After 140 years, Dodds sells family’s printing business

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG
PCC EDITOR

FORT MADISON - A local family that has been printing and selling office supplies for four generations, has turned over the reins to an outsider - in name only.

Neal and Lynn Dodd last week announced the sale of their Fort Madison business to Matt and Betsy Hayes of Denmark. Matt currently does pre-press work for the Dodds and anyone spending time with Matt and the Dodds can see the relationship is special and the move is a good fit for the 140-year-old business.

"I've been calling it 'generation five,"' said Neal Dodd.

Matt comes from a printing and graphic design background after graduating from Western Illinois University with a degree in graphic design. He worked for the Shopper Spree in Burlington for three years before transferring to the Daily Democrat in Fort Madison for about seven years. He also did an internship with the Dodds right out of college. "He was scary ahead of the other interns we had and I always remembered that," Neal said. "When we had an opportunity open up, man, I only made one call."

That call turned into quick conversations about Hayes possibly taking over the business at one point as Neal's children weren't interested in taking over the business. "I don't think he knew how hand picked he was," Neal said with a laugh. "Hayes said he remembers having those conversations. "When we first got together we did visit on the subject that this might be a possibility of taking the reigns to an outsider - in name only."

Neal Dodd and Lynn Dodd flank Matt Hayes, who last week with his wife Betsy, purchased the 140-year family printing and office supply store - Dodd Printing and Stationery from the couple. Hayes says the name will remain the same.

"Everyone interested in taking over the business," said Neal. "When we made the decision, we made sure Matt and Betsy understood. They will be the name only."

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FMCH names top April, May employees

BY PCC STAFF

FORT MADISON - Fort Madison Community Hospital recognized two outstanding employees for the months of April and May.

The hospital recognized Katie Rung as their April Employee of the Month.

Rung works as a nurse in the FMCH Inpatient and Emergency Departments. She has been with FMCH for nine years. "Rung was recognized with this nomination: 'This employee is often recognized during rounding by her peers and throughout nursing leadership. She exemplifies the Standards of Behavior and her Commitment to Co-Workers by being flexible with her schedule, coming in during her days off to assist with shift coverage as well as supervision coverage. She leads by example with patient care, following the tools put into place and ensures that she is giving the best quality of care she can provide by keeping her patients informed. She has been a great preceptor for many new employees through Med/Surg and ER and has ensured they receive a fulfilled orientation by meeting with See EMPLOYEES, page 2

Cryotech continues 25th year projects

BY PCC STAFF

FORT MADISON - Throughout 2017, Cryotech has been celebrating a quarter century in business with 'Quarters of Giving' campaign. Each quarter has been focused on a different theme - Community, Monetary, Environment, and People. April marked the beginning of Cryotech's Environmental quarter. During this time, Cryotech employees focused on the environment by participating in a variety of activities, which included: community clean-up efforts, tree planting, and the adoption of a river mile. All of these efforts culminated in a spring clean-up day at Cryotech in June.

Most notable among the environmental endeavors was the adoption of a river mile along the mighty Mississippi. In April of this year, Cryotech partnered with the environmental organization, Living Lands & Waters, and adopted river mile 378-379 on the Iowa side of the Mississippi.

"Living Lands & Waters has been cleaning up America's rivers for the past 19 years," said Dan Breidenstein of Living Lands & Waters. "We have seen a remarkable improvement in the environment by participating in a variety of activities, which included: community clean-up efforts, tree planting, and the adoption of a river mile. All of these efforts culminated in a spring clean-up day at Cryotech in June."

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Sports

New London ends
HTC baseball season

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG
PCC EDITOR

BURLINGTON - New London showed why they are 19-4 and the top seed in the district after belting two homers at Vineyard field and eliminating the Holy Trinity baseball squad Tuesday night.

Despite the lopsided score, the Crusaders were playing even ball with the Tigers through the first two innings, but the Tigers broke loose in the bottom of the third for six runs chasing senior hurler Cameron Bahl after a lead-off triple.

Britt Noel rapped a line drive to left field that went to the fence. Kaden Medland and Quentin Schneider gave chase, but Noel motored to third with no outs prompting HTC head coach Albert Schinstock to pull Bahl, who had given up three straight extra base hits going back to the bottom of the second.

Schinstock brought in Reed Fehseke from third in relief of Bahl. Fehseke got Blake Nehring to pop out to second for the first out of the inning. Cole Helmerson then singled to left field.

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RUTH A. “RUTHIE” SMITH

Ruth A. “Ruthie” Smith, 76, of Ft. Madison passed away on Monday, July 10, 2017 at 7:11 AM at the Fort Madison Community Hospital. She was born on October 10, 1938 in Wichita, KS to William and Inez Moxham Wright. On March 4, 1967 she married Robert E. Smith in Ft. Madison and he passed away on October 28, 2016. Ruthie worked at Sheaffer Pen Co and Easter Foods. She enjoyed reading, collecting dolls and spending time with her family. Survivors include two daughters, Brenda (Greg Schwenker) Smith of Ft. Madison and Debbie (Scott Ellisson) Ellison of West Point; two sons, Tony Smith of Ft. Madison and Steve (Erika) Ellison of Houston, TX; four grandchildren, Grant and Evan Ellison, Matt and MacKenzie Smith. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, four brothers and one sister.

Friends may call after 2 PM on Wednesday, July 12, 2017 at King-Lynk Funeral Home & Crematory where the family will meet with friends from 5-7 PM. A graveside service will be held on Thursday, July 13, 2017 at 10 AM at Soldier’s Circle, Oakland Cemetery with Rev. John Simpson officiating. A memorial has been established in her memory and online condolences may be left at www.kinglynk.com.

JESS L. PUMPHEY

Jess L. Pumphrey, 99, of rural Fort Madison, IA, passed away at 9:50 p.m. on Sunday, July 9, 2017 at the West Point Care Center. Arrangements are pending at King-Lynk Funeral Home & Crematory.

Hayes banking on Dodds’ staff, experience

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Fort Madison Police Report

07/07/17 - 12:00 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of vandalism in the 1500 block of 15th Street. 07/07/17 - 5:09 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of a property damage accident in the 4500 block of Avenue O. 07/07/17 - 5:29 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of larceny/theft in the 1500 block of Avenue I. 07/07/17 - 6:26 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of a hit and run in the 800 block of Avenue O. 07/08/17 - 10:50 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of a larceny/theft in the 300 block of Avenue H. 07/08/17 - 2:20 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of larceny/theft in the 2600 block of Avenue I. 07/08/17 - 4:40 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of a property damage accident at the intersection of 48th Street and Avenue O. 07/08/17 - 8:42 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of larceny/theft on Cindy Drive. 07/09/17 - 8:13 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of a larceny/theft in the 1500 block of Avenue M. 07/09/17 - 8:50 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of larceny/theft on 33rd Street. 07/09/17 - 9:41 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of larceny/theft in the 700 block of 33rd Street.

Lee County Sheriff Report

07/07/17 - 6:00 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Jason Tyler James Martin, 19, of Fort Madison, in the 400 block of Vica Lane on a charge of violation of a no contact order. She was taken to the Lee County Jail and held. 07/07/17 - 6:51 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Adonnis Levy Lee, 23, of Fort Madison in the 4700 block of Avenue O, on a charge of driving under suspension. 07/11/17 - 6:59 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of a property damage accident in the 3900 block of Bluff Road.

Lee County Jail and held.

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3300 block of Avenue L
07/08/17 - 2:20 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of property damage accident at the intersection of 48th Street and Avenue O. 07/08/17 - 2:20 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of larceny/theft in the 1500 block of Avenue I. 07/08/17 - 3:46 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of larceny/theft in the 2200 block of Avenue G. 07/11/17 - 5:12 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of a property damage accident in the 3900 block of Bluff Road.

Lee County Sheriff's deputies responded to a report of a vehicle accident at the intersection of U.S. Hwy 61 and 340th Street. According to the report, a vehicle driven by Gregory Lee Dunstan, 65, of Keokuk, pulled from 340th Street on Hwy 61 in to the path of a vehicle driven by Donna Sue Sholl, 57, of Fort Madison which was heading southbound. Sholl struck Dunstan's vehicle in the rear end causing damage to both vehicles. Dunstan was cited for failure to yield. A female passenger, Patricia A. Dunstan, 56, of Keokuk was taken to Keokuk Area Hospital with injuries.

Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Jayme Thomas Jenkins, 27 of Fort Madison, in the 300 block of Avenue F on a charge of simple misdemeanor assault.

Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Brandy Jayne Vincent, 35, of Fort Madison, in the 300 block of Avenue O on a warrant from Lee County Sheriff's office, in the 400 block of Vica Lane.

Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Kevin Gerald Fritzjunker, 55, of Fort Madison in the 3400 block of Avenue L, on a charge of OWI-1st offense. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and held. 07/08/17 - 5:43 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of a property damage accident at the intersection of 22nd Street and Avenue L. 07/08/17 - 9:34 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of a larceny/theft in the 300 block of Avenue H. 07/07/17 - 5:29 a.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of a hit and run in the 800 block of Avenue O. 07/07/17 - 12:18 p.m. - Fort Madison police responded to a report of vandalism in the 1100 block of 15th Place.

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New London hits eight doubles in 14-1 win over HTC

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to right driving in Noel, followed by back-to-back doubles by Justin Henecke and Sam Loyd. Loyd's double drove in Helmersen and Henecke. A hot shot to Collin Thornton at short was bobbled allowing Tyler Stevenson to reach first. Keontae Luckett then had an infield single that plated Loyd to give New London a 9-1 lead with just one out in the third.

Fehske was pulled in favor of Jason Thurman who gave up another RBI double to left to Mason Porter to make it 10-1. Thurman, throwing a lot of off-speed stuff and keeping the Tigers off cadence, got Isaac McSorley to fly out to center and Noel to ground to first to end the six-run inning.

The Crusaders went 1-2-3 in the top half of the fourth. Schinstock brought Bahl back to the mound in the bottom of the fourth. Schinstock said after the game, "Those were plays early in the game. "Those were plays we could have made and against a team like that you can't make those kinds of mistakes," he said.

Holy Trinity's only run came after Kyle Bredemeyer hit a deep fly ball to right center for a double. Grant Ellison came in as a courtesy runner and scored on the next at bat when Tinguely came up with his second hit of the game, a single to right plating Ellison. Fehske hit into a 6-4-3 double play to wipe out Tinguely.

Holy Trinity finished the season 4-17 on the year. "I want to thank my three seniors. They all had good careers. "Holy Trinity finishes the season 4-17 on the year.

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Low – 71.4º F | High – 79.4º F

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rested Brittany Jade Kurtz, 22, of Libertyville, Ill., in Primrose on charges of operating a vehicle while intoxicated and failure to maintain control. She was taken to Lee County Jail and re- leased on a promise to appear.

Marvin Coleman, 23, of Fort Madison was traveling east bound on Hwy 103 when he fell asleep at the wheel striking a mail box. He overcorrected and rolled the vehicle five times before coming to rest on its top. No injuries were reported. Coleman was cited for failure to maintain control. 07/09/17 - 3:57 a.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Michaela Elaine Land, 22, of Keokuk in the 2500 block of Hwy. 81 on a charges of OWI-2nd offense and interference with official acts. She was taken to Lee County Jail and released on her own recognizance. 07/10/17 - 12:25 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Rakhi Baasha Edgar Lee, 21 of Fort Madison in Green Bay Township on a charge of assault with injury. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and held. 07/10/17 - 2:21 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Douglas William Washburn, 35 of Sutter, Ill., at the Lee County Jail on a charge of false reporting to law enforcement. He was taken to the Lee County Jail and held. 07/10/17 - 3:02 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Tessa Lavetta White, 40, of Donnellson at the Lee County Sheriff's office on two warrants for fourth-degree theft. She was taken to the Lee County Jail and released on bond.

It should be noted a criminal charge is merely an accusation and the defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty in a court of law.

Fort Madison Fire & Rescue Report

07/08/17 - Fort Madison Firefighters responded to three medical calls and a one-vehicle accident without injuries. 07/08/17 - Fort Madison Firefighters responded to three medical calls and a sprinkler malfunction. 07/10/17 - Fort Madison Firefighters responded to one false alarm.

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Cryotech campaign focuses on river

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worked on 24 rivers in 21 states and with the help of over 98,000 volunteers we’ve removed 9.4 million pounds of garbage. Getting our waterways clean and keeping them clean are two different things. This is where Cryotech stepped up to participate in our Adopt-A-River Mile program.”

During the spring clean-up day, Cryotech employ- ees collected over 1,000 pounds of trash from the banks of its adopted river mile.

“We are celebrating our 25th year with the Quartiers of Giving campaign. Since environmental steward- ship is a core Cryotech value, there was no question that one of the four quarters would be dedicated to the environment,” said Craig Starwalt, President & CEO of Cryotech Deicing Technology.

“The river clean-up collaboration with Living Lands & Waters is a great example of the difference we can make in keeping our local waterways clean.”

Cryotech Deicing Technology is a division of Gen- eral Atomics International Services Corporation, a San Diego based company specializing in energy-re- lated research and product development.
these individuals and asking them how they best learn and following them to ensure they are learning the correct way. She is looked on as a mentor to her peers and they feel comfortable with the ability to go to her and ask a question or assistance when they aren’t quite 100% positive that they are correct with a certain process or procedure. She seeks out knowledge and enjoys helping others and her patients, all while consistently wearing a smile on her face! We are lucky to have this employee on our team!

In May the hospital recognized Emily Lindner as their May Employee of the Month. Lindner works as a nurse in the FMCH Surgery Department. She has been with FMCH for four years. Lindner was recognized with this nomination:

This employee is a true leader in our department. They are the first to take it upon themselves to help others. Recognized frequently by her peers and providers for her work ethic and patient interactions. Patients and families recognized her for her thoroughness with her education. Always uses words and phrases they can understand. Families recognize her humor and calm demeanor in working with them. Always places them at ease which is critical to their recovery. She is able to critically think which comes in handy when she is acting as a preceptor for new staff. New staff recognize her as well for being a great mentor, able to teach basics along with the why behind the task. Detail oriented. Patient safety is always on the top of her agenda. Looks for increased efficiencies within the department. She is able to work independently and run the schedule. She picks up and trades call for staff to help them attend family activities. She is active in the community helping with parades, organized runs, first aid and her children's school activities. She is a nurse preceptor, and a Clinical Ladder recipient. She is never fully dressed without her smile. Her attitude is contagious always upbeat and able to help maintain the morale of our department. A true asset to our department! We are fortunate to have this employee here as part of our FMCH family and our Team!

Lindner expressed this about who has made the most difference in her career at FMCH, “I would like to recognize Lynn Lillie as a mentor. She has been a great Director and without her believing I could be a Surgical Nurse I would have never found my true passion in nursing. Teresa Clark has also been a wonderful mentor to me and I know I can always go to her for advice. My favorite part about working at FMCH is the atmosphere. We are a “family” and I enjoy coming to work every day.”

Lindner enjoys spending time with her husband Brett and two young children on their farm when not at work.

U.S. Rep. Loebsack staffer to hold local office hours

FORT MADISON - Congressman Dave Loebsack will have a member of his staff in southeast Iowa for open office hours. Jared Hershberger, Loebsack's District Representative, will meet with Fort Madison residents on Thursday from 10 a.m. to noon at Fort Madison City Hall.

He will also be available for Keokuk residents at 415 Blondeau from 1 to 2 p.m. Hershberger will be on hand to work with individuals who are having difficulty with a government agency, have suggestions for Dave, or would just like to share their concerns. Members of the public are invited to attend. Hershberger holds regular office hours throughout Southeast Iowa.

If residents are unable to attend but have a concern to share with the Congressman, please call our district office toll-free at 1-866-914-IOWA (4692).