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Tidbits

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City sales tax available from first fiscal quarter

Hebron sales tax from October, November and December 2017 is listed below: October

\$14,611.16 plus \$2,743.78 in motor vehicle fees for a total of

\$17,354.94. November \$14,627.23 plus \$2,963.72 in motor vehicle fees for a total of

17,590.95. December \$16,068.12 plus \$2,990.48 in motor vehicle fees for a total of

\$19,058.60. The City of Hebron's new fiscal year began in October. Motor vehicle fees are designated for the street fund. In December, the city received \$16,748.42 in highway allocation funds from the state for city streets.

Titan Beef Boosters to hold fundraiser

The Thayer Central Titan Beef Boosters will hold a fundraiser during the Thayer Central basketball games Jan. 13.

Hebron Lions to hold Pancake Day

The Hebron Lions Club will host its second annual Pancake Day for all residents of Thayer County and their guests Jan. 14 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Pancakes will be served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Proceeds will go to Ellie Pachta for medical expenses, Cattlemen's Ball and Lion's charities for vision and eyesight assistance.

Hebron native publishes "Justice for All"

Hebron native, James K. Uphoff, Ed.D., gives a comprehensive view of the total judicial system with its issues in his latest book, "Justice

The book deals with many of life's most crucial elements from constitutional right to protection of one's religion and the right to regular and quality medical care. The book also addresses with right to a jury trial by peers and education to build skills and knowledge of use to society.

Uphoff, born in 1937, was a middle school teacher, who finished his doctorate in education and then, moved to Dayton, Ohio in 1967 to be a professor in education at Wright State University.

Uphoff was honored as University Outstanding Faculty member in scholarship, service and teaching. He was appointed as associate director of the university's teaching and learning center.

Hebron **Majestic Theatre** 402-768-6061

- Cinema I -7 p.m., Sunday 2 p.m. Star Wars — The Last Jedi Rated PG-13

- Cinema II -7:30 p.m., Sunday 2:30 p.m. Ferdinand Rated PG

Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday

Movies subject to change Check the website at www.hebronmajestic.com

~Obituaries~

Baloun, Arlene, 92, Belleville, Kan. Bowman, Patricia, 98, Fairbury Burns, Laura, 78, Lincoln Ferebee, Leslie, 49, Hebron Garrison, Francis, 97, Geneva Gibson, Irene, 89, Kalispell, Mont. Nacke, Annabelle, 93, Hebron Widler. Lonald. 72. Plattsmouth

City issues deadline for towns

The Hebron City Council spent about 30 minutes in closed session during its regular meeting Jan. 3 to discuss Hebron Volunteer Fire Department's aid to other towns, namely, Belvidere, Gilead and Bruning.

As the council reconvened in public session, councilmember Tim Pickering made a motion to discontinue service to the towns, effective Feb. 10. The motion passed.

Originally, Hebron had a shortterm agreement with Bruning's fire department because its ambulance was outdated and its license for service was pulled. Hebron agreed to provide aid until Bruning improved its situation.

The agreement was set in 2014.

"They didn't follow through on that agreement. There has been no progress," Councilmember Larry Fangmeier said in August as Fangmeier was hoping to come to an agreement on operational costs, like fuel, vehicle repairs and supplies used. Bruning makes up about 20 percent of the total people Hebron serves.

We drafted a letter to them and asked them to meet with us," Fangmeier said. "We have to own two ambulances because we don't have a backup when our ambulance is out of town," Fangmeier said.

Patients are sometimes trans ported to Geneva or Belleville, taking one of Hebron's ambulances out of service for approximately two hours per patient.

"It's wear and tear on our equipment,"Hebron Fire Chief BJ Linton said in August. "Hebron is footing the bill for ambulance coverage. We've always had enough people

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Alliance backs **LB840** for **Hebron**

By Nancy McGill Hebron Journal-Register hebronjrnews@windstream.net

Hebron residents and businesses would benefit from passing LB840, Randy Hergott told the Hebron City council in a resolution from the Thayer County Economic Development Alliance. The Local Option Municipal Development Fund, which will be on the May ballot, would use a third of the city's annual sales tax, estimated at \$60k, for small business loans, housing, tourism or matching to state and federal programs and packaging with local banks to reduce risk.

Hergott is the president of the Alliance board of directors and he signed the resolution, along with vice president Heather Ramsey and executive director Diane Wettstein.

Wettstein and Hergott brought the resolution to the council's meeting Monday evening. Standing before the council, Hergott read it out loud.

"Be it hereby resolved that the Board of Directors of Thayer County Economic Development Alliance enter in its record to be in support of this ballot issue and to offer publicly its support for the approval of this ballot issue," is the resolution's final paragraph.

Also in the resolution was perhaps Hergott's strongest point

See LB840 page 12



Footwork and stances

Thayer Central students demonstrated their skills during halftime at the Titan girls' basketball game Jan. 6. Students in grades kindergarten through sixth, practiced footwork, stances, passing, catching, pivoting and shooting in a series of free camps voluntarily taught by basketball coaches, parents and high school athletes to promote future high school players. Approximately 85 to 105 students attended each camp. Assistant football and girls' basketball coach, Clint Havel, said it was an "absolute pleasure" working with the youth and helping them demonstrate their talents during halftime. This is the second year for the camps.

New chapter hosts first event

By Nancy McGill Hebron Journal-Register

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Thayer County's young shooters on the Fairbury Trap Team have a new organization in their corner — the Little Blue Chapter of national organization, Delta Waterfowl Foundation.

Caleb Mitchell and Zeb Zimmerman wanted a local chapter to promote conservation through the use of nest boxes for wood ducks. henhouses for mallards, and to benefit the trap team.

The chapter is based out of Fairbury, but several people who sit on the chapter's committee are from other areas, like Hebron, Beatrice and Lincoln.

"We wanted to put our feet on the ground locally," Mitchell said. One of the chapter's goals is

scholarships. "That's money we are able to

keep here," Mitchell said. The trap team seemed like a good fit for the Little Blue Chapter, he

added. "The kids are interested in active waterfowl conservation. It's a simple and effective way to get the community involved by getting the trap team involved," Mitchell

said. Mitchell calls it "grunt work" on

the local front. "It's local conservation instead of sending it out of state. That's why we wanted to start with Delta to help us set up scholarships for the trap team," he said.

The chapter sponsored its first event Jan. 7 with a pancake feed at the Jefferson County Fairgrounds. About 170 people showed. Trap

Fairbury Trap Team Coach Mike Holes stands with his grandchildren, Daxton, Jace and Wesley. Hole's daughter and the children's mother, Amanda Snook, was in a car accident that resulted in critical injuries. Proceeds from a raffle and silent auction, sponsored by the Little Blue Chapter of Delta Waterfowl Foundation, were slated for Snook and her family.

team members bussed tables and washed dishes and the trap team split the admission fees with the

In addition to the feed, a silent auction and raffle were held for trap team coach, Mike Hole's daughter, Amanda, who was in a serious car accident that resulted in intensive care.

The chapter's second event is Feb. 10. The "Valentine's Day Outdoorsman Banquet" will be held at the Fairbury VFW with women's only raffles, gun raffles, silent and live auctions

The Delta Waterfowl Founda-

tion was started in 1911 to make a difference in waterfowl breeding, which is vulnerable to habitat change, urban encroachment and modern agricultural operations.

"Delta takes an organized research approach to conservation," Mitchell said. "It's research first, conservation, second.'

On the chapter's business cards, the foundation is explained:

"Delta Waterfowl works to produce ducks and secure the future of waterfowl hunting."

For more information about the banquet and the Little Blue Chapter, contact Mitchell at 308-660-5744.



Members of the Fairbury Trap Team were at the Little Blue Chapter's inaugural event, a pancake feed in Fairbury to benefit the team and the family of Amanda Snook. Pictured are members of the 2017 Fairbury First Team in the junior high division (from left to right), Coach Mike Holes, Riley Stewart, Alanna Fangmeier, Lane Zabokrtsky, Buchannan Tietjen, Joel Kayser and Coach Scott Banahan. Little Blue is a new chapter of national organization, the Delta Waterfowl Foundation.

1888 130 Years Ago

Harry Crawford writes from Santo Domingo and tells more about quaint customs in the island.

Fred Koinzan, an intelligent German of Davenport precinct, came in Tuesday to renew his subscription to the Journal. He told us that he could not well get along without it; that it was doing more to educate himself and family than any other means; that the paper proved very interesting to him and gave much information on the kind of news that he was most interested in.

F. C. Hensel and family arrived last Sunday from Columbus, Ohio. Mr. Hensel expresses much satisfaction over the fact that he has finally crossed the rubicon (Mississippi), burned the bridges behind him, and set up his lares and penates in the beautiful city of the Little Blue Valley.

The Hebron Orchestra is first class. Those needing Terpsichorean or orchestra music should engage their

Judge Lobingier on Tuesday sold his property, consisting of nine lots, including dwelling in Eads Addition north of the Court House to the Catholic Church for \$2,000. The Catholics will build a church on the property purchased and use the present church as a school building.

J. M. King returned Monday, from Kansas City, where he has been during the past two weeks overseeing the manufacture of his celebrated pruning knife. He has filed an application for a patent on an improvement, which will add much to the usefulness of his implement. He reports good success in selling the knife, also in the sale of territory, having sold fifty-two

counties while away. At the close of the morning services at the Christian Church last Sabbath, Mr. Henry Rasch of Pawnee City, and Miss Lena Frinkley of Hebron, were united in marriage by Elder Hacker.

Dr. G. M. Smith, of Calker City, Kans., formerly of Jacksonville, Ill., has located in Hebron, for the practice of medicine.

C. P. Schwer closed up the millinery store of Mrs. Esther Phebus last Monday morning under a chattel mortgage. The liabilities are, counting costs, over \$1.000 due a firm in St. Joseph, Mo.

1898 **120 Years Ago**

Bruning: John W. Heinrichs and family, consisting of his wife and five children arrived here Wednesday from Illinois to make this their future home... Last Wednesday, Wm. E. DeLong and Jennie Carpenter were married at the residence of the groom by the Rev. Barsh of Strang...Mr. F. D. Chapin was taken sick last Saturday with the same disease that his little boy died with; little Gracie was taken sick the day before. Miss Sadie Archer came from Beatrice after George's death and she was taken sick with the same disease... George Thaden and Reka Scheer were married last Wednesday at Geneva by the county judge. They go back to Wisconsin next spring where he has been living for the last two years...The many relatives and friends here of Herman Bruning of El Paso, Ill., were saddened by the news of his death last Monday. He was hurt last harvest by jumping of a binder, and never recovered. He came out here two years ago and married Mollie Reichert, who now mourns his death.

1908 110 Years Ago Ed Galbraith is home from

the Philippines, delighted to be on American soil again after service in the army on foreign soil.

The friends of Norton E. Webb will be pleased to learn that he has again located in Hebron and engaged in the general merchandise business in the Webb building

on Lincoln avenue. Hebron friends will be

interested in the marriage of Miss Eleanor Hendershot, a former popular girl of Hebron, who was born here and moved with her parents to Ogden, Utah. She is charming and talented, gifted with a beautiful voice. The groom, Mr. Cassidy, is also an accomplished violinist, having studied in Germany. Miss Eleanor and William Cassidy were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hendershot, in Ogden, Utah.

The funeral of Dwight Apley was held at the M. E. Church at Belvidere on Thursday afternoon, services being conducted by Rev. Wylie, assisted by Rev. Cox.

Particularly sad was the death of Mrs. N. P. Almy, last Sunday. The funeral was conducted at the residence just two weeks after the death of her husband.

1918 **100 Years Ago**

An enthusiastic committee of eight men and women from Friedensau called at the Journal office Monday to report splendid patriotic activities in that German precinct.

Bugle Notes: Curt Maring of Hebron got his discharge at Camp Funston, on account of heart trouble...F. J. and E. H. Franzen were accepted at the Omaha enlistment for machinists in the aerial department of the Navy...Postmaster Wm. Tripp of Belvidere enlisted and his sister, Edith, will be postmistress...Liet. Walter Weiss, who completed the officers' training course at Ft. Snelling, departed last week to take up his duties at Battle Creek, Mich., instead of Ft. Snelling as stated last

Samuel Miller passed away at his home in Hebron, Dec. 13, at the age of 68 years, 8 months and 9

1928 90 Years Ago

J. G. Tate, who is remembered as a prominent officer and organizer of the A.O.U.W. lodge in the early history of that organization in Nebraska, died last week in Portland, Oregon. At the time of his death, Mr. Tate carried his insurance in the Degree of Honor lodge, at Hebron. He helped to organize Ray of Hope Lodge, No. 1, D. of H. at Hebron, the lodge at Hebron being the first Degree of Honor lodge organized in the United States. He was the first Presbyterian minister in Shelton, Nebr., residing there in the

early eighties. 1938 **80 Years Ago** 1948

70 Years Ago The firm operated by Ralph Pool and Henry Brokaw as the Archer Tire Shop gives notice of an addition to the firm. Charles W. Brokaw, nephew of Henry, Portland, Ore., enters the partnership this week. They will continue at their same place of business, but will operate under the name of Pool and

Brokaw in the future. On basis of reports reaching the Journal-Register office, a son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lillich of Carleton, is Thayer County's New Year's baby. The baby weighed 8 pounds 13 ounces, was born at the Dr. Reed Hospital at Deshler at 8:05 a.m., Jan. 1. Dr. J. R. Bancroft was

the attending physician. A list of the Nebraska winners in a National Essay Contest, includes Doloris Detmer of the Belvidere Consolidated School. This contest was sponsored by the Quiz Kids radio program. There were 555 high school students out of 12,000 over the nation, who wrote the best essays on "What American Means to Me." Each of these received \$5 in cash. All winners were presented with a gold key making them

honorary Quiz Kids. St. John's Lutheran Church in Chester was the recipient of a gift of \$10,000 from one of its members, Mr. Henry Hueners, during the Christmas season. Mr. Hueners requested that \$4,000 be used for the purchase of a new pipe organ for the church and the remaining \$6,000 is a 50-year endowment to be known as the "Hueners Endowment Fund." In memory of Mr. Hueners' father, Heinrich J. Hueners, who died in 1909; his mother, Maria Anna Hueners, who died in 1916; his brother, William Hueners, who died in 1937; his sister-in-law, Mrs. William Hueners, who also died in 1937 and his brother, Christoph Johann, who died in 1943; and himself, Henry Hueners. He is the only surviving member of the Hueners family.

1958 **60 Years Ago** R. E. Bull of Geneva and

Winton Wilson, owners of OK Rubber Welders, have sold controlling interest in their business here in Hebron to Mr. Robert L. Rachow of

The Hebron Lions Club has embarked on one of the most important projects in its history of devotion to the traditional principles of its organization. The local service club expects to play an important part in the operation of the Nebraska Lions Eye Bank, an undertaking which seeks to provide the means of restoring normal sight to many who are blind or near-blind. Mrs. Claude Rowley and Mrs. Ralph Dyer are pictured in this issue, signing Donor Cards No. 1 and 2, respectively, along with the Hebron Eye Bank committee: Bob Thomas, George Wrightsman and Jack Chapman. Claude Rowley is also pictured. He is present Governor of Lions District 38A.

1968 **50 Years Ago**

Ross Boyd, 77, of Hebron died at the Veterans' Hospital in Grand Island. He was Thayer County Highway Clerk for several years.

Dick Day was elected Hebron Volunteer Fire Department Fire Chief.

Contributions to the Thayer County Hospital Tree of Lights totaled \$1,000.

Mrs. Myron Currey was the new Hebron Journal-Register correspondent for

The Carl Brown family moved to Chester. Brown was the new manager of the Chester Farm Center.

1978 **40 Years Ago**

The Thayer County Treasurer's office received its new photographic equipment to be used for pictures on drivers' licenses.

The high for the week was 40 degrees and low, -6.

Gaylene Yoachim, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donovan Yoachim of Belvidere, Alice Jane Voigt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Voigt and Jayne Wiedel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wiedel were candidates for Thayer County Feeder Queen.

Orcathe Killer Whale was showing at the Majestic.

Jeryne Goodrich was elected Worthy Matron and Milford Brinegar, Worthy Patron at the Hebron Chapter 31 Order of the Eastern

1988 **30 Years Ago**

Eli E. Stutzman showed little emotion testifying on the stand as he recounted his son's death under two hours of cross examination in Thayer County Court and was sentenced to 18 months imprisonment by Judge J.



This Week 1988...Hebron Volunteer Firemen began their duties for the 1988 year. Reelected as fire chief for the fourth consecutive year was Jim Day. Other captains elected were (left to right): Dan Fink, assistant chief; Day; Wes Tracy, captain of rural truck; Jim Koerwitz, captain of 6x6; Scott Turan, captain of half tanker; Kevin Hergott, captain of equipment truck; Ken Hofts, captain of Ford tanker; and Larry Hergott, captain of rescue unit. Also elected, but not pictured, was Bill Linton, captain of city truck. Elections were held in November with the nine firemen taking over their duties as of January 1.

Patrick McArdle. Stutzman dumped his son, Matthew (Little Boy Blue), in a field one mile northeast of Chester on Christmas Eve 1985.

St. Elizabeth Hospital and the Thayer County Hospital in Hebron signed a contract management service agreement, effectively ending 38 years of management by Lutheran Hospitals and Homes Society.

The Hebron Volunteer Firemen reelected Jim Day as fire chief for the fourth

consecutive year. The Bruning chapter of Future Homemakers of America attended its district conference and SEARCH competition in Sutton. Those attending were Tonja Whitton, Penny Rhinehart, Chandra Nedza, Cheryl Wulf, Cheryl Sanders, LeeAnn Meyer, Penny Wilkening, Gail Sims, Katina Edzards and Kathy Voss.

1998 20 Years Ago

Eighth grader Conner Rocole won the Hebron Junior High Geography Bee. He won in a sudden death round over Dan Williams.

Local students participated in the Doane College Vocal Festival. Students from Bruning attending were Jeff Hawks, Jeremy Johnson and Ross Rippe. Davenport students included Crystal Corman and Erin Miller. Deshler students were Natalie Helgeson and Andrea Williams.

Newly elected members of the Blue Valley Nursing Home's Residents Council were Jo Bowman, Virginia Schreiber and Ruth Powell.

Brooke Maschmann of Davenport was selected to be a participant in the Singing Youth of Nebraska Honor Choir sponsored by the Nebraska Choral Directors Association.

2008 10 Years Ago Thayer County Leader-

ship Plenty (TCLP) heard some interesting and somewhat surprising facts, figures and conclusions recently when Dr. Randy Cantrell came to town. Cantrell is a Center for Applied Rural Innovation (CARI) senior fellow and a development specialist with NU Rural Initiative. Cantrell is a rural sociologist. Today he informs and advises communities throughout the Midwest on the nature and impact of demographic trends.

-In a small town, 60 percent of who we come in contact with daily, we know

-Population in Thaver County dwindled by ten percent from 2000 to 2005. spurring county leaders to face retention issues. The median age is 44 years, while the state is 34, which makes it look as if the county cannot retain its young.

Demographically, the 20-24 year old age group is

the lowest in Thayer County, over 65 is the highest, 37.4 percent. This age structure is much like that of other small town counties in Nebraska. It's also much the same as counties of similar size in both retention and attraction of adults. "Hebron has almost as many young people today as it did 20 years ago," Cantrell said. "So, the statement, 'all the young people move away and don't come back,' simply isn't true. It's just that different young people are coming here, young people you may not know, making it appear all the young are leaving...

- Old timers are glad to see youth return, but newcomers, or people they don't know, are not as readily accepted until they learn to conform to the community's average.

- Of the 2,500 households in Thayer County, approximately one-third rent their homes. "That's really low compared to the rest of the nation," Cantrell said. "And almost all of the people who work in Thayer County, live in Thayer County.'

Also, according to Cantrell's study, Nebraska tops the nation in multiplejob employment whereas workers hold several parttime jobs to make full-time employment, or to make a living. Nebraska and the Dakotas top the nation for female workers.

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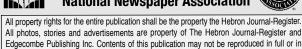
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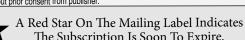
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COUNTY COURT Fines Paid

by January 3, 2018 Court costs \$49.00 unless otherwise stated. Probation costs also include \$30 enrollment fee and \$25 per each month on probation. Chemical testing costs are \$5 per month on probation.

Local Law Enforcement Stephanie Birmingham,

Derby, Kan. Speeding,

Cal Jarrett, Dixon, Ill. Speeding, \$75.

Ryan Most, Conway, Ark. Speeding, \$25. Russell Swartzel, Harvard.

Speeding, \$25. Hunter Bogenhagen,

Junction City, Kan. Speeding, \$25.

Nebraska State Patrol Luis Suaste Chavez, Don-

na, Texas. Nonresident violate 30-day immunity, \$25. Jani Byers, Wichita, Kan. Speeding, \$125.

Stephen Rains, Edmond, Okla. Speeding, \$75.

Lucas Hoge, Nashville, Tenn. Speeding, \$75.

Delton Deal II, York. No valid registration, \$25.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Jerry R. Lahners to Donald L. Lahners. S26 T4N R3W W 1/2 NW 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4 Except for the Union Pacific Railroad Company Row located thereon.

Robert A. Larson to Bradley K. Elting and Nancy A. Elting. Lot 3 in Block 18, Original Town of Hebron.

Walter Kettelhut and Dorothy Kettelhut to Melvin L. Koss and Shirley E. Koss. S29 T1N R1W NW 1/4.

Jody A. Koss, Gregory E. Koss and Mathew D. Koss, Sole and Only Members of MLKS Farms L.L.C. to Loren J. Wiedel and Mark E. Wiedel. S28 T1N R1W Pt SW 1/4 NW 1/4; S29 T1N R1W Pt SE 1/4 NE 1/4; S29 T1N R1W Pt NW 1/4.

Erueka LLC to Rodney W. Heinrichs and Nancy J. Heinrichs. S32T4NR2WPt S 1/2 NW 1/4.

Rodney W. Heinrichs and Nancy J. Heinrichs to Leann Heinrichs. S32 T4N R2W (undivided 1/2 interest) Pt S 1/2 NW 1/4.

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of Milton Charles Eickman Deceased to Elting 1950. S17 T2N R2W (undivided 3/4 interest) Pt NE 1/4, Pt SE 1/4; S17 T2N R2W (undivided 3/4 interest)

Michael C. Eickman, Ramona K. Eickman, Thomas Eickman, Gloria Eickman, Janice L. Denton, Jerry W. Denton, Sharon S. Wilken, Steven A. Wilken, Kristine Miesner, Marka A. Miesner, Elizabeth K. Eickman AKA Elizabeth K. Eickman-Quinn, Marvin E. Quinn, Rozanne E. Rowley, Donnie L. Rowley, Kim L. Stapleton and John H. Stapleton to Elting 1950. S8T2NR2WPtSE 1/4; S17 T2N R2W NW 1/4; S17 T2N R2W (undivided 1/5 interest) NE 1/4, SE 1/4; S17 T2N R2W (undivided 1/4 interest) SW 1/4.

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Reinke Manufacturing Co., Inc. to Dirk Monk and Lisa Monk. Lot 3, 4, Schardt 1st Addition of Deshler, Thayer County Nebraska an addition to the City of Deshler, located in the NE 1/4 of 14-2-4.

Darin D. Jalas to Deanna D. Jalas. Lot 12 and Pt Lot 11 in Block 2, Roberts Addition of Deshler.

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Accident report

Dec. 23, 6:57 a.m. — Anthony Ferebee, 22, of Edgar, was driving a 2005 Chevrolet Silverado pickup truck southbound on N. Linden Avenue when he turned west on 7th Street and hit a patch of icy road. Ferebee

over-corrected and lurched hard to the left, jumped the curb and struck a mailbox cluster. Estimated damage to the mailboxes, \$200. Estimated damage to the pickup truck, \$1,500.

Sheriff's report

Dec. 18 — Reference to a warrant, 5:15 a.m.; Check on treasurer's tags, 8:54 a.m.; Accident report, 9:59 a.m.; Copy of accident report sent to email, 11:18 a.m.; Deputy served paperwork in Hebron, 12:02 p.m.; Medical emergency in Davenport, 12:04 p.m.; Cows out in Hebron, 2:04 p.m.; Noise complaint on dogs, 9:17 p.m.; Deputies following up on dog complaint, 10:15 p.m.; Douglas County advised an individual held for Thayer County was being released, 11:36 p.m.

Dec. 19 — Medical emergency in Hebron, 4:37 a.m.; Medical emergency in Deshler, 8:09 a.m.: Medical emergency in Chester, 8:32 a.m.; Caller wanting accident report, 10:55 a.m.; Caller wanting help to move cows, 2:03 p.m.; Caller wanted to reapply for gun permit, 4:06 p.m.; Deputy served paperwork,

7:06 p.m. Dec. 20 — Deputy assistance needed for funeral, 7:21 a.m.; Medical emergency in Deshler, 8:32 a.m.; Information needed to shoot fireworks at a wedding, 11:56 p.m.; Caller wanted to notify office of high school practice fire alarm drill, 3:04 p.m.; Caller wanted to talk to deputy about the location of his children, 4:25 p.m.

Dec. 21 — Medical emergency in Hebron, 7:19 a.m.; Medical emergency in Deshler, 7:23 a.m.; Caller wanted help moving cows, 8:53 a.m.; Caller wanted to report vandalism at Stastny

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Center, 10:39 a.m.; Medical emergency in Hebron, 12:03 a.m.

- Cows out on Dec. 22 Highways 81 and 136 junction, 7:40 a.m.; Medical emergency in Hebron, 9:20 a.m.; Caller wanted to pick up vouchers for transient, 1:38 p.m.; Medical emergency in Hebron, 7:26 p.m.; Caller wanted to know who's vehicle was parked on property. Sheriff's office called to see if owner would move vehicle, 9:14 p.m.; Lift assist in Hebron, 10:43 p.m.

Dec. 23 — Lift assist in Hebron, 2:47 a.m.; Accident with mailboxes via icy road, 6:57 a.m.; Nuckolls County reported stolen car, which was found, 9:21 a.m.; Dog on property, caller reported, 10:54 a.m.

Dec. 24 Nebraska State Patrol reported a man waiting for his father in Gilead. Deputies led father to Gilead, 2:33 a.m.; Caller reported vehicle traveling southbound in northbound lane on Highway 81, 12:35 a.m.; Cattle out on Highway 81 mile marker 115, 12:45 a.m.; Caller reported bad accident two miles north of Bruning. Sheriff's office contacted Fillmore County, 12:56 a.m.; Two-vehicle accident reported two miles north of Bruning on High-

Dec. 25 — Sarpy County requesting assistance for wallet belonging to Thayer County resident, 1:25 a.m.; Request for civil standby in Bruning, 9:28 p.m.

Dec. 26 — Attempted break-in on Jefferson Street, 1:58 a.m.; Male picked up on Richardson County warrant during traffic stop, 2:58 a.m.; Vehicle/cow accident north of Deshler, 6:26 p.m.; Deputy requested for altercation, Road 5600,

Dec. 27 — Caller advised of vehicle in ditch, 9:38

Dec. 28 - Assist Jef-

Dec. 29 Assistance requested to help move cows across Highway 81, 9:04 a.m.; Medical emergency at Blue Valley Nursing Home, 4:24 p.m.; Deputy requested for altercation, 6:49 p.m.; Vehicle broke down on

Dec. 30 — Gas leak from meter on N. 6th Street in Hebron, 10:31 a.m.; Medical emergency in Deshler, 11:24 a.m.; Report of illegal deer dumping carcasses on River Road, 12 p.m.

Dec. 31 — Report of 2:49 p.m.

way 81, 12:58 a.m.

ferson County in transient transport, 8:32 a.m.; Medical emergency in Deshler, 9:36 p.m.

Highway 81, 9:07 p.m.

suspicious activity in Alexandria, 2:20 p.m.; Report of gas drive off at 81 Express,

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Starting an exercise program

It's that time of year again...time for making our resolutions. Many of us make a resolution to start exercising and to get fit. Too often we abandon our goal before Easter. However, you will increase your chances for long-term success if you follow these five simple tips.

Determine Your Readiness: Are you both physically and mentally ready to start an exercise program. If you worry about being healthy enough to start a fitness regiment, talk to your doctor. Once you have been physically cleared, consider your mental readiness. While there are many factors to consider, three often determine your success:

- Your confidence in your exercise ability. - Encouragement and sup-

port you receive from those closest to you. -Participating in an enjoy-

able form of exercise.

Create a Plan: Before you start your exercise program, answer three questions.

When will you exercise? Identify three days and times that are convenient for you and stick with those days so you are working out at the same time each week.

- What type of exercise will you do? The best type of exercise is one you enjoy. Don't worry about what everyone else is doing, pick an exercise that works for

- How much time will you spend exercising? Start with as little as 10 minutes per session and slowly build up to at least 30 minutes per

Bring a Friend: If a friend has also resolved to start exercising more in the New Year, start your fitness journeys together. A friend will keep you accountable and increase your chances for success. Try to find an exercise you both enjoy. This might be a challenge, but it's worth it since an exercise

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partner provides you with a support system, a positive social experience and inspiration. There will be times when you don't feel like working out and a partner can be just the motivation you need to get going.

Take It Easy: Think of your resolution as a lifelong commitment to a healthier lifestyle. You are much more likely to be successful if you start out slow. For instance, you may see people exercising at a very high intensity, but you should start with low-to-moderate intensity workouts. You may know people who train six days a week, but it's fine to start with three. You may see people engage in a diverse array of physical activities, but a 15-minute walk three days a week is a great place to begin.

Be Realistic: One of the biggest problems with New Year's resolutions is they can be extremely impractical. Setting goals is a great idea, but make sure they are realistic. For example, a goal to complete a 5K run by Easter is both reasonable and achievable. Conversely, a goal to complete a marathon by that date is unrealistic and potentially unsafe. Think of it as if you were building a house. Start slow (i.e., low intensity and duration), develop a solid foundation of fitness and then build upon that foundation as your fitness improves.

The Korff Fitness and Wellness Center in Hebron offers a variety of different equipment and types of workouts to help you find the one that fits you best. It is also a great place to maybe find a workout partner.

Source: www.active.com

Thayer County Health Services

Things And Stuff

January 10: Deshler January 11: Davenport

January 12: Hebron

January 13: Hebron

January 17: Hebron January 18: Deshler

January 19: Belvidere

January 20: TCHS Empl.

Hebron volunteers and Thayer County Health Services employees will provide coverage on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to noon.

The Things and Stuff shop and the hospital gift shop are staffed by volunteers from Thayer County and surrounding communities. To volunteer at the Things and Stuff shop, contact Ruth Kripal at 402-768-6755. Shop hours are Wed., Thur. and Fri. from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sat. from 9 a.m. to noon

Donations of household items and clothing items may be made during the hours of operation or leave them in the drop box behind the shop.

Children's Immuniza-

tion Clinics: Immunizations for children are done through the clinic. To schedule a clinic appointment, call 402-768-7203.

Adult Immunization Clinic: For all adult vaccines, contact the clinic appointment line at 402-768-7203.

CLINIC SCHEDULES Bruning Clinic

January 16:.....9:30-11:30 Dr. Randy Waldman January 171:30-4:30

Brent Madsen, PAC **Davenport Clinic** January 15 9:30-11:30 Kay Elting, APRN

January 17 8:30-11:30 Brent Madsen, PAC **Deshler Clinic** January 152:00-4:30

Kay Elting, APRN January 16.....2:00-4:30 Maggie Johnson, PAC January 18 9:00-11:30 Dr. Scott Vonderfecht

Chester Clinic January 172:00-4:30 Dr. Scott Vonderfecht

Milligan Clinic January 16......7:45-10:30 Dr. Scott Vonderfecht

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Friday, January 19, 2018

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LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Irregular Tract 154 & Irregu



lar Tract 141. 6-2-2, Hebron, Thayer County, Nebrask s is a large lot and measures 102'X179' TAXES: The 2017 and all prior years to be paid by the Seller. All future years taxes are the re

TITLE & POSSESSION: Full possession and final settlement shall be within 30 days from the date of sale, on or before February 19, 2018. Title insurance will be used and shared 1/2 and 1/

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The Hebron Journal-Register invites you to share your special occasion announcements with our readers. Contact us at hebronjr@windstream. net or 402-768-6602 for more information. There is a fee associated with published announcements.

Bruning-Davenport Unified School

ACTIVITIES

Thursday, January 11: JHBBB at Thayer Central, 6 p.m.; MUDECAS G/B BB. Friday, January 12:

MUDECAS GBB. Saturday, January 13: MUDECAS BBB; Speech meet at Fairbury.

Monday, January 15: FCCLA star; JH GBB vs. Silver Lake at Roseland, 6 p.m.; JH BBB vs. Blue Hill at Davenport, 6 p.m.; HS JV G/B BB tourney at Thayer Central, TBD.

Tuesday, January 16: FCCLA Star snow day; Bruning Auxiliary soup supper; HS G/B V BB vs McCool Junction at Bruning,

6:15 p.m./8 p.m.; JV TBA. Wednesday, January **17:** FFA leadership skills at York.

Area students on Dean's list

Southeast Community College in Nebraska has released its Dean's List for the quarter recently completed on the Beatrice, Lincoln and Milford campuses.

To be recognized on SCC's Dean's List, a student must complete at least six quarter credit hours of the term with a minimum grade-point average of 3.5. Classes with a grade of "P" (Pass) do not count toward the six-hour minimum.

Area students achieving this honor include:

Brandon Joseph Anderson of Davenport, Agriculture Business and Management Technology;

Broderick Warren Harms of Hebron, Machine Tool Technology;

Sarah Beth Watson of Hebron, Long Term Care Administration.

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Hebron **Senior Center**

Monday, January 15: Closed - Martin Luther King Day.

Tuesday, January 16: Chicken tenders, potato wedges, stir fry veggies, fruit. Bingo.

Wednesday, January 17: Ham slice, sweet potato, au gratin cabbage, dessert.

Thursday, January 18: Chicken supreme, Oregon veggies, roll, dessert.

Friday, January 19: Spaghetti, meat sauce, green beans, garlic toast, fruit. National Popcorn Day.

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.

Exercise daily, 9:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.; Tai Chi, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8:30 a.m.; "See you lighter", Wednesdays, 8:45 a.m.; Bus to Lincoln on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday: Fairbury trips are on first and third Mondays.

Chester **Senior Diners**

Monday, January 15: Closed - Martin Luther

Tuesday, January 16: Chicken tenders, potato wedges, stir fry veggies,

Wednesday, January 17: Ham slice, sweet potato, au gratin cabbage, dessert. Thursday, January 18:

Chicken supreme, Oregon veggies, roll, dessert. Friday, January 19:

Spaghetti, meat sauce, green beans, garlic toast, fruit.

Meals served with bread, butter and milk. To make reservations, phone 324-5271 by 1:30 p.m., the day before you wish to dine.

Davenport Senior Diners

Monday, January 15: Closed - Martin Luther King Day.

Tuesday, January 16: Chicken tenders, potato wedges, stir fry veggies, fruit.

Wednesday, January 17: Ham slice, sweet potato, au gratin cabbage, dessert.

Thursday, January 18: Chicken supreme, Oregon veggies, roll, dessert.

Friday, January 19: Spaghetti, meat sauce, green beans, garlic toast, fruit.

Meals served with bread. butter and milk. For reservations, call 364-2449 by 1:30 p.m., the day before.

Exercise Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9:30



Jingle Jangle for a cause...

Thayer Central Elementary held their annual Jingle Walk on December 22. Students and staff at the elementary enjoyed letting their coins Jingle Jangle throughout the hallways as they let their holiday spirit shine. A total of \$921.39 was brought in by the students and staff; an anonymous donor donated some additional money so the total made it to \$1,000. This enabled Thayer Central Elementary to have enough money to sponsor a cow for the Cattlemen's Ball that will be held in Hebron this June. Thayer Central Elementary challenges all organizations in the area to get involved in this very important fight.

Pictured are several elementary students with Pat Kenner and Rob Marsh, members of the Cattlemen's Ball committee, and the jars of coins that were collected. The ball is an event held annually at different places in Nebraska to aid in the fight against cancer.

U.S. Secretary of Agri-

culture Sonny Perdue today

announced a slate of Farm

Service Agency (FSA) State

Committee Appointees.

State committees are se-

lected by the Secretary, serve

at the pleasure of the Sec-

retary, and are responsible

for carrying out FSA's farm

programs within delegated

"The State Committees

will help to ensure USDA

is providing our farmers,

ranchers, foresters, and

agricultural producers with

the best customer service,'

Secretary Perdue said. "They

serve as a liaison between

authorities.

Jagels named as FSA

State Committee appointee

USDA and the producers in

each state across the nation

by keeping them informed

and hearing their appeals and

complaints. The committees

are made up mostly of ac-

tive farmers and ranchers,

representing their peers and

ensuring USDA's programs

are supporting the American

Committee for Nebraska:

Committee Chair Scott

Spilker of Beatrice, Cindi

Allen of Ogallala, Mark

Jagels of Davenport, Hilary

Maricle of Boone County

and Geoff Ruth of Rising

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Card of Thanks

Thank you to the Bruning Bank for the candle and trivet I received from your Christmas drawing.

DIANE SCHARDT

Area students named to UNK dean's list

The University of Nebraska at Kearney announced students who earned a place on the dean's list for the fall 2017 semester.

Students who are on the dean's list must have completed 12 credit hours or more of classes with a 3.5 grade point average or better on a 4.0 scale. Students earn a 4.0 for an "A," 3.0 for a "B" and a 2.0 for a "C."

Courses taken on a credit/ no credit basis aren't included among the necessary 12 credits.

Area students who earned a place on the dean's list include: Marissa Asche, Grace Brinegar, Rachael Fangmeier, Jessica Huhman, Connor Mumm and Nathan Pavelka, all of Hebron; Amy Flint, Mikaela Hansen and April Maschmann, all of Deshler.

Second Annual Thayer County Pancake Day

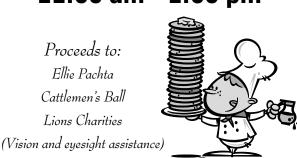
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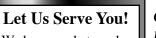
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It can be a little difficult to "thank" everyone for all they do for the staff and residents at Blue Valley Lutheran Homes during the Holiday Season and all year long. If you volunteered your time to decorate, entertained the residents with song and games, brought in "goodies and snacks" over the month, helped us celebrate with Santa Claus, or did anything special - THANK YOU VERY MUCH! We appreciate it and the residents appreciate even more.







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

* BELVIDERE *

BELVIDERE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST Kim Dunker, Pastor

Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.; * BETHEL *

BETHEL CHURCH

Jim Hubble, Pastor Sundays: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30

* BRUNING *

TRINITY LUTHERAN

Stuart Sell, Pastor Wednesday, January 10: Faith Walk Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Confirmation class; Church council meeting

Sunday, January 14: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m.

Wednesday, January 17: Bible study, 9:30 a.m.; Faith Walk Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Confirmation class; M.O.P.S. meeting, 7 p.m.

UNITED METHODIST

Jeanie Leeper, Pastor Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.

* BYRON *

ST. PETER LUTHERAN **RURAL BYRON**

Pastor Breen Marie Sipes Sundays: Worship, 10:30

* CARLETON *

ZION LUTHERAN

Rev. Jonathan K. Jensen Sundays: Worship, 9:30

* CHESTER *

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN

Rev. Christopher Gerdes, Pastor Sundays: Worship, 11 a.m. Tuesdays: Vespers, 6 p.m.; Bible study, 6:30 p.m.

* DAVENPORT *

CHRIST'S LUTHERAN

Kristen Van Stee, 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'S LUTHERAN

Vicar Greg Schaffer Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School and Bible class, 10:15 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST

Jeanie Leeper, Pastor Sundays: Worship, 10:30

* DAYKIN *

ST. JOHN

Pastor Annette Minderman Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.

* DESHLER *

ABIDING WORD LUTHERAN

Jon Langness, Pastor Wednesday, January 10: Quilting, 1:30 p.m. Friday, January 12: Ladies

Bible study, 1 p.m. Saturday, January 13: Men's fellowship breakfast, 7 a.m.;

Mid-winter Bible conference,

Sunday, January 14: Sunday school, 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday, January 17: Parkview Haven, 3 p.m.

PEACE LUTHERAN

Rich Stevenson, Pastor Wednesday, January 10: 5 and 6 PACE, 4 p.m.; 7 and 8 PACE, 5 p.m.; Peace choir, 8 p.m.

Saturday, January 13: Worship, 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, January 14: Sunday School for all, 9 a.m.; Worship,

10 a.m. Monday, January 15: WOW Board meeting, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, January 17: 5 and 6 PACE, 4 p.m.; 7 and 8 PACE, 5 p.m.; Peace choir,

Thursday, January 18: Annual report assembly, 2 p.m.

ST. PETER LUTHERAN

Brian Francik, Pastor Wednesday, January 10: Midweek confirmation, 4 p.m.; Bells, 6:30 p.m.; FOS meeting at DLS, 7 p.m.; Choir, 8 p.m.

Thursday, January 11: Conversations, 7 a.m.; Quilt tying, 9 a.m.; DLS Chapel, 9:15 a.m.

Friday, January 12: Bulletin folders, 1 p.m.; DLS third and fourth grades to Parkview Haven for Bingo, 2 p.m.

Sunday, January 14: Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School and coffee fellowship, 10:30 a.m.; Adult Bible class, 10:45 a.m.; MBB at DLS, 7

Monday, January 15: DLS board, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, January 16: Bible study, 10:30 a.m.; Bible study,

Wednesday, January 17:

Midweek confirmation, 4 p.m.; Bells, 6:30 p.m.; Choir, 8 p.m.

* FRIEDENSAU *

TRINITY LUTHERAN

Rev. Jose Flores

Thursday, January 11: DLS Chapel, 9:15 a.m.; Morning nursing home/assisted living visits by Pastor.

Friday, January 12: Pastor's office hours, 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Saturday, January 13: Ladies Aid, 2 p.m.

Sunday, January 14: Worship Service, 10 a.m.; Sunday School and Bible class, 11:15 a.m.; Basketball and Bibles, at DLS, 7 p.m.

Monday, January 15: DLS school board meeting, 7:30 p.m.; Annual report items due. Thursday, January 18: DLS

Chapel, 9:15 a.m.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN

* GILEAD *

Pastor Annette Minderman Sundays: Worship, 11 a.m.

* HARDY *

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN Pastor Breen Marie Sipes

Sundays: Worship, 9 a.m.

* HEBRON *

FAITH LUTHERAN

Rev. Christopher Gerdes, Pastor Sundays: Worship, 9:30 Wednesdays: Matins, 9 a.m.;

Bible study, 9:30 a.m.

FIRST COMMUNITY CHURCH

Steve Speichinger, Pastor Sundays: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10:00 a.m.; Wednesdays: Family night, supper, 6 p.m.; Bible study, 6:45 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Sundays: Worship, 10:30

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Keith Brozek, Pastor Saturdays: Worship, 6:30

Sundays: Worship, Bible study, Coffee fellowship, 9

HEBRON & CHESTER UNITED METHODIST

Rev. Young Je Kim, Pastor Sundays: Worship at Chester, 11 a.m.; Worship at Hebron, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, Chester, 9:30 a.m.; Hebron, 10:15 a.m.

KING OF KINGS **CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP**

Darrell Sutton, Pastor Tuesdays: Service, 7 p.m. Sundays: Worship, 6 p.m.; Sunday School, 5 p.m.; first and third Sundays of month.

NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY

Mike Hood, Pastor Sundays: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC

Father Rudolf Oborny, Pastor Wednesday, January 10: CCD, 7 p.m.; Knights of Columbus meeting, 8:20 p.m.

Friday, January 12: That Man is You, breakfast at 5:30 a.m., video, 6 a.m. Saturday, January 13: Mass,

Sunday, January 14: Mass,

Tuesday, January 16: EN-DOW for women, 7 p.m.

Altar Society baby shower is ongoing. Place new or gently used baby clothes in crib at the back of the church.

HEBRON BIBLE CHURCH

Jeff Friesen, Pastor

Sundays: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m.

study, 7 p.m. Thursdays: Prayer time, 9

Wednesdays: Women's Bible

Saturdays (2nd and 4th): Men's Bible study.

* HUBBELL *

ZION LUTHERAN

Rev. Christopher Gerdes, Pastor Sundays: Worship, 8 a.m.

* OAK *

FIRST COMMUNITY CHURCH

Keith Brich, Pastor Sundays: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship 10 a.m.

Wednesdays: Men's Bible study, 7 p.m.

Fridays: Women's Bible study, 2 p.m.

First Saturday: Men's breakfast, 7:30 a.m.

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

Gerhart, Katy Jarvis, Laura

(Steve) Mach and Ann Born-

at 11 a.m., on January 12, at

the First United Methodist

Church in Hebron, with Pas-

tor Young Je Kim officiating.

Organist is Diane Smith and

congregational hymns are

"In the Garden," "How Great

Thou Art" and "Nearer My

Casket bearers are Mi-

chael Gerhart, Katy Jarvis,

Laura Mach and Ann Born-

God To Thee."

Funeral Services will be

schlegl.

Obituaries

Laura

Burns Laura Elizabeth Byfield Burns was born to Harold Eugene Byfield and Anna Lucille Eiseman in Jewell County, Kansas, on February 14, 1939. She was one of four children. Laura passed away on January 3, 2018, in

Lincoln, at the age of 78. As a oung girl, Laura was baptized into the churchand attended school in



Superior. Laura loved taking care of farm animals and being a member of 4-H. She once had a calf that went all the

way to the State Fair. Once she married her husband, Robert Burns, they lived in several different places for Robert's employment. From Palmer, Kan., Salem, Mo., Colby, Kan., Plainville, Kan., and Ruskin. In 1978, Laura worked at Ben Franklins' store in Superior. She also worked in the nursing homes in Nelson and Hebron in the dietary and

laundry departments. In 1988, Laura became a widow when Robert was killed in a work accident. Laura and Robert were married for 33 years and had three daughters. Laura then moved to Esbon, Kan., where she worked on a ranch with cattle, which she really enjoyed. After 10 years she retired and moved to Concordia, Kan., where she stayed until September 2016, when she moved to Fairmont.

cooking. She was an avid reader and loved to garden. When she had a large garden, she canned and froze all the bounty. She was a pretty good horseback rider and loved going to church. Laura enjoyed raising her family and did a great job.

Laura enjoyed puzzles and

She is preceded in death by her husband, Robert LeRoy Burns; parents, Harold and Anna Byfield; brother, Eugene Byfield; and sister, Cora Watkins and her husband

Dennis. Mourning her passing are daughters, Mary Finke of Deshler, Rosemary Theobald (Kent) of Fairmont, and Sharon Bliss (Ed) of Hebron; grandchildren, Jon Sunday, Anna Sunday, Richard Sunday, Roberta Laaker (Scott), Amber Arner (Patrick), Seneca Bohling, Serena Bohling, Stacy Bliss, Lee Bliss (Jessica); 12 greatgrandchildren; brother, Richard Byfield (Ruby); sister-in-law, Kathy Byfield;

and numerous nieces and nephews and many friends. A funeral service for Laura was held on January 9, at the United Methodist Church in Geneva, with Pastor Mi-

chelle Gowin officiating. Graveside Services were held at the Evergreen Cem-

etery in Superior.

to the family for a later designation. Organist, Sondra Myers, accompanied the congregation as they sang "In The Garden," "God Be With You Till We Meet Again,"

"Amazing Grace" and "The

Memorials were directed

Old Rugged Cross. Pallbearers included Kent Theobald, Jon Sunday, Jr., Richard Sunday, Patrick Arner, Scott Laaker, Seneca Bohling and Danny Sim-

Honorary pallbearers were Anna Sunday, Roberta Laaker, Amber Arner, Stacy Bliss, Lee Bliss, Serena Bohling and Chris Crutcher.

Farmer & Son Funeral

Home were in charge of

funeral arrangements.

News and advertising deadline is Monday noon for The Hebron

Journal-Register

Annabelle

Nacke Annabelle Ruth Nacke was born in Hebron, on December 24, 1924, the third child of Albert J. Nacke and Frederica Haug Nacke. She was baptized by Fr. Joseph Ress, Sacred Heart Church, in Hebron, on January 4, 1925. Annabelle died in her home January 1, 2018, at the

age of 93 years. Her godparents were Herman and Dora Nacke. She was a life-long resident in

Hebron. She attended Sacred Heart school and remained a parishioner of Sa-

cred Heart

Parish her entire life. Annabelle met no strangers and so in listing her "accomplishments" it is true to say that she liked to meet and be with people. We liked to joke in saying that she knew not only everyone in town

but in the county! She came to know people and talk with them in a variety of settings including parish dinners, selling poppies for the American legion (she was a top seller), selling chances on quilts for

fundraisers and travel. A good deal of her knowledge came also from her many baby-sitting jobs throughout the years. As those babies moved into adulthood, she would always remember them and they in turn remembered her. She was generous with her time and was seen in her late 80's rising early to put up flags around the courthouse for Memorial Day. All these things were recognized when she was made Grand Marshall of the 4th of July

parade in 2015. Annabelle was a strong member of the Hebron Bowling Team earning many trophies. In her later years, she became an avid reader and enjoyed biographies, along with any information about the Nebraska Cornhuskers. The "Cornhuskers" were "her team" and she took great pleasure in supporting them. The sports section of the daily paper and activities of the team was a first in her

reading of the paper. She is preceded in death by her parents; brother, Charles;

and sister, Geraldine Hess, She leaves to mourn her sister, Mary, who cared for her; sister, Betty Mahoney and husband Tim of Houston, Texas; sister, Sr. Margaret, CSJ of Belleville, Kan.; and her brother, Fr. Xavier, OSB of Conception Abbey,

Conception, Mo. A memorial Mass will be held at Sacred Heart Church, Hebron, on January 17, at 10:30 a.m. Rosary service will be on January 16, at Kroll Funeral Home Chapel. Officiants will be Father Rudy Oborny and Father Xavier Nacke. Organist will be Julie Kriesel, cantor Carlece Kenner, and congregational hymns will be "All That IAm,""Be Not Afraid," "I Am The Bread Of Life" and "On Eagles Wings." Acolyte will be Ken Else and

reader Sr. Margaret. Memorials are directed in

care of the family. No visitation (anatomical gift).

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rangements.

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Leslie **Ferebee**

Leslie Ann Ferebee passed away on January 3, 2018. She was born in Chicago Heights, Ill., on Sept. 29, 1968, to Junior and Dixie

Ferebee. She attended Special Ed classes at Hebron Public Schools.

in Hebron.

She participated in the Special Olympics and attended Region V Services workshops

of the United Methodist Church in Hebron. She is preceded in death by her mother and father; grandparents, Elmer and

She is survived by her

aunt, Donna Aschwege;

cousins, Michael (Julie)

Maybelle Ferebee.

schleg. Leslie Ann was a member Burial will be in the

Deshler City Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials are directed to the Special Olympics or Blue Valley Lydia Jahnke and Sam and

arrangements.

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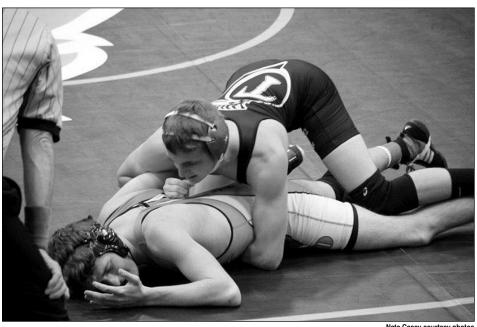
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Titan Jarod Hergott placed second at the Aquinas Invitational Jan. 6. Hergott wrestled Dorchester, Conestoga, Boys Town and Broken Bow.

Titans medal at David City

Titan wrestlers had three second place winners at the Aquinas Invitatational in David City Jan. 6.

Coming in for second place medals were Keegan Casey in the 126-pound weight class scored 20 team points; Jarod Hergott (145 pounds) with 21 team points; and Jackson Feulner (152) with 19 team points.

Damian Stewart (132) was fourth and scored 12 points for the team.

Also wrestling were Cooper Casey (106), Andrew Engle (160) and Logan Luehring (195).

K. Casey won by two falls over Boys Town (1:30) and Fort Calhoun (2:39) and then in a decision over Aquinas (4-2). Casey lost the first place match to Broken Bow in a 8-7 decision. His season

Hergott defeated Dorchester in the first round with a pin in 3:52. He also took Conestoga down in 38 seconds. In the semifinal, Hergott was over Boys Town with a major decision of 15-1. In the first place match, Broken Bow took Hergott to the mat in 2:45. Hergott's record is

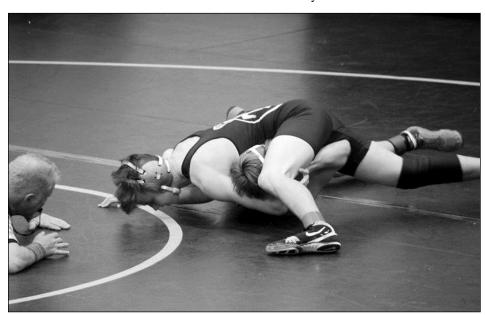
Feulner's record is 9-6. He took Twin River in a 3:12 pin and Aquinas by a 12=4 major decision. Feulner lost by a pin to Broken Bow in

Stewart is at a 15-9 record. In the quarterfinal, Stewart was over Norfolk Catholic in 1:42. Broken Bow defeated Stewart in the semifinal (56 seconds) and in the third place match, Nebraska Christian won by a 10-9 decision. Stewart's record is 15-9.

C. Casey (9-10 record) brought home 5 points. He took Conestoga down in 3:16. Aquinas won the next round with a 1:13 pin. Casey was then favored in a 4-0 decision against Schuyler. In the consolation round, Aquinas won the 3-1 decision over Casey.

Luehring scored 4 points. He lost to Aquinas (pin 3:59) in the quarterfinal and then he took Schuyler junior varsity down in the third consolation round in 3:35. Luehring lost the semifinal to Broken Bow in 2:32. His record is 7-13.

Engle's record is also 7-13. He was defeated in a 14-5 major decision for Boys Town and in a 3:19 pin by Stanton.



Jackson Feulner took two opponents down, Twin River and Aquinas, and lost to Broken

Eagles 9-2, to play tourney

Bruning-Davenport/ Shickley Eagles had another solid week with two wins over Giltner and Nebraska

Lutheran. The Giltner game was played at home in Davenport with the Eagles going 50-39

in a challenging contest. "The Hornets presented a tremendous challenge as they brought in 11 guys who played significant minutes and athletes across the board," Coach Gret Schro-

eder said. The Hornets were 7-1 coming in and weren't going to let the Eagles reign with their first quarter lead 18-11. They held the home team to just 8 points in the second and third quarters and took a 2-point lead going into the fourth.

But the steadfast Eagles caught their second wind and in the last 5 minutes of the game began attacking the hoop and finishing strong at the rim and from the charity

Their jump press really took a toll on us throughout the game," Schroeder said. "It wore on us and it really showed in the middle quarters. It seemed like after our time out in the fourth quarter, we finally got ourselves collected.'

Schroeder said thankfully, the BDS defensive effort was strong to get the offense

Jackson Grote and Karson Dickson had strong defensive efforts for the Eagles, including a big steal and



Garrett Schardt takes the ball down the stretch in the Giltner game.

multiple rebounds, respectively.

Caden Norder was the point leader with 19; Holden Stengel made 10 for the team; Anthony Beavers, 9; John Christensen, 7; and Garrett Schardt, 5.

Against Nebraska Lutheran, Stengel was the shooter with 16 points in a 56-38 match.

The Eagles were on the Knights early with a 12-9

first quarter lead. "I was a little worried

about our legs after an up-tempo game the night before, but the boys battled and made the most of our opportunities around the basket to help our cause," Schroeder said.

Kellen Reinsch, Taylor Anderson and Logan Schroeder gave solid playing time to the team.

"They were able to give us a little spark, being a little fresher and getting us 7 points together," Schro-

See EAGLES page 7

Dragon boys 2-2 on week

The Deshler Dragon boys team came away with two wins on the week - first against conference opponent Shelton for a 80-44 victory and in the Titan neighborhood with a final score of

Balanced scoring in the Shelton game ranged from 2 to 40 points. Grant Hansen scored 40 points for the team, followed by Peyton Dubbert with 13. Then came Adam Roth with 9; Derrick Buescher, 5; Brady Fangmeyer, 4; and Hutch Finke, Trenton Buescher and Cayden Loomis each made 2 points.

Putting 3-point shots in the basket were Hansen, Roth and Dubbert with Hansen shooting 2, Roth, 3 and Dubbert, 1.

"I was proud of the way our guys took care of business, especially after the start of the second quarter," Coach Josh Nash said. "Shelton has a nice, young team and they played hard.'

The longer the game wore on, the more experience and veteran leadership Nash saw coming from the team.

"We have some things to shore up as usual, but anytime you can get a conference win on the road, you should be pleased," he said.

had a total of 29 rebounds with D. Buescher pulling down 11 of them. Hansen grabbed 7. Thirteen steals were led by

The high-scoring game

Hansen, who took 4. Roth and Daniel Petersen stole 3 times. D. Buescher had 2.

In assists, it was Roth for 4; Dubbert, 3; and Finke, 2. Hansen sunk 8 free throws

and Petersen, 3. Dubbert had 2 and D. Buescher, 1. In its second game of the

week, the Dragons overcame Thayer Central using their defense and the boards. "Our defense responded

of business on the boards, which I thought was key,' Nash said. Hansen again led in scoring with 17 points and Dub-

and we were able to take care

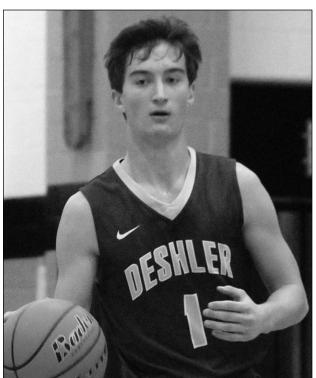
bert followed him with 14. Finke scored 9 points and D. Buescher, 7.

In 3-point scoring, Finke made 3 baskets, Dubbert, 2; Roth, 1; and Hansen, 1.

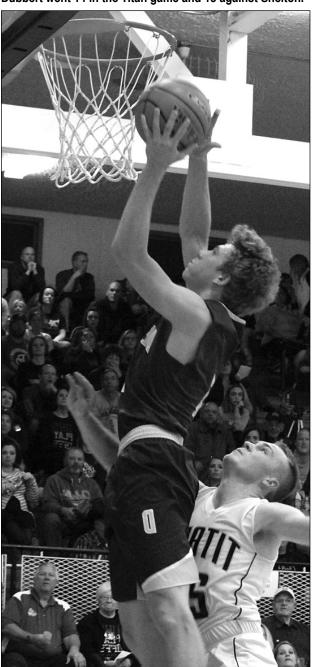
From the charity stripe, Hansen shot for 4 points; D. Buescher, 3; and Dubbert, 2.

Rebounds were at 22 for offensive and defensive. D. Buescher had 6 offensive and Hansen, 5 defensive rebounds to lead the pack. D. Buescher was in for 8 total rebounds, Hansen, 5 and Finke, 4.

The Dragons racked up only 3 steals. Hansen was on 2 of them and D. Buescher on the remaining one. In assists, D. Buescher had 3



Deshler's Peyton Dubbert and Grant Hansen led the Dragons in scoring for the Shelton and Thayer Central games. Hansen had 40 points on the Shelton game and 17 against the Titans. Dubbert went 14 in the Titan game and 13 against Shelton.



and Finke, 2. The team had

a total of 8 assists. Nash said both teams should be proud of their

efforts. "This game is always a great environment for kids to play in, on both sides," Nash said. "Great fans supporting their team and a great competitive atmosphere. Players from both teams should be proud and feel fortunate to be able to play in games that matter to parents, fans and communities."

BDS girls, 10-1 after games

The Lady Eagles are sitting at a 10-1 record after defeating Giltner and Nebraska Lutheran last week.

In the 48-29 game against Giltner, the Eagle girls struggled offensively in the first half, only managing to sink 14 points.

"We missed some bunnies that we normally don't," Coach Shana Gerberding said.

The girls were defensively a step slower than Giltner, allowing the Hornets to stay in the game.

But in the second half, the Lady Eagles scored 16 points, 2 more than in the first half. In the fourth, they shot for 18 points and they held the Hornets to 15 points for the second half.

"Overall, I think we boxed out really well in the game. We were able to grab 21 defensive rebounds as well as 19 offensive," Gerberding said.

TaraLee Hudson was the leading shooter with 16 points. Carley Elznic chipped in 9 and snatched 10 rebounds. Elznic also had four steals. Lexi Kadel handed out 8 assists in the game.

The Nebraska Lutheran



TaraLee Hudson shoots for another basket — Hudson led the scoring against Giltner with 16 points.

Knights were ready for the Eagles on Saturday.

The Eagle defense suffered in the first half and in the second, the girls executed their offense, which intensified the defense end of the game.

They outrebounded the Knights 51-24 and scored See BDS girls page 7

Deshler girls top Shelton

The Deshler Lady Dragons went 52-18 to win over Shelton. The girls were 1-1 on the week with a loss to Thayer Central, 44-40.

The Shelton game was a conference win.

"The girls did a nice job of coming out and playing hard against a struggling Shelton team," Coach Andy Brenn said.

Scoring in the Shelton game was Sydney Roth with a whopping 26 points. Tori Schoof added 10 and Jaden Siegle, 7.

Against Thayer Central, Roth scored 18 points, followed by Kayla Oakman with 10 and Siegle made 6.

Results are as follows: Shelton

Free Throws — Roth, 5; Schoof, 2; Siegle, 1;

3-point baskets — Roth, 3; Schoof, 2; Leah Schmidt, 1:

Rebounds — Siegle, 11; Roth, Schmidt, Oakman and Schoof, 5 each; Tyra Schardt, Jenna Lemke and Cadence Jacobe, 1 each.

Steals - Siegle, 6; Schmidt, 5; Roth, 4; Oakman, 3; Schoof and Lemke, 2; Jacobe, 1.

Assists - Roth and Schoof, 4 each; Oakman, 3; and Lemke, 1.

Thayer Central

Free Throws — Siegle, 4; Oakman and Roth, 3 each; Schardt, 2;

3-point baskets — Roth, 3; Oakman, 1;

Rebounds — Siegle, 10; Schoof, 5; Roth and Oakman, 3 each; Schmidt and Schardt, 1 each;

Steals — Siegle, Roth and Oakman, 4 each; Schoof,

Assists — Oakman, 4; Roth, 3; and Schoof, 2.

Eagles...

Norder and Schardt con-

tributed 12 points each.

Christensen made 7; An-

derson, 3; and Schroeder,

Reinsch and Beavers, 2

eder said.



Dragon Sydney Roth attempts a steal from Titan Jena Cottam. Roth had four steals on the game. She scored 26 points earlier in the week against Shelton.



Tori Schoof looked for the pass while Titan Stephanie Meyer was on defense.

Jan. 9 to start the competi-

tion. Additional teams in the

"A" division are Falls City

Sacred Heart, Diller-Odell,

Freeman, Palmyra, Johnson-

Brock and Tri-County.



Zach Koss spotted a loose ball on the Titan court as Thayer Central played Deshler. The Titans lost, 50-30. They also dropped to Superior last week, 34-32.



Blue Valley Bowl Bowling Results

TUESDAY WOMEN'S BOWLERETTES LEAGUE

High Scratch Team Series: Cheryl's Hair Care - 1726; High Women's Game: Cheryl Greenwood 191, Cassie Johnson 185, Michele Modlin 172; High Women's Series: Linda Broman 509, Michele Modlin 460, Cassie Johnson 430.

WEDNESDAY MEN'S AMERICAN LEAGUE

High Scratch Team Series: Sport Shack - 2153; High Men's Game: Corey Schoenrock 253, Bryce Mammen 247, Denny Degenhardt 233; High Men's Series: Corey Schoenrock 678, Bryce Mammen 610, Denny Degenhardt 589.

THURSDAY WOMEN'S ROCKETTES LEAGUE

High Scratch Team Series: Construction -High Women's Game: Marissa Wagenblast 199, Crystal Fangmeyer 173, Terri Williams 169; High Women's Series: Paula Day 484, Marissa Wagenblast 472, Billie Novotny 453.

THURSDAY MEN'S PINBUSTER LEAGUE

High Scratch Team Series: Riverside Chevrolet -- 2002; High Men's Game: Andrew Wiedel 233, Jon Chapman 216, Leroy Voss 212; High Men's Series: Andrew Wiedel 614, Jon Chapman 578, Leroy Voss 553.

FRIDAY JUNIOR LEAGUE

High Scratch Team Series: High Boys' Game/Series: Elijah Quinones 155, 255; High Girls' Game/Series: Jadyn Bowman, 142, 252.



Lady Titan Sydny Havel shot 14 points against Deshler in a winning game for the Titans, 44-40. Thayer Central played Superior the night before and lost, 57-31.

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The Eagles took their

9-2 record to the Mudecas

Tournament in Beatrice

this week. They squared off

against Parkview Christian

Caden Norder goes for the basket past the Giltner defense. Norder led the scoring with 19 points.

BDS girls...

67 points to Nebraska Lutheran's 41.

"Out of those 51, 27 were offensive rebounds, which is a tribute to the girls working hard to get into position, Gerberding said.

Elznic led the scoring with 17 points and 8 rebounds, and 13 of the 17 shot in the second half.

Regan Alfs went for 14

points and snatched 11 rebounds. Jadyn Kleinschmidt contributed 10 points and 8 rebounds. Lexi Kadel was good on the assists again with 8.

The Lady Eagles are in the Mudecas Tournament in Beatrice this week. Their first round opponent was Johnson-Brock.

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Obituaries

Francis Garrison

Francis Harvey Garrison was born to Franklin Fillmore and Alta Mae (Wood) Garrison, on August 16, 1920, at Ohiowa, and passed away on January 2, 2018, at the Fillmore County Hospital in Geneva, at the age of 97 years, four months, and

17 days. T h e Garrison family resided in the community southeast ofOhiowa,



where he attended Franklin School District 10 for six grades before the family moved to a farm that later became their home, where he attended Pleasant Ridge District 9 for two years. He finished his schooling at Ohiowa High School and graduated with the class of 1937.

Francis helped his folks and worked as a hired hand in the community and in Iowa, where he picked corn several Falls for friends he became acquainted with there. Several years later, he and his brother and friends went to Idaho in the Falls to harvest beets and pick potatoes for friends they knew there.

Francis was married to LaVern Bertha Wolfteich on February 8, 1942, at St. John's Lutheran Church. They lived on the farm until Francis was drafted into the Army on September 25, 1942. He served over three years and three months in the southwest Pacific, hopping from Australia and various Islands and then to the Philippines, when the war ended the day before his birthday.

He was then trained as a Military Policeman and sent to Japan for the Army of Occupation for a time. During the process of rotation, which depended on the points you earned by the time in the service, he was ready to return to the U.S.A. He was told he would be home by Christmas, but he was delayed and finally discharged at Fort Logan, Colo., on December 31, 1945. He and several Nebraska buddies headed home on a train, dropping them each off along the way until he was the only one arriving in Lincoln at midnight as the whistles were blowing and the bells were ringing on New Year's Eve.

Francis and LaVern returned to the farm, which they eventually purchased. They enjoyed raising various crops and livestock and also LaVern's flowers and garden. A son, Darrel, was born to them on May 9, 1947.

Francis was active and served on Church Council, Township Board, Farmers Cooperative Board and several other committees. He was a member of St John's Lutheran Church and Ohiowa American Legion Post 193.

After some encouragement from Beth, Francis felt honored and thankful he got to go on the Honor Flight to Washington, D.C., to see the World War II Memorial, the changing of the Guard at Arlington National Cemetery and other memorials around Washington, D.C.

Francis was also proud of his involvement with the demolition of the old church and building of the new church. He especially took a great deal of pride in using the glass from the old church to make new windows for the new one. A group of members with Phyllis and

Dick Schoenholz worked in the basement of their home to cut, grind, and weld the windows together to beautify the sanctuary.

LaVern passed away on August 23, 1987, and Francis continued farming but reduced his acreage by renting his quarter of farm ground out and farming one irrigated quarter of ground. In March of 1990, he retired from farming and had a farm sale and sold the remainder of his equipment. He continued to live on the farm helping others and helping Dick Schoenholz Auction Service for several years.

Francis married Beth Wilson on June 21, 1992. They were blessed with 25 plus happy years together. They built a home together in Bruning where their door was always open for friends and family. They loved playing cards, and no one ever left without enjoying coffee and a plate of Francis' famous chocolate chip cookies.

When Francis married Beth, he was adopted by her three daughters and their families. They all loved him dearly. He was always looking for ways to help each of them, and his generosity also extended to people he didn't know, too. If someone needed help, he was there for them. He will be greatly missed by everyone close

Francis is preceded in death by his parents; first wife, LaVern; son, Darrel; brother, Wayne Garrison; sisters, Bernice Welton and husband Leland, Lois Dyer and husband Ernie and Evelyn Most.

He is survived by his wife, Beth Garrison of Bruning; daughters, Paula and Duane Wyssman of Bellevue, Barbara and Jay Schoenholz, and Lynne and Michael Houser all of Bruning; brother-inlaw, Verlin Most of Geneva; sister-in-law, Janis Frenzen of Geneva; grandchildren, Jenny and Ken Beukenhorst, Ami and Jeff Koehler, Brian and Julie Wyssman, Abby and Jarred Smith, Alissa and Brad Bankson, Ashley and Bryan Perez, Patrick Houser, Cody and Paige Houser, Mitchell Houser; and 18 great grandchildren; lots of friends.

A funeral service for Francis was held on January 5, at the St. John's Lutheran Church, in Ohiowa. Pastor Judy Nuss, PMA Jim Germer and CLM Jeanie Leeper officiated the service. Nancy Cradduck accompanied the congregation in the singing of "Precious Lord, Take My Hand." She also accompanied Gaylord Cradduck in the singing of "Just A Closer Walk With Thee."

Pallbearers for the service included Rick Duensing, Galen Niederklein, Robert Schropfer, Ronald Schropfer, Rex Mussman and Gaylen Dunse.

Honorary pallbearers included Phillip Sears, Dick Schoenholz, Kenny Mussman, Tom Ortgies and Louis Schropfer.

Interment was held in the Ohiowa Public Cemetery, with Military Honors performed by the Ohiowa American Legion Post 193.

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Irene Gibson

Irene Anna Minnie Gibson, the daughter of John and Minnie (Meyer) Reinke, was born on a farm near Byron, on November 24, 1927. She was the oldest of eight children born to her parents. Irene passed away peacefully on November 1, 2017, at her home in Kalispell, Montana, at the age of 89 years, 11 months and 23 days. Her

were with Irene was baptized on

December

children



4,1927,by Reverend L.C. Lentz at St. John's Lutheran Church near Byron. She was confirmed at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Byron on April 6, 1941, by Reverend Paul Weltner. Her confirmation verse was John 13:35, "By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.'

Irene grew up in the Byron area. She attended country school through the eighth grade and later obtained her GED.

On December 17, 1952, she was united in marriage to Ernest E. Gibson of Superior, by Rev. Paul Weltner at St. Paul's Lutheran church in Byron. This union was blessed with three children, Brenda Lee and Mark Alan were born in Superior, where they lived for a few years until Ernie joined the army. They then moved to Germany where Leslie Ann was born.

While in the service, they were able to travel and enjoyed living in several different places, including the Panama Canal. They made friends everywhere they went.

After the service they retired in Kalispell, Montana. Irene got her cosmetology license and enjoyed working with her daughters in their beauty shop for many years. She was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Kalispell.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Ernie Gibson; her parents, John and Minnie Reinke; sister, Frances Ludwig; brother-in-law, Dick Ludwig; and brother, Lawrence Reinke.

She is survived by her daughters, Brenda Peterson, and Leslie Stroisch and husband Stan; son, Mark Gibson and wife Valerie; grandchildren, Holly Dumay and husband Al, Nichole Major and husband Chuck, and Wendy Gibson; great-grandchildren, Austin Dumay, Stacia Hanson and husband Eli, and Savanna and Charles Major; greatgreat-grandchildren, Peyton and Dalton Hanson, all of Montana; sisters, Eunice Horrocks and husband Doug of Lincoln, and Joan Jones and husband Bill of Ashland; brothers, Orvil Reinke and wife Doris of Fairbury, Louie Reinke and wife Phyllis of Las Vegas, Nev., Lester Reinke and wife Kathy of Hebron; sister-in-law, Lavon Reinke of Hebron; and many nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

Lonald Widler

Lonald W. "Lon" Widler, age 72, of Plattsmouth, was born on September 10, 1945, in Hebron, to Donald and Colleenne (Henderson) Widler. He passed away peacefully at his home in Plattsmouth, on December 30, 2017.

Lon graduated from Bruning High School in Bruning. After a brief enlistment in the United States Navy, he attended Business School and graduated from the Lincoln School of Commerce.

He was united in marriage on May 6, 1967, to Niki Fulton in Geneva. The two lived in several places as he and wife Niki owned a Farm Equipment Sales, Service, and Construction Business.

In 1991, Lon began working as an Agent for Farm Bureau and established an agency in Plattsmouth, where he fulfilled his second passion of helping others.

Lon was a lifelong avid horseman, and caring for his many animals was very important in his life. He was a member of the National Cutting Horse Association, Nebraska Quarter Horse Association, and the American Quarter Horse Association.

He is preceded in death by parents, Don and Colleenne Widler of Carleton; and grandson, Mitchell McKelvey Bond.

He is survived by his wife of fifty years, Niki Fulton Widler; daughter, Traci Widler Bond Costlow of Mineral Wells, Texas; son, Mitch Widler (Karen), Weatherford, Texas; grandchildren, Waylon Widler and Carter and Chloe Costlow; sister, Wanda Kerwood (Mike); brother, Rick Widler (Donna); sister-in-law, Terri Arnold (Michael); and extended family.

Visitation will be held on January 4, at the Brian P. Harvey Funeral Home, in Plattsmouth, from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m., with the family greeting friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Memorial service will be held at the United Church of Christ in Belvidere, at 11 a.m., on January 5.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to the family for future designation.

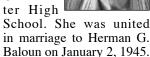
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Arrangements are being handled by Brian P. Harvey Funeral Home, Plattsmouth.

Arlene Baloun

Arlene Odessa Baloun, daughter of Emil Mohr and Katherine M. (Stroh) Mohr, was born February 9, 1925, at Chester, and passed away on December 28, 2017, at Belleville, Kansas, at the age of 92 years, 10 months and 19 days.

Arlene attended Chester Public Schools and graduated from Ches



She was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Belleville, Kan. She was a former member of the F.O.E. Auxiliary #3281, Belleville, Kan., and Women of the Moose #1278 of Concordia, Kan. She was a long time employee and member of the staff of the Peoples National Bank of Belleville, Kan.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Emil and Katherine Mohr; husband, Herman G. Baloun; brothers, Leo Mohr, Don Mohr, Earl Mohr, Kenneth Mohr, George Mohr and Edward Mohr: sisters, Frieda Mohr. Dorothy Pearl Mohr and

Mary E. Saint. She is survived by brother, Carl Mohr of McCook; sister, Birdene Neuteboom of Kearns, Utah; nieces and nephews, other relatives and many friends.

Funeral services were held on January 6, at the First United Methodist Church, Belleville, Kan, and were conducted by Rev. Emily Meckley.

Interment was in the Chester Cemetery, Chester.

Memorials are directed to the First United Methodist Church, Belleville, Kan.

Online condolences and information at www.bachelor-surber.com

Bachelor-Surber Funeral Home, Belleville, Kan., was in charge of arrangements

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Patricia Bowman

Patricia Ann Bowman of Bruning, age 98 years, eight months, 13 days, passed away on December 30, 2017, at Heritage Care Center in Fairbury. Pat was born to Ray and Lena (Doty), at home in Belvidere, on April 17,

1919. S h e graduated from Belvidere High School in 1937. Pat

worked at Gold's Department Store in Lincoln after high school, at an aircraft defense plant assembly plant and as an operator in Los Angeles. Later she was assigned to Lincoln Western Electric assembling telephones. After marriage, Pat worked at the Bruning Drug store and as a postal clerk in the Bruning Post Office until she became the postmaster 1978-1990.

Pat married Lorin Bowman on February 18, 1948, in Lincoln. She was baptized, confirmed and became a member of Trinity Lutheran Church that year.

She is survived by children Lana (Dan) Wilken of Beatrice, Jackie Bowman of Aurora and Larry Bowman of Bruning; grandchildren, Angela (Brian) Fossler of

Beatrice, Melissa Carper of Pickrell, Lenny (Carla) Bowman of Bruning, Dan Bowman of Scottsdale, Ariz., and Tony Bowman of Austin, Texas; great grandchildren Jadyn and Liam Bowman of Bruning; several nieces, nephews and cousins.

She is preceded in death by her parents; husband, Lorin; and brother, Guy Bailey.

A funeral service for Patricia was held on January 4, at Trinity Lutheran Church in Bruning, with Pastor Stuart Sell officiating. Organist was Myra Kluck who accompanied the congregation as they sang hymns, "How Great Thou Art," "Amazing Grace" and "Abide With

Graveside services were conducted at the Bruning Public Cemetery following the funeral service. Pallbearers included Chris

Huber, Lathan McLaughlin, Dan Domeier, Rob Marsh, Steve Baker and Gabe Baker. Honorary pallbearers

were Michael Bowman, Gene Bowman, Dean Baker, Lenny Bowman, Daniel Bowman and Anthony Bow-

Memorials are directed to the family for a later designation.

Farmer & Son Funeral Home conducted funeral arrangements.



ACTIVITIES

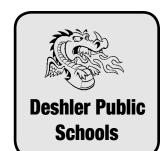
Thursday, January 11: Reserve BB at Fairbury, 5:30 p.m.; Home JH BBB with BDS, 6 p.m.

Friday, January 12: Wrestling at UNK, 9 a.m.; BB at Sutton, 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, January 13: Speech at Fairbury, 7:30 a.m.; Home JH BBB with Fairbury, 9:30 a.m.; Wrestling at Gibbon invite, 10 a.m.; Home BB with Milford, 4:30 p.m.; Little Titan Cheer Camp.

Monday, January 15: JV BB TC invite, 4 p.m.; Kearney Underclassman Honor Band.

Tuesday, January 16: BB at Friend, 4:30 p.m.



ACTIVITIES

Thursday, January 11: Show choir rehearsal, 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.; Home JH BB with Superior, 6:30 p.m.

Friday, January 12: BB at McCool Junction, 4 p.m./ 5:15 p.m./ 6:30 p.m./8 p.m. Saturday, January 13:

Speech at Fairbury; Show choir workshop, 8 a.m. - 12

Monday, January 15: Cheerleading practice, 6 p.m. - 7 p.m.; JV G/B BB at Sutton, 6:30 p.m./7:30 p.m. Tuesday, January 16:

Home Girls BB with Lawrence Nelson, 6:30 p.m./7:30

Wednesday, January **17:** FFA district leadership contests.



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There being no other business to come before the board the

chairman adjourned the meet-

ing at 12:20 pm. The board will

convene on January 17, 2018

I, the undersigned Deputy County Clerk in and for the County of Thayer, hereby certify

that all the subjects included in

the foregoing proceedings were

contained on the agenda for at

least 24 hours prior to said meeting. The agenda is available

for the public in the office of the

Thayer County Clerk. A notice

of said meeting was published in

the Deshler Rustler and Hebron

Journal Register.
These proceedings have been written and available

for public inspection within 10

working days and prior to the

next convened meeting. The

complete text of resolutions and agreements is available in the of-

fice of the Thayer County Clerk.

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Doug Grupe,

Of Revenue,

Empe Ret

State Taxes.....Retirement Plans

Division 002821,

Federal Taxes ..

Windstream,

at 9:00 a.m.

Thayer County Bank,

Prior Service ...

Nebraska Department

Public Notices

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS JANUARY 3, 2018

The Thayer County Board of Commissioners met in open and public session in the commissioner's room of the courthouse at 9:00 a.m. on January 3, 2018. Present were Commissioners Dave Bruning, Dean Krueger, Rick Dageforde and Deputy County Clerk, Cheryl Koch. Cheryl Koch, Deputy County

Clerk, called the meeting to

Public meeting laws are posted and available on the north wall of the meeting room in compliance with Nebraska

The Deputy County Clerk requested nominations for chairman of the board for 2018. Dean Krueger made a motion to appoint Dave Bruning as chairman of the board for 2018. Rick Dageforde seconded the motion. Result of vote: Krueger-yes, Dageforde-yes, and Bruningabstain. Motion carried

The meeting was turned over to the chairman by the Deputy

Dave Bruning made a motion to appoint Dean Krueger as vice-chairman of the board for 2018. Rick Dageforde seconded the motion. Result of vote: Bruning-yes, Dageforde-yes,

and Krueger-abstain. Motion

carried. Dave Bruning made a motion to appoint Dean Krueger as chairman of the Board of Equalization. Rick Dageforde seconded the motion. Result of vote: Bruning-yes, Dagefordeyes, and Krueger-abstain. Motion carried.

Rick Dageforde made a motion and Dean Krueger seconded to appoint Dave Bruning as vice-chairman of the Board of Equalization. Result of vote: Dageforde-yes, Krueger-yes, Bruning-abstain. Motion car-

The minutes from the December 20, 2017 meeting were mailed to the commissioners for review. Rick Dageforde made a motion and Dean Krueger seconded to approve the minutes. Result of vote: Dageforde-yes, Krueger-yes and Bruning-yes. Motion carried.

Dean Krueger made a motion to appoint the Hebron Journal Register as the county newspaper for 2018. Rick Dageforde seconded the motion. Result of vote: Krueger-yes, Dageforde-yes and Bruning-yes. Motion carried.

Rick Dageforde made a motion to appoint the Deshler Rustler as the co-paper for the county for 2018. Dean Krueger seconded the motion. Result of vote: Dageforde-yes, Kruegeryes, and Bruning-yes. Motion

Rick Dageforde made a motion to designate the county web site, www.thayercountyne.gov, as a venue for providing notice of County Commissioner and Board of Equalization meeting notices and minutes. Dave Bruning seconded the motion. Result of vote: Dageforde-yes, Bruning-yes, and Krueger-yes. Motion carried.

Dean Krueger made a motion and Dave Bruning seconded to appoint Thayer County Health Services as the county physician with a \$100.00 retainer fee. Result of vote: Krueger-yes, Bruning-yes, and Dagefordeyes. Motion carried.

George Gerdes, Thayer County road superintendent, met with the commissioners to discuss ongoing road projects and give a department update.

Dean Krueger made a motion and Dave Bruning seconded to appoint George Gerdes as Thayer County Road Supt. for 2018. Result of vote: Krueger-yes, Bruning-yes, and Dageforde-yes. Motion carried.

Board members reviewed the plat of the Eiseman Subdivision, a 5.188 acre tract of land in the NW1/4 of Sec 29-T1-R1 as submitted by the Thayer County

Zoning Board. Rick Dageforde made a motion and Dean Krueger seconded to approve the subdivision. Result of vote: Dageforde-yes, Krueger-yes and Bruning-yes. Motion carried.

Rick Dageforde made a motion to approve the county entering into an ACH agreement with Thayer County Bank for processing of the county payroll direct deposit. Dean Krueger seconded the motion. Result of vote: Dageforde-yes, Krueger-yes, and Bruning-yes. Motion carried.

The Deputy County Clerk presented to the board Resolution #1826. Bank depositories of county funds for 2018. Dean Krueger made a motion to approve Resolution #1826. Dave Bruning seconded the motion. Result of vote: Krueger-yes, Bruning-yes, and Dageforde-yes. Motion carried.

Resolution # 1826

Be it Resolved, by the Thayer County Board of Commissioners that Bruning State Bank of Bruning, and Hebron, Citizens State Bank of Carleton, Western Bank of Chester, Byron State Bank of Byron, Cornerstone Bank of Davenport, Midwest Bank of Deshler, Thayer County Bank of Hebron and Nebraska Public Agency Investment Trust located at Lincoln, NE are hereby designated as bank depositories and the Thayer County Treasurer is hereby authorized to deposit fund of the County into these depositories.

Be it Further Resolved by the Thayer County Board of Commissioners that the county Treasurer of Thayer County be authorized to invest the surplus funds of Thayer County in Certificates of Deposit and Money

Karla Joe,

Lynda L Johnson,

Reimbursement..

Tammy Johnson,

Dec Expenses\$44.83

.\$600.00

Market Savings Accounts. Passed and approved this 3rd

day of January, 2018.

/s/ Dave Bruning /s/ Dean Krueger /s/ Rick Dageforde Thayer County Commis-

sioners /s/ Cheryl E Koch Attest: Deputy Thayer County Clerk
The Deputy County Clerk presented to the board Resolution #1828, Salary Resolution for January 2019 – December

Resolution 1828 Salary Resolution for January 2019 – December 2022

Be it Resolved, that the Thayer County Commissioners hereby set the salaries for elected officials at the desig-

nated rate stated below: The annual salary for the offices of Thayer County Clerk, Thayer County Treasurer, Thayer County Assessor, and Clerk of District Court are established at \$53,184.69 for the calendar year 2019. That for each year thereafter a 3 percent cost-of-living increase shall be added to the previous year's salary so the total amount paid for the calendar year 2020 shall be \$54,780.23, for the calendar year 2021 \$56,423.63, and for the calendar year 2022 shall be \$58.116.34.

The annual salary of the offices of Thayer County Sheriff and Thayer County Attorney shall be established at 120 percent of the above designated officials, 2019 shall be \$63,821.63, 2020 shall be \$65,736.28, 2021 shall be \$67,708.36 and 2022 shall be \$69,739.61. Official deputies of elected officials will be paid 80% of the elected official's salary.

The salary for the County Commissioners for 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022 will be established at 38 percent of the elected officials, less than the 50 percent recommended by NACO. Recommendation for the adoption of the above salaries was moved by Rick Dageforde. Dean Krueger seconded the motion. Upon roll call vote the following voted aye: Dageforde-yes, Krueger-yes, and Bruning-yes. The following voted nay: none.

Be it further resolved that in addition to the above stated salary the elected official shall receive during his or her term of office at county expense the employee's portion of the county's health and medical plan, the same as offered to all county employees.

In witness whereof, we the Thayer County Commissioners of Thayer County adopt the resolution as presented this 3rd day of January, 2018.

/s/ Dave Bruning /s/ Dean Krueger /s/ Rick Dageforde Thayer County Commissioners /s/ Cheryl E Koch

Deputy Thayer County Clerk Rick Dageforde made a motion to approve the salary claims. Dean Krueger seconded the motion. Result of vote: Dagefordeyes, Krueger-yes, and Bruningyes. Motion carried.

General.....\$88,972.79 Road/Bridge\$34,205.83 Noxious Weed\$1,553.02 Emergency Mgmt ...\$3,783.03 Rick Dageforde made a

motion to approve the vendor clerk's office. Dave Bruning seconded the motion. Result of vote: Dageforde-yes, Bruningyes, and Krueger-yes. Motion

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Repair Parts\$13.99
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Bp78\$479.53
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Prior Service\$36.00
Bank Of America.
Health Savings\$100.00
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Health Savings\$30.00
Black Hills Energy,
Heating Fuels\$835.51
BCBS Of Nebraska,
Empr Blue Cross\$26,637.34
Bruning State Bank, Health Savings\$200.00
Maurica Burns,
Reimbursement\$600.00
Byron State Bank,
Health Savings\$100.00
Candlewood Suites Kearney,
Lodging\$1,099.50
Central Market Inc.
Supplies\$869.64
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City Of Hebron, Utilities\$15.34
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Management Co,
Training Center\$151.52
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Health Savings\$100.00
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Finance, Teletype Svc \$622.04
Diode Communications,
Internet Svc\$118.42
Dollar General-Store# 10610,
Supplies\$72.60
EAKES Office Solutions,
Office Supplies\$339.16
Shirley A Finke,
Prior Service\$84.00
Galls LLC,
LEC Supplies\$137.17
Cormon Murroy & Johnson
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Attorney Fees\$3,000.00
Graham Tire Company
LLC North,
Tires & Svc\$548.08
Nebraska Health &
Human Services,
Health Care\$90.00
Hebron Electric & Air
Conditioning,
Led Lights\$343.02
Hebron Journal-Register,
Print/Publish\$581.48
Holiday Inn, Lodging\$659.70
Hometown Leasing,
Copier Lease\$741.38
Hope Crisis Center,
2018 Funding\$5,142.00
Michael Hopen,
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Dec Expenses\$10.43 Steven J Kraviec, P.C., L.L.O.,	Mas Serv
Attorney Fees\$1,730.63 Logan County Sheriff's Office,	Matl Wel
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Dec Expenses\$136.96 Stacey Mclaughlin, Clerk District Court,	Mel Prio
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Utilities\$230.84 Amy Peterson, Dec Expenses\$45.81	
Karen Prellwitz, Dec Expenses\$30.16	
Quill Corporation, Office Supplies\$549.66 Rauner Repair Inc,	
Vehicle Repairs\$238.99 Rays It Services LLC, Contract Svc\$4,250.00	CO
Retirement Plans Division 002821,	EM
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Services, 621020\$50.00	Williams Drilling Co Inc.
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NE Child Support	MIPS Inc,
Payment Center,	Ne Deeds Online\$108.40
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Of Revenue,	Black Hills Energy,
State Taxes\$819.99	Generator Gas\$34.88 Great Plains
Nebraska Safety Center,	Communications Inc,
Training\$285.00	E911 Phone Svc\$76.00
Norris Public Power District,	Windstream,
Utilities\$731.16	E911 Phone Svc\$778.28
Paramount Linen & Uniform,	911 WIRELESS SERVICE
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Tires-Repair\$1,160.00	Adm Fees,
True Value Hardware,	2016 Interest\$3,647.50
Repair Parts\$98.63	NOXIOUS WEED FUND
United Healthcare	American Family Insurance,
Insurance Co,	Bp78\$34.71
UHC Dental\$97.04	Ameritas-Vision,
U.S. Bank,	Empe Ameritas\$4.18
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Village Of Chester,	Health Savings\$50.00
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Village Of Davenport,	Shop Supplies\$32.84
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Each Commissioner signed the agenda stating a copy was received in the mail or e-mail. Said agenda is on file in the Thayer County Clerk's office. Dave Bruning Chairman of the Board Cheryl E. Koch Deputy County Clerk Equal Employment Opportunity Statement

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COUNTY TREASURER'S SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT

for the 6 month period ending December 31, 2017 Karen Prellwitz, County Treasurer of Thayer County, Nebraska

Karen Prellwitz, County Treasurer of Thayer County, Nebraska						
FUND	7/1/2017 BALANCE	COLLECTED	DISBURSED	TRANSFERS	12/31/2017 BALANCE	
COUNTY GENERAL	1,229,378.05	1,847,293.54	(1,582,029.28)	(118,911.39)	1,375,730.92	
ROAD/BRIDGE	468,069.72	627,413.50	(711,312.84)	94,018.69	478,189.07	
EMERGENCY ROAD/BRIDGE	38,516.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	38,516.64	
HIGHWAY BUYBACK	277,211.36	0.00	(159,594.25)	0.00	117,617.11	
JUVENILE PRETRIAL DIVERSION	5,223.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,223.91	
EQUIPMENT SINKING VISITORS PROMOTION	127,478.35 4,756.40	0.00 2,903.72	0.00 (4,239.24)	0.00	127,478.35 3,420.88	
VISITORS IMPROVEMENT	7,456.02	1,451.86	(1,500.00)	0.00	7,407.88	
REGISTER DEEDS PRESERVATION	6,690.12	1,965.50	(650.40)	0.00	8,005.22	
DRUG LAW ENFORCEMENT	143.92	0.00	0.00	0.00	143.92	
INHERITANCE TAX	3,891,948.65	195,917.71	0.00	0.00	4,087,866.36	
911 EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT	136,631.22	13,354.92	(4,133.78)	0.00	145,852.36	
WIRELESS E911 SERVICE 911 WIRLESS SERVICE HOLDING	0.00 78,774.54	22,586.52 0.00	(4,680.90) 0.00	0.00	17,905.62 78,774.54	
COUNTY EMERGENCY MGMT	8,971.00	15,714.46	(32,100.89)	10,000.00	2,584.57	
HOSPITAL BOND	153,207.45	443,054.52	(484,016.75)	0.00	112,245.22	
WEED CONTROL	90,635.73	0.00	(59,849.87)	24,409.79	55,195.65	
STATE GENERAL	0.00	261.35	(261.35)	0.00	0.00	
STATE OVERLOAD FINES STATE HIGHWAY TRUST	3,617.25	21,470.25	(22,480.50) (77,812.29)	0.00	2,607.00	
STATE DRIVER'S LICENSE	13,428.41 928.75	80,879.44 5,512.00	(5,703.00)	0.00	16,495.56 737.75	
STATE RECREATION ROAD	1,011.00	5,683.50	(5,671.50)	0.00	1,023.00	
NEBRASKA SALES TAX	57,862.62	393,777.47	(375,832.94)	0.00	75,807.15	
BOAT REGISTRATION FEES	470.11	1,878.36	(945.47)	0.00	1,403.00	
STATE LICENSE PLATE FEE	3,593.70	19,453.50	(20,044.20)	0.00	3,003.00	
NEW TIRE TAX	75.00	639.00	(589.00)	0.00	125.00	
MISCELLANEOUS SALES TAX MESSAGE PLATE FEES	91.65 237.50	91.78 1,500.00	0.00 (1,437.50)	0.00	183.43 300.00	
WATERCRAFT SALES TAX	482.45	6,808.57	(7,291.02)	0.00	0.00	
ATV/UTV SALES TAX	2,938.56	4,603.95	(7,542.51)	0.00	0.00	
MOTOR VEHICLE FEE	5,581.53	33,716.30	(32,445.02)	0.00	6,852.81	
MOTOR VEHICLE TITLES	1,325.25	7,159.50	(7,278.50)	0.00	1,206.25	
MV EMERGENCY MEDICAL DMV SPIRIT PLATE	337.00 120.40	1,894.50 549.33	(1,890.50) (589.46)	0.00	341.00 80.27	
ORGAN DONOR AWARENESS	6.00	51.00	(48.00)	0.00	9.00	
DMV SECURITY SURCHARGE	242.50	1,227.50	(1,287.50)	0.00	182.50	
IGNITION INTERLOCK DEVICE	40.00	80.00	(80.00)	0.00	40.00	
DMV COMPUTER & OPERATIONS	2,101.00	11,697.00	(11,809.50)	0.00	1,988.50	
VETERAN CEMETERY	0.00	210.00	(190.00)	0.00	20.00	
HWY TRUST SPECIALTY ORGANIZATIONAL PLATES	313.35 8.75	2,279.81 175.87	(1,940.26) (111.12)	0.00	652.90 73.50	
SPECIAL INTERST PLATE	25.00	25.00	(50.00)	0.00	0.00	
DMV SESQUICENTENNIAL PLATE	0.00	60.20	(30.10)	0.00	30.10	
HISTORICAL 150 FUND	0.00	79.80	(39.90)	0.00	39.90	
DMV MILITARY HONOR CODE	0.00	40.00	(40.00)	0.00	0.00	
AQUATICS FUND	60.00	245.00	(130.00)	0.00	175.00	
MOUNTAIN LION G&P	5.00	40.00	(35.00)	0.00	10.00	
BREAST CANCER	0.00	10.00	0.00	0.00	10.00	
MV TAX STATE SHARE	526.20	3,428.78	(3,156.34)	0.00	798.64	
FINES & LICENSES TOTAL SCHOOLS	14,207.00 129,228.96	67,577.00 7,374,590.79	0.00 (4,674,936.73)	(72,108.00) 0.00	9,676.00 2,828,883.02	
TOTAL ESU	1,893.17	171,730.14	(104,110.24)	0.00	69,513.07	
SECC GENERAL	7,756.30	730,097.90	(428,324.09)	0.00	309,530.11	
SECC CAP IMPR	1,260.96	156,720.17	(72,003.40)	0.00	85,977.73	
SCC ADA/HAZ WASTE	0.18	1.29	(1.42)	0.00	0.05	
NRD GENERAL	2,123.16	197,150.02	(117,057.10)	0.00	82,216.08	
CHESTER CEMETERY	83.90	9,082.81	(6,118.35)	0.00	3,048.36	
DAVENPORT CEMETERY	400.59	3,081.14	(2,025.15)	0.00	1,456.58	
TOTAL FIRE DISTRICTS	1,645.54	160,414.02	(95,095.65)	0.00	66,963.91	
TOTAL CITIES & VILLAGES	17,012.25	424,750.13	(350,642.08)	0.00	91,120.30	
AG SOCIETY GEN BYRON COMM BLDG	1,752.07 115.86	126,673.05 1,928.49	(94,080.73) (1,309.88)	0.00	34,344.39 734.47	
HUBBELL COMM BLDG	21.96	11,512.61	(7,971.54)	0.00	3,563.03	
BELVIDERE COMM BLDG	31.17	2,396.27	(1,368.35)	0.00	1,059.09	
HEBRON AIRPORT GEN	348.03	9,821.26	(7,388.24)	0.00	2,781.05	
REDEMPTIONS	0.00	40,356.43	(38,723.17)	0.00	1,633.26	
HOMESTEAD ALLOCATION	0.00	23,898.75	0.00	(23,898.75)	0.00	
PROPERTY TAX CREDIT	21.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	21.06	
PRO-RATE MOTOR VEHICLE TAX	0.00	13,515.45	0.00	(13,515.45)	0.00	
IN LIEU OF TAX-POWER DIST-1957	0.00	1,670.46	(1,670.46)	0.00	0.00	
TENTATIVE INHERITANCE TAX	30,381.39	20,490.40	0.00	0.00	50,871.79	
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX CREDIT	35,246.49	(35,246.49)	0.00	0.00	0.00	
TAX REFUND HOLDING FUND CARLINE	(482.91) 0.00	0.00 24,218.61	0.00 (24,218.61)	482.91 0.00	0.00	
TOTALS	6,863,569.19	13,313,615.71	(9,657,915.87)	(99,522.20)	10,419,746.83	
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CASH ACCOUNTABILITY No unpaid claims as of December 15, 2017 certified by the Thayer County Clerk. INVESTMENTS 8,717,589.13 OFFICE CASH 853.38 CASH ITEMS 0.00 **DEPOSITORY** 1,701,304.32 TOTAL 10.419.746.83

STATE OF NEBRASKA) COUNTY OF THAYER)

Lawson Products, Inc,

Prior Service..

Lichti Oil Co Inc,

Equip Fuel ..

..\$84.00

.\$105.95

.\$2,801.91

I, Karen Prellwitz, Thayer County Treasurer, certify that the above statement of receipts, disbursements and balances in the various funds for the six months ending December 31, 2017, is correct as they appear in the office of the Thayer County Treasurer.

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Public Notices

VILLAGE OF BRUNING JANUARY 3, 2017

The Village Board of Trustees met in regular session on January 2, 2017 at the Opera House at 7:00 P.M. Notice of the meeting had been posted for five days in three business places. Trustees present: J. Hogeland, J. Bentley, J. Catlett, J. Krehnke, and J. Schweer.

The Meeting was called to order at 7:00pm by Chairperson Catlett. Chairperson Catlett acknowledged the Open Meetings Law and the public notice posting. He welcomed all guests.

Utility Superintendent Houser updated the board on the generator building. Krehnke spoke to contractor and it will be finished when weather is a bit warmer. He informed the board of problems at both lift stations. He will contact Johnson Sewer about coming out to clean out sludge. A water meter will be installed at the new fire hall.

 $Motioned\,by\,Bentley\,to\,order\,a$ new chlorine pump when needed with a cap of \$1600, seconded by Krehnke. All in favor the motion carried.

Motioned by Bentley, seconded by Hogeland, to approve the Minutes of the December 2017 meeting. All in favor, the motion carried and approved

as recorded.
Claims for January 2018
Trinity Luther League 20.0
Payroll2,031.2
Bruning Ball Assoc400.0
USPS98.0
USPS98.0 Payroll2,082.2
Bruning Grocery5.4
Continental Research
Corp 3 228 9
Corp3,228.9 Easkes Office Supply83.3
Tom Houser18.2
Municipal Supply Inc151.8
Olsson Associates300.0
One Call Concepts, Inc3.7
Petty Cash100.0
Reinboth Plumbing55.0
Roehrs Machinery1,202.6
Julia Schweer120.0
Bruning Lumber 20.5
Bruning Lumber20.5 Bruning Motor Service328.5
Garbage Co South62.0
Hebron Journal Register 39.4
Lichti Oil1,057.4
Lichti Oil64.5
Norris Public Power1,944.5
Windstream210.0
Bruning State Bank44.8
Bruning State Bank25.0
Ne Dept Rev530.6
IRS1,631.5
Total 15 859 5
Total15,859.5 Motioned by Krehnke, see

onded by Hogeland, to approve claims and payment to be made from the proper funds. All in favor, the motioned carried.

Old Business; the nuisance properties were reviewed and progress discussed. Acourt date is expected in January for one nuisance case. Catlett updated the board on dehumidifier discussion with Reinboth Plumbing. Flood Ordinance was tabled. Catlett informed the board we did not receive the grant for a new tornado siren. The board will not move forward, but another grant may be possible in the future. A couple of possibilities for EMS coverage were presented. An EMT class is starting this week with 6 people attending from Bruning VFD. Representatives will attend the Rural Fire Board meeting in Carleton and the Village board will meet again on January 9 for a special meeting.

Reorganization of the board: The meeting was adjourned at 7:26pm and turned over to Clerk Krehnke. Clerk Krehnke asked for nominations for a temporary Chairperson, A motion was made by Bentley to nominate Catlett as temporary chairperson, seconded by Krehnke. All in favor, the motion carried. Catlett asked for nominations for new Chairperson. Motioned by Krehnke to keep Catlett as the appointed Chairperson, seconded by Hogeland. All in favor by roll call vote, the motion carried. Chairperson Catlett took over the meeting. Motioned by Catlett to keep Bentley as Treasurer of the board, seconded by Krehnke. All in favor, the motion

 $New\,Business; The\,board\,will$ hold their 1 & 6 year hearing on February 6, 2018. Opera House insurance agenda item was tabled. Clerk Krehnke discussed issues with the office computer. The board told her to research a new one. Building permit for Austin Spurling was discussed. Motioned by Bentley to approve the building permit for a shed, seconded by Schweer. All in

favor, the motion carried. Two names were added to the Bruning VFD roster. President Schweer discussed new pagers needed and EMT class. The board will split costs for pagers and help reimburse for EMT class expenses. Deputy Kriesel gave his report. Treasurer Bentley gave her report. One CD is up for renewal this month and it will be moved for a better rate.

Clerk Krehnke asked the board if they would approve Bruning School having a key to have pick up at the Opera House in case of an Emergency Evacuation. Motioned by Krehnke to approve Opera House as Emergency Evacuation for Bruning School, seconded by Bentley. All in favor, the motion carried She reported issues with old ACH program and that we now have a new program. She has registered and booked room for Clerk School March 26-29, 2018. She will be gone June

Krehnke motioned to enter executive session at 9:20pm with second from Schweer. All in favor, motion carried. Personnel issues discussed. Motioned by Krehnke to come out of executive session at 9:56pm, seconded by Hogeland, All in favor, the motion carried. Motioned by Bentley to give Utility Superintendent another 40 hours of PTO for a

total of 160 hours and to increase Clerk Krehnke to \$15.00 p/hr, seconded by Krehnke. All in favor, the motion carried.

Being no other business a motion was made by Hogeland to adjourn at 10:04pm, seconded by Krehnke. All in favor, motion APPROVED

Jerry Catlett Chairperson

Sarah Krehnke Village Clerk Wk2-1t

ATTEST

VILLAGE OF CHESTER DECEMBER 13, 2017

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Chester, Thayer County, Nebraska, met at 7:30 p.m. at the Village Hall on December 13, 2017, for their regular monthly meeting. Board members present were: Chairman: Carbonneau and Trustees: Wassom, Pachta, Miller and Porter.

Chairman Carbonneau called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. The minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed. Wassom moved and Pachta seconded a motion to approve the minutes of the November meeting. Roll call votes: Ayes: Wassom, Pachta, Miller, Porter and Carbonneau. Navs: None.

Motion carried. The Treasurer's report was then given. Porter moved and Miller seconded a motion to approve the Treasurer's report. Roll call votes: Ayes: Wassom, Pachta, Miller, Porter and Carbonneau. Nays: None. Motion

Ryan Kavan, representing JEO Consulting Group, was at the meeting to discuss, with the Board, the 1 & 6 year street program and how the roads program functions.

Amber Hyman was present to discuss, with the Board, the Board's concerns with her property. She stated that she will be having someone come in and trim her trees and fix her shed. The Board brought up concerns about the old motel and other

Porter moved and Wassom seconded a motion to raise garbage rates to \$16.50 per month. Roll call votes: Ayes: Wassom, Pachta, Miller, Porter and Carbonneau. Nays: None. Motion carried. Porter introduced Ordinance No. 2017-1, an Ordinance establishing a fee for garbage removal within the Village of Chester, Thayer County, Nebraska, repealing all ordinances in conflict herewith and providing a time when this ordinance shall be in full force and effect, read the same aloud in full and moved for adoption of the same Wassom seconded the motion. Roll call votes: Ayes: Wassom, Pachta, Miller, Porter and Carbonneau. Nays: None. Motion carried. Trustee Porter moved that the rules requiring reading Ordinance No 2017-1 by title on three different days be suspended. Wassom seconded the motion. Roll call votes: Ayes: Wassom, Pachta, Miller, Porter and Carbonneau. Nays: None. carried of all members of the Board of Trustees approving said Ordinance, the Chairman declared it passed and adopted. The Chairman in the presence of the Village Board of Trustees, signed and approved said ordinance and the Village Clerk attested its passage and approval and affixed her signature and the seal of the Village thereto. The ordinance will be posted at the Western National Bank, Post Office, and Village Hall for

Wassom introduced Ordinance 2017-2, an ordinance to revise all of the ordinances of the Village of Chester by adopting the Nebraska Basic Code of Ordinances, repealing all ordinances in conflict herewith and providing a time when this ordinance shall be in full force and effect, read the same aloud in full and moved for the adoption of Ordinance no. 2017-2. Pachta seconded the motion. Roll call votes: Ayes: Wassom, Pachta, Miller, Porter and Carbonneau. Nays: None. Motion carried. Trustee Wassom moved that the rules requiring reading Ordinance No 2017-2 by title on three different days be suspended. Pachta seconded the motion. Roll call votes: Ayes: Wassom, Pachta, Miller, Porter, and Carbonneau. Nays: None. Motion carried. Three fourths of all members of the Board of Trustees approving said Ordinance, the Chairman declared it passed and adopted. The Chairman in the presence of the Village Board of Trustees, signed and approved said Ordinance and the Village Clerk attested its passage and approval and affixed her signature and the seal of the Village thereto.The Ordinance will be posted at the Western National Bank, Post Office and Village Hall for public

viewing.

viewing. The Board reviewed LARM Insurance issues. Also discussed was auditorium cleaning and

windows. Diane Wettstein, TCEDA Director, met with the Board to discuss programs they have

For reorganization purposes, the meeting was then turned over to the Clerk who asked for nominations for Chairman of the Board. Pachta moved to nominate Carbonneau for Chairman of the Board. Porter seconded the motion. Roll call votes: Ayes: Wassom, Pachta, Miller and Porter. Navs: None. Abstain: Carbonneau. Motion carried. Chairman Carbonneau again

presided over the meeting. Pachta moved and Wassom seconded a motion to retain JEO Consulting Group as the village engineers, and appoint Ryan Kavan of JEO Consulting Group as the village's Street Superintendent, retain Western National Bank as the official depository, retain Hebron Journal Register as the official newspaper, and retain Village Attorney, Joseph Murray/Germer, Murray and Johnson and leave the Board committees the same. Roll call votes: Ayes: Wassom, Pachta, Miller, Porter and Carbonneau. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Porter moved and Pachta seconded a motion to go into executive session at 8:53 p.m. to discuss employee salaries and benefits. Roll call votes: Ayes: Wassom, Pachta, Miller, Porter and Carbonneau. Nays: None. Motion carried. Wassom moved and Porter seconded a motion to come out of executive session at 9:38 p.m. Roll call votes: Ayes: Wassom, Pachta, Miller. Porter and Carbonneau. Nays: None. Motion carried. Porter moved and Miller seconded a motion to retain employees Judy Smith and Raymond Wit, setting Judy's salary at \$17,400.00 and Ray-mond's at \$50,500.00, reimbursing their insurance premiums and Raymond's H.S.A. Roll call votes: Áyes: Wassom, Pachta, Miller, Porter and Carbonneau. Nays: None. Motion carried.

The following bills were approved for December 2017: Village of Chester, 2490.56 electricity... Norris Public Power District,

on Aging, chairs/tables/ refridgerator......188.00 Nutsch Inc, .440.00 landfill work. American Legal Publishing, nebraska basic code ... 650.00 Hebron Journal Register,

US Cellular, telephone... 82.82 Fortify Group, .521.67 . 1430.10 tractor repair Elliott Equipment Co, dumpster 1613 R.J. Woods Cabinet Shop, . 1613.00

.....2200.00 Maguire Iron Inc., water tower inspection 1680.00 C & M Supply, gasolineWestern National Ins. Agency,

cabinets for Ambulance

Presto X, pest control 69.00 NDEQ Fiscal Services, sewer project . 12.094.35 payment..... Nebraska Public Health Lab, water testing 282.00 USA Bluebook,

gloves/supplies.. Chester Garage, meter refund ... The Garbage Co. So., Garbage disposal 1165.00 Boettcher Supply, electric supply. .261.10 Dutton Lainson Co, electric supply......5151.34 Petty Cash, postage 14.56 Eakes Office Solutions, office supply......612.09 Post Office, postage 147.00

Hebron Fire Dept. FEMA Grant for equipment......108,000.00 Black Hills Energy, ai gas..... salaries. .7669.90 Raymond Wit, health insurance 1954.90

Raymond Wit, H.S.A. 2875.00 Nebraska Public Power District, electricity.... 10,473.60 withholding 2340.87 Great Plains Comm, telephones Nebraska Dept. of Revenue,

Amri Gafri, insurance..... 42.20 Great American Financial, surance......36.15 There being no further busiinsurance.. ness to come before the Board,

Porter moved and Wassom

seconded a motion to adjourn

sales tax 1752.57

the meeting with all members of the Board voting aye.

Joseph R. Carbonneau Chairman of the Board

ATTEST

Judy I. Smith Village Clerk Wk2-1t

NOTICE IN THE COUNTY **COURT OF THAYER COUNTY, NEBRASKA**

Estate of Ruth E. Hobbs, Deceased Estate No. PR 17-38

ZNEZ

Notice is hereby given that on December 26, 2017, in the County Court of Thayer County, Nebraska. the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Joanne F. Weschler, whose address is 716 Lake Avenue, Wilmette, IL 609091, and Jane E. Dodes, whose address is 740 Olive Avenue, Hebron, NE 68370, were informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representatives

of the Estate. Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before March 5, 2018, or be forever barred.

Vicki L. Jarchow Clerk Magistrate Thayer County Courthouse 225 North 4th, Rm. 203 Hebron, NE 68370 (402) 768-6325

Lance J. Johnson, #15089 Germer, Murray & Johnson Attorney at Law P.O. Box 210 Bruning, NE 68322 (402) 353-2665

ZNEZ

Wk1-3t

Notice of Sale

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Thayer County, Nebraska, in pursuance of a decree of said Court in an action wherein Thayer County, Nebraska, is Plaintiff and Dixie Von Gillern, et al, are Defendants, Case No. CI 17-16, I will at 10:00 o'clock, a.m. on the 23rd day of January, 2018, at the east door of the Courthouse in Hebron, Thayer County, Nebraska sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property situated in said county and state to-wit: The North 25 feet of Lot Five (5), Block Five (5), Original Town of Alexandria, Thayer County, Nebraska, all as provided by said order and decree.

Dated this 12th day of December, 2017. /s/ David E. Lee

Sheriff of Thayer County, Nebraska **ZNEZ** Wk51-4t

VILLAGE OF GILEAD REGULAR MEETING JANUARY 2, 2018

The Village Board met in public session on January 2, 2018 at 7:00 pm at the Village Hall. Notices were printed on resident statements and published in the Hebron Journal as well as posted at the USPO, Village Hall, and Pioneers Inn. Roll call was taken; board members present were Lyle, Larry, Mike and DeWayne. Also, present Linda Abelson vil-

lage clerk.
Minutes from the December 2017 meeting were read. There were no corrections to the

The treasurer's report was reviewed. Larry made a motion that the bills be paid as presented. DeWayne seconded, all in favor, motion carried. The bills that were paid are: Salaries \$623.63, Fairbury Light and Water \$3014.26, LBPWP \$21.65, Van Kirk Brothers \$63,763.00, IRS \$343.56, Gilmore & Associates \$360.00, Hebron Journal Register \$31.48, Nebraska Department of Revenue \$554.21 and Garbage South \$175.00, Gilead Fire Department \$300.00, Scherbarth \$7.18, Walmart \$26.24, Dageford Agencey \$170.00, and Germer, Murray and Johnson \$105.00. Two checks were made transferring funds from Light and Water to Sewer account \$2120.88 and to Solid waste account \$596.75.

The board discussed past due bills. Instructed the Village Clerk to send out disconnect

DeWayne made a motion to have the one in six meeting February 6th, 2018 at 7 pm and immediately following the one in six meeting will be the regular board meeting at the village hall. Mike seconded the motion, all in tavor motion carried

The Village Clerk presented a sample ordinance that she received from American Legal Publishing and the cost to get the 2018 edition of the Nebraska Basic Ordinances and told the board that it would be \$650.00 and they would receive 5 bound copies. Mike made a motion to purchase the ordinance books . from American Legal Publishing, seconded by DeWayne. All in

favor motion carried. The board discussed where we stand on finishing up the lagoon project. Lyle informed the board that the hot water heater in the hall had frozen and broke so they discussed what style of new water heater they thought would be best and instructed Lyle to order one and while the electrician was there have him

service the furnace. The Village clerk, Linda Abelson informed the village board members that she would be putting in the Hebron Journal register a notice for any villagers who wish to file a protest the May 1st renewal of Pioneer's Inn liquor license should do so before February 5th and hearings would be set to determine whether continuation of said license should be allowed.

There being no further business, Mike made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Larry. All in favor, motion carried.

Sincerely Submitted, Linda Abelson Village Clerk **ZNEZ** Wk2-1t

Meeting Notice

Thayer County Weed District meeting will be held Thursday January 18th at 9:00 A.M. at the Weed Control office in Deshler. 1t-2

NOTICE

A total of 118 cases will be heard by the Board in January, 2018. The following cases sentenced in Thayer County will be seen by the Board of Parole.

9:30 a.m. January 19, 2018, Omaha Correctional Center, Omaha, Nebraska

Jonathan E. Boss, #61741 (1st Degree Sexual Assault ROSALYN COTTON,

CHAIR

NEBRASKA BOARD OF **PAROLE ZNEZ** Wk2-1t

NOTICE OF RENEWAL OF RETAIL LIQUOR LICENSE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Section 53-135 liquor license may be automatically renewed for one year from May 1, 2018 for the following retail liquor license to wit:

Karen Keilwitz DBA/ "Pioneer Inn" Pt Lots 14 and 15 Block 11

O.T. Gilead, Nebraska Class IB License

Notice is hereby given that written protest to the issuance of automatic renewal of license may be filed by any resident if the City on or before February 5, 2018 by mailing them to Village Clerk P O Box 13 Gilead, NE 68362; in the event protests are filed by three or more such persons, hearings will be held to determine whether said license should be allowed.

Linda Abelson Village Clerk Wk2-1t **ZNEZ**

NOTICE OF RENEWAL OF RETAIL LIQUOR LICENSE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 53-135.01 that a liquor license may be automatically renewed for one year from May 1, 2018, for the following retail liquor licensee:

Bruning Grocery, Inc 118 Main Street PO Box 97 Bruning, NE 68322

Notice is hereby given that written protests to the issuance of automatic renewal of license may be filed by any resident of the Village on or before February 10, 2018, in the office of the Village Clerk and that in the event protests are filed by three or more such persons, a hearing will be had to determine whether continuation of the license should be allowed. Sarah Krehnke

Village of Bruning Clerk **ZNEZ**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Notice is hereby given that Public Health Solutions District Board of Health serving Fillmore, Gage, Jefferson, Saline and Thayer counties, will meet on Thursday, January 18, 2018 at 8:30 a.m. at Public Health Solutions District Health Department, 995 E Hwy 33, Suite 1, Crete, NE 68333. Attendance is also available through the Telehealth Network, Call the Department at the number below to register. Sites participating are: Beatrice Community Hospital, Thayer County Hospital, Fillmore County Hospital and Jefferson Community Health Center. Acopy of the agenda is on file at the office of Public Health Solutions District Health Department located at 995 E Hwy 33, Ste 1 - Crete, Nebraska or available by calling 844-830-0813. Wk2-1t

NOTICE OF HEARING TO ALL RESIDENTS OF

THE VILLAGE OR GILEAD, NEBRASKA, AND ALL OTH-**ER PERSONS:**

You are hereby placed on notice that the Village Board of the Village of Gilead, Nebraska, shall hold a public hearing at the Village Hall on the 6th day of January, 2018 at 7:00 pm. The purpose of this hearing is to hear testimony in favor of, opposition to, and to answer questions in relation thereto the proposed one year and six-year street improvement program for the Village of Gilead, Nebraska. A copy of the programs are on file with Linda Abelson, Village clerk, and are subject to public review and examination

Village of Gilead, Nebraska Lyle Keilwizt , Chairman Linda Abelson, Village Clerk **ZNEZ** Wk2-1t

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LAND AUCTION - REFEREE'S SALE

Tract #1 The Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of Section Six (6), Township Eight (8), Range thirteen (13), Otoe County, Nebraska (Near Dunbar - Otoe County Parcel ID #001576000) and

Tract #2 The East Half of the Northeast Quarter (E 1/2 NE 1/4) of Section Eight (8), Township Seven (7), Range thirteen (13), Otoe County, Nebraska (Near Lorton - Otoe County Parcel ID #001861500).

SALE DATE: January 29, 2018 at 10:00 A.M. SALE LOCATION: The Golf Club at Table Creek Clubhouse,

located at 5633 I Road, Nebraska City, NE OWNERS: Nancy J. Goering, Lorin G. Bremer, and Patricia A. Heather

Tract #1 will be sold first, followed by Tract #2. Tract #2 shall be sold subject to the leasehold interest of the tenant, which terminates February 28, 2019. Terms of sale will be announced at the time of sale. The buyers shall cooperate with any sellers attempt to facilitate a §1031 tax exchange. Each tract is sold "as is." Premium for titl

insurance, if selected by buyer, is buyer's expense. The successful bidders on each tract will pay 15% of the amount of the purchase price to the Referee at the close of the sale (personal checks shall be substituted with certified funds no later than the end of business, 5:00 p.m., the second day after the sale), the remainder to be paid upon confirmation of the sale by the District Court and delivery of the deed.

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The City of Geneva is taking applications for Geneva Aquatic Center Manager and Assistant Manager for the 2018 summer season. Duties include: vacuuming the pool before hours, supervising all swimming patrons and guards at all times, scheduling duties, and basic cleaning of the office and surrounding area. Hours include 3-4 days a week and some weekends.

For more information, contact Chris at 759-4908. Applications may be picke up at the **Geneva City**

Hall Office.

Values & Vision

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The City of Geneva is taking applications for lifeguards for the 2018 summer season at the Geneva Aquatic Center. Duties include but are not limited to: supervising all swimming patrons at all times, basic cleaning of the office, cleaning and upkeep of the water features, and helping with concessions. Hours include 4-5 days a week with some weekends. Training on operating the aquatic center will take place mid-May before the opening. Applicant must be registered for a lifeguard certification course, if hired applicant will need to complete and pass this course. Applicant must be 15 years old.

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B840.

about LB840.

"It's a no-brainer. It's not a new tax," he said. "I didn't understand it wasn't a new tax. I thought it was added and it isn't.'

The resolution capitalizes "no new taxes" to emphasize

"Whereas, this designation will result in NO NEW TAXES but rather a specific earmarking of current sales taxes now being collected,' the resolution reads.

Hergott said the Alliance already has a loan committee made up of volunteers, some of which are bankers, and there is no need for the council to develop another.

Under LB840, the council must appoint a Citizen Advisory Review Committee of between five and 10 members, who are registered voters within the city of Hebron and do not serve in public office, work for a public office or anyone associated with potential members, whether it be a qualifying business for the program or individual. At least one member of the committee must be financially savvy.

A city official or city employee, however, must oversee the administration of the advisory committee, serving as an "ex-officio."

The loan committee Hergott spoke of is made up of mostly bankers. Collectively, the members are from Hebron, Deshler, Bruning, Carleton, Chester and Byron, and they review applications for USDA funds to be used in the county. Other funds in the committee's path of economic development may come from the Southeast Nebraska Development District, for which there is an outside committee not affiliated with the Alliance.

"We chose these people on purpose because they know how the industry works," Wettstein said about the Alliance's committee. As for herself, Wettstein is a source of information.

"If it helps us build relations, I want to have more involvement in Hebron and have that connection. If there is something that needs done, I can help," she said.

At the council meeting, Pat Kenner said earmarking funds through LB840 for economic development places accountability on at least a third of Hebron's sales tax. Kenner, of Thayer County Bank, is a member of the Alliance's board.

City Attorney Joe Murray said LB840 needs to pass first.

Kenner echoed Murray.

"These other things are way down the road. First, you have to get it passed," Kenner said. "Other people around the county think it would be wise for Hebron to pass LB840."

Kenner called the Alliance committee a "credit committee" willing to serve as a guide to the advisory committee and city council on financial-related matters regarding the LB840 process, provided the measure

Thinking ahead, pooling resources between the city and county is a positive step for both, Kenner implied. Members of the Alliance committee are used to reviewing confidential financial applications from a neutral standpoint, and there is the possibility of Hebron setting up grants for downtown building improvements, a recommendation the credit committee might suggest, Kenner said.



available and we always try to leave a couple people here. Obviously, Hebron is our priority."

In other business, the council covered its ongoing list of nuisance properties and pending nuisances.

The property at 150 N. 10th St. was officially declared a nuisance and the council remarked the owners haven't shown they're interested in working with the city because they don't show up at the council meetings.

They have been on the agenda more than once and never came," Councilmember Denese Sudbeck said.

Two properties, 1223 and 1225 Lincoln Ave., will receive a health inspection. The renters of the properties were at the meeting and one wanted to let the council know the inspector could come after she returned home from work.

On the 13th Street motels, the council acknowledged progress has been made and both motels will go off the radar for 90 days to give the owners more time. The council will address the motels in the spring.

Another property on the list, 249 S. 13th St., was simply an inquiry for the council and progress has been made there as well.

The council is also looking at commercial properties.

Belvidere

By Linda Hudson

The cold temps in the weeks following Christmas seemed to take its toll of the "news makers" in the neighborhood. Not too much socializing when the temperature hovers around zero.

Mike Currey took a picture of the thermometer before he left to go home to California. It was registering a minus 10 degrees. When he arrived home, his thermometer was reading 78 degrees. Good thing he has a mama back here or he probably would never come again.

Get to town, get what you need, get back home! This seems to be the motto that is followed in the neighborhood. So today, I guess I will have to make up my own "fake" news.

One thing good is that it keeps people apart and just maybe, the germ count down. Although I did hear that the hospital has been quite busy. There is one group that doesn't practice this and that is all the parents and followers that attend the sporting events such as basketball

and wrestling. It would take a major snowstorm to keep them at home.

Speaking of sports, it is that time of year again for Beatrice's Mudecas tournament. They usually have 16 girls and 16 boys basketball teams competing in Southeast Nebraska. Meridian and BDS from our area. It is Nebraska's oldest running basketball tournament and is played in two locations in Beatrice. This will be their 89th tournament. The term, Mudecas is interpreted as for Music, Declamatory, and Sports. They hold various contests throughout the year

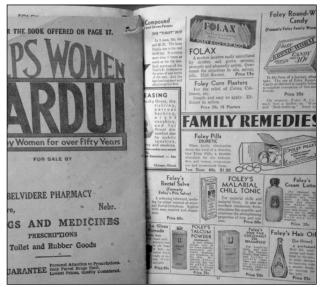
for high school activities. By this time next week, we will know the National Championship Football winner. I read that it would be more beneficial to Nebraska if Alabama won. Although I might find it a little difficult

to root for the "Tide." A detailed plan was that Scott Frost has beat other schools and perhaps FCA could qualify for National Championship and here

CLOSIN

The Thayer County Courthouse will be closed on Monday, January 15 in observance of

Martin Luther King Jr. Day



These almanacs of 86 years ago seemed to focus on things such as diuretic stimulant for kidneys, pain relief, and laxatives. One piece of advice said, "Watch your kidneys for when they are affected life is in danger. If you neglect the urinary system you leave a sally- port open to the enemy." And of course the usuals like Foley's Shaving cream. It lathers just to the right degree and Foley's Wave set. A large sized bottle of this excellent Wave Set is only 25 cents. They advertised The House of Foley & Co. established since 1875. Says the human being has been trying to make themselves better for a long time. Not just now!



certainly worked in our favor

when we were establishing

the Whistle Stop. We en-

joyed many trains stopping

when Brenda was in our ter-

ritory. It was certainly good

to hear from her again. It did

spark our curiosity about the

The Hergott family gath-

ered this weekend to cel-

ebrate their mom's 90th

birthday. All 15 of them

were present. One sister

was not. They plan to take

their mother to visit her

this week. Can you imagine

cooking, cleaning, washing

for 16 children. Pat, their

mom, wore a shirt saying,

"Aged to Perfection!" There

certainly wouldn't be anyone

to dispute this. Pat was well

known for her baking skills

and remember that she dem-

onstrated making bread at the

Museum's Fall Festival. Not

only did her family receive

her loving ways but she also

worked years as a care giver.

So many people to admire in

Sounds as if everyone

should get out and enjoy the

warmer temperatures in this

early part of the week. How-

ever, how much snow we get

on Thursday is still be de-

termined. The weatherman

said it is hard to determine or

measure snowfall three days

out. Hope we don't have a

need to get out the measur-

ing stick. Perfectly happy

measuring nothing!

today's world.

Belvidere Pharmacy.

Pictures of Almanacs from Belvidere Pharmacy in the years 1932-1933.

we have him for our coach. Speaking of college sports, the universities and their heads say the new taxation plan adopted will do colleges a lot of harm. It is not in the best interest of fans supporting their programs.

Not really a fan of shows like the Golden Globes that aired on Sunday night. But I do watch to see what I can learn. I learned that women dressed in black for the affair to call to the attention of Empowering Women. One statement the host made was at least this year, this is one time marijuana is IN and sexual harassment is OUT. Oprah seemed to be the hit of the night. She was the only one that got three standing ovations. Many were touting her for president in 2020.

They also showed Kirk Douglas who is now 101 age. He is one of the last living people of the Golden Age. If you had a thought about aging well, you would see it is a difficult task. That Old Age will get you! So look beautiful as long as you can.

Donna Aude of Bruning has been hospitalized this past week.

The talk of memorializing Annabelle Nacke continues. Much interest has been shown as further discussion continues. This idea will be reported as soon as action is started.

In the mail this week, a small package from Brenda Mainwaring of Texas. She explained that they were going through her folk's stuff and found two Almanacs distributed courtesy of Belvidere Pharmacy in the years of 1932-1933. I didn't realize Belvidere had a pharmacy so I went to Jackie at the Museum. Her research showed that George Benton owned it in the 20's and then eventually sold it to Medsker in the late 20's. It burned down in a few years and we do not know if it opened again. Have you ever thought about whether or not your town had a pharmacy? If you want research, contact Jackie at the museum.

Brenda had no idea why these items were in her folk's possession. I became acquainted with Brenda as she was PR manager for Union Pacific in Omaha. Then she was moved to the Houston division. She wrote me, "who knows, perhaps our paths crossed due to her ancestors." She had no idea why her folks would keep these two Belvidere Pharmacy almanacs. Maybe it was her parents parents.

Belvidere was a railroad town and people came and went fairly easily. Brenda

Lahners named Organic Farmer of the Year



Jerry Lahners is busy working in the field.

OCIA (Organic Crop Improvement Association) International is a leading US & International Organic Certifier Group, headquarted in Lincoln Nebraska. The Outstanding Organic Farmer of the Year is an annual award honoring and recognizing talented producers who certify to the OCIA level of excellence.

These farmers excel in thoughtful cropping and livestock practices that build soil and reduce pest and weeds. They maintain and enhance the environment. They are innovative in farm practices. They ensure integrity and safety of food and manage their farm operations in a safe and conscious fashion.

Outstanding organic farmers are involved in the organic community, promoting and supporting organic agriculture. They are often, also involved members of their local communities.

Jerry Lahners of Bruning has been farming organically in Thayer County for

over 15 years. Saturday morning, in Columbus, Jerry and Gail were awarded the "Farmer of The Year Award" by OCIA.

Gail got Jerry started into Organic many years ago. Since then he has been Organic farming near Bruning, Hebron and, more recently, some land owned by Bob Reinke, just east of Deshler. Jerry has been very innovative at improving the efficiency of his farms.

In the above photo, he has a crimper attached to the front of the tractor and a no-till planter on the back. He makes one pass through the field crimping the cover crop down and planting corn. The crimped cover crop keeps the weeds down the entire growing season, and no expensive chemicals and no more field work is needed till harvest.

With organic corn prices over \$10 a bushel, we will probably see more farmers turning to organic prac-

Titan Talkers kick off speech season

The Thayer Central Titan Speech Team began its competitive season Jan. 6 with an opener in Hastings for the Adams Central Invite.

The meet consisted of 18 teams that varied greatly in size, from Class B team to D1 teams.

Despite the tough competition, Thayer Central started their shine early.

Leading the way for the Titan Talkers was Junior Dakota Cherney, who finished in third place in Entertainment Speaking.

Joining Cherney on the Entertainment medal stand was fellow Junior Yong Wang, who placed six

In Persuasive Speaking, Junior Holly Timmerman

came up with a fifth place finish. In Novice Serious Prose,

Sophomore Addison LaFrance finished fourth.

"We saw many great things in our performances today,' Thayer Central Speech Coach Justin Bomar said. "The kids have been working on their materials since late October, so it was just great to see what they could do compared to other speakers from other, well-rehearsed

Thayer Central will next compete at the first annual Fairbury Jeffs Invite Jan. 13 before they host their third annual Thayer Central Invite Jan. 20.

REAL ESTATE AUCTION

Wednesday, January 17, 2018 Location: 647 North 4th, Hebron, Nebraska

Starting promptly at 3:00 p.m.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION: This ranch-style home consists of 1,280 sq. ft., 3 bedrooms, full bath, large living room, dining and eat-in kitchen. There is 1,020 sq. ft of unfinished basement. In addition the home has forced air natural gas heat and central air conditioning. torted ai natura gas near and central air commoning. Also included is a detached carport located to the front of the home. This home is located in a great neighborhood on the northern part of Hebron. The lot measures 70' x 125'. This would make a great family home or an excellent investment property. The home sells in "AS IS"



LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Lot 3, Block 1 Nelsens 2nd Addition to Hebron, Thayer County, Ne

TAXES: The 2017 and all prior years to be paid by the Seller. All future years taxes are the responsibility of the Buyer. The 2017 taxes were \$724.20.

TITLE & POSSESSION: Full possession and final settlement shall be within 30 days from the

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For more information or to view the property,

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LBNRD Operator

Training

January 18th, 2018 at the Davenport **Community Center** starting at 1:30 p.m.

Subjects: General Rules—Soil Health and Soil Testing—Nitrate Testing—ET Gauges—Soil Moisture Sensors—Geology—Meter Maintenance— Watershed Updates.

Guest Speaker—Jenny Rees, UNL.

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