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The first lesson in his book is:

★ **DO NOT OBEY IN ADVANCE.**

Dictators often gain power because people give it to them. People and groups often guess what a dictator will want and then follow along without being asked.
We have seen examples now in the U.S.:
- **Columbia University** bent the knee to President Trump when he threatened to take their money unless they changed their rules and the courses they taught.
- **Paul Weiss** and 8 other large law firms quickly made deals with the President. They were afraid of losing government contracts. They agreed to give almost a billion dollars in free legal work to causes that Trump liked.

Unfortunately - just like with the school bully - once you give in, they want more.

Some groups said "no." Harvard University didn't give in. Other law firms resisted. Now they benefit from taking a stand.

People often try to stay safe by going along with power. But people will do more than comply. Dictators have been surprised at how easy a take-over can be when people rush to *help*. Hitler's path to power was made easier by the many people who quickly just obeyed.
Snyder says:
★ **"A citizen who adapts in this way is teaching power what it can do."**
Psychologists find people obey quickly when under pressure - even when it's against the person's beliefs.
★ **Don't assume that you must comply. "Question Authority"**
Ask yourself, "is this the right thing to do?" or "I am afraid to resist – but can I at least do less?"

Dictators "move fast and break things" to shock and demoralize others.
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Remember that nothing is inevitable.
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The news has been saturated by the coverage of the Texas flood, and rightly so. With almost 130 casualties and over 160 people missing, it is a tragedy of epic proportions. It is hard to imagine the grief so many people are experiencing in their sudden and unexpected loss.

But, while not wanting to diminish the importance of this story, I think it important to note that there are two other stories of greater loss of life that rarely get much coverage, except by special interest groups. Can you guess what stories these might be?

If you guessed world-wide Christian persecution and martyrdom as one of those stories, you would be correct. The fact is that the number of Christians killed in the 20th century is more that all the rest of Christian history combined. Records show that in the 21st century, roughly 100,000 to 160,000 Christians were killed each year. That means somewhere between 2 1/2 to 40 million Christians have been killed for their faith in the last 25 years. In comparison with the loss of life caused by the flood in Texas, it would seem that this story would be worthy of significantly more press.

The second story I am thinking of is the story of abortion. Since the late 70's there have been over a million babies killed almost every year, with the death toll reaching over a 1.5 million for most of those years (totaling over 60 million). Certainly, regardless of one's viewpoint, this should be worthy of a story or two.

Just think of the cost to our nation, from a practical and economic point of view, as a result of the loss of consumers to buy goods and the loss of laborers to manufacture them. Then add to this the moral implications of taking the lives of the innocent. It seems to me to be nearly impossible to measure the cost of this loss of life to our nation. Isn't it time for us to raise our voices in support of "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness?"

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SUDOKU

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Level: Beginner

Here's How It Works: Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle.

Hide And Seek

1. How many gray fish with black stripes can you find?
2. How many black fish with white stripes?
3. How many white fish with any color stripes?
4. Find one fish with no stripes.
5. How many fish are in the school?

Answers: 1. nine, 2. two, 3. four, 4. last fish in second row, 5. 20

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What kind of dinosaur did the prehistoric cowboy ride?

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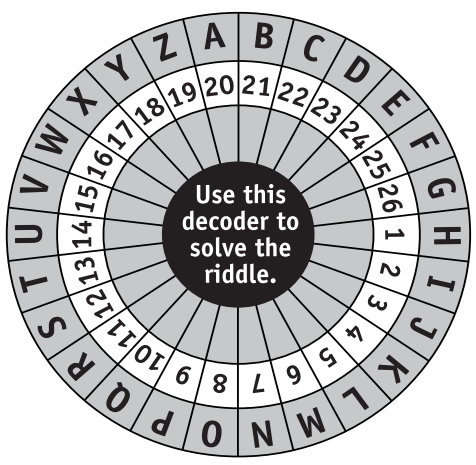

Jokes & Riddles

Q. What kind of underwear does Mohammed Ali wear?
A. Boxers, of course!

Q. Why was six afraid of seven?
A. Because seven, eight,(ate) nine.

Q. Why are skunks so poor?
A. They only have one scent.

Q. How do you fit a giraffe in a refrigerator?
A. Open the door, put the giraffe in, and close the door.

Q . How do you fit an elephant in the refrigerator?
A. Open the door, take the giraffe out, put the elephant in, and close the door.

Q. The Lion is having a meeting for all the animals. Which animal doesn't come?
A. The elephant, he's still in the refrigerator.

Q. You need to cross an inhabited river full of crocodiles. There is no bridge. How do you cross?
A. Swim. The crocodiles are at the Lion's meeting.

Sudoku answer:

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

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Richard.poff@jacksoncountywi.gov
Phone: 715-284-0202

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TOWN OF IRVING

OPEN BOOK

Notice is hereby given that the Town of Irving Open Book will be held on:
Tuesday, August 5, 2025
at the Irving Town Hall from 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm
The assessment rolls will be open for public inspection that day, and the Assessor will be present to answer any questions.

BOARD OF REVIEW

Notice is hereby given that the Town of Irving Board of Review will be held on:
Tuesday, August 12, 2025
at the Irving Town Hall from 6:00-8:00 pm

Paula Proft, Clerk WNAXLP

Town of Hixton Property Sale

The Town of Hixton will be selling the following property through an open bid:

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Closure of the dump site has been cleared by the DNR.

Open bids will be accepted beginning on July 1, 2025. All bids MUST be received by 6pm on August 11, 2025. Bids can be mailed to the following address: Town of Hixton, W12274 Peterson Road, Alma Center, WI 54611. All bids will be opened at the regular town meeting being held on August 11, 2025, at 6pm. Closing will be within 30 days of bid acceptance.

Property is being sold as is, where is. The Town of Hixton has the right to reject any or all bids. Questions about the property or its sale can be directed to: Chairman Lien at 715-299-7788.

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14.5 to 15.25 Oz.
4/$5

Food Club
Spring Water
24 Pk.-.5 Ltr.
2/$5

Food Club
Ketchup
20 Oz.
2/$3

Food Club
Waffles
12.3 Oz.
2/$4

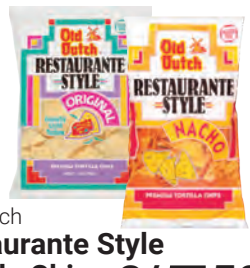
Food Club
Dressing
16 Oz.
1.99

Food Club
Yellow Mustard
20 Oz.
99¢

Food Club
Orange Juice
52 Oz.
4.29

Food Club
Sliced Cheese
6 to 8 Oz.
2/$4

Food Club
Cream Cheese
8 Oz. Brick
2/$4



Old Dutch
Restaurante Style Tortilla Chips
13 Oz.
2/5.50

Coke
Cola
6 Pk.-.5 Ltr.
3/$15

Powerade
Sports Drink
28 fl oz
99¢

Pepsi
Soda
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KIWANIS CLUB meets Monday evenings, 5:45pm. at American Legion Hall, 6 Boon Blvd, Neillsville. New members welcome.

BROCKWAY NEIGHBORHOOD Food Pantry Essential Needs located at 411 Gebhardt Rd, Black River Falls is seeking donations of non-food items. Such as shampoo, conditioner, soap, razors, Kleenex etc. For more information, call Kathy at 715-299-1992 or 715-670-8489.

NEILLSVILLE PUBLIC Library, 409 Hewett St. Hours: Monday and Wednesday 10-8; Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 10-5; Saturday 9-noon.

GOLDEN HILLS AUCTION

LOCATION: N5527 State Rd. 162 N, Bangor, WI. 54614 – Off of Hwy 16 between Bangor & West Salem go N on State Rd. 162 N app. ½ mile to sale site. From 4-Corners off Hwy. 71 go S onto State Rd. 162 for app. 12 miles to sale site.

Photos at www.goldenhillsauction.com

Friday, August 1st, 2025

TIME: 9:30 AM • **Lunch by V & M Sales**

TRACTORS – FARM RELATED ITEMS

Allis Chalmers 185 WF tractor w/6-suitcase weights – app. 5,191 hrs., Allis Chalmers 185 WF tractor w/6-suitcase weights – app. 7,670 hrs., set of dual tires off of 185 tractors – 18.4-30 w/clamps, 1970 Allis Chalmers 160 WF diesel tractor – app. 3,896 hrs., 1970 Allis Chalmers 160 WF diesel tractor w/front end loader – app. 6,422 hrs., Allis Chalmers D15 Series II WF tractor, Allis Chalmers CA WF tractor, pallet of misc. tractor parts, 4-suitcase weights, 2006 Polaris Ranger 500 4x4 side by side – app. 2,946 hrs., w/ electronic fuel injection – manual dump box & Fimco 15ga. Sprayer, 7-shank Case soil controller chisel plow w/back harrow, 3pt. Yetter HD 3-shank sub soiler/chisel plow, 2-bottom Allis Chalmers mounted plow, 3pt. Woods Dixie Cutter Md.5 5' brush hog, Woods BW1800 16' bat mower-brush hog mower, Allis Chalmers 2-row mounted cultivator, Hesston #10 stacker, stack mover, app. 12' hay conveyor w/motor, 9' 2" The Boss power V snow plow, 3pt. 8' HD Big Ox push blade, 3pt. New Idea 7' snowblower, New Holland 325 wood hauler, 2-single axle HD wood haulers/trailers, 3pt. Bale mover, grain cleaner, 3pt. Saw rig, Dole moisture tester, David Bradley corn sheller, wagon hitches, oversized hay grapple, app. 300ga. water tank, misc. scaffolding & fencing items, misc. implement tires, metal head gate, misc. HD wooden gates, misc. lumber & old barn boards.

LARGE ANVIL – FORGING TOOLS

Hay Bud anvil – app. 500lb. on base, lg. selection of hardy's, lg. Buffalo Forge Co. Forge w/variable speed blower, Champion Blower & Forge # 200 1/2 HD drilling machine, Sibley Machine & Foundry Co. Lg. HD drilling machine, lg. HD metal workbench, 20ga. **Sand blaster tank, lg. selection of forging hand tools – tongs – hammers,** lg. selection of various mini anvils/anil tools, app. 2-ton of Coke – coal for forging.

SHOP EQUIPMENT – TOOLS

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ANTIQUES - HOUSEHOLD – LAWN & GARDEN - MISC. ITEMS

Lg. Metal Gamble Store sign, Antique large "Burglar" alarm, Antique McCaskey cash register, Old Post Office booth – window style, Simplicity 7016 RT rear-tine walk behind tiller, trailer mover, mini cupola, galvanized wash tubs, axes, dbl. headed axes, one & 2-man crosscut saws, corn & potato planters, fur scales, misc. hunting knives, sad irons, bicycles, kraut cutters, wooden crates, lg. selection of lawn & garden tools – grub picks – tobacco cutters – lg. log skidding tongs, flat top trunks & a wanes coated oak dry sink in good condition.

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FSF PROGRAM Monthly Schedule at Gebhardt School. Friends' Food Shelf: Mondays 2:30-4:00pm or until food is gone. Jackson Co. Food Pantry: Tuesdays 4:30-6pm. Neighborhood Food Pantry: 2nd Tuesdays 9-10am located at 8 sites; Brockway-Gebhardt, Alma Center, Hixton, Merrillan, Millston Melrose or Taylor. Food For Kids: Packs and distributes on Thursdays and Fridays to area schools and extra sites.

IT'S HARD to talk about being abused. Sometimes it's even harder to know if what you are experiencing is abuse. But you don't have to face this alone. There are safe places where you can begin to sort it all out with complete confidentiality. Bolton Refuge House in Eau Claire and New Horizons in La Crosse, Sparta and Whitehall all offer support groups and individual sessions for women who are experiencing physical, emotional or sexual abuse in their relationships. For more info contact the program closest to you. Eau Claire- Bolton Refuge House 1-800-252-4357. New Horizons: La Crosse, Sparta & Whitehall 608-791-2600 you may call collect, JC Outreach 715-333-2350. Crisis hotline, 1-855-526-5866 or 1-855-5BOLTON.

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NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS meetings. Mon, Wed, Friday, 12:00-1:00, open meetings. 22 South First St, Black River Falls, WI 54615. Red door in alley. Contact Tena Quackenbush.

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KARNER BLUE Garden Club meets the second Thursday of each month April to Oct. For more information, time and place, call Carol at 715-670-0585.

TODD HUGGETT COLLECTOR TRACTOR REDUCTION AUCTION

AUCTION LOCATION
5360 County Highway BC Sparta, WI 54656

Bidding Opens: Monday, July 28th at 10:00 a.m.
Live Auction Starts: Thursday, August 7th at 9:00 a.m.

ANTIQUE TRACTORS
- 1954 JD 50 Barber Greene Tractor, NF, 12.4x28" Tires, No PTO, (1) Rock Shaft, 4 Bar Steering Wheel, Made Limited Quantity, Runs
- JD B Tractor, NF, PTO, Drive Bar, Runs
- 1956 JD 520 Tractor, NF, Power Steering, 2 Hyds., PTO, Runs
- 1939 JD B Tractor, w/Behlen Overdrive, NF, PTO, 12.4x38"Tires, Runs
- 1949 JD G Tractor, NF, PTO, 13x38"Tires, Runs
- 1937 JD A Tractor, NF, Flat Spoke Wheels, Runs
- 1946 JD H Tractor, NF, Hyds., Electric Start
- 1936 JD Unstyled B Tractor, Front Spokes, Runs
- 1940 JD A Tractor, NF, 4sp Electric Start, Long Hood, Free
- 1942 JD A Tractor, NF, on Steel, Flat Spokes, Free
- 1940 JD A Tractor, NF, 4sp, Side Hill Clutch, Free
- 1943 JD A Tractor, NF, 6 Sp., Free
- 1949 JD AHN Tractor, Parts Tractor, 42"Tires, Single Front, Non-Runne
- 1952 JD AR Tractor, PTO, Hyds., Rear Weights, Free
- 1947 JD A Tractor, Parts Tractor, NF
- JD B Tractor, Parts Tractor, NF
- 1948 JD A Tractor, Parts Tractor, NF
- 1944 JD A Tractor, Parts Tractor, NF
- JD G Tractor, Parts Tractor, NF
- 1951 JD A Tractor, NF
- 1939 JD B Tractor, on Steel, hi-Low, w/Behlen Overdrive, Runs
- 1939 JD B Tractor, Rear Flat Spokes (not cut), NF, Runs
- 1941 JD B, NF, Non-Runner
- 1942 JD B, NF, (bad trans)
- 1949 JD B Tractor, NF, Free
- 1944 JD B Tractor, NF, War Time, Free
- 1951 JD B Tractor, NF
- 1949 JD G Tractor, NF, Canada Export, Electric Start, Bore 125, Running
- 1950 JD A Tractor, NF, 13.6x38"Tires, Runs
- 1945 JD A Tractor, NF, Runs
- 1948 Co-op E3 Tractor, NF, Runs
- Ford Dextra Tractor, Non-Runner

TRACTOR PARTS
- JD Flat Spoke Rims for JD B
- Axle 4WD Auto Co. Tires & Rims
- JD 45 Loader
- Ford Loader off Ford Dextra
- JD A Loader
- JD Flat Spokes, Cutoffs
- Assortment of Steel Wheels
- JD Steel Wheel, Bolt in Center Hubs
- JD Rim Widers, Bolt On
- JD Rims, Flat Spokes, for JD B
- JD Rim Widers
- JD Wheel Weights
- JD Fenders, Clam Shell & Round Tops
- Set Front Wheel weights for JD A

FARM EQUIPMENT
- JD 2600 4 Bottom Plow
- Westfield 8"x30ft Auger
- Custom Made Pull-Type Sprayer w/Boom
- Metal Forge
- JD – Killdeer Slip Scraper
- JD H Mounted Corn Planter
- JD H Cultivator
- JD H Mounted Plow
- JD 520 Cultivator
- JD Yakima Plow, Mounted, 3 Bottom, Model 200, SN 2415
- JD Sickle Mower
- John Deer Manure Spreader
- JD Drop Spreader
- JD Sickle Mower #39
- Antique Hand Tools

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- Unstyled A w/Cultivator
- 4020 and 4000
- 2 Cylinder Magazines
- Green Magazines
- Stream Show Magazines
- Tractor History Books

Todd Huggett 608-797-0954, Seller

Preview Dates: Saturday, August 2nd, 9:00-Noon & Sunday, August 3rd 1:00-3:00 or by appointment.
Payment & Pickup Info: Loading is only available day of sale – all remaining items will need to make an appointment.

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2-BDRM HOUSE W14709 County Road D, Melrose. Water/sewer included, all new flooring. $750/mo. and security deposit. Call Dale, 608-525-6100.

AVAILABLE SOON in Taylor. Now taking applications for 2-bedroom, 1 bath mobile home, central air, appliances $700/mo. plus deposit; and 3-bedroom, 2-bath mobile home, central air, appliances, $800/mo. plus deposit. Knutson Rentals, 715-538-3540.

AL-ANON MEETING: Sundays, 7pm at the Methodist Church basement, BRF. Call Priscilla 715-284-2260, Kim 715-284-2276.

BLACK RIVER FALLS- One bedroom income based apartment available now. For persons 62 or older and/or disabled. Includes water, sewer and garbage pickup. For an application, please call 1-800-218-2843. This institution is an equal opportunity provider. Equal Housing Opportunity.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS meets at Calvary Lutheran, Neillsville, Monday evenings, 7pm. 1st meeting of the month open meeting. Ph: 715-305-0558.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS Women's meeting, Saturdays, 12pm at the Bright Spot, BRF. Call 608-792-1950.

FOR RENT: 2-bdrm upper apartment approximately 3 miles south of Neillsville. Includes stove, refrigerator, washer/dryer, private storage area, lawn care, garbage pickup, garage space w/entrance to apartment and deck entrance. References required. ABSOLUTELY NO PETS. Available Aug. 1, 715-743-3598.

AMERICAN LEGION Post 200 meets the first Thursday of each month from February through December at 7pm.

FRIENDS OF the Black River Falls Public Library meet the 3rd Monday of the month, 4:30, at the BRF Library.

Andrews Auction

LOCATED: W1920 Rabbit Trail, Alma, Wis. – Directions: 4 miles north of Alma, Wis or 18 miles south of Mondovi, Wis on Hwy. 37 to Co. Hwy. II, Then west 3.6 miles to Co. Hwy. I, Then left 1 block to Rabbit Trail, Then right .2 mile. Follow the signs. Some off road parking.

SATURDAY, JULY 26

SALE TIME: 9:00 AM **Lucy's Lunch Wagon & Restrooms**

Selling will be the complete Estate of Dan Blackstad. Many interesting things from Yesteryear !
House and Sheds are full ! Plan to join us for a fast paced Live Auction !
SALE ORDER: Small Antiques, Household, and tools sell first at 9 am.. Furniture at 12 NOON, followed by Truck, Lawn / Garden equipment & Large tools. Balance of small items will follow.

ANTIQUE & VINTAGE FURNITURE – Pennsylvania High Boy Chest of drawers w/ secret drawers, circa 1785; Wardrobe w/ drawers; Dresser w/ mirror; Large Wardrobe w/ mirrored doors; Full size spool bed; French Oak Daybed; ¾ size iron bed frame; Marble top wash stand w/ splash board; Welch cabinet rack, circa 1800's; 4-door Kitchen cupboard; Marble top pastry table; Corner cupboard; Singer treadle sewing machine; French Tall Clock; China cupboard w/ 2 doors and bottom drawers; Collard & Collard Rosewood Grand Piano; Weso German Wood burning parlor stove; Victrola floor model record player & records; Entry stand w/ mirror; Victorian Sofa, needs reupholstering; 3 & 5 drawer chests; Bombe 3-drawer chest w/ marble top; Framed mirror; Brown & White Wicker Chairs, Rockers, Loveseat & Table; Green Wicker oval stand; Blue wicker chairs; Wicker Sofa table w/ magazine racks on ends; Metal stand; working Spinning Wheel; Oval tip top table; Single board table; Scandinavian adjustable sliding Youth bed; Bustle Bench; 2) tall swivel stools; Wooden desk & chair; Round wooden pedestal dining table; Many antique side chairs; folding game table; Old store cupboard.

ANTIQUES & VINTAGE COLLECTIBLES – Many Sterling & Copper items; Omega 14K watch; Costume jewelry; Jewelry making tools; Wooden violin case; Lap desk; Titano Accordion; Grundig Hi-Fi Sound table top radio; Vintage Comic books; Brass sleigh bells; Crock mixing bowls incl. Green, Blue, Gray, & Spatter; Covered glass refrigerator dishes; Enamelware; Griswold Corn stick pan; Iron Mountain #8 Chicken Pan w/ lid; Chocolate molds; French Madeline pans; RW Village Green covered turkey platter; Moroccan Tagine covered pot; Pyrex Nesting bowls; Many Crystal glassware pcs.; Large white platters and dinnerware; large set of white w/ gold rim dinnerware w/ serving pcs.; Salt boxes; Metal bird S&P sets; Vintage jars of various shape & sizes; Vintage Kitchen utensils; Pearl handled flatware; Fancy Tea pots; Candle Chandelier; Books of all kinds, including Children, History, Novels, Artwork, Sociology, and others; Space ship Globe coin bank; Vintage sewing notions; Lots of Upholstery & other fabric; Weaving floor loom; Large perfume bottle collection; Whale Oil lamps; Mantle kerosene lamps; Many barn kerosene lanterns; Art work by Victor Vasarely & Chryssa; Other paintings & artwork; Large wall painting; Picture frames; Men Cowboy boots & shirts, belts, etc.; Fur coats incl. Mink, Fisher, Beaver; Victorian to 1930's Clothing; Rugs & Quilts; Dress form; Ladies' bee hat; Stamp collection; Large collection of vintage Cameras and Photography equip.; Large collection of Ladies' Shoes; Rag rugs; Wool blankets; Large collection of Vintage Christmas décor; French Fragrance lamps; African face mask; Pair of Chinese Panel doors; Watson one horse sleigh; Radio Jet kids wagon; ***This is an abbreviated list, Much more will be found as this 4-story house & sheds are emptied !***

HOUSEHOLD – Hisense upright Freezer / Refrigerator; small Woods upright freezer; Woods 14 cu. ft. chest freezer; Electric Grain mill; Chambers LP gas 54" kitchen stove; Stainless pots & cookware; Aluminum all Clad stainless pans; Cast iron cookware; Large selection of Bake ware & Cookware of all kinds; Stainless Chafing pans; Food grade sealed pails; Canning jars and canning supplies; Cooling rack; Metal corner shelving unit; Kitchen Aid mixer w/ accessories; stainless work cabinets; Stainless racks; Stainless Finnish Steam juicer; Stainless wine racks; Wooden Apple / Fruit press; Glass carboys; Wine and Beer making supplies; Wort chiller; Simac Refrigerated ice cream maker; Fein vacuums; Small size bee hive; Commercial Food storage containers; 2) Single beds; Ladies' sweaters and clothing; usual misc. household.

LAWN / GARDEN – Troy-bilt Horse rear tine tiller; DR All Terrain Walk behind mower; Roybi cordless lawn mower; Husqvarna YTH 24V54 Lawn Tractor w/ rear bagger; Yard Machine Lawn tractor; metal yard trailer; Chipper Shredder w/ gas engine; Barrel composter; iron planters; Clay pots; Plant starting equipment; Grow lights; Grow boxes; Lawn & Garden supplies; Forks, Rakes, etc.; Cement pavers; vintage metal yard table; park bench; Canopy shelter; Lawn furniture;

TRUCK – 1996 Dodge Ram 1500 Lariat SLT crew cab, 4x4, V-8 Magnum, auto trans., 156K miles.

TOOLS – Portable wooden tool box w/ trays; Dremel tools; Makita Compound Miter saw; Delta 10" Table saw w/ T-Square fence; Delta 14" floor model drill press; Cal-Hawk 6" bench grinder; Work bench w/ Babco Vise; Orbit sander; WEN knife sharpener; Bar clamps; Roller stand; New Class A Chimneys; Painting supplies; Little Giant 300# rated Mega Lite Multi-Ladder; HD jack stands; Many other tools; Vintage Tools.

TERMS: Cash, Checks, Credit Cards accepted. 5.5% sales tax on Truck.
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27th ANNUAL BLAIR AMISH SCHOOL CONSIGNMENT AUCTION

Sat., July 26 • 8:00 AM • Guns sell at 12:00 Noon

LOCATION: N32868 Schansberg Rd., Blair

DIRECTIONS: 3 mi. W. of Blair on Hwy. 53 to Carpenter Bridge Rd., right on Schansberg Rd., second house on left or 4 mi. S. of Whitehall on Hwy. 53 to Carpenter Bridge Rd.

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LUNCH & BAKE SALE BY THE AMISH LADIES • HOMEMADE ICE CREAM

NEW FURNITURE/POLY LAWN FURNITURE:
Oak Bureau, Oak China Hutch, Oak Rocking Chair, Oak 32 arm Clothes Dryer on Castors, Kitchen Table w/12 leaves, Dresser, Outdoor Lawn Furniture, Hand-Carved Walking Canes (floral & design; will custom fit).

QUILTS/COMFORTERS/TOPS:
102x110 Lone Star, 98x113 ScrapHappy (top), 97x112 Ohio Star (top), 90x96 9-Patch Comfort top, Brown Star (top), 78x104 Star of Hope Quilt, 84.5x95 Browns Comforter, 82.5x93 Multi-Color Comforter, 9-Patch & Rail Fence Crib comforters, 17x47 Table Runner, Wall-hangers, 63x54 JD wall-hanger w/pic of JD tractor & farm, 90x100 Purple Snowflake (top), Crocheted American Flag Afghan 50x104, 99x109 Boston Star (top), 99x115 Boston Commons.

STOVES:
Ashland Kitchen Stove (4-yr. old; good condition), SS Kessel Ivanhoe 3-burner Oil Stove.

HOUSEHOLD & MISCELLANEOUS:
Boots (size 7), Tingley Rubbers, Snap Boots (variety; from store), Pint Canning Jars, (6) Shepherd Hooks, (2) Boxes Candle Jars, Electric Meat Grinder, Wooden Calendar (complete), Airome Porcelain Essential Oil Diffuser (like new), **JD 1.5-hp Hit & Miss w/5-gal. Country Ice Cream Freezer on JD wagon** (***LIKE NEW***).

BUILDING SUPPLIES:
Approximately 8,000 lin. ft. new metal (various lengths & colors), 2-pack used gal. metal, 16-ft. x 14-ft. Used Garage Door

COINS/TOYS/COLLECTIBLES:
(15) Silver Dollars, Container of Wheat Pennies (500+), (2) Cabinets w/old motorcycles, Battery-operated Train Set, Metal Tonka toys, JD toys, (4) boxes toys, **CROCKS:** 6-gal. Red Wing, 3-gal. Red Wing, 2-gal. Red Wing, Birchleaf 1-gal. pickling crock w/lid, (2) vintage stoneware jugs (1-gal. & 3-gal.), (5) misc. crocks, No. 3 lid for crock, (9) cast iron frypans, 1 cream can, Antique candleholder (holds 2 candles), wooden bridge & fence w/wishing well.

SHOP/MISC./FARM:
21-gal. Upright Air Compressor (like new), Water Sump Pump (new), 4-ton Winch, 2016 LP Tank, (3) Silver Pro Reel Mowers, (2) Hempy Scoop Shovels (new), (3) Hay Elevators (15', 25' and 35'), 50-ft. PTO Corn Elevator w/drag length, Saw Arbor w/Belt Pulley and Counterweights, EZ-Entry Road Cart (torsion axle).

GLASSWARE:
Antique Salt & Pepper Sets (1 Fish Set; 1 Horse Set; 1 Half Egg Set; 2 Dog Sets), 1 Lion & 1 Dog Toothpick Holders, Glass Butterflies, 27 Sm. Plates, Clear Glass – Apple-Shaped Berry Set w/2 sizes bowls (11 sm. & 9 big), 5 Clear Apple-Shaped Plates w/Cups, 18-pc. Punch Bowl Set, 11 Sm. Jelly Bowls w/foot, 6 Cups (NIB), 1 Blue Carnival Foot Glass, 3 Half-Dozen Egg Molds, Clear Solid-Glass Paper Weights (1 Bear; 1 Kitten; 1 Swan; 1 Duck; 1 Birdie).

GUNS/AMMO:
Win. mod. 90-22 short, Rem. 870 express 12 ga., Savage 270 bolt, Win. mod. 97 12 ga., Browning 6.5 Creedmor X bolt NIB, Rem. mod. 7400 30-06 Bushnell scope w/engravings on receiver, Win. mod. 94AE lever action 30-30 LaValle F.D. engraved on stock, Win. mod. 70 270 w/scope syn. stock (like new), Rossi .357 mag all S.S.-lever action NIB, Wingmaster mod. 870 20 ga. pump (like new), Rem. pump .22 old gun-works good, Olympic Arms single shot 16 ga., Hatfield 410 ga. single shot-vent rib barrel, Golden Boy .22 (like new), Mossberg double barrel 12 ga. over-under (NIB), Tristar double barrel 20 ga. over-under (NIB), 2 High Point 40 cal. pistols (auto), Marlin .22 w/clip & scope (auto), Rem. mod. 700 7mm left-hand bolt w/scope & sling – swing open floor plate, Henry Matted .22 lever (like new), Marlin 12 ga. bolt (clip missing), Marlin 35, Rem. lever w/scope & sling, Marlin 795 .22 (auto), Win. 37 single, Hatfield 12 ga. (auto), Sears 20 ga. single, Glenfield mod. 70 .22 w/clip, Westpoint 287 N .22 (auto), Savage/Stevens bolt 12 ga., Mauser (Argentine) 7x57 sporter, Mossberg 185-D, Springfiled mod. 67 12 ga., Stoeger mod. X20 suppressor air gun w/scope, (2) Daisy BB guns, Grizzly BB gun, (4) boxes 30-30, 1 box 308 Win., (2) Ruger single, (10) revolvers (NIB) consecutive serial no., T.C. 25-06 w/scope, Weatherby 30-06 w/scope, Rem. mod. 7400 deluxe in, 30-06 w/scope, Win.mod. 94 w/saddlering, Mod. 94 30-30, several new .22 guns, Ruger 270

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Clark County Humane Society's Pet of the Week

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Tulip is the CCHS Pet of the Week!

Tulip came to CCHS with her 7 siblings from a local farm this past May. They were all named after flowers, and Tulip and her brother Crocus are the last two of the bunch still needing to find new families. Tulip is a Heeler mix and she is 18 weeks old (estimated DOB 3/10/25). Tulip is quite pretty with a short-haired coat that is white and black with blue merle. Tulip currently weighs 17.4#. She is a typical Heeler puppy, with a curious sense of exploration of what's going on around her. She has a happy personality, always excited to see our volunteers and visitors. She is also an active and energetic girl, ready for lots of adventures with her new people. With any rescue, training and socialization are incredibly important to the success of the pup. If you'd looking to add a new friend to your world, please consider Tulip (or Crocus!) and apply to adopt! You can submit your adoption application right on our website: www.cchs-petshelter.org/applying-to-adopt. We have lots of wonderful pets available for adoption now, so please check them all out online and then stop in to visit!

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— SATURDAY —
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3:00pm - Sheep Show
4:00pm - Foods & Nutrition
4:00-8:00pm - Jr. & Open & Lego Entries to MLMA, Antique Entries to Antique Building
Flag Raising Ceremony

Thursday, July 31

VETERANS FREE DAY
8:00am-10:30am - ALL ENTRIES DUE
8:30am - Swine Show
9:00am - 11:00am - Activity with MomCo in the Family Tent
10:00am - Cats & Pets Show
11:00am - Cultural Arts (Crafts)
11:00am - Plant & Soil Science
11:00am - Photography
11:00am - Clothing
11:00am - Flowers & Houseplants
11:00am - Booths, Banners & Scrapbooks
11:30 am - Foods & Nutrition
11:30am - Exploring
12:30pm - Home Furnishings
12:30pm - Cultural Arts
1:00pm - Natural Sciences, Electricity & Mechanical Projects
1:00pm - Cloverbuds
1:00pm - Foods & Nutrition
1:30pm - Jr. Photography
2:00pm - Animal & Veterinary Science
2:00pm - Woodworking
2:30pm - Knitting & Crocheting
2:30pm - Natural Sciences
3:00pm - Demonstrations & Presentations
3:00pm - Family & Child Development/Home Furnishings
3:00pm - Computers
3:30pm - Cultural Arts
3:30pm - Health & Citizenship
4:00pm - Horseless Horse
4:00pm - Horse (Classes A & B)
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Friday, Aug. 1

8:00am - Antiques Judging
9:00am - Rabbit Show
9:30pm - Beef Show
10:00am - Horse (Classes C, D, E, F, G, H, I, K, L, M & N)
10:00am - Library Story Hour
11:00am - Beer & Wine, Dairy and Meat Products
3:00pm - Goat Show
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8:00am - Dairy Show
8:00am - Horse Show (Classes O, P, Q, R & S)
9:00am - Poultry Show
11:00am - Draft Horse

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