Bears could reconsider the option.

Lynch was signed on a low-cost, prove-it deal that earned him just over \$3.9 million. He had experience in the scheme playing for Fangio previously with the 49ers and that's why the Bears opted to keep Lynch despite injuries costing him most of the offseason program, nearly all of training camp and the entire preseason. He was dependable as a role player and had three sacks with four tackles for a loss and 16 quarterback pressures, according to PFF.

Acho was lost for the season with a torn pectoral muscle in Week 3 against the Buccaneers. He lost his starting job when Mack arrived, but the Bears liked him, signing him to a two-year, \$5.5 million deal last offseason

after he played for the league minimum for three consecutive years.

Irving got part-time work when Mack was sidelined and again when Lynch missed three games and recorded the first sack of his career. Fitts, a sixth-round pick with traits the Bears believe they can develop, was on the field for only 58 snaps.

Free agency/draft priority

Low. Lynch is an interesting consideration for the Bears, but he likely will seek a little more security. It's worth wondering if Fangio will try to bring him to Denver. Irving got stronger last offseason but needs to show that power more on tape. Fitts had what amounts to a redshirt season and he will be able to compete for a role but will need a big offseason because the depth chart looks much different than it did when he was drafted. Teams are always going to be looking for pass rushers, but the Bears are in a very good position and that's a remarkable place to be because the day before the Mack trade, edge rusher had to be tied with quarterback as the biggest question marks on the roster.

Bottom line

Mack didn't have any offseason program, training camp or pre-season, and that's a reason to believe he can be better in 2019. Practice matters and he will benefit from that this time around. Floyd proved he could stay on the field for 16 games and that bodes well moving forward. The Bears should set the bar higher than the 50 sacks they had this season.

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SUPER BOWL LIII

Donald has plenty of fans, including Belichick

Pats coach: 'Everything' stands out about Rams' super defensive tackle

By GARY KLEIN
Los Angeles Times

LOS ANGELES — A seemingly endless contract impasse kept Aaron Donald out of training camp before each of the last two seasons.

It did not slow down the Rams defensive tackle.

He won the NFL's defensive player of the year award in 2017, and after signing a \$135 million extension and recording 20½ sacks this season he should win it again.

So will the Rams require Donald to attend training camp before next season?

"He better, with all that money we're paying him," coach Sean

McVay joked Friday. "Sheesh, maybe he wouldn't have to wait to really get into a flow."

Donald might not be making obvious highlight-reel plays in the playoffs, but he is at the top of his game as the Rams prepare to play the Patriots in Super Bowl LIII on Feb. 3 at Atlanta's Mercedes-Benz Stadium.

"This is a big stage," he said. "This is what we work for."

Donald, a Pro Bowl pick in each of his five NFL seasons, is part of a defensive front that limited the Cowboys to 50 yards rushing in a divisional-round playoff victory, and the Saints to 48 in the NFC championship game.

Donald had two tackles, one for a loss, against the Cowboys. He had two tackles for losses and three quarterback hits against the Saints. Solid statistics for many defensive linemen, but not the kind that make headlines.

Those of late have been devoted to lineman Ndamukong Suh, the Rams' high-priced offseason acquisition who played his best two games for the Rams in the playoffs. Edge-rushing linebacker Dante Fowler also had a starring role.

Their plays would not be possible without the ultra-strong, ultra-quick Donald because he demands double teams, freeing teammates to make big plays.

Donald has been "unbelievable" in the playoffs, McVay said.

"Stats can be misleading with regard to the production and the influence that a defensive player is having on a game," he said.

Donald, for example, repeatedly forced Cowboys quarterback Dak Prescott out of the pocket. He made Saints quarterback Drew Brees shift from a favored throwing position. He did that despite offensive linemen sliding to him

or forcing him to fight through two of them.

"That's what happens, you focus on one guy and then you have other opportunities for other guys to get their one-on-ones to win," Donald said. "And that's what they've been doing."

"As long as somebody's winning, I'm happy."

Asked what stood out about Donald, Patriots coach Bill Belichick told New England-area reporters, "Everything."

"He's pretty much unblockable," said Belichick, who has won five Super Bowl titles in eight appearances as head coach.

That's also how Rams defensive coordinator Wade Phillips sees it.

"Whether he gets a sack or not every play, that doesn't define him," Phillips said. "Nobody can run the ball on his side."

Tom Brady, the four-time Super Bowl MVP for the Pats, was not



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Mercedes-Benz Stadium, Atlanta
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sacked in postseason wins over the Chargers and Chiefs, which presents a challenge for the Rams.

"You've got a great quarterback back there," Donald said. "They play good together up front, and they've been running the ball real strong in the playoffs."

Five months after signing his new deal, Donald and the Rams have an opportunity to win the sport's biggest prize.

"This is how you picture things and how you want it," he said.

However, there is still work to be done, Donald said.

"(We've) got one more game to finish strong," Donald said. "And we just got to do it."

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‘A WHOLE NEW BALLGAME’

Tubby Smith didn't come to High Point to call it a career

BY JOHN FEINSTEIN

Special to The Washington Post

FARMVILLE, Va. — It was an important game for both teams. High Point, coming off back-to-back losing seasons, had jumped to a 3-1 record in Big South Conference play and was looking for a key road win. Longwood, which has had one winning season in 14 years in Division I basketball, had gotten off to a surprising 10-5 start in nonconference play but was 2-4 in the Big South.

Both teams have first-year coaches, hired to change the culture, as the cliché goes. Not surprisingly, both were on their feet in full throat almost from the minute the game began.

Griff Aldrich of Longwood, in his first year as a head coach, was looking for the 13th victory of his career.

High Point's Tubby Smith, in his 28th season as a head coach, was looking for his 608th.

"Me coaching against Tubby Smith — are you kidding me?" Aldrich joked before the game. "If I thought about it very much, I'd say, 'What in the world am I doing in the same building as him?'"

And yet there they were inside Longwood's Willett Hall, in front of a crowd of 1,481 on Thursday night, and Smith was every bit as intense as he was 21 years ago when he led Kentucky to the national championship, playing every home game in front of 23,500 die-hard Wildcats fans.

"This is definitely a whole new ballgame for me," Smith said about an hour before tip-off. He laughed. "We rode the bus 3½ hours to get here, and we'll ride it 3½ back tonight after the game. Before I got (to High Point), I hadn't ridden a bus to a game in 25 years. Heck, even back at Tulsa we had charter airplanes to get to games."

"It's OK, though. I was a high school coach for six years. I remember pulling out bleachers before games and sweeping up afterwards. I can handle this."

It was at Tulsa in 1991 that Smith began his nomadic career as a college coach. He spent four years there, then two at Georgia before becoming Kentucky's first African-American head basketball coach in 1997. He won a national championship in his first season there and went to at least the Sweet 16 on five other occasions.

But at Kentucky, nine straight seasons without a Final Four trip — even if you've won a national title — is heresy. Smith fled to Minnesota in 2007 and promptly turned a team that had just gone 9-22 into a 20-win team in his first season. He won 20-plus games in five of six seasons but was fired in 2013 after reaching the second round of the NCAA tournament.

The school wanted Pitino — not Rick, but his son Richard. Smith went to Texas Tech, turned the program around there in three years and then took the Memphis job. He won 21 games in his second season and then got fired again — this time because the school wanted to bring back legendary alumnus Anfernee "Penny" Hardaway.

That was last March. Smith was 66 and had made plenty of money. In fact, he had three years left on his \$3 million-a-year contract with Memphis.

"Never thought about retiring," he said. "I did think about taking a year off to regroup, but then I got the call from High Point. If it had been any other school, I'd have said no. But it was my alma mater. That made it different."

Smith graduated from High Point in 1973 and had stayed connected to the North Carolina school since; in 2017, he and his wife, Donna, donated \$1 million toward the building of an on-campus arena, and the court will bear their names.

High Point has only been playing in Division I since 1999 and has never been to the NCAA tournament. The only school Smith didn't take to the NCAA tournament — he has been in 18 of them — was Memphis.

Smith didn't jump at the High Point job after first being contacted by school President Nido Qubein. He called two old friends: Ron Jirsa and Cliff Ellis. Both had



JAY LAPRETE/AP

High Point coach Tubby Smith instructs his players during a game against Ohio State on Dec. 29 in Columbus, Ohio.

coached at the elite level: Jirsa had succeeded Smith as the coach at Georgia, and Ellis had coached at Clemson and Auburn. Jirsa is now an assistant coach at Radford, and Ellis is the head coach at Coastal Carolina.

"I wanted to know what it was like, going from the big time to a midmajor-type program," Smith said. "I wanted to know how they felt about coaching at a different level — different kind of players, different lifestyle. They both said the same thing: Coaching is coaching."

Ellis took it a step further. "I told him he'd be crazy not to do it," Ellis said. "It was his alma mater, a place he loves. And there's more about it that's the same than is different."

"It's different. A lot different," Smith said. "But it's still coaching.

I still love it, and I still hate losing."

Which no doubt explains why Smith was off the bench and loudly in the ears of his players throughout the Longwood game.

"Part of it is because that's the way I am by nature," he said. "But I also knew when I took the job that these kids need to know I didn't come here to retire, that I care about them and this team as much as any team I've ever coached."

On Thursday, Smith watched his new team shoot the ball horrifically (29.0 percent); fall behind by 13 in the second half and then almost win. The Panthers closed the gap to 52-50 and had the ball with a chance to tie when Jordan Whitehead missed a wide-open layup on a perfectly run play with seven seconds left and Longwood finally made some free throws to hang on, 55-51.

When it was over, Aldrich joked: "Did you see how I out-coached Tubby at the end, letting them get a wide-open layup?"

Smith didn't quite see the humor in the ending.

"Wide open," he said softly. "He's a great kid, but he has trouble finishing sometimes. I can't get mad at them because they couldn't have played any harder. My job is to get them to play better."

The dark suit he was wearing, with a crisp, white shirt and matching pocket square, looked a little frayed. So did the old coach. It would be after 1 a.m. before the bus got back to High Point.

Maybe, someone suggested, he could sleep on the bus. Smith laughed.

"Sleep? After a loss? No way," he said. "If we'd won, I might sleep,

but not after a loss. I've never slept after a loss in my entire life. I'll look at the tape on the way back."

He smiled. "I know what I'm going to see, but I'll look at it over and over again anyway. There's a lot of work to be done."

UNC Asheville was next up Saturday night. Then there would be another bus ride, to Gardner-Webb, on Wednesday.

It didn't matter to Smith. As long as there was a game to coach at the end of the bus ride, he'd be happy.

"I've called Cliff a couple of times and told him, 'I should kill you for talking me into taking this job,'" he said. "I may call him again tonight. But I'll wake up in the morning and think, 'I've got a game to get ready to play.' I still love that feeling — even on nights like this."

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MARK J. TERRILL/AP

DeMarcus Cousins, center, already is making an impact in a Warriors frontcourt that includes fellow All-Stars Kevin Durant, left, and Draymond Green.

FITTING RIGHT IN

How Cousins has exceeded Warriors' initial expectations

BY MARK MEDINA
San Jose Mercury News

BOSTON — Apparently, the Warriors did not just handle DeMarcus Cousins conservatively so they could maximize his time to heal his injured left Achilles tendon. At least the Warriors head coach didn't seem impressed with what Cousins showed in practice.

"DeMarcus was holding back in our scrimmages in the past few months," Steve Kerr said with a hint of both humor and seriousness. "I was worried about him."

The Warriors (35-14) enter Monday's game against the Pacers (32-16) no longer with the same set of question marks with Cousins as they did just over a week ago.

Cousins has eradicated concerns about how he would fit in the Warriors' four All-Stars by remaining productive in scoring (13.5), shooting (46.3 percent) and rebounds (7.3). Cousins has shown enough progress with his conditioning to increase his workload against the Clippers (15 minutes), the Lakers (21 minutes), the Wizards (24 minutes) and the Celtics (23 minutes). Considering Cousins once averaged 21.5 points and 10.7 rebounds with the Kings (2010-17) and Pelicans (2017-18), the Warriors sense Cousins is just getting started.

"I put a lot of work in, but I don't think it's a surprise," Cousins said following practice Sunday at Harvard. "You put a team full of high IQs together, it's easy to get on the same page and play the right way. I just think it's a good situation. I'm not saying it's perfect. But it's working out a lot smoother and easier than a lot of people expected."

That is because Cousins faced legitimate questions on how well he would return from a left Achilles tendon injury, which takes between eight to 12 months to heal and has significantly detailed other NBA players' careers. Instead, Kerr said the team's coaching and training staff have remained impressed with Cousins' explosiveness, cutting and timing.

"Until you get on the court, you don't know what you'll see. But he's a gamer," Kerr said. "He loves to play. Now that he's out here, you can see he's making strides."

How has Cousins made strides? Cousins has faced anticipated hiccups with the NBA's fast pace, but that has not affected his effort to hustle in transition. The Celtics tested Cousins with pick-and-roll schemes that entailed forcing him to stop All-Star guard Kyrie Irving



ROB CARR/GETTY

DeMarcus Cousins shoots during the Warriors' road win over the Wizards on Thursday.

at the rim, but the Warriors like that Cousins did not back away from the challenge.

The Wizards experimented a small-ball lineup with small forward Sam Dekker guarding Cousins, something he called "kind of bogus." Though Cousins committed two turnovers during that lineup switch, the Warriors sense he will soon become unstoppable once the Warriors figure out when to feed him in the post. Cousins

has become plagued with foul trouble (4.3 per game), but the Warriors sense he will adapt soon on how the officials call the game.

Most importantly, the Warriors have seen Cousins excel because he has shown these qualities without trying to mirror his previous roles with the Kings and Pelicans.

"I'm not really out there to prove or show off individual accolades," Cousins said. "I'm

going out there trying make the right plays and play team basketball and winning basketball. I'm coming in with that team mindset and trying to work my way up."

Now that Cousins has done that, will he increase his playing time beyond 24 minutes against Indiana and beyond?

"I can't really answer that question, but I hope so," Cousins said. "I feel like I can. But we're going to stick to the process of this

and not try to jump the gun. I feel like I can. Eventually we'll make that happen."

When that will happen remains to be seen. Kerr said he has talked "quite a bit" with Dr. Rick Celebri- ni, the Warriors Director of Sports Medicine and Performance, and they determined they want to stick to a "gradual progression."

"He's gotten more and more comfortable each game in extending out," Kerr said of Cousins. "It's a good sign. But we're still trying to keep him in that range."

Kerr also wants to keep Cousins on the bench in crunch time. One, it helps Kerr play Cousins conservatively. Second, Kerr has closed games out with the Warriors' four other All-Stars with veteran forward Andre Iguodala because of the unit's experience and success in three NBA championship runs out of four finals appearances.

Cousins has admitted feeling mad with Kerr at times for sitting on the bench during those moments. Yet, Cousins does not feel surprised or confused about those developments. Before the Warriors even signed Cousins last summer with their taxpayer midlevel exception (one year, \$5.3 million), Kerr said he had "private" conversations with Cousins on the various concessions he would have to make playing with Stephen Curry, Kevin Durant, Draymond Green and Klay Thompson.

"There has to be a level of awareness with this amount of talent that you have to sacrifice. Nobody is going to be too focused on any one individual players' numbers," Kerr said. "They're not going to jump off the page like they will with some other stars around the league. It's a small price to pay if we're going to have the success we've had."

It's a price Cousins has been willing to pay for various reasons.

Cousins never appeared in the NBA playoffs with the Kings. He only experienced front-office dysfunction, a coaching carousel and questions about his leadership and maturity. After suffering his season-ending Achilles injury last season with the Pelicans, Cousins' missed the team's postseason run that ended against the Warriors in five games of the Western Conference semifinals. And after facing a limited free agency interest last summer because of his Achilles injury, Cousins said the Warriors' All-Star talent made him feel more comfortable staying patient with his recovery and his subsequent return.

"It's cool to share the responsibility. It's hard to come out and be the guy that scores 30 (points) every night," Cousins said. "It's a good feeling coming in knowing you have a great chance of winning the game. Definitely a different feeling and something I'm not accustomed to. It's been fun."

COMMENTARY

‘I’M HERE TO STAY’

Hollywood has brightened Lady Gaga’s star; Las Vegas will protect her from oblivion



RONALD MARTINEZ/GETTY

Lady Gaga, shown performing at the 2017 Super Bowl, has two separate concert residencies in Las Vegas: “Enigma,” a future-kitsch pop show, and “Jazz and Piano,” a standards revue.

By CHRIS RICHARDS | The Washington Post

It’s Saturday night in Las Vegas, and Lady Gaga is doing that cataleptic-in-victory thing — an applause-bathing pose in which the singer’s freeze-tagged frame sponges up the hot rumble of 10,000 clapping hands while her cold eyes shoot death beams into the middle distance.

Who’s she staring at? For starters: Elvis Presley, Wayne Newton, Cher, Celine Dion, Barry Manilow, Lola Falana, Tom Jones, Charo and the entire Rat Pack. Britney Spears and Mariah Carey. Jennifer Lopez and Gwen Stefani. Abbott and Costello (Bugsy Siegel booked them at the Flamingo in 1946). Donny and Marie (still playing the Flamingo in 2019). Siegfried and Roy, and that tiger who suddenly wanted to eat Roy in 2003. Every chorus girl who ever kicked her toes in the direction of heaven. Every bendable homunculus who ever signed up with Cirque du Soleil. Every

stripper, crooner, magician, dancer and jazzbo who ever came to this glowing wonderland, dreaming that beautiful American dream of turning smiles into money. Even the city’s patron saint and haunting spirit, Wladziu Valentino Liberace. The only way for Lady Gaga to honor them is to waste them all.

So it goes when you’re trying to reclaim your spot as the biggest entertainer drawing breath. At 32, she’s just a kid out here, but Gaga knows how to be more famous in more ways than anyone in the lot. Despite her radical posture, she remains pop’s ace student, a vir-

tuoso competitor and a relentless pleaser who recently spent the first decade of her career seeking head pats from the music industry, high fashion, the art world, Hollywood, Bud Light, Netflix, Tony Bennett and the NFL. Now she’s planting her flag in the Nevada dirt with two separate concert residencies: a future-kitsch pop show called “Enigma,” performed in sci-fi riot gear; and a standards revue called “Jazz and Piano,” sung in ball gowns made from pulverized starlight. It’s all going pretty great. So much so, that in the middle of last Saturday night’s pop gig, she roared out to

the neon city and all its ghosts: “This is our town now!”

Maybe you came here to play, but Lady Gaga did not. Instead of treating Las Vegas as a retirement bunker where fading talents go to half-sing to the least-skeptical audiences on the planet, she’s out here at the peak of her stardom, hitting all the big notes with every atom of her being. For a control-freaky overachiever, it must feel something like paradise. The only person she can disappoint within the city limits is herself. What more could she want?

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CECIL McDONALD, JR. PHOTO

Cecil McDonald, Jr.’s exhibit features photographs of people he describes as “extraordinarily ordinary.”

Artist Cecil McDonald, Jr. shows beauty in blackness

By DARCEL ROCKETT
Chicago Tribune

Artist and photographer Cecil McDonald, Jr. recalls leading a creative workshop for sixth-grade students in the Chicago’s South Side area recently. He gave them an assignment to make a photograph of something. After a while, he came back to the children and looked over their shoulders to see what they were creating as a team — it was an

image of a young male lying on the ground dead after a shooting.

“He’s dead,” they chimed in to McDonald.

McDonald convinced them that there are other things in their lives that they could consider for artmaking inspiration, and students then created Michael Jordan in his iconic ball-dunking pose. McDonald continued the conversation and the youths chose things that

McDonald considers “classic kid stuff” — jumping off a swing in midair, back flips and jump rope games.

“Students will often choose something else if given the opportunity,” he said.

It’s this juxtaposition that the children presented earlier that McDonald ponders in his latest exhibition at the Chicago Cultural Center, “In the Company

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IN PERFORMANCE ‘Small Jokes About Monsters’ ★★★

Brothers joke to cope with pain of abuse

By CHRIS JONES
Chicago Tribune

Life teaches us that the funniest people we know often have been through the most personal trauma. You can see that with professional comedians, of course, and it can lead them into trouble. And you might well be able to see it with someone in your own family. Laughter can be the only coping mechanism available.

“Small Jokes About Monsters,” a new play by a Chicago-based actor-writer named Steven Strafford now at the small 16th Street Theater in Berwyn, is an uncommonly raw and moving exploration of that intersection: It is a sweet-and-

sour meditation on whether or not it’s healthy to laugh at really terrible things.

Strafford knows this territory. In his 2014 solo show “Methhtacular!,” which I admired, Strafford chronicled his addiction to crystal methamphetamine, a habit that threatened to derail his Chicago-to-Broadway acting career. “Methhtacular!” was both shocking in its revelation of what went on inside some Chicago high-rises in the 1990s, and yet also very funny. Strafford, who snagged a role in “Monty Python’s Spamalot” on Broadway, is a very funny guy, who also has been through some really tough stuff.

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ANTHONY AICARDI PHOTO

Christopher Wayland Jones, left, and Eric Slater play brothers recalling their difficult relationship with their father.

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JESSICA KOURKOUNIS/UNIVERSAL PICTURES

“Glass,” with Sarah Paulson, is No. 1 at the box office.

‘Glass’ is No. 1 again, McConaughey flops

Matthew McConaughey notched one of the worst debuts of his career, Oscar nominees saw only modest bumps and M. Night Shyamalan’s “Glass” easily remained No. 1 on a quiet weekend in movie theaters.

The weekend’s two new wide releases — McConaughey’s tropic noir “Serenity” and the updated King Arthur tale “The Kid Who Would Be King” — both flopped with moviegoers, who instead continued to flock to “Glass” and Kevin Hart’s “The Upside.”

Shyamalan’s sequel to “Unbreakable” and “Split” sold \$19 million in tickets, according to estimates Sunday — a decent 53 percent drop from its opening weekend. In 10 days of release, Shyamalan’s self-financed thriller has made \$73.6 million domestically and \$162.7 million globally.

The weekend’s biggest-budget new entry, “The Kid Who Would Be King,” opened poorly with \$7.3 million against a \$59 million budget. In the modern-day London version of the legend, a working-class boy pulls Excalibur from a stone.

Smaller still was “Serenity.” Though it boasts a starry cast including Anne Hathaway and Jason Clarke, “Serenity” made only a minor disturbance at the box office with \$4.8 million in ticket sales. The film, made for about \$25 million, is among McConaughey’s weakest-performing wide-release debuts. For Hathaway, it’s a new low.

— Associated Press

Jan. 28 birthdays: Actor Alan Alda is 83. Actress Susan Howard is 77. Guitarist Dave Sharp is 60. Gospel singer Marvin Sapp is 52. Singer Monifah is 47. Singer Nick Carter is 39. Actress Ariel Winter is 21.

Box office

- 1. “Glass,” \$19 million
- 2. “The Upside,” \$12.2 million
- 3. “Aquaman,” \$7.4 million
- 4. “The Kid Who Would Be King,” \$7.3 million
- 5. “Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse,” \$6.2 million
- 6. “Green Book,” \$5.4 million
- 7. “A Dog’s Way Home,” \$5.2 million
- 8. “Serenity,” \$4.8 million
- 9. “Escape Room,” \$4.3 million
- 10. “Mary Poppins Returns,” \$3.1 million

SOURCE: Associated Press
Estimated sales,
Friday-Sunday



LAURENT CIPRIANI/AP

Oscar-winning composer dies: Oscar-winning composer and pianist Michel Legrand, whose hits included the score for the 1964 romance “The Umbrellas of Cherbourg” and the song “The Windmills of Your Mind,” has died at age 86. Claire de Castellane, a musician and producer who organized a series of recent solo piano concerts by Legrand, confirmed his death Saturday, without providing details. Legrand won three Academy Awards, five Grammys and two top awards at the Cannes Film Festival among other honors, according to his official website. Over a six-decade career, he worked with performers ranging from Frank Sinatra to Aretha Franklin and Sting, and played an outside role on the French musical scene. He continued touring into his 80s and was scheduled to give his next concert in February.



ASK AMY

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Client stalks therapist, combs records

Dear Amy: I’m a young professional, working as a banker at a local branch. I have been going to a therapist for nearly three years and I absolutely adore her. She has helped me beyond words. I treasure our wonderful connection and relationship.

Here lies the issue: I am technically stalking her. My therapist banks where I work. I have access to her accounts and check daily, observing her spending habits. I am also privy to her personal information; address, date of birth and Social Security number, although I have not searched for her home.

I am mortified by my behavior yet find myself unable to stop. It gives me insight into who she is, which makes me feel closer to her. I would be devastated if she knew — and I assume she would terminate our relationship. I can’t talk to anyone about this. I feel it’s abhorrent behavior, and I don’t want to be judged. Help!

— *Secretive Searcher*

Dear Searcher: Stop. Don’t search today. Breathe through your impulse. And then don’t search tomorrow.

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I shared your question with Lori Gottlieb, a psychotherapist and author of the memoir “Maybe You Should Talk to Someone: A Therapist, Her Therapist, and Our Lives Revealed” (2019, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt). She responds: “It’s natural to be curious about your therapist, especially because it can feel like such a one-sided relationship. Most of us wonder, ‘Who is this person who knows so much about me?’ I once Googled my therapist, only to realize that while I thought learning about him would bridge that gap, it instead created a bigger one, because now I had to edit myself in therapy — a space where we’re supposed to feel free to talk about absolutely anything — because I was worried I might give away what I knew.”

“Your daily monitoring of her accounts, though, goes beyond simple curiosity. It might be a way to feel close to her between sessions ... but it might also be pointing to what’s missing in your own life.”

“So many of our destructive behaviors take root in an emotional void, an emptiness that calls out for something to fill it. This void is what you should be talking to your therapist about ... If you keep this a secret, not only will you be wasting your time in therapy, but you’ll remain stuck in what has become a dangerous obsession that could cost you not just your therapist, but your job. It’s possible that you’ll need to find a new therapist, but at least you’ll be working on what’s causing you to do something that ... will leave you feeling guilty, isolated and empty in the long run.”

Dear Amy: I am romantically interested in my co-worker. I want to be professional, but I like spending time with him, so I would like to see if there is any potential there.

I’m scared that if I make a move and it doesn’t work out, things could get awkward because I see him every day. This is my first job out of college, so I want to make a decision that wouldn’t jeopardize my job. Should I go for it?

— *Confused Young Professional*

Dear Confused: If a romance would interfere with your career, then don’t pursue this. However, for many of us, awkwardness is our daily companion, sitting on our shoulder while we trail toilet paper into staff meetings.

Don’t ask this guy out on a datey-date. Ask him, “Hey, do you want to have coffee outside of work sometime?”

Do take “no” for an answer, and do continue with the friendship. Like a case of poison ivy, all of the “awk” should fade within a week.

Dear Amy: Referencing the question from “Inquiring Daughter,” who wondered about when to clear plates at a dinner party, my Southern mother raised us with old-fashioned table manners.

Imagine the cringing moments when my wealthy and unrefined MIL scrapes and stacks the plates at the table, even at fine restaurants. I sink under the table.

— *EM*

Dear EM: I assume your mother also taught you not to call out another’s lack of refinement. Cringe away.

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Lion roars and a busted grape

How editors and mixers built the sounds of this year's Oscar movies

By **SONIA RAO**
The Washington Post

Some questions are doomed to arise time and time again: Why is the sky blue? Is a hot dog a sandwich? What's the difference between sound editing and sound mixing?

If the last one doesn't cross your mind nearly as often as the others, congratulations on being normal! But if it does, you're not alone. The question never fails to pop up in the weeks before the Oscars, perhaps the most high-profile event at which the craftspeople are honored.

So to put the matter to rest, we chatted earlier this month with the teams behind a few films that on Tuesday received nominations in the sound categories: "A Quiet Place," recognized for editing; "A Star Is Born," recognized for mixing; and "First Man," recognized for both.

Everyone answered with an analogy: If sound editing is like composing music, designing a set or collecting materials for a house, they said, then sound mixing would be like conducting that music, filming on that set or actually building the house. Editing involves creating and gathering individual sounds; mixing is what happens to them afterward.

And by "individual sounds," we mean almost all of them. Dialogue is frequently the only sound captured on set, so everything else, such as footsteps or blowing wind, is recorded separately and layered in postproduction. Here's a closer look at that creative process.

Erik Aadahl and Ethan Van der Ryn, the Oscar-nominated supervising sound editors for "A Quiet Place," needed to figure out what sort of noise the blind monsters in John Krasinski's post-apocalyptic horror flick would make. They knew from the script that the creatures hunt by sound and therefore decided to mimic echolocation clicks. But something about dolphin and beluga whale recordings didn't feel quite right.

Because the monsters also emit some sort of electrical frequency disturbed by cochlear implants that the on-screen family's deaf daughter, Regan (Millicent Simmonds), wears, Aadahl and Van der Ryn realized the noise needed a little zing! After some "play time and experimentation," as Van der Ryn put it, they landed on a stun gun. Then they shot a grape.

"A grape has a fleshy wet interior with a skin around it," Aadahl said. "It's much



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In "A Quiet Place," nominated for sound editing and sound mixing, sound editors came up with a noise for blind monsters.



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"A Star Is Born," nominated for sound mixing, includes stretches of near silence as well as loud concert settings.

more practical to use a grape than a human. We recorded that and slowed it down 80 percent."

The editors had five months to work full time on creating the sounds for "A Quiet Place." They were especially excited by the opportunity to work on a project in which sound "could function as this narrative driver," Van der Ryn said. Krasinski helped them tell the story from the characters' auditory points of view, which he referred to as "sonic envelopes."

"In our first meeting with John, before we could say anything, he was like, 'This is a sound editor's dream!'" Aadahl said. "When you're working with a filmmaker who really appreciates the power of sound, it just gave us the license to take things

as far as we could."

"A Quiet Place" was quite a departure for Aadahl and Van der Ryn, whose 13-year partnership includes exceptionally loud projects such as the Transformers franchise. Krasinski's was the first movie that allowed the duo to incorporate complete digital silence, which they did at three moments in which Regan turns off her cochlear implants. It was during these moments especially that audiences became aware of certain real-life sounds that they might normally ignore — Aadahl and Van der Ryn were pleased by how many publications commented on the phenomenon.

"It's kind of inverting the common conventional paradigm in cinema: How big can you get? How loud can you get?" Aadahl said.

musical intimacy Hewitt and Glover conveyed in the slow middle movement. The way the pianist consistently matched tone with individual instrumentalists, and vice versa, spoke to the high polish of this performance and the musicians' deep respect for this concerto. This was Mozart orchestral playing conceived as chamber music, a thoroughly fitting choice for a *larghetto* movement.

Hewitt and Glover may have caught some in the audience by surprise with the notably deliberate, measured tempo they chose for the finale. For at least one listener, it sounded self-consciously, conspicuously slow. And yet there was no denying the gravitas this brought to the movement, the sorrow-beneath-a-smile sense one draws from some of Mozart's autumnal works, such as his Symphony No. 41, "Jupiter."

Pianist and conductor clearly were making a point here, regarding the master's

one of our best accomplishments on the movie."

Ai-Ling Lee and Mildred Iatrou Morgan, supervising sound editors nominated for Damien Chazelle's Neil Armstrong biopic "First Man," had the astronaut's legacy to consider.

Morgan, who mainly focused on dialogue, knew they had to nail the famous words Armstrong uttered as he walked on the moon: "One small step for man, one giant leap for mankind." She wound up tweeking Ryan Gosling's performance to get his pacing and cadence as close as she could to Armstrong's.

"A couple of people have said to me that they thought it was the original," Morgan said.

Lee and Morgan also sought to represent the challenges the astronauts faced as accurately as possible, Lee added, and the editing process involved "researching, collecting and creating sounds that could convey the speed and danger of these missions."

Because Chazelle wanted audiences to experience this danger viscerally, especially during scenes set in the cockpit, the team explored intense sounds to add to a mix of SpaceX and rocket-launching recordings. It turned out that elephant roars and lion growls, when distorted properly, could heighten tension and draw out emotion in such scenes. The end results were "angry and dangerous and big," said Lee, who also served as a sound designer and rerecording mixer on the film. Armstrong's X-15 flight, featured at the start of the movie, incorporates the sound of an animal stampede.

"I think most people, including people who work in film, have no idea how much work goes into sound mixing and editing," Morgan said. That she shares the editing nomination with Lee is significant: Two years ago, after working together on Chazelle's "La La Land," they became the first female team to be recognized in a sound category. This year, Lee was also nominated in the mixing category alongside the rest of her team: Jon Taylor, Frank A. Montañó and Mary H. Ellis.

"The younger generation, they're much more aware of what sound design is — you have video games and so many different avenues that create interest in this," Lee said of her field's gender imbalance. "There are a lot more young women who have expressed interest in sound. It's definitely changing."



DANIEL MCFADDEN/UNIVERSAL

"First Man," nominated for sound editing and sound mixing, took great care with the words spoken on the moon.

"This film was a wonderful gift because we could flip that on its head and find out: How low can we get? That was pretty cool."

Alan Robert Murray, supervising sound editor on Bradley Cooper's "A Star Is Born," used near silence to depict the feelings of isolation country rocker Jackson Maine (Cooper) experiences as a result of his struggles with addiction and tinnitus, a symptom of hearing loss.

But a healthy portion of the film immerses audiences in loud concert settings, such as when Jackson and Ally (Lady Gaga), the singer-songwriter he discovers and quickly falls in love with, sing "Shallow" together for the first time on an outdoor stage.

Murray, who has frequently collaborated with Cooper's mentor Clint Eastwood and won Oscars for "Letters From Iwo Jima" and "American Sniper," wanted audiences to feel as though they were

right there with Jackson and Ally in that moment.

But because there were only a couple hundred people in the crowd at the Greek Theatre in Los Angeles, where Cooper and Gaga's vocals were recorded live, Murray had to also work with a sound library to capture the fictional crowd's excitement. He collaborated with the Oscar-nominated mixing team — Tom Ozanich, Dean Zupancic, Jason Ruder and Steve Morrow — on "getting the right blend between the singing and the instrumentals and the crowd, making it all blend as one."

"I think it's our favorite scene in the whole movie amongst all of us," Murray said.

"The way the film was cut at that point and the direction and the way it was mixed just took it to the max. Everybody could feel like they were there with Ally when she started singing 'Shallow.' That was

IN PERFORMANCE

Serene Mozart from pianist Angela Hewitt

By **HOWARD REICH**
Chicago Tribune

Even within Mozart's vast catalog of compositions, the piano concertos stand out.

For Mozart not only was a keyboard virtuoso but wrote for the instrument — and accompanying orchestral forces — with heightened poetry and grace.

The last of his 27 piano concertos epitomizes these characteristics and carries an additional emotional undertow, if only because we know Mozart unveiled it just months before his death, in 1791. Whether Mozart considered the work a valedictory will remain forever open to debate, but certainly a pensive quality colored the performance that pianist Angela Hewitt and Music of the Baroque gave Saturday evening at the Harris Theater for Music and Dance.

With conductor Jane Glover, the ensemble's music director, at the helm,

listeners heard a serenely lyrical, reflective performance of Mozart's Piano Concerto No. 27 in B-flat Major, K. 595. Though some movements proved slightly more persuasive than others, there was no question that a first-rate Mozartean was at the piano, with an uncommonly empathetic conductor responding sensitively to her work.

From the outset, Glover insisted that the orchestral lines sing forth, a seemingly endless flow of melody defining her vision of the first movement. Pianist Hewitt concurred, bringing expressive shape to even rapid-fire arpeggiated figures. Hewitt's tone changed constantly to express the ever-shifting character of the music, the pianist sometimes moving from bright to dusky timbres at the drop of a sixteenth note. In minor-key passages, she illuminated the depth and darkness of late Mozart.

One had to marvel at the



HANDOUT

Jane Glover led Music of the Baroque in an all-Mozart program with Angela Hewitt playing the composer's last piano concerto Saturday at the Harris Theater for Music and Dance.

last piano concerto as a kind of farewell and clinging to that message. Regardless of whether one was thoroughly persuaded, the beauty of Hewitt's sound and the delicacy of Glover's orchestral accompaniment spoke to the high craft of the work and the value the musicians placed on every passing note.

By concerto's end, one of

the composer's most imposing late-period pieces indisputably had been given an interpretation as serious and weighty as it deserves.

Glover opened the all-Mozart concert with the Serenade No. 10 in B-flat Major, K. 361 ("Gran Partita"). As always, she made lucidly clear the architectural underpinnings of a

vast, multi-movement work, achieving her most profoundly subtle statements in the adagio movement, which took listeners to an otherworldly realm that is Mozart's alone.

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Beauty

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of Black.” The show, which bears the same name of his 2018 photo book, features photos of people doing extraordinarily ordinary things — lounging, drinking, reading, talking, arranging, listening to music, making a bed, transitioning from rooms in a home — amid bold colors and lighting. He calls it “constructed photography” and over the course of 10-plus years, McDonald created “In the Company of Black” to show the beauty that lies within black culture when extremes are taken out of the equation.

As he explains, “When it comes to black people, America is fascinated with extreme poles: either showing victims of violence, pain and poverty (black misery) or famous athletes and entertainers, and icons of popular culture (black exceptionalism). This false dichotomy denies black people the individuality and full spectrum of humanity that is so readily offered to the white population in this country.”

“If you see a broader spectrum of a group of people, you make connections to them in a different way, but if your only connection is this unattainable icon of extraordinary talent or whatever it may be on the other end, it’s hard for you to realize them as human beings, right?” McDonald said. “I’m trying to stand outside of an activist realm (or) role, but there’s no way to do that because any time a black person appears in an image, it’s already politicized, right? So what I tried to do is pull away from that as much as possible and focus on aesthetics — craft, lighting, positioning — these ideas about beauty.”

Family, friends and friends of friends make up the Rosemoor native’s



Family, friends and friends of friends make up Cecil McDonald, Jr.’s signature work.



“I’m interested in is there a way to celebrate humanity, how do you celebrate and elevate,” McDonald says.

signature work that has been described as “cinematic” or art with “a muscular use of color and light.” He considers the work part of a trilogy, a larger idea of his that there are three spaces where black people can be themselves: their home (99 percent of “In the Company of Black” takes place in people’s homes), nightclubs (where McDonald got his start photographing) and the church.

McDonald has tackled the first two parts, and he’s still looking how to present the last.

“I think about how my father didn’t start going to church until his 60s. So I’m thinking maybe I haven’t aged into that space yet,” McDonald said. “My work is pretty unique. The subject matter I work in — it’s not very political or very conceptual. I don’t think I’m dealing with race in a very overt, strident way. You can’t say it’s dealing with history or historical things. My main standard is that the image maintains a sense of mystery to it.”

More than 50 photos of various sizes will be on hand, showcasing the Columbia College art and photography professor’s work, which he said is heavily inspired and influenced by artists like Roy DeCarava and Dawoud Bey. McDonald said the impetus for the current exhibition came on the heels of a New York residency where other photographers were producing images that depicted people’s suffering — images that presented a sensationalism in misery. He found it weird that so many photographers were

working on the same type of imagery. McDonald said capturing the realness of life doesn’t stop at misery.

“Those often can make for some interesting photographs or impactful photographs, but part of me thinks there’s something about it that is very easy,” said the father of three. “I’m interested in is there a way to celebrate humanity, how do you celebrate and elevate — how do we think of the human condition as something to marvel at. There’s a broad spectrum of life and I’m just trying to put some other images in the mix to give you a balance.”

“The beauty of it is making the work,” said the Beverly resident. “It’s my treatment of that ordinary thing that creates the drama, creates the tension. You know you’re looking at something ordinary, but something about it feels really over the top and may I say beautiful or thought-provoking.”

The “In the Company of Black” exhibit runs through April 14 in the Chicago Rooms on the Cultural Center’s second floor.

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Brothers

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For the first half hour of “Small Jokes About Monsters,” you feel like you are getting the most conventional of family dramas, involving three very different brothers (played by Esteban Andres Cruz, Eric Slater and Christopher Wayland Jones), gathered in a rented room for their father’s funeral, drinking, airing their fraternal differences, recalling their difficult relationship with their father and sparring with their equally complicated mother (Shariba Rivers). There is even a reading of a will, for goodness sake.

I can think of a dozen plays with a similar set-up, and I suspect that’s why we’re seeing this piece in a basement venue, as distinct from a major regional theater. If you were to pick up a script for consideration, you’d likely dismiss this as too formulaic.

But that would be a cursory judgment. The play’s exploration of its title (the monsters here involve abuse, not dinosaurs) pushes plenty of boundaries. I’ve known a few jok-ers in my time whom I’ve wanted to confront with their own stuff — get serious and get it together, I’ve been dying to say, and watching Strafford’s very compassionate writing made me question those moments. The piece genuinely makes you think about whether you need the jokes to end if all that replaces them is pain.

Being in recovery him-

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Running time: 1 hour, 30 minutes
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self, Strafford is of course saying that you have to arm yourself for when the laughs curdle. But he’s forged a very moving young man in the character so richly played by Cruz; he’s an actor with the kind of heavy baggage that it takes laughter to carry. But is that the kind of muscle you need in life?

The production values are very modest here; you have very little sense of a real place. The physicality of the show is not its strength. As directed by Kristina Valada-Viars, an actor herself, the show lives or dies on the emotional heart of the performances and Strafford’s wit.

Rough and unpolished as it may be, I thought this a live, present, in-the-moment little show, filled with kind-hearted and generous acting. Slater (a very capable actor usually stuck playing patriarchal corporate jerks) clearly relishes his rare chance to show us another side. And Cruz is just fabulous throughout — he takes a deep dive into his laughing, crying, ever-joking guy, trying to find his way to a serious recovery.

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Esteban Andres Cruz, from left, Eric Slater and Christopher Wayland Jones star in “Small Jokes About Monsters.”

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India Eisley

“I Am the Night” (8 p.m., TBS, TNT): Inspired by actual events, this new limited series — which got a sneak preview last night after the televised SAG Awards — stars India Eisley as Fauna Hodel, a teenager who grew up outside Reno, Nev., after being given away at birth. Fauna hasn’t given much thought to the mysteries surrounding her personal origins, until she makes a discovery one day that rocks her world. Jefferson Mays also stars.

“Arrow” (7 p.m., CW): The past comes back to cause trouble for both Oliver and Laurel (Stephen Amell, Katie Cassidy) in the new episode “Past Sins,” which cast member David Ramsey directed. Elsewhere, Curtis (Echo Kellum) is decidedly unhappy to discover that Diggle and Lyla (Ramsey, guest star Audrey Marie Anderson) have reactivated the Ghost Initiative with Diaz, China White, Kane Wolfman and Carrie Cutter (Kirk Acevedo, Kelly Hu, Liam Hall and Amy Gumenick).

“Breslin and Hamill: Deadline Artists” (7 p.m., 12:10 a.m., HBO): This new documentary from Jonathan Alter, John Block and Steve McCarthy offers an appreciative but clear-eyed assessment of the lives and careers of New York newspaper columnists Jimmy Breslin and Pete Hamill, journalists whose energetic yet thoughtful essays on a variety of hot-button topics over five decades now stand as a monument to the last great era of print journalism.

“Magnum P.I.” (8 p.m., CBS): Magnum (Jay Hernandez) undertakes an unusual case that could take a posthumous turn at any moment when a man who is slowly dying hires him to identify the person responsible for his imminent death and bring him to justice in a new episode called “I, the Deceased.” Elsewhere, Kumu (Amy Hill) has a meaningful reunion with an old friend.

“The Passage” (8 p.m., FOX): As researchers at Project NOAH begin to test the virus on Amy (Saniyya Sidney), Brad (Mark-Paul Gosselaar) strikes a deal with Sykes and Richards (Caroline Chikezie, Vincent Piazza) to stay with her in the new episode “That Never Should Have Happened to You.” Later, an alarmed Brad forms an alliance to get more information.

“Vanderpump Rules” (8 p.m., 10:30 p.m., Bravo): In the new episode “A Housewarming Divided,” the group travels to Marina del Rey for Scheana’s housewarming, where they learn she and her “best friend” Adam have taken their relationship to a more intimate level. Ariana blows up at Tom after discovering he has blabbed to the guys about her past dalliances with women. Toms Sandoval and Schwartz are heady with excitement as Lisa finally reveals the finished restaurant to them.

TALK SHOWS

“The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon” (10:34 p.m., NBC): Retired professional basketball player Shaquille O’Neal; comic Colin Quinn; 21 Savage performs.*

“The Late Show With Stephen Colbert” (10:35 p.m., CBS): Cliff Sims, former special assistant to President Donald Trump; Paul Simon performs.*

“Jimmy Kimmel Live” (10:35 p.m., ABC): Celebrity guests and comedy skits.*

“Conan” (11:08 p.m., TBS): Actor Steven Yeun; comic Corey Rodrigues.*

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FREE	𐀀 13 Going		Toy Story 3 (G,'10) ★★ 𐀀			Voices of Tom Hanks, Tim Allen. © (SAP)		700 Club 𐀀			
FX	Hotel Transylvania 2 (PG,'15) ★★ Andy Samberg ©					Hotel Transylvania 2 (PG,'15) ★★ © 𐀀					
HALL	Anything for Love (NR,'16) Erika Christensen. ©					Dater's Handbook (NR,'16) © 𐀀					
HGTV	Hunters Hunters					Home Town (N) ©		Hunters (N) Hunt Intl (N)		Hunters	
HIST	American Pickers					American Pickers (N)		(9:03) Pawn Stars (N)		Knight 𐀀	
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IFC	Two Men		Two Men			Two Men		Two Men		Two Men	
LIFE	Live PD: "Top 40 Moments of 2018, Part 1." ©					(9:03) Live PD © (Part 2 of 2) 𐀀					
MSNBC	All In With (N)					Rachel Maddow Show (N)		The Last Word (N)		11th Hour (N)	
MTV	Teen Mom 2 ©					Teen Mom 2 (N) ©		Made in Staten Island (N)		Teen Mom 𐀀	
NBCSCH	Figure Skating: U.S. Championships: Ladies Free. From Detroit. (Tape)					Skate					
NICK	SpongeBob		SpongeBob			Alvin and the Chipmunks (PG,'07) ★★ Jason Lee. ©		Friends ©			
OVATION	𐀀 (6) Die Hard (R,'88) ★★ Bruce Willis, Alan Rickman.					Hatfields & McCoys: "Episode 1." 𐀀					
OWN	20/20 on OWN ©					20/20 on OWN		Deadline: Crime		20/20 on 𐀀	
OXY	Killer Couples ©					Killer Couples (N) ©		Mark of a Killer		A Killer 𐀀	
PARMT	Cops ©		Cops ©			Cops ©		Cops (N) ©		Cops ©	
SYFY	𐀀 London Has Fallen (R) ★★ The Fifth Element (PG-13,'97) ★★ Bruce Willis, Gary Oldman. ©										
TBS	𐀀 (6) Central Intelligence I Am the Night: "Pilot." (N) Conan (N) Amer. Dad Amer. Dad 𐀀										
TCM	Sounder (G,'72) ★★ Cicely Tyson, Paul Winfield. ©					Bullitt (PG,'68) ★★ Steve McQueen. 𐀀					
TLC	Dr. Pimple Popper ©		Dr. Pimple Popper ©			Dr. Pimple Popper ©		Dr. Pimple Popper ©		Dr. Pimple 𐀀	
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VH1	Love & Hip Hop (N) ©					Cartel Crew (N) ©		Love & Hip Hop ©		Cartel Crew	
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	HBO2	Amanda Seales: I					Tag (R,'18) ★★ Ed Helms. ©		(9:45) Life of the Party 𐀀		
	MAX	Strike Back: Revolution (7:50) Red Sparrow (R,'18) ★★ Jennifer Lawrence. Dunkirk 𐀀									
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	STARZ	(7:01) Counterpart ©					(7:57) Sicario: Day of the Soldado (R,'18) ★★				Outlander 𐀀
STZENC	𐀀 (6:10) Dear John (’10) ★★ How Do You Know (PG-13,'10) ★★ Reese Witherspoon. Shallow 𐀀										

Gaga

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‘Give her the Oscar!’

That’s what some rando shouted near the big finish of Gaga’s Saturday night engagement at MGM’s Park Theater — her fifth “Enigma” date since launching the show last month. She was easing her way into “Shallow” — the ballad that her character sings to paralyzing effect in the latest Hollywood remake of “A Star Is Born” — but when that errant Oscar-holler caught Gaga’s ear, her fingers jumped up off the piano as if the keys had become hot to the touch.

“It’s not about the award, it’s about the process of creating,” she said, pivoting toward the anonymous shout. “If you want to be a star, it better be because you

Horoscopes



Today's birthday (Jan. 28): Strengthen friendships to flourish this year. Coordinate, organize and strengthen support structures. Domestic matters may grab your attention. Revise a collaboration this winter. Get a physical energy boost this summer, before a private retreat provides insight and inspiration.

Aries (March 21-April 19): Today is an 8. Consider long-term financial goals, and measure current progress. What you may notice first is wherever it's lacking. Plug budgetary leaks.

Taurus (April 20-May 20): 7. Collaborate to surpass an obstacle with a shared objective. Save more than you spend. Contribute your time and talents. Listen, and provide support.

Gemini (May 21-June 20): 8. Listen to suggestions to raise physical performance. Slow to navigate changing conditions. Nurture your health and energy. Avoid overindulging.

Cancer (June 21-July 22): 7. Relax, and focus on immediate needs. Prioritize rest and fun with people you love. Relax to recharge. Romance can spark when least expected.

Leo (July 23-Aug. 22): 7. Take care of family necessities. Support each other through a change. Pamper your crew with delicious flavors and fragrances. Popcorn and a movie would be nice.

Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): 7. Connect with your networks. Sample a diverse view of news sources. Write, express and share your own perspective. Reveal what's underneath. Invite participation. Offer support.

Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): 9. Juggle income and expenses for a positive balance. Shipping delays or traffic could put a kink in your plans. Stay in communication to manage the flow.

Scorpio (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): 9. You're especially strong and creative. Enjoy some personal focus time to pursue your heart's desire. Learn and develop. Grow skills and talents. Draw upon hidden resources.

Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): 5. Rest and recuperate. Allow yourself private time for thinking and planning. Imagine how you'd like an upcoming event to go down. Make preparations. Give thanks.

Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): 8. Share ideas and resources with your team. You don't need to start from scratch. Your friends are there for you. Someone has the perfect connection.

Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): 8. Professional opportunities tempt. Crazy dreams seem possible. Investigate to find out the bottom line. The truth gets revealed. Determine your best option.

Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20): 7. Far horizons entice you out of your comfort zone. Study the latest techniques and ideas. Schedule carefully, and allow extra time for traffic.

— Nancy Black, Tribune Content Agency

The Argyle Sweater



Bliss By Harry Bliss



Bridge

Here are the answers to the weekly quiz:

Q.1—Neither vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ 8 6 ♥ K Q 8 6 ♦ K 9 8 2 ♣ K J 2
Right-hand opponent opens 1C. What call would you make?
A.1—You can't double with only two spades. The choice is pass or an aggressive 1H on a four-card suit. We like pass.

Q.2—North-South vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ K Q 3 ♥ K Q 7 4 ♦ K 9 4 ♣ 10 9 8

South	West	North	East
1♣	Pass	1♦	Pass
?			

What call would you make?
A.2—In the old days, a player wouldn't consider any bid other than 1H. In the modern game, with emphasis on responding in a major to a 1C opening, 1NT is acceptable. We like it. Bid 1NT.

Q.3—East-West vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ J 10 9 7 ♥ A J 8 5 2 ♦ K Q 9 3 ♣ Void
Partner opens 1NT, 15-17, and right-hand opponent passes. What call would you make?
A.3—Start with 2D, transferring to hearts and follow with 2S. If partner bids 2NT, showing no interest in either major, bid 3D. Note that Smolen players would have no chance to show the club weakness below 3NT.

Q.4—Both vulnerable, as South, you hold:
♠ K 9 3 ♥ J ♦ A Q J 10 6 4 ♣ 10 9 3

South	West	North	East
1♦	Pass	1♠	Pass
?			

What call would you make?
A.4—2D or 2S? We like 2S.

— Bob Jones
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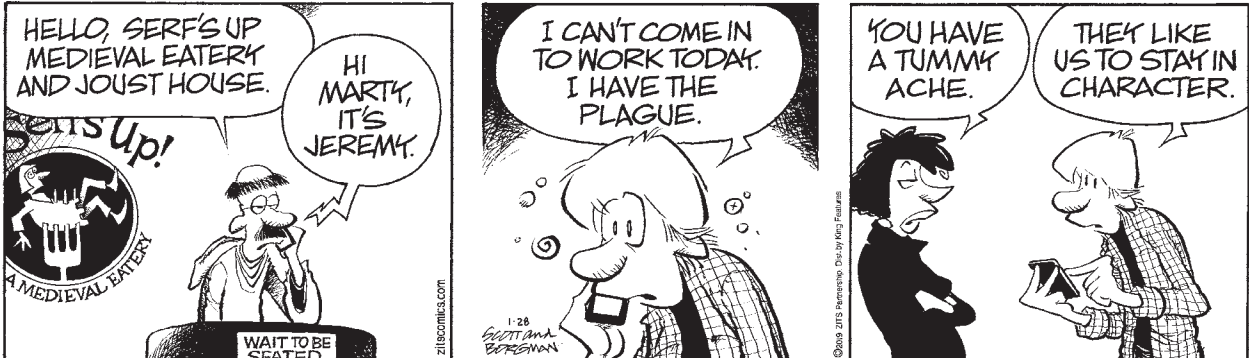
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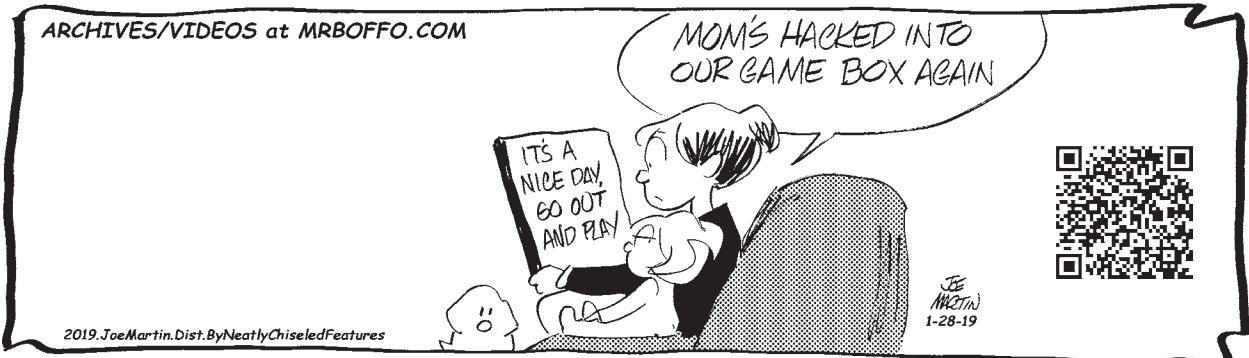
Baby Blues



Zits



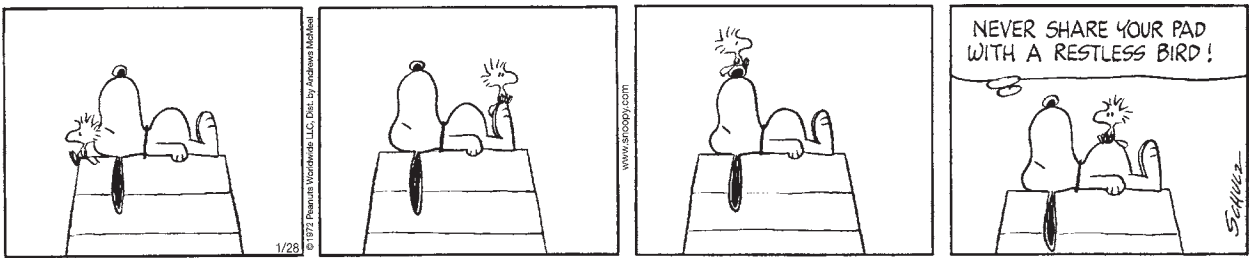
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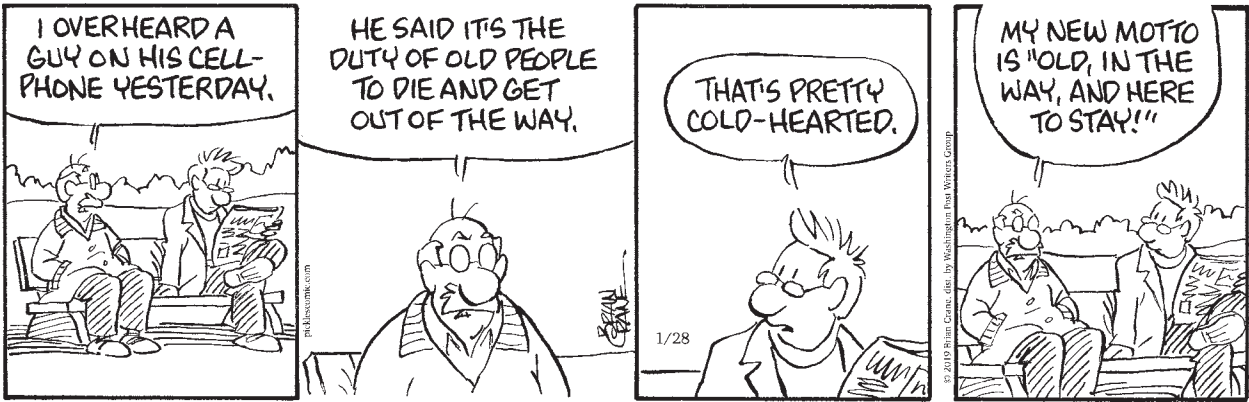
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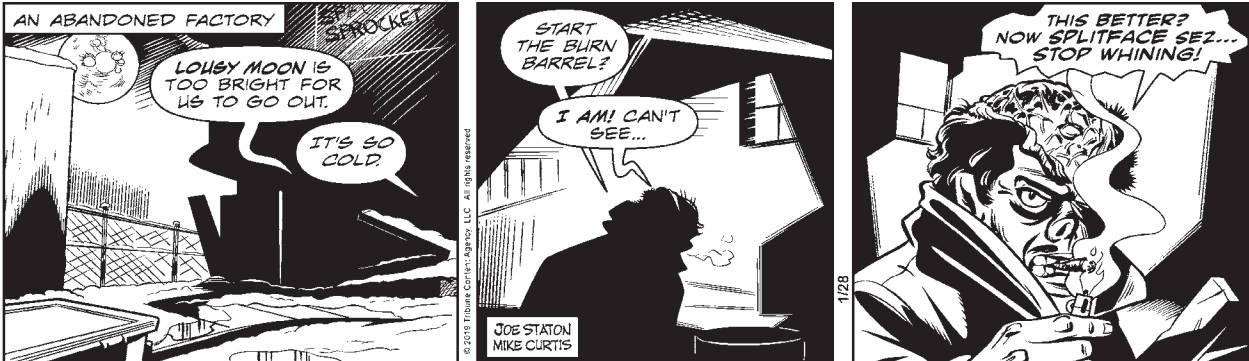
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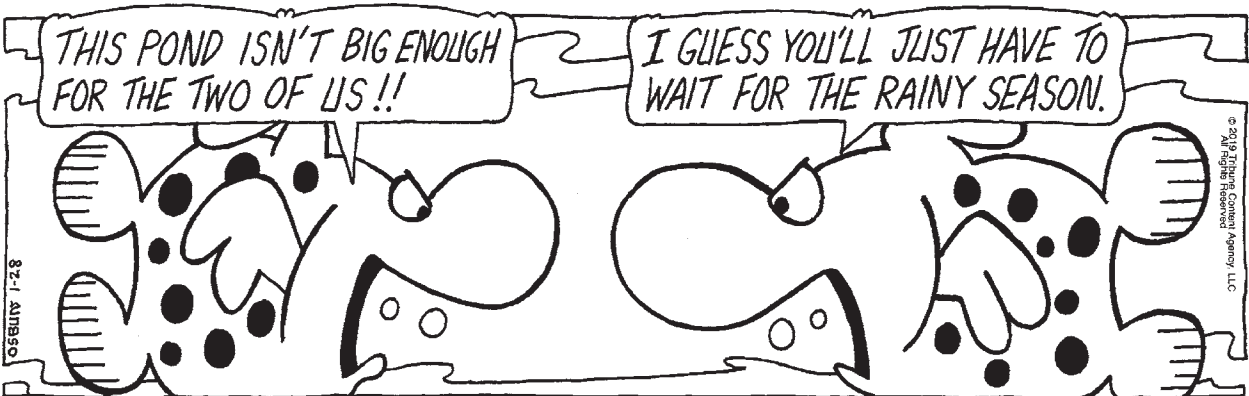
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Dick Tracy



Animal Crackers



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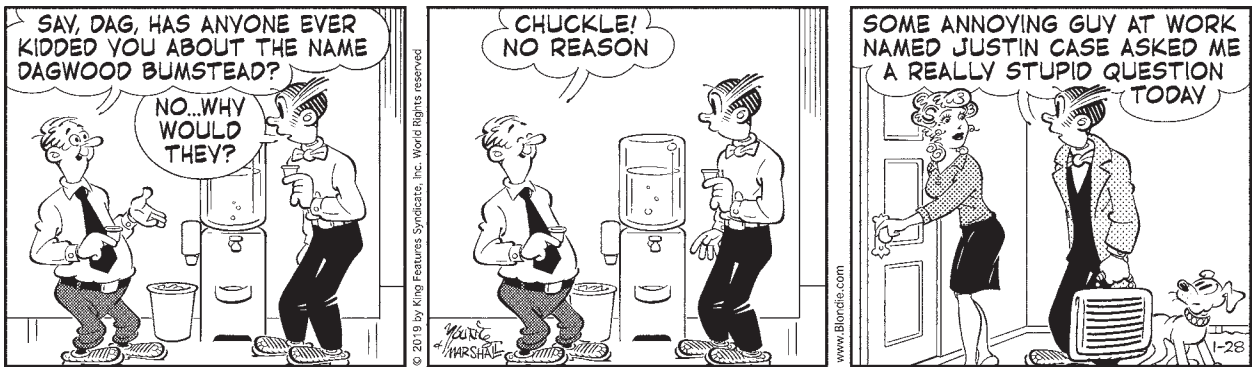
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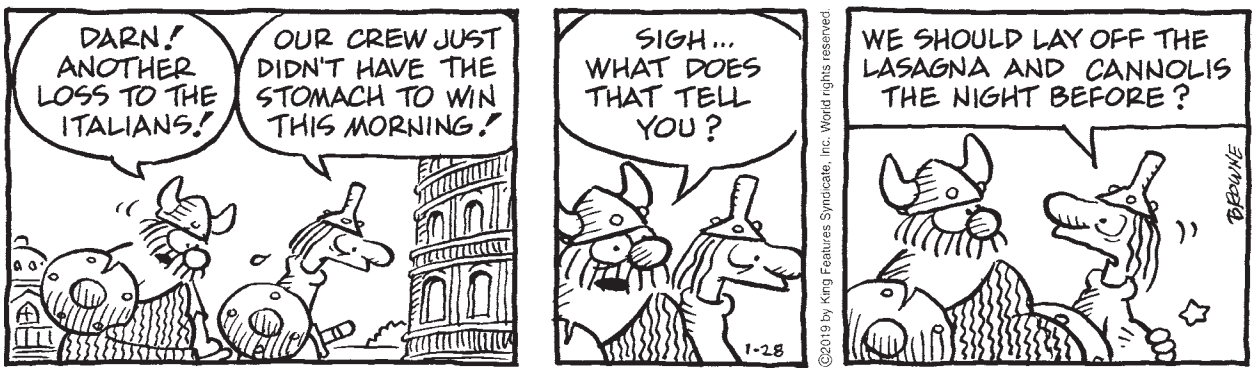
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Brewster Rockit: Space Guy! By Tim Rickard



Broom-Hilda By Russell Myers



Trivia Bits

The captain and crew of the brigantine Mary Celeste are best known for doing what in 1872?

A) Claiming Puerto Rico as a U.S. territory

B) Sailing the first U.S. trade route to China

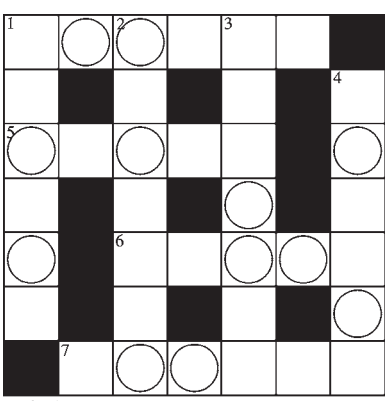
C) Trying to start a war with France

D) Vanishing

Saturday's answer: Enrico Fermi.

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Jumble Crossword



CLUE: In a 2002 BBC poll, _____ was voted the 59th "Greatest Briton Ever."

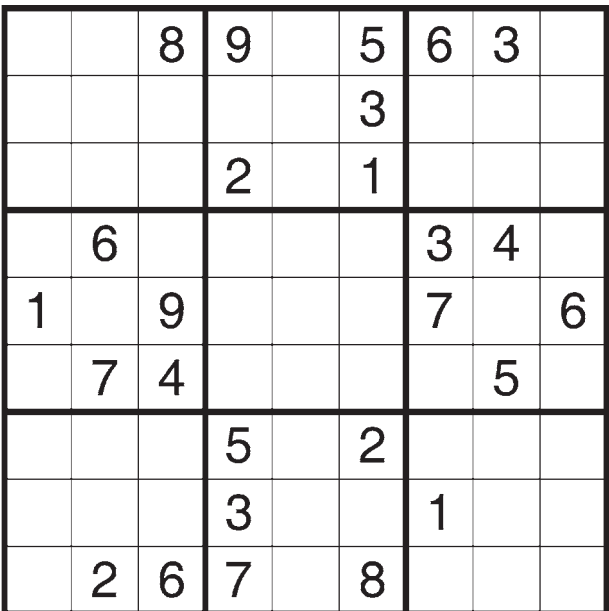
BONUS

ANSWERS: 1-A-Unwrap 2-A-Judge 3-A-Wheel 4-A-Whirl 5-A-Whirl 6-A-Whirl 7-A-Whirl 8-A-Whirl 9-A-Whirl 10-A-Whirl

By David H. Hoyt.

Sudoku 1 2 3 4

1/28



4	8	5	9	6	2	7	1	3	2
7	9	6	1	3	5	8	4	2	3
2	1	3	8	4	7	6	9	5	6
6	4	9	5	8	3	2	7	1	3
8	5	7	2	1	4	9	3	6	2
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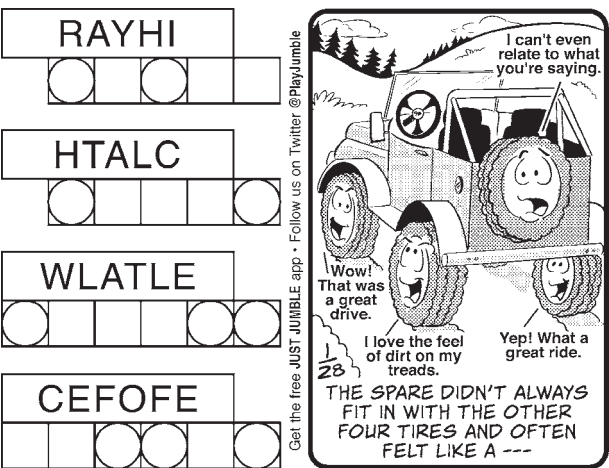
Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box in bold borders contains every digit 1 to 9.

Saturday's solutions

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Jumble

Unscramble the four Jumbles, one letter per square, to form four words. Then arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by this cartoon.



Answer here



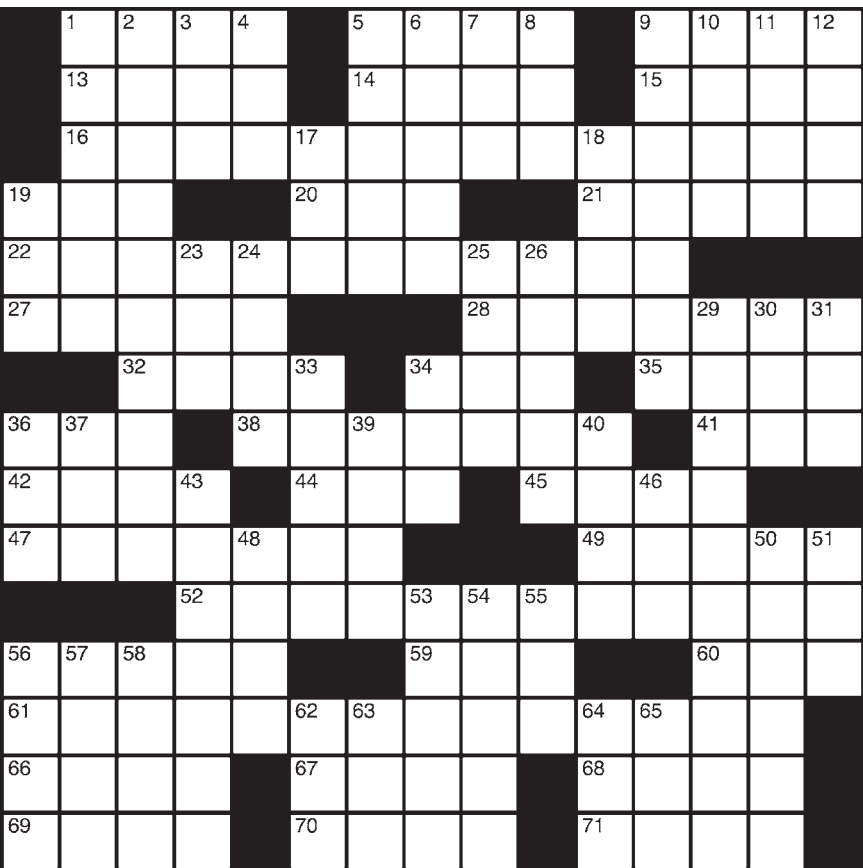
Saturday's answers

Jumbles: MODEM HIKER RATIFY REJECT
Answer: William Clement invented the grandfather clock because he was able to — MAKE THE TIME

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Crossword

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Across

- 1 Take it easy
- 5 Cabo's peninsula
- 9 Sheepish smile
- 13 Cabinet dept. with an oil derrick on its seal
- 14 Immortal racehorse
- 15 What kneaded dough should do
- 16 "360" CNN anchor
- 19 Bud
- 20 "How disgusting!"
- 21 Gave medicine to
- 22 "Uncle Vanya" playwright
- 27 Yoga posture
- 28 Krypton or xenon
- 32 Semester
- 34 Pea surrounder
- 35 One of about 268,600 in Tex.
- 36 You, to Yves

Saturday's solution



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- 38 Hipster, and based on their initials, what each of 16-, 22-, 52- and 61-Across is?
- 41 Blender setting
- 42 Hubbubs
- 44 Like Letterman's humor
- 45 "See ya later"
- 47 Dugout seats
- 49 Put together, as equipment
- 52 "Appalachian Spring" composer
- 56 Lustrous bit of wisdom
- 59 Tokyo's former name
- 60 When repeated, a Gabor
- 61 19th-century steel industry philanthropist who built an eponymous concert hall
- 66 Nod off
- 67 Prefix with correct
- 68 Dunham of "Girls"
- 69 Snow transport
- 70 H.S. math subject
- 71 Clog fillers

- 9 Slots cut with a chisel
- 10 Fabric flaws
- 11 "Got it"
- 12 Bookish type
- 17 Rock's Ocasek
- 18 Dumpster emanation
- 19 Sheep bleat
- 23 Half and half
- 24 Agent on a bust
- 25 McDonald's founder
- Ray
- 26 Dove into vigorously, as work
- 29 Stylish men's monthly
- 30 Parisian pal
- 31 Common dinner hour
- 33 Grass cutter
- 34 Two- tissue
- 36 Restaurant bill
- 37 Poem of praise
- 39 Approximately
- 40 Baseball rain delay cover
- 43 Like Capone's face
- 46 Up to, informally
- 48 Partner of hearty
- 50 Vote out of office
- 51 Kiss in a busy store, for short
- 53 "Sweet!"
- 54 PC drive insert
- 55 Buff suffix
- 56 Footballer's shoulder protection
- 57 Hydroxyl compound
- 58 Axe relative
- 62 Happy tail movement
- 63 Billiards stick
- 64 Legendary seasonal helper
- 65 "Holly cow"

CHICAGO WEATHER CENTER

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MONDAY, JAN. 28

NORMAL HIGH: 31°

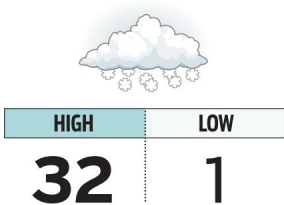
NORMAL LOW: 17°

RECORD HIGH: 60° (1914)

RECORD LOW: -13° (1977)

Impending cold wave to rewrite record book

LOCAL FORECAST



■ **Heavy snow winds down early after totals ranging from 6-9+ inches far north to 1 to 3 inches far south**

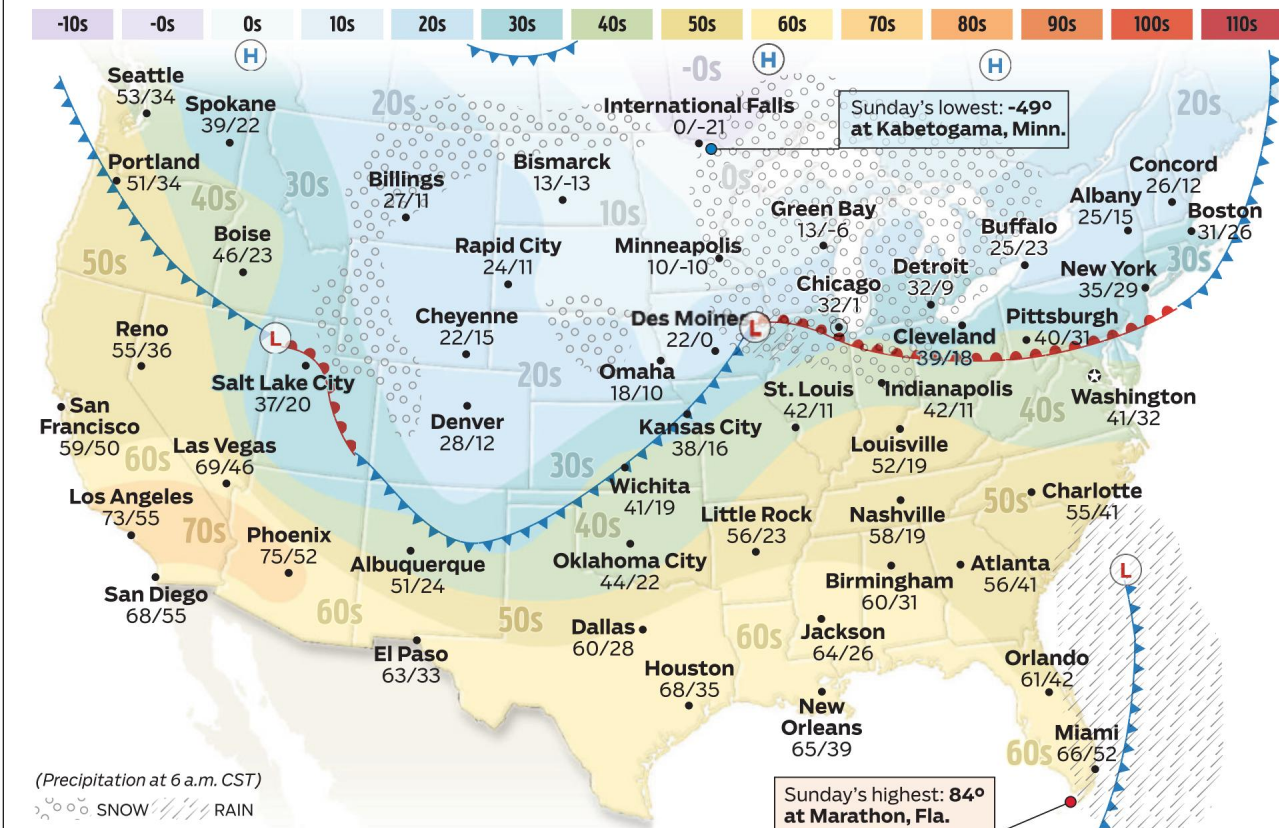
■ Linger snow fades to an intermittent wintry mix through the day.

■ A brief thaw as temperatures peak around 32. Gusty south winds.

■ Turning sharply colder by evening with temperatures falling into the teens as winds shift west 20-30 mph.

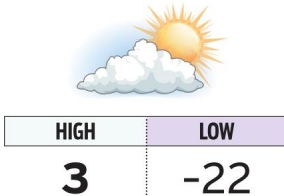
■ Windy and sharply colder overnight. Some snow showers. Low near zero. Windchills to 25 below.

NATIONAL FORECAST



It will actually feel mild for a short time Monday as Chicagoans dig out from Sunday night's snowfall. Temperatures should reach the lower 30s, with any additional precipitation falling as drizzle or a wintry mix. That mildness will be fleeting as the coldest air mass in 25 years takes dead aim at Chicago and the Midwest. Temperatures will crash to record-breaking levels of minus 20 or lower both Wednesday and Thursday mornings, and the city's forecast Wednesday high of 12 below zero would be the city's lowest on record. Strong winds will send wind chills to extreme danger levels lower than minus 50 in some areas. The cold will begin a slow moderation Thursday afternoon, with temperatures rebounding to near 40, with a chance of rain next weekend, completing a temperature swing of about 60 degrees.

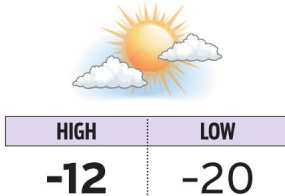
TUESDAY, JAN. 29



Windy and bitterly cold. Temperatures falling through the day reaching record-breaking lows around minus 20 or lower by morning. Dangerous wind chills 30-50 below zero.



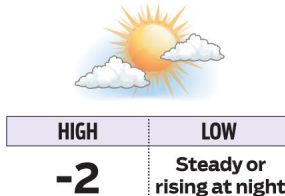
WEDNESDAY, JAN. 30



Historic, dangerous cold. Potentially the city's all-time lowest maximum temperature. Mostly sunny and windy. Wind chills as low as 40-55 below zero.



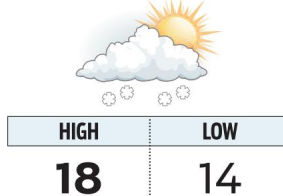
THURSDAY, JAN. 31



A frigid start with another morning of record-breaking lows, but then temperatures slowly, but steadily, rise finally creep above zero. Clouding up with some light snow/flurries at night.



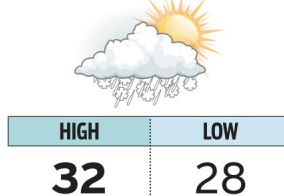
FRIDAY, FEB. 1



Clouds gradually increase as temperatures continue to rise. Highs peak in the middle and upper teens. Increasing south-southeast winds.



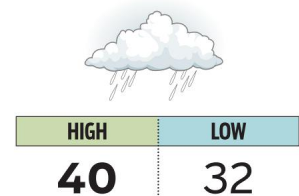
SATURDAY, FEB. 2



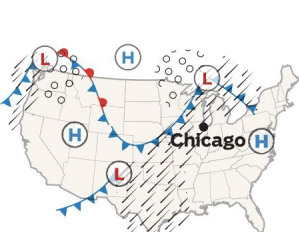
Mostly cloudy with some light snow or a wintry mix at times. Highs reach the freezing mark in many locations. Southeast winds 8-15 mph.



SUNDAY, FEB. 3



Temperatures continue to moderate with the mercury approaching 40 in the warmest locations. Cloudy and foggy with scattered showers.



ASK TOM

Dear Tom,
January is typically the coldest month, however it can get downright hot in a few places. Has the U.S. ever recorded a 100-degree temperature in January?
— Matt Balitewicz, East Chicago

Dear Matt,
It has not. The nation's highest temperature has risen to at least 100 degrees in 11 of the year's 12 months, but January is the exception. The nation's highest temperature in January is 98 degrees on Jan. 17, at Laredo, Texas, first in 1936 and again in 1954. The highest temperature recorded in December stands at 100 degrees, recorded at La Mesa, Calif., on Dec. 8, 1938. In the remaining 10 months (February through November), the nation's highest temperature has reached at least 105 degrees. The nation's (and world's) all-time high is 134 at Furnace Creek in Death Valley, Calif., on July 10, 1913.

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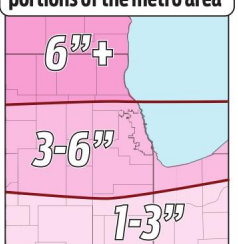
Wild weather week; big snow, historic cold, rapid warm-up

FAST-MOVING CLIPPER TO BRING PERIOD OF HEAVY SNOW EARLY MONDAY

High impact on morning commute



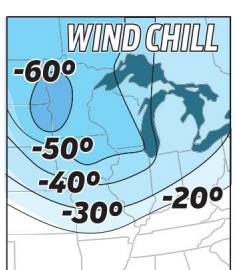
Heaviest snow across north portions of the metro area



WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY

Extreme cold coupled with strong NW winds create dangerous wind chills

Lowest expected wind chills



SOURCES: Frank Wachowski, NWS archives

ICE STATION CHICAGO

City facing historic cold wave this week

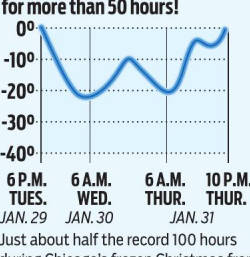
Chicago's lowest max temperature record of -110° may be broken

LOWEST MAXIMUM TEMP (SINCE 1871)
-110° (Dec. 24, 1983)
-110° (Jan. 18, 1994)

Wednesday forecast high: -12°

WED. FORECAST LOW: -22°
THUR. FORECAST LOW: -20°

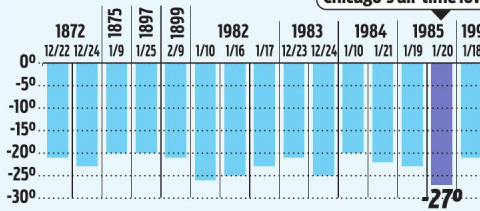
Temps likely to remain below 0° for more than 50 hours!



CHICAGO'S 'FRIGID 15'—LOWS TEMPS AT OR BELOW -20° DEGREES

Since 1871 only 15 days have registered lows at or below -20°; this week could see 2 more

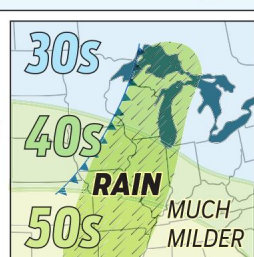
Based on Chicago's official records since 1871



CITY EMERGES FROM DEEP FREEZE BY NEXT WEEKEND

Temperatures could climb 60° by next Sunday (Feb. 3)

Temps to rise from the -20s to near 40°



STEVE KAHN, THOMAS VALLE / WGN-TV

MIDWEST CITIES

MON./TUES.	FC	HI	LO	FC	HI	LO
Illinois	rs	43	14	pc	29	7
Carbondale	sh	36	3	pc	11-11	
Champaign	sh	36	4	cl	14-10	
Decatur	pc	34	-3	pc	2-23	
Moline	sh	35	-2	pc	7-18	
Peoria	pc	39	4	pc	14-13	
Quincy	sh	38	5	pc	1-24	
Rockford	sh	38	5	cl	14-13	
Springfield	sh	38	5	cl	14-13	
Sterling	ss	32	-7	pc	1-26	

INDIANA

Bloomington	sh	44	13	pc	19	0
Evansville	sh	47	15	cl	25	6
Fort Wayne	rs	38	9	pc	13-11	
Indianapolis	sh	41	1	pc	16-4	
Madison	sn	19	-6	pc	2-25	
Lafayette	rs	36	7	pc	11-11	
South Bend	sn	35	5	sh	10-15	

WISCONSIN

Green Bay	sn	13	-6	sh	3-20	
Kenosha	sn	30	-2	pc	3-22	
La Crosse	ss	13	-7	pc	-4-24	
Madison	sn	19	-6	pc	2-25	
Milwaukee	sn	23	-3	pc	1-22	
Wausau	ss	7	-7	cl	-4-23	

MICHIGAN

Detroit	sn	32	9	cl	15-10	
Grand Rapids	sn	31	3	ss	12-8	
Marquette	ss	7	3	ss	7-6	
St. Joseph	ss	19	-7	pc	-3-26	
St. Ignace	ss	19	-7	pc	-3-26	
Traverse City	sn	-10	-14	ss	11-8	

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Ames	pc	15	-2	pc	2-24	
Cedar Rapids	pc	19	-7	pc	-3-26	
Des Moines	pc	22	0	pc	5-21	
Dubuque	ss	18	-6	pc	-1-25	

OTHER U.S. CITIES

MON./TUES.	FC	HI	LO	FC	HI	LO
Albany	su	25	15	rs	36	12
Albuquerque	su	51	24	sh	46	27
Amarillo	pc	41	19	cl	49	21
Anchorage	ss	34	32	rs	36	30
Asheville	pc	49	37	rs	38	18
Aspen	cl	23	-3	pc	30	3
Atlanta	pc	56	41	rs	44	21
Atlantic City	pc	37	29	sh	46	20
Austin	pc	71	34	pc	52	37
Baltimore	pc	38	32	rs	42	22
Billings	pc	27	11	pc	22	7
Birmingham	pc	60	31	pc	37	21
Bismarck	pc	13	-3	pc	10-33	
Boise	pc	46	23	su	43	23
Boston	pc	31	26	rs	37	31
Brownsville	pc	75	48	pc	56	45
Buffalo	ss	25	23	ss	31	0
Burlington	su	12	5	sh	29	14
Charlotte	pc	55	41	rs	52	22
Charlottesville	pc	57	46	sh	59	30
Chicago	pc	51	30	ss	34	16
Chattanooga	pc	55	28	su	33	22
Cheyanne	pc	22	15	pc	32	15
Cincinnati	sh	48	18	sh	22	3
Cleveland	rs	39	18	pc	21	-3
Colorado Spgs	pc	27	12	su	39	17
Columbia MO	pc	39	10	pc	24	-5
Columbia SC	pc	60	43	rs	55	25
Columbus	sh	45	19	sh	22	1
Concord	pc	26	12	ss	29	23
Corpus Christi	pc	73	40	pc	54	44
Crawford	pc	60	28	pc	48	33
Dallas	pc	60	28	pc	48	33
Daytona Bch.	pc	59	41	pc	68	37
Denver	ss	28	12	sh	36	15
Duluth	ss	10	-10	cl	-7	-18
El Paso	su	63	33	sh	53	38

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Fairbanks	sh	20	16	ss	21	11
Fargo	cl	4	19	pc	15-32	
Flagstaff	su	52	25	sh	48	23
Fort Myers	su	63	44	su	66	48
Fort Smith	sh	48	21	su	41	25
Fresno	sh	63	48	sh	65	47
Grand Junc.	pc	37	15	pc	37	16
Great Falls	pc	28	8	pc	26	13
Harrisburg	pc	37	28	rs	37	16
Hartford	pc	71	34	pc	52	37
Helena	su	30	4	su	26	9
Honolulu	pc	78	67	pc	78	69
Houston	pc	68	35	pc	51	37
Int'l Falls	ss	0	-21	sh	-17	-28
Jackson	pc	32	21	sh	38	25
Jacksonville	su	61	43	sh	66	34
Juneau	cl	38	33	rs	39	37
Kansas City	pc	38	16	pc	27	-3
Las Vegas	cl	69	46	cl	63	43
Lexington	sh	51	19	pc	26	10
Lincoln	pc	22	15	pc	18	-7
Little Rock	cl	56	23	su	40	27
Los Angeles	sh	73	55	pc	73	53
Louisville	sh	52	19	pc	26	9
Macon	pc	61	44	pc	50	25
Memphis	cl	58	22	su	35	23
Miami	pc	66	52	su	70	54
Minneapolis	ss	10	-10	pc	-7	-27
Mobile	pc	64	42	sh	47	29
Montgomery	pc	63	38	rs	43	23
Nashville	cl	58	16	sh	33	19
New Orleans	pc	65	39	sh	45	33
New York	pc	35	29	rs	44	23
Norfolk	pc	43	30	sh	56	25
Omaha	pc	44	22	su	45	24
Orlando	pc	61	42	pc	67	40

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Palm Beach	pc	66	48	su	69	52
Palm Springs	cl	80	57	pc	76	53
Philadelphia	sh	37	26	su	44	19
Phoenix	pc	75	52	sh	74	51
Pittsburgh	sh	40	31	ss	35	7
Portland, ME	pc	24	10	ss	30	28
Portland, OR	pc	51	34	cl	51	36
Providence	pc	32	23	sh	37	26
Raleigh	pc	52	34	rs	56	21
Rapid City	pc	24	11	pc	15	-1
Reno	cl	55	36	pc	57	34
Richmond	pc	46	29	rs	53	21
Rochester	cl	23	21	ss	34	3
Sacramento	sh	61	45	pc	64	46
Salt Lake City	pc	37	20	pc	36	21
San Antonio	pc	72	37	cl	55	39
San Diego	sh	68	55	pc	67	54
San Francisco	sh	59	50	pc	57	50
San Juan	pc	84	71	pc	83	71
Santa Fe	pc	37	15	cl	38	19
Savannah	su	61	43	sh	61	28
Seattle	pc	53	34	pc	52	35
Shreveport	rs	63	28	su	45	32
Sioux Falls	pc	8	-6	pc	-3	-26
Spokane	pc	39	22	pc	38	24
St. Louis	sh	42	11	cl	26	-2
Tallahassee	pc	63	44	rs	58	29
Tampa	su	62	43	pc	66	40
Tucson	pc	36	16	cl	38	-1
Tulsa	pc	73	46	sh	71	45
Tulsa	cl	44	20	su	44	20
Washington	pc	41	19	su	39	11
Wichita	su	32	21	su	34	4
Wilkes Barre	cl	77	55	sh	75	52
Yuma	cl	77	55	sh	75	52

WORLD CITIES

LO	MONDAY	FC	HI	LO
52	Acapulco	pc	84	69
53	Algiers	sh	59	49
54	Amsterdam	sh	64	51
51	Ankara	pc	48	32
7	Athens	c	60	32
26	Auckland	pc	78	68
36	Bahia	rr	64	51
26	Bangkok	pc	93	73
21	Barbados	pc	89	71
-1	Barcelona	pc	59	45
5	Batavia	pc	61	47
21	Beirut	ts	58	55
3	Berlin	sh	39	31
46	Bermuda	pc	73	67
2	Bombay	pc	64	51
21	Brussels	sh	64	51
39	Bucharest	sh	38	29
54	Budapest	rs	26	26
26	Buenos Aires	pc	62	53
71	Calcut	su	67	47
19	Cairo	c	64	62
28	Caracas	pc	62	63
35	Casablanca	pc	63	53
24	Copenhagen	sh	30	30
26	Dublin	pc	43	32
24	Edmonton	su	49	27
-2	Frankfurt	sh	38	38
2	Geneva	pc	64	51
29	Guadalajara	pc	76	39
40	Havana	pc	69	55
-1	Heidelberg	sn	21	20
11	Hong Kong	su	50	39
20	Istanbul	pc	53	49
21	Jerusalem	rs	38	39
11	Johannesburg	ts	73	57
5	Kabul	pc	64	51
2	Kiev	c	27	26