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News in Brief

Two-vehicle accident

A two-vehicle collision on 281 left both drivers with minor injuries and totalled two cars. Quincy resident Ryan Roylance, 19, was travelling eastbound on Road 4 NW, when he turned northbound on Highway 281, failing to yield to a BMW travelling southbound, driven by Barbara L. Peterson, 58, of Des Moines. Roylance suffered a minor shoulder injury and went to Quincy Valley Medical Center. Peterson was transported to Quincy Valley Medical Center for a minor rib injury. Roylance was cited for failing to yield.

Book sale

The Quincy Friends of the Library winter book sale will be Friday and Saturday, May 16 and 17 from noon to 4 p.m. in the basement of the Quincy Public Library, 108 B St. SW. There are many Spanish language books, biographies and books covering a wide range of topics, as well as hundreds of fiction books in good condition. The last hour on Saturday a bag of one's choice of books can be purchased for \$2. Proceeds from the book sale benefit the library and programs for children.

EMS barbecue

Quincy Valley Medical Center is celebrating National Emergency Medical Services week with a free barbecue on Sunday, May 18 from 1 to 4 p.m. at the hospital, 908 10th Ave. SW. There will be tours of QVMC and the ambulances, along with a chance to meet the QVMC EMTs and paramedics during the event.

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