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Solve the code to discover words related to finance.  
Each number corresponds to a letter.  
(Hint: 26 = I)

**A. 16 1 22 11 26 9**  
Clue: Buying something on deferment

**B. 11 22 2 26 9**  
Clue: Deduction

**C. 8 25 18 26 19 17 8**  
Clue: Nest egg

**D. 26 19 18 22 8 9 20 22 19 9**  
Clue: Share or stock

Answers: A. credit B. debit C. savings D. investment

### WORD SCRAMBLE

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to finance.

QTYUIE

Answer: Equity

### GUESS WHO?

I am a singer born in New York on March 28, 1986. I attended an all-girls school in Manhattan from age 11. Since releasing my debut album in 2008, I have won multiple Grammy Awards and have become known for fashion stunts. In 2018, I starred in a remake of a movie made popular by Barbra Streisand.

Answer: Lady Gaga

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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

**WORDS**

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- ACCRUAL
- ALLOCATION
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### EVERY TUESDAY

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### EVERY THURSDAY

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**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**, Garrison Hospital cafeteria (enter through ER), 8 p.m.

### EVERY FRIDAY

**TURTLE LAKE SENIOR CENTER** 1:30 p.m. at Turtle Lake City hall.

### MONDAY, MARCH 24

**YOGA**, First Congregational Church- UCC, 8 a.m.

**BONE BUILDERS**, Garrison Senior Center, 10 a.m.

**STORY TIME**, Max Library, 10:30 a.m.

### TUESDAY, MARCH 25

**THE THRIFT STORE**, 181 Ellsworth St., Makoti, 3-6 p.m.

**ELEMENTARY FELLOWSHIP**, First Congregational Church- UCC, 3:30 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26

**YOGA**, First Congregational Church- UCC, 8 a.m.

**STORY TIME**, Max Public Library, 10:30 a.m.

**THE THRIFT STORE**, Garrison Area Resource Center, 11 - 5 p.m.

**STORY TIME**, Garrison Public Library, 11:15 a.m.

**MAX FIREFIGHTER MEETING**, Max Fire Hall, 7 p.m.

### THURSDAY, MARCH 27

**BONE BUILDERS**, Garrison Senior Center, 10 a.m.

**STORY TIME**, Garrison Library, 11:15 a.m.

**THE THRIFT STORE**, 181 Ellsworth St., Makoti, 4-7 p.m.

**GHS FFA BANQUET**, Garrison Auditorium, 6:30 p.m.

**TEEN & ADULT CRAFT NIGHT**, Garrison Library, 6:30 p.m.

**BOOK CLUB**, Max Library, 7 p.m.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**, Garrison Hospital cafeteria (enter through ER), 8 p.m.

### SATURDAY, MARCH 29

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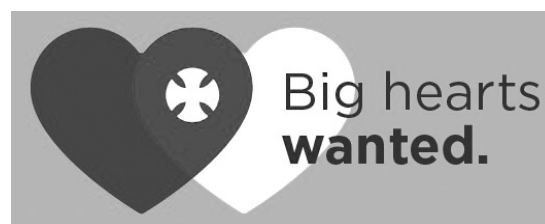
- **Lifeguards** (Minumun age of 15)
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**Application deadline: 5 p.m. on March 31, 2025**



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Application forms are available at the office of the Sheridan County Auditor, PO Box 439, McClusky, ND 58463 PH# 701-363-2205 or on the County website: [www.co.sheridan.nd.us](http://www.co.sheridan.nd.us) along with a resume. Application and resume must be returned to the Sheridan County Auditor's Office by 4:00 p.m. March 28th, 2025.

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# From the Front Pages

## McLEAN COUNTY Independent

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### GARRISON PD HIT

Garrison Police officer Kaare Halsey was hit in his squad car on Thursday afternoon.

"He is ok, but is taking a sick day," Garrison Mayor Stu Merry said.

Garrison resident Mogan Seidler failed to yield on the corner of Central Ave. and 4th Street and struck the cruiser on the driver side backseat panel.

The damage to the cruiser was minimal, but this is a reminder for people to look all ways at all intersections no matter if marked or unmarked.

--- McLean County Independent

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## Central McLean News-Journal

### DO YOU HAVE A BIG IDEA?

It has been brought to the attention of the McLean County Extension that there is a growing need for the expansion of facilities in the county.

NDSU Extension Agent Sarah Bedgar from McLean County set up an open meeting to invite community members from McLean County to discuss ideas with "the sky's the limit," brainstorming session on March 4 at Underwood City Hall.

About 26 people from as far south as Wilton all the way to Max attended the meeting.

"Ever since I took this position with the Extension office people have been saying to me [from all walks of life and all different areas of interest] 'hey, we would really like to expand XYZ program, but we just don't have the space for it' from all across McLean County," Bedgar said.

--- Central McLean News-Journal

## The Leader-News

### WILTON-WING MINERS BOYS PUNCH TICKET TO NDH-SAA DIVISION B STATE TOURNAMENT

The Wilton-Wing Miners boys basketball team is heading to the NDH-SAA Division B State Tournament after a dominant run through the Region 4 Tournament last week.

After finishing second in the District 8 Tournament, the Miners entered Regionals as the second seed from District 8 with their sights set on redemption.

They responded with three consecutive victories, including a 53-36 statement win over Central McLean in the Region 4 Championship, to earn their spot at State

--- Leader-News

## BEULAH BEACON

BEULAH, NORTH DAKOTA, 58523

### CITY BEGINS PHASE II OF MAIN STREET INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT, BEGINS WITH COMMUNITY FEEDBACK

With the first phase of upgrading the water and sewer infrastructure of part of Main Street in Beulah complete, the city is now focusing on the second phase, only this time it is making a serious effort in getting feedback from local businesses and residents first.

Phase II will include three blocks to the west and two blocks to the east on Main Street, which will finish out all of Main Street, according to Rebecca Berner, of Interstate Engineering, the city's engineer. There is also a small bridge west of the core business area that will most likely need to be replaced, as well.

--- Beulah Beacon

## Center Republican

### ADAM HILL HIRED AS CSPS' NEW SUPERINTENDENT

Adam Hill is the new superintendent of Center-Stanton Public Schools. The CSPS Board of Education, at its regular meeting March 12, unanimously accepted a contract to hire Adam Hill, of Gwinner, as the school's new superintendent.

The two-year contract, which begins July 1, pays Hill \$110,000 for the 2025-26 school year and then bumps up to \$112,500 for the 2026-27 school year. The position will not include athletic director duties, which was part of the previous superintendent's duties, according to Board President Rick Schmidt.

--- Center Republican

## Hazen Star

### NEW SCALE PURCHASED IN HONOR OF LONGTIME FAIR-SUPPORTING FAMILY

This year's Mercer County Fair will feature the debut of a new digital scale for weighing, an addition courtesy of a generous purchase by the children of a couple strongly involved with the local fair since its inception.

"Well, our mom and dad were very active with the Mercer County Fair," LeAnn Schafer said of her parents, Leland and Judy Erickson. "When they passed away, their kids wanted to do something to recognize them."

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