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# the bobcat crossed the road

### And how Dr. **Ellmers got his** amazing photos near Stillwater

#### **By Gordon Woodworth**

**Chronicle News Editor** 

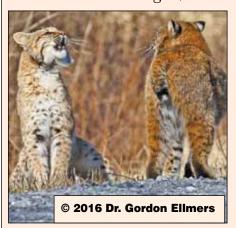
Fort Edward veterinarian and noted bird photographer Dr. Gordon Ellmers had what he

called a "very exciting encounter" with two bobcats last Friday afternoon on County Route

**Turned out to** be a pair of cats in mating ritual

113 in the Town of Easton, southern Washington County.

"I was checking out the river for ducks and bald eagles," he





told The Chronicle. "I drove south on Route 4 to Stillwater, took the bridge across the Hudson River and headed back north on CR-113.

"It was about two miles north of Stillwater that I saw the first bobcat on the right side of the road. My heart started pounding right away.

'The bobcat, a male, started

slowly walking across the road. I grabbed my camera that was on my passenger seat (Canon 100mm-400mm lens with a Canon 7D Mark II camera) and started shooting out the window.

"I could hear a truck coming up behind me, but I didn't even turn around. I wanted the shots badly since I had never seen a

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## Jason McCann, fourth generation pharmacist at his family's McCann's Pharmacy in Hudson Falls, founded in 1890. Chronicle photo/Gordon Woodworth McCann's & Stone's survive in chain era

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In Hudson Falls, a mile and a half up the road from McCann's

Pharmacy are chain drugstores at three of the four corners — Rite Aid, CVS and Hannaford. And there's another Rite-Aid a few blocks

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In Lake Luzerne, Stone's is the only pharmacy, but it's a sparsely populated region, and there's a

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### Responds to letter, says as a Christian, she's for Trump

To the Editor:

Responding to Pam Gibbs' question in her 3/10 letter, "Can Christians support Trump for President?", this Christian calls out a resounding "Yes!" as Trump is the most qualified with the best track record of multi-talented

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