



Columbus Day Celebration Begins October 6th



Members of the Hutch Tech Italian Club get ready to march down Hertel Avenue during the Sorrento Cheese Italian Heritage Festival Columbus Day Parade last year.

The Federation of Italian-American Societies of Western New York is proud to announce a week-end of festivities celebrat-

ing Columbus Day, a holiday to celebrate an Italian explorer of unusual daring and ambition who opened up the Americas to the rest

of the world.

"The voyages of Christopher Columbus were unique and important because they marked the

beginning of centuries of trans-Atlantic exploration and colonization," said Federation President Peter LoJacono. "As the umbrella organization for Italian-American organizations throughout Western New York, the Federation takes pride in this heritage, the millions of immigrants who have come to America since and the enormous contributions they have made to the American way of life."

Saturday, October 6 at 1 p.m. - The Sorrento Cheese Italian Heritage Festival of Buffalo sponsors the 7th Annual Columbus Parade. It begins on Hertel Avenue at Virgil Avenue, then proceeds eastward through the heart of Buffalo's Little Italy, ending at Starin Avenue. This year's

Parade Grand Marshal is Stephen Lanza, President of the Italian-American Police Association and Vice President of the Lake Erie Italian Club. Several marching units, including representatives from the organizations of the Federation of Italian-American Societies of WNY, will participate.

Sunday, October 7 at 11 a.m. - St. Anthony of Padua Roman Catholic Church (160 Court Street, Buffalo) conducts a special Italian Mass in honor of Columbus Day.

Sunday, October 7 at 12:15 p.m. - The Federation of Italian-American Societies of WNY sponsors its annual wreath-laying ceremony at the base of the Christopher Columbus (*con't on page 9*)

HNBBA To Hold Monthly Meeting



The Hertel North Buffalo Business Association will hold their next monthly meeting on Tuesday, October 9th, in their office at 1510 Hertel Avenue starting promptly at 6:00pm. All are invited and welcome to attend.

Club Kids Come Together To Compete In A Friendly Art Contest

The kids at the 6 Northtowns Boys and Girls Clubs came together to compete in a friendly art contest for Concert for Kids that benefits the Read to Succeed program. Kids who participated in this contest drew anything that inspired them, music or fall related.

The winner of the friendly art contest gets their picture screened on aprons that will be given to the guests attending the VIP party for Concert for Kids on October 10 at the Tralf Music Hall.

Out of all the entries received, Brandon from the Town Boys and Girls



Brandon (left) won a bike for his first place picture, and Brian (right) was the runner up.

Club won a bike for his fall themed picture of pumpkins (see picture below). The runner up was Brian

who is a member of the Black Rock Boys and Girls Club who drew a picture of friends playing together.

The 2nd Annual Concert for Kids is on October 10 at the Tralf Music Hall. The soulful band Tower of Power will be performing two shows. Proceeds from this concert go to the Read to Succeed Program which helps children strengthen their reading and writing skills. Tickets can be purchased by calling 716-852-2860.

For over 70 years The Northtowns Boys and Girls Clubs has been providing a safe, positive environment for youth development. Our clubs are a second home where kids develop meaningful relationships with peers and adults. Club youth acquire physical, social, technological, artistic and life skills. Staff members establish (*con't on page 8*)

Local Weather

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4



Partly Cloudy
High 68°
Low 58°

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5



Scattered Showers
High 64°
Low 46°

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6



Few Showers
High 52°
Low 41°

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7



Few Showers
High 50°
Low 38°

MONDAY, OCTOBER 8



Partly Cloudy
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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9



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The Adventures of...

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by Doug Smith



'1776'

Students from many levels of learning looked history in the face last Thursday morning at the Ellicott Creek Playhouse and some two dozen actors, when not arguing with each other, looked back.

"Was it really that way?" one asked after a rousing presentation of the "1776" by Niagara Regional Theater Guild.

"Well, they didn't sing," admitted Director Dawn Marcolini Newton, but even the most fastidious historians concede that this remarkable musical is more accurate than the average musket. The Adams family letters, the minutes of the confrontational construction of the Declaration of Independence, they're all a matter of record.

And for the final word, there's the Declaration of Independence itself.

Somehow mustering two

dozen men who can speak for themselves, not to mention such ladies as Judy Rodriguez, exquisite as Abigail Adams, Niagara Regional Theatre fancifully re-creates the pain and the strain by which our national was birthed 236 years ago. And when the air resounds with complaints of a do-nothing Congress, and an inept New York delegation ("New York abstains – courteously"), it conveys the notion that, less than a month away from another election, things haven't changed all that much.

Like voters in Dickens' unfinished "Edwin Drood," the teen-age throng rallied 'round the skills of Fran Newton as "Obnoxious John" Adams, for whom the opening number, "Sit Down, John," sets the tone. They wondered if Jon May, as Carolinian Rutledge, "was always that

happy," and roared as Tom Turici and henchmen worked up the formula for converting molasses into rum. Then there was Paul Bene, a Guild honoree, conveying a randy old Benjamin Franklin, father of invention, and Randy Rumley as Delaware's Cesar Rodney, coming back from death's door to literally save the day.

How on earth, we can still wonder, could these good men and true set their seal of approval on the institution of slavery. The answer is here, in all its dissatisfaction, to stand another 86 years.

Les Bailey was particularly convincing as Pennsylvanian John Dickinson, firmest opponent of rebellion. One wonders whether had it been Bailey, and not John Dickinson, making the case for the crown, we might all today be talking out of the other sides of our mouths. But "1776" will continue to make its mark, for more adult audiences, through Oct. 14 at the Guild's Ellicott Creek Playhouse, 350 Ellicott Creek Rd., Tonawanda, with level parking and easy access. (EIGHT ROCKETS, out of 10.)

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Northwest Buffalo Beat

by Joe Bortz

"Bob and Johns, 40 years old"

Had the pleasure of being invited to the celebration honoring the 40th anniversary of the opening of Bob and John's restaurant on Hertel. Tom and Kim Hazelet hosted the party with over 100 people in attendance. Glad I was invited, as I so enjoyed seeing the people who have been associated with the organization over the years.

I met the two brothers, Bob and John Hazelet, even before they bought the La-Hacienda way back in the early 70's. I had just started the Buffalo Rocket and used to cover Shoshone Little League Football on Saturdays. In those days I was the chief cook and bottle washer at the Rocket. I did it all, took the pictures, wrote the stories, and actually laid out the paper for printing. So being as I was at Shoshone Park every Saturday, I got to meet a lot of the parents. The Hazelet sons played football in this league. At that time the brothers owned a wig company on Hertel. So when they bought the pizzeria I was there to sell them an ad in the Rocket. They took the ad and have been in the Rocket every week for the last forty years. I like to think that it contributed to the success of the business. They agreed to give away three free pizzas a week in the Rocket and have done so ever since. I would believe that they must have given out more than a thousand pizzas over the years. Hope some of our readers have won, as the names are picked at random out of the phone book.

I recall those first days when they first opened. Bob and John made the pizza and the two wives waited on tables. Back then chicken wings were not a big thing, and still relatively new to the area, and unheard of in the rest of the country. Needless to say, being one of the first to serve them helped the business to grow. The Hazelet children all were recruited and had specific tasks to perform. Like

breaking the chicken wings into two parts, the flats and the drumstick. Remember Bob telling me the secret to a pizza success is to not try to cut expenses by using cheaper cheeses. He said that was the demise of some of the other pizzerias. Less expensive ingredients lead to a not as good product. He

vowed to never do that.

So the party, and it was a great one, was filled with familiar faces that I got to know over the last forty years. Needless to say, back in the beginning I hung around the establishment and had lunch there often, almost every day. Got to be friends with both Bob and John. The people at the party were a little older, and a little heavier, but so am I. It was nice having people I have not seen in many, many years, come over to say hello. Some I would recognize right away and other, sorry to say, had to explain who they were. All the siblings were there and them I knew well as I went to a lot of their weddings.



Bob & John's in the seventies.



Bob and John with former mayor Jimmy Griffin.



Bob Hazelet, John Hazelet, Tom Hazelet, Rick Goetz and Bob Bradley.

I could fill these pages with stories about all that happened in those walls over the last forty years. Charity basketball games, as they were good ball players, Bob and I used to run the 5k races in the area, learned how to play golf together at Delaware Park. The many waitresses who worked there and have come and gone. Watching the Hazelet kids grow up into adulthood, get married, and now have their own children. The big move of purchasing the Wel-

lington Pub next door. Even recall their attempt to have a hot dog restaurant on Delaware and Hertel similar to Ted's. They decided to stick to pizza.

So congratulation, to who I believe is now the longest running restaurant on Hertel. Good luck to Tom and Kim who now run the organization. Thanks for forty years of good memories and being an asset to the community. Hope I am still here for the fiftieth. That should be a hum dinger!



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The Grapevine

The Hertel North Buffalo Business Association will host a "Town Hall" style meeting open to the public on Tuesday, November 13th, 2012 at 6:00 pm at the North Buffalo Community Center, 203 Sanders Road. Business owners, Block Clubs and residents are all invited to attend this meeting.

Representatives from the Buffalo Police Department, City of Buffalo Building Inspection Department, as well as Councilmember Michael LoCurto, will be on hand to discuss issues regarding safety and security in the area. This is a chance for the community to express their concerns,

get information, and get answers from City of Buffalo officials. Refreshments will be available.

For more information contact the Hertel North Buffalo Business Association at 877-1776.

Twilight Walking Tour at Forest Lawn: Offered at 5:30 p.m. (new time!) on Friday, October 5, this unique 1.5-hour walking tour presents Forest Lawn in a whole new light! Guests will learn about cemetery symbolism and will visit Frank Lloyd Wright's Blue Sky Mausoleum and other points of interest. Tickets are \$15 per person. No reserva-

tions needed; simply meet at the tour tent inside the Delaware Avenue gates no later than 5:15 p.m. Sensible walking shoes and flashlights recommended.

Other tours on the schedule include:

African American History tour for 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 13th

October 20th: Pan American Trolley Tour

October 24th: All Wright All Day Trolley Tour

October 27th: City of Light Trolley Tour

November 3rd: Presidential Trolley Tour

November 8th: All Wright All Day Trolley Tour

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Information on all these tours can be found on Forest Lawn's website: www.forest-lawn.com/page/calendar/dates/2012-11/.

Buffalo Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off - will take place on Saturday, October 6th from 9:00am to 2:00pm at Honeywell Specialty Materials, 20 Peabody St., Buffalo. (Off Elk St, near Smith Exit off I-190)

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Guitar music concert at St. John's Grace Episcopal Church. - St. John's Grace Episcopal Church in Buffalo will host internationally known guitarist Peter Griggs in a concert, "500 years of Music for Guitar," on Saturday, October 27th at 7:30 p.m. Mr. Griggs explores the music of the classical guitar from the Renaissance to the Contemporary, including works by Gaspar Sanz, Johann Sebastian Bach, Bartolome Calatayud, Django Rheinhardt and Thelonious Monk, as well as Flamenco, Brazilian music, and several of Griggs' own compositions. There is something for listeners of all tastes on this wide-

ranging program.

St. John's Grace Episcopal Church is located at 51 Colonial Circle (Bidwell Parkway & Lafayette Avenue) in Buffalo NY 14222. Admission is by free-will donation.

Celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month in WNY-River Fest Park - Ohio St Corridor. Saturday Oct 6th at 6:00 p.m. AECitlali de Mexico Direct from State of Delaware for First time in Buffalo, NY. For more information: <http://citlalli.org/>. All events are free.

The Erie County Department of Senior Services solicits public feedback on services and programs for older adults offered in Erie County at their annual Public Hearing at the Hamburg Senior Center, 4150 Sowles Rd., immediately following the noon lunch/starting at 1 pm on Wednesday, October 24.

On Wednesday, Oct. 24 the public - seniors, family members, caregivers, care professionals - are urged to come and share their thoughts and opinions about:

•Issues and concerns affecting older adults in Erie County.

•County programs for seniors such as in-home services, transportation, energy assistance, Stay Fit Dining, etc.

Please call the Erie County Department of Senior Services at 858-7532 to register to speak, and if you need transportation to the hearing, or want more information. Mail written comments to Erie County Department of Senior Services, 95 Franklin St., Rm. 1329, Buffalo, NY 14202 through Nov. 16, 2012.

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3.) The voting begins! Ask your family and friends to vote for your entry at www.redribbon.org/vote Nov. 2-16. Ten lucky winners from regions across the U.S. will win. Winners will be announced at events at their winning schools in December.

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MAP Farmstand - From now on the Tuesday farm stand will go from 3:30-6:00pm. The days are getting shorter and so are our hours. The last farm stand of the season, which will be Saturday, November 3rd from 10am-1pm. Please note that this will also be the last volunteer and tour day of the season!! Thank you to everyone who has come to help out this season, you guys have been a huge help. As cold weather creeps closer, come buy some vegetables to can and freeze for the upcoming winter!!

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Felonies

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North Buffalo

September 25, 2012
Norwalk Ave. - Complainant reports that son did take her credit card without permission and did use it. Complainant wants to press charges. Suspect also has an outstanding warrant.

September 28, 2012
North Dr. - Complainant reports that unknown person(s) did pour or throw some sort of accelerant onto the hood of her vehicle damaging same.

September 29, 2012
Virgil Ave. - Complainant reports that unknown person(s) entered lower apartment by unknown means - taken was a computer, valued at \$1,800.

September 30, 2012
Amherst St. - Complainant reports that an unknown male knocked on his door asking for help with his car. When complainant answered the door, unknown suspect punched him in the side of his face, entered his home and stole cash and credit cards along with a computer, value over \$1,000. Suspect then kicked the complainant's cat and left.

West Side

September 25, 2012
Delavan Ave - Complainant reports that suspect did stand on her front porch and stare into window, thus violating court order of protection.

Delavan Ave - Complainant reports that her "coach" wallet was taken, without

permission. Wallet contained her Medicaid card and scripts for medication.

September 26, 2012
Grant St.- Complainant reports that person (s) unknown did take his social security check cash card from his mailbox.

Elmwood Ave - Defendant did take monkey lamp from restaurant without permission.

Hawley Pl. - Complainant reports that he lost his debit card and person(s) unknown did use same to make various purchases.

September 28, 2012
Grant St. - Complainant reports that unknown person(s) did break passenger window of vehicle and take laptop computer and camera valued at \$3,000.

September 29, 2012
Auburn Ave - Complainant reports that unknown person(s) did kick open door on the south side of house and entered apartment. Once inside they did ransack and take \$565 in cash.

October 1, 2012
Greenwood Pl. - Complainant reports that unknown person(s) did cut lock off garage door and take 1 mountain bike, value \$300.

Riverside

September 26, 2012
Niagara St. - Complainant (manager of discount store) reports that unknown person (s) did pry open door to gain entry and broke through drywall, pushing over several shelving units. Person(s)

unknown did take, without permission, approximately 420 packs of cigarettes, total value \$4,200. Value of damage to be determined.

September 27, 2012
Tonawanda St. - Complainant reports that unknown person(s) entered her apartment (which was set for demo due to a fire this past week) and did take a 32" flat screen television, 54" flat screen television, 2 DVD players and 2 dressers that were being rented from a local rent to own store.

Clay St. - Defendants did break the complainant's television and did steal her Nintendo wii.

September 28, 2012
Germain St. - Complainant reports that person(s) unknown did enter her apartment while she was away and took approximately 20 boxes packed with misc. household items. There was no sign of forced entry.

September 29, 2012
Evelyn St. - Complainant reports that unknown person(s) did break front passenger window of vehicle and take the GPS system valued at \$2,500.

Amherst St. - Complainant reports that while waiting at a bus stop the suspect did approach and ask for a cigarette. When complainant pulled items out of pocket suspect did forcibly grab Bus Pass and \$20 bill. Suspect fled south on bike path.

October 1, 2012
Hertel Ave.- Complainant reports that 3 suspects did fight with him and took his wallet from his pants pocket. Complainant did get his wallet back, but taken was his ss disability credit card.


Military Rd. - Complainant reports that his neighbor did take, while complainant was in the shower, his monthly bus pass, New York State identification card, Social Security benefits card and library card.

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Fall Care for Healthy Lawns

By Melinda Myers

Summer can be hard on our lawns. With much of the country suffering from extreme heat and drought conditions this past summer, many lawns took a beating.

Fall is the perfect time to help your lawn recover from the stressors of summer and prepare for winter. The warm soil and cooler temperatures promote root growth and thickening of the lawn.

Continue to mow the lawn as long as it keeps growing. Mow high to encourage deep roots and leave clippings on the lawn. They add nutrients and organic matter to the soil and do not cause thatch. There's no need to cut the lawn shorter for winter unless you are in an area subject to winter diseases.

Mow don't rake those fall leaves. This will save you time and improve your lawn. The leaves add organic matter and nutrients to the soil. As long as you can see the grass leaves through the shredded leaves your lawn will be fine. Or shred and collect the leaves in your bagger

and add them to your compost, dig into annual gardens to improve the soil, or use as mulch around perennials in the garden. Consider core aeration if your lawn is suffering from compacted soil and thatch. Core aeration machines remove plugs of soil in the

ize. Fall fertilization helps lawns recover from summer stress, encourages root growth, thickens your grass stand, and prepares the lawn for winter. Use a low nitrogen fertilizer like Milorganite to encourage slow steady growth and prevent damage to already stressed lawns. Plus, research has found when microorganisms work on the Milorganite to release the nutrients they also make some of the phosphorous and potassium bound to the soil available to the plants. The phosphorous is good for root growth and potassium boosts hardiness and disease resistance.

Gardeners growing cool season grasses like Kentucky bluegrass, fescue and ryegrass should make one application in early fall

and their last application sometime between Halloween and Thanksgiving before the ground freezes.

And always sweep any clippings, fertilizer and other debris off walks and drives to prevent them from entering our waterways and eventually our drinking water.



Autumn leaves are good nutrition for your lawn. Mow don't rake. (Photo: Rose Mattrey)

lawn, allowing air and water to reach and nourish the grass roots while promoting the breakdown of the thatch. Overseed thin lawns after core aerating. This will enable you to get good seed to soil contact and ultimately enjoy a thicker more lush lawn.

And be sure to fertil-

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“Bullying Stops Here” Campaign Announced

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as well as a calendar of upcoming events. Libraries, Erie County Hall, and all of the partner sites will have a printed “Bullying Stops Here” Calendar of Events with more than 30 activities taking place throughout October with a focus on the anti-bullying/peaceful coexistence theme.

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Consider your public library a safe haven. We are reminding folks that bullying affects a wide array of populations within our community. There are many service groups in our community with tools for how

each of us can support others with kindness and fairness, to be more accepting of differences, and how to take a stand when you see any form of bullying or discrimination occurring.

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For more information visit www.BuffaloLib.org.

Hertel North Buffalo Business Association Member Spotlight Caramici's Dessert Bar & Bakery



Caramici's Dessert Bar & Bakery is located at 1202 Hertel Avenue.

If you crave the best cannoli anywhere, a cassata cake to die for or an Italian cookie like mom or grandma use to make, then Caramici's Dessert Bar & Bakery is the place for you.

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Caramici's Dessert Bar & Bakery is open Tuesday through Thursday 11:00 am until 6:00 pm. Friday and Saturday until 10:30 pm (hours are adjusted to accomodate special occasions and holidays. Appointments and pick-ups are available for Sunday and Monday.)

You can place your order by calling Caramici's Dessert Bar & Bakery at 874-2253 (CAKE).

Visit Caramici's Dessert Bar & Bakery on their website at www.caramicis.com or find them on Facebook at www.facebook.com/caramicis

Stop in for a dessert and a favorite coffee. See their complete list of specialty beverages to delight your palate!!

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See our special restaurant week section in next week's ROCKET

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
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native to youth crime, gang membership, drugs and other negative influences that effect our youth today.

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The public is invited to join Forest Lawn and Re-Tree WNY to assist with the planting of approximately 250 bare root deciduous hardwood trees along the inside perimeter of Forest Lawn's fence over a two-day period. No experience is necessary; a brief training session will take place on both days. Tools and refreshments will be provided. Participants are asked to wear appropriate work clothing and closed-toe shoes or boots. This event will be held rain or shine. Volunteers are invited to participate on one or both days, depending on availability.

The tree planting will take place on Friday, October 26th, 2012 from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and on

Saturday, October 27th, 2012 from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at Forest Lawn, 1411 Delaware Avenue, Buffalo

Please assemble at the chapel (enter via the Delaware Avenue or Main Street gates; follow the signs and white lines on the road)

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Hospice Buffalo Volunteer Open House

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Columbus Day Celebration Begins



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Monument (Porter Avenue at Niagara Street, Buffalo). Over 20 local Italian-American organizations will participate.
Sunday, October 7 at 6 p.m. - The Federation of Italian-American Societies of WNY honors Buffalo developer Rocco Termini at its 105th Annual Columbus Dinner Gala at Salvatore's Italian Gardens. WIVB's Jacquie Walker will emcee the event

that honors local Italian-Americans and their contributions to our community. Termini recently completed a \$42-million-dollar restoration of the historic Lafayette Hotel (391 Washington Street, Buffalo). Event tickets are \$55 and can be purchased by contacting Teresa Marcello at 668-9451 or Peter LoJacono at 523-0360.
Monday, October 8 - Columbus Day is observed as a national public holiday.

Puzzles On Page 7

Weekly SUDOKU
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Section One, East Half of Lot 70, purchased September 13, 1877 by Charles Caligan
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Section X, East Part Sub 4, Lot 29, purchased January 29, 1893, by Emanuel Boas

Section X, SE Part Lot 6, purchased August 17, 1886 by John M. Hutchinson
Section X, Sub 1 Lot 14, purchased October 1, 1876 by William Ketchum
Section X, East Part Lot 17, purchased June 30, 1914, by William C. Fitch

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Section X, NE Part Lot 40, purchased December 1875 by Samuel C. Warner
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