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IN BRIEF

Bainbridge Twp. woman drowns

EAU CLAIRE — A Bainbridge Township woman drowned in a pond on her property Friday following a lawn tractor accident.

Linda Marutz, 66, drowned when she accidentally drove the tractor into the pond, and it tipped over onto her, pinning her underneath, Berrien County Sheriff's Sgt. David Zizkovsky reported.

Police were called to the scene at 2380 Michael Road shortly after 5 p.m. The drowning remains under investigation, Zizkovsky said.

Pride Care Ambulance workers assisted deputies at the scene.

Paw Paw man nabbed for alleged crime spree

PAW PAW — A Paw Paw man faces numerous criminal charges after he allegedly stole a car and broke into a Paw Paw Township pole

barn early Saturday.

The man, 18, was not being identified by police Saturday. Van Buren County Sheriff's Sgt. Daniel Abbott said deputies were called to a pole barn on 64th Avenue shortly after 2 a.m. and found the homeowner pointing a shotgun at the suspect. The man was arrested for breaking into the pole barn, and for stealing a Jeep from a woman on Red Arrow Highway. The Jeep was found abandoned in a ditch.

Shake mailbox before the snow flies

LANSING (AP) — Hey, Michigan: Shake your mailbox.

That's the advice from the County Road Association of Michigan. With winter around the corner, it's a good time to check the stability of your mailbox if it rests on a post along the road. Snow and slush thrown by snowplows can knock down a loose mailbox.

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