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**Times**

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## The FENTON DAM

First structure built by Clark Dibble, one of Fenton's original settlers

**By Vera Hogan**

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Other than the fact that it's there and working, not too many people give much thought to the dam in Fenton's downtown Millpond Park. The dam is just another pleasant, working feature of the downtown area, one that will keep flood waters at bay in the event of inclement conditions.

According to Ruth Anne Silbar, in her book on Fenton history, "A Time To Remember," former Fenton historian, the late Charlie Damon, assembled information concern-

ing the mill, the dam and the mill pond for a WPA office in 1936 when a new dam was constructed with WPA funds.

The Works Progress Administration (WPA, renamed in 1939 as the Work Projects Administration) was the largest and most ambitious American New Deal agency, employing millions of people (mostly unskilled men) to carry out public works projects, including the construction of public buildings and roads.

The mill burned on June 3, 1921, and the then-village of Fenton acquired the property April 28, 1931.

### IN THE BEGINNING

Clark Dibble, one of Fenton's original settlers, is said to have built the first dam. He built it at the site of the present dam and installed an undershot wheel to operate a small sawmill, consisting of one upright saw to cut the logs into plank boards or square timber and a circular saw to rip the edges and boards. Dibble got his sawmill running in the fall of 1834.

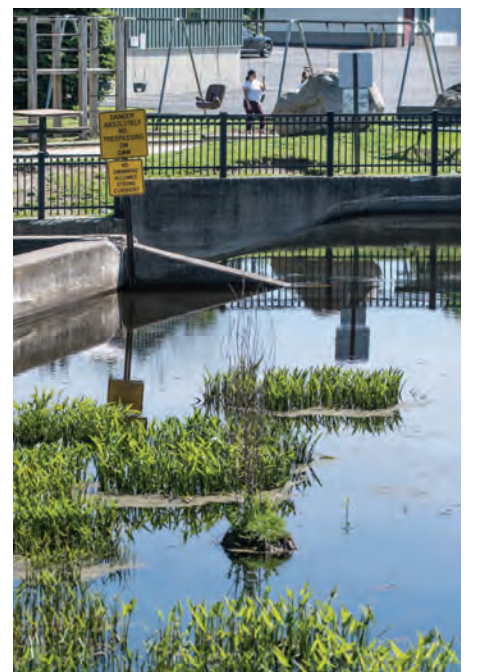
In December of 1836, William Fenton and Robert LeRoy came to Dibbleville (downtown Fenton) and platted the village of Fenton in the spring of 1837.

**See FENTON DAM on 2B**

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(Above) The dam, as we know it today, was built with Works Progress Administration (WPA) funds as part of the American New Deal in the mid-1930s. (Right) The original dam was built by Clark Dibble, one of Fenton's earliest settlers, at the site of the current dam. Today the millpond and dam are surrounded by a park enjoyed by many visitors.



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## Just sayin'...

### Too tough to chew

At this stage in my life there isn't too much that I want or need. I have a great family that includes my husband, sons and a little grandson. I live in a great neighborhood with wonderful neighbors. And I have a great job that I have been saying for years I would do for free if I could afford it.

It's the little things that mean a lot to me now, like getting off at noon on Fridays. That's when I quickly (gotta love VG's Shop the Fast Lane) get my groceries, go home and watch my favorite show on TV — "The Chew." After it's over, I sometimes go to "On Demand" and watch another episode from earlier in the week.

Although I am a fairly decent cook, there's always room for improvement and

I learn something from The Chew crew every time I watch the show. Yes, I am a "foodie," but there is more to it than that.

The Chew hosts are a fun-loving group of individuals and although this may sound silly, I feel as close to them as some of my own friends. Clinton Kelly, Carla Hall and Michael Symon are about as diverse as you can get. Even Mario Batali, who is no longer on the show and battling his legal problems, was a great fit for this crew.

They all had so much fun. Even when Batali left the show it was an easy transition. He wasn't on every day of the week anyway.

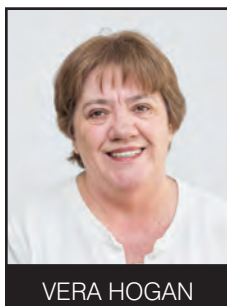
In addition to cooking, baking and other food-related matters, The Chew

hosts a celebrity or two every day, and because of the casual and friendly kitchen-type atmosphere, viewers have a chance to learn more about their personal lives than they ever would.

It's just kind of fun to learn about the daily lives of actors, singers and more, their spouses, kids and pets, making them no different or better than anyone else.

There is a lot of fun and laughter on this show.

On Wednesday, May 23, ABC announced the terrible news — they are canceling The Chew, after seven seasons and 1,454 episodes, multiple Emmy nominations and two Emmy awards. In its 1 to 2 p.m. time slot will be a third daily hour of Good Morning America (GMA),



VERA HOGAN

after its normal 7 to 9 a.m. segment.

I am sick about this! I like GMA but does this mean we have to hear another hour of George Stephanopoulos whining about Trump, or some other tired old stories that never go away — like 30-year-old sexual harassment cases. Ugh!

Why don't they cancel "The View," from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. instead? I don't give a rat's rip about what those four women have to say about anything.

None of The Chew hosts are going to starve to death without this job. All of them either own restaurants or have other talents to share with the public, hopefully again on TV. But I will miss them and this show.

I guess this is just another one of God's ways of saying, "You're getting too comfortable and set in your ways, Vera. Time to move on and get into something else."

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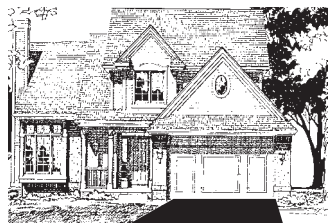
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### FENTON DAM Continued from Page 1B

Before platting the village, the men secured flowage rights for all property on both sides of the proposed millpond, giving them a 9-foot flowage right over and top of the original dam.

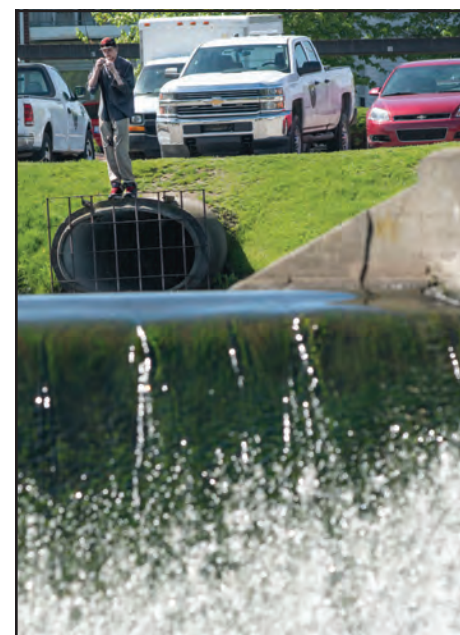
What Dibble's legal height of the dam was is unknown, according to Damon, "but Fenton and LeRoy surely owned 9 feet more on top of Dibble's franchise."

After that, flowage rights were sold and possession of the dam changed hands a few times. However, since William Fenton was a very able lawyer and Judge Daniel LeRoy (Robert's father) was attorney general of the state of Michigan at the time (1837), it was a given that all legal matters pertaining to the titles and flowage rights to the mill, dam and incorporation of the village were in perfect legal order.

Thirty-nine years later, in May of 1876, the dam in Holly went out and took the Fenton dam out with it, along with a two-story wooden building that stood on the dam. The building served as a woodworking shop where chair rungs and spinning wheels were turned out. One of the occupants, Fred Riggs, was a surveyor and went west as a buffalo hunter, bringing back quantities of buffalo pelts, which he tanned and stored in the upper floor of the building. They were carried away by the destruction of the dam.

The lumber and rubbish formed a jam at the railroad bridge (located in the area of Tim Horton's today), holding the flood water back and thereby flooding the lower floor of a brick building northwest of the bridge.

In later years, the mill buildings were improved and upgraded. In July of 1887, the water was let out of the millpond and the gates were moved 10 feet farther upstream so they could be reached conveniently. Doing so greatly strengthened the dam.



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A man fishes in the Fenton Millpond near the dam Wednesday, May 23.

### TODAY

According to Fenton Public Works Director Dan Czarnecki, the DPW keeps an eye on the structure, making sure the sluice gates work and there are no obstructions at that location or at the spillway.

"We open and close the gates a couple times a year and leave it slightly ajar during the summer months to help the water flow and not get stagnant during the concert in the parks," he said.

The dam was inspected last on Nov. 3, 2017. "They did not find any significant problems. The worst issue they found is the spalling of the concrete from the walls and mill race surfaces, which are cosmetic problems," Czarnecki said.

In addition to Czarnecki's office, all inspection reports are sent to the state of Michigan where they keep on file all the dam data.

When asked, Czarnecki said he has not seen any kids walking on the spillway, but added, "I would definitely discourage anyone trying to do so as the concrete is slippery and one wrong move could be fatal. I have seen ducks walking along on the spillway and slipping down the incline. Before they get to the bottom, where the concrete and boulders are, they fly off."

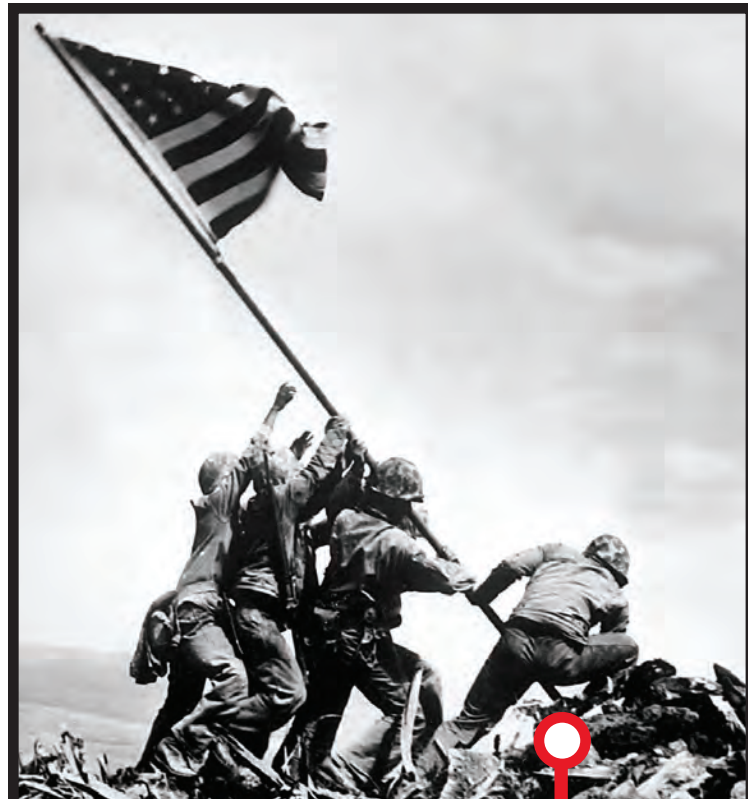
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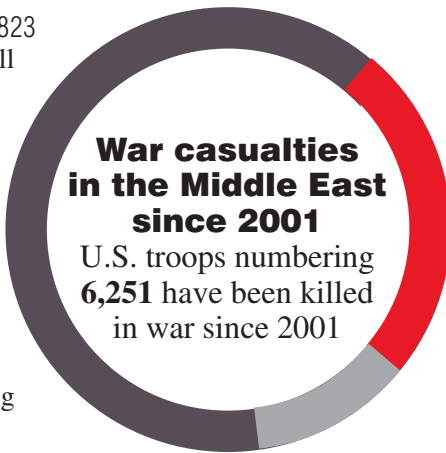




# TOTAL WAR CASUALTIES NUMBER IN THE MILLIONS

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On Monday, May 28, we'll attend parades and visit cemeteries of our choice to honor the brave military men and women who gave their lives for our country. While the numbers in each cemetery may seem staggering, they are overwhelming when you think of the total number of soldiers who have died defending our freedoms.



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SINCE THE CIVIL WAR TOO MANY OF AMERICANS HAVE DIED FIGHTING FOR OUR FREEDOMS

## American Civil War

(April 12, 1861 to May 13, 1865)

Approximately **620,000** soldiers died from combat, accident, starvation, and disease during the Civil War. This number comes from an 1889 study of the war performed by William F. Fox and Thomas Leonard Livermore. Both men fought for the Union.



**1800**

## World War II

(Sept. 1, 1939 to Sept. 2, 1945)

World War II fatality statistics vary, with estimates of total deaths ranging from **50 million to more than 80 million**. The higher figure of over 80 million includes deaths from war-related disease and famine. Civilians killed totaled 50 to 55 million, including 19 to 28 million from war-related disease and famine.



**1900**

## Vietnam Conflict

(Nov. 1, 1955 to April 30, 1975)

The Vietnam Conflict Extract Data File of the Defense Casualty Analysis System (DCAS) contains records of **58,220** U.S. military fatal casualties of the Vietnam.



## Iraq War

(March 30, 2003 to Dec. 18, 2011)

After 4,486 U.S. soldiers died in Iraq and 2,345 U.S. soldiers died in Afghanistan, **1 million** U.S. soldiers wounded in both wars, and a potential cost of up to \$6 trillion, a new group like ISIL now causes havoc in the Middle East.



**2000**

## World War I

(July 28, 1914 to Nov. 11, 1918)

American losses in World War I were modest compared to those of other belligerents, with **116,516** deaths and approximately 320,000 sick and wounded of the 4.7 million men who served. The United States lost more personnel to disease (63,114) than to combat (53,402), largely due to the influenza epidemic of 1918.



## Korean War

(June 25, 1950–July 27, 1953)

The Pentagon put Korean War battle deaths at 33,652 and "other deaths" meaning deaths in the war zone from illness, accidents and other non-battle causes at 3,262. That yields a total of **36,914**.

## Gulf War

(Aug 2, 1990 to Feb 28, 1991)

According to "Gulf War AirPower Survey" by Thomas A. Keaney and Eliot A. Cohen, (a report commissioned by the U.S. Air Force; 1993-ISBN 0-16-041950-6), there were an estimated **10,000 to 12,000** Iraqi combat deaths in the air campaign and as many as 10,000 casualties in the ground war.



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**PUBLIC NOTICE  
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON  
BOARD MEETING SYNOPSIS  
MAY 21, 2018**

The Fenton Township Board held a regular meeting on Monday May 21, 2018 at the Fenton Township Civic Community Center, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, Michigan and took the following actions.

1. Trustee Goupil offered the opening prayer.
2. The members of Boy Scout Troop 212 led the pledge of allegiance to the flag.
3. Appointed Clerk Krug as temporary chairperson.
4. Approved invoices and expenditures for payment in the total amount of \$152,338.43.
5. After conducting a public hearing on same, adopted Resolution No. 2018-11, creating the Eleanor Street Improvement Special Assessment District.
6. Approve a 2019 local road project to pave Whitaker Road from Linden Road to Harp Drive.
7. Adopted Resolution No. 2018-12, authorizing the issuance of up to \$1.35 million in capital improvement bonds to fund the second phase of a project to upgrade sanitary sewer pump stations.
8. Adopted Resolution No. 2018-13, acknowledging receipt of petitions and scheduling a public hearing on the creation of a street improvement special assessment district for North Shore Drive.
9. Recessed the regular meeting at 8:55 p.m. to convene a closed session to discuss pending litigation.
10. Adjourned the closed session and reconvened the regular meeting at 9:10 p.m.
11. Adjourned at 9:10 p.m.

A complete copy of the minutes of this meeting and any ordinances adopted at the meeting are on file and available for review at the Fenton Township Office, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, Michigan 48430. Office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Friday. Ordinances, meeting schedules, meeting minutes and other Township information are also available at [www.fentontownship.org](http://www.fentontownship.org).

ROBERT E. KRUG  
FENTON TOWNSHIP CLERK

**TYRONE TOWNSHIP  
PUBLIC HEARING & REGULAR BOARD MEETING  
SYNOPSIS  
HELD MAY 22, 2018 AT 7:00 P.M.**

1. Present: Supervisor Mike Cunningham, Clerk Marcella Husted, Treasurer Jennifer Eden, Trustees Soren Pedersen and Chuck Schultz.  
Absent: Trustees Al Pool and David Walker.
2. Supervisor Cunningham opened the public hearing at 7:00 p.m. The purpose of the hearing was to explain and answer questions pertaining to the Roll and to hear objections to the Roll for the Lake Shannon Road Improvement Project. No comments were received pertaining to the Roll. The public hearing closed at 7:01 p.m.
3. Approved the agenda as amended; approved the consent agenda as presented.
4. Received and placed on file Communications 1-2.
5. Adopted Resolution #180503 confirming the Lake Shannon Road Improvement Project special assessment roll.
6. Adopted the Bond Authorizing Resolution #180504 for the Lake Shannon Road Improvement Project.
7. Adopted Resolution #180505 to proceed with a special assessment district for police and fire protection in the township and to mail statutory notices of the public hearing. The public hearing will be held on June 19, 2018.
8. Authorized payment of the annual Michigan Townships Association (MTA) membership in the amount of \$5787.57.
9. Approved the Hogan Road gravel road improvement project; the cost will be shared with the road commission and Deerfield Township.
10. Accepted the quote of \$250 from Absolute ProCare to clean the office carpets.
11. Authorized the purchase of election supplies of \$1908.51 (not including shipping fees).
12. Accepted the proposal of \$2,925.67 from KCI to print and mail the summer tax bills and newsletters.
13. Discussed the proposed building renovations and scheduled a public hearing to be held June 19, 2018.
14. Adjourned at 7:35 p.m.

The minutes of all regular and special Tyrone Township Board Meetings are on file and may be reviewed at the Tyrone Township Clerk's office, 10408 Center Road, Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and online at [www.tyronetownship.us](http://www.tyronetownship.us). The next regular meeting of the Tyrone Township Board will be held on Tuesday, June 5, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at the Tyrone Township Hall. The public is encouraged to attend. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Tyrone Township Clerk at (810) 629-8631 at least seven days prior to the meeting.

Marcella Husted, Tyrone Township Clerk

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**VILLAGE OF HOLLY  
PUBLIC HEARING ON FISCAL YEAR 2018-2019  
PROPOSED BUDGET**

The Village of Holly Council will hold a public hearing to receive written and verbal comments from citizens regarding the Proposed Fiscal Year 2018-2019 Budget on June 12, 2018 at 7:00 PM during the regular Council meeting located in the Village Council Chambers located at 920 E. Baird Street, Karl Richter Center, Holly, MI.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for viewing at the Clerk/Treasurer's office during regular business hours. The proposed budget calls for a rate of taxation of 12.6832

Interested persons are encouraged to attend the meeting. Handicapped persons needing assistance to attend are asked to contact the Village offices at least 48 hours prior to the meeting at (248) 634-9571 during regular business hours.

**Deborah J. Bigger  
Clerk/Treasurer**

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Applications are due in the superintendent's office prior to 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 5, 2018.

- Transportation will be the responsibility of the parent/guardian.
- There is no tuition charge for students accepted for enrollment under these programs.
- To apply, complete the Schools of Choice 105/105c application and return to Katy Wade, Executive Assistant to the Superintendent, Lake Fenton Community Schools, before 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 5, 2018.
- Applications may be obtained in person, mail, online or by calling:

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Lake Fenton Community Schools  
11425 Torrey Road  
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### IN THE 7TH CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF GENESEE

Marilyn J. Ward,  
Case No: 18-110474-CH  
Plaintiff  
Honorable: David J. Newblatt

v.  
**Charles Ditkoff, Ruth Ditkoff,  
Abe B. Chaitman, Reva Chaitman,  
Leonard R. Chapman,  
Sadye Chapman  
John Doe, Mary Roe, and  
XYZ Company**

Defendants.

WINEGARDEN, HALEY, LINDHOLM,  
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Attorneys for Plaintiff  
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#### ORDER FOR ALTERNATE SERVICE ON ALL DEFENDANTS

AT A SESSION OF THE COURT HELD IN THE COURTHOUSE IN THE CITY OF FLINT, GENESEE COUNTY, MICHIGAN ON THE 18th DAY OF MAY, 2018

PRESENT: THE HONORABLE DAVID J. NEWBLATT CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE

This matter has come before the Court upon the Plaintiff's Ex-parte Motion for Alternate Service. The Court has reviewed the Ex-Parte Motion for Alternate Service and states and orders as follows:

**A. Nature of Proceedings:** This is a suit to quiet title to real property. The Plaintiff has filed suit asking this Court to declare the Plaintiff the sole owner of the following described property, free and clear of any claims of interest of any other parties:

Part of the Northeast 1/4, Section 27, Township 5 North, Range 6 East, described as beginning at a point on the Westerly right-of-way line of North Road, South 01 Degrees 43 Minutes 42 Seconds East, 958.68 feet and South 32 Degrees 01 Minutes 58 Seconds West, 217.33 feet and North 57 Degrees 58 Minutes 02 Seconds West, 50 feet and South 31 Degrees 19 Minutes 24 Seconds West, 385.88 feet from the Northeast corner of said Section 27; thence South 88 Degrees 16 Minutes 18 Seconds West, 904.18 feet more or less to the East eighth line of said Section 27; thence South on said East eighth line to a point 100 feet North of the South line of the North 51 acres of the East half of the Northeast 1/4 of said Section 27; thence East along the North line of the South 100 feet of the North 51 acres of the East half of the Northeast 1/4 of said Section

27 to the Westerly right-of-way line of North Road; thence Northwesterly along the said right-of-way line to the point of beginning. Also, the West 34.5 feet of the South 599.98 feet of the North 1434 feet of the East 1/2 of the Northeast quarter of said Section 27, Township 5 North, Range 6 East, Township of Fenton, Genesee County, Michigan; commonly known as **15168 North Road, Fenton, Michigan 48430 (the "Property")**.

**B. Answer Required.** The Named Defendants, Charles Ditkoff, Ruth Ditkoff, Abe B. Chaitman, Reva Chaitman, Leonard R. Chapman, and Sadye Chapman and the unknown Defendants, John Doe, Mary Roe, and XYZ Company who are persons or entities which include the heirs, devisees, grantees or assignees of any of the Named Defendants Charles Ditkoff, Ruth Ditkoff, Abe B. Chaitman, Reva Chaitman, Leonard R. Chapman, and Sadye Chapman, or any other person or entity who otherwise claims an interest in the Property are all hereby advised that they must file an Answer to the Plaintiff's Complaint or take other action permitted by law or court rule on or before **June 25, 2018**. The Answer or other action must be filed with the Genesee County Circuit Court Clerk at 900 Saginaw St, Flint, MI 48502. Copies of the Answer or other action must be served upon Plaintiff's counsel by mail at the following address:

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**C. Effect of Failure to Answer.** The Named Defendants, Charles Ditkoff, Ruth Ditkoff, Abe B. Chaitman, Reva Chaitman, Leonard R. Chapman, and Sadye Chapman and all of the unknown Defendants, John Doe, Mary Roe and XYZ Company are hereby advised that their failure to answer or take other action as permitted by law or court rule will result in the entry of a default judgment against the Defendants and the loss of any interest the Defendants may have in the Property.

**D. Unknown Defendants.** This case involves certain Defendants whose names and addresses are unknown to the Plaintiff. These unknown Defendants are all unknown owners of the Property including any person or entity who claims any interest in the Property. The unknown Defendants include, but are not limited to the heirs, devisees, grantees or assignees of any of the Named Defendants Charles Ditkoff, Ruth Ditkoff, Abe B. Chaitman, Reva

Chaitman, Leonard R. Chapman, and Sadye Chapman, or any other person or entity who otherwise claims any interest in the Property.

**E. Alternate Service.** The Plaintiff is hereby ordered to take the following steps to perfect service of process on the Named Defendants, Charles Ditkoff, Ruth Ditkoff, Abe B. Chaitman, Reva Chaitman, Leonard R. Chapman, and Sadye Chapman and on the unknown Defendants, John Doe, Mary Roe, and XYZ Company in this case:

- 1) The Plaintiff is ordered to publish a copy of this Order once each week for three consecutive weeks in a newspaper (as defined in MCR 2.106(F)) which is regularly published in Genesee County, Michigan.
- 2) The Plaintiff is further ordered to mail a copy of this Order to the following persons at the following addresses by both first-class mail, postage pre-paid and by certified mail, return receipt requested:

A. Charles and Ruth Ditkoff  
3000 Arborwoods Drive  
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B. Abe B. Chaitman  
29065 E. Wellington, Apartment 8/E  
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C. Reva Chaitman  
7779 E. Mineral Drive  
Centennial, Colorado 80112.

D. Leonard R. Chapman and Sadye Chapman  
4322 Park Forest Drive  
Flint, Michigan 48507.

- 3) The Court determines that no mailing is required under MCR 2.106(D) (2) as to the Defendants John Doe, Mary Roe and XYZ Company as there is no known name or address for any of the unknown Defendants and any such mailing would not likely result in notice to any of the Unknown Defendants.

**IT IS HEREBY SO ORDERED.**

Dated: 05/18/18  
**Honorable David J. Newblatt**  
Circuit Court Judge

**PREPARED BY:**

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### Synopsis of Argentine Township Regular Board Meeting May 21, 2018

Call to order @ 7:00 p.m.

Present: Schmidt, Hallman, Saad, Graves and Conner. Absent: none.  
Approved: Minutes as printed of April 30, 2018 and May 10, 2018 Budget Workshop.

Approved: Payment of bills as presented.

Approved: Budget Amendments.

Issued: 4 zoning permits that total \$884.80.

Accepted: Resignation of Takoma Curtis as fire-fighter.

Approved: Hiring Terrance Baleweski as a part-time police officer.

Tabled: Safety Path Ordinance.

Approved: Township to hire a contractor to clean up property and place cost on the tax roll of both the McGuire and Webb properties.

Recognized: Linden Athletic Boosters as a non-profit 501C organization.

Date set: Budget Hearing at Annual Meeting on June 25, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.

Authorized: Supervisor to sign agreement with GCRC to resurface part of McCaslin Lake Rd. using matching allocation funds.

Approved: Fireworks permit.

Authorized: Clerk to sign License for Equipment Use.

Adjourned@8:17 p.m.

Submitted by Denise Graves  
Argentine Township Clerk

### Weekend Sudoku

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

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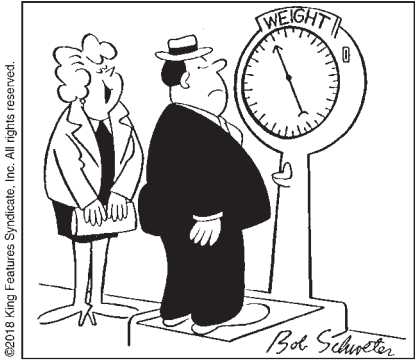
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Level: Intermediate

### Weekend Scrambler

Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words.  
Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

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**WARDER** \_ \_ \_ \_ \_  
Glance  
**DANGER** \_ \_ \_ \_ \_  
Adapt  
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### Weekend Crossword

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PUZZLE CLUE: **EIGHT  
LOW NOTES**

- ACROSS**  
1 Snakebite treaters  
9 Roomy rides  
15 Slowly, in music  
20 Tie in a race  
21 Actress Wilde of “House”  
22 — now and then  
23 Taft’s foreign policy  
25 Jacket-and-tie affairs  
26 Look from a villain  
27 Word after lo or chow  
28 Non-U.S. gas brand  
30 Use a recliner, e.g.  
31 Forward, as a message with a hashtag  
34 Grand Prix racing  
37 A doc prescribes it  
40 Imbiber’s hwy. offense  
41 Half-diameters  
43 He voiced Carl in “Up”  
44 Bachelor suitable for marriage, say
- DOWN**  
1 Tosses in  
2 Sign light  
3 Narration  
4 Lazy type  
5 Partook of  
6 Always, to Donne  
7 “Too cool!”  
8 “Once upon — ...”  
9 Gem in a ring  
10 North Carolina university  
11 Not so bright  
12 Gardner of “Mogambo”  
13 Less nasty  
14 Bully’s words of authority  
15 Block-filled theme park  
16 Entertainer Gabor  
17 Wrestling holds  
18 New hire  
19 Pearl makers  
24 Eyes closely  
29 African nation  
32 Bath fixture  
33 Wheaton of “Stand by Me”  
34 Fruit that’s often dried  
35 Like OPEC nations
- ACROSS**  
48 Licoricelike herbs  
49 Novelist Ira  
50 Margaret Mitchell’s plantation  
51 African nation  
53 — Trapp family  
54 Three-card game  
56 Some book blurbs  
57 Apollo program org.  
61 The girl  
62 Elderly Smurf  
63 Shifting of responsibility to another  
66 Co. name abbr.  
67 Golf rarity  
68 PayPal funds, e.g.  
70 Lead-in to skeleton  
71 Egg mass  
72 Edible soft-shell mollusk  
75 Burning liquid  
76 Bowl over  
77 Hens and heifers  
78 War group  
79 Bakery treats  
81 Mom’s treatment
- DOWN**  
82 Volkswagen family car  
85 Moore or Lovato  
86 Use profanity  
88 Very strong  
91 Late  
95 De-creasing workers  
97 Gallery stand  
98 Laugh half  
99 Mao — -tung  
100 Brand of flavored balms in tubes  
102 Tower atop a mosque  
105 Hack (off)  
106 Kitchen lure  
107 Actress Olin  
108 Day of song  
112 Beat poet Ginsberg  
114 University SSE of Spokane  
119 V-formation filers  
120 Medieval balladeer, maybe  
121 French folk song  
122 Snaky curves  
123 Perplexes  
124 Eellike fish
- ACROSS**  
36 Koreans and Laotians  
37 Ott of baseball  
38 High-school junior’s grade  
39 Person with an ex-spouse  
42 Crime scene material  
45 — mill (bar)  
46 Sicilian volcano  
47 “Star Wars” creature  
52 Feature  
54 Royal staff  
55 “Faust” and others  
56 Greyhound transport  
58 Signal to pilots  
59 Treaded winter vehicles  
60 1940s film critic James  
61 Cobra sound  
62 Actress Dawber  
63 “Pow!”  
64 Pivot point  
65 Put turf over  
68 Graceful street liner  
69 Coral island  
73 Some poplars
- DOWN**  
74 Cliff rock  
75 Solo often in Italian  
79 Slum abodes  
80 Moseying  
81 Old carrier  
83 Tentacled reef dwellers  
84 Fine violin  
85 — Moines  
86 Hits the gas  
87 Dark loaf  
88 Rob violently  
89 Twins’ rivals  
90 Overturns  
92 Attention  
93 Part of a dance move  
94 Prefix with plop or flop  
96 Glowlers  
101 Frank topper  
103 Of birth  
104 Redcap at work, often  
107 Speech therapy topic  
109 \$20/day, say  
110 Really small  
111 Uses eyes  
113 Suffix with 29-Down  
115 Actor/comic Gilliam  
116 “That guy!”  
117 Suffix with pay or plug  
118 Moniker, in France

### Puzzle Answers

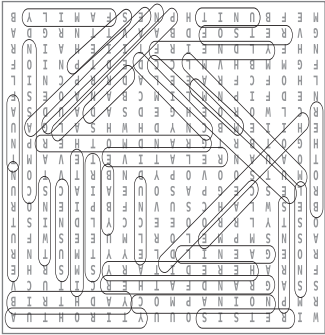
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**WEEKEND CROSSWORD**  
ANSWERS



**MIDWEEK CROSSWORD**  
ANSWERS



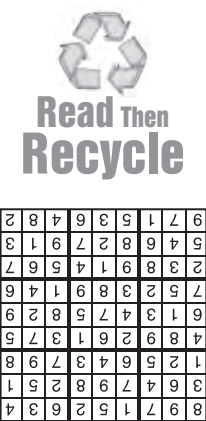
**WEEKEND WORD SEARCH**  
ANSWERS

Scramblers:  
REWARD, GANDER, ADJUST, OODLES  
Answer: DOW-JONES

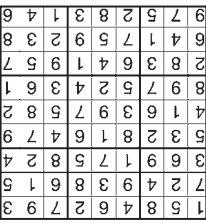
**WEEKEND SCRAMBLER**  
ANSWERS

“FEE-YOU-”  
surcharges, gasoline is —  
Answer: With all the taxes and FONDUE, SYRUPY  
Jumbles: ADAGE, LEAVE,

**MIDWEEK JUMBLE**  
ANSWERS



**WEEKEND SUDOKU**  
ANSWERS



**MIDWEEK SUDOKU**  
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# Obituaries

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**Barbara A. Cole Hallberg**  
Barbara A. Cole Hallberg - age 86, died May 23, 2018.  
www.temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com.



**Walter R. Hajduk**  
Walter R. Hajduk - age 88, died May 24, 2018.  
www.temrowskifamilyfunerlahome.com.



**Terry W. Edens**  
Terry W. Edens - age 68, died May 23, 2018.  
www.temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com.



**Zoe A. Ritchey**  
Zoe A. Ritchey - age 79, died May 19, 2018.  
www.temrowskifamilyfunerlahome.com.



**Dorothy V. Faber**  
Dorothy V. Faber - age 93, died May 24, 2018.  
www.temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com.



**Donald Drake**  
Donald Drake - age 86, died May 18, 2018.  
Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



**Elizabeth Hatch**  
Elizabeth Hatch - age 86, died May 18, 2018.  
Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



**George Sutton**  
George Sutton - age 86, died May 22, 2018.  
Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



**James Lacewell**  
James Lacewell - age 74, died May 21, 2018.  
Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



**Terry Lefebvre**  
Terry Lefebvre - age 63, died May 22, 2018.  
Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



**Wayne May**  
Wayne May - age 93, died May 18, 2018.  
Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



**Betty Brown**  
Betty Brown - age 88, died May 23, 2018.  
Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



**Thomas Anderson**  
Thomas Anderson - age 64, died May 23, 2018.  
Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



**H. Richard "Rick" Vosburgh**  
1940-2018  
H. Richard "Rick" Vosburgh - age 77, of Fenton, died May 21, 2018. Services will be held 11 AM Wednesday, May 30, 2018 at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Rd., Fenton. Visitation will be 10 AM until the time of service. In lieu of flowers, those desiring may make contributions to the Alzheimer's Association. Rick was born September 27, 1940 in Chicago, the son of Harry E. and Josephine (O'Leary) Vosburgh. He lived in Detroit and then moved to Fenton. Rick received his B.A. degree from Western Michigan University in 1963 and his Master's degree from U of M Flint. He married LaVonne Thompson in Cadillac on June 27, 1964. Rick taught History for 35 years at Fenton High School from 1965-2000. He enjoyed traveling extensively in Europe and the Middle East and all of the United States in the summers. He and LaVonne enjoyed wintering in Arizona. Rick enjoyed antique automobiles like a Roll's, a Bentley, a London Taxi, and several ice cream trucks. He also was a collector of toy trains and was an avid pool player. Surviving are: his beloved wife of 53 years, LaVonne; sons, Ted Vosburgh and Jason (Thany) Vosburgh; granddaughters, Kess, Katherine, and Jacqueline; sister, Jeanne Zumburs; and nephew, Nicolas Zumburs. Rick was preceded in death by his parents. Online tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



**Margaret M. Miller**  
1935-2018  
Margaret M. Miller - age 82, of Linden, died Wednesday, May 23, 2018. A memorial service will be held at 2 PM Sunday, May 27, 2018 at Argentine Church of the Nazarene 16248 S. Seymour Rd., Linden, with fellowship following. The family will receive friends from 1 PM until time of service at the church. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Argentine Church of the Nazarene for Missions. Margaret was born in Chicago, IL on June 14, 1935 the daughter of Jack and Emily Metcalfe. Margaret was deeply devoted to her family and God. She had a beautiful voice and loved to sing for the Lord. She is survived by her husband, Charles; sons, Charles Miller Jr., Andrew (Melody) Miller, Harry (Christine) Miller, Scott (Rosalee) Miller; daughter, Deborah (Doug) Green; ten grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. Tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



## FUNERAL ETIQUETTE

When you arrive at the funeral home, go to the family, and express your sympathy with an embrace or by offering your hands. Don't feel as though you must avoid talking about the person who has died. Talking can help the grieving process begin. If you were an acquaintance of the deceased but not well-known to the family, immediately introduce yourself.

Do not feel uncomfortable if you or the family member becomes emotional or begins to cry. Allowing the family to grieve is a natural healing process. However, if you find yourself becoming extremely upset, it would be kinder to excuse yourself so as not to increase the strain on the family.

In the days and months to come, the family will continue to need your support. By remembering such occasions as wedding anniversaries and birthdays, you are not remembering the death, but reaffirming that a life was lived.  
Source: thefuneralsource.org

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# Great reasons to adopt your next pet

There is no end to the companionship, love and joy a pet can bring to one's life. That is perhaps one reason why the number of pets surrendered to shelters each year so greatly upsets animal lovers. But the same places that house animals that were lost or abandoned can be the very locations where families find new pets to love.

The ASPCA estimates that 6.5 million companion animals enter animal shelters in the United States each year. According to its most recent report, the Canadian Federation of Humane Societies says around 82,000 cats and 35,000 dogs were taken into Canadian shelters in 2015.

Animal shelters, rescue groups, pounds, and humane societies are great places to begin searching for new companion animals. The organization DoSomething.org states that, each year, approximately 2.7 million dogs and cats are euthanized because shelters are too full and there aren't enough adoptive homes. Homeless animals outnumber homeless people five to one. While private breeders and reputable pet stores may have purebred animals that make great pets, to relieve the problems of relinquished or homeless pets residing in crowded shelters, prospective pet parents are urged to first consider adopting shelter pets. The following are reasons why adopting shelter dogs or cats is such a great idea.



Animal shelters can be the first and last stop for animal lovers looking to welcome companion animals into their lives.

- **Well-behaved animals:** The Humane Society of America says most shelter pets end up in facilities not because of behavioral issues or something they did wrong, but due to circumstances affecting their owners, such as moving or divorce. That means there are thousands of housebroken, behavior-trained pets just waiting for a new family.
- **Lower costs:** When a person adopts a pet, microchipping, first immunization costs, neutering/spaying, and some vet costs may be covered by the adoption fee. Plus, that adoption fee can be hundreds of dollars less than purchasing a pet from elsewhere.

- **Longer life expectancy:** The Canine Journal says "mutts," or animals whose genetic makeup are a combination of at least two breeds, tend to have fewer health problems and live longer than their purebred counterparts. But shelters also house many purebreds for those who prefer to go that route.
- **Room for others:** For every adopted cat or dog, room is freed up to take in more pets that need assistance.
- **Hurt puppy mills:** Puppy mills produce pets in factory-style facilities that seldom take the welfare of animals into consideration. Adoption hurts puppy mills' bottom lines and helps fight against their inhumane breeding techniques.

# DVD RELEASES

82%

liked it

(Audience score on rottentomatoes.com)



**GAME NIGHT**  
Bateman and McAdams star as Max and Annie, whose weekly couples game night gets kicked up a notch when Max's charismatic brother, Brooks (Chandler), arranges a murder mystery party, complete with fake thugs and faux federal agents. So when Brooks gets kidnapped, it's all part of the game — right? But as the six uber-competitive gamers set out to solve the case and win, they begin to discover that neither this game — nor Brooks — are what they seem to be. Over the course of one chaotic night, the friends find themselves increasingly in over their heads as each twist leads to another unexpected turn. With no rules, no points, and no idea who all the players are, this could turn out to be the most fun they've ever had... or game over.  
**R, 1 hr. 33 min.** Comedy, Mystery & Suspense

85%

liked it

(Audience score on rottentomatoes.com)



**POPE FRANCIS - A MAN OF HIS WORD**  
Wim Wenders' new documentary, "Pope Francis - A Man of His Word," is intended to be a personal journey with Pope Francis, rather than a biographical documentary about him. The pope's ideas and his message are central to this documentary, which sets out to present his work of reform and his answers to today's global questions. From his deep concern for the poor and wealth inequality, to his involvement in environmental issues and social justice, Pope Francis engages the audience face-to-face and calls for peace.  
**PG, 1 hr. 33 min.** Documentary

## Word Search

Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally and diagonally throughout the puzzle.

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## IT'S ALL RELATIVE

ADOPTIVE, AUNT, AUTHORITY, BABY, BIRTHDAY, BROTHER, CARE, CELEBRATE, CENSUS, CHILD, COMPANION, COMPASSION, DAD, FAMILY, FOSTER, FRIENDLY, GRANDFATHER, GRANDMOTHER, GUARDIAN, HEREDITARY, HOUSEHOLD, IMMEDIATE, LESSONS, LINEAGE, MATERNAL, MOM, NURTURE, PARENTS, PATERNAL, PETS, RELATIVE, SISTER, TRIPLETS, TWINS, UNCLE, UNIT

Answers in this edition of the Tri-County Times

"This recipe is everything off the shelf, nothing too fancy, but wonderful and perfect for grilling out to celebrate Memorial Day. Marinate, or add sauce directly to the chicken!"

## MEMORIAL DAY BBQ CHICKEN

**INGREDIENTS**

- 1/2 cup Worcestershire sauce
- 1 teaspoon Cajun seasoning
- 1 teaspoon garlic powder
- 2 1/2 tablespoons brown sugar
- 1 1/2 tablespoons ketchup
- 6 skinless, boneless chicken breast halves

**DIRECTIONS**

In a large bowl, blend the Worcestershire sauce, Cajun seasoning, garlic powder, brown sugar, and ketchup. Place the chicken in the bowl, and coat thoroughly with the sauce mixture. Cover, and refrigerate 8 hours or overnight. Heat an outdoor grill for medium heat, and lightly oil grate. Discard the marinade, and grill chicken 6 to 8 minutes per side on the prepared grill, or until no longer pink and juices run clear.

"Once you taste this you will never go back to the 'old' way of making coleslaw!"

## RED, WHITE & BLUE SLAW SALAD

**INGREDIENTS**

- 12 slices bacon
- 6 cups shredded cabbage
- 1 cup cole slaw dressing
- 1/2 cup blue cheese, crumbled
- 1 cup cherry tomatoes, halved

**DIRECTIONS**

Place bacon in a large, deep skillet. Cook over medium high heat until evenly brown. Crumble and set aside. In a large bowl, combine the bacon, cabbage and dressing. Mix well. Sprinkle with halved cherry tomatoes and blue cheese. Refrigerate and serve chilled.

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