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Tidbits

Cupid's Corner...

The *Hebron Journal-Register* will once again celebrate Valentine's Day with our annual Cupid's Corner. Show your love for your sweetheart by placing their photo in this special section which will run Feb. 8.

Please send, email, or bring in a photo of your child, grandchild, or loved one by Monday, Feb. 6. Include their name, age, and family members.

For complete details on how you can place this special Valentine greeting, see the ad inside this issue.

4-H beef weigh in...

The 4-H market beef weigh-in will be Saturday, Feb. 4, at the Hebron Livestock Commission from 9:30-10:30 a.m. All market beef animals that 4-H members plan to exhibit and show at the county fair, Nebraska State Fair, and/or Ak-Sar-Ben must be weighed in and tagged at this time. This includes market heifers, market steers and second-year bucket calves.

For more information or if you have questions contact Crystal Fangmeier at 402-768-7212 or by email at cfangmeier2@unl.edu.

Election filings...

Filing deadlines for county offices are quickly approaching.

The filing deadline for incumbents wishing to run for federal, county, non-partisan, school and city seats is Feb. 15, 2012. New filers have until March 1, 2012.

As of Tuesday morning, Jan. 31, three incumbents have already filed including Chris Frye for County Commissioner, and Mike Prellwitz and Curt Mumm for the Thayer Central School Board.

Locally, Deshler, Thayer Central, Meridian, Fairbury, and Shickley public schools have board vacancies.

The Deshler city board also has three vacancies while Hebron Wards 1, 2 and 3 each have a vacancy. The Hebron Airport Authority has two vacancies this year.

For Thayer County, one commissioner's seat is open while at the federal level, a vacancy for US Congress 3rd District and US Senator exist.

Other election filing deadlines including the ESU, villages, class II schools and the noxious week board are due July 16 for incumbents and Aug. 1 for new filers.

~Obituaries~

Brinegar, Virginia, 88, Idaho

McKenzie, Don L., 72, Belmont, CA

Molthan, Rene O., 62, Bruning

WEATHER

Date	High/Low	Snow
Tue., Jan 24	45/21	0
Wed., Jan 25	41/22	0
Thu., Jan 26	51/22	0
Fri., Jan 27	45/18	0
Sat., Jan 28	48/18	0
Sun., Jan 29	50/21	0
Mon., Jan 30	70/26	0

Courtesy of Mike Prellwitz

Two new businesses open in Hebron



Julie and Jim Stutzman (l), owners of Hebron Storage, are welcomed to town by Chamber president Lonnie Kohler (r).

JR Photo/Jacque Rocole

Hebron Storage

Jim and Julie Stutzman have already filled over half of their new storage units and are making plans to build more. The couple, who live in Ohio, opened Hebron Storage recently. The new business sits on Lincoln Ave., between 13th Street and Highway 81. There are 40 units ranging in size from 10 x 10, 10 x 20, 10 x 30 and 10 x 40 square feet with steel roller doors.

"We have plans to expand if all the units fill up," Jim said this week and added that plans include security lighting and camera installation.

The Stutzmans also offer outdoor storage for campers, trailers, boats, etc.

Antiques, Art and Collectibles

Joane Thompson has been in the antique business for 25 years. And although the business has taken her to many different locations through working antique shows, she felt it was time to find an anchor. "This community needs a shop," she said during her open house. "We're on the crossroads of Highway 81 and Highway 136, two routes that see a lot of antique-buying traffic."

The store, located at 333 Lincoln Ave., in downtown Hebron, is filled with a wide range of quality antiques and art.

Thompson said the store is open from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday, unless the weather turns inclement.



Joane Thompson (l), owner of Antiques, Art and Collectibles, is welcomed to Hebron by Chamber president Lonnie Kohler (r).

JR Photo/Jacque Rocole



Area teens use video, banners to spread word against drinking

Thayer Central and Bruning-Davenport TCHCC (Thayer County Healthy Coalition) members presented 4' x 8' portable banners to their respective high schools recently.

Members gathered this fall to take pictures and later discussed what message they wanted on the banners. Each school targeted a different audience with a powerful message that can be viewed at indoor and outdoor activities throughout the year.

TCHCC student activities coordinator Jana Tietjen told Thayer County Commissioners last week there are 102 area students attending the meetings. She and TCHCC director Megan Voss met with the county officials to update them on the progress of the coalition.

"We are currently working to get



TCHCC students presented anti-drinking banners to their respective schools recently. The banners, along with newly developed videos, are part of a campaign to make aware some of the negative attributes associated with social issues of teenagers.

Courtesy Photo

our community message online," Tietjen said. "We call it Mad Pad." Students record videos with messages about the negative effects of drinking, smoking, drug use and other teen-related issues. The videos can be viewed on i-Pads and cell

phones since they are online.

Since the banners are portable, they can also be used during summer activities including baseball and softball games. Deshler TCHCC members will be taking their picture this Spring for a banner as well.

Hebron sign in trouble?

By Jacque Rocole
Hebron Journal-Register

The Thayer County Visitor's Committee just found out that they are paying rent to have a sign advertising the City of Hebron and its giant porch swing setting across the highway at the edge of town. "We didn't know that," said committee representative Shari Apking last week at the county commissioner's meeting. "We did not realize it was our responsibility to pay rent for the space where the sign is located."

The sign, part of a package deal that the visitor's committee erected a couple of years ago, maintains the pioneer wagon theme and matches a second sign advertising the city of Deshler setting at the intersection of Highways 81 and 136. But the sister sign sets on donated land, Apking said, which means no rent is required there. Hebron's sign, erected in 2004, sets on personal property along Highway 81 at the main entrance to the city on Lincoln Avenue and requires rent for the space it occupies.

"We think either the city of Hebron or the county should be paying the rent," Apking told the commissioners Wednesday morning. "We already have so little money, and we feel we can put what funds we do have toward something other than paying rent."

Commissioner Dave Bruning said the committee should seek help from Hebron since the sign has the city's name on it, but Apking said the sign was installed without the

See Hebron sign...pg 4

Messman honored by Nebraska Agri-Business Association

Nebraska Agri-Business Association recently announced award winners and directors at the 55th Agri-Business Exposition held in Omaha on Jan. 31.

The annual industry awards were announced recently in conjunction with the 55th annual Nebraska Agri-Business Exposition and Convention of the Nebraska Agri-Business Association in Omaha. The Convention and Trade Show draws over 2,500 agricultural retailers and manufacturers from the Midwest.

Speaking at the group's Political Action Breakfast on Thursday morning was Nebraska Lt. Governor Rick Sheehy.

Association award winners were announced during the Exposition include:

Awarded the Industry Person of the year was Duane Messman, Messman Fertilizer Service, Inc., Bruning. Duane has served for many years in leadership positions and has been an innovator for the industry in Nebraska.

The Government Official of the Year Award is Nebraska Director of Agriculture Greg Ibach. Ibach has worked hard in recent years promoting Nebraska's agricultural products and has worked positively on regulations with the agri-business industry.

Winning the Water Guardian Award was Steve Melvin, former UNL Extension educator from Curtis. Melvin is now with Lindsay Manufacturing. He has served as an educational arm for water quality issues for the industry. Melvin also served as Thayer County Extension Agent during the 1970's.

Randy Stubbs, Superior-Deshler Company, Deshler, was re-elected to the board of directors.



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Extension News

Darci McGee, Extension Educator

UN-L Cooperative Extension for Thayer and Nuckolls Counties

2012 Nebraska Master Gardener Connections

University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension is offering several lawn and garden programs this spring that are open to the public and part of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension Master Gardener training program.

February 14: Vegetables: Growing and Pest Control. Learn about the growth and production of various vegetable crops in the garden, while comparing various pest control measures for effective control. This class will discuss how plant selection, growing environment, production levels, and pest control are dependent on each other throughout the growing season. This program is presented by Sarah Browning, Lancaster County Extension educator

February 21: Plant I.D. and Plant Diagnostics. What is that mystery plant? What is wrong with this plant? Participants will learn basic skills to properly identify plant material, and plant problems. Resources will be shared to help participants build plant identification and diagnostic skills. This program is presented by Kelly Feehan, Platte County Extension educator, and Natalia Bjorklund, Dodge County Extension educator

February 28: Tree Problems: Environmental and Pests. Tree problems can be caused from environmental, mechanical, disease and/or insect issues. Learn how these factors impact the health and quality of trees in the landscape and how to manage them. Examples of various problems will be shared and discussed in this class, presented by Graham Herbst, community forest specialist, Nebraska Forest Service

March 6: Herbaceous Perennial Management. Expand your plant pallet by correctly choosing, utilizing and growing herbaceous perennial plants as a returning feature of landscapes. Integrate site selection, soil preparation, plant selection, fertility needs, plant division, and pest management skills to further utilize these wonderful plants in a variety of landscape conditions, presented by Kim Todd, landscape design professor and specialist, UNL.

March 13: Soils and Soil Management. Soil properties and their characteristics greatly influence the success of plant growth and vigor in the landscape. Participants will learn about the characteristics of soil properties, textures, water retention, and nutrient binding to better understand how to prepare and amend soil for optimum plant material growth, presented by Brad Jakubowski, environmental and earth sciences adjunct faculty, Doane College.

March 20: Weed Management Basics. Weed management and control is a constant chore in the landscape. Learn about various types of weeds in the landscape, their growing habits, and how to integrate cultural, mechanical and chemical control measures, presented by Lowell Sandell, Extension educator, Department of Agronomy and Horticulture, UNL

All programs will be held from 6:30-9 p.m., and 5:30-8:00 p.m. Please contact each office individually for cancellation information is the case of inclement weather. Call Nuckolls County Extension, 402-225-2381, for a registration flyer

Pre-registration by noon of the program day is appreciated, but participants are also welcome to register at the door.

There Should Always Be Room For The Mr. Smiths Of The World

Written by RICHARD HAWS

(Editor's Note: Richard Haws, a Hebron High School graduate, of Ames, Iowa, is a retired Iowa State University journalism professor. This guest column appeared in the Des Moines Register, Des Moines, Iowa.)

Sometime in the next few months, Jerry Sandusky will be brought before the bar of justice, and we'll no doubt hear about the awful things the Penn State University football coach did to those vulnerable teenage boys. The testimony will probably make you want to throw up, but I hope we don't forget that there are adult men out there who have entirely appropriate, personal relationships with teenage boys.

Many years ago, in the late 1950's and early 1960's, I was going through my difficult teenage years in Hebron, a town of about 1,900 people in southeast Nebraska. Hebron was no doubt a lot like the small towns across Iowa's southern tier of counties — rural, isolated, nothing too remarkable.

And then Randall Smith came to town. He had been hired as Hebron High School's football and track coach. He was a tall, thin bachelor with a serious mien. He had piercing eyes and a permanent furrow in his brow. There were no jokes in the man, no lightness. Maybe that's why he never married. I'd guess he was in his 40's when he arrived.

I figured our paths wouldn't cross because I wasn't exactly athletic material. I was a sophomore, weighed about 110 pounds and had a job as a stock boy at Hested's, the local dime store.

Mr. Smith turned out to be hard to avoid because he was assigned to teach Spanish and advanced math — two classes I needed to go to college. Most of the high school coaches I knew about taught the easier, lower level courses, probably because they weren't all that interested in academics; their focus was coaching, jocks and schedules.

But Spanish and advanced math? Very odd. Those of us who ended up in Mr. Smith's classes figured we'd be in for some wasted class time. How mistaken we were.

It was Mr. Smith's never-ending emphasis on excellence that stayed with me. Everything he did, he did well. He never was a slacker. He was an excellent classroom teacher ... and an excellent football coach ... and an excellent track coach ... and an excellent tennis player ... and an excellent bowler ... and an excellent golfer. And when he couldn't find the competition he wanted in that little town, he had

a knack for creating it.

Which brings me to Mr. Smith, chess and me.

Mr. Smith loved to play chess. But in a place like Hebron, you weren't about to find somebody who knew about Ruy Lopez or the Sicilian Defense, but Mr. Smith was undeterred. I was among his first converts. Maybe he picked me because he saw that I was a pretty isolated young man, maybe he thought chess would help me out, maybe give me something to care about, to succeed at.

I was joined by my best friends, Bob and Ken. The three of us couldn't get enough chess. We played hour after hour, day after day. Mr. Smith loaned us his chess books and chess magazines so we could learn classic chess openings and championship strategy. On some afternoons when Mr. Smith didn't have coaching duties, he'd meet us in a classroom and play the three of us at once.

After I got pretty good at chess, Mr. Smith started inviting me to his apartment on the second floor of the old house where he lived. It was just the two of us, and, in playing him, I don't think I'd ever concentrated so hard in my life.

Mr. Smith and I played and played and played. Every once in a while, I'd beat him, which is probably the reason he kept inviting me back. I think he may well have spent more time with me than he did his quarterback.

I remember one New Year's Eve in particular. I was 17 and a senior. I spent it playing chess in his apartment. We didn't stop until about 2 a.m., and I walked home, down the middle of Hebron's main street, thinking it strange I had spent my New Year's Eve playing chess with an old bachelor. There was no wildness, no laughter to the evening, just all-consuming chess. I was happy nonetheless. I guess it fit me.

After high school, my family moved away from Hebron and I didn't go back much. Mr. Smith lived out his life there and retired from teaching in 1978. They named the high school track after him. He died there in 2007 at the age of 93.

Not too many years ago, I was talking to a fellow who came from a small town about a dozen miles north of Hebron. He said he envied those of us from Hebron because we seemed smart. "Why do you say that?" I asked. "Because," he said, "you had Randy Smith."

Which brings me to my point: I hope there'll always be room in this world for people like Mr. Smith.

Legislative Update

By Russ Karpisek



Nebraska State Senator, District 32

The Legislature finished up debate on robo-calls this week when a filibuster ran its course but supporters of LB418 failed to get enough votes to bring the bill to a final vote. We completed some more business on the floor, including debate on the legality of the death penalty. Much of the week's primary focus was on some important legislation introduced this year and present-

ed in committee hearings. LB970 was heard before the Revenue Committee. This bill would reduce the individual state income tax and the top corporate tax rate, and would repeal the inheritance tax. Gov. Heine-man was present to introduce the bill, which came up against staunch opposition from county officials who depend on the inheritance tax revenue to fund county

services and workers. The Health and Human Services Committee heard several hours of testimony on issues related to the child welfare system, including a proposal (LB961) to place case management of these children under the Department of Health and Human Services. Last January, case management was privatized in an attempt to cut some of the costs for contractors, but

concerns have been raised about the private companies' handling of these cases. Hearings on this year's new legislation will continue through February, when we will begin all-day debate in order to finish up our legislative business in mid-April. Please continue to contact my office with any comments, concerns or questions.

Message From The Governor

By Dave Heineman



Nebraska Governor

Growing Nebraska's Economy

We are fortunate in Nebraska to have one of the strongest economies in the country. Our unemployment rate is 4.1% while the national average is more than double at 8.5%. Nebraska is recognized nationally as a top state in which to do business and we continue to grow and create jobs in our state.

Our enviable position is the result of years of planning and implementing business-friendly policy. Six years ago, a new package of economic incentives known as the Nebraska Advantage went into effect that has helped attract outstanding new business opportunities to Nebraska while helping existing businesses expand.

We worked closely with the Legislature to develop and pass legislation creating the Nebraska Advantage, which was the first comprehensive update to Nebraska's economic incentives since the mid 1980's. Our goal was to stimulate statewide economic development and job creation. The resulting Nebraska Advantage is a performance based economic incentive program that rewards the creation of higher paying jobs.

Today, Nebraska is a global contender for businesses in a number of targeted industries because we worked closely with local leaders and the business community to promote opportunities that make Nebraska a competitive and attractive place to do business.

Aggressively recruiting businesses and utilizing the Nebraska Advantage has been successful in growing our state's economy. Since the inception of the Nebraska Advantage in 2005, 269 companies plan to invest \$5.9 billion in our economy and create more than 19,000 new jobs.

By industry, this translates to 36 projects at \$2.9 billion and more than 2,100 jobs in the bio-medical and renewable fuels industries; 63 projects at \$1.4 billion and more than 5,600 jobs in the telecommunications and related industries; 147 projects at \$1 billion and more than 6,300 jobs in the manufacturing and processing industries; and 38 projects at \$526 million and more than 5,300 jobs in financial and insurance services.

By location, 142 businesses have been established in the Omaha metropolitan service area with 53 businesses in the Lincoln metropolitan service area and 89 projects are in greater Nebraska.

From January 2006 through December 2011, a total of 111 companies applied for Nebraska Advantage Rural, resulting in a potential \$223 million investment and 374 jobs. Finally 109 projects are currently under contract through the Customized Job Training Advantage with an investment of \$16 million and more than 9,200 jobs.

Additionally, the Nebraska Internship Program is an important component of Nebraska's strategic economic plan. It is designed to enhance technology and innovation, and assure a technology-focused workforce for Nebraska companies. With this initiative, Nebraska has one of the strongest public policy strategies in place to advance business recruitment and development.

Intern Nebraska is a win-win for students seeking valuable business experience to further shape their future careers and to keep our youth in Nebraska. It's critical for business owners who are focused on developing a quality workforce to meet the demands of our vastly changing global economy.

Currently, 156 companies have filed applications to participate in Intern Nebraska with 115 of those approved. Of the approved candidates, nearly 40% are looking forward to welcoming interns to their rural Nebraska companies. Whether you're a student seeking an internship, or company official interested in participating in the program, you'll find more information at: <http://InternNE.com>.

We continue to create initiatives that build a talented workforce, encourage entrepreneurship and have a positive impact on the economy of our state. The Nebraska Advantage and the Nebraska Internship Program are helping move Nebraska forward.

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Courthouse News

DISTRICT COURT

Kwang Chang Chi v Kim Suk Chi. Dissolution of Marriage.

Rodney Achterberg v Galen Achterberg. Partition.

SMALL CLAIMS

Rauner Repair, Inc. v Gilbert Ochoa. Unspecified.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Dusty James Blake, legal age, Hebron, Neb.; Jamie Lauren Hiller, legal age, Hebron, Neb.

COUNTY COURT

Fines Paid

by Jan. 25, 2012

Court costs \$48.00 unless otherwise stated. Probation costs also include \$30 enrollment fee and \$25 per month on probation. Chemical testing costs are \$5 per month on probation.

Nebraska State Patrol

Evelyn Aguilar, Lincoln. Speeding (70/55), \$75.

Michael Bandemer, Arlington, Texas. Speeding (88/65), \$200.

Eric Barber, Kirksville, Mo. Speeding (75/55), \$125.

Courtney Caudill, Austin, Texas. Speeding (75/65), \$25.

Larry E. Nippert, Carleton. Speeding (70/60), \$25.

Gerhard Arnold, Mountain Lake, Minn. Speeding (65/55), \$25.

Ricky L. Self, Lincoln. Speeding (65/55), \$25.

Henery Stampfer, Trinidad, Texas. Speeding (70/55), \$75.

Sabreana Wit, Byron. Speeding (71/60), \$75.

The County Court processed 23 citations issued to 17 commercial vehicle drivers for Nebraska road violations in the last week. Drivers from 11 states paid a total of \$1,455 in fines.

Local Law Enforcement

Pedro Aguilar, Council Bluffs, Iowa. Speeding (69/55), \$75.

Ryan Baines, Hebron. Failure to register dog, \$25; Dog running at large, \$25.

Jessica Brazda, Lincoln. Speeding (70/55), \$75.

Juan A. Flores, Omaha. Speeding (70/55), \$75.

Stacy Hanuschill, Glen Ellen, Calif. Possession of drug paraphernalia, \$100; Possession of marijuana, less than oz, \$300.

David Morningstar, Claremore, Okla. Speeding (65/55), \$25.

David C. Pickering, Lamoni, Iowa. Speeding (65/55), \$25.

Edward F. Prosser, Omaha. Speeding (71/55), \$125.

Ronald D. Lane, Hebron. Assault-3rd Degree. Sentence: 10 days in jail.

Conner L. Hissong, Hebron. 1. Assault-3rd degree. 2. Reckless driving. Sentence: 12 month probation.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Norman Soukup to Nathan C. Wichman and Gayle L. Wichman. Pt Lot 1 Section 16, T3N, R4W.

Susan Keim and Jerry Keim to Jerry Verle Keim, Trustee of the Jerry Verle Keim Revocable Trust; Susan Joanne Keim, Trustee of the Susan Joanne Keim Revocable Trust. An undivided one-third interest in W1/2 NW1/4 Pt W1/2 SW1/4 Section 21, T3N, R4W.

Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to JJJ Trust, Lance J. Johnson, Trustee. Pt SW1/4 SE1/4 Section 4, T4N, R2W.

Christopher W. Johnson and Marcy A. Johnson to Cartus Corporation. The South 70 feet of the North 302 feet of Block 2 in Yost Addition of Hebron.

Cartus Corporation to Miranda Hatcher. (The South 70 feet of the North 301 feet of Block 2, Yost Addition of Hebron.

Margaret Beddoe Trust; Donald Roy Beddoe, FR Successor Trustee, to Scott Elting and Susan Elting. A Tract of Land in Pt NE1/4 Section 16, T3N, R2W.

Stewart Family Trust, Patricia H. Stewart, Successor Trustee, to Julie A. Deepe. Lot 4, 5 in Block 8, Thompsons Addition of Hebron.

Emily C. Seifert to Kevin L. Orvis and Jureta Sue Orvis. Lots 3 and 6, Block 5, O.T. Hebron and 1/2 of Abandoned alley.

Randy L. Smith, Diane K. Smith, Ronald Engel, Kim Engel and Donald D. Engel to Thayer Central Community Schools. Pt of Block 27 including vacated alley and part of vacated 8th Street.

Curtis B. Fintel and Louisa

A. Fintel and Leah L. Frotz, Trustee and Kara K. Fintel, Trustee. NE1/4 Section 8, T1N, R4W; NE1/4 Section 9, T1N, R4W; N1/2, SW1/4 NE1/4 NW1/4 Section 16, T1N, R4W.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

Jan. 5: At 4 p.m., a two vehicle accident occurred on U. S. Highway 136 at a driveway near mile marker 121.

Toni Forbes of Courtland, Kan. attempted to make a left turn across traffic into the driveway but failed to notice a westbound vehicle driven by Megan Black of Deweese, Neb.

Black did not have time to stop, and the collision occurred.

Forbes reported a possible injury to her foot, but was not transported to a health facility.

Black was transported to Thayer County Health Services by Deshler Rescue with a possible but not visible injury to her lower leg. No alcohol or drug use is suspected for either driver.

Damage to the 2003 Ford pickup driven by Forbes was estimated at \$3,000. The 2003 Nissan driven by Black was totaled.

Jan. 8: A parked vehicle was struck at 3:35 p.m. in Hebron.

Bobby S. Dye of Beatrice was driving a 2010 Chevrolet Sedan, when it rolled into a parked 2000 Honda on the North Circle Drive in Hebron. The Honda had been driven by Jacqueline D. England of Lincoln. No damage estimate was available from either vehicle for the minimal damage. There were no injuries to either driver.

Jan. 17: Riley F. Reinke of Deshler was driving a 1979 Chevy pickup when he lost control on County Road 5700, entered the west ditch and rolled into a cattle tank, solar electric fencer and electric fence.

The truck came to rest on its wheels. The driver summoned help and was taken to a health facility by private vehicle.

Damage to the tank was \$250 and fencer, \$300. No drugs or alcohol were suspected in the 6:05 p.m. accident.

The pickup driven by Reinke had \$2,500 damage.

Jan. 21: An accident occurred at 9:57 a.m. at the intersection of Highway 5 and Road U.

Chance J. Gerdes of Davenport was pulling a pivot span attempting to make a left turn from Road U onto Highway 5. Gerdes saw a 2002 Ford pickup approaching from a mile away, but Jerry D. Olson of York, the driver, did not slow down as he approached.

Olson said he did not see a flagman, so attempted to drive under the pivot span, but his roof was damaged by

Belvidere

By LaDonna Avers

AnumberofBelvidere ladies attended the Hospital Guild's annual meeting at TCHS last Wednesday. After a delicious luncheon the ladies enjoyed a display of Lois Ream's Kool Aid collection. Her daughter, Nancy Baden, gave a history of Kool Aid which was started in Hastings. A 50 Years of Kool Aid celebration will be held in Hastings next summer and Lois will be there as the only celebration she has missed since it was started was the first one.

Linda Hudson received a call last Thursday telling her that Lorraine Callison had fallen and was taken to the hospital. Lorraine is a cousin of Burdette and Dail Priefert and lives in Fairbury. She was then taken to St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Lincoln where she had surgery for a broken hip and arm/shoulder. On Friday Linda Hudson and Bonnie Priefert drove to Lincoln and stayed at the hospital all day during the surgery and post op-

eration recovery. The surgery was successful and Lorraine is recuperating in St. Elizabeth's at this time pending further medical care.

Some of the TEC ladies got out of their winter cocoons long enough to have dinner and some lively conversation at the cafe in Belvidere on Thursday evening. Those attending were Paula McGinness, Betty Dudgeon, Ruth Joachim, Linda Hudson and LaDonna Avers.

Jack Deepe is home from the hospital and recuperating there. Cards can be sent to him at 647 N. 4th St. in Hebron.

Paula McGinness entertained her Neighborhood Club at a potluck luncheon Friday noon.

Visiting Ruth Joachim over the weekend were Kirk and Wanda Joachim, Doniphan. After church Sunday Kevin Joachim and Colleen White joined the group for Sunday dinner at the cafe in Hebron.

Russ and Bonnie Priefert drove to Lincoln Sunday to attend the Hip Hop Dance Recital in which their granddaughter, Rubie Demma, took part. After the recital they and Rubie's parents, Pete and Teresa Demma, had dinner out. They also took the opportunity to visit Lorraine Callison in the hospital while they were in Lincoln.

Voice of the Titans

By "Bub" Peithmann

Welcome back. It's Southern Nebraska Conference Basketball Tournament week. Monday night both the girls and the boys were in action on their home court. The Titan girls played the Centennial Lady Broncos. The first half of the game was all Lady Titans. They were leading with a score of 25-10. The Lady Broncos turned up the heat and outscored the Lady Titans 31-11 in the second half. The final score was Centennial 41, Titans 36.

Next the boys took on the Panthers of Fillmore Central. This game is always a tough game. The Titans led at the half 29-24. With a strong second half, the Titans won 62-52.

Russ Heitmann led the way with 13, Brian Loontjer with 12, Kalen Wenske and Brayden Hergott both had 10, Macaulay Mumm and Trent Tietjen had 5, Greg Dightman had 4 and Jay Cottam had 3. Good luck Titans in this championship week.

Go Titans.

the pivot span when contact was made.

No injuries were reported. No drugs or alcohol were suspected for either driver.

Damage to the Ford pickup was estimated at \$4,000. No damage estimate was available on the 1998 Dodge pickup driven by Gerdes.

All accidents are investigated by personnel from Thayer County Law Enforcement Office.

MEETING NOTICE

On Tuesday, February 7, at 7:30 p.m., the Belvidere Woman's Club will enjoy an evening of laughter at the community center. Members are encouraged to bring a joke, funny song or recitation to share with everyone. Remember: Laughter is contagious, pass it around and laugh as loud as you want.

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Podiatric Medicine

Podiatric medicine is the profession that strives to improve the overall health and well-being of patients by focusing on preventing, diagnosing, and treating conditions associated with the foot and ankle. Doctors of Podiatric Medicine (DPMs) are physicians and surgeons who provide medical care for feet and ankles by medical, surgical, or other means.

More than 75 percent of all Americans will experience foot and ankle problems of varying degrees at one time in their lives. That is why the need for podiatric physicians continues to grow. There are approximately 15,000 doctors of podiatric medicine practicing in the United States today. The skills of these physicians are in increasing demand as the baby boom generation becomes older Americans at almost three times the growth rate of the general population. In addition, the general public's emphasis and interest in sports and health increases the need for healthy feet and the services podiatric physicians provide.

Diabetes currently affects nearly 26 million people in the US, seven million of which are undiagnosed. Today's podiatrists are vital in diabetes management and preventing ulcers and amputation. Recent Centers for Disease Control and Prevention statistics show that in one year, more than 65,000 lower limb amputations were performed in the US due to diabetes-related complications.

If every American at risk for developing a diabetic foot ulcer visited a podiatrist once before complications set in, the US health-care system could save \$3.5 billion annually. Closing this gap in podiatric care would reduce health-care waste on

Thayer County Health News

By Joyce Beck, CEO
Thayer County Health Services



preventable conditions, which reportedly starts at \$25 billion, by 14 percent.

Another staggering static is that 72 percent of Americans say they do not exercise regularly because foot pain prevents them from doing so. This is according to a survey from the American Podiatric Medical Association (APMA). This coupled with the soaring rates of US obesity as reported by the Centers for Disease Control, makes visiting a podiatrist and addressing foot pain even more important.

Another study from the APMA surveyed 1,000 US adults, ages 18 and older, to gain public opinion on attitudes toward foot health and foot care. Results showed that Americans view their feet as the least important body part in terms of their health and well-being. However, feet were the number one body part to experience pain, even more so than teeth or skin.

It is critical that people pay attention to their feet and seek expert treatment for any foot problems. A podiatrist can not only help ensure we are able to exercise, but they can also help identify signs of diabetes, arthritis, nerve and circulatory disorders in your feet. To provide better care to our patients, Thayer County Health Services will begin holding a monthly Podiatry Clinic by Dr. Matthew Hahne, a podiatrist from Lincoln, on Feb. 20. To schedule an appointment with him, call the Specialty Clinic at 402-768-4696.

Source: www.apma.org and www.todayspodiatrist.com/patients.

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Put a picture of your Sweetheart in our Cupid's Corner

Show your love for your sweethearts by placing their photo in our Cupid's Corner that will run in the February 8th issue.

Send or bring in a photo of your child, grandchild, or loved one by Monday, February 6th.

Include name, age, and family members (parents, grandparents, etc.)

Photos can be picked up at the Hebron Journal-Register office or include a self addressed stamped envelope.



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Sweetheart's Name and Age Here
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Thayer County Relay for Life set for July 27

The 2012 ACS Thayer County Relay for Life is set to begin at 6 p.m., Friday, July 27, with some new and exciting options while continuing with the tried and true of having as its main goal of the hope that those lost to cancer will never be forgotten, that those who are battling cancer will be supported, and that one day cancer will be eliminated.

Virginia Brase, rural Davenport represented Thayer County at the Dallas summit last summer. She reported it was an incredible, fast paced weekend of learning and reaffirming why she Relays, not only as a survivor but to assist others battling cancer and funding for treatments and research. Virginia shared the flight to Texas with other area Relayers and Nebraska's 2012 "Heroes for Hope", survivors, Michelle and Lexie.



Brase

After hearing their stories the flight attendant received permission to have them use the speaker system to share their moving stories with everyone on the plane. A cheering crowd greeted them upon landing. Thayer County earned the honor of being second in fundraising per capita in 2011, a generous \$9.26 per resident.

You will be hearing more as Virginia and committee members meet to lay out plans for another and successful 2012 Thayer County Relay for Life.

Secret Library Notes

It's snow time and fun time. Join us at the Hebron Secret Library for a Wild About Winter Story Time on Saturday, Feb. 4. The program will start at 10 a.m. All are welcome.

Take a look at the catalog at hebronsecret.bibliionix.com. We now have e-books and audio books available through OverDrive. The service is free. You must have a current library card. If you have a reader or an i-Pod come in and check us out.

Many new books are available for your personal enjoyment. The younger children are sure to enjoy: "Beautiful Oops" by Barney Saltzberg, "Learning to Ski with Mr. Magee" by Chis VanDusen, "Press Here" by Herve Tullet, "Ten on the Sled" by Kim Norman, or an old favorite "The Mitten" by Alvin Tresselt.

Older readers may enjoy: "Breadcrumbs" by Anne Ursu, "Secrets at Sea" by Richard Peck, "The Scorpio Races" by Maggie Stiefvater, or "The Aviary" by Kathleen O'Dell.

Many best sellers and notable books are available for the young adult and adult readers.

Deshler Public Schools

ACTIVITIES

Friday, February 3: Hastings College Honor Festival; TCHCC, ninth through 12th meeting during SSR; boys' TVC semi-finals at Kenesaw, 6 p.m.

Saturday, February 4: Hastings College Honor Festival; Girls' TVC championship at Kenesaw, 2 p.m.

Tuesday, February 7: Girls' and boys' basketball, Heartland, 4, 5, 6:15, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, February 8: FCA, 6 p.m.

Thursday, February 9: Girls' and boys' basketball at Red Cloud, 4, 5:15, 6:30, 8 p.m.

Thayer Central Community Schools

ACTIVITIES

Friday, February 3: SNC basketball tournament at Milford; SNC wrestling tournament at Fillmore Central; Prairie Wind Music Festival.

Saturday, February 4: Junior high boys' basketball at Superior invitational; Prairie Wind Music Festival; SNC basketball tournament at Milford.

Monday, February 6: Freshmen basketball vs. Sandy Creek, 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, February 7: Junior high boys' basketball vs. Superior; girls' varsity basketball vs. Wilber-Clatonia, 6:15 p.m.

Thursday, February 9: Junior high boys' basketball vs. Tri County, 5 p.m.

Wagner, Pohlmann On Dean's List

Doane College has announced students named to the dean's list for fall 2011.

Students must achieve a minimum 3.7 grade point average on a 4.0 scale to qualify for this academic distinction.

Area students include: Christina Wagner, senior, of Bruning and a graduate of Bruning-Davenport High School;

Brianna Pohlmann, freshman of Deshler and a graduate of Deshler Public Schools.

Hebron Senior Diners

Monday, Feb. 6: Fairbury Trip. Potato and ham casserole, buttered beets, garlic toast, apricots.

Tuesday, Feb. 7: Fajita chicken bake, corn, Nilla Vanilla banana pudding, cranberry juice. *Bingo.*

Wednesday, Feb. 8: Beef stew with barley, biscuit, cheese stick, cherry cherry gelatin.

Thursday, Feb. 9: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, broccoli florets, tropical fruit. *Card Party.*

Friday, Feb. 10: Pollock wedges, calico beans, French fries, lemon bars.

Meals served with bread, butter and milk.

To make reservations, phone 768-6052 by 1:30 p.m. the day before you wish to dine.

E:mail us your news and photos to hebronjr@windstream.net

Thayer County Health Services

Things And Stuff

February 1: Alexandria
February 3: Bruning
February 9: Deshler
February 10: Hebron
February 15: Davenport
February 17: Ruskin
February 23: Hebron
March 1: Hebron
March 2: Hubbell

Hebron volunteers will provide coverage for the remaining open days to the above schedule. Hours: Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays 9 a.m. to noon.

The **Things and Stuff** shop in Hebron is staffed by volunteers from Thayer County and surrounding communities. If you would like to volunteer at the shop, contact Pat Pumphrey at 402-768-6513.

Children Immunization Clinic will be held on Monday, Feb. 13, 2012 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the conference room in the lower level of the hospital in Hebron. This clinic is held

on the 2nd Monday of the month.

Adult Immunization Clinic: If you need to get an adult vaccine, contact Karen Schardt, Immunization Coordinator for Thayer County Health Services, at 402-768-4629.

TCHS Foundation
For Rene Molthan and Wilfred Ficken from June and Merlin Degner

For Rene Molthan from Rita and John Luongo.

Clinic Schedules

Bruning Clinic
Feb. 7: 9-Noon Dr. Sullivan
Feb. 9: 1:30-4:30 Madsen, PAC

Davenport Clinic
Feb. 6: 9-Noon Elting, APRN
Feb. 8: 9-Noon Madsen, PAC

Deshler Clinic
Feb. 6: 1:30-4:30 Elting, APRN
Feb. 7: 1:30-4:30 Johnson, PAC

Milligan Clinic
Feb. 9: 9-Noon Dr. Vonderfecht

Chester Clinic
Feb. 7: 8-Noon Dr. Vonderfecht
Feb. 8: 1:30-4:30 Dr. Vonderfecht

Hebron sign...

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city's permission. It was a promotional project taken on by the Visitor's committee and did not include any discussion with the city.

According to the lease agreement, a contract that is good for 29 years, rent is \$20 per month, or \$240 each year. Payment has, since 2004, been taken out of the Visitor's Committee fund automatically each year, said Thayer County Clerk Marie Rauner, and added that the property owner sends the bill to the clerk's office each year. "This year I forwarded the bill to the committee, which is how they became aware they were paying it."

Commissioner Bruning cited the lease stating the Visitor's group owned the sign, then added that if the

commissioners decided to end the lease, the sign would have to come down. "Or you'll need to renegotiate with the City of Hebron," he said.

The commissioners agreed to take care of the \$240 bill for 2011, but want to iron the situation out before the 2012 bill rolls around. And depending on whether the City agrees to take over the lease or not, will determine whether the sign comes down, or continues to announce the City's amenities.

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OB/GYN
Dr. Adam..... February 7

VASCULAR SURGERY
Dr. Tyndall..... February 7

GENERAL SURGERY
Dr. Tommerassen..... February 8

WOUND CLINIC
Dr. Tommerassen..... February 8

BHI Cardiology
Dr. Miller..... February 10

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Cards of Thanks

Card of Thanks

My thanks to those who sent cards, phone calls and visits during my hospitalization and recuperation following cardiac bypass surgery in Lincoln. I appreciated the emergency care at TCHS by Dr. Vasa and staff and ambulance crew for transportation to BryanLGH in the very early hour.

DUANE MESSMAN

Williams Named To Honor Roll

McPherson College in McPherson, Kan., has recognized its highest academic achievers in its spring 2011 honor roll.

To qualify for the honor roll, students must be a full-time student and earn a grade point average of 3.55 or higher during the previous term.

Seth Williams, a senior, of Davenport, has been named to the fall 2011 honor roll.

MEETING NOTICE

The Board of Educational Service Unit No. 5 will meet in regular session on Feb. 13, 2012, at 5 p.m. at Educational Service Unit No. 5, 900 West Court Street, Beatrice, Neb.

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Area Church News

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Lana Likens, Lay Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 10 a.m.;
Sunday School, 11 a.m.

*** BELVIDERE ***

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Eldon and MaryBeth Nicholson, Pastor
Sunday, Feb. 5: Worship, 9 a.m. Message: "From Whence Cometh Your Talents?" Sacrament of Holy Communion.

*** BETHEL ***

BETHEL CHURCH
Jim Hubble, Pastor
www.bethelccn.org
Sunday, Feb. 5: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; worship, 10:30 a.m.

*** BRUNING ***

TRINITY LUTHERAN
Stuart Sell, Pastor
Sunday, Feb. 5: SS 9 a.m.;
Worship w/Holy Communion, 10 a.m.
Tuesday, Feb. 7: Circle 2 at 9 a.m.; Circle 3 at 2 p.m.
Feb. 8: Confirmation Class; General meeting of Women of the ELCA, 7 p.m..

UNITED METHODIST
Mike Anderson, Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.

*** BYRON ***

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN
Interim Pastor Tom Miller
Sunday, Feb. 5: S.S., 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m. Confirmation, 2 p.m., all at St. Paul Byron

ST. PETER LUTHERAN RURAL BYRON
Interim Pastor Tom Miller

Schedule same as St. Paul, Byron.

*** CARLETON ***

ZION LUTHERAN
Rev. Jonathan K. Jensen
Sunday, Feb. 5: Worship, 9:30 a.m.

*** CHESTER ***

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN
Rev. Timothy Prince, Vacancy Pastor
Sunday, Feb. 5: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

*** DAVENPORT ***

CHRIST'S LUTHERAN
Amy Krejcarek, Pastor
Sundays: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; worship, 10:30 a.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Ron Shields, Pastor
Sundays: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; worship, 10 a.m.

ST. PETER LUTHERAN
Timothy Prince, Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.;
Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST
Mike Anderson, Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

*** DESHLER ***

ABIDING WORD LUTHERAN
Pastor
Sunday, Feb. 5: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; worship, 10:30 a.m.

PEACE LUTHERAN
Phillip Nielsen, Pastor
Wednesday, Feb. 1: PACE classes meet at 7 p.m. for "Witnesses." Youth of Peace Study Night w/supper, 6 p.m.; "Witnesses" Drama w/fellowship following, 7 p.m.; Peace Choir, 8:30 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 3: Meadowlark Heights Bible Study, 11 a.m.
Saturday, Feb. 4: Holy Communion, 8:30 p.m.
Sunday, Feb. 5: Adult Praise Team, 8:30 a.m.; Sunday School for all, 8:45 a.m.; Holy Communion, 10 a.m., Financial Peace University, 1:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Feb. 7: Crossways Bible Study, 7 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 8: Men's Breakfast @ Grampa's Crossing, 7 a.m.; Meadowlark Heights Communion, 9:45 a.m.; PVH Communion, 10:30 a.m.; PACE 5 & 6, 4 p.m.; 7 & 8 at 5 p.m.; Membership and Friendship Team, 7 p.m.; Peace Choir, 8 p.m.

ST. PETER LUTHERAN
Brian Francik, Pastor
Wednesday, Feb. 1: Pastor @ Faith Lutheran, Hebron, 10 a.m.; Midweek Confirmation, 6 p.m.; Handbells, 6:30 p.m.; Choir, 8 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 2: Quilt tying, 9 a.m.; DLS Chapel, 9:15 a.m.
Friday, Feb. 3: Bulletin folders, 1 p.m.
Sunday, Feb. 5: (Lutheran Hour Sunday) Worship w/Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 10:45 a.m.
Monday, Feb. 6: Winter Break-NO SCHOOL @ DLS; Friends of the School (FOS) @ DLS, 7 p.m.; Elders, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Feb. 7: Men's Bible Study Breakfast, 7 a.m.; LifeLight, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Communion at Meadowlark Heights, 1 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 8: Pastor at Faith, 10 a.m.; Midweek Confirmation, 6 p.m.; Handbells, 6:30 p.m.; Choir, 8 p.m.

ST. PETER LUTHERAN
Timothy Prince, Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.;
Sunday School, 10:15 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST
Mike Anderson, Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

*** FRIEDENSAU ***
TRINITY LUTHERAN
B. J. Fouts, Pastor
Thursday, Feb. 2: DLS Chapel, 9:15 a.m.; Final Victory Bible Class, 7 p.m.

Feb. 3-4: Men's Woodcutting Retreat @ Camp Luther
Sunday, Feb. 5: Communion Service, 10 a.m.; SS and Bible Class, 11:15 a.m.
Monday, Feb. 6: Elders' Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Feb. 7: Ladies Aid, 2 p.m.; Women's bible Study, 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 9: DLS Chapel, 9:15 a.m.; Pastor @ Ruskin; Final Victory Bible Class, 7 p.m.

*** GILEAD ***

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
Nile Buch, Interim Pastor
Sunday, Feb. 5: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; worship, 11 a.m.

*** HARDY ***

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN
Interim Pastor Tom Miller

*** HEBRON ***

FAITH LUTHERAN
Brian Francik, Vacancy Pastor
Sunday, Feb. 5: Worship, 8 a.m.; Sunday School, 9 a.m.

FIRST COMMUNITY CHURCH
Steve Speichinger, Pastor
Sunday, Feb. 5: Worship, 10 a.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
Connie Stone, Pastor
Sunday, Feb. 5: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Keith Brozek, Pastor
Wednesday, Feb. 1: All Youth Group Night, 6:30 p.m.; Faith Circle meeting at Mary's Cafe, 6 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 2: Holy Communion at Assisted Living, 9-10 a.m.; Holy Communion at Blue Valley Lutheran Home, 10 a.m.
Saturday, Feb. 4: Prairie Club-

NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY
Tim Boatright, Pastor

ter meeting at Davenport, 2 p.m.;
Worship w/Holy Communion, 6:30 p.m.
Sunday, Feb. 5: Worship w/Holy Communion/Installation of 2012 officers, 9 a.m.; Coffee fellowship, 10 a.m.; SS, 10:15 a.m.; Adult Bible study, 10:30 a.m.
Tuesday, Feb. 7: Rebekah Circle meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 8: Confirmation, 6:30 p.m.; Administrative Council meeting, 8 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 9: Ministerial meeting, 10 a.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Dave Coleman, Pastor
Sunday, Feb. 12: Services at 6 p.m., 916 Lincoln Ave., Hebron. 8 week series on how to have success in the Christian life.

HEBRON & CHESTER UNITED METHODIST

Mark Baldwin, Pastor
Wednesday, Feb. 1: Confirmation, Hebron, 6 p.m.; U.M. Women, Hebron, 7 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 4: Worship, 7 p.m. Hebron
Sunday, Feb. 5: Worship, Hebron, 9 a.m.; SS Chester, 9:30 a.m.; Coffee fellowship, Hebron, 10 a.m.; SS, Hebron, 10:30 a.m.; Worship, Chester, 11 a.m.; Bible Study, Hebron, 6 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 8: Spaghetti Supper sponsored by Youth, Hebron, 5:30-8:10 p.m.

KING OF KINGS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Darrell Sutton, Pastor
Tuesdays: Service, 7 p.m.
Sundays: Worship, 3 p.m.
Sunday School 2 p.m., 1st and 3rd Sundays of month.
Heartland Revival Hour Broadcasts Sunday mornings, 10:45 a.m., KRVN Radio 880, 11:30 a.m. to noon; Friday on HCTV, 4:30 p.m.

NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY

Wednesdays: Kids On The Move, 7 p.m.; Bible Study alternating Wednesdays, 7 p.m.
Sundays: Every other Sunday, men's Bible Study, 9 a.m.; worship, 10:30 a.m.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC

Father Rudolf Oborny, Pastor
Wednesday, Feb. 1: CCD and Confirmation Class, 7 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 2: Altar Society, 3 p.m.; Quilt tying, 12:30 p.m.; Rosary and lunch at 2:30 p.m.
Holy Hour at 7 p.m.
Friday, Feb. 3: First Friday Mass at 7:20 a.m.; Breakfast and fellowship at Mary's Cafe following.
Saturday, Feb. 4: Mass, 6 p.m.
Sunday, Feb. 5: Mass, 10 a.m.; Knights of Columbus Soup Dinner, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.
Monday, Feb. 6: Instructions in the Faith Class, 7 p.m. in social hall.
Wednesday, Feb. 8: CCD, 7 p.m.

HEBRON BIBLE CHURCH

Jeff Friesen, Pastor
Sundays: Worship, 10 a.m.; Sunday School, 9 a.m.
Second and fourth Tuesdays, ladies' bible study, 7 p.m.

*** HUBBELL * ZION LUTHERAN**

Rev. Timothy Prince, Vacancy Pastor
Sunday, Feb. 5: Worship, 8:30 a.m.

*** OAK * FIRST COMMUNITY CHURCH**

Arthur Taylor, Interim Pastor
Sunday, Jan. 29: Regular worship time.

To make additions or changes, Fax 402-768-7354, e-mail hebronjr@windstream.net or phone 402-768-6602. Copy requested by noon on Mondays.

Obituaries

Virginia Brinegar

From a baby girl who was born two months before expected in a simple Alliance home on March 11, 1923, to an 88 year old matriarch of a thriving family, Virginia Hoppe Brinegar showed her tenacity and spunk through her whole life. She passed away on Jan. 26, 2012.



She married E.E. "Bud" Brinegar in Phoenix City, Ala., on Aug. 28, 1942, and together they have been prime examples of the greatest generation going through the hardships of the 1930's depression and World War II.

She gave birth to daughter Sharon on Easter Sunday, April 1, 1945, while Bud was in Germany, lost son Bruce in 1951 as a result of a crib death, and was honored with the coming of son Clyde on Feb. 5 1958. She has had the joy of the birth of six grandchildren, and grieved the loss of two grandsons.

Virginia started her teaching career in a one room school-house outside of Hebron at the age of 17. As she and Bud journeyed through their 69 year marriage, she worked towards her bachelor's degree which she finally received from Idaho State University.

She taught elementary school at Dixie Redtop School outside of Caldwell, Idaho, continued her 37 year teaching career in Hailey, Preston, Meridian, and Grand Junction, Colo., retiring from Southwest Elementary School in Burley, Idaho.

As a survivor of the depression, Virginia felt the need to not have to fear for the next dollar in her pocket, and as a result she created a passion for real estate investment. This became her second career as she delved full heartedly into the rental business.

She and Bud have often been found in their favorite pew at the United Methodist Church in Meridian, and knew their spot for lunch at the Meridian Senior Center. At these and other gatherings throughout her life, she has made lifetime memories and friendships.

Virginia is survived by husband Bud, daughter Sharon;

son, Clyde (Kathleen); sister, Myrtle (Dale) Christensen; grandsons, Shane Ostermeier and Mark Brinegar; granddaughters, Katy (Peter) Privon, and Keriann Brinegar, along with several loving nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Harold and Winnie Hoppe; brother, Harold Hoppe Jr.; sister, Fern Ruscica; son, Bruce; grandsons, Sean Ostermeier and Reed Ostermeier.

A service, under the direction of Accent Funeral Home, was held at the Meridian United Methodist Church, with Pastor John Mars officiating on Jan. 30.

Interment was at the Idaho State Veterans Cemetery.

Remembrances may be left for the family at www.Accent-Funeral.com.

Don McKenzie

Don Lee McKenzie, 72 years old, resident of Belmont, Calif., passed away with his loving family at his side on Jan. 23, 2012, after a valiant battle with interstitial pulmonary fibrosis.



Don was born Feb. 15, 1939, in Hebron to Louis and Esther McKenzie. As a young boy "Donny" loved adventure and playing with his friends along the Little Blue River in Hebron, and participating in high school sports.

Don graduated with business degrees from the University of Nebraska and the University of Missouri with an MBA from Akron University in Akron, Ohio.

Don served on several com-

munity boards throughout his career including the Belmont Planning Commission and as a beloved board member of Underdog Rescue in Minneapolis, Minn. He was also a lifelong Nebraska football fan and proud alum of Phi Delta Theta fraternity. In his free time he enjoyed playing golf with his golf buddies.

In addition to his parents he is preceded in death by his brothers, Stephen and Jerrold McKenzie.

The funeral mass was celebrated Jan. 28 at the Cunningham Chapel of Notre Dame de Namur University, Belmont, Calif.

Memorial donations may be made to Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation, 811 West Evergreen Ave, Suite 204, Chicago, IL 60642, or Underdog Rescue, P.O. Box 16453, St. Louis Park, MN 55416.

Rene Molthan

Rene Orville Molthan was born to Orville and Edna Molthan on Dec 20, 1949, in Hastings. After battling cancer for seven years, he died peacefully in his home in Bruning, surrounded by friends and family on Jan. 21, 2012.

Rene grew up in Bruning and moved to Davenport in 1966 to live with his Grandma and Grandpa Whitmore.

He graduated from Davenport High School in 1968. It was there that he met the love of his life, Virginia Kay "Jill" Pearson. Rene and Jill were married on Jan. 25, 1969 (eventually celebrating 43 years of marriage).

Rene went to Kearney State College where he graduated with a bachelor of science degree in business education in 1972. He went on to teach business at Pine Bluffs High School in Wyoming.

Rene returned to Nebraska to be closer to family, living in Geneva, Davenport and eventually settling in Bruning. Rene worked at Reinke Mfg. in the shipping department and in quality assurance until he retired in 2010.

Rene was baptized, confirmed and continued a long and faithful membership with the church.

Rene enjoyed working with his hands and spent a lot of time woodworking. He was inventive and always had many

projects going. Rene was a spirited prankster with a great sense of humor who enjoyed making people laugh.

He was a lover of the outdoors, enjoying camping, fishing and many other activities. In addition, he was a skilled drummer, and member of bands such as Western Wonders, Ambush, Blue River Revue, and Justified.

Rene is preceded in death by his father, Orville and brother, Warren.

He is survived by his wife, Jill; daughters, Cassidy (Chuck) Hoffschneider of Fremont, Carrie (Todd) Cernin of Leshara and Cholly Molthan and fiancé Matt Partridge of Columbus, Ohio; grandchildren, Hannah, Morgan, and Evan Hoffschneider; mother, Edna Molthan; siblings, Larry (Marilyn) Molthan, and Debra Molthan and also leaves behind many additional family members and wonderful friends who have supported and cared for him during his illness.

Rene never lost his ability to laugh and smile and continued to show his love for family, friends, music, and cars until the end.

Funeral services were con-

ducted on Jan. 25 at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Bruning with Pastor Stuart Sell and Pastor Amy Krejcarek officiating. Janice Fintel accompanied the congregation who sang "Amazing Grace." Special recorded musical selections were "How Great Thou Art," "If Heaven," "Keep Me In Your Heart," "I Can't Stop Loving You" and "Walk Of Life."

Casket bearers were Charles Hoffschneider, Todd Cernin,

Matthew Partridge, Evan Hoffschneider, Larry Molthan, Jerry Parks and Wesley Mosier.

Honorary bearers were Rodney Miller, Ronn Pearson, Randy Pearson and Steven Reinke.

Interment was in the Bruning Public Cemetery with Farmer and Son Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements.

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Mary Lanning Memorial HealthCare and the Morrison Cancer Center-MLMH are pleased to welcome Dr. Mark Carlson to the hospital and the cancer center.

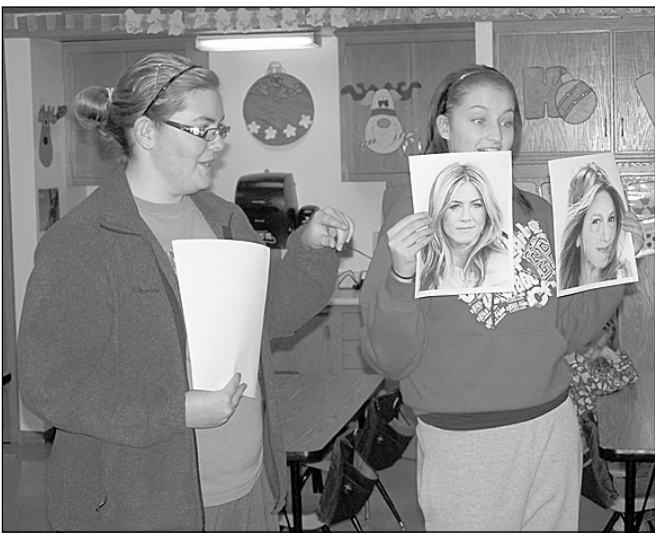
Dr. Carlson, who works with Southeast Nebraska Cancer Center in Lincoln, is now seeing patients in Hastings four days a week. It's part of a collaboration between the Hastings and Lincoln cancer specialists to expand the scope of services provided locally.

Dr. Carlson received a Doctor of Medicine Degree from Loma Linda University School of Medicine in California, and served an internship, an internal medicine residency and a hematology-oncology fellowship at the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center in Oklahoma City.

Appointments with Dr. Carlson can be arranged by calling the cancer center at 402-460-5899.



Healthy Communities Coalition Visits Elementary



Courtesy Photo

Thayer Central's Health Communities Coalition visited the elementary classroom to discuss tobacco.

Thayer Central High School members of the Thayer County Healthy Communities Coalition went back into the elementary classrooms to discuss tobacco. The classroom heroes re-introduced themselves to the students and asked if they remembered what the definition of a hero was.

After a brief discussion about heroes being people who shows courage and have outstanding qualities like honesty and trust, they asked the students what they have done as heroes since the last time they visited. Most said they had been kinder to their brothers and sisters. The high school coalition members then explained ways they have been heroes by not posting negative things on Facebook and also helping others to make good decisions.

Then the students started an interactive discussion about the harmful effects of tobacco. They started by holding up a picture of Jennifer Aniston to see if they recognized her. They discussed her beautiful hair and pretty face and then held up a picture of her with lots of wrinkles so they could see what happens when you smoke a lot. The TCHCC

members explained that nicotine causes narrowing of the blood vessels so your skin doesn't get as much oxygen. The chemicals in cigarettes cause damage to the fibers that give your skin its strength so your skin begins to sag and wrinkle.

The heroes also showed pictures of Lindsay Lohan and compared how she looked from high school to now and even what she may look like in the future if she continues to make bad decisions. The elementary students particularly noticed that her teeth were not white anymore and her hair was really thinning.

Next, the TCHCC Heroes discussed what chemicals were found in cigarettes such as butane and ammonia. They informed them that there are over 4,000 dangerous chemicals in cigarettes and how they can cause cancer.

They ended the presentation with asking the students if they thought heroes would ever ruin their bodies with tobacco. They asked the students to be heroes with them and make the commitment to be courageous and always say no to tobacco, alcohol and drugs.



Courtesy Photo

Valentine Poster...

Eleven Thayer Central TCHCC Junior High members created valentine posters with the message, "Give Hugs and Kisses... Not Drugs and Broken Wishes." The posters are hung in different areas of the junior high and high school building also feature tobacco facts such as: Smoking Kills...more people than alcohol, AIDS, car crashes, illegal drugs, murders, and suicides combined.

Thayer Central FCCLA Says: Discuss Tobacco With Your Child

By Cheyanna Tietjen
Thayer Central FCCLA

Lung cancer is the leading cause of cancer death in every ethnic group in America. According to the Lung Cancer Alliance, In 2011, 156,940 people died in the United States from lung cancer. Colon Cancer was second with 49,380 deaths. This statistic alone should give you the incentive to talk to your kids about the dangers of tobacco. In this issue I will give you helpful hints on how to discuss tobacco with your youth, including teens.

Nationally, almost 90 percent of new smokers are children and teenagers. As a parent, you are the biggest influence in your child's life. So by visiting with your children starting at age five or six on a regular basis can help them understand why it is important to never start using tobacco. Now, some of you may think that five years old may be extremely young to start talking about tobacco, but statistics show that most youth start smoking at 11 years of age.

Youth are exposed to tobacco marketing at a very young age from showing popular actors smoking in movies and tobacco ads on pop coolers and next to candy. Tobacco companies have also known for centuries that famous people have a huge influence on what youth do. In fact, in the early 1900's baseball cards were distributed along with tobacco to encourage youth to try their products. Most baseball stars did not oppose this, but Honus Wagner, a nonsmoker, objected to being included in the promotion because he did not want to set a bad example for children. Today, Honus Wagner's baseball card is one of the most valuable in existence due to the recall of his card in 1909. It is estimated to be worth close to \$500,000.

In order for youth to be able to resist the temptations of tobacco companies, they must have parent support to give them confidence to say no. Below is information from kidshealth.org to help you start the conversation about tobacco with your kids.

- Discuss tobacco in a way that doesn't make kids fear punishment or judgment.
- It's important to keep talking to kids about the dangers of tobacco use over the years. Even the youngest child can understand that smoking is bad for the body.
- Ask what kids find appealing — or unappealing — about smoking. Be a patient listener.
- Show that you value your kids' opinions and ideas.
- Discuss ways to respond to peer pressure to smoke. Your child may feel confident simply saying "no." But also offer alternative responses such as "It will make my clothes and breath smell bad" or "I hate the way it makes me look."
- Emphasize what kids

do right rather than wrong. Self-confidence is a child's best protection against peer pressure.

- Encourage kids to walk away from friends who don't respect their reasons for not smoking.
- Establish firm rules that exclude smoking and chewing tobacco from your house and explain why: Smokers smell bad, look bad, and feel bad, and it's bad for everyone's health.

As parents you can help keep your kids from smoking by basically being a good parent. Always encourage your children to stay active in school and extra activities that discourage smoking. Also, set and enforce consistent rules, talk to your children regularly, pay attention to the friends they are associating with, and stay interested and involved in your child's life. Remember: Be a parent, not a friend.

TCHS Guild Has Kool-Aid Program

Hearts and flowers, ribbons and lace on decorated tables located in the lobby of the Thayer County Health Services greeted members and guests of the Guild on Wednesday, Jan. 25. Open meetings are held occasionally during the year as an opportunity for the public to be made aware of how the organization operates and what is happening.

Good food is an added incentive to attract the public so a catered luncheon was held and enjoyed.

President Julie Rhoades can be counted on to open each meeting with insightful comments and the broad subject of relationships was approached this day. Friendships are formed as willing volunteers assist in the operating of the Guild's thrift shop from which income generated enables the group to contribute needed items suggest by the hospital staff. Memberships in the Guild are available at the thrift shop.

The Lights of Love campaign held at Christmas time by donating gifts in honor or memory of friends and family generates funds designated at this time toward the purchase of ultrasound equipment for the radiology department.

At the informal meeting following the program, the purchase of a stand-mounted microscope equipped with surgical head maneuvering and automatic fine focus plus

other features was unanimously approved. This will ensure uninterrupted vision during surgical procedures. Other concerns were tabled until the next regular meeting.

Guild members are notably conscientious stewards of the organization's assets simply because they are held responsible for the volunteer hours, donors and customers who have a role in making it all happen.

The relationship between mother and daughter Lois Ream and Nancy Baden was enjoyed by the group when together they produced the program on the history of the Kool-Aid product from its inception in the 1920's by Edwin Perkins to the Kool-Aid Days Festival held in Hastings for the past 15 years. Lois has been collecting related items including the early smiley-faced pitcher to t-shirts.

History given by Nancy related that as in many cases during hard economic times success was achieved and Kitty Perkins Foundation desires to show its gratitude for public support through the years by quietly supporting worthy causes. This was noted by a Perkins family member present at the meeting.

The next TCHS Guild board meeting will be held in the Bruning Conference Room of the hospital on Feb. 22 at 9 a.m.

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Deshler Dragons 2011-12 Boys Basketball Team
Back row (l-r): Josiah Burger, Luke Dlouhy, Lane Baker, Clay Jones, Trevor Taylor, Adam Duen-sing, and Brett Finke. Front row (l-r): Noah Burger, Ashton Oakman, Tyler Brabec, Hayden Loontjer, Noah Barker, Sean Jones, Kyle Dlouhy, Joel Schardt, Jonah Vonderfecht, and Jared Pohlmann. Not pictured: Jeffrey Grummert

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Deshler Dragons 2011-12 Girls Basketball Team
Back row (l-r): Lauren Schmidt, Rio Mohrmann, Emma Baker, Leah Werner, and Jana Finke. Middle row (l-r): Morgynn Schmidt, Triniti Reinke, Carlee Schardt, Jencscena Hansen, and April Maschmann. Front row (l-r): Christina Hoops, Kelsey Durlfing, Mackenzie Mohrmann, and Briana Dahl. Not pictured: Ashlee Fielding and Katelyn Pohlmann.

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Sports

CROSSROADS CONFERENCE

Eagles finish third at CRC

The Bruning-Davenport/Shickley Eagles finished third at the Crossroads Conference tournament last week. The finish gives them a 13-4 record as they look to the end of the season.

Consolation match

In the consolation match, the Eagles defeated Cross County 52-42 behind Ryan Tegtmeier's 35-point shooting. The junior hit 13 free throws in a row to go 13-for-14 from line and lead the Eagles team to its victory.

"At the end, Cross County had to foul and between Ryan and Kendrick Holeman, we went 10-for-10 from the line down the stretch," said BDS coach Fred Kluck. "He scored six of his nine points in the fourth quarter and really took some pressure off of Ryan. This was a fairly typical consolation game. Both teams were tired so we kind of gutted one out and held on."

The coach added that Michael Houchin did an outstanding job on defense holding Cross County's leading scorer scoreless for the game. "In addition, he pulled down six rebound and took away a couple of steal while leading us in assists with three," he said.

The team had 13-for-28 field goals and 17-for-19 free throws while holding Cross County to 15-for-24 field goals and 3-for-10 free throws. BDS also had 21 rebounds over Cross County's 17.

Semifinal

The Eagles fell to the consolation bracket after losing to Giltner in the semifinal match of the CRC.

BDS came from a four-point deficit in the first period, 7-11, to end the half 22-17, but Giltner was able to stave off the Eagle attack to win the game, 46-42. The win came down the stretch as the Hornets' Ethan Kreutz hit seven free throws to lock up the final score.

"We played a really good team close," said Coach

Kluck, "and we played them hard. We just needed a couple more things to break our way at the end, and we weren't quite good enough to make those things happen."

Tegtmeier turned in 24 points behind four treys in the contest. He was 8-for-19 in field goals and 4-for-5 in free throws. The junior also had nine of the team's 31 rebounds.

Quarterfinal

Tegtmeier again led the Eagles in its first contest of the CRC against Osceola. The junior collected 22 points on the way to a 45-33 victory.

BDS gained a significant

SCORE

Eagles (12-3): 10-09-15-11-45
Osceola: 04-16-02-11-33

Tegtmeier 22, Houchin 5, Holeman 5, Lauenstein 5, Christensen 4, Schoenholtz 2, Norder 2.

Eagles (12-4): 07-15-06-14-42
Giltner: 11-06-13-16-46

Tegtmeier 24, Holeman 5, Christensen 4, Lauenstein 4, Schoenholtz 4, Houchin 1.

Eagles (13-4): 17-06-11-18-52
Cross Co: 12-11-06-13-42

Tegtmeier 35, Holeman 9, Houchin 4, Lauenstein 2, Christensen 2.



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Lady Eagle senior Shelby Garland (r) cuts into a Hampton defender during the Crossroads Conference quarterfinal game at York.

lead in the first period, 10-4, but Osceola rallied in the second to close the first half up by one, 20-19.

BDS was able to turn the tide in the third period holding Osceola to just two points while putting up 15 which was enough to win the game.

The Eagles head to Shelby this Friday, Feb. 3. Subdistricts begin Feb. 20.

Lady Eagles go 2-1 for CRC third

The Lady Eagles ended the Crossroads Conference on a third place win to boost their record to 10-8 as they get ready to face the end of the season.

Consolation match



JR Photo/Jacque Rocole

BDS junior Dylan Lauenstein goes up for two during the Crossroads Conference quarterfinal contest against Osceola at York.

hitting some shots."

The team was 15-for-41 in field goals and 15-for-23 in free throws.

The Lady Eagles head to Shelby this Friday, Feb. 3. Subdistricts begin Feb. 11.

SCORE

Eagles (9-7): 15-16-12-14-57
Hampton: 09-12-14-11-46

Garland 17, CMick 11, JMick 8, Kleinschmidt 6, Swartzendruber 4, Hoins 3, Schroeder 3, Bentley 2, Pavelka 2, Hinrichs 1.

Eagles (9-8): 06-11-04-04-25
Ex-Mill: 11-08-08-15-42

Kleinschmidt 7, Swartzendruber 5, CMick 4, Garland 4, Schoreder 3, JMick 2.

Eagles (10-8): 06-09-11-09-35
Cross Co: 04-08-08-06-26

Garland 9, Kleinschmidt 8, JMick 5, CMick 4, Hinrichs 3, Bentley 3, Swartzendruber 3.

BOYS BASKETBALL

Titans

Thayer Central dropped its record to 6-10 after falling to Centennial, 35-48, last week. The team, who began the Southern Nebraska Conference tourney Monday night, struggled to stay even with the Broncos through each period.

"We jumped on them pretty good to begin the game," said Thayer Central Coach Dennis Johnson. "We shot the ball extremely well the first four minutes, but they had an answer for our made shots."

Coach Johnson said the team struggled to get the defensive stops they needed and it showed when the Titans were down by 12 at the break.

Kalen Wenske led the attack posting ten points while Greg Dightman added eight. "We did some things better than we have been doing," added Coach Johnson. "Centennial is a good team and we just don't put enough minutes together to beat good teams like that. We'll do something really well for awhile, and then have a break down. But we are looking to get better every day."

The Titans defeated Fillmore Central, 62-52, as the quarterfinal rounds of the SNC got underway at home. Seeded 7th, the victory advanced the Titans to a contest against second-seeded Sutton on the Mustang court Tuesday night. Details of the conference will be available next week here on the Sports page.

SCORE

Titans (6-10): 14-04-13-04-35
Cent: 17-13-09-09-48

Wenske 10, Dightman 8, Hergott 7, Heitmann 5, Van Cleef 3, Tietjen 2.

Titans (7-10): 12-17-12-21-62
Panthers: 14-10-13-15-52

Van Cleef 12, Loontjer 12, Hergott 10, Wenske 10, Dightman 5, Tietjen 5, Mumm 5, Heitmann 3.

Dragons

The Deshler Dragons defeated Superior 64-36, Jan. 24, at Superior. The win lifted their regular season record to 9-5.

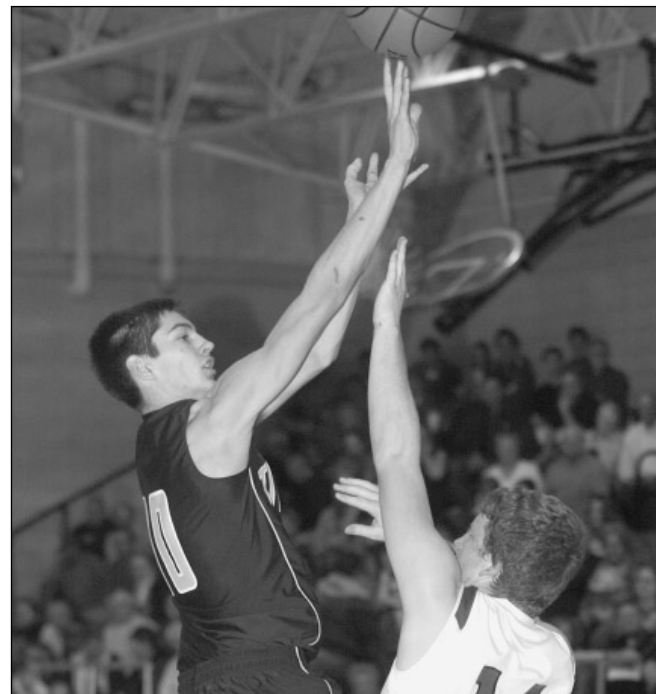
Luke Dlouhy and Lane Baker combined for 40 of Deshler's 64 points to lead the squad. Dlouhy was good for 21 points while Baker had 19.

The Dragons headed into the Twin Valley Conference tournament Tuesday, Jan. 31. Seeded second, the squad faced No. 7 Harvard. Details of the TVC contest can be found right here next week on the Sports page.

SCORE

Dragons (9-6): 21-14-20-09-64
Superior: 10-04-04-18-36

LDlouhy 21, Baker 19, Burger 10, Finke 9, Jones 3, KDlouhy 2.



JR Photo/Mike Edgecombe

Thayer Central's Trent Tietjen (l) takes a shot against Centennial last week in regular season play. The Titans started the SNC tourney Monday night.



JR Photo/Mike Edgecombe

Thayer Central alumnus and University of Nebraska-Lincoln track athlete Seth Wiedel competed in the first Mark Colligan Memorial track meet at the Devaney Center Indoor Track on Saturday afternoon. The Husker men finished first in the team rankings with 152.5 total points. Individually, Wiedel finished second in the long jump with a leap of 23'11.5". His best so far this year is 24'3/4". He finished 15th in the 200 meter race with a personal best indoor time of 22.09 seconds.

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GIRLS BASKETBALL

Titans

The Lady Titans picked up their fourth win of the season after downing Centennial last Friday night, 33-20. The team secured the win after shooting 9-for-11 from the charity stripe in the final stretch. "Megan Bulin was 4-for-4 from the free throw line in the fourth quarter when we really needed the points," said Thayer Central Coach Andy Long. "She and Madison Reece gave us some quality minutes throughout the game."

Coach Long said three of his starters had to sit out for most of the first half due to foul problems, and teammates off the bench did a great job of keeping the squad in the game and not letting Centennial jump out to an early lead. Thayer Central trailed by two after the first period, but knotted the score at 12 by the halftime mark.

Bridgette Baden led the offensive effort with nine points and eight rebounds while Claire Timmerman added seven points. Bulin collected a season high eight rebounds.

The Titans again faced Centennial in the quarterfinal round of the Southern Nebraska Conference tournament Monday night. Unfortunately Centennial captured the win, 41-36, ousting the Lady Titans from the tourney.

Details will be available next week here on the Sports page.



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Thayer Central's Bridgette Baden (l) gets ready for a jumper during the contest against Centennial last week. The Lady Titans began SNC action Monday night at home.

Chester Senior Dinners

Game night, Thursdays: 6 p.m.

Monday, Feb. 6: Potato and ham casserole, buttered beets, garlic toast, apricots. *Mixed up Snax.*

Tuesday, Feb. 7: Fajita chicken bake, corn, Nilla Vanilla banana pudding, cranberry juice. *Jokes.*

Wednesday, Feb. 8: Beef stew with barley, biscuit, cheese stick, cherry cherry gelatin. *Loveable Matchups.*

Thursday, Feb. 9: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, broccoli florets, tropical fruit. *Word Search.*

Friday, Feb. 10: Pollock wedges, calico beans, French fries, lemon bars. *Perfect Pair.*

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To make reservations, phone 324-5271 by 1:30 p.m., the day before you wish to dine.



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Carving...

John Gillett has been seen working outdoors on nice days this winter carving on a piece of wood for an art project. This is his first attempt at something like this and it can already be recognized as a fish.

Cammack Presents Sleep Program At Senior Center

Jill Cammack presented a program at the Chester Senior Center last week on the importance of a good night's sleep.

Some of the facts she presented were that sleep problems may affect more than half of Americans older than age 65. Poor sleep can cause daytime drowsiness, reduced concentration, and increased irritability.

More than 30 percent of older adults may have sleep apnea or periodic limb movement syndrome.

Stressful situations are the most common cause of sleep trouble. Mental health conditions such as depression or anxiety can cause sleep problems, as well as medications, drinking beverages with caffeine or alcohol, exercising before bedtime, or spending



Jill Cammack

too much time in bed trying to sleep. Adjusting some of those may help one to have a better night's sleep.



Blue Valley Bowl Bowling Results

MONDAY MEN'S NIGHT EARLY - City

High Team Scratch Series: Blue Valley Bowl - 2307; High Scratch Game: Dusty Michels 276, Bryce Mammen 236, Dennis Degenhardt 229; High Scratch Series: Bryce Mammen 649, Bob Fayle 642, Dale Werner 629.

TUESDAY NIGHT WOMEN'S - Bowlerettes

High Team Scratch Series: Deshler Bar - 1892; High Scratch Game: Cheryl Tatro 221, Wendy Michels 211, Marlene Kendall 194; High Scratch Series: Cheryl Tatro 619, Wendy Michels 505, Katie Chaney 479.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEN'S - American

High Team Scratch Series: Kass Ford #2 - 2129; High Scratch Game: Manny Motto 239, Stan Baden 231, Rick Kassebaum 212; High Scratch Series: Manny Motto 622, Dean Blincoe 594, Stan Baden 591.

THURSDAY NIGHT WOMEN'S - Rockettes

High Team Scratch Series: Victory Too - 1830; High Scratch Game: Cheryl Tatro 224, Dana Bolte 199, Marissa Wagenblast 192; High Scratch Series: Cheryl Tatro 568, Dana Bolte 527, Kelly Mumm 475.

THURSDAY NIGHT MEN'S LATE - Pinbuster

High Team Scratch Series: Geneva TV - 2048; High Scratch Game Men: Devin Burress 226, Dale Werner 225, Gary Reinsch 224; High Scratch Series: Devin Burress 610, Gary Reinsch 572, Dale Werner 561.

FRIDAY SENIOR LEAGUE

High Team Scratch Series: Schmidts - 1184; High Scratch Game Men: Fred Schmidt 194, LeRoy Othling 178, Marvin Schmidt 157; High Scratch Game Women: Linda Dudgeon 145, Annabelle Nacke 140, Lela Brettman 135; High Team Series Men: Fred Schmidt 536, LeRoy Othling 449, Lester Ebel 433; High Team Series Women: Annabelle Nacke 373, Sandy Waite 360, Linda Dudgeon 358.

SUNDAY NIGHT MIXED

High Team Scratch Series: Burress Trucking 1774 - 1930; High Scratch Game Men: Devin Burress 206, Mike Prellwitz 190, Pat Kenner 184; High Scratch Game Women: Michele Modlin 176, Dana Bolte 167, Deb Kenning 155; High Team Series Men: Devin Burress 521, Mike Prellwitz 518, Alan Bohling 467; High Team Series Women: Michele Modlin 483, Dana Bolte 437, Deb Kenning 410.



JR Photo/Jacque Rocole

Lady Dragon sophomore Carlee Schardt attempts to shoot past Lawrence-Nelson 6'1" senior Kelsey Billoft in the quarterfinal round of the Twin Valley Conference game at Deshler Monday night. The Dragons fell to the Lady Raiders ending their conference contention.

SCORE

Titans (4-12): 07-05-08-13-33
Cent: 09-03-08-00-20

Baden 9, Timmerman 7, Reece 6, Bulin 5, Long 3, KTietjen 2, Kovacs 1.

Titans (4-13): 12-13-06-05-36
Cent: 05-05-16-15-41

Long 10, Tietjen 7, Timmerman 5, Kovacs 4, Johnson 3, Reece 3, Baden 2, Bulin 2.

Dragons

The Deshler Dragons team fell to Superior and Kenesaw last week dropping its regular season record to 8-8 before heading into the Twin Valley Conference Monday night, Jan. 20.

There, the squad seeded fourth in the TVC bracket, fell to No. 5 Lawrence/Nelson, 29-34, in the quarterfinal round of the tourney.

Deshler gained a one-point edge in the first quarter, but began to break down in the second only managing three points in the contest. Lawrence-Nelson center Kelsey Billoft, at 6'1", became problematic for the Dragon team as the center continued to knock away any shots from under the basket.

Rebounding against the Raiders' center also proved troublesome allowing the Raiders to gain the momentum before the half closing out the first two quarters 15-11 over the Dragons.

Deshler was led by senior April Maschmann who managed to score nine on the night while Kelsey Durflinger added seven.

Other details of the game were not available. The Twin Valley Conference Girls' Tournament moves to Kenesaw on Thursday Feb. 2. The Dragons'

TVC contention ends with the loss to the Raiders.

Superior

In the game against Superior, the Lady Dragons finished the first quarter 10-8, but struggled against the Superior offense in the second period falling to 14-26 at the half. The Wildcats ended the contest 46-38.

Leading the way for Deshler was Jencena Hansen with 17 points and April Maschman with nine points.

Kenesaw

Against Kenesaw, Deshler spent most of the game attempting to catch the Blue Devils ending the first period 12-13, the half 19-23, and finally the game 35-40.

Hansen again led the Dragons with 14 points.

The Dragons return to regular season play next week as they host the Heartland Huskies, Tuesday, Feb. 7, then head to Red Cloud, Thursday, Feb. 9.

SCORE

Dragons (8-7): 10-04-14-10-38
Superior: 08-18-05-15-46

Hansen 17, Maschmann 9, Dahl 6, Schardt 5, Durflinger 1.

Dragons (8-8): 12-07-08-08-35
Kenesaw: 13-10-10-07-40

Hansen 14, Maschmann 6, Durflinger 6, Schardt 5, Schmidt 2.

Dragons (8-9): 08-03-05-13-29
Law/Nel: 07-08-07-12-34

Maschmann 9, Durflinger 7, Hansen 5, Schardt 4, Mohrmann 4.

T.C. Senior Of Week - Meyer

Thayer Central's Senior of the Week is Cody Meyer. Cody is the son of Cheryl Meyer.

His favorite classes at Thayer Central are art and current events.

Cody's favorite food is pasta and his favorite pastime is playing video games.

Cody has been actively involved in the art department and video editing while at Thayer Central.

His advice to underclassmen is, "Do your work and don't slack off. Your grades will decide your future."

Following graduation in May, Cody plans to attend Cloud County Community



Cody Meyer

College and study nursing.

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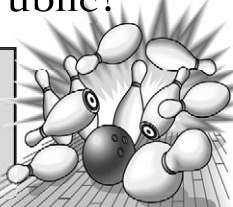
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HVFD holds award banquet

The Hebron Volunteer Fire Department held its annual awards recognition night Saturday, Jan. 29. Awards for distinction in service and years served were handed out during the course of the evening.

Jim Day was given the golden ax award for 45 years of service.

Leonard Jeardoe accepted the recognition plaque for 40 years of service.

Gary McMains was recognized for 25 years of service but was unable to attend.

Keith Motley was recognized for 15 years.

Tanner Lubben and Jerry Johnson were given the five-year recognition plaque

Justin Johnson was given the Safety Education award for his work in fire prevention.

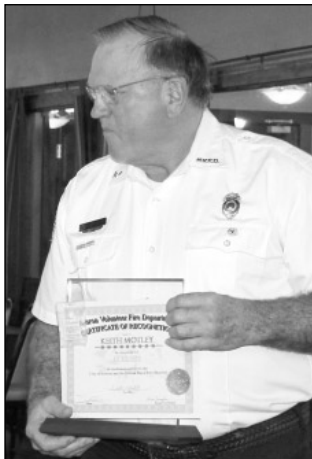
Cory Clark was given the firefighter of the year award.

Chris Huber was given his ten-year recognition as well as the lifetime membership certificate.

The firemans auxiliary presented awards to Linda Hergott for 40 years, Tammi Wilshusen for 20 years, and Vicki Crosgrave, Traci Fangmeier and Tara Huber for five years.



Patti and Jim Day



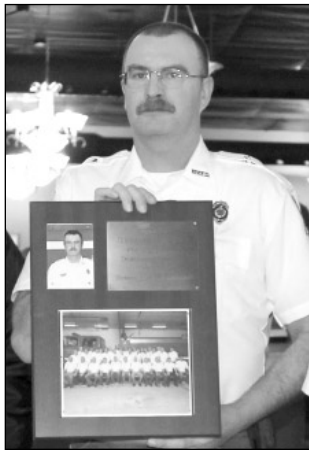
Keith Motley



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Chris Huber



Justin Johnson



Cory Clark

Oak

By Phyllis Schmitt

Monday night Phyllis Schmitt was in Superior for the 9th grade basketball tournament in which Thayer Central participated. Tuesday night, Phyllis accompanied Jerry and Kelly Schmitt to Fairbury for the 9th grade basketball game in which Landon Schmitt participated.

Donna Gillan joined others for quilting on Monday. She attended Tai Chi on Tuesday and again on Thursday and also joined others for coffee. In the afternoon, she joined Betty Struss and Jackie Miller for coffee at the Old Bank Coffee Shop.

Tuesday morning Phyllis Schmitt met the Red Hatters from Superior at the Velvet Rose for breakfast. Thursday, she attended the birthday dinner at the Davenport Senior Center. Pat Brusseau and Doris Ahrens also attended. Pat and Phyllis both had birthdays in January. Friday morning, Phyllis and great-granddaughter, Molley Drohman, attended the birthday coffee in Ruskin for Larry Boitnott.

Don and Lola Biltoft attended the basketball games in Nelson Tuesday night. Wednesday night, Lola and Doris Ahrens were at Pat Brusseau's home for cards to help Pat celebrate her birthday.

While in Superior on Saturday, Phyllis Schmitt stopped to visit Pauline Hanson, and they went out for supper together.

Jim and Terri Oltmans and Donna Gillan were in Harvard on Saturday for Anders Jensen's basketball game. They met Brent and Cheryl Jensen and Jessica and Drew Shelburn and Sam Greenfeld there. Anders spent Saturday evening with Grandma Donna. Sunday, Donna Gillan, Donna Fishel and LaVera Meyer went to Lawrence for the spaghetti dinner at Sacred Heart Church.

Saturday, James and Julia Morrill of Texas came for a week's visit. Two carloads of relatives went to Lincoln for a baby shower honoring the Merrills. Rhonda Brubacher and Sondra Peterson also attended. On Sunday, dinner guests of Dick and Carol Eckles were Phil and Gerry Eckles, James and Julia Merrill, Sarah and Ben Vanhorn. Dan Eckles and friend, a Carol's mother, Beulah McKenney of Aurora. Sunday evening, Gerry attended a card party at the church.

Dr Bliss-Fudge on faculty at Peru State College

Dr. Stacy Bliss-Fudge is an assistant professor of psychology at Peru State College.

Bliss-Fudge, a Hebron native and 2000 Peru State graduate earned a bachelor's degree at PSC. From there she worked at the Beatrice State Developmental Center as a behavioral consultant for individuals with developmental disabilities and severe behaviors.

Bliss-Fudge earned a master's degree in applied educational psychology and a doctorate in school psychology at the University of Tennessee in Knoxville. Her research there focused on interventions to improve learning in at-risk youth and adolescents.

She completed her capstone psychology internship and fellowship at the Munroe-Meyer Institute, which is part of the University of Nebraska Medical Center.

Bliss-Fudge then went on to work for non-profit supervising consultation groups who assist community-based agencies serving individuals with developmental disabilities. She then began teaching at Peru State as an adjunct in the spring of 2009 before joining the faculty full-time this fall.

She continues to conduct research in the area of interventions for at-risk individuals, and her specific interests focus on individuals with developmental disabilities and effective interventions for severe behaviors.

Bliss-Fudge serves as co-chair of the Governmental Affairs Committee for the Nebraska Psychological Association. She is currently working on the certification process for PSC's provisional licensed drug and alcohol counseling courses and is actively involved with the Psychology-Sociology-Criminal Justice Club.



Stacy Bliss-Fudge

Wilber Crop Clinic Scheduled

The University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension in Saline County will host the Wilber Crop Clinic on Friday, February 10, at Sokol Hall, 306 S. Wilson in Wilber. Registration, viewing of sponsor displays, and coffee and rolls begins at 8:30 a.m. with the program starting at 9 a.m.

Multiple agribusiness sponsors are providing displays, door prizes and a noon meal to farmers and agribusiness professionals, according to Saline County Extension Educator Randy Pryor. He said the clinic has a reputation for cutting edge agronomic topics and professional speakers in agriculture for producers, landowners and agri-professionals in Southeast Nebraska.

Al Dutcher, University of Nebraska climatologist, will review the current La Nina weather pattern and explain its affect on agriculture this spring. Paul Hay, UNL Extension educator, will update producers on emerging nutrient management issues and research/update soybean management field days.

Dr. Dave Specht is a coordinator of family business programs and a lecturer in family business management at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. His presentation in

the morning will be titled, Preserving Nebraska's Most Precious Asset - The Family Farm."

Dave is a writer and speaker on the topics surrounding the unique complexities of family owned businesses. His work was recently featured in Farm Journal, Nebraska Farmer Magazine, Bloomberg Businessweek, Family Business Magazine and The New York Times.

Dr. Ray Ward, CEO of Ward Laboratories in Kearney, will be discussing crop nutrient management. UNL Extension educators Jenny Rees and Randy Pryor will cover on-farm research and weed resistance strategies.

Jeff Jency, Farmers Cooperative, will be discussing new R-7 satellite imagery technology that is showing promise for producers that are not receiving yield monitor information.

Pryor said the clinic has a tradition of numerous door prizes and continuing education units are available for crop consultants. For more information contact Lou Hajek at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension in Saline County, phone 402-821-2151. Registration is at the door.

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Pages of the Past...

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1882

130 Years Ago

Professor Mickey of the Belvidere school has vaccinated his scholars.

Civil suits are numerous and justices and attorneys have to work nights

C.I. Payne having refused to pay the \$15 attorney fees included in his fine for treating, is to be sent to the Nuckolls county jail.

Charley Leslie killed a goldheaded eagle four miles northeast of Belvidere the other day, the bird measured six feet and seven inches from tip to tip.

We are informed that the trial of Dr. Evans for treating Samuel Danner, the evidence introduced showed Mr. Danner was not treated by the doctor.

We learn that various parties who are cutting timber from speculators and St. Joe and Denver lands in the southeastern portion of the county, are soon to be arrested and put through.

A good old fashioned Methodist protracted meeting is in progress at Chester. There are several villages in this county where a liberal supply of genuine Christianity and saving grace would improve matters.

The Rebekah Lodge of Odd Fellows held a session, and at its close repaired to the Central House, where landlord Will Hughes had an elegant banquet prepared. After the supper, a little dance was given.

A gentleman who is on intimate terms with some of the high B&M officials informs us that "he knows positively that the road from Salina, Kan., northward through Belleville, Hebron and on to York will be built as soon as the main line is completed to Denver." And we think the gentleman is correct.

The firm of Schoonover & Leslie, stock dealers, Belvidere, is dissolved by mutual consent. Schoonover retiring. Leslie will continue the business and settle firm matters. The retiring partner highly recommends Mr. Leslie to the continued good will of the public.

Fifteen hundred cubic yards of stone have already been taken from McArthur's quarry, six miles east of Hebron and a large quantity will be quarried out during the remaining cold weather months for the spring "building boom."

The firm of Naylor, Green & Tyler is dissolved, Tyler retiring. Naylor and Green will continue the business at Hebron and the mail route. J.E. Tyler will control the Belvidere stable.

Charles Baker, a young man of this place, shot and killed a large wildcat a few miles northwest of Hebron, on the Blue.

The bondsmen for the saloon have been sued for \$5,000 by Mrs. Danner. The defendants say they will fight the matter forever.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob A. Willy, a daughter.

Coal undoubtedly exists in paying quantities beneath the surface of Thayer County. Who will be the fortunate discoverer of a mine?

Chester has built more sidewalks this winter than any other town of its size in the state. This sounds big, but "facts is facts."

Death has again invaded the village of Belvidere and

removed a beloved father and one of its oldest and most highly esteemed citizens, John N. House, father of M.M. House.

Samual Fitzsimmons has moved from the Phelps farm west of Belvidere where he had been living for three years past to his own land in the Pennsylvania settlement northeast of Carleton. Davenport

The town school was visited and found it in good condition under the circumstances, but they are bad. Just think of scholars piled two, three and four deep in a 7x9 room. We vote the children a diploma for their good behavior and brother Nichols a pension for his endurance during the present term, hoping a larger room may be provided before another one commences.

Hubbell

J. J. Curran has purchased the drug store which formerly belong to U.B. McIntire.

A number of our young men have the Montana fever.

Corn brings 50 cents per bushel in Hubbell. The Hubbell Times has made its exit.

Belvidere

M.N. House is invoicing his stock of dry goods, report says that he has sold out his store to H.W. Cornell, taking Mr. C's farm south of town as part pay for the same.

Dallas Rasher has purchased the Blaisdell farm northwest of town, paying \$925 for the same.

One of the finest schoolhouses in Thayer county is being built in the Pennsylvania settlement in the north part of the county; it will be furnished with the Michigan patent furniture.

A gentleman from that locality claims that our correspondent from Belvidere was mistaken in asserting that a knock-down had occurred at a debating society held at the Marshall schoolhouse. A little unpleasantness happened and war was about to commence but hostilities were quickly suppressed.

1892

120 Years Ago

Mrs. H.P. Harding, who is a successful butter maker, says that sugar beets are excellent milk food for cows.

Foreman, Clark & Co., have put away about 1,700 tons of ice this winter.

Married: G.W. Joe and Miss Mary A. Greenlee, and W.F. Tracy and Miss Jennie Innis, all of the county.

A grand masque ball was given by the Hebron Chapter No. 31, Order of the Eastern Star, at the opera house. About 25 couples masked. Excellent music was furnished by Jenkins' orchestra.

N. Brittenham shipped a carload of fine hogs to Omaha. There were 60 head, averaging 300 pounds each and were fattened by A. Bradley. Bradley received \$3.65 per hundred for them — Davenport Journal.

P.L. Livengood, formerly editor of the Carleton Times, now editor of the Somers Star in Pennsylvania writes, "Enclosed find postal note for which please send The Journal to Mrs. J.F. Green, Carleton. As I have one of the best mothers-in-law in Thayer county, I want her to have the best newspaper published in that county, hence I order The Journal for her."

The obituary of Dr. J.F. Thomas of Alexandria was published.

Dr. Birdsall of Davenport has moved to Alexandria to

take the place made vacant by the death of Dr. Thomas.

The Hebron Creamery with its leased branch at Deshler, now controls a large territory.

F.H. Rudd has bought a new 16 horsepower Huber steam engine.

The many friends of L.P. Luce and wife of Hubbell gave them a pleasant surprise by assembling at their home to celebrate the 25th anniversary of their wedded life.

Alexandria

George Sinn is doing a land office business canvassing for his new book, "The Farmer's Business Guide."

G.D. Proctor has traded for H.M. Stancliff's opera house.

South Belvidere

Kellogg Dill, of Logansport, Ind., having purchased the Tupper farm has moved with his family on the same. Considerable corn to husk yet.

From various reports there was a very strong attack of bootleg or some other kind of whiskey upon the streets one night. Where, oh where, did they get their whiskey?

The Stump building on D Street is no more and it looks terribly demoralized up that street now. The old land marks of Carleton are diminishing slowly as well as the old pioneers.

Most farmers have a brainy dinner one day in the year — the day after butchering.

1907

105 Years Ago

W.G. Apley was instrumental in capturing a tramp who had broken into the schoolhouse north of town.

Apley had been notified by phone that the tramp was headed in that direction. Weary Willie circled several times around the schoolhouse and then disappeared by view; he kicked in the panel of the schoolhouse door, wiggled in, stirred up the fire and was singing a song of joy, when the citadel was surrounded, stormed, charged and captured by Apley, his hired man and Deputy Sheriff Williams, who had been summoned by phone. The music was brought to an abrupt termination and the lone pedestrian taken to warmer quarters in the county jail. When searched two ugly looking revolvers and several empty pocket books were found on his persons. Apley further claims that the tramp had also on his person a bar of soap, but we don't believe it.

Deshler

F.H. Wolf's infant child died and was buried in the cemetery north of Deshler.

Sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Struve, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pagel, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Meyer.

Davenport

George Heimberger died.

Alexandria

W.C. Beers has sold his buggy and implement business to C.I. Moore.

Rev. Cook, pastor of the Baptist Church, died.

Carleton

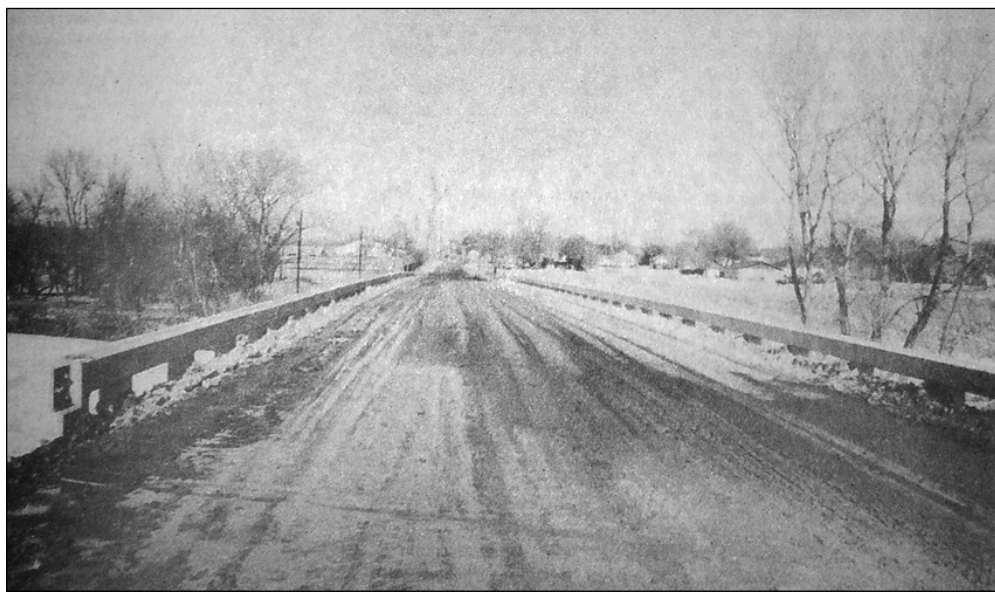
D.M. Fike disposed of his farm at the surprising price of \$100 per acre. Wm. Peter made the sale and he feels pretty proud of selling the first \$100 land in this precinct.

Pleasant Mound

Mr. Jas. Mahaffey is building a new barn.

Belvidere

J.R. Wilson died at his home north of town.



J-R File Photo

January 27 1982 — The barricades came down this week in 1982 opening the new long-awaited First Street bridge over the Little Blue River in Hebron. The new structure is eight feet higher than the old bridge and 12 feet wider. The approaches to the bridge had yet to be blacktopped, but plans were in force to complete them as weather permitted. The new bridge replaced a temporary bridge which was erected in 1954.

There was another change in our business directory, G.R. Dill having sold his hardware and furniture store to J.J. Hill, who has been buying grain at the Farmers and Merchants elevator.

Bruning

Nettie Goodman, who has been very ill, died

Chester

The coal chute for the B&M, soon to be completed, will be a monument to the town and a time and labor saver to the company. Chester now ranks with the best points on the line in the state as a coal and watering station.

Paul DeWald, president of the city council and employed in Liggitt's Implement Store, died at his home after an illness of only five days with acute pneumonia.

Allie Stewart, brother of T.S. Stewart, died at Chicago. He was in business in Hebron at one time.

1917

95 Years Ago

Mrs. Phelps, mother of Mrs. L.J. Ingersall, Wm. B. Phelps and Eugene T. Phelps died.

Mrs. S.B. Weil passed away in Lincoln.

Mrs. John L. Bowen died at Belvidere.

A Moose Lodge was organized at the Odd Fellow's Hall.

1962

50 Years Ago

Ralph Dyer, minister of the Christian Church, brought into the Journal-Register a pansy in full bloom. It had appeared when the snow melted during the warm weather.

Marvin Vieselmeyer of Davenport was honored by the Thayer County Extension Board for his interest in the education of youth.

According to the report of the treasurer of the Bowman-Spring Branch Watershed, the project was becoming a reality. The first dam was built on Albert Miller property. The second, on the Elijah Mumm property, was nearly completed.

1972

40 Years Ago

Lyle J. Koenig and his wife, Yolande and daughter Beth, were newcomers to the community.

Lions Club members Doyal Schroeder, Francis Wiedel, Dean Osher, Ralph Krenke, Marlowe Huber and Dick Boylston were making plans for the annual talent show.

There was dirty work in the number one little town of Nebraska. Belvidere and the towns people were getting pretty sick and tired of it and were down right mad.

Someone (or several someones) keeps stealing the flag from the city flag pole. After several flags were stolen it was decided to only fly the flag on special occasions. The special occasion occurred and the flag belonging to Mike Watson that had been the flag from the casket of his father, Ray Watson as stolen. A \$250 reward was being offered.

1982

30 Years Ago

Thayer County Division of Public Welfare was beginning to issue USDA processed cheese. The county's supply was to be 208,000 pounds declared surplus by the federal government.

For the first time in recent years, wheat was the number one crop in the county in acres planted, 74,931 acres, just slightly ahead of corn, 74,602 acres. Milo dropped to third.

Retiring Alexander Volunteer Fire Chief Vinton Durlflinger was presented with a watch for his 25 years of service as a member of the department.

Blue Valley Cheese manager Jerry Hunsaker, announced the facility would continue to make cheese, although on a reduced basis.

1992

20 Years Ago

Amy Kroll and Rebecca Barga were enjoying the 68 degree temperature as they roller skated in shorts and no coats.

The Hebron City Council learned the city would be responsible for providing Hepatitis B vaccine shots to all firemen, medical emergency workers, city sanitation workers, etc. The cost

estimates were \$120 to \$180 per person.

Members of the Davenport Tiger Basketball Team were Kendra Quandt, Tonya Buresh, Kristi Stables, Charlotte Holtzen, Amy Follmer, Sarah Greer, Jani Nippert, Kimberly Folkerts, Anne Greer, Michelle Mosier.

The law firm of Schwab and Rosener opened an office in Hebron.

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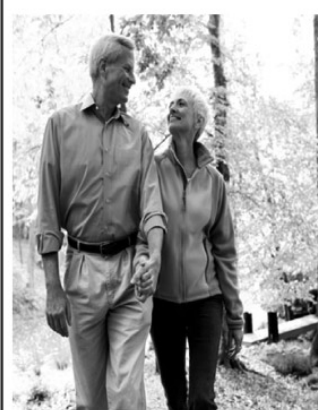
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05-2

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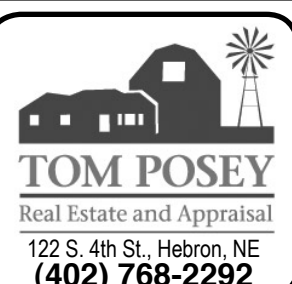
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B-D FCCLA Students Attend District 4 Competition



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Elizabeth Ohlde (l) and Gabrielle Joe (r) represented the B-D FCCLA in the senior division at the FCCLA STAR competition.



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Students, Melissa Hinrichs, Morgan Lowery, McKenna Schardt, and Brice Ardissono represented the B-D Junior Division at the FCCLA STAR competition.

The Bruning-Davenport Chapter of FCCLA (Family Career and Community Leaders of America) hosted the District 4 FCCLA STAR Competition in Davenport on Jan. 24.

About 60 students participated in 16 different events from Bruning-Davenport, Cross County, Exeter-Miligan, Fillmore Central, Sutton, Thayer Central and York.

All six students from the Bruning-Davenport USD FCCLA that participated in the District competition will represent District 4 at the State FCCLA STAR competition in three events in April.

Elizabeth Ohlde and Gabrielle Joe represented the Bruning-Davenport High

School FCCLA in the Senior Division of Family Challenges and Issues. They earned the title of District champion with a silver (excellent) rating.

Four members of the Bruning-Davenport Middle School FCCLA will represent their chapter and District 4 at the State Competition: Brice Ardissono and McKenna Schardt received a gold (superior) rating for their presentation in the Health and Wellness division on heart diseases.

Morgan Lowery and Melissa Hinrichs entered the National Programs in Action in Community Service. Their presentation on "We Can" earned a silver. Both groups received District champion for their efforts.

Davenport Senior Diners

Exercise Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9:30 a.m.

Monday, Feb. 6: Potato and ham casserole, buttered beets, garlic toast, apricots. *Pitch.*

Tuesday, Feb. 7: Fajita chicken bake, corn, Nilla Vanilla banana pudding, cranberry juice. *Qwirkle.*

Wednesday, Feb. 8: Beef stew with barley, biscuit, cheese stick, cherry cherry gelatin. *Scrabble or Pitch.*

Thursday, Feb. 9: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, broccoli florets, tropical fruit. *Mexican Train Dominoes.*

Friday, Feb. 10: Pollock wedges, calico beans, French fries, lemon bars. *Senior Bowling.*

Meals served with bread, butter and milk.

For reservations, call 364-2449 by 1:30 p.m., the day before.

Meridian Public School

ACTIVITIES

Friday, February 3: ECNC wrestling tournament, 3 p.m.; basketball, home, 4 p.m.

Saturday, February 4: Speech at Crete, 8 a.m.; junior high basketball, 9 a.m.

Monday, February 6: Junior high girls' basketball.

Tuesday, February 7: Girls' varsity, home, 6 p.m.

Wednesday, February 8: No school.

Thursday, February 9: Basketball, home, 4 p.m.

Hubers Enjoy Winter Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Marlyn Huber and daughter, Debrah Atcheson, of Georgia flew from Kansas City, Mo., to Detroit, Ohio, to begin their winter vacation. At the airport, the Hubers, who have so many metal replacement body parts, immediately rang the security bells, so were required to enter the "pat down" booth.

At Detroit, grandson, Peter Grehl, and three great-granddaughters, Autumn, Molly and Quinn met and drove them to his and wife, Kari's home in Oregon, Ohio. The Hubers attended their tenth great-granddaughter Quinn Marie Grehl's baptism. Also daughters, Kari and Laura, gave their folks, Dick and Deb Atcheson, a surprise 40th wedding anniversary party.

Following all the celebrations, they traveled to the Atcheson's home in Buford, Ga. On Thanksgiving, daughter, Dee Bauer and great-granddaughter, Kayla Rosenberg, from Louisiana, and granddaughter and husband, Laura and Ryan Jones of College Parks, Ga., joined them. On Sunday, they attended a musical Christmas Cantina with Dick, Deb, Dee and Kayla.

Then to a (husband, Dick, planned) 40th surprise anniversary party for his wife, Deb. The following Monday, they headed farther south, experiencing warmer weather going to their destination of Slidell, La.

In Slidell, they celebrated Dee and Dave Bauer's 20th anniversary, Marlyn's 88th birthday, Dee's birthday and Christmas (no snow and 80 degrees). Joining them at their granddaughter's Angela Earley, home for Christmas were granddaughter, Kayla Rosenberg, Krystle and spouse, Sam Brossett, and the Bauers. Older great-grandkids (in their 20's) were taught how to the play pinochle to carry on to the next generation.

Their sightseeing adventures in Louisiana were the French Quarter, aquarium, IHop Theater and the Mardi Gras float factory in New Orleans, La. Seeing the giant float parts (John Wayne

head and enormous flowers - both taller than us) makes one realize the size of the parade floats. There are 50 parades in the two weeks of Mardi Gras (this year in February).

While at Angie's, all they had to do was walk across the backyard to the dock to fish. Of course, the one Marie caught broke the line, so can't brag on the big fish that got away.

They then returned to Buford, Ga., to attend their second Christmas with all of Deb's family, Atchesons, Grehls, and Jones. It was fun being with younger great-granddaughters. Getting to play paper dolls with Molly (5), rocking Quinn in doll buggy and celebrating her first birthday, and playing cards with Autumn (13) made the visit great.

Events enjoyed while in Georgia were a percussion group "Chicks with Sticks," the U.S. largest aquarium (behind the glass wall were millions of colorful fish, the Lord was very creative filling the sea waters), and Marie's 89th birthday.

After enjoying the south for two months, the Hubers returned to Bruning with their two daughters, Dee and Deb. Acclimating themselves from 70 degrees to 9 degrees in one day was a great awakening.

This past Sunday, the Hubers and daughters met grandson and wife, Troy and Kristi Vogel, and three great-granddaughters, Shawna (15), Kendra (14), and Erica (12) of Woodbine, Iowa, for a Chinese lunch in Omaha

for their third Christmas.

Being with their family over the holidays was a blessing for all.

Bruning

By Lola Johnson

On Saturday, Jeri Rippe went to Crete to meet with Jim and Jayne Germer. Together, they went to Lincoln to meet with Russ and Susan Rippe of Milford, Justin and Noel Cermak and Behrendt, Tiffany, Salaya and Kirah Rippe, all of Lincoln, for lunch. They celebrated Jeri and Salaya's birthdays. In the afternoon, Jayne and Jeri attended "Young Frankenstein" at the Lied.

Kenneth and Nadine Mussman of Fremont spent Sunday afternoon and evening with Francis and Beth Garrison.

Francis and Beth Garrison spent Thursday afternoon with Janis Frenzen in Geneva.

Correction from last week that should have read: Bob and Birdie Cool of Aurora spent Sunday afternoon with Francis and Beth Garrison.

Marlyn and Marie Huber, Deb Atcheson and Dee Bauer visited with Gordon and Joan Kerl and Shari Negro of Lincoln at Tom Kerl's last week.

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ACTIVITIES

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Saturday, February 4: Speech at Aurora.

Monday, February 6: No school, teacher inservice at Davenport.

Tuesday, February 7: Junior varsity boys' basketball at Tri County tournament, 5, 6:15 p.m.; girls' basketball, Osceola at Davenport, 6:30, 7:30 p.m.

BRUNING

MENU

Friday, February 3: No school.

Monday, February 6: No school.

Tuesday, February 7: Pizza casserole, green beans, orange slices, breadsticks, Wisconsin cheese soup.

Wednesday, February 8: Pork steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas, dinner roll, butter, salad bar.

Salad bar served daily. Milk served with all meals. Menu subject to change.

DAVENPORT

MENU

Friday, February 3: No school.

Monday, February 6: No school.

Tuesday, February 7: Chicken giggles, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas, brownie.

Wednesday, February 8: Toastie dog, carrots, cookie, peaches.

Milk served with all meals. Menu subject to change.