



While there are nearly 27 miles of riverfront trails throughout the city, there are still about 14.8 miles of river with no trail. The purpose of the plan is to fill in the gaps. In places where no land is available, some trail segments will actually float on the river, including a proposed segment from Addison St. to Irving Park Rd. *Photo by Peter von Buol*

Advocacy group releases plan to complete and connect Chicago River Trail to rest of city

STORY BY PETER VON BUOL

The Active Transportation Alliance [ATA], a local-based non-profit that generates most of its revenue from government grants and advocates for biking-trails, foot-trails and water-trails, on Nov. 10 unveiled its Chicago River Trail Action Plan which, if fully implemented, would create a continuous trail along the north and south branches of the Chicago River within Chicago.

The action plan also includes connecting city paths to existing trails in the suburbs and includes an innovative design which would connect the Chicago River Trail to the 606 Trail of the Chicago Park

District.

The plan represents a drastic turnaround for the river, which until recently, was not even considered to be an asset.

For more than a century, the river was the city's forgotten waterway. It was long overshadowed by the city's lakefront. To many, the Chicago River was merely a working river for the barges and ships that served the city's factories and took away city waste.

"We envision a seamless Chicago River Trail system that will provide a low-stress corridor for people walking, running and biking. The Chicago River Trail will

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Will city's new ID database put immigrants at risk?

Mayor vows to move forward with implementation of Municipal ID Card program despite election loss worries

STORY BY PETER VON BUOL

On Monday Mayor Rahm Emanuel publicly reiterated Chicago will continue to welcome undocumented immigrants and that his administration will soon begin implementation of a municipal identity card that will provide government documentation to undocumented immigrants so they will be able to access social-services and will be also able to participate in local government programs.

"Since the presidential election, there has been a sense of uncertainty among many immigrant communities in Chicago, and across the nation. I want to assure all of your families that Chicago is, and will remain, a sanctuary city," said Mayor Emanuel in a written statement on Nov. 14. "Chicago has been a city of immigrants since it was founded. We have always welcomed people of all faiths and backgrounds, and while the administration will change, our values and our commitment to inclusion will not."

As a sanctuary city, Chicago does not enforce national immigration laws. City employees, including police officers and fire-

fighters, are not allowed to ask an individual about their immigration status.

But undocumented immigrants and their advocates now fear that being put on a city database cataloging potential illegal entry into the U.S. may now in fact put them at risk.

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More than one month after it was first announced by city officials, including Mayor Emanuel and Chicago City Clerk Susana Mendoza, few details have yet been made public about the Municipal ID Card program. One million dollars has been set aside in the 2017 city budget and implementation is set to begin next year.

Only nobody knows what that actually entails.

According to the written statement released by the Mayor's Office, plans are underway to begin issuing municipal identity cards by late 2017. This newspaper spoke off the record on background to two North Side aldermen and a representative of the Mayor's Office, all three of whom claimed that the mayor has not provided any details to them on what this program would call for.

Inside Publications spoke Tuesday to Patrick Corcoran of the City Clerk's office, the office that has been tasked with implementing the program and whom the Mayor's Office refers all inquiries about the program. He said that they are still in preliminary discussions with other agencies as to how the card will work.

While Chicago is still moving forward to implement its municipal ID cards, New York City Mayor Bill de Blasio is worried the incoming Trump Administration may begin to enforce federal immigration law. So far, more than 850,000 have signed up for the New York City Municipal ID Card and de Blasio has suggested the identity card data-base may be deleted before it is shared with federal officials.

In obtaining the New York City Municipal ID, undocumented immigrants have to admit that they are here illegally, essentially admitting to a federal felony in the process, while also providing a local address.

Nobody knows yet -- or will say publicly -- if that would be the same situation under the Chicago plan and if the City would then try to refuse a federal subpoena requesting access to the ID program's database. When asked about a potential federal subpoena Corcoran said that their office "has extensive experience safeguarding private information."

After Emanuel and Mendoza announced the Chicago Municipal ID Card program, in October, Inside Publications contacted numerous city, county and state agencies. Many of these already provide official ID cards recognized by other government entities. All of the agency spokespersons said they were not yet sure how their individual agencies would work with a Chicago municipal ID card because few details have been revealed.

Chris Cleveland, the chairman of the Chicago Republican Party, has told this newspaper he believes the municipal ID card program is unnecessary and another example of wasteful spending by Emanuel's administration.

"This kind of ID is duplicative and unnecessary. Individuals

Activists off to Springfield to push for elected school board

STORY AND PHOTO
BY PATRICK BUTLER

About 40 local residents kicked off a campaign they are taking to Springfield today backing a bill aimed at creating an elected Chicago school board.

Drumming up support for an end to mayoral appointments to the CPS governing at a recent rally at Horner Park, 2741 W. Montrose Ave., was South Side State Sen. Kwame Raoul, leading senate sponsor of HB-0557 which would create a publicly-elected board of 15 members.

"We've collected thousands of signatures (supporting an elected board) and got two advisory referendums on the ballot over the past six years," said Erica Clark of Parents 4 Teachers.

But Mayor Rahm Emanuel's office has resisted calls for an elected school board fearing that the election would be stacked by CTU-backed candidates who would use union muscle and money to get union-friendly candidates elected to a majority of the board slot in a low turnout race. The mayor claims that an elected board could jeopardize the futures of CPS students by injecting politics into the



State Sen. Kwame Raoul confers with elected school board supporters after a Nov. 2 rally at Horner Park.

equation.

Chicago is the only school district in Illinois that does not have an elected School Board. In 1995, the state legislature gave the Mayor's Office complete power over the school district. Before that, the city council or the mayor appointed members with input from other committees. So Mayor Emanuel hand-picks the seven-member board, just as Mayor Richard M. Daley before him.

Before going to Springfield, "we'll be phone banking, getting legislators to support the bill and hopefully bring the bill to the floor for a vote," said a Teachers

for Social Justice member from Albany Park.

Along with Teachers for Social Justice and Parents 4 Teachers, the campaign is being backed by the Chicago Teachers Union [CTU], Raise Your Hand, Northside Action for Justice, and GEM.

According to a handbill distributed by Parents 4 Teachers outside State Senate President John Cullerton's office last May, the elected school board proposal was supported by 87% of the voters in 327 precincts in a 2012 referendum.

The measure got 90% of the vote in last year's referendum,

P4T added.

And the Illinois House of Representatives recently approved the elected school board bill 110 to 4, supporters said, adding that all that remains is for the measure to pass the state senate.

Under this proposal, candidates for the board would have to be at least 18 years old and have lived in the area they represent for at least two years prior to running. Barred from running would be those with conflicts of interest, such as having a family member who works for the CPS or receives public funds from CPS.

If HB-0557 passes, the first board election would be held as part of the next general primary in March 2018. Board members would win by getting 50% plus one of the vote.

The elected board members would serve for four years. To get on the ballot, aspiring candidates would need 500 signatures of registered voters in the sub-district they want to represent. Candidates running for board president must have 2,500 valid signatures from Chicago residents.

Old Chicago’s justice, passion and immigrants shone in black and white



By Thomas J. O’Gorman

I put together a little film festival for myself in the garden over the weekend during the last of the good weather. Just some black and white noir classics. Rich expressions of the film noir genre.

By far, my favorite was the 1948 sensation, “Call Northside 777.” Jimmy Stewart has the lead role, but the star of the film is Chicago itself. This is the very first movie shot completely in Chicago. Inside and out. Twentieth Century Fox Studios. Henry Hathaway, the director. Harry Truman was President and Martin J. Kennelly was Chicago’s mayor.

At first glance this appears to be a film about an old crime and the jailing of an innocent man. But as the camera, and the shadowy black and white film show us, it is about much more. It is a movie about our American soul.

“Call Northside 777” looks deep into the character of the city to tell this true story of the wrongful imprisonment of an accused cop killer.

Good story, keeps your attention, and cranks out surprises amid the churning urban landscape. This is not a travelogue; rather a lifting of the tent to expose a bold and brutish Chicago. No country clubs here. This is the world that Carl Sandberg’s poetry brings to life. This is the sweaty, greasy, bloody “Hog-butcher to the world.”

Many movie close-ups reveal the inner workings of people and things, like the newspaper press, the elevator, the El, the insides of real police stations, neighborhood bars and slummy apartments.

The film jams the screen with our size, our urban vocabulary and attitudes, the vast prairie panorama, our skyscrapers, our bold swagger, deep ethnic diversity and

our majestic lakefront. “Call Northside 777” is really an x-ray of the Chicago metropolis. Jimmy Stewart might be the featured actor, but Chicago is the in-your-face movie star. All of this just two years after the Cubs last played in the World Series. This is actually a true story with few cinematic liberties. But on the whole what we see is Gospel.

In 1932 a cop named Bundy is murdered in the backroom of a Polish speakeasy. The skanky woman who owns the place, Wanda Skutnik, is no debutante. She is rough, dirty and takes no prisoners. She is part of the huge population of more refined Polish Chicagoans who have made the city their home. She’s no daily communicant.

Wanda fingers an innocent man for the murder, another Pole, Frank Wiecek. Poor Frank gets caught up in the cops’ drive to pin the crime on someone. Wanda obliges. Frank gets 99 years to life in Statesville, a “modern” Illinois prison near Joliet. The rotunda of cells, the prison hospital, the grounds, the warden’s office and the gate are all there for us to see. Close up.

Frank languished there for a decade until his mother, Tilly, a Polish immigrant who lives near Holy Trinity Church, 1118 N. Nobel St. (now at Division and the Kennedy Expy.) sets out to tell his story and free him. For all those years she goes without adequate food. Walks long distances to work. And scrubs the floors of Chicago office buildings at night to raise the money for a reward for information that will free her son.

She does not doubt his innocence. A local Chicago Times reporter (Stewart) sees her classified ad and thus begins his quest for answers into the homicide.



Chicago’s gritty under belly glows for the camera.



Chicago’s Polish Community is stunning in black and white.

Stewart crisscrosses the city to piece together what really happened, leaving no stone unturned. But he encounters intense police reluctance to assist helping a convicted cop killer. We move with him across Chicago searching for witnesses, especially Wanda Skutnik who has disappeared and re-

married. It’s fun to see the many city sites that are captured on film.

The movie displays Chicago with finesse. No American city has skyscrapers like Chicago. These are architecturally splendid, artful and modern. In 1948 Chicago had empty commercial land, as it does to-

day. The grand views of Michigan Ave. dazzle north to south. The Chicago River with its vast array of bridges becomes an urban flexing of the muscles with brawn and beauty. Overhead El trains, massive parish church edifices, long streetscapes of low-rise shops and commercial businesses all portray a hard-nosed, municipal imagery busy with people.

The neighborhoods that were the Polish heartland of Chicago shine with a unique urban grittiness. Row after row of taverns show the significance of places where hard working people can go to relax, speak their native language and drink cold beer. The sparkle of neon signs blends with the striking cadence of Polish mu-

sic filling the air. So too, does the sense of suspicion that seems to wrap the tough-as-nails characters for whom these saloons are home.

Many polish immigrants and their descendants worked in the Union Stock Yards on the city’s South Side. Back of the Yards, the heavily Polish neighborhood that grew up just west of the cattle pens, is one locale where Stewart goes looking for Wanda, armed with a photograph of her taken with Wiecek. The reporter keeps hitting brick walls until a woman who recognizes him from his newspaper sells out Wanda for some cash and cheap whiskey.

The rough, plain, hard scrap-ple lives of Chicago’s immigrant community are well displayed as Stewart searches out Wanda. She remains uncooperative when she is found and seems not likely to change her story. She is disagreeable and foul.

But then Stewart has some breakthroughs, not least of which is a way to prove that Wanda lied in court. Everything hinges on the modern technology to significantly enlarge the photo that Stewart carries with him. In it a newsboy holds copies of some newspapers from which a date, they hope, will be seen. It’s all very 11th hour suspense. But the technology works and the date establishes that Wanda did indeed lie. Frank Wiecek receives a pardon and is reunited with his mother.

Stewart reminds Frank that it’s a good thing he lives in a sovereign state that is strong enough to apologize when it is wrong. Many nations would not do so.

World War II has, of course, only ended three years before. The significance of one man’s story, the human rights focus that

champions his cause and the commitment to the struggle for justice and truth are all values for which Americans have fought and died. This film says they did not die in vain.

The display of Chicago’s elegance and modern efficiency is a huge contrast to the many European cities that are bombed out hovels as a result of the conflict. Chicago is a symbol of America’s shining light to the world.

Chicago has overcome its violent bootlegging Prohibition past of the 1930s. Now, it is the industrial heartland capitol of America. Chicagoans embrace the American ideals worth fighting for. Here immigrants find a new home and a new way of life. They are not all Wanda Skutnicks, they are also the Mrs. Wieceks. The long suffering women who never give up hope. And like Stewart’s reporter, never give in to the easy way out. This is an emphatic and defining element in understanding Chicago’s character, as well as America’s own post-war self awareness. This is a city where people are trying to put their lives together after the horror and slaughter of the Second World War, aided with a delicate sense of idealism, wedded to the

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Christmas and Hanukkah come early to LPHS and LVHS

High schools each get \$20 mil for renovations



Heart of the 'Hood

By Felicia Dechter

a whopping \$20 million present for major renovations.

Yep Santa, ... er rather Hanukkah Harry, disguised as Mayor Rahm Emanuel, recently headed over to the schools and announced that they would be getting the very nice chunk of gelt. I know at least one person kicking up their heels in sheer and utter delight... Ald. Michele Smith [43rd].

Because for as long as she has been alderman, and probably even before that, Lincoln Park High has been her baby, and she has worked tirelessly to keep it the world class school it is, and also improve upon that. Did you know that LPHS has the largest International Baccalaureate program in the U.S. and it also has the top performing arts program in the city?

That's some serious bragging rights!

"We've been working with our principal on this possibility for over two years, and I'm proud to bring this much needed investment to fruition," said Ald. Smith. "This could not have happened without the terrific academic achievements of LPHS students, and the ever-growing support of our high school by parents and community members."

The \$20 million will bring major renovations to the common areas and cafeteria, making them brighter, quieter and more modern, said Ald. Smith. The money is coming from the \$250 million tax levy for school construction, she said. The levy was part of the state budget compromise last summer, and the City Council voted on it last fall, Ald. Smith said.

Several exciting new rooms are also planned: a "maker's lab" with equipment for set building, costume construction, and videography for the drama and media arts, a new weight room, a new music room, and an up to the minute "distance learning lab" allowing students and teachers to communicate with others via computer and video around the world, Ald. Smith said.

"Think about being able to take a less-known foreign language from a native speaker in that country," Ald. Smith said. "Or watching procedures and science experiments from afar."

"We're making exterior repairs, too, to begin to bring this historic building back to its glory. We want to make sure parents and students see that the high school facility itself is as good as the kids who perform so well at this school."

Ald. Smith told me that everything she's done in the 43rd Ward is directed towards keeping families in the neighborhood. "The LPHS improvements shine a light on this terrific neighborhood asset," she said.

LPHS Principal Michael Boraz compared the windfall to the

The holidays came early to Lincoln Park and Lake View high schools, which will both receive



Mayor Rahm Emanuel visited Lincoln Park High School recently to announce that CPS would be investing \$20 million in the school. Celebrating the announcement were [l-r]: community leaders Amy Zernick and Jennifer Fardy, Mayor Emanuel, LSC member Cindy Schnoll and Ald. Michele Smith [43rd].



GingerSlam Nail Bar owner Terry Walzak gets a manicure from licensed nail technician Mona Fatemi.

Cubs' World Series win in a letter to parents, students and community members.

"In case you missed it, shortly after the Cubbies ended their 108-year World Series championship drought, LPHS ended a drought

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as well," Boraz said in the letter. "...LP is already one of the best schools in the city, state and country, and now we are going to be even better, with a building that will match the quality of our academic, arts, and extra curricular programs."

And let's not forget about my

alma mater, Lake View High School, which will also be getting \$20 million for renovations including a new turf field, cafeteria, gym spaces, and exterior repairs, according to an email sent out by Ald. Tom Tunney [44th]. Apparently, Mayor Emanuel cited the great work done by LVHS students and teachers as a major factor in the city's decision to commit these funds to renovations and improvements.

In his email, Ald. Tunney said he'll work closely with the design team and the public buildings commission to make sure renovations address existing issues as well as anticipated issues that come with growth and redevelopment. Construction will take place during the summer beginning in 2017 and is expected to be complete in summer of 2018, he said.

We send our heartiest congratulations to these two outstanding



Joel Nahimana with his favorite teacher, Ms. Bartlett.

schools and their hard-working aldermen. And a special nod to Santa and/or Hanukkah Harry for making Ald. Smith's dreams come true.

Good news!... In June, I wrote about Joel Nahimana, a young man who had just graduated from the Chicago Math & Science Academy in Rogers Park who had been hit by a car and suffered severe injuries a week or so after graduation.

I just received an update on Joel's condition and am so happy to share the good news.

"Joel Nahimana is walking around beautifully around our school," said Irene Bermudez, Community Engagement Coordinator at the school. "Today I had the pleasure of seeing him moving around doing just fine."

Joel is still in physical therapy three times a week yet he will

begin attending Malcom X College next semester. "When you consider all the difficulties he faced due to that horrible accident, his recovery is truly amazing," Bermudez said.

The nail file... It's not the type of poshly-decorated nail salon that you'd expect in the midst of Clark St. in Rogers Park, but Rogers Parker Terry Walzak and his partner, Trevor Engelhardt have done a fabulous job with GingerSlam Nail Bar, 6622 N. Clark St. Both the pretty décor and the soothing services were a welcome respite for me recently.

Although they've been open about a year-and-a-half, I hadn't known they were there so when I stopped in for a desperately needed pedi to rest my weary feet, I was pleasantly surprised. Because my toe nails were long as claws and I really needed a major de-stressing, I opted for the spa pedi, which is \$37. (A regular pedi, which I'll be getting next time around, is only \$25, very reasonable).

It was sheer heaven as Maria rubbed and massaged my feet with milk and sugar scrub, body butter, mask and lotion, then soaked them with hot oil and peach paraffin. "You're halfway to a peach cobbler," laughed the very friendly and hands-on owner, Walzak.

As long time members of the Rogers Park community, Walzak said he and Engelhardt wanted to help the area evolve by showing residents in their own back yard that affordable, premium services that have been previously difficult to find in the neighborhood can be found. I'm so glad to have discovered them!

Got pix?... Indian Boundary Park in West Rogers Park (or West

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Cloutless: Chicago, welcome to president elect Trump's world



The Home Front

By Don DeBat

The world of real estate likely will not come crashing down with President-elect Donald Trump in the White House.

It's hard to believe that Trump would do anything to hurt his own industry, and the Trump brand.

If the soon-to-be President Trump only fulfills one campaign promise—shifting overseas jobs back to the U.S. for his main constituency, blue-collar, middle-class workers—the economy and the housing market will benefit.

"We're looking at jobs. Big league jobs," Trump told reporters who followed him to the White House for a post-election meeting with President Obama last week.

Jobs not only will be good for the millions of predominantly white, male, rural, uneducated, non-tech savvy Americans who elected him in all those "Red States" across the South, Midwest and West, but they hopefully will be a spark that ignites the nation's housing market to a robust boom.

However, some of the newly built homes may be log cabins and domiciles erected in trees, while others will likely be mobile trail-



President-elect Trump shakes hands with President Obama.

Photo credit: Bloomberg

ers, tiny homes and factory-built double-wide dwellings.

Unfortunately, Chicago and the "Blue State" of Illinois—which strongly voted for Hillary Clinton—may suffer because of a loss of Washington, D.C. clout.

In Illinois, Clinton beat Trump 55.4% to 39.4%. More than 865,000 Chicagoans voted for Hillary (83.6%), but only 129,800 for Trump (12.5%). Overall, 58% of white voters nationwide backed Trump, while only 37% of them voted for Clinton.

There is no doubt that a Hillary Clinton presidency would have been much better politically and financially for the City of Chicago and the State of Illinois, experts say.

Trump, who specializes in "The Art of the Deal," and boasts a master's degree in revenge, will not soon forget about the overwhelming 80%-plus Chicago vote for Hillary Clinton, thousands

of young anti-Trump protesters marching in the Loop, and the fact that Republican Gov. Bruce Rauner avoided Trump like the plague and didn't publicly campaign for him.

So, in the future, don't be surprised if Chicago is deprived of hundreds of millions of dollars in discretionary funding for transportation and other projects that Mayor Emanuel has been successful in bringing to the Windy City.

Last week, the mayor was in Washington, D.C. in a last-ditch effort to gain a commitment from the Obama administration for \$1-billion in funding needed to modernize the CTA's Red Line. The pace of selling the CTA's proposed Red and Purple line "Super TIF" to tax-weary Chicagoans has certainly quickened. That tax money was to provide the needed matching funds for the project.

It is obvious that Mayor Rahm "Eyes-Wide-Shut" Emanuel will have little political influence in Washington, D.C. with President Trump in the White House. After all, it was on his watch that the City Council recently voted to remove Donald Trump's honorary street sign from a pole near Trump Tower. That effort sure looks short sighted and petty today.

Now, Emanuel may have to put a new, more presidential sign in its place. Political insiders say Trump Tower soon will become the Midwest White House because the president-elect likes to reside in his own private suite in his own hotel when he is in town.



Trump Tower at 401 N Wabash Ave.

Photo by DeBat Media

Financial experts are worried about market volatility and investor jitters with the unlikeliest of presidential candidates in the White House. If—more likely when—an undisciplined President Trump says something crazy, the stock market could start see-sawing like a roller coaster. But right now, in the short term, the equity markets have just raced higher.

"Wealthy people who buy upper-bracket luxury homes don't jump into the market when there is economic uncertainty," noted Sara Benson, president of Gold-Coast based Benson Stanley Realty.

Home-loan rates already were on the rise last week with the Freddie Mac Primary Mortgage Market survey reflecting pre-election market conditions. Benchmark 30-year fixed mortgage rates increased to an average of 3.57%.

"On Wednesday, the 10-year Treasury yield closed above two percent, about 25 basis points higher than its pre-election value and its highest yield since January," said Sean Beckett, chief economist, Freddie Mac.

"At this point, it is too soon to tell whether Treasuries will hold this new level or if the mortgage rate will increase as much over the coming weeks," said Beckett.

The Federal Reserve Board was expected to raise the federal funds rate at its meeting in December,

but higher interest rates will have the potential to slow down business investment and home buying.

With a new president on the way to the White House, and the likely appointment of new top personnel at the Fed, rates could hold steady or rise. It's anyone's guess.

During the campaign, Trump accused Fed chairman Janet Yellen of holding interest rates low to boost the economy until President Obama left office. However, Trump can't remove Yellen from office before her four-year term expires in Feb., 2018.

Trump also sharply criticized the Dodd-Frank Act, which greatly increased restrictions on U.S. banks, but also said he would reinstate a separation between bank lending and securities underwriting.

Meanwhile, Trump critics are joking and wondering what innovations The Donald will bring to the White House to appeal to his new constituency.

Will President Trump wear bib overalls and an International Harvester tractor cap while watching "Duck Dynasty" on cable in the Oval Office? Will he try to enhance the Trump brand by launching a new cable show titled: "The Hee-Haw Apprentice"?

Would his fashion-model wife, Melania, dare to redecorate the White House with some of those gaudy gold chandeliers from Trump's bankrupt Taj Mahal casino in Atlantic City, N.J.?

Will Trump trade his stretch limo for a shiny black pickup truck with a shotgun rack in the rear window, a tool box in the back hatch, a Confederate flag license plate, and a Ku Klux Klan bumper sticker?

Regardless, the first 100 days of the Trump presidency should be very entertaining. Let's hope Congress can rein him in a bit.

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2016 elections: a guide for the perplexed



BY DICK SIMPSON

Trump triumphed. Since he will become President of the U.S., his victory matters.

If he carries out his platform promises, he will create major changes in tax policy, immigration, foreign policy, Supreme Court appointments and, therefore, in social policies like abortion and gay rights.

There will be broad resistance to those Trump policies but by executive orders and the momentum of the first hundred days of his presidency in Congress, he will get his way in changing the country's direction in the beginning.

In Trump's victory charisma and anger won over a less charismatic candidate following a careful game plan.

In the end, this was an election in which the majority of American voted "no" against the elites and the status quo. There have been more than 4.4 million home foreclosures since the Great Recession began in 2008. There have been no real salary increases for the working and middle class. Unemployment, especially in ghetto areas and among young adults remains too high.

Americans were mad as hell and by their vote they signaled they aren't going to take it anymore.

After this election, the Republicans will have a narrower margin in the Senate of probably 52-48 with U.S. Rep. Tammy Duckworth's win in Illinois and a Democrat leading in New Hampshire.

But to block any measures President Trump proposes, like destroying Obamacare, would require some moderate Republicans to join with the Democrats.

In the House of Representatives Democrats will probably hold 195 seats to Republican's 240, too few to block Trump proposals. The result is that the Republicans will be firmly in control under Speaker Paul Ryan's but he may not be lock step with Trump on all issues.

Locally, all our Democratic state legislators were reelected, some without even Republican opponents on the ballot. Republicans picked up four seats in the state House and two in the state Senate. Michael Madigan lost his supermajority but the basic balance of power remains unchanged.

Democrats and Republicans will still have to compromise to get anything done and to pass a state budget.

There were other lessons. Every election seems to be more expensive than the last and 2016 was one the most expensive elections in American. At least \$1.3 billion was spent by Presidential candidates, \$1 billion by candidates for the House of Representatives, and \$700 million on the U.S. Senate contests. Contested congressional election candidates spent at least from \$2 million each and many spent much more. U.S. Senate races often cost \$20-\$40 million or more depending on outside PAC spending.

In states like Illinois, a half-dozen state legislative districts spent over \$2 million on each of the

opposing candidates which is a new record in Illinois. In the most expensive race for Illinois State Legislature, the candidates spent from \$106 - \$133 for each of the 20,000 votes they each received. We desperately need real public funding of campaigns or "Small D Democracy" as advocates call it.

After 2014 there were 20 women in the U.S. Senate and 84 in the House of Representatives. Having

Commentary

Hillary Clinton as a major party Presidential nominee was a breakthrough for women this year, but women still have a hard time gaining parity with men at all levels of government. These 2016 elections only slightly improved situation as women hold only 20% of all elected offices. This needs to change, just as more Latino and Asian-Americans need to be able to run strong campaigns and get elected if our government is to look more like the U.S. population.

There were several reform experiments in the 2014 and 2016 election cycles. In many states, voters can register or change their registration online. Early voting has been extended longer and brought to the some college campuses. More people voted early than ever before. Absentee voting can now happen without giving any reasons in most states. And

voters were still allowed to register in many precinct polling places even on Election Day. However, Automatic Voter Registration has not yet been widely adopted even though it would allow more people to participate and vote without barriers.

Much of this year's elections happened behind the scenes at both the national and local elections. My book *Winning Elections in the 21st Century* decodes how voter analytics, social media, and old-fashioned door-to-door campaign work proceeded out of the spotlight. It also provides a handbook for those who are dissatisfied with candidates who were elected from local school board member to the President to win with popular participation in the elections of 2018 and beyond.

So what is next?

Those who support President Trump will work to help him to have a successful first 100 days in office.

Those who oppose President Trump and his policies will work to build resistance as many did when they opposed Reagan's economic policies back in the 1980s. But the opposition must present a clear alternative and sell it to American voters if they are to win future elections.



Must see holiday decorations back at Club Lucky

North Siders eagerly anticipate the unveiling of Club Lucky's annual Christmas decoration displays. The outdoor decorations complete with blinking electronic snowflakes are just the beginning of their holiday tradition, one that will be on display starting this weekend.

Holiday decoration season starts this Saturday at 1824 W. Wabansia. Locals are invited to step inside and be wowed by the restaurant's award winning "must see" holiday decorations with hundreds of dazzling handmade snowflakes dangling from the ceiling, garland galore, thousands of Italian lights, over-sized wreaths and ornaments

that can be seen throughout the restaurant and cocktail lounge especially as you sip one of their special Holiday martinis.

Due to popular demand, the decorations this year -- the restaurant's 26th year showing them off -- will remain up until Jan. 10, 2017.

The dazzling display will surely make you want to book a private Holiday Party in the Club Room or in the main dining room for larger events. Their traditional Italian cuisine is available for family style service or Ala Cart. Bar packages are also available. Call 773-227-2300.

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FILMMAKING IN LINCOLN PARK: Celebrating 50 Years of Kartemquin Films

KARTEMQUIN FILMS 50

Kartemquin-produced films include the award-winning **HOOP DREAMS** and **THE INTERRUPTERS**. This program will feature **NOW WE LIVE ON CLIFTON**, a 1974 documentary about gentrification in Lincoln Park.

Miles Harvey, an associate professor of English at DePaul, will facilitate a conversation with Peter Kuttner, a Kartemquin producer, and Roxy Roth, who appears in the film.

*This event is easily accessible via public transportation.
Parking is available at the Sheffield Garage located at 2331 N. Sheffield for \$7.25*

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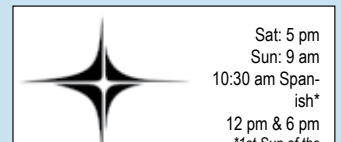




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The Musicians Club of Women has two free public events planned in the coming weeks.


At 12:15 p.m. Nov. 28, lyric soprano Elyse Kakacek will perform in Preston Bradley Hall at the Chicago Cultural Center, 78 E. Washington St.

Another lyric soprano, Anne Slovin, will perform for the second event, at 12:10 p.m. Dec. 2 in the Buchanan Family Chapel at Fourth Presbyterian Church, 126 E. Chestnut St.

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Exploring ways prayer can resolve conflict

Is there really anything we can do to make a difference in a world that seems riddled with conflict, threats and violence?

"There is a lot we can do!" international speaker John Tyler says. "I've found in my own life that, through prayer and active love, we can find real solutions."

A practitioner and teacher of Christian Science healing, Tyler will present a free interactive talk titled "Conflict Resolution: A Spiritual Approach" at 3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 20 at Second Church of Christ, Scientist, 2700 N. Pine Grove Ave.

Tyler's ideas are based on the Bible, the original source book on

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Ridge, depending on who's talking), recently celebrated its 100th birthday with an all out, stellar bash for families. And now, in honor of the park's centennial birthday, Indian Boundary's Advisory Council is turning to neighbors for pix and videos of park visitors and activities throughout the years.

The Centennial Project is looking for family, event, or animal pix, everyday-at-the-park photos, historic events, and photos of anything related to the park, which will be archived at the Chicago Park District in a digital portfolio, available to view online.

Drop prints at the Indian Boundary Park Cultural Center, 2500 W. Lunt Ave., to park supervisor Phil Martini. Pix will be scanned and returned. Digital prints can be downloaded at indianboundary100.wufoo.com/form.

Deadline is Nov. 30. Any questions contact indianboundary-parkadvisorycouncil.org.

Shop 'til you drop... at the Glenwood Sunday Market, which will be open inside from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. this Sunday at the Glenwood Bar, 6962 N. Glenwood Ave.

Hopefully, all the goodies for sale during the summer at the market will be for sale indoors for all your holiday needs.

Christian healing, along with the book "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, a book of universally applicable ideas on practical spirituality.

This talk will focus on prayer-based action. Explore how we can get involved in healing conflicts in our own lives and for the world, from century-old, divisive national conflict to a family fight.

Tyler, a former labor union organizer, has degrees from both Princeton University and the Institut d'Etudes Politiques, Paris, and taught political science at Princeton and the University of Pittsburgh before becoming a

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who do not have driver's licenses can already get an Illinois state ID. Rahm Emanuel has put us in a deep fiscal hole. He shouldn't create yet another wasteful program," Cleveland said.

The Illinois Secretary of State already issues state identification cards, including those to the elderly (65 and over), the homeless, and those with disabilities. In the near future, the state's identification cards and drivers' licenses will be compliant with the federal government's tamper-proof REAL ID program. Cards compliant with Real ID will be valid to serve as identification to board planes and also, to visit government offices.

Jim Allen, the spokesperson for the Chicago Board of Election said he was not sure if his office would accept a municipal ID card for voter registration. Too many questions remain.

"We have to evaluate it. It all depends on the details. We really have to take a wait-and-see approach to see what is required by the clerk's office to obtain a municipal ID card," Allen said.

To register to vote in Illinois, if one registers in-person; state law requires two forms of identification. At least one of these forms of identification must show a person's current residence. Currently, accepted forms of identification include a valid Illinois driver's license and state ID card.

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Supporters of the municipal ID card program say the card is necessary for undocumented immigrants to access government programs. In Illinois, these immigrants are already eligible to obtain a legal state driver's license. These licenses are designated as temporary visitor drivers' licenses.

According to David Druker, the spokesperson for the Illinois Secretary of State, the purpose of the temporary driver's license is to verify the bearer passed the state's

"Rahm Emanuel has put us in a deep fiscal hole. He shouldn't create yet another wasteful program," said Chris Cleveland.

driving test and is in compliance with state law. These cards are marked to indicate they are not to be used by the bearer as a form of identification. Drivers in compliance are also required to purchase automobile insurance.

In October, the City Clerk's Office stated municipal ID cards will allow Chicago's undocumented immigrants to open bank accounts; this does not seem to be necessary. Years ago, the city council mandated Chicago banks must recognize consular identification cards issued by numerous foreign consulates. These cards already include a bearer's local address and likely would not be at risk from an FBI or Immigrations subpoena.

According to a spokesperson at the City Clerk's Office, in addition to providing proof of residency to utilize city services, a municipal ID card may eventually serve as a library card and also as a discount card at Chicago's cultural institutions.

Latin’s Goldberg named state’s Goalkeeper of the Year

Latin School of Chicago’s Emma Goldberg, the school’s field hockey goal keeper, was recently named Illinois Field Hockey Association Goalkeeper of the Year Award. This is the first time in Latin School of Chicago history that a goalkeeper has received this award. Goldberg was also named to the Illinois High School Association All conference team and the Independent school League All Conference team, made the Illinois High School Association All State team and for the third year in a row was named the Independent School League Goalie of the year. Goldberg, a resident of Lakeview, has committed to playing Division One field hockey at Colgate Univ. starting in the Fall of 2017.



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Lincoln Park Community Research Initiative celebrates film making

Filmmaking in Lincoln Park: Celebrating 50 Years of Kartemquin Films is the theme for a program Thursday at the DePaul Univ. Student Center, 2250 N. Sheffield Room 314, that will feature Now We Live On Clifton, a documentary about gentrification in Lincoln Park.

Kartemquin Films, a collaborative center for documentary media makers founded in 1966, is known for award-winning films such as “Hoop Dreams” and “The Interrupters.” The initiative’s fall 2016 program will feature their a 1974 documentary about the beginnings of gentrification in Lincoln Park. Gentrification is a complex urban planning topic. While it revives deteriorated urban neighborhoods, it can also displace lower- income families while more affluent residents move in on the renovated properties.

“The film chronicles the gentrification of Lincoln Park in the ‘70s through the eyes of a 10 and 12-year- old, which is a fascinating perspective,” said Fran Casey, DePaul Director of Community Affairs. “Kartemquin Films speaks to a variety of community issues. They are a hidden gem in the city.”

Peter Kuttner a Kartemquin producer and Roxy Roth who appears in the film will be joined by Miles Harvey, Associate Professor at DePaul for a conversation after the showing. A reception starts at 6:30 p.m. followed by the program 7 p.m. Admission is free but RSVPs are requested to Fran Casey by calling 312-362-8100. “I think this event will be a great opportunity for members of the community to discuss what’s been gained and what’s been lost, as well as to share some of their own experiences in Lincoln Park over the past half century.”

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ordinary events of everyday life, rich in justice and the passion for the truth by a free press.

THE DISH RAN AWAY WITH THE SPOON: Among the five million* people who showed up for the tribute parade for the Chicago Cubs, a very large group filled up **Billy Lawless’s** “The Gage” and began drinking them out of house and home. The next day was the New Zealand/Ireland Rugby match at Soldier Field, by Saturday emergency procedures went into effect as the kegs were running on empty. More brew was quickly dispatched to the establishment.

[*Our sources say that there is no way five million people were posted along the parade route and in Grant Park. Somebody is exaggerating by a large margin.]

OH DANNY BOY: Danny



Billy Lawless Jr.

felt in his beloved Grand Beach, MI, Beverly, the Lincoln Park Lake Front and Fire Dept. HQ. He found the ironic and the comic in every fiber of life and he cherished that life and honored it with laughter. A waitress once asked what kind of salad he’d like. Danny said, “I’ll have the Honeymoon Salad.” It did not register with her. So he told her, “You know, lettuce alone.”

CHICAGO’S RED HAT: Everyone is getting ready for next week’s Papal Consistory when **Pope Francis** will welcome **Cardinal-Designate Blase Cupich**, Archbishop of Chicago to the College of Cardinals. The first Chicago Archbishop of Croatian descent, he is truly a star for **Papa Francesco**, but in his own quiet way he plays down all the hooplah. So many people have

recently mentioned how good he is in giving people a phone call to boost them up. The simple Nebraska ways are telling. **Joseph Tobin**, Archbishop of Newark, and **Kevin Farrell** of the Roman Curia are the other two Americans named with Cupich. Hey, get some red socks, too!

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MEETS LITTLE ITALY: Finally, **Eddy Cheung** has opened the door of Jade Court at 626 S. Racine Ave. in the heart of Little Italy. Eddy owned Phoenix Restaurant in Chinatown for many years and has relocated his superb new high-end Chinese restaurant in the vortex of the Univ. of Illinois and the Old Italian neighborhood. Daughter **Carole Cheung** is there too, making everything work. But if you were a Phoenix fan you will love Jade Court. Still awaiting liquor license but BYOB is fun. Same extraordinary food much closer to downtown. Try the pig jowl for a starter and the Peking Duck and pancakes as an entrée.

SHOWSTOPPER: The Empire Room of the Palmer House will light up for **Denise Tomasello**, **Linda Clifford**, **Dakota**

Horvath, and **Erin Boheme** starring, along with **Rich Daniels** and the City Lights Orchestra, in “The Night that Never Was,” an evening with Ella, Frank, Judy and Peggy. A lavish dinner will be served. Saturday, Nov. 26. Contact the Empire Room for reservations.

WHAT ARE THE ODDS: What Chicago sports almost-legend was noshing at Spiaggio after the Cubs World Series Tribute Parade with his new squeeze when he noticed that his wife and her friends were entering the restaurant just above them in the tiered room. Two of his teammates at another nearby table saw this go down and moved over quickly to their friend’s booth, making it a lunch for four, not two. Wife stopped by and seemed none the wiser. Yikes. He almost wet his pants.

M E R R Y CHRISTMAS: Dovetail Brewery in Ravenswood, a new craft brewery owned by **Hagen Dost** and **Bill Wesselink**, specializing in delicious, balanced beers brewed using traditional German and Belgian brewing methods, is releasing three new seasonal beers for the holidays. A Holiday Bock, Dunkelweizen and Pilsner. Dovetail is trying to earn a reputation for crafting outstanding seasonal beers, and these three beers are no exception.

W H O ’ S W H E R E : Sparkling most colorfully and all glam **Myra Reilly**, **Sherrill Bodine**, **Cheryl Coleman**, **Laurie Demma Davis**, **Sally Jo Morris**, **Dorothy Whealan** in Naples, FL, looking swell for their appearance at the posh Botanical Gardens Hat Luncheon. Fabulous frocks and Michigan Ave. millinery... **Annie and Windy Lawlor** tossed the coolest maternity show-er for their cousin **Alana Curran Shadley** at their buddy **Buddy**



Songstress Denise Tomasello opening at the Empire Room.

LOOKING AHEAD: Coach **Mike Ditka** recently told the Sun-Times **Mike Sneed** that he’s not about to tell President-elect **Trump** who to put in his cabinet. That’s too bad... but I will.
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Guys’ place on Wabash, it was urban and very Blue-sy.

BEGORRAH THEY’RE BACK: What lovely former Gold Coast couple are set to return to the ‘hood to the White Wedding cake building on the park at State



Hagen Dost and Bill Wesselink of Dovetail Brewery.

Pkwy. and North by Benjamin Marshall now that grandchildren are near? Despite their billions, there is no more modest or kinder couple in town. They brighten everything around them without the usual phony nonsense and have remarkable taste in art.

CREAM AND SUGAR: Who is the hipster wannabe from Lombard spending her days drinking it black in a Near North Side Starbucks, pretending to read books and photoshopping her own selfies shot in the city to imply that she lives here? She says she’s an actress but has only had parts in high school theater. How long will Daddy pay for this pretending?

MAKE MINE A CUBANO: What youngish trust-funder has become so taken with a Lake Shore Dr. parking lot attendant that he is considering moving to a place in the lad’s building. Apparently the handsome young attendant is originally from Cuba so he knows all the right rhumba moves, though friends fear he might dance in both directions. Meanwhile, some local trust bankers yet again are pulling out what’s left of their hair because they have seen this all before. It’s been said the young Cubano is great at parking cars and is quite the creative kisser. Bassa me mucho

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JUDGE Sharon Johnson Coleman NOTICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER'S SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on April 7, 2014, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, Special Commissioner appointed herein, will at 10:30 AM on December 20, 2016, at The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: THE SOUTH 1/2 OF THE NORTH 1/2 OF LOT 5 IN BLOCK 11 IN W. F. KAISER AND COMPANY'S ADDISON HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION OF THE SOUTH 1/2 OF THE NORTH WEST 1/4 OF SECTION 18, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 13 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS. Commonly known as 3608 N. NOTTINGHAM AVENUE, Chicago, IL 60634. Property Index No. 13-19-128-031.

The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was \$478,960.02.

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For information, contact Plaintiff's attorney: POTESTIVO & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 223 WEST JACKSON BLVD, STE 610, Chicago, IL 60606, (312) 263-0003 Please refer to file number C14-95869.

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13 CV 1244

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DIVISION - CHANCERY DIVISION THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF CWABS, INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2004-12 Plaintiff, -v.- CATERINA MAR, MARCO MAR, COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS, INC. Defendants 13 CH 21006 6042 NORTH MOBILE AVENUE Chicago, IL 60630

NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on September 20, 2016, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on December 21, 2016, at The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: LOT 22 IN BLOCK 8 IN KINSEY'S FOREST GARDENS NUMBER 2, A SUBDIVISION IN THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 5, AND THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 8, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 13, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS. Commonly known as

RIVER TRAIL from p. 1

be made up of a diverse array of elements, including riverside, floating and decked trails, on-street connections and robust way-finding. Building the trail structure on or over the water is key to expediting trail construction since riverside land is currently unavailable in places,” according to details published in the ATA report.

The plan was inspired by the ATA’s work as a participant in Mayor Rahm Emanuel’s Great Rivers Chicago initiative. In addition to the mayor, members of the group include the Metropolitan Planning Council, Friends of the Chicago River, and the Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning.

According to the ATA, while there are nearly 27 miles of riverfront trails throughout the city, there are still about 14.8 miles of Chicago Riverfront with no trail and the purpose of the plan is to fill in the gaps.

“The idea of a continuous Chicago River Trail is not a new one. As far back as Daniel Burnham’s



The Chicago River Action Plan calls for prioritizing east/west bike and pedestrian connections, including improvements on Belmont Ave., Logan Blvd./Diversey Pkwy., and Webster and Cortland avenues.

1909 Plan of Chicago, concepts for riverfront promenades and other public spaces have been a part of the public discourse. In 1999, the Chicago Dept. of Planning and Development released the Chicago River Corridor Development Plan, which provided guidance for future development along the river. One of the key goals enumerated in this plan was the development of a continuous Chicago River Trail system,” according to the ATA report.

The group’s plan includes a number of currently-active and planned riverside developments on the North Side. Among these are the redevelopment at the site of the former Finkl Steel mill, site improvements at the Lathrop Homes public housing development and a planned development at Goose Island. In places where no land is available, some trail segments will actually float on the river.

“Floating trail systems exist in several US cities, including Portland and Philadelphia. Like decked trails, floating segments provide a good alternative where no land is available for a traditional trail segment,” according to the report.

In other spots, a bike and pedestrian bridge will be built. Among these will be the Riverview Bridge, a bike and pedestrian bridge that will connect Richard Clark Park,

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3400 N. Rockwell St., on the east bank of the Chicago River to California Park, 3843 N. California Ave. on the west bank of the Chicago River. The bridge is scheduled to be completed in 2017.

The plan also calls for prioritizing east/west bike and pedestrian connections, including improvements on Belmont Ave., Logan Blvd./Diversey Pkwy., and Webster and Cortland avenues. The goal would be to improve the network of protected bike lanes and strengthen connection between the North Side and downtown, and between the river and Lakefront.

In the upcoming months, the ATA will be participating in a series of community-meetings with neighborhood organizations all along the river. At these meetings, ATA officials say they will gather input from neighborhood resi-

dents to learn how they can help improve access to the river and future development projects.

But the meetings won’t be seamless and don’t always go as biking activists hope. Meetings recently held in Ravenswood Manor broadly rejected plans to close off vehicle access to Manor Ave. north of Montrose to make it more amenable to bikers. It was a plan that local Ald. Deb Mell [33rd] and the ATA broadly endorsed.

“The Chicago River wends its way through a diverse array of neighborhoods and landscapes. From the far Northwest Side to the far Southwest Side, each segment of the river faces its own unique challenges and opportunities related to river trail development as well as safe access to and across the river,” according to the ATA report.

According to figures provided by the ATA, the group has more than 7,000 members and 1,000 volunteers. Formerly known as the Chicagoland Bicycle Federation, the group changed its name to reflect its current mission, which it says includes “working to build a movement around active transportation, encourage physical activity, increase safety and build a world-class transportation network.” For more information visit www.activetrans.org or call 312-427-3325.

Letter to the Editor

Stop peeing on my piano, and other liquidity problems

RE: Newspaper typos of Nov. 9-15

When you read closely, your “pore” over a book, not “pour.”

Another liquid problem you have, and not for the first time: you misuse the tired old idiom “tickle the ivories” when discussing a pianist at work. You have the guy “tinkling” the piano. He didn’t pee on the keys, I hope. Webster gives “urinate” as a definition of “tinkle.”

Page 13 callout re TIF money: The phrase is “rein in” as in “hold your horses,” not “reign in” as in being a ruler, like Mayor of Chicago.

Bev Chubot

Editors note. Lucky for us we print up thousands of copies of our typos and share them with all our neighbors. Thanks, Bev.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION WELLS FARGO BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE TO MERRILL LYNCH MORTGAGE INVESTORS TRUST, MORTGAGE LOAN ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-HE1 Plaintiff,

- v -
DONNA E. BINGHAM A/K/A DONNA BINGHAM A/K/A DONNA WEIR, MUSEUM TOWER RESIDENCES II CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, MUSEUM TOWER RESIDENCES CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, UNKNOWN OCCUPANTS Defendants
15 CH 10085
1335 SOUTH PRAIRIE AVENUE, UNIT 402 Chicago, IL 60605

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION DITECH FINANCIAL LLC Plaintiff,

- v -
AHMET SAMARXHIU, MIRANDA SAMARXHIU, C.A.D. CONTRACT GLAZING, INC., BROOKWOOD BUILDERS, INC., WHIRLPOOL CORPORATION, THE RESIDENCES AT THE JOFFREY TOWER CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION Defendants
12 CH 03733
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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on June 14, 2016, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on December 9, 2016, at The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 8 E. Randolph St., Unit 2205, Chicago, IL 60601 Property Index No. 17-10-305-011-1093. The real estate is improved with a residential condominium. The judgment amount was \$565,111.44. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real

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estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale.

The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g)-1. IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. You will need a photo identification issued by a government agency (driver's license, passport, etc.) in order to gain entry into our building and the foreclosure sale room in Cook County and the same identification for sales held at other county venues where The Judicial Sales Corporation conducts foreclosure sales. For information, contact Plaintiff's attorney: HEAVNER, BEYERS & MIHLAR, LLC, 111 East Main Street, DECATUR, IL 62523, (217) 422-1719 If the sale is not confirmed for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the purchase price paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. 1707620

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION LOANDEPOT.COM, LLC Plaintiff,

- v -
PAMELA GAYATIN; RON GAYATIN; JASON HOUSE; TOWNHOMES ON WABASH HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS Defendants,
15 CH 14382
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Tuesday, December 13, 2016

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at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate: P.I.N. 17-22-106-098-0000. Commonly known as 26 East 14th Place, Unit 2W, Chicago, Illinois 60605. The mortgaged real estate is improved with a townhouse residence. The purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by subdivisions (g)(1) and (g)(4) of Section 9 of the Condominium Property Act Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection For information call The Sales Department at Plaintiff's Attorney, Anselmo Lindberg Oliver LLC, 1771 West Diehl Road, Naperville, Illinois 60563-1890. (630) 453-6960. For Bidding instructions visit www.fal-illinois.com 24 hours prior to sale. F 1 5 0 8 0 1 7 7 INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122 1707394

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION WELLS FARGO BANK, NA Plaintiff,

- v -
DANIEL W. TARPEY; 1729 NORTH SHEFFIELD CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS Defendants,
10 CH 42449
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Friday, December 16, 2016 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate: P.I.N. 14-32-423-002-0000 (old); 14-32-423-003-0000 (old); 14-32-423-061-1003 (new). Commonly known as 1729 North Sheffield Avenue Unit 2A, Chicago, Illinois 60614. The mortgaged real estate is improved with a condominium residence. The purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by subdivisions (g)(1) and (g)(4) of Section 9 of the Condominium Property Act Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection For information call The Sales Department at Plaintiff's Attorney, Anselmo Lindberg Oliver LLC, 1771 West Diehl Road, Naperville, Illinois 60563-1890. (630) 453-6960. For Bidding instructions visit www.fal-illinois.com 24 hours prior to sale. W 1 0 0 9 0 1 3 8 INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122 1707425

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION LAKEVIEW LOAN SERVICING, LLC Plaintiff,

- v -

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UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF CURTISTEEN STEWARD, DECEASED, UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS AND LIENHOLDERS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF CURTISTEEN STEWARD, DECEASED, UNKNOWN CLAIMANTS AND LIENHOLDERS AGAINST THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF CURTISTEEN STEWARD, DECEASED, WILLIAM STEWARD, KENNETH STEWARD, LAVITA GREAVES-STEWARD, DUANE BLINK DBA BLINK APPLIANCES, WILLIAM BUTCHER, AS SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE OF CURTISTEEN STEWARD, DECEASED Defendants
15 CH 15868
807 S. Laflin St. Chicago, IL 60607
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on September 15, 2016, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on December 16, 2016, at The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 807 S. Laflin St., Chicago, IL 60607 Property Index No. 17-17-317-074-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was \$416,200.63. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g) (1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g)-1. IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. You will need a photo identification issued

by a government agency (driver's license, passport, etc.) in order to gain entry into our building and the foreclosure sale room in Cook County and the same identification for sales held at other county venues where The Judicial Sales Corporation conducts foreclosure sales. For information, contact Plaintiff's attorney: HEAVNER, BEYERS & MIHLAR, LLC, 111 East Main Street, DECATUR, IL 62523, (217) 422-1719 If the sale is not confirmed for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the purchase price paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. HEAVNER BEYERS & MIHLAR, LLC 111 East Main Street DECATUR, IL 62523 (217) 422-1719 Fax #: (217) 422-1754 CookPleadings@hsbatlys.com Attorney Code. 40387 Case Number: 15 CH 15868 TJSC#: 36-11301 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. 1705693

In the Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois County Department, Chancery Division, Crescent Partners, LLC and Kevin Wood, Individually, Plaintiffs,

- v -
James Nesbitt, Defendant.
09CH 24644.
The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you, James Nesbitt, defendant in the above entitled suit, that the said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of Cook County, Chancery Division, by the said plaintiff against you, praying that the Court grant Judgment Creditors' Petition for Revival of Judgment, and that the October 28, 2009 judgment against Judgment Debtor James Nesbitt in the amount of \$113,944.86 plus costs be and is hereby revived and for other relief; that summons was duly issued out of the said Court against you as provided by law, and that the said suit is now pending. Now, therefore, unless you, the said above named defendant, file your answer to the Petition in the said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County, Chancery Division, Room 802, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West Washington Street, in the City of Chicago, Illinois, on or before November 28, 2016, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Petition. DOROTHY A. BROWN, Clerk. SWANSON, MARTIN & BELL, LLP, (29558), Attorneys, 330 North Wabash Chicago, Illinois 60611 1706430

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Ho-Ho-Holiday Vintage Garage is back this weekend

North Siders may still be all obsessed with the Cubs right now because -- well they rule, ... but Christmas is coming and the goose is getting fat.

So work off some of that goose fat with a walk around the second annual Vintage Garage Holiday Market, 5051 N. Broadway, this Sunday in Uptown.

The Holiday Market garage is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and it's colorful, fast, bright and fun.

Visitors will find vintage furniture, clothing, jewelry, decor, art and more. It's all about vintage.

Sorry, there is no petting zoo, or anything else to detract from what they do, buy and sell all kinds of holiday vintage items. Some 75 vendors will swarm into an empty parking garage at Broadway and Argyle and fill it up with vintage Christmas items such as those your parents and grandparents threw away after you grew up, and now they're valuable collectibles.

If you have something Grandma didn't toss out, or something vintage and interesting, bring it in and we'll help figure out what it is and what it's worth. An appraiser will be on site.

All categories are represented: vintage clothing, art, jewelry, vintage furniture, decor, Midcentury modern, 1980's, industrial decor, music and more. Most of the items for sale are at least 25-years-old.

The Holiday Garage is literally a parking garage in Uptown neighborhood of Chicago. Each month during the summer it welcomes 75 to 100 vendors selling vintage and antique goods on the first two levels, and ramps, of the structure. It's covered, so vendors don't need tents and customers won't get rained on. There is a \$5 admission fee and they are always family friendly and children under 16 are admitted free. Dogs on a leash that can handle crowds of people, many who want to pet him/her are welcome, too.



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