

## Voters reject school bond

By Clara Osten  
For the Herald

Voters rejected a \$7.9 million dollar bond issue on Tuesday by a 78 vote margin. There were a total of 1832 votes cast. Of that total, 956 votes were against the proposal and 876 votes were for the measure.

"I was disappointed by the fact that the majority of the registered voters did not take time to vote," said Wayne County Clerk Deb Finn.

"We have a silent majority--that is the majority of the registered voters did not say anything for or against this issue," said Finn.

OUT OF a possible 4,036 registered voters who could have voted, 55 percent of them did not take the time to cast ballots.

Rural voters had the highest percentages in the vote total. The precincts of Hunter, Brenna, Plum Creek, Strahan and Wilbur, along with those Dixon County residents eligible to vote had a 56 percent turn-out. Of the 708 eligible voters, 399 cast ballots, 154 for the measure and 245 against it.

In the precincts of Deer Creek, Sherman, Chapin and Garfield, voters rejected the bond issue by a wide margin. There were 119 votes cast against the measure and 43 votes for it, for a total of 162 votes. In these precincts there were

	FOR	AGAINST	TOTAL
1st Ward	137	141	278
2nd Ward	122	98	220
3rd Ward	133	100	233
4th Ward	251	219	470
Deer Creek, Sherman, Chapin & Garfield Precincts	43	119	162
Hunter, Brenna, Plum Creek, Strahan and Wilbur Precincts and Dixon County	154	245	399
Absentee Ballots	36	34	70
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>876</b>	<b>956</b>	<b>1832</b>

391 eligible voters for a voter turnout of 42 percent.

WAYNE'S FOURTH Ward had the best percentage of voters cast ballots. Of the 908 registered voters, 470 (52 percent) voted. In this ward the vote was 251 votes for the bond issue and 219 votes against it.

Each of Wayne's other three precincts had less than a 40 percent voter turnout. In the first Ward, 220 of a possible 751 voters cast ballots (37 percent), in the second Ward, 220 of the 652 registered voters cast ballots (38 percent) and in the third Ward 233 of a possible 626 voters voted (37 percent).

"I really don't know why people did not vote. Possibly, the 50 percent that did not vote were not sure which way they wanted to

vote, so they did not vote," said Arnold Emry, one of those chosen by the Wayne Board of Education to serve Co-Chairman of the Bond Issue.

"THE RURAL voters felt that the bond issue would raise taxes more than they could afford," said Emry.

"I think that we need to help people be more knowledgeable about what needs to be done. People don't realize the need for doing something with the Middle School," said Emry.

"This issue is not going to go away. Those in charge need to study the possibilities and talk to people

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Beckman's mural

Beckman, (left) has been making a Christmas mural for the church. This year's mural is decorated with Christmas lights. The house-shaped mural was a full day to put it up. Her sister, ... helped install the mural. Also ... year she makes something different ... workshops, reindeer, churches and other scenes.

### At a Glance

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How you spend Christmas is far more important than how much.

### Carols to be presented

WAYNE — Love's Pure Light, a new Christmas cantata, will be presented by the Chancel Choir of the First United Methodist Church in Wayne on Sunday, Dec. 18 at the 9:30 a.m. service. The cantata was purchased with memorial money given by the Ed Wolke family and will be sung in Ed's memory. Soloists are contralto Lisa Wiseman and baritone Craig Hancock. Narrating the cantata will be Frank Teak and Donna Hancock. Visitors are welcome to come and share in this musical advent service.



### Santa is coming

ROSKINS — Santa Claus is coming to Roskins on Wednesday, Dec. 21 and will be at the fire hall from 3:30 to 5 p.m. with treats for youngsters.

### Santa Storyhour

WAYNE — A Santa Storyhour will be held at the Wayne Public Library on Saturday, Dec. 17 at 10:30 a.m. in the lower level. All children are welcome.

### CYM leading Christmas party

WAYNE — St. Mary's Catholic Youth Ministry (CYM) grades 7-12 will be leading a Christmas party for St. Mary's CCD students, 7-12, on Wednesday, Dec. 21 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. in Holy Family Church. The party will be held at 8:45 to 9:00 p.m. For more information, call Catherine Gieseler, 374-1656 or Cindy Schmitt at 342-7133.

### Enrollment to start on Dec. 23

Enrollment for the 1995-96 school year will begin on Monday, Dec. 23 at 8:30 a.m. in the school building. Parents of new students should bring a birth certificate and a recent photograph. Parents of returning students should bring a report card and a recent photograph. For more information, call the school office at 342-7133.

## Blast poses no serious health problems

By Tom Mullen  
Of the Herald

Tuesday's explosion at Terra Industry's Port Neal fertilizer plant located just 30 miles east of Wayne, should pose no serious health problems, according to an Assistant Professor of Chemistry at Wayne State College.

Police Chief Vern Fairchild stated that he received 30 to 40 phone calls from people reporting that they smelled ammonia Tuesday night in Wayne. "People are concerned, and they have a right to be," Fairchild said. According to Fairchild, the Police Department will continue to monitor wind conditions and the Wayne Fire Department is measuring air samples.

Chemist Paul Karr of Wayne State College, in an analysis of the disaster which may have caused leaks in both of the plant's 15,000-ton refrigerated ammonia storage tanks, stated, "Ammonia is nothing more than the material used in window cleaner. They (Terra Chemical) refrigerate the ammonia to keep it in a liquid state because it

takes up so much less room that way. When the holding tanks were punctured the ammonia would just literally sit there and boil."

Karr believes that the ammonia causes no serious threat to health, explaining, "Ammonia by itself is pretty innocuous. It's molecular weight is 17, as compared to the air we breathe which has an average density of 32, so it's lighter than air. As it escapes from the punctured tanks it would spread out almost immediately, and eventually go straight up into the stratosphere."

The explosion was responsible for the deaths of four Terra employees including 55 year old Loren Kroll of Allen.

The blast occurred at approximately 6:16 a.m. and was felt by many Wayne residents. Dr. Donald Zeiss who lives at 906 North Sherman told the Herald, "I thought we were having an earthquake. It was like thunder, it made the doors rattle."

The Port Neal facility, which produced an estimated 10 percent of the nation's nitrogen-based

fertilizer, was devastated. Paula Norton, Director of Corporate Relations for Terra Industries stated, "50 percent of the plant is demolished, and it looks as if everything that's left is at least partially damaged." Debris from the explosion scattered into farm fields more than 500 yards away and tore a hole in a nitric acid tank, spilling up to 100 tons, enough to fill four tanker trucks.

Norton told the Herald that the acid has been contained by their emergency system of piping and dikes and that Terra is neutralizing the acid with Soda Ash, a process they say will be completed today.

The price of nitrogen based fertilizer may see an increase

according to Norton. "We think that there will probably be a price impact in the area that the plant served," said Norton.

As for the cause of the accident, investigators are still looking for clues. Norton stated that Terra is bringing in one of the world's foremost experts to help them investigate the cause and help assess any potential environmental problems.

Karr, in assessing the ramifications of the accident stated, "Yes, they've (Terra) got a lot of problems, yes they've got a lot of mess, but it's nothing that can't be handled. I just hope nobody overreacts and tries to start closing down these plants."

## Terra explosion claims Allen man

By Kevin Peterson  
Of the Herald

Tuesday morning's shocking explosion at Terra Industries farm chemical plant near Sioux City, Iowa will be felt for a lifetime for four of the workers families including the family of 55-year-old Loren Kroll Senior of rural Allen.

Kroll, a 22-year veteran of the plant was working a rare night shift in his usual maintenance worker position. The blast that was heard and felt from as far as 70 miles took place shortly after 6 a.m., killing four and injuring 18 others.

Loren Kroll moved to rural

Allen in March of 1982 where his two boys Loren Junior and James enrolled in the Allen Public School system. His wife, Maxine and her daughter Ryan Schultz were living with him on the farmstead. Ryan is currently in the seventh grade in Allen.

According to a source at the Allen school, Ryan was extremely close to her stepdad and as expected, is not taking the news of the tragedy so well. Kroll's wife, Maxine has not talked to the media and is not expected to do so for some time. The school source said she's

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### Santa's helpers

The Wayne Senior Center held its annual Christmas dinner, Thursday with 72 people attending. Entertainment was provided by Bill, Deb and Jessica Dickey. Following the program gifts were exchanged with Ed and Leona Kluge passing them out. Bonnedal Koch and Barb Greve (pictured) helped serve the Christmas dinner.

## Computer survey to be circulated in Wayne area

By Les Mann  
Of the Herald

Computer users and those interested in gaining access to the Internet Communication Superhighway will be given the opportunity to respond to a survey being circulated in the Wayne Herald coverage area by the Wayne Community Strategies Committee.

The survey, which seeks to determine the number of computer users and the interest level in the Internet and other telecommunication networks will be distributed this weekend to doorsteps in Wayne, Carroll, Wakefield and Winside as well as being mailed to over 750 residences in rural areas. Some Nebraska communities have already established community

connections to the information superhighway and members of the Wayne strategies committee are trying to determine if community access is desired here according to Jack Middendorf, coordinator of the committee.

Other members on the committee include Bob McCue, Bob Sheckler, Jack Imdieke, John Farnan and Pat Gross. "There are tremendous economic development opportunities available to small communities through the Internet superhighway," Middendorf said. "I encourage residents to complete the survey being delivered to them and return it to one of their local banks, the Wayne Public Library or the Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce."



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to find out what they want," said Emry.

**KEN DAHL** served as the other co-chair of the Bond Issue Drive and said he was most disappointed for the students. "The kids are the ones who will suffer the most. I feel this project is badly needed if we are going to prepare our students for the 21st century," he said.

"The building is an investment in the community. In the past 20 or 30 years we have added many different programs into the school curriculum and we need the space, equipment and man-power to be able to provide the students with what they need to survive in the future," said Dahl.

"In the future, we will need to work to find out why people did not vote and deal with this apathy. We also need to address rural voter concerns and find out what they would be willing to accept, because this issue is not going to go away," said Dahl.

**DR. DENNIS** Jensen, Superintendent of Wayne Community Schools said he was "generally disappointed" in the way the vote turned out.

"The rural vote was high. I was surprised by the number of 'yes' votes from these people. I know what that meant to these people. There is a real commitment for our schools," said Jensen.

"I was disappointed in voter turnout in the city of Wayne, but I don't know why people did not vote," said Jensen.

The soonest the issue could be put before the voters again is May

14 and Dr. Jensen said he will recommend to the Board of Education that the same project be voted on again. "I feel we have cut the project to the minimum already," said Jensen.

"**THERE IS** no better time for construction than right now. Estimates show that building costs will be \$2-4 per foot higher in six months than they are now," said Jensen.

Deneil Parker, co-chairman of the Neighborhood Canvassing Committee, said she was disappointed with voter turnout. "I feel there is a definite need for our children to have a safe, pleasant

environment in which to learn," she said.

"Even though I am disappointed with the way the vote turned out, I really appreciate those people who helped us go door-to-door handing out brochures and talking to people," said Parker.

"**I FELT** there was a lot of positive feedback from our canvassing efforts. I think people really need to go through the Middle School and see what needs to be done before they make a decision and I do believe that the issue will be put before the voters again. It is not just going to go away," said Parker.

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unable to talk about what happened at the present time because of the severe tragedy of the incident.

Kroll was killed along with his long-time friend James Moos, Larry Loisel and Dan Griffin. Kroll was remembered by some of his rela-

tives "as one of the best maintenance workers at the plant."

Services for Kroll will be held Saturday at 10 a.m. at St. James United Methodist Church in Sioux City with burial in Memorial Park Cemetery. Larkin Morningside Funeral Home in Sioux City is in charge of arrangements.

## Lighting contest currently underway

Judging is underway for the 1994 Chamber of Commerce Christmas Lighting Contest. All entries will be judged for originality, Christmas feel and lighting. The winners will be announced in Tuesday's Wayne Herald.

The 11 entries include the following: Roger Niemann, 325 S. Main; Merlyn Frham, 515 West



Third Street; Gayle McQuistan, 1210 Sunset Drive; Don Lutt, 416 West Tenth Street; Harold Thompson, 518 Grainland Road; Bruce Johnson, 1 3/4 miles North on Centennial Road.

Sandra and Rich Gathje, 508 East Sixth Street; Mae Soden, 1014 Hillcrest Road; Dick Soden, 700 Pine Heights Road; Galen Wiser, 920 N. Sherman Street and Doug Echtenkamp, 209 Douglas Street.

for the evening. High prize winners were Leona Hammer and Randy Bargholz. Low went to Elsie Greve and Dean Meyer. Darlene Dolph won the traveling prize.

The next regular meeting will be a potluck luncheon in the Dorothy Meyer home on Tuesday, Dec. 20. A cookie exchange will be held for those who wish to bring cookies.

Merle Nelson of Augusta, Kan. was a recent supper guest in the Albert Nelson home.

Courtney Glover of Sioux City, Iowa was a Dec. 10 overnight guest in the Albert L. Nelson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson joined guests for supper Dec. 11 in the Blaine Nelson home to celebrate Amanda Nelson's seventh birthday.

## Leslie News

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### AAL MEETING

The Aid Association for Lutherans Branch 1542 met Sunday night, Dec. 11, for a Christmas party at St. John's Lutheran Church in Wakefield. A potluck supper was served, with St. John's members on the kitchen committee. Thirty-one members attended.

Pauline Fischer, president, called the business meeting to order and Evelyn Linemann gave the secretary and treasurer reports. The planning committee reported on the calendar for 1995 activities. It was voted to send donations to Camp Luther, Camp Joy Holling and Lutheran Family Services. Arnold Brudigan, Clarence Baker and Lloyd Anderson were appointed to the auditing committee.

Poinsettias were delivered to AAL Care Center members, with four in Wakefield and two in Wayne. Leoma Baker was the winner of the door prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Bartels and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson were on the entertainment committee. Christmas games were played and they closed with all joining in singing Christmas carols.

### EVEN DOZEN CLUB

The Even Dozen Club family Christmas supper was held Friday, Dec. 9 with supper at the Vet's Club in Wayne. All members were present. Cards were entertainment

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## A Christmas carol

The Bill Dickey family provided Christmas music entertainment for residents at the Wayne Senior Center; Thursday as part of their annual Christmas dinner celebration. It was the seventh consecutive year the Dickey's have been asked by Senior Center official Georgia Janssen to provide a Christmas program. Seven-year-old Jessica sang three solos during Thursday's program and she's been singing with her folks for the last four years at this event. "We really enjoy doing this," Bill said. "Deb always puts the program together and the residents enjoy hearing Christmas music."

## Frerichs receives outstanding employee award

Robert Frerichs, 49, farm operations manager for the Northeast Research and Extension Center in Concord, has received the Outstanding Employee Award for Managerial/Professional Staff in the Institute of Agriculture and Natural

Resources for the 1995 First Quarter. The award is given quarterly to employees who have demonstrated outstanding service and skills and perform beyond their normal duties.

As a recipient of the Outstanding Employee Award, Frerichs will re-

ceive a cash award, a certificate, a lapel pin and recognition in the IANR newsletter. Frerichs has been with the University of Nebraska Northeast Research and Extension Center (NEREC) since 1966.

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## School Lunches

**ALLEN**  
(Week of Dec. 19-23)  
**Monday:** Breakfast — cereal and toast. Lunch — chili and crackers, applesauce, cinnamon roll.  
**Tuesday:** Breakfast — bismark. Lunch — crispiito, corn, peaches.  
**Wednesday:** Breakfast — coffee cake. Lunch — chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes and gravy, mixed fruit, roll.  
**Thursday:** Breakfast — muffins. Lunch — pizz patty on bun, tator tots, pears.  
**Friday:** Breakfast — glazed donut. Lunch — chicken sandwich, chips, pineapple, brownie.  
Milk and juice served with breakfast  
Milk served with lunch

**LAUREL-CONCORD**  
(Week of Dec. 19-23)  
**Monday:** Chicken nuggets, corn, peach half, bread and butter.  
**Tuesday:** Taco boat, lettuce and cheese, apple, sugar cookie.  
**Wednesday:** Hot dog, macaroni and cheese, pineapple tidbits.  
**Thursday:** Heinz 57.  
**Friday:** No school, Christmas vacation begins.  
Milk, chocolate milk and orange juice available each day  
Salad bar available each day

**WAKEFIELD**  
(Week of Dec. 19-23)  
**Monday:** Roast turkey on bun, mashed potatoes, dressing, cranberries, relishes, ice cream.  
**Tuesday:** Tavern on bun, pickle spear, French fries, applesauce.  
**Wednesday:** BBQ beef on bun, corn, pears, chocolate chip bar.  
**Thursday:** Grilled cheese, green beans, cookie, peaches.  
**Friday:** No school.  
Milk served with each meal

Breakfast served every morning-35¢  
**WAYNE**  
(Week of Dec. 19-23)  
**Monday:** Ham and cheese, baked beans, pears, cookie.  
**Tuesday:** Hot dog with bun, tator rounds, peaches, cake.  
**Wednesday:** Roast beef sandwich, mashed potatoes, peas, cookie.  
**Thursday:** Chicken patty, lettuce and mayonnaise, green beans, applesauce, cookie.  
**Friday:** No school, Christmas vacation.  
Milk served with each meal

**WINSIDE**  
(Week of Dec. 19-23)  
**Monday:** Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, mixed vegetables, rolls and butter, orange wedges.  
**Tuesday:** Chili dogs, pork and beans, juice, reeses bar.  
**Wednesday:** Pizza sticks, cheese and crackers, apricots, cake.  
**Thursday:** Ham, scalloped potatoes, jello cubes, roll and butter, ice cream bars.  
**Friday:** No school, Christmas vacation.  
Milk served with each meal  
Grades 6-12 have choice of salad bar daily

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## Community Calendar

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17**  
3 M's (Monday Merry Mothers), Christmas supper, Geno's, 6 p.m.  
Alcoholics Anonymous, Fire Hall, second floor, 7:30 p.m.

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18**  
Alcoholics Anonymous, Fire Hall, second floor, 8:30 a.m.  
Town Twirlers, Laurel City Auditorium, 8 p.m.

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 19**  
Non-smokers Alcohol Anonymous open meeting, meeting room, 2nd floor, Wayne Fire Hall, 7 p.m.  
Active Parenting Class, Wayne County Courthouse meeting room, 7-9 p.m.  
Eagles Auxiliary, Aerie Home, 8 p.m.

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 20**  
Sunrise Toastmasters Club, Wayne Senior Center, 7-8 a.m.  
Villa Wayne Tenants Club weekly meeting, 2 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21**  
Job Training of Greater Nebraska representative at Chamber office, 10 a.m. - noon  
Pleasant Valley Club, Rileys, 11:45 a.m.  
AWANA Club (ages 3-12), National Guard Armory, 6:45-8:15 p.m.  
Tops 200, West Elementary School, 7 p.m.  
Alcoholics Anonymous, Fire Hall, second floor, 8 p.m.  
Al-Anon, City Hall, second floor, 8 p.m.

## Sunderman-Barner united in Oct. 22 ceremony in Pender

Brenda Sue Sunderman and Darin Dee Barner were united in marriage on Oct. 22 at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, rural Pender. A dinner reception and live music dance followed at the Pender Legion Hall.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sunderman of Pender. The groom is the son of Leroy Barner of Wakefield and the late Helen Barner of Wayne.

The wedding was started with a song dedicated to the late Helen Barner, sung by former Miss Nebraska Mary Nordheus. Pauline Westerhold was organist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Larry Sunderman. The bride's sister, Barb Murphy served as the matron of honor and Kevin Maly was the best man.

The bride wore a stunning gown in white organza overlay and lace. It featured a Queen Anne neckline of heavily beaded schiffli lace and a dropped fitted bodice. The long sheer sleeves featured an organza pouf with ruffles and then tapered to a delicate-bridal point. The full skirt fell from the deep basque waistline and flowed into a semi-cathedral train. The entire skirt hem and train were adorned with cascading organza ruffles. A large bow at the back waistline finished the ensemble.

With her dress, the bride wore a floral and pearl headpiece with a double fingertip veil.

Bridesmaids were Julie Milligan, Candy Fairchild and Amy Barner. Groomsmen were Mark Volf, Keith Turner and Chris Barner.

The flower girl was Marisa Cavelier and ringbearers were Shane and Tanner Sunderman.

Candlelighters were Chris Nelsen and Dustin Baker.

The ushers were Mike Murphy, Galen Moos, Mark Moos and Steven Sunderman.

There were 286 guests who attended the reception and a dance. The dinner was started with a toast to the couple by the best man and the dance ended at 1:30 a.m. with

Merry Mixers met Tuesday, Dec. 13 for their annual family Christmas dinner at the Black Knight with 18 attending.

Ten point pitch was played in the afternoon.  
The next meeting will be Tuesday, Jan. 10 with Lydia Thomsen as hostess.



Mr. and Mrs. Barner

the closing song, sung by the Albatross Rugby Team. A post reception party was held by groomsmen Mark and Stacey Volf. Guests from six states attended the reception. The couple gave out two prizes to the guests who traveled the farthest distance. They went to Keith Kohlbaum of Nevada and Fred Miller of Illinois, both teammates of the groom.

The bride graduated from Pender High School and attended Wayne State College. She is currently employed by Restful Knights of Wayne.

The groom graduated from Wayne High School and earned his bachelor's degree in sports administration from Wayne State College and is currently working on his masters degree. He is employed by Northwest Airlines and is the vacation representative for the Las Vegas flights out of Dallas, Texas.

After a honeymoon in Las Vegas, they will reside in Dallas.

## Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

(Week of Dec. 19-23)  
Meals served daily at noon  
For reservations call 375-1460  
Each meal served with 2% milk and coffee  
**Monday:** Salmon loaf, scalloped potatoes, baby carrots, banana jello, whole wheat bread, cherries.  
**Tuesday:** Oven baked chicken, long grain and wild rice, asparagus, fresh fruit, white bread, peanut butter cookie.  
**Wednesday:** Potluck dinner, everyone welcome.  
**Thursday:** Salisbury steak, baked potato, California blend vegetables, beet pickle, whole wheat bread, applesauce.  
**Friday:** Veal cutlets, whipped potatoes and gravy, peas and carrots, rye bread, peaches.

## Senior Center Calendar

(Week of Dec. 19-23)  
**Monday:** Let's talk, 1 p.m.  
**Tuesday:** Bowling, 1 p.m.; Cards, quilting.  
**Wednesday:** Free blood pressure clinic, 9 a.m.-noon; Podluck; lunch and learn with Kris Heimes R.D., 12:30 p.m.; Jay and Cyril to play.  
**Thursday:** Crafts with Neva; bowling, 1 p.m.  
**Friday:** Bingo, cards, 1 p.m.

## The Bridal Registry

\* Kim Liska & Chris Loofe  
January 7, 1995

## The Diamond Center

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## Legion Auxiliary holds a Christmas party

The American Legion Auxiliary #43 met in the home of Neva Lorenzen home with 12 members present.

Eveline Thompson will take scholarship material up to the high school.

The Girls State program has been sent and will be taken care of in January. A get well card was sent to Amy Lindsey. LaVerna Hilton, legislation, reported on the School Bond issue.

Evelyn Thompson, membership, reported there are 70 paid up members. Bernita Sherban, safety chairman, told the group to clean refrigerators on a regular basis. Evelyn Thompson read communications. A Christmas letter was received

from Department President Carol Van Kirk, which was read wishing the Auxiliary a Merry Christmas.

Dispatch Magazine has been ordered for the coming year. It was discussed and decided on to not have meetings in January and February.

A gift was given to Amy Lindsey for Bruce Lindsay and Erving Doring.

LaVerna Hilton, chaplain program, lead in a prayer of peace.

Following the meeting, a Christmas program and gift exchange was held. Those taking part were LuVerna, Dorethea Rose, Linda, Elsie and Bernitz. Everyone brought cookies for lunch.

## New Arrivals

**JOHNSON** — Rick and Trisha Johnson of Omaha, a daughter, Morgan Marie, Nov. 29, 6 lbs., 15 oz., Methodist Hospital in Omaha. Grandparents are Dan and JoAnne Johnson and Darlene Frevert of Wayne and the late Kenneth Frevert. Great grandparents are Esther Hjorth of West Point, Marie Johnson of Vermillion, S.D., Goldie Sealey of Snohomish, Wash. and Della Frevert of the Wakefield Care Center.

## Quilt Guild sets up 1995 schedule

Piecemakers Quilt Guild met on Thursday, Dec. 8 at Providence Medical classroom. The 1995 schedule was set up, with members volunteering to do lessons.

Show and tell was held. Three members brought samples of a "Progressive" wall hanging project they have been working on. Other Christmas projects were shown.

Twelve members participated in a Christmas block drawing. The 12 blocks were won by Susie Siefken.

A potluck lunch was served.

The next meeting will be on Saturday, Jan. 14 from 1 to 3 p.m. It will be a work day on tying baby quilts and deciding on the auxiliary quilt.

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ABBEY SCHROEDER goes up for a lay-up during second half action of the Eagles 16-point win over Hartington.

## Eagles bounce back after overtime loss Allen girls rebound

The Allen girls and boys basketball teams hosted Hartington, Tuesday night and the Eagles earned a split from their Wildcat counterparts with the girls winning handily, 69-53 while the Eagle boys fell by an 85-46 margin.

Girls coaches Lori Koester and Gary Erwin felt Tuesday's offensive performance by the Eagles was their best showing of the season. "We played very well on the offensive end," Koester said. "We bounced back nicely after our overtime loss to Emerson on Saturday."

Allen took a 19-13 lead after the first quarter and the Eagles led, 37-29 at the half. The host team out-scored Hartington, 18-4 in the third quarter including the first 12 points of the period as they put the game away.

The 4-1 Eagles got an outstanding performance from senior Tanya Plueger who poured in a career-high 32 points while hauling down 19 rebounds and dishing out two assists.

Jamie Mitchell enjoyed her finest season performance with 15 points, 11 rebounds and six assists and Abbey Schroeder tossed in 14

points. Holly Blair finished with seven points and Jaime Kliver rounded out the attack with a free throw.

Allen out-rebounded Hartington, 46-30 and the Eagles committed just seven turnovers while forcing 15. "Jamie Mitchell really played a good game for us," Koester said. "Having her hit the outside shot like she did forced the defense to guard her which opened up the inside play of Tanya Plueger."

The Eagles will play another highly rated team, Newcastle on Friday night in Allen.

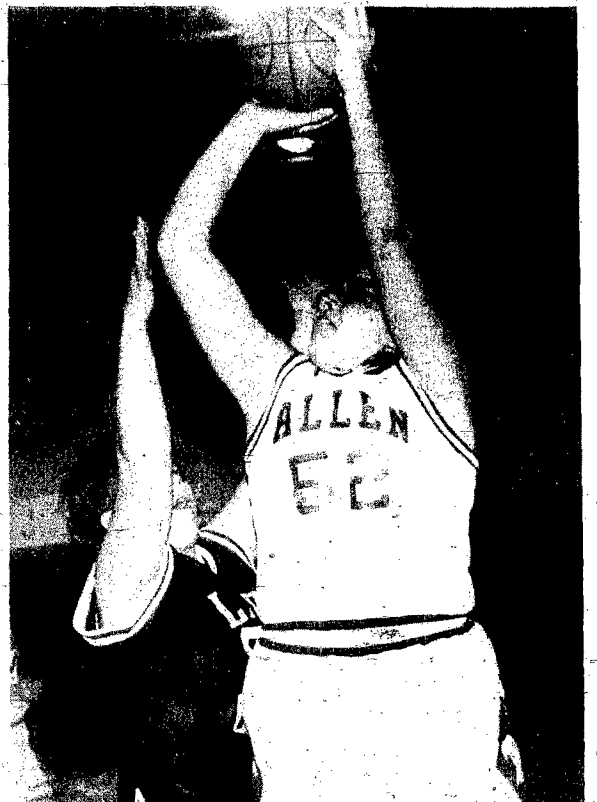
THE ALLEN boys fell to 0-5 on the season with an 85-46 setback but Coach Doug Schnack said he saw improvement in his squad in the second half.

"The second half was our best basketball of the season," Schnack said. "We handled the press a lot better than we had before." The Allen mentor said his squad missed a lot of bunny shots from point blank range but the bottom line was, they got the shots.

"We told the kids at half that the score was tied at zero," Schnack said. "We knew trailing, 42-14 we probably weren't going to come back and win but we played much better in the second half and the kids really stopped it up."

Davis Miner led the Eagles with 11 points while Jeremy Kumm netted 10 and Michael Blohm, eight. Josh Snyder netted six and Craig Philbrick, four while Brett Sachau netted three. Scott Williams and Erik Olsen each tallied two apiece to round out the attack.

The host team was out-rebounded by a 36-29 margin with Miner and Blohm leading Allen with eight caroms each. Allen committed 18 turnovers in the contest compared to 10 for Hartington and the Eagles were 3-13 from the free throw line while the visitors were 4-6. Allen will host Newcastle, Friday night.



TANYA PLUEGER eyes the bucket for two of her career-high 32 points against Hartington, Tuesday in Allen.

## Trojan boys blast Emerson while Wakefield girls lose

The Wakefield boys basketball team improved to 2-1 with a convincing 62-43 win over Emerson-Hubbard, Tuesday in Emerson.

Brad Hoskins' team took a 31-25 lead into the locker room at intermission and out-scored the host team, 18-4 in the third quarter to put the game away.

"We didn't do anything differently on defense than we did in the first half," Hoskins said. "We just made sure they (Emerson) didn't get more than one shot at the basket on any trip down the floor. We did a nice job of hitting the boards and blocking out."

The Trojans dominated the statistics in rebounding, 47-21. Wakefield shot over 40 percent from the field and they made the most of their free throw opportunities, hitting 18 of 23.

"The down part of the win was our turnovers," Hoskins said. "We had 30 for the game which is entirely too many. The floor we played on, however, was very slick and we got whistled for a lot of travelings."

Hoskins said his team had a hard time adjusting to the floor early. "In the second half we really attacked the basket," Hoskins said. "We drove the lane and dished off to the open man when the Emerson defense picked us up."

Cory Brown led the Trojans with 15 points while Justin Dutcher scored 12 and Mike Rischmueller, 10. Matt Kucera tallied eight points and Tory Nixon, seven while Wes Blecke finished with six. Luke Tappe rounded out the attack with four points. The Trojans will host Hartington, Friday night.

WAKEFIELD'S GIRLS and boys basketball teams earned a split at Emerson as Gregg Cruickshank's girls were blasted by a 54-31 margin. The game was even at six after one quarter of play but the Trojans were out-scored, 20-8 in the second quarter.

"In the first quarter we played aggressive, man-to-man defense," Cruickshank said. "We played right with them but in the first four

minutes of the second quarter we seemed to let down a little bit and it cost us."

What really hurt the Trojans was the third quarter when Emerson held them to just three points while scoring 19 and putting the game out of reach.

"We just didn't compete with Emerson in the third quarter," Cruickshank said. "We didn't execute our press breaker and we turned the ball over numerous times, resulting in lay-ups."

Mary Torczon led Wakefield with 13 points while Alison Benson, Mindy Eaton and Jenny Haglund netted four each. Stacey Preston and Kristin Preston netted two each while Andrea Lundahl and Rachel Dutcher scored a free throw each.

Emerson out-rebounded Wakefield by a 39-27 margin with Torczon leading the Trojans with eight caroms. Wakefield hit seven of 18 free throw attempts while Emerson was 6-10. Wakefield will host Hartington, Friday.

### WSC Rec Center releases hours

WAYNE-The Recreation Center on the campus of Wayne State College will have special hours during finals week and Christmas recess. Saturday, the Center will be open from 1-4 p.m. while Sunday, 1-6 p.m. will be available. Next week's hours (Dec. 19-23) include the following: Monday—noon to 7 p.m.; Tuesday—noon to 8 p.m.; Wednesday—noon to 8 p.m.; Thursday—noon to 8 p.m., and Friday, noon to 5 p.m.

Swimming pool hours will be as follows: Dec. 20—5-7 p.m.; Dec. 22—5-7 p.m. A list of hours for the week of Dec. 24-30 will be listed in the Dec. 30th Wayne Herald.

## Wayne boys lack defense in 88-77 setback to Schuyler

Rocky Ruhl's Wayne boys basketball team fell below the .500 mark this season after an 88-77 setback to Schuyler, Tuesday in Schuyler, leaving the Blue Devils with a 1-2 record heading into weekend action.

Wayne played very well in the first quarter, scoring 26 points but Schuyler came back to take a two-point lead at the half at 45-43. The host Warriors exploded for 27, third quarter points and took a 12-point lead into the final stanza.

"We came out in the first quarter and played very strong," Ruhl said. "Then we got whistled for a couple cheap fouls and we found ourselves worrying about what was going to be called on us next instead of worrying about the game and we lost

our focus."

Ruhl said his squad is working very hard in practice this week on defense after giving up 88 points. "You can't give up that many points and expect to win," Ruhl said. "We want to be able to run with the ball but we have to take control on offense and rest on offense and not rest on defense like we did at Schuyler."

Sophomore Paul Blomenkamp came off the bench and had another superb outing for Wayne, pouring in a team-high 22 points and hauling down nine boards.

Joe Lutt, probably Wayne's most consistent scorer so far this season, tossed in 20 points and Ryan Pick netted 12 while Andy Witkowski scored 11. Jason Carr

finished with six points while Nick Vanhorn and Damon Wisner rounded out the attack with two each.

Both teams finished with 26 rebounds with Blomenkamp leading the Blue Devils with nine caroms. Wayne committed 20 turnovers compared to 17 for Schuyler and the Blue Devils were 26-33 from the free throw line while the Warriors were 18-24.

The reserves lost a 55-45 decision to Schuyler with Nick Vanhorn leading Wayne with 11 points while Mike Imdieke hauled down a team-high 10 rebounds.

Wayne will travel to play Wisner-Pilger on Friday before hosting O'Neill on Saturday in the final game before the Christmas break.

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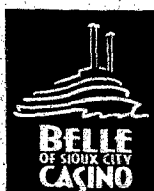
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Allen School Alumni will be selling school memorabilia. They will be at the Allen Senior Citizens Center on Saturday, Dec. 17 from 8

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Brunch will be served at the Nutrition Site on Dec. 23 and Dec. 30 at 9:30 a.m. Call in meal reservations early on those days.

Gift certificates for meals are available at the Golden Eagle Nutrition Site and can be purchased from senior center director Joanne Rahn.

When the Allen school is closed due to bad weather, the Nutrition Site will also be closed, Meals on Wheels will also not be delivered on those days.

The Nutrition Site will be closed on Christmas Day.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Monday, Dec. 19: No Allen Community Club meeting for December, will meet in January with election of officers.

Tuesday, Dec. 20: Cleaning day at the Senior Center and Golden Eagle Nutrition Site following the noon meal.

Wednesday, Dec. 21: Ladies to play cards at the Center, 1:30 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 22: Drivers license exams, Dixon County Courthouse, Ponca, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 23: Brunch at Nutrition Site, 9:30 a.m.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Monday, Dec. 19: Elementary Christmas concert, school gym, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 20: Varsity girls and boys basketball game at Homer.

Wednesday, Dec. 21: Kindergarten party.

Thursday, Dec. 22: First-sixth grade Christmas party; semester tests, dismiss early; DARE graduation, 7 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 23: No elementary classes; semester tests, dismiss early; end of first semester.

Dec. 26-30: Christmas vacation.

NUTRITION SITE MENU

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lima beans, mandarin oranges, blande brownies.

Tuesday, Dec. 20: Salisbury steak, baked potato, broccoli, Waldorf salad, prunes.

Wednesday, Dec. 21: Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, tomatoes, pea salad, vanilla pudding.

Thursday, Dec. 22: Pork cutlet, potato salad, green beans, cranberry juice, purple plums.

Friday, Dec. 23: 9:30 a.m. brunch - sausage, egg quiche, later tots, fruit cup, tomato juice, coffee cake.

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Lois Ankeny 584-2331 METHODIST WOMEN The United Methodist Women met Thursday, Dec. 8 at 1 p.m. for their Christmas dessert luncheon...

Wilma Eckert volunteered to get the gift for the lady at the Hillcrest Care Center. A program committee meeting will be held early in January...

Santa Claus arrived at the Dixon auditorium on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 10, to give out treats to the youngsters and have a short visit with them...

BEST EVER CLUB Best Ever Club members and spouses went to the Village Inn in Allen for an evening supper on Dec. 9...

Carroll News

Barbara Junek 585-4857 EOT CLUB The EOT Club was held at the Verdel Reeg home on Dec. 1. Roll call was a Christmas tradition...