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## Local clerk is appointed marriage officer

NEW BERLIN — Earlier this month a New Berlin Town Clerk was appointed as a marriage officer, allowing individuals in Chenango County to get married in New Berlin without going through a judge or church.

According to Marriage Officer and Clerk of the Town of New Berlin Deborah Barker, the idea to have an appointed clerk marriage officer stemmed from a training seminar she recently attended.

"I didn't know municipalities could appoint a marriage officer until after I attended a training session that happened to cover it," said Barker. "Once I knew

it was an option for our area, I did some additional research and decided to bring the concept to our local board.

She said currently as a town clerk she issues marriage licenses, but thought having the opportunity for individuals to have a simple marriage would be an added bonus for the area. She added that not all town justices perform in wedding ceremonies, nor do they have to.

"We have people that want a simple, legal marriage, and a lot of judges or churches aren't available for them," said Barker. "After Monday night's meeting, the Town of New Berlin has another service that we can provide to our community."

Barker said she is taking on the role without asking for additional money from taxpayers, and the town will charge a \$75 fee per marriage. She added that the process is relatively short, and participants will receive their marriage certificates in the mail.

"The main stipulation is that the marriage has to occur in the governing body's jurisdiction, or in this case the Town of New Berlin," said Barker. "Anyone can stop into the town hall or call us if they have questions or are interested in learning more."

Those who are interested in going through the Town of New Berlin for the marriage license or certificate may call (607) 847-8909 for more information.



The opening reception for the CASA exhibition will be held on Friday, April 5 at 5:30 p.m. in the Mariea Brown and Raymond Loft galleries within the Chenango Arts Council

## CAC announces return of student art show

NORWICH — The Chenango Arts Council is pleased to announce the return of its annual Chenango Area Student Art (CASA) exhibition on Friday, April 5.

The event will consist of an awards ceremony for two scholarships, CAC's Student Art Show, and Artistic Discovery, where 6 entries will be submitted to Congressman Anthony Brindisi's office for a chance to appear in the 2019 Congressional Art Show in Washington, DC.

Scheduled to run through April 19th at the Arts Council's Mariea Brown and Raymond Loft Galleries, the exhibition recognizes talent from across Chenango County's seven school districts.

With a focus on conventional mediums most often associated with high school art curriculum — mixed media, paint, photography, drawing and 3-D art — submissions are judged by a panel of local artists and arts educators. Only 2-D art may be considered for Artistic Discovery.

The Lucy Funke Scholarship, named in honor of Mrs. Lucy Funke, longtime executive director responsible for the success and stature of the Chenango Arts Council as it's

known in the community today, awards two \$1,000 scholarships to seniors in Chenango county based on merit and pursuit of the arts as a career through higher education.

New this year, The Arts Council will also award one \$1000 scholarship to a Chenango County senior who intends to go on to study music in college.

"Generating interest in the lifelong pursuit of the arts from early adulthood onward is one of the cornerstones of the CAC's mission," said Arts Council executive director Alecia O'Neill. "Whether we're hosting a reception for one of our artists-members, local students, or artists from out-of-town, public participation and community appreciation at gallery receptions are significant in galvanizing the culture of creativity in Chenango County. It's through exposure to the arts and art education that students discover their talent; CASA is simply the stage for them to express their passion."

O'Neill also noted that the annual scholarships programs through the CAC are intended to assist high school seniors enrolling in a program of study within the arts and who have long-term

goals of joining the arts workforce.

"The Lucy Funke Scholarships are meant to reinforce the notion that students can obtain gainful employment within the arts field after high school," said O'Neill. "The disciplines of design and commercial art processes are essential in many industries; community support has allowed us to award these scholarships annually. We are also very excited to offer the new Chenango County Music Scholarship. There are so many opportunities in the arts, we want to encourage students to pursue every avenue

available to them. The generosity of Chenango County allows us to help support students' continuing education in the arts."

Interested students should contact their school's guidance office or art instructors, or call the Chenango Arts Council at 607.336. ARTS for more information.

The opening reception for the CASA exhibition will be held on Friday, April 5, 2019 at 5:30 p.m. in the Mariea Brown and Raymond Loft galleries within the Chenango Arts Council at 27 West Main Street, Norwich, NY 13815.

## Edmeston Museum to hold maple exhibits

EDMESTON — The Edmeston Museum is celebrating maple sap season with a special exhibit on Saturday, March 23 and March 30 from 9 a.m. to noon or Wednesday, March 27 from 6 to 8 p.m. to see the expanded exhibit on maple syrup processing.

Former local processors loaned the museum wooden pails, syrup skimmers, a syrup grading kit, etc.

There are tags from former producers and a

collection of spiles, from those made of wood to more modern ones. See a cross-section of a tree and see where it was tapped for sap decades ago, as well as photos of sugar bushes of the past and current sap houses.

Free coloring books and temporary tattoos will be available for the taking from the regional NYS Maple Producers Association. The museum is free. All are welcome.

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# FOR THE HEALTH OF IT

## Observing National Nutrition Month

**C H E N A N G O COUNTY**—Each March, National Nutrition Month is celebrated to focus attention on the importance of making informed food choices and developing sound habits. Small changes to your daily eating or drinking habits can make a positive difference to your health. The Chenango County Health Department 2019 health campaign encourages you to “Rethink Your Drink, Chenango: Drink Water.”

Drinking water is important for overall health and well-being. It is a simple change that anyone can make in their daily lives that can greatly change overall health for the better.

Heart Disease is the number one cause of premature death in Chenango County, ranking #1 in NY State. Four out of ten adults living in Chenango County are obese. This high incidence of obesity directly affects health outcomes such as diabetes and cardiovascular disease. Chenango County ranks #4 for its



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rate of hospitalization with diabetes as primary diagnoses. 35% of our residents suffer from high blood pressure. Three out of five children are affected by tooth decay. The numbers tell us that we have a lot of work to do to

achieve better health.

Drinking water can reduce your risk for the following conditions: Obesity, Dental Caries, Heart Disease, Stroke, Type 2 Diabetes, Liver Disease, and Kidney Disease.

Drinking water is a healthy alternative to sugary drinks such as soda, fruit drinks, energy drinks or sports drinks. Many of these types of drinks contain more sugar than people often realize, giving them unwanted extra calories and causing tooth decay. Popular soda brands contain

approximately 15-18 teaspoons of sugar in one 20 ounce bottle and 275 calories.

Some sports drinks, iced teas and flavored waters that people often view as healthier alternatives to soda contain 8-12 teaspoons of sugar in one 20 ounce bottle and 160 calories. It is very important to read labels when choosing these drinks.

Drinking one 12 ounce soda a day can lead to a weight gain of 15 pounds a year.

The Chenango County Health Department will be doing a variety of education and awareness this year focused around “Rethink your drink: Drink Water,” visiting medical providers, educating community partners, creating displays, posters and

print materials, along with radio spots and variety of other activities. All new parents will receive information about drink recommendations by mail, including when to introduce juice and how much. Here is a short list of some of those tips:

- No juice for under 12 months old, unless recommended by your child’s doctor
- Limiting to 4 ounces of juice per day for 1-3 year olds, 6 ounces of juice per day for 4-6 year olds and 8 ounces of juice per day for 7 years old through adulthood.
- Exclusive breastfeeding is encouraged and recommended for 6 months and continued to 1-2 years of age.
- Toddlers should not

be given juice or sugared drinks from bottles or sippy cups that allow them to easily drink throughout the day. Constant exposure of sugars on the teeth leads to decay.

- Children should be encouraged to eat whole fruits that provide more benefits and dietary fiber than juice.
- Add fruit to water to make it more appealing such as lemon, cucumber, berries, or mint.
- Only use 100% fresh or reconstituted fruit juice when given.
- Order water when you eat out or when you have fast food. It is often given for free.

The purpose of the National Nutrition Month Campaign is to increase the public’s awareness of the importance of good nutrition. You can start by choosing more water. Your body depends on water to survive, making up 60 percent of your body weight. It helps to get rid of waste, regulate temperature, lubricate joints, make healthy skin, and protects sensitive tissues. Every cell, tissue and organ in your body needs water to work properly. The Chenango County Health Department encourages you to make a small change for your health and “Rethink your drink: Drink Water, Chenango.”

For more information visit the following websites: [www.eatright.org](http://www.eatright.org), [www.cdc.gov/nutrition](http://www.cdc.gov/nutrition), and [www.choosemyplate.gov](http://www.choosemyplate.gov).



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## Annual soup sampler and sandwich luncheon this weekend

**GILBERTSVILLE** – The annual soup sampler and sandwich luncheon will be held on Saturday, March 23 at the New Life Fellowship

Hall.

Approximately 10 to 12 soups along with a variety of sandwiches will be available at the luncheon from 11:30

a.m. to 1 p.m.

New Life Fellowship Hall is located in the Baptist Church on Commercial Street in Gilbertsville.

# Chenango Dialysis Center inches closer to opening



The Chenango Dialysis Center inched closer to opening last week, passing its final city code inspection and adding signage to the front of its building. (Grady Thompson photo)

BY GRADY THOMPSON  
THE GAZETTE

NORWICH – Last week the Chenango Dialysis Center added signage and passed its final city code inspection, moving one step closer to opening.

The City of Norwich Code Department completed its final inspection of the Chenango Dialysis Center last week, thus allowing the center to move forward towards opening by installing its equipment and obtaining its certificate of occupancy.

“It’s coming along great,” said City of Norwich Code Enforcement Officer Amy Donnison. “They’ve worked really hard and the contractors are meeting their deadline, so everything’s going really

good.”

Chenango Dialysis Center Clinic Manager Christine Rogers said the center does not yet have an official opening date and she was unable to share the tentative date, but city officials have mentioned early June as the target window for the center’s opening during the January joint committees meeting’s code enforcement update.

In the meantime, Rogers said individuals can sign up to be placed on a waiting list for the Chenango Dialysis Center to be admitted once it’s opened.

“The number that they can call is (315) 363-1393 at our Oneida Dialysis Clinic and they can ask for Leigh in Social Work,” said Rogers, adding that individuals can either call themselves or have

their current clinic social worker call on their behalf. “Leigh will be able to obtain the correct information and get them on the waiting list where they need to be.”

The Chenango Dialysis Center will be run by American Renal Associates, which operates over 200 dialysis centers in the country, including one in Oneida. It will be the only dialysis center in Chenango County, filling a need for individuals who currently are forced to travel for their dialysis on a regular basis.

The Chenango Dialysis Center will be located in Suite 6A at 54 East Main Street in the Tops plaza, beside UHS Occupational Medicine.

# UHS Chenango Memorial welcomes nurse midwife



Christina Mann

NORWICH – UHS officials said women have unique health care needs at every stage of life, from child-bearing years through menopause and into their senior years, and now, thanks to a new addition to the UHS Chenango Memorial team, area women will

the Chenango County community.

“We are thrilled to welcome a Christina ‘Tina’ Mann, CNM, APN, to our team at the UHS Women’s Health Center in Norwich. Tina is an experienced Certified Nurse Midwife, something our community desperately needs,” said Kisacky.

According to Kisacky, it has been more than a decade since the hospital was able to provide midwifery services.

“A midwife offers a different style of care, which some women prefer,” she said. “We knew members of our community were traveling outside of the area to receive midwifery services and felt strongly about offering them this option closer to home.”

She added that it took more than a year to find the right candidate, who would be a good fit on both the clinical side and for the community.

“We’ve found that fit with Tina,” said

Kisacky. “She’s the perfect complement to our existing women’s health provider team.”

Mann is a graduate of Frontier Nursing University in Kentucky, and a US Navy Veteran. She has spent much of her life in the Southern United States, including Texas and Kentucky. She has relocated to Chenango County for the position, and says she is looking forward to getting to know both her new community and new patients.

“I love to educate my patients and teach them everything I can,” said Mann. “I spend time with each

of them and once we begin to learn from each other, I think we build a closer bond as patient and provider.”

Mann will work collaboratively with the Women’s Health Center’s existing care team, which includes four providers: Dr. Timothy Corey, Dr. Phyllis White, Dr. Ross Baxter and Physician’s Assistant Alyssa MacIntosh.

“I am looking forward to working with this exceptional team here in Norwich,” she said. “Being part of this group will give me a chance to enjoy delivering care, and nothing makes me

happier than being there for my patients.”

UHS Women’s Health Norwich offers a broad range of women’s health services including obstetrics, gynecology, breast health, maternity and child birth. Satellite services are also provided at UHS Primary Care Sidney and UHS Primary Care Sherburne. All providers, including Mann, are accepting new patients.

For more information or to make an appointment, contact the UHS Women’s Health Center Norwich at (607) 337-4218.

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# Unadilla Valley History

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## “On Benjamin Franklin”

The last two columns have been devoted to Benjamin Franklin's genius, wit, wisdom, and stories by and about him. Surely by now he has been glorified in American science, literature, and politics as beyond reproach. But in fact his greatness has drawn mean spirite disparagement and sarcasm by the most celebrated American author: Mark Twain. The author of innumerable American classics featuring the classics Tom Sawyer, Huckleberry Finn, and travel in Europe, wrote criticisms of Franklin on at least two occasions. It should be noted that Twain also wrote a similar vicious essay of James Fenimore Cooper

In 1870 Twain wrote an essay in the *Galaxy* magazine from which the following excerpt is taken.

“The Late Benjamin Franklin” by Mark Twain

“Never put off till to-morrow what you can do day after to-morrow just as well.”--B. F.]

This party was one of those persons whom they call Philosophers. He was twins, being born simultaneously in two different houses in the city of Boston. These houses remain unto this day, and have signs upon them worded in accordance with the facts. The signs are considered well enough to have, though not necessary, because the inhabitants point out the two birthplaces to the stranger anyhow, and sometimes as often as several times in the same day. The subject of this memoir was of a vicious disposition, and early prostituted his talents to the invention of maxims and aphorisms calculated to inflict suffering upon the rising generation of all subsequent ages. His simplest acts, also, were contrived with a view to their being held up for the emulation of boys forever--boys who might otherwise have been happy. It was in this spirit that he became the son of a soap-boiler, and probably for no other reason

than that the efforts of all future boys who tried to be anything might be looked upon with suspicion unless they were the sons of soap-boilers.

With a malevolence which is without parallel in history, he would work all day, and then sit up nights, and let on to be studying algebra by the light of a smoldering fire, so that all other boys might have to do that also, or else have Benjamin Franklin thrown up to them. Not satisfied with these proceedings, he had a fashion of living wholly on bread and water, and studying astronomy at meal-time--a thing which has brought affliction to millions of boys since, whose fathers had read Franklin's pernicious biography.

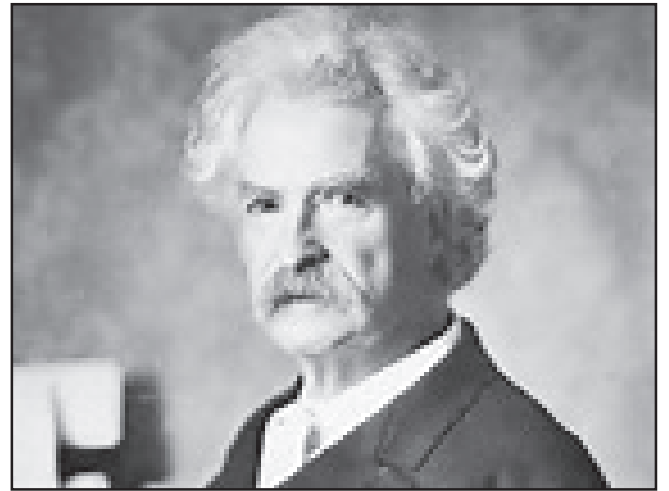
His maxims were full of animosity toward boys. Nowadays a boy cannot follow out a single natural instinct without tumbling over some of those everlasting aphorisms and hearing from Franklin, on the spot. If he buys

two cents' worth of peanuts, his father says, “Remember what Franklin has said, my son--‘A grout a day's a penny a year’”; and the comfort is all gone out of those peanuts. If he wants to spin his top when he has done work, his father quotes, “Procrastination is the thief of time.” If he does a virtuous action, he never gets anything for it, because “Virtue is its own reward.” And that boy is hounded to death and robbed of his natural rest, because Franklin, said once, in one of his inspired flights of malignity:

Early to bed and early to rise

Makes a man healthy and wealthy and wise.

As if it were any object to a boy to be healthy and wealthy and wise on such terms. The sorrow that maxim has cost me, through my parents, experimenting on me with it, tongue cannot tell. The legitimate result is my present state of general debility, indigence, and mental aberration. My parents used to



Mark Twain

have me up before nine o'clock in the morning sometimes when I was a boy. If they had let me take my natural rest where would I have been now? Keeping store, no doubt, and respected by all.

And what an adroit old adventurer the subject of this memoir was! In order to get a chance to fly his kite on Sunday he used to hang a key on the string and let on to be fishing for lightning. And a guileless public would go home chirping about the “wisdom” and the “genius” of the hoary Sabbath-breaker. If anybody caught him playing “mumblepeg” by himself, after the

age of sixty, he would immediately appear to be ciphering out how the grass grew--as if it was any of his business. My grandfather knew him well, and he says Franklin was always fixed--always ready. If a body, during his old age, happened on him unexpectedly when he was catching flies, or making mud-pies, or sliding on a cellar door, he would immediately look wise, and rip out a maxim, and walk off with his nose in the air and his cap turned wrong side before, trying to appear absent-minded and eccentric. He was a hard lot”.

## Forbes rates NBT Bank as best in state

NORWICH – NBT Bank was rated the #1 bank in New York State on Forbes 2019 World's Best Banks list released earlier this month. This is the first time Forbes has recognized the World's Best Banks based solely on consumer feedback.

“Selection of NBT by Forbes as one of the World's Best Banks is affirmation that the best team in communi-

ty banking continues to provide our customers a great experience,” said NBT Bank President and CEO John H. Watt, Jr. “There are 60 U.S. banks on that list, and NBT came in at number 14! NBT Bank has consistently appeared on local, regional and national ‘Best Banks’ lists, including 2018 recognitions by Consumer Reports and MONEY Magazine. Our

entire team of 1,900 employees is incredibly proud.”

Forbes surveyed more than 40,000 customers around the globe for their opinions on their current and former banking relationships. The banks were rated on overall recommendation and satisfaction, as well as five subdimensions: trust, terms and conditions, customer ser-



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vices, digital services and financial advice.

On the Forbes 2019 World's Best Banks list, NBT is ranked #14 in the United States. In addition to being

highest-rank bank in New York State, NBT is also the top-ranked bank in Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine and in Northeastern Pennsylvania. To

view the U.S. banks on the list, visit [www.forbes.com/worlds-best-banks](http://www.forbes.com/worlds-best-banks) and select “United States” from the drop-down menu.

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# The Early Files

By Peggy Finnegan

## THIRTY YEARS AGO

**March 16, 1989**

Woodchucks were spotted March 10th.

Michael Smith missed work at the local garage, the victim of a serious accident while duck hunting in his bath tub.

Homer Fassett predicts a good maple season in spite of the mild winter.

The average man has 66 lb. muscle, 40 lb. bone and 3.75 lb. brain, which explains a lot of things.

## FIFTY YEARS AGO

**March 13, 1969**

John Williams is recuperating from a broken leg. This followed a painful session of water on the knee and last week he was hit by a coconut and needed emergency treatment.

\$30 was collected for the Heart Fund in our little village.

Ben Jens, 80, of Garrattsville, died on his birthday.

AGWAY SPRING CARNIVAL: Sylvania light bulbs, 7 for \$1; 20 gal. trash can \$1.99.

## SIXTY YEARS AGO

**March 12, 1959**

The West street bridge has long been a problem due to its narrow width. It was built in 1900 after the old arch bridge washed out in a flood.

The Rotary was chartered in 1947 and the Minstrel Show in 1948 to fund youth projects. It has been an annual event ever since.

Willard Hendrickson wants people to know that their dog has been found and is now home.

The chicken is the earliest domesticated animal.

REWARD to the person giving information about items taken from my car: two blankets, jacket, plastic pail, inseminator kit and equipment. Leo Gravesen

## SEVENTY YEARS AGO

**March 17, 1949**

The village election was the climax to one of the most hotly contested races for mayor in many years. Ansel Cooley won over incumbent and Citizen's Ticket candidate, Charles Gadsby.

South Penn Oil Co. filed leases for over 4,000 acres in the Town of Edmeston. Exploratory wells have been driven near the river opposite the Town of Columbus.

Charles Bishop, 35, died of injuries suffered when he was thrown out of a restaurant in Morris.

Dairying is by far the most important enterprise in the area, both in terms of total income and number of people supported.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee VanVranken purchased the Benson farm north of Edmeston.

Redecorate your rooms with Hylite Wall Paint. Give soft, rich beauty to your walls... kills insects too... contains 5% DDT. Don Lidell, Edmeston

## EIGHTY YEARS AGO

**March 16, 1939**

March is living up to tradition with plenty of snow, wind and sleet. The snow plows are being kept busy.

Berton Hill of West street was sentenced to 90 days in the county jail for unlawfully omitting to provide for a child. He refused to work on WPA and not provided for his family.

Only 100,000 pianos were sold in the U.S. in 1938.

A splendid talk was given by Mrs. Lee Hoadley on the Jewish problem in Europe. She stated that the Palestinian settlement has failed and the Philippines have offered an island for the refugees.

Sixty cars were stuck between Columbus and Sherburne in ten inches of snow with high winds.

Friends of Alden Ripley learned that is is purchasing a seeing eye dog.

## NINETY YEARS AGO

**March 14, 1929**

The order that all registered mail be sealed becomes effective June 30.

Miss Evelyn Pashley and sister Gertrude are ill with measles

The people around here are drawing ice from Jay Sholes' pond.

The building housing the gasoline engine on the Hal Chesebrough farm caught fire, threatening the cow barn. Eugene Bice was milking when the power stopped and he found the building aflame.

As George Fitzgerald and Merton Kelty were driving into Edmeston, they turned out for a car near the hotel and skidded, going over the bank and landing bottom side up on the ice of the Wharton. Luckily the ice held and they were able to get out. The car later went through the ice as they attempted to get it out.

Several citizens went to Waterville to see the ruins of the fire.

The sick people of So. Brookfield are all recovering from the effects of the prevailing gripple, but recovery in most cases is slow.

Charles Mitchell, Henry Williams and William Davis are new members of the Silver Lake Golf Club.

High production means little unless it's accompanied by careful marketing.

Miss Doris Austin returned to school after a forced vacation while she entertained the mumps.

Albert S. Fall will go on trial in Washington again, the government apparently having dug up something he has not yet been acquitted of.

MILK: At the house you can get 1/2 pint cream 21c & 5c quart, Raw milk 10c quart. Furnish your own bottles or pail. V.A. Gifford

## HUNDRED YEARS AGO March 15, 1919

Nice weather.

Chenango county has one auto for every 12 residents. The ratio of car to population in NY is 1:20.

Another Chenango county boy has given his life in the war. Pvt. Jesse L. Burdick of So. Edmeston was killed by a shell burst on Sept. 27, 1918.

New York led the nation in the number of men sent into the U.S. service; 367,864 men left to go to war.

The Chenango Lake property of Col. Loomis was sold at auction to the Natl. Bank of Norwich for \$27,000.

C.L. Foote of Little Falls has leased the New Berlin Steam Laundry of H.A. Matteson.

Very few have tapped their sugar bush and reports are not favorable at present.

Mrs. Evelyn Nutting died at the home of Griselda Spurr.

Charles Stever of Bainbridge has a cow which he is proud of. He has milked the cow for a year and as a result received \$300.31 which is nearly 81c a day.

Ward Robinson of Hartwick Seminary spent the weekend at his home in Edmeston.

George Jennison died after ten days' illness of pneumonia.

At Elliott's Meat Market sale, over a ton of lard and salt pork were sold.

Strikes July 1 to make effective the slogan "No beer, no work," were announced at a meeting of the Central Federated Union in New York.

Fred Fling was called to Burlington Flats by the illness of his father, A.A. Fling, whose condition is improved but still remains critical.

Harry Campbell is working for Guy Evans down the river.

FOR SALE: Good work mare, old but lots of work yet. I do not need her as I am renting my farm this year. \$50 before April 1. George Sarle

## Obituary



**STEPHEN J. ALLEN**

Stephen "Steve" J. Allen, 33, of New Berlin, passed away unexpectedly while working in New Jersey.

Steve was born on February 8, 1986 in Lowville, NY the son of Gerald J. Allen and Tamara Radziewicz Zehr. Steve was pre deceased by his paternal grandmother Doris Fletcher.

He is survived by, his Father Gerald J. Allen of Norwich, his mother Tammy Zehr of Lowville, his children Kendra Allen, Jordan Allen, and Trinity Barker, his sister Jess (Kris Vunk) Allen of New Berlin, nieces and nephew Hunter Canfield, Makaylie Canfield, and Lillie Vunk. He is also survived by maternal grandparents Leonard and Fran Radziewicz, several aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Born in Lowville, NY, Steve spent his first 14 years there before moving to New Berlin. A carpenter by trade, he worked for several local construction companies before starting with Osmose Utilities Services Inc as a Field Tech and Lineman in January of this year.

Steve had many interests in life such as camping, fishing, watching moto cross races, and attending the Harley Davidson Rendezvous in Duanesburg. His first love, was his children, family, and friends.

A celebration of Steve's life will take place from 12:00 PM to 6:00 PM on Friday March 22, 2019 at the Pittsfield Fire Department. Anyone wishing to bring a dish to pass is welcome to do so. A trust fund will be established for the benefit of Steve's children. Information on the trust fund will be available at the celebration of life, or on the funeral home website, and Facebook page.

Arrangements are with Delker and Terry Funeral Home 30 South Street Edmeston, New York. To send condolences, visit [www.Delkerryfh.com](http://www.Delkerryfh.com) or Facebook Delker and Terry Funeral Home.

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# Annual award ceremony held by Chenango Sheriffs

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NORWICH — Earlier this month the Chenango County Sheriff's Office recognized over 70 members of law enforcement for their contributions throughout the county at its annual award ceremony.

The ceremony was held on March 1, at the Northeast Classic Car Museum in Norwich. The main speaker, Chenango County Sheriff Ernest Cutting, started off the event with a discussion on various topics including the work of his employees, manpower shortages, and the hypothetical legalization of marijuana along with the impacts it could have on local communities.

Cutting said he recognized that all of the office's employees work hard and make significant contributions to the office and to the public they serve. He added, "While our awards committee has selected several officers to receive formal awards for those who stood out in many situations last year, all staff are deserving of an award."

According to Cutting, the Chenango County 911 Center handled 90,342 emergency and non-emergency calls for service in 2018.

"The 911 Center is going through an aggressive modernization plan designed to prepare the center for emerging technologies and Next Generation 911, said Cutting. "The infrastructure was put in place for Text to 911, which allows a citizen who is unable to speak to a dispatcher for any number of reasons, to text their emergency."

He said while technology continues to improve, turnover rates in the corrections division of the sheriff's office remain an issue high due to the difficulty of the job.

"Manpower shortages still plague the corrections division, as it is a tough environment within which to work," said Cutting. "We hire five new officers and only one or two stay, largely due to the strain on families that the corrections occupation can cause."

He thanked county leadership for resolving employee contract issues, and he said that this is the first time in nearly 20 years that all labor contracts are up to date. He added that he hopes the now competitive wages resolve the manpower shortages the office has faced in 2018, and the office continues to do its best to keep the citizens of Chenango County safe.

"Our detectives have continued making many arrests in the illegal sale and manufacture of heroin and methamphetamine," said Cutting. "Several arrests were made in 2018 which ultimately resulted in the largest illegal narcotics seizure in Chenango County history."

He said that the narcotics seizure stemmed from a joint investigation between the Chenango County Sheriff's Office, Norwich Police Department, and New York State Police. He added that Detective David Castle headed the investigation on behalf of the sheriff's office.

"Going forward, the sheriff's office will face many emerging issues which will create many challenges for public



Chenango County Detective Sergeant Gary A. Miller, Detective Chad M. O'Hara, and Sheriff Ernest Cutting during the Chenango County Sheriff's Office Award Ceremony. (Zachary Meseck photo)

safety," said Cutting.

He stated that the legalization of marijuana will not make Chenango County safer, and will cause us to have to retire our current K-9, due to him having been imprinted with detecting marijuana, at a significant cost to county taxpayers.

According to Cutting, the Sheriff's Office School Resource Officer Program is now serving four schools including South Otselic, Sherburne, DCMO BOCES, and the Afton School Districts. He said all four of the school districts will have deputies in them five days a week in the near future, and funding for Sheriff's Camp remains secure.

"We will be able to provide another 350-400 kids a summer camp experience free of charge," said Cutting. "Your sheriff's office and its staff continue to meet the many challenges in the most cost efficient manner possible. We will answer the calls for help and protect and serve the good citizens of Chenango County."

Following Cutting's speech, over 50 members of law enforcement received an award or special recognition for their service to the Chenango County Community. The awards included 24 individuals were recognized for their length of service at the Chenango

County Sheriff's Office, 19 individuals were recognized as new employees, 15 individuals received special recognition for exemplary work, and five who received formal agency commendations.

One individual who received special recognition was Chenango County Resident Russell Wark, said Cutting. "Wark was awarded a certificate of recognition for going above and beyond in extricating a woman who was trapped inside her overturned car after hitting a deer."

He said the Sergeant Michael R. Friot Award was established to honor the memory of Sgt. Friot and is given to a member of the

Corrections Division who best exemplifies the dedication and professionalism of Sergeant Michael R. Friot.

The 2018 Sergeant Michael R. Friot Award was given to Corrections Officer Samuel Rifanburg.

Cutting added that the Joseph J. Benenati, Jr. Award was established to honor the memory of retired Sheriff Joseph J. Benenati, Jr. and is presented to a Sheriff's Office member for outstanding dedication to the field of law enforcement and corrections.

The 2018 Joseph J. Benenati, Jr. Award was presented to Deputy Chad O'Hara.

Cutting said other

awards included patrol division and corrections division top guns. He said that in the patrol division, deputy Bret Bowen and deputy Nathan Warner received 249.75 points out of a maximum 250 points in their 2018 firearms qualifications, sergeant Dustin Smietana received 249.5 points, and deputy Anthony Lawrence received 249 points.

He added that in the corrections division, officer David Burdick received 249.5 points out of 250 points, officer Korbin Neudel received 249 points, and officer Daniel Gilmore received 247 points.

## Crouch calls for American Legion funding in state budget



ALBANY — Assemblyman Clifford W. Crouch (R-Bainbridge) joined his colleagues in the Assembly Minority last week in sending a letter to the governor and legislative leaders call-

ing for \$150,000 for the American Legion Boys State program in the final state budget.

The American Legion Boys State is a week-long program held at SUNY Morrisville that takes rising high school seniors and gives them first-class citizenship and leadership training. Students are exposed to government operations in New York, physical fitness, teamwork and other activities, under the guidance of American Legion counselors and active duty Marines.

"This is a great program for students who have shown an interest in service to their communities," said Crouch. "This program has provided life skills and experience to thousands over the years and we hope to see it continue. We need to ensure that this program is properly funded, and we are seeking \$150,000 in this year's budget to be allocated to the program. Investing in our young people is investing in our future."

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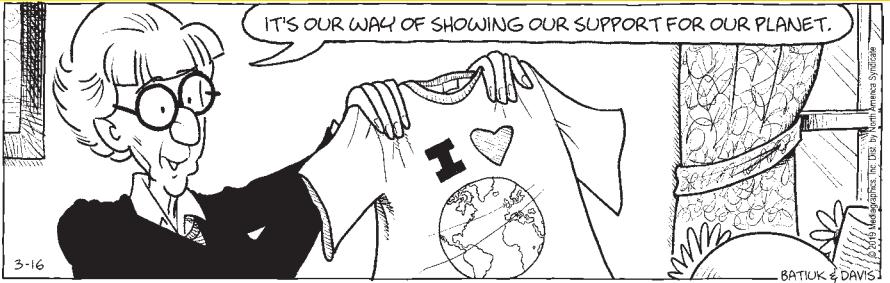
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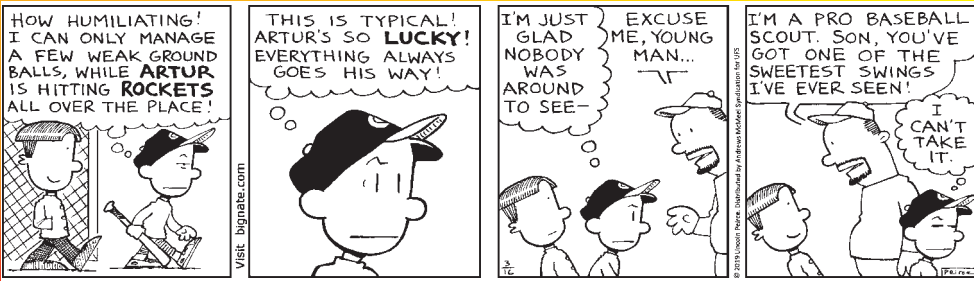
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This cartoon seems a bit shady.

The first umbrellas were used in China, Egypt and Mesopotamia more than 4,000 years ago. These early umbrellas were used only by royalty and were usually held by bearers. Today, umbrellas are used by people around the world as they have become one of the most widely used accessories on our planet.

When In Rome

The design of the umbrellas we use today has changed little from the umbrellas that were popular in ancient Greece and ancient Rome.

The use of umbrellas in Europe nearly ended after the fall of the Roman Empire. Umbrellas did not regain popularity in Europe until nearly 1,000 years later.

When does a broken umbrella keep you dry? When it isn't raining.

During the 1700s and 1800s, small, fashionable umbrellas called "parasols" were popular accessories for women in Europe.

What type of jokes do umbrellas make? Dry.

During the first few thousand years of its existence, the umbrella was used mainly for protection from the sun, rather than the rain.

For thousands of years, umbrellas were used almost exclusively by women. In the 1700s, Jonas Hanway of England endured ridicule as he tried to make umbrellas fashionable for men.

Some storm umbrellas, such as those designed by Gerwin Hoogendoorn, are able to withstand winds of nearly 100 km/h (62 mph).

Long ago, owning an umbrella was a symbol of wealth and status.

How are things in the umbrella business? It has its ups and downs.

An Open Look At The

# Umbrella

Throwing Shade

Can you help these commuters get to the umbrella?

Word Search

Can you find the hidden words? Search carefully because some words are backward or diagonal.

UMBRELLA	SILK	NAUTILUS	SHELL
PROTECT	CLOTH	FILMOOD	UDINO
PARASOL	PAPER	ERALS	SNORL
FASHION	CHINA	ROARE	APEN
CANOPY	EGYPT	EGG	SCRDS
SYMBOL	RAIN	EBRUO	ABAN
ROMAN	THIN	GOETH	PNMT
GREECE	BOB	YBESH	IPUA
SHADE	SUN	PCCSH	ALLP
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Did you hear about the umbrella that was put on trial? It was an open and shut case.

I'm a natural at stitching myself back together.

The thin covering of an umbrella is called the "canopy."

The word "umbrella" comes from the Latin word for "shade."

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NEA Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS
- 1 Triumphed
- 4 Worn-down pencils
- 8 Golfer's peg
- 11 Bone-dry
- 13 General — Bradley
- 14 Samovar
- 15 TV's Jay
- 16 Decides
- 17 Slangy physique
- 18 Untie
- 20 GI's dinner
- 21 Psyche parts
- 22 Young goat
- 24 No-goodnik
- 27 Loud
- 30 Butter substitute
- 31 Songbird
- 32 Electric swimmer
- 34 Type of parrot
- 35 Brake pad
- 36 Riot spray
- 37 Kind of cracker
- 39 Tracks
- 40 Collection
- 41 California fort

- 42 Logger's commodity
- 45 Minor cleric
- 49 TV pioneer
- 50 Do origami
- 53 Budge
- 54 "Rope-a-dope" boxer
- 55 Eurasian mountains
- 56 Send out
- 57 Sully
- 58 Curious
- 59 Mag VIPs

DOWN

- 1 House part
- 2 Sandwich cookie
- 3 El — (ocean current)
- 4 Middays
- 5 Strike caller
- 6 Right off the —
- 7 Almost-grads
- 8 Brit's subway
- 9 Winged god
- 10 Terminates
- 12 Square dance call (hyph.)

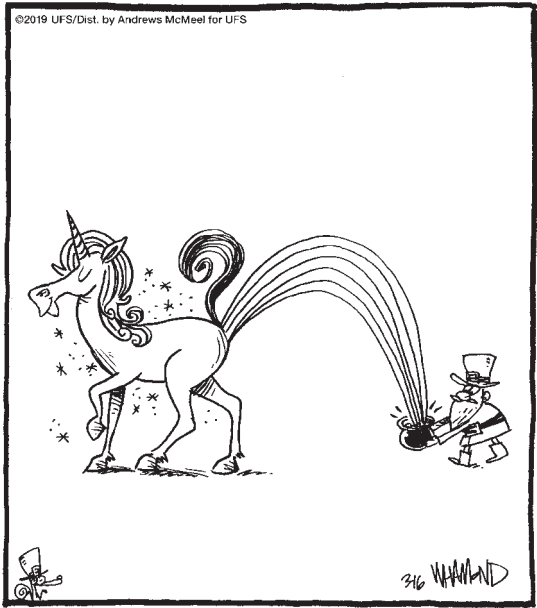


- 19 Ben & Jerry rival
- 20 Hosp. workers
- 22 Swiss artist
- 23 Oddjob's creator
- 24 — choy
- 25 Shake — —!
- 26 Treasured word
- 27 Gift card
- 28 Miami cagers
- 29 Ugh!
- 31 Huh?
- 33 Brown of big bands
- 35 Hen or mare
- 36 Senora, in Paris
- 38 Deadly snake
- 39 Game or season opener
- 41 Strangely enough
- 42 Wheels for nanny
- 43 Bruins
- 44 Fox's abode
- 46 — and get it!
- 47 Roman poet
- 48 Court dividers
- 50 Merriment
- 51 Pizarro's quest
- 52 Musical notes

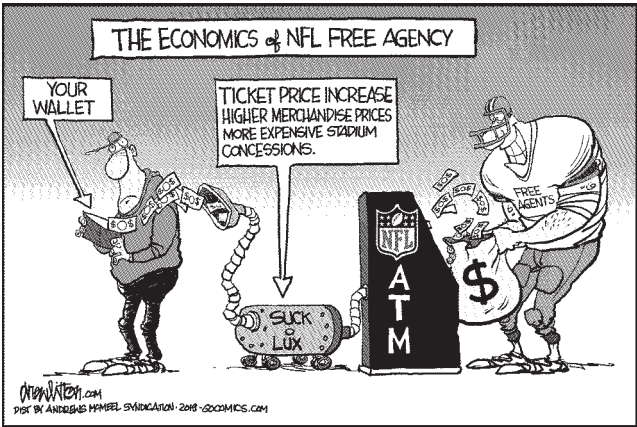
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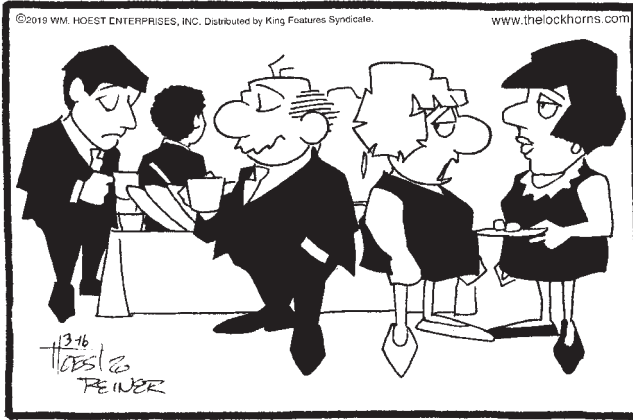
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6	2	9	7	8	4	3	1	5
4	1	5	3	6	9	8	7	2
7	8	3	5	1	2	6	9	4
8	7	2	4	5	6	9	3	1
9	5	6	1	3	8	4	2	7
1	3	4	2	9	7	5	8	6

HOW TO PLAY:

Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 through 9 without repetition.

LOCKHORNS



"IF LEROY MADE THE PUNCH, IT PACKS A WALLOP."

WORD SCRAMBLE

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to safety.

C O S L K

□ □ □ □ □

Answer: Locks

POISON WORD SEARCH

T E A O L H E B G C G A E G A R A G B V  
Z Y M H O U C A U T I O N J N H J G N G  
L R E G H U N Z Y C N E G R E M E J B P  
N U D T O G A P C R E Z I L I T R E F T  
M J I H C O T L Z H C A E L B M I H P Z  
C N C B L N S A B A T F R O O M O L A T  
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G A E L L H L D H N A O B N C Y I I M R  
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P B T S P M R N I U J J S G L R O M A S  
L E C F V H U E I I B C Y C O C N T H F

Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

WORDS

- ACCIDENT
- ALCOHOL
- ASSESSMENT
- ASSISTANCE
- BATHROOM
- BLEACH
- BURN
- CAUTION
- CHEMICAL
- CLEANSER
- DEATH
- EMERGENCY
- FERTILIZER
- GARAGE
- GASOLINE
- HARMFUL
- HEALTH
- HOME
- INGESTION
- INJURY
- MEDICINE
- PAINT
- PETS
- PHARMACEUTICAL
- PLANTS
- POISON
- PREVENTION
- SAFETY
- SPRAYS
- TOOTHPASTE
- TOUCH
- UNINTENTIONAL

# Senate budget plan needs improvement

A COLUMN OF NEWS AND COMMENT BY SENATOR JAMES L. SEWARD

Progress is continuing in Albany to finalize a state budget prior to the start of the new fiscal year on April 1. However, there is some serious work ahead.

The senate just passed a “one-house” budget resolution. While not binding, the resolution offers a look at the priorities that will be discussed in the coming days and weeks. I have grave concerns with the senate plan put forth by the new Democrat Majority and I voted NO on the resolution.

At a time when New York is losing population and our economy, particularly upstate, is in trouble, we need a fiscally sound budget that

focuses on affordability and a revitalized economy. Sadly, the plan advanced by the New York City lead majority failed to address those key priorities.

As ranking member of the Senate Finance Committee, I took an active role in the legislative budget hearings, examining the details of the governor’s budget proposal. Throughout the hearings, which spanned eleven days and countless hours, I asked the agency leaders and others who testified to explain how the budget plan would affect the lives of everyday New Yorkers. The same question is still on my mind as I examining the Senate Majority’s budget resolution.

How is this budget

wish list going to help people secure good paying jobs, pay their bills, and raise their families here in New York State? There are no tax cuts to help people afford their first home, keep up with the rising cost of living, and pay skyrocketing property taxes. There are no initiatives that will help our locally owned small businesses grow. The cost of energy will not be dropping to help our upstate manufacturers. On the heels of the Amazon debacle, there certainly is nothing to attract out of state businesses to New York

Last year, the governor and assembly proposed a combined \$20 billion in new taxes, and my Senate Republican colleagues and I rejected them

all. Again this year, the governor is pushing for \$1 billion in new taxes. However, while my senate Republican colleagues and I have clearly stated the need to block new taxes, the new Senate Majority has embraced them as part of their tax and spend budget resolution. In fact, they have added additional taxes that will only take more money from hardworking New Yorkers.

This budget plan will only accelerate the outmigration New York has been experiencing. In the end, there will be even fewer of us left behind to pay the escalating tax bills. The plan fails to fix the state’s affordability crisis, and it will not revitalize New York’s economy.

Prior to the release

of the new Senate Majority’s budget, I joined with my Republican colleagues to call for a plan that blocks tax increases and would in fact cut taxes for those who are already paying too much.

A recent study by the Tax Foundation found that New York holds the unfortunate position of number one in the nation in combined state and local income tax burden. The non-partisan think tank also concluded that New York ranks 48 out of 50 when it comes to overall business tax climate, only California and New Jersey rank below us. Changes are needed now.

In case you think this is simply partisan politics, a Republican

railing at the Democrat majority, here is what the Democrat governor’s budget director had to say about the plan, “The senate one house budget is wholly incredible. The senate’s plan would increase spending by nearly \$3.5 billion, compared to the Executive Budget while identifying no material spending cuts or new revenues.”

There is still time to formulate a sensible, fiscally responsible budget that will meet the needs of all New Yorkers. As we enter the final weeks of budget negotiations, we need to control spending and delete all new taxes from the conversation. Affordability, tax relief, and measures that will encourage job growth must be priorities.

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TEACHING OPENINGS 2019-2020: Albion Central Schools: Physical Education (additional certifications desirable) Students with Disabilities K-6 Resume, certifications, transcripts, names & phone numbers of 3 references or credential file to ACSD, Cindy Ishmael, 324 East Avenue, Albion, NY 14411 by March 29, 2019. EOE

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Edmeston Town Clerk  
Linda Eriksen  
PO Box 5133  
Edmeston, NY 13335

Deadline for all letters is April 5, 2019. All letters will be opened at the Town Board Meeting on April 9, 2019, at 7:00 PM. If you have any questions, please call me at 607-965-9823.

Thank you,  
Linda Eriksen, Town Clerk

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**

Notice of Formation of a Limited Liability Company (LLC)

Name: Sheri Pasternak, LLC

Articles of Organization filed by the Department of State of New York on: 01/10/2019

Office location: County of Chenango

Purpose: And all lawful activities

Secretary of State of New York (SSNY ) is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to:

5105 State Highway 8  
New Berlin, NY 13411  
6t ES & GZ (03/22, 03/29, 04/05, 04/12, 04/19, 04/26)

process to: C/O NANGO ARMS LLC , 9900 Spectrum Drive , Austin, 78717. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose. Latest date upon which LLC is to dissolve: No specific date (t6 ES/GZ 02/22, 03/01, 03/08, 03/15, 03/22, 03/29)

**Notice of formation of A-Eagle Property Management LLC** Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/23/2019. Office location, County of Chenango. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 36-38 Silver St., Apt. 2, Norwich, NY 13815. Purpose: any lawful act. (t6 ES/GZ 02/15, 02/22, 03/01, 03/08, 03/15, 03/22)

**Next Gen Hemp Growers LLC** Arts. of Org. filed w/ SSNY 3/13/19 Off. in CHEN Co. SSNY desig. as agt. of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, 1074 Co. Rd. 39, Bainbridge, NY 13733. Purpose: any lawful activity. (t6 ES /GZ 03/22, 03/29, 04/05, 04/12, 04/19, 04/26)

**Notice of Formation of a Limited Liability Company (LLC)** Name: MAC Security LLC Articles of Organization filed by the Department of State of New York on: 03/01/2019 Office location: County of Chenango Purpose: Any and all lawful Activities Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: United States Corporation Agents, Inc. 7014 13th Avenue, Suite 202 Brooklyn, NY 11228 (t6 ES/GZ 03/22, 03/29, 04/05, 04/12, 04/19, 04/26)

**Notice of Formation of a Limited Liability Company (LLC): Name: NANGO ARMS LLC ,** Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 09 / 17 / 2018. Office location: Chenango County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)** Name: PLUG607, LLC Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of state (SSNY) on 2/7/19, in Chenango County. The SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: 256 Algerine St. Afton, NY 13730. Purpose: Any lawful purpose (t6 ES/GZ 03/15, 03/22, 03/29, 04/05, 04/12, 04/19)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY UNDER THE NEW YORK LIMITED LIABILITY LAW** Name: Solitude Farmz, LLC Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on February 7, 2019. Office Location: Chenango County. SSNY shall mail copy of process to Taylor Zimmer, 3226 Eastview Road, Bethel Park, PA 15102. Purpose: To engage in any and all business for which LLCs may be formed under the New York LLC Law. 6t ES & GZ (3/15, 3/22, 3/29, 4/5, 4/12, 4/19)

**Notice of the formation of Isabell Property Group, LLC,** Articles of Organization, filed with SSNY on 01/23/2019. Isabell Property Group, LLC is located in Chenango County and it purpose is any lawful act or activity. SSNY is designated agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail any process to Isabell Property Group, LLC, 1701 State Hwy 7, Bainbridge, NY 13733 (t6 ES/GZ 02/15, 02/22, 03/01, 03/08, 03/15, 03/22)

**Notice of the formation of Neumann's Own Supply Depot, LLC,** Articles of Organization, filed with SSNY on 01/28/2019. Neumann's Own Supply Depot, LLC, is located in Chenango County and its purpose is any lawful act or activity. SSNY is designated agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail any process to Neumann's Own Supply Depot, LLC, PO Box 1116, Sherburn, NY 13460 (t6 ES/GZ 02/15, 02/22, 03/01, 03/08, 03/15, 03/22)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF BEERS RENTALS LLC,** a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC) Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State on March 11, 2019; The office location within New York is in Chenango County. The Secretary of State is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him/ her to c/o THE LLC, 11 S. Main Street, Norwich, New York 13815. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. (t6 ES/GZ 03/22, 03/29, 04/05, 04/12, 04/19, 04/26)

**Notice of formation of Choose Life Farm, LLC** Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/4/2019. Office location, County of Chenango. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 682 German Hollow Rd., Smyrna, NY 13464. Purpose: any lawful act. 6t ES & GZ (3/15, 3/22, 3/29, 4/5, 4/12, 4/19)

**Notice of formation of Prit-Near Anything LLC** Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/24/2019. Office location, County of Chenango. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may

be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 1104 Country Rd. 17, Bainbridge, NY 13733. Purpose: any lawful act. (t6 ES/GZ 02/15, 02/22, 03/01, 03/08, 03/15, 03/22)

be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 1104 Country Rd. 17, Bainbridge, NY 13733. Purpose: any lawful act. (t6 ES/GZ 02/15, 02/22, 03/01, 03/08, 03/15, 03/22)

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