



# County carries thousands\$ on delinquent list

By Tom Mullen  
Of The Herald

In last Tuesday's Wayne Herald, and in Today's and next Tuesday's Herald, you can find a list of all the properties in Wayne County with unpaid real estate taxes from 1993 and prior years.

It does not look like much, as you peruse the listing of legal descriptions, with taxes owing as little as 58 cents. But add them together and you will get a figure that looms at a quarter of a million dollars.

Current Nebraska statute allows the county to charge 14% annual interest on those unpaid taxes, which over the course of just one year, gets into the tens of thousands of dollars. These monies then are used at the discretion of the taxing bodies.

But this year, nearly half of the delinquent taxes in Wayne County were purchased by a Michigan company called Equivest.

Several weeks ago Equivest was

the subject of a Nebraska Educational Television investigative report.

"They were taking the angle that we were buying the taxes and then sending letters to the people whose taxes were delinquent, and trying to lend them money at 20 or 22 percent interest," said Fred Foote of Equivest. The basis of the NETV story, according to Foote, was that Equivest was implying that people would lose their homes if they didn't borrow money from them.

"They were more interested in a sensationalized story than in checking the facts of the situation.

"The truth," according to Foote, "is that we don't swoop in and make loans. We don't make money that way. We just buy the taxes at the county and sit back. We don't do any collection efforts. We just wait for a year, and then statute requires that we send letters.

"Our letters say that you should go in and redeem your taxes, or you

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## Valentine note boxes

Students at Wayne Elementary School shared Valentine's Day greetings Tuesday by exchanging their missives in decorated boxes. Three students displayed the Valentine collection boxes they decorated in Troy Harder's third grade class. The students, shown with their teacher, are from left, Dena Kardell, Deron Connolly and Sean Peterson.

# 'No one is immune' say school officials

By Clara Osten  
Of the Herald

Last week a seventh grade Chadron student shot Middle School geography teacher Andy Pope. It was the first known shooting in Chadron and is believed to be the first in the state of Nebraska.

"We would like to believe that it can't happen here, but the fact is, no one is immune," said Wayne Middle School Principal Richard Meteer.

"Our students are aware of what has happened. They discuss the issue of violence in their health classes and in counseling groups. They work on ways to deal with

violence and are taught that there are alternatives to using a weapon to deal with problems," said Meteer.

THE MIDDLE School Handbook deals with the matter of weapons and states: "knowingly possessing or handling a weapon or engaging in other unlawful acts, if it constitutes a danger to other students or interferes with school purposes is grounds for long term suspension, expulsion or mandatory re-assignment."

"We have been very fortunate in not having to deal with this issue. In fact, I haven't had anyone suspended for more than one or two days for several years," said Met-

teer. "We have an open door, no metal detectors, and that's the way I'd like to keep it," he said.

WAYNE HIGH School Principal Donald Zeiss said he has not had any students or faculty members indicate that they are afraid or concerned about their safety.

"We haven't had any problems, but it is naive to think it can't happen here. In all the years I have been here, I haven't had to deal with

any students with weapons. I know that there have been those students who have hunting rifles in their pickups, but we have discouraged even this," said Zeiss.

"At the present time the Legislature is looking at school suspension policies and we will probably be re-writing our school policy after they have decided what is legal," he said.

"IT IS HARD to believe that this type of incident happened in

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## At a Glance



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Thought for the day:

Children need strength to lean on, a shoulder to cry on and an example to learn from.

## WSC concert choir to have home concert

WAYNE — The home concert of the WSC Concert Choir will be given on Sunday, Feb. 26 at 3 p.m. in Ley Theatre on campus. The choir returns from a western tour singing concerts in St. Cecilia's Cathedral in Omaha, Lincoln, Grand Island, Holdrege, Denver and Dordt College, Sioux Center, Iowa.

### Weather

Wade Javil, 7  
Wayne Public Schools

Extended Weather Forecast:

Thursday through Saturday; dry, with a noticeable warming trend; highs, upper-30s to lower-40s Thursday, 40 on Friday, 50 by Saturday; lows, teens on Thursday, upper-20s to lower-30s by Saturday.

## Need help filing?

WAYNE COUNTY — Persons needing help to file their homestead exemptions can do so on Tuesdays and Thursdays through February. It will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center in Wayne.

## PMC co-sponsoring screening tests

WAYNE — Providence Medical Center and the Wayne County Chapter of the American Heart Association will be sponsoring a cholesterol and blood pressure screening program on Tuesday, Feb. 21 and Thursday, Feb. 23. People wishing to have their blood or blood pressure tested can come to the hospital between 7 and 11 a.m. on those dates. Blood pressure testing is provided free of charge.

The fee for the cholesterol screen is \$8 and includes total cholesterol, LDL (bad) cholesterol, HDL (good) cholesterol, triglycerides and a calculated risk factor for heart disease. Persons taking part in this program should not ingest food for 12 hours prior to testing and should abstain from any alcoholic beverages for 24 hours. Water intake is unlimited and regularly scheduled medications should be taken.

A short questionnaire will be filled out prior to the blood being drawn by venipuncture. Participants should plan on the whole procedure taking not more than 15 minutes and should obtain their results by mail in about a week. Educational material dealing with heart health, exercise and diet will be available.

## Bereuter schedules staff office hours

AREA — First District Congressman Doug Bereuter has announced that a member of his staff has scheduled office hours in Norfolk and Wayne on Feb. 15.

Bereuter staff member David Shively will be at the Wayne Chamber of Commerce from 2:30 to 4 p.m. and at the Norfolk Chamber of Commerce, 405 Madison Avenue, from 10 a.m. to noon.

Shively will be available to assist persons who have questions or comments regarding federal legislation or have problems with federal agencies.

## Winter story hour continues

WAYNE — The winter story hours continue at the Wayne Public Library. The next story hour will be Saturday, Feb. 18 at 10:30 a.m. and they will continue through April 1.

State and federal tax forms are available at the Public Library. The Library is having a record sale. All records will be sold.

## Senior project to start

Construction will begin in Wayne as soon as the weather permits this spring on The Oaks, a retirement community which will feature 27 one and two-bedroom apartments and 20 assisted living units.

The project will be located in the Vintage Hill Addition in northeast Wayne.

To be built by Excel Corporation, the facility is anticipated to take seven to nine months to build, according to Jan Thayer, Grand Island, who is a principal with the firm.

Ms. Thayer, who resided in Wayne nearly 20 years ago, said "it is extremely satisfying to be associated with the bringing of retirement living alternatives to the Wayne area."

Donna Liska of Wayne is the local marketing director for the Wayne development.

"Since my own parents live in an apartment at Riverside Lodge in Grand Island, I can truly say how much they enjoy retirement life, the support from all the staff and especially, all the new friendships they have made," said Ms. Thayer of the retirement living concept her firm will be bringing to Wayne.

The Oaks apartments will feature fully-equipped kitchens and the two-bedroom units will have two bathrooms as well. Carpeting and draperies will be included in each unit and charter members of the development will have the opportunity to choose the interior colors for their units.

The building project will include attached garages and public areas. Public areas will feature an ice cream

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## Teen mom charged in death

A West Point teenager is being held at the Nebraska Correctional Center for Women in York on charges of felony child abuse following the death of her two-year-old daughter Friday. Cecelia Popoca Arce, 17, was scheduled to appear today in Cuming County Court according to County Attorney Tom Donner.

Lucero Arce was pronounced dead a short time after her mother brought her to St. Francis Memorial Hospital in West Point Friday morning according to Donner.

Hospital staff notified authorities of suspected child abuse. An autopsy determined the cause of death to be shaken or slammed baby syndrome, the prosecutor said.

The father, Gilberto Garza, 20, was working at the IBP Inc. plant in West Point at the time of the alleged abuse, said Donner. If convicted, Ms. Arce could face 10 years to life in prison.

## Plays take stage at WSC

The Wayne State College theatre department, under the direction of Dr. Andre Sedriks, will present the one-act plays "Komachi" and "The Love Suicide at Schofield Barracks" Sunday-Tuesday, Feb. 19-21 in Ley Theatre, located in Wayne State's Brandenburg Education Building.

Admission is \$3 per person. Performance times are 2 p.m. on Sunday and at 8 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday.

"Komachi" (Kerry McCue of Wayne), an extraordinarily beautiful

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# Grades don't suffer from TV use

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — Parents can relax some. Cable television installation in college dormitory rooms apparently isn't leading to their students going brain-dead in front of the tube.

Some professors and parents still worry about the impact on academic life of television in dorm rooms. A few students also admit they watch television when they should be studying.

However, studies reveal grade-

point averages often don't suffer even if more time is spent in front of the TV and less time with the books.

Students aren't locking themselves in their rooms to watch television reruns or other programs, according to the study at Wayne State College and Lincoln Journal spot checks at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln and Nebraska Wesleyan University.

Wayne State Housing Director Larry Emanuel and Bruce Neubauer,

a political science faculty member, surveyed 322 students in fall 1993 before the school wired individual dorm rooms for cable.

Of those students, 160 responded to a follow-up survey last spring after the installation.

Emanuel and Neubauer found the percentage of students reporting they watch four or more hours a day decreased, from 45 percent to 33.8 percent. The number watching two or three hours daily increased

slightly. "One of the things we found is that students' appreciation of the social value of watching television in groups in the lobbies did not diminish," said Neubauer. However, lounge and lobby TV viewing areas are not as crowded as they were before, Emanuel said.

The Wayne State survey found no evidence that students plan their

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# record

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## Obituaries

### Phebe Benthack

Phebe Benthack, 94, of Wayne died Saturday, Feb. 11, 1995 at her home.

Services will be held Thursday, Feb. 16 at 10:30 a.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Wayne. The Rev. Craig Holstedt will officiate. Closed casket visitation will be held Wednesday, Feb. 15 from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. at the Schumacher Funeral Home in Wayne.

Phebe Benthack, the daughter of Jesse Walter and Susan Tessie (Davis) Bennett, was born June 8, 1900 in a sod house in Arcadia, Neb. She married Walter Benthack on July 7, 1923 at Lincoln. The couple moved to Wayne in 1930. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Wayne.

Survivors include four daughters and three sons-in-law, Elaine Yost of Wayne, Wilhelmina and Robert Smith of Sylmar, Calif., Elsie and Clare Coulthard of Chambers, Neb. and Alice and Rex Sala of Marcell, Minn.; one daughter-in-law, Mary Benthack of Wayne; 10 grandchildren; 18 great grandchildren; one sister, Eunice Palm of Milwaukee, Ore.; nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Dr. Walter Benthack; one son, Dr. Robert Benthack; one daughter, Phebe Eleanor Ingram; one granddaughter, Patricia Sala; and one brother, Norvel Bennett.

Pallbearers will be Miron Jenness, Gary West, Charles Carhart, Gerard Vandeburg, George Claycomb, Dr. Ben Marin and Bob Merchant.

Burial will be in the Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne with the Schumacher Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the Wayne Care Centre.

### Edna M. Echtenkamp

Edna M. Echtenkamp, 85, of Wayne died Saturday morning, Feb. 11, 1995 at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.

Services were held Tuesday, Feb. 14 at the Immanuel Lutheran Church, rural Wakefield. The Rev. Richard Carner and the Rev. Lloyd Redhage officiated.

Edna Maria Anna Echtenkamp, the daughter of William and Amanda (Echtenkamp) Krallmann, was born Dec. 17, 1909 in rural Wayne in Dixon County. She was baptized on Jan. 11, 1910 by Rev. Gutknecht and confirmed April 13, 1924 by Rev. Gerhrke at Immanuel Lutheran Church at rural Wakefield. She married Albert Echtenkamp on Sept. 20, 1933 at Immanuel Lutheran Church, rural Wakefield. The couple farmed in rural Wakefield all of their married life. She moved to Wayne in 1987. She was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church and the Ladies Aid.

Survivors include three daughters and sons-in-law, Myrna and Delwin Swanson of Oakland, Marlene and Harlan Nelson of Oakland and Vernell and Gary Nelson of Wakefield; nine grandchildren; two great grandchildren; many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, two brothers and one sister.

Pallbearers were Douglas, Mark and Loren Swanson, David, Steven, Matthew, Michael and Amy Nelson and Marcia Criddle.

Burial was in the Immanuel Lutheran Church Cemetery, rural Wakefield, with the Schumacher Funeral Home in Wayne in charge of arrangements.

## Dixon County Court

### Court Fines

Marcus Bishop, Vallejo, Calif., \$74, speeding. Gerald Conway, Wayne, \$54, speeding. Jeffrey Delzer, Great Falls, Minn., \$54, speeding. Terry Jaeger, Kasota, Minn., \$39, speeding. Harlan Habben, Sioux City, Iowa, \$54, speeding. Justin J. Luse, Pierson, Iowa, \$54, speeding.

David A. Kreifels, York, \$54, speeding. Robert Sorenson Jr.,

Wayne, \$54, speeding. Ida E. Thompson, Wakefield, \$54, speeding. George D. Sullivan Jr., \$74, speeding. Orelous P. Bousquet, Hubbard, \$54, speeding. David O. Morlang, Ainsworth, \$54, speeding. Mark A. McTaggart, Emerson, \$74, no operator's license.

### Marriage License

Jeffrey A. Rush, 25, Ponca, and Heidi L. Schweers, 22, Ponca.

## Dixon County Vehicles

1974: Peggy J. Gregg, Ponca, Winnebago Mini Winnie Motor Home.

1973: Gayle Sperry, Allen, Starcraft Corp. Camper.

1970: Irvin P. Haisch, Concord, Chevrolet.

1969: Mike Tophoj, Ponca, Volkswagen Camper.

1979: Gary E. Petersen, Wakefield, Ford Bronco; William Moore, Allen, Ford.

1990: Judy Heier, Emerson, Chevrolet; John Rosener, Newcastle, Oldsmobile.

1989: Laura Murphy, Newcastle, Ford.

1988: James Quist, Dixon, Pontiac; Mark McKinley, Newcastle, Lincoln.

1987: Randy Barge, Wakefield, Plymouth Voyager.

1986: Steve Von Minden, Ponca, Ford.

## Fair Board sets record

The Wayne County Agricultural Society recently broke a state record while members attended the Nebraska State Fair Managers convention held in Lincoln. The Wayne County delegation had the largest registration of convention goers — a total of 34.

Richard Sorenson of Wayne was nominated and elected to the District 3 board of directors. He will serve a four year term. Gordon Davis of Carroll was nominated to serve on the Board of 29.

Bookings of entertainment for the 1995 and the 1996 fairs were made while there. Convention goers attended a number of seminars on subject matters such as legal matters, advertisement and food concessions.

The directors' spouses from Wayne, Dixon and Cedar counties were responsible for the spouses hospitality room.

## Wayne County Court

### Criminal Filings

State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Gerald Tapp, Jr., Wakefield, defendant. Complaint for Violation of Protection Order (Count I) and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia (Count II).

State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Deidra M. O'Donnell, Norfolk, defendant. Complaint for Theft by Shoplifting.

State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Dennis L. Doleman, Wayne, defendant. Complaint for Possession of Marijuana, one ounce or less.

State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Maurice L. Arrington, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, defendant. Complaint for terroristic threats (Count I), Use of a Weapon to Commit a Felony (Count II) and Third-Degree Assault (Count III).

State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Benjamin A. Ries, Norfolk, defendant. Complaint for Careless Driving.

State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Janice E. Brown, Sioux City, Iowa, defendant. Complaint for Theft by Unlawful Taking, (Count I), Aiding and Abetting Theft by Unlawful Taking (Count II) and Theft by Receiving Stolen Property (Count III).

State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Gale Lawton, Tallahassee, Fla., defendant. Complaint for Issuing Bad Check.

State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Deanna S. Anderson, Concord, defendant. Complaint for Theft by Shoplifting.

State of Nebraska, City of Wayne, plaintiff, vs. Mark B. Christensen, Wayne, defendant. Complaint for Revocation of Probation.

State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Mike A. Penne, Wayne, defendant. Complaint for No Proof of Financial Responsibility.

State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Cliff Burbach, Carroll, defendant. Complaint for Attempted First Degree Criminal Trespass (Count I), Assault in the Third Degree (Count II), Criminal Mischief (Count III) and Disturbing the Peace (Count IV).

### Criminal Proceedings

State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Deanna S. Anderson, Concord, defendant. Complaint for Theft by Shoplifting. Case dismissed.

State of Nebraska, City of

Wayne, plaintiff, vs. Mark B. Christensen, Wayne, defendant. Complaint for Revocation of Probation. Sentenced to 10 consecutive weekends in jail and probation extended.

State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Mike A. Penne, Wayne, defendant. Complaint for No Proof of Financial Responsibility. Defendant pleaded guilty to No Proof of Financial Responsibility. Fined \$100.00 and costs.

State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. Cliff Burbach, Carroll, defendant. Complaint for Attempted First Degree Criminal Trespass (Count I), Assault in the Third Degree (Count II), Criminal Mischief (Count III) and Disturbing the Peace (Count IV). Defendant pleaded no contest to Attempted First Degree Criminal Trespass (Count I) and Assault in the Third Degree (Count II). Fined \$150.00 on each count. Count III and Count IV dismissed.

### Civil Proceedings

Keith A. Adams dba Action Credit Services, plaintiff, vs. Joyce Klingensmith, Wayne, defendant. In the amount of \$240.68. Case dismissed.

Credit Bureau Services Inc., plaintiff, vs. Jim Chapman and Kimberly Chapman, Wayne, defendants. In the amount of \$456.11. Judgement for the plaintiff in the amount of \$456.11 and costs.

Keith A. Adams dba Action Credit Services, plaintiff, vs. Tracy Evans, South Sioux City, defendant. In the amount of \$27.62. Case dismissed.

Keith A. Adams dba Action Credit Services, plaintiff, vs. Bethany Milligan, Carroll, defendant. In the amount of \$93.91. Judgement for the plaintiff in the amount of \$93.91 and costs.

Keith A. Adams dba Action Credit Services, plaintiff, vs. Tina Stevens, Crete, defendant. In the amount of \$25.00. Judgement for the plaintiff in the amount of \$25.00 and costs.

### Marriage Licenses

Michael Anthony Jaeger, 28, Wayne, and Barbara Lynn Farran, Winside, 36.

Krishana Kumar Menon, 21, Wayne, and Stacie Radell Sandall, 18, Wayne.

Steven John Bowers, 32, Laurel, and Lori Sue Jensen, 26, Laurel.

## Wakefield Villa ownership changes in historic move

History was made on Feb. 7 in Wakefield! For the first time in the history of the Nebraska office of the Farmers Home Administration a transfer of a property occurred by donation. The transfer took place between the Wakefield Villa, a co-partnership owned by partners Dr. James D. Smith and Dr. Pat Luse of Nebraska Chiropractic and Nutrition Clinic in South Sioux City and the Wakefield Health Care Center, Inc., a local nonprofit corporation which manages the Wakefield Health Care Center and the former Wakefield Community Hospital building.

In the transaction, which took place on Tuesday, Feb. 7, Drs. Smith and Luse signed over and donated their equity in the 10-unit apartment project, known as the Wakefield Villa. The Villa is located at 5th and Main Streets in Wakefield.

The Wakefield Health Care Center has assumed the remaining loan, which is guaranteed by the government. The approximate outstanding balance on the loan is \$197,000. Rental income from the project will be used by the Wakefield Health Care Center to repay the outstanding loan balance.

In application for the project, a process which started last fall, the Wakefield Health Care Center has twice expanded its Articles of Incorporation to allow it the authority to lease property and offer the services necessary to manage the apartment complex along with the Assisted Living project which is now in the construction phase.

In addition, the articles of incorporation have been expanded to allow all donors to the corporation

and other interested people in the community the opportunity of membership in the corporation. Formerly, membership was open to donors to the corporation and their spouses only.

The directors of the Wakefield Care Center are dedicated to maintaining continuity during the period of transition of ownership.

During the next two months, Terry Hoffman, Administrator of the Care Center, will gradually assume all of the responsibilities that have been handled by Park Avenue Management of Sioux City. Until further notice tenants can contact Park Avenue with their questions and concerns.

All current leases have been transferred from the doctors' partnerships to the Health Care Center. There will be disruptions in anyone's lease as a result of the transaction.

Hoffman said he looks at the transfer as a way to centralize services for seniors in Wakefield. He said he is willing to shoulder the additional administrative duties so that a local person will be responsive to the needs of the residents.

This transfer, and the renovation project involving the Assisted Living apartments, will allow for the Wakefield Health Care Center, Inc. to provide for the needs of seniors in the community of Wakefield from independent living through every stage of assistance and care.

There was a Wakefield Community Club ribbon cutting for the Wakefield Health Care Center, Inc. on Thursday, Feb. 9 at the Wakefield Villa apartment complex. Dr. Smith and Dr. Luse were present to answer questions.

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shop, a library and card room, activities and craft rooms, a private dining room and a fireplace to enjoy in the spacious living room.

Services will be available for residents of the retirement development.

## Cable

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entire day around cable-watching, or that the dorm noise level is any higher.

Wesleyan Assistant Vice President for Student Affairs Jody Donovan and UNL student body president Andrew Loudon said today's students are used to studying while watching TV.

"My generation is used to cable," Loudon said. He claims that he and many of his friends watch mainly CNN's "Headline News," the Arts & Entertainment Network, educational shows and an occasional classic movie.

Jim Griesen, vice chancellor for student affairs at UNL, said there haven't been any surveys of UNL students' TV habits or the medium's impact on their grades.

These will include housekeeping and social programs as well as a trained staff available on a 24-hour basis.

Ms. Thayer said the plan is for occupancy in the fall and she said she anticipates scores of retired residents celebrating Christmas in their new homes.

But as one of those teaching in the Freshman Foundations program, Griesen said he has read in student diaries that they often devote 10 to 12 hours a week to television. Some watch as many as 20 hours a week, and that worries Griesen.

The Wayne State team didn't study grade-point averages. They did note a 1989 Marquette University finding that the coming of cable did not lower the viewers' grade-point averages. In fact, the GPAs of those who did not watch TV fell.

At Wesleyan, the grade-point average of students in residence halls was 2.97 on a 4.0 scale before students petitioned in 1988 for in-room cable. Cable came in 1990, and the 1991 grade-point average was 3.1. In 1992, it was 3.23, virtually identical to the campuswide average.

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## Community Calendar

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

Wayne After 5 Club, Riley's, 6:30-8:30 p.m.  
Wayne Community Theatre Board meeting, State National Bank, 7:30 p.m.  
Norfolk LaLeche League Group, Skyview Medical Center, Norfolk, 7:30 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15

Job Training of Greater Nebraska representative at Chamber office, 10 a.m. - noon  
Pleasant Valley Club, Black Knight, 1:30 p.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.

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Mom's Group, First United Methodist Church, 9:30-11 a.m.  
Wayne County Immunization Clinic, sponsored by Goldenrod Hills, First United Methodist Church, 1:30-3:30 p.m.  
Immanuel Lutheran Ladies Aid, Wakefield, 2 p.m.  
Alcoholics Anonymous, St. Mary's Catholic Church, Holy Family Hall, 8 p.m.

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17

Wayne Community Hospital Auxiliary, Providence Medical Center, 2 p.m.

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18

Alcoholics Anonymous open meeting, Fire Hall, 7:30 p.m.

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19

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

# Event for seniors set in Wayne

By Clara Osten  
Of the Herald

"We want people age 55 or better to know that they don't just have to sit home and watch T.V.," said Jim Keiter of American Pride Tours.

For this reason he and Theresa McDermott, who also works with American Pride Tours, have put together a workshop to be held Wednesday, March 1 at Riley's Convention Center.

THE EVENT, to be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. will feature

## Donors honored

The Siouxland Blood Bank has praised the Wayne Processing Center for their support of the blood drive held on Monday, Feb. 6. Thirty-seven individuals volunteered to donate. A total of 28 pints of blood were collected.

Ten first-time donors contributed blood. They were Lisa Carr, Heather Cutnecese, Wendy Ellis, David Fritz, Brandi Luther, Cynthia Miller, Janice Olson, Leslie Sorenson, Angie Warner and Michael Williams.

"Sincere thanks goes out to everyone who helped before and during the blood drive. The time, work and effort provided by the Wayne Processing Center will assure our Siouxland communities of a safe blood supply," said Pam Masching, director of donor resources.



Television personality Julie Negus, center, will be in Wayne for the Senior Adventure Workshop March 1.

speakers, entertainment, lunch, vendor displays and door prizes. Cost for the day is \$7 which includes lunch and all activities.

Speakers for the event include Cyndi Wagner, James Keiter, The Sports Medicine Center and Julie Negus, Weather Director for KCAU TV in Sioux City.

Wagner and Keiter will present a general overview of investment planning in an attempt to show those present how to they may be able to save money on taxes.

The Sports Medicine Center will discuss health and fitness and explain how persons in this age group can remain healthy.

DURING LUNCH the participants will be entertained by Cyril Hansen and Jay Morris as well as a comedy act by "Willie Make-It", the Bronson Wanna-be.

The Adventure will include a keynote address by Julie Negus who will encourage people to get involved with life. The final event of the day will be a country line dance demonstration to encourage people to try new forms of exercise.

"There are a huge number of opportunities and options available to people in this age group. We will have vendors present to show people different housing options, different investment options and various health programs available to them," said Keiter.

PROCEEDS from the vendor display rental fees will be donated to the Senior Citizen's Center Project.

"We hope to make this an annual event to raise money and let people know what resources are available to them. We want to give special thanks to those groups who have helped us promote this event. These include Riley's, First National Bank, State National Bank, Century Club, KTCH Radio, The Wayne Herald and all the Senior Adventure vendors," said Keiter.

For more information, call 1-800-653-1230 or 375-2707. A registration form can be found in today's Wayne Herald.

## Plays

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ninth century Japanese poet, duels with one of her admirers, Prince Shosho (Ben McBride of York), making verse out of their conflict until she meets a brutal end.

"The Love Suicide at Schofield Barracks" is about an Army general and his wife who have committed a ritual double suicide during a Halloween party in the officers' club at Schofield Barracks. An official court of inquiry has been convened to investigate their shocking, and apparently senseless act. Those present at the affair and others who knew the general and his wife will be called to testify, and, as tension

mounts, a remarkable and compassionate portrait of the dead couple emerges — and, with it, a shattering awareness of the significance of their deed.

Cast members are Andrew Niess, Fremont, Captain Martin; Travis Herrick, Wayne, Staff Sgt. Bates; Amber Livingston, Plattsmouth, Lorna Ann Bates; Sam Wilson, Wayne, Colonel Moore; Christine Pantoja, Gordon, Lucy Lake; Danica Bartes, Blair, Katherine Nomura; Michael Dowden, Crofton, Sgt. Major Ruggles; Donald Hand, Spencer, Iowa; and Brad Evert, Fremont, Edward Roundhouse.

## Valentine trepidation

The Miss USA pageant is on, so I'm trying to keep the Big Farmer distracted. I've been feeding him chocolate cupcakes; but I don't think they're going to do it!

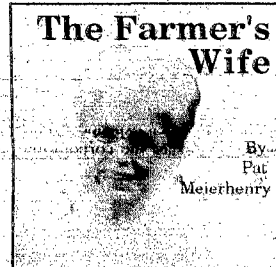
We were in Seward last week, and it will be to St. Joe tomorrow, to celebrate first birthdays. Both babies are walking, and generally getting into everything.

We'll be driving an '89 Dodge Diplomat, strictly an economy model; but with a good heater. You guessed it, I had another adventure with a car.

On Wednesday, the Buick started reluctantly several times. In fact, I thought it was going to leave me stranded in the Payless Cashway parking lot. But I got home; and of course, when I took it to a local garage yesterday, it was fine.

So, I headed for Auburn today. Sure enough, as I started to leave a friend's home there, it refused to start. In fact, it clanked and sent a couple puffs of smoke. A kid in a pickup diagnosed a timing chain. So I came home in the last rental car in the town.

I made up my mind the first of this year that this space needed a new photo. Surely I can have a picture taken once every dozen years. Hopefully, the new one will appear with this column. As you can see, the hair is much lighter. I think it's a combination of marriage



The Farmer's Wife

By Pat Meierhenry

to a farmer, nursing through drastic health care changes and plain old genetics. My mom's is snow white.

I had the pleasure of attending Wayne State's choir concert in Lincoln on Sunday night, and noted that Cornell Runestad's hair looks just as it always has. He tells me he's been on the podium for 40 years. Apparently, it agrees with him. He will be missed.

Once again, I'm awaiting Valentine's Day with trepidation. If you recall, I was about the only person in our office last year who did not receive flowers. There is a florist in every town around here. There is really no excuse for such an omission. If it happens again, he will have to be punished. For now, I have to drag him away from the evening gown competition.

Happy sweetheart day!

## County

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can redeem your taxes in monthly payments to us.

"The monthly payment is purely an accommodation. We don't charge interest. After our costs, we make 10% on the money we invest in those taxes. In fact, we haven't

made enough money to do it again next year."

That will be good news to Wayne County Treasurer Lorraine Johnson.

"I think it's a bad situation because this interest money is going out of the state. If those taxes weren't purchased, then when they were redeemed by the property owner, the school, the city and the county would get the interest. But Equivest is positively legitimate, and there is nothing we can do about it.

"We hold a tax sale in March," said Johnson, "and anyone can come in and buy them. If no one buys them, after they've been delinquent for two years, the county takes the property at tax sale. And then three years from that date the property can be foreclosed upon by the county and sold. So when you add it up, people have five years to redeem their delinquent taxes."

The taxes being advertised in the

Herald that accrued during the 1993 calendar year, were due and payable in two installments, in May and in September of 1994.

"The notice you received last December was for your 1994 taxes, which should be paid in May and in September of this year," Johnson warned.

"Once you've become delinquent, you have to pay at least one half year's worth of taxes, and it has to be the most delinquent taxes. After a few years, at 14% interest, that can add up to several hundred dollars in penalties alone."

And its those penalties that attracted Equivest.

"We're looking for people who have run into trouble and can't pay their taxes," explained Foote, "when they solve their problems, we get our money back, with interest."

## School

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rural Nebraska but it did. It is scary to think that violence has trickled down to the Middle School level, but it is a reflection of what is happening in our society," said Zeiss.

"Because of our size, we don't deal with the same type of problems as larger schools, but we are not immune from problems. It is entirely different dealing with a school that has 265 students than dealing with a school with 2,500 students," he said.

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**The Golden Years**

By: **Connie Dishrow**

Preparations are under way for the White House Conference on Aging in May of this year. This will be the fourth one-in-a-decade conference since 1961. The conclaves serve as a forum for calling attention to issues related to the elderly. The 1995 conference is expected to carry more weight than previous ones because of the substantial increase in the number of Americans past 75 in the last 10 years.

Tubby Raymond, 67, came to Newark, Delaware, in 1954 as assistant coach of the University of Delaware football team. Since 1965 he has led his teams to more than 230 victories as head coach. "The Blue Hens" nickname doesn't fit the team's year-in, year-out high scoring performance. So what does the coach of this hard-charging team do on Thursday mornings? Tubby Raymond sets that time aside to paint. In the morning light he does portraits of his players. "I get a lot of fun out of seeing how (a player) develops from a kid who was like a 7-year-old when he came here. To see him mature into a fine young man, that's success, too."

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# persuasion

*n.* \per-swa'zhen\ 1. the act of persuading. 2. Expressing opinions with the goal of bringing others to your point of view. 3. communication on issues. 4. an exercise in freedom. 5. editorializing and letter writing. *syn:* see OPINION

## Editorials

### Revisit tourism tax

Ironically one of the stories out of Lincoln this week was the report from the Nebraska Tourism Office that says more funds are needed to promote Nebraska's popular events.

The state is looking at an increase in the state lodging tax to promote events like the Wayne Chicken Show and the hundreds of other state events which draw millions of visitors and their dollars to Nebraska each year.

The statewide tourism tax discussion comes on the heels of last month's decision in Wayne County not to implement a lodging tax.

We believe the community should look again at a local lodging tax. In other towns in the state where they have been implemented the tax has worked well to increase attendance at events and even increase the number of lodging rooms available.

Wayne County should implement the promotional system before the state does it for us and in so doing, eliminates the local control aspect.

### Good for everyone

Getting healthy seems to be the local pastime.

Just look at the local involvement in Heart Healthy Month sponsored by the American Cancer Society.

Besides that sign, enrollment is way up at the Providence Medical Center fitness facility. People are jogging and walking even in this weather.

The recreation programs sponsored by the city and Wayne State College are bulging.

Foods containing fat and cholesterol are shunned.

Smokers are becoming an endangered species.

Exercise machines are nearly as common as televisions in family rooms in Wayne.

Health is in.

We take this opportunity to thank those involved in reminding us all to live healthier lives.

Whether it be the physical education teachers, the Heart Association Volunteers, the medical professionals, the restaurateurs, the mothers, all play their part in ensuring a better, stronger and healthier future for each of us...

...and for our community and nation.

### It doesn't figure

A bill is currently before the state legislature which will make it easier for couples to get a divorce.

This sounds like bad law to us.

On the one hand we have a national crisis of disintegrating family structure which our political leaders tell us (and we believe) leads to increased welfare costs, school costs, crime problems and other social ills.

On the other hand, we have state senators trying to make family disintegration easier.

Go figure.

## Letters

### Don't condemn NORML

Dear Editor:

First, let me challenge you to print this in its entirety and second, I dare you to read this with a little common sense.

It seems to me that someone missed the point of NORML's ad in the Jan. 18 issue of the Wayne Stater. The media consistently forgot to mention or be concerned with half of the ad, including The Wayne Herald. In fact, The Wayne Herald did not jump on the anti-NORML band wagon until after the story about Herb the marijuana husker fan came out on the Associated Press. The editorial editor condemned NORML for making a joke out of Senator Bob Kerrey's campaign, which NORML found nothing funny about, but I find it funny that the Wayne Herald waited until the rest of Nebraska was talking about our ad to write about it.

The point of the ad was to bring awareness to the fact that in our

country, the United States of America, is the country with the highest percentage of its population behind bars.

If one asks one of Wayne State College's criminal justice professors why this is, they will agree it is because in this country there are many consensual acts which are crimes.

I find it to be confusing that we, Americans, condemned nations like South Africa and East Germany, for civil rights violations when we imprison our own people for committing crimes which are consensual.

WSC NORML never pretended to be anything, but a legalization group, yet the Wayne Herald claims that we "did not represent themselves as young people working for the legalization of marijuana laws until after the election when they

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## Capitol News

# Rallying cry against government

By Melvin Paul  
Statehouse Correspondent  
The Nebraska Press Association

LINCOLN — "Get government off my back."

That seems to be the rallying cry these days of politicians, business owners, farmers and ranchers everywhere.

That nasty Uncle Sam, it seems, is irritating everyone, shoving unwanted regulations down our throats, wiping out profits with costly red tape.

Boy, Uncle Sam used to be a good guy, wasn't he?

Gov. Nelson is fighting his battle with the federal government, calling for an end to unfunded mandates passed by Congress that cost local governments big bucks to comply with.

Ranchers and farmers are mounting their own offensive against mandates, introducing bills across the country against "takings" of personal property.

There's already a clause in the Bill of Rights that states that private property shall not "be taken for public use without just compensation."

But farm and ranch groups feel that regulations keep pouring out of Washington and Lincoln that ignore that.

For the second year in a row, State Sen. Jim Jones of Eddyville has introduced a "takings" bill in the Nebraska Legislature.

His Legislative Bill 168 requires the attorney general to review pending state regulations to consider whether they might "constitute the taking of property without just compensation to the owner."

The attorney general would let the governor know when such takings would occur and how much liability the state might incur if the rules were enacted.

It would head off some bad regulations at the pass, Jones reasons, by alerting the state's chief.

Sen. Owen Elmer of Indianola is sponsoring another takings bill. LB 885 would require state agencies to do cost-benefit analyses of new regulations. The costs of complying and the estimated benefits would be assessed.

Environmentalists and cities think these takings bills stink. They contend that they threaten basic zoning, anti-pollution and endangered species laws.

The cost-benefit and liability estimates would be expensive and require the hiring of new accountants and attorneys.

Such laws could backfire on farmers and ranchers, they add. For instance, a homeowner living next to a feedlot might be able to win compensation from the cattle feeder for their loss of property value because of odors.

They also claim that takings laws benefit corporate farms more than mom and pop. In Missouri, a huge hog-confinement operation is citing a takings law there in trying to get around local laws against such facilities.

It's an interesting and sometimes confusing debate for state senators.

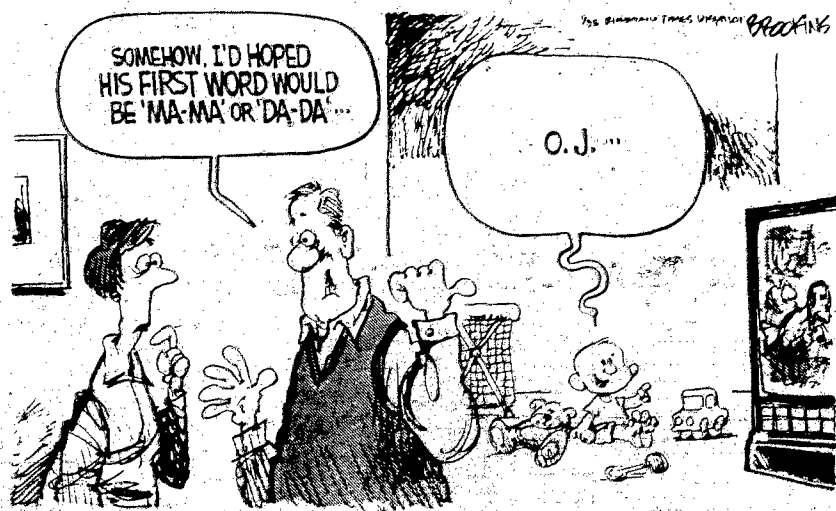
Farm groups say that no one is trying to eliminate anti-pollution laws.

Takings laws, they say, could not be used by people who create nuisances for their neighbors.

They just guarantee that government looks before it leaps into unreasonable regulations, they claim.

With so many people beating the drum of less government regulation, a Nebraska takings law — which died last year — may have a shot in 1995.

The views expressed in Capitol News are those of the writer and not necessarily those of the Nebraska Press Association.



# GBU is a normal human endeavor

Someone has described walking as a succession of falls forward. Perhaps so. One first learns to walk by getting back up after falling. That most important fundamental thing called success is learned only by getting back up after making an error. So the "Get Back Up" perspective, hereafter called GBU, becomes a major thrust for most.

Let's face it, a person who could with one stroke drive a golf ball into the next hole every time would not care to play the game. After a media blitz, the game would be boring.

Besides, he/she would have a difficult time finding anyone to play! Take football. If every player played perfectly, would there be a game? Football, like other games,

is based on the probability of error.

Why should our errors irritate us? Don't they help us progress if we are willing to learn from them? If we never erred in play or work, wouldn't we become disinterested? Suppose a batter always hit .500. That means missing half the time! Is that failing? Hardly! He'd likely face a barrage of multi-million-dollar contracts!

Likewise, why worry when your pen or tongue slips, and you write, say or think something you shouldn't? If you recognize your fault and try doing better, hasn't the quality of fiber in your character been strengthened?

Life should be like the experience of learning to walk. Standing

## Merlin Wright



again after failing is extraordinarily important! You may be bruised or confused on occasion by errors, but GBU!

Look in the mirror. Suppose that person never made a mistake!

Wouldn't you be lonesome? Would this earth be any longer challenging or fascinating? How could you stand imperfect friends?

How could they stand you? Perhaps the recording angel doesn't so much observe all our errors as he watches the spirit in which we get up and go again after we've made a lollapalooza of a mistake. Your neighbor also knows the feeling.

Your day has likely included foul-ups; some made by you, some by others. Shift into the GBU mode and you'll likely do just fine.

Here at the Wayne Herald we always manage to make a few typos.

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# Friends, neighbors are making news

So, in-school violence against teachers comes to Nebraska.

Last week a student in Chadron Middle School shot a teacher, Andy Pope, in an apparent unprovoked attack. Thankfully, Andy is recovering from a bullet wound to the chest.

Next to Wayne, Chadron would have been about the last place I would have expected something like this to happen.

Chadron is a community, like Wayne, with rock hard rural values, with a heavy reliance on education, religion, and following the rules. I know, I lived and worked there for a dozen years. But I am glad I'm not there now trying to cover and make sense of this situation.

Chadron is not a town where quiet thirteen year old kids routinely pack pistols and shoot their teachers.

I have a hard time understanding and explaining the incident which made Midwest headlines last week. And, after long conversations with the newspaper publisher and others there this week, most everyone is having a hard time understanding.

Andy Pope is not an unreasonable ogre of a teacher and coach. Not that that would be an excuse. He is an educator who established high expectations. He is a teacher who expects discipline in his class and on the athletic field or court. I think he is a goals oriented individual who is generally liked and respected by his students.

Even if he wasn't liked and didn't work hard with the best interests of his students at heart, that wouldn't give someone the right or excuse to shoot him. But, in the search for understanding, we should be able to rule out that motive.

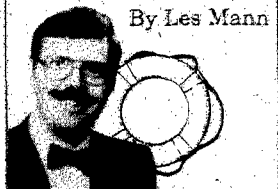
I know the Goffena family too.

Though the authorities in Chadron have not released his name, kids in Pope's class and others in the school have told most everyone in the Northwest Nebraska community that it was Shane Goffena who pulled the trigger.

It would be impossible to keep a secret like that in a town the size of Chadron or Wayne. So is Shane the product of a broken home or dysfunctional family you ask? Is he on drugs? I don't think so.

## Mann Overboard

By Les Mann



Deb and Joe Goffena, his parents, were neighbors of ours in Chadron. In fact, we bought the land we built our house on from them. They are hard working, helpful, church going people who seem stable and reliable—the kind of folks most everyone would be comfortable with as neighbors.

Shane was, by most accounts, a quiet, studious type. He also enjoyed sports and was a student manager on the middle school football team coached by Pope (who is also the head basketball coach at the high school).

So, what happened? We don't know. And we may never know. But whenever a community tragedy like this happens, everyone seems to be wondering the same thing.

Why?

When someone takes their own life, we want to know what the reasons for the act were. We're an excuse oriented society.

"Well that explains it," we say when teens die in an accident and we learn that alcohol was involved. "Oh, so that's the story," we say when a respected politician gets caught stealing and we learn there was an addiction behind the scenes. When there is a seemingly senseless drive by shooting, we somehow feel better when we hear the phrase, "it was apparently gang related."

We need to know why, some would argue, so we know what to do to keep the situation from recurring. But I think we also need to know why to soothe our troubled minds.

We need to convince ourselves that we are not in part to blame.

Is it the glamorization of violence on television and in the movies that helps lead to these senseless school shootings? As a society that makes the most successful movies and television shows be those with the most violence, disrespectful language and sexual acts aren't we at least in part responsible when a youngster chooses a gun as the easiest solution to a personal problem?

I would argue that we are.

When a child of 13 routinely sees literally thousands of acts of violence on television each year, he certainly must become somewhat desensitized to the human pain and suffering that would result from a shooting. He certainly would be more inclined to see a gun, a knife or a fist as routine solutions to perceived problems.

But we would rather hear there is another excuse—any other excuse. Drugs, broken home, mental illness, abuse, any of those excuses would be more comforting to us.

Can't be that we might be responsible. Who me? Never.

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# N.E.braskans in the News

## Honor roll

Kim Jo Indieke, a junior from Wayne, was among the more than 3,100 students from the University of Kansas who were named to KU's honor roll during the fall 1994 semester were announced recently by Chancellor Del Shankel.

"The honor roll recognizes the highest achievement of student work over the past semester," Shankel said. "Inclusion in the honor roll is testament to a student's academic ability and dedication, two factors that bode well for their futures at the University of Kansas and in life."



Lisa Ewing

## On UNL Board

Lisa Ewing of Wayne has been appointed to serve on a newly formed Honors Advisory Board at the University of Nebraska Lincoln College of Business Administration. The seven-member board is being established to assist Honors Program students in the College of Business Administration.

Ms. Ewing is a senior marketing major at the university and an Honors Program student. She is a member of the University of Nebraska Lincoln Marketing Club and serves as fundraising chairperson. Ewing is also active as a volunteer teacher for the Junior Achievement program in the Lincoln Public School system.

She is the daughter of David and Donna Ewing of Wayne.

## In Who's Who

Three granddaughters of Dale and Mac Pearson of rural Wakefield are listed in the 28th edition of Who's Who Among American High School Students for the 1993-94 academic year.

Valerie Fischer, a 1994 graduate of Wakefield Community Schools, is currently a freshman nursing student at Chadron State College.

Valerie, a high honor roll student while at Wakefield, is a second year Who's Who listee. She graduated with honors and was the recipient of the Nuernberger Scholarship.

Valerie played JV basketball and volleyball, and also played ASA summer softball for 12 years. She was a member of the math team, band, marching band and pep band.

She currently works at both the Chadron Nursing Home and the Wakefield Care Center.

She is the daughter of Richard and Leila Fischer and also the granddaughter of Harold and Jean Fischer of Wakefield.

Cammy Burns, a senior at Doherty High School in Colorado Springs, Colo., is also a second time honoree. She is a member of the Ashanti Multicultural Club, the math, English, science and academics (MESA) club and on the honor roll.

Cammy is a varsity track letter-winner and a third year letter-winner on the Lady Spartan varsity basketball team, currently ranked #10 nationally by USA Today.

She was an all-conference honorable mention selection to the 1994 Metro League basketball team, and a member of the 1993 BCI National Basketball runner-up team in the 15 and under division. She also works in the customer service department of Target.

Tavia Burns, a sophomore at Doherty High School, is a first time honoree. She is secretary of the Ashanti Multicultural Club, a Greensprings volunteer and is on the honor roll.

As a freshman, Tavia was starter on the undefeated Doherty JV basketball team and a varsity letter-winner in track. She qualified for the state track meet in the shot put and was a member of the 1993 BCI National championship basketball team in the 14 and under division.

Currently, Tavia is a starter on the JV basketball team and is a reserve on the varsity team. She also works at Dairy Queen.

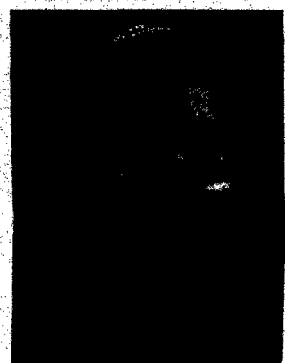
Cammy and Tavia are the daughters of June Burns of Colorado Springs.



Valerie Fischer



Cammy Burns



Tavia Burns



Winside students attending the Wayne State Honor Band recently were, back row, left to right: Heather Fischer and Emily Deck. Middle row, Jenny Fleer, Leslie Ferguson and Maureen Gubbels and in front, Heidi Kirsch.

## Winside News

Dianne Jaeger  
286-4504

### HONOR BANDS PERFORM

Six Winside high school band members participated in the Jan. 21 conference honor band performance at Wayne State College. They were Emily Deck, tenor sax; Leslie Ferguson, trumpet (medalist); Kay Damme, alto saxophone (medalist); Heidi Kirsch, clarinet; Jenny Fleer, clarinet; and Desiree Anderson, flute (medalist).

On Feb. 4, six more band members from Winside participated in the Wayne State Honor Band. Playing in the senior high black and gold band were Heather Fischer, bass clarinet; Emily Deck, tenor sax; and Leslie Ferguson, trumpet. In the junior high wild cat band were Maureen Gubbels, clarinet; Heidi Kirsch, clarinet and Jenny Fleer, clarinet.

### FUND RAISER

Members of the Winside High School band and choir are working on raising funds for a spring trip to Des Moines, Iowa where they are planning to perform a pre-Memorial concert as part of their music education experience. They also will get additional exposure to recreational and cultural activities by attending several places while there.

The youth are selling raffle tickets for gift certificates and various other items donated by area businesses. The six winners will be drawn on March 27 at a performance of their pre-contest concert.

### BRIDGE CLUB

The Art Rabes will host the Tuesday Night Bridge Club on Feb. 28.

### AMERICAN LEGION

Seven members of the Roy Reed American Legion Post 252 met Feb. 7 for their monthly meeting. Jerold Rademacher, commander, conducted the meeting. The next one will be held on Tuesday, March 7 at 8 p.m.

### SCHOOL CALENDAR

Thursday, Feb. 16: Girls district basketball, Columbus Lakeview; state wrestling tourney, Lincoln.

Friday, Feb. 17: Boys basketball at Newcastle; JV at 6:15 p.m., varsity at 8 p.m.; state wrestling tourney, Lincoln.

Saturday, Feb. 18: Seventh and eighth grade boys and girls basketball tourney at Newcastle, 9 a.m.; state wrestling tourney, Lincoln.

Monday-Tuesday, Feb. 20-21: Boys district basketball, Columbus Lakeview.

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took credit for helping Kerrey win a plurality of voters in Wayne." Kerrey's campaign was fully aware of our purposes for assisting them and they were quite receptive of our aid because no one else in Wayne would spend the time in campaign for him.

Just because you did not know about our intentions does not mean we were hiding our political beliefs. No one asked about our political beliefs and we were busy spending 30 hours or more a week, as well as going to school, campaigning for Kerrey. During the election, like many political organizations, we were more concerned with campaigning for our candidate than we were about promoting our political beliefs.

Just because you missed the boat, and the facts, does not mean that we acted with "deceit." The Herald gives NORML the advice that we should work "without expropriating highly respected trademarks of other organizations and individuals." Yet, I've seen other political cartoons in the Herald

poking fun of Newt Gingrich and other politicians. If one takes an American political process course, one will learn that using caricatures is one of the most effective ways of making a political statement.

NORML could have burned an American flag or an image of Herb Husker to make a political statement, but we have too much respect for those institutions; instead, we chose to use a cartoon similar to Herbie. This was not done as a "joke" to repulse people, but to make a political point that we think it is a negative thing that America has a higher percentage of its population in jails and prisons than any other nation. At the same time we wanted to celebrate our, and I stress our, victory in the Orange Bowl.

I would like to end this letter with a passage from the Bible:

As they stood there asking him questions, he straightened up and said to them, "Whoever one of you has committed no sin may throw the first stone at her." Then he bent over again and wrote on the ground. When they heard this, they all left, one by one, the older ones first. Jesus was left alone, with the woman still standing there. He straightened up and said to her, "Where are they? Is there no one left to condemn you?" John 8:7-11

In the Spirit of Thomas Paine,  
Chris Parachini



Jolene Jager

## Young leader

The United States Achievement Academy announced that Jolene Jager has been named a United States National Award winner in Leadership.

The Academy recognizes less than 10 percent of all American high school students. Jolene, who attends Wayne High School, will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America's history. Certainly United States Achievement Academy award winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, Executive Director of the United States Achievement Academy.

The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability and recommendation from a teacher or director.

Jolene is the daughter of Eliene Jager. Grandparents are Eldon and Bernice Loetscher of Emerson.

## On Dean's List

The University of Nebraska at Kearney announced the names of students who have earned a place on the Deans' List for the fall semester.

To earn a place on the Deans' List, university students must complete 12 or more hours with a grade point average of 3.5 or better. Those students who earned a 4.0 (straight A's) average are noted by an asterisk.

In recognition of their academic achievement, students will receive a Deans' List certificate from their respective Deans.

Area students include: Pender — \*Colleen Cave, advertising comprehensive; Corey Habrock, criminal justice comprehensive; and Sherry Zrsek, travel/tourism comprehensive. Wakefield — Jason Fendrick, pre-law and Sarah Salmon, deciding - undergrad. Wayne — \*Kris DeNaeyer, elementary education K-6; \*Todd Fuchsbirth, chemistry; and \*Tara Nichols, social work. Wisner — Steven Ott, management tech; agribus.

## Merlin

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and other miscellaneous errors, in each paper. But think of the satisfaction our shertoomings give readers looking for mistakes! Then a comedian like Jay Leno uses press slip-ups for his funny "Headlines", turning bloopers into laughter. Happy Valentine's Day, GBU!

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## Five generations

Members of the Marra Family of Wayne gathered recently for an uncommon five generations photograph. Seated from left is Steven Marra of Lincoln, holding his son Matthew. At right is Matthew's great-great grandmother, Effie Wood of Bancroft. She is 99. In back is Matthew's great grandmother, Luella Marra of Wayne and his grand father, Ken Marra, also of Wayne.

## Grace Ladies Aid meets with 44 members present

Grace Lutheran Ladies Aid LWML met Feb. 8 with 44 members and one guest, Deb Morlok.

The devotion and lesson for the day was "Service of Praise and Thanksgiving." "God's People - Channels of Healing" and singing of several hymns.

Linda Coulter and Cynthia Rethwisch were in charge of board and card games for fun day on Jan. 29. About 125 prizes were given.

The sewing group made five quilts and will sew again Feb. 23.

The banner committee showed the two banners completed and were to work again Feb. 14.

Ellen Heinemann gave some interesting details about the cookie walk. A ballot was taken to have one in 1995 and to include the congregation.

The president read the minutes of the LWML zone board meeting on Jan. 16.

A letter from Camp Luther was read and it was voted to send them \$50.

Bernita Sherbahn and Joann Temme will write the seminar students.

Thank yous and an invitation to Wendell and Ruth Korh's golden wedding anniversary on March 4 were read.

The president presented Delores Helgren and Ruth Korh a gold cross for their 50th anniversary. Also honored were Ellain Vahlkamp, Louise Larsen and Irene Temme for 49 years and Anna Nelson for 50 years of membership in the Grace Ladies Aid.

Serving on March 8 will be Linda Coulter, Francis Samuelson and Dorothea Schwank.

The birthday song was sung for Esther Hansen, Clara Echtenkamp and Ruth Victor.

Meeting closed with prayer.

## Reception is planned for newlyweds

Gerald Kniesche of Winside and Ardyce Woods Thomsen of Stanton were united in marriage on Saturday, Jan. 28 at the Rejoice Lutheran Church in Omaha.

The Rev. Ken Wittrock officiated. Mr. and Mrs. John Lennart of Omaha served as attendants.

Following the wedding, the couple drove to Las Vegas, Nev., viewing the Grand Canyon and Zion National Park.

An open house reception will be held in honor of the occasion on Sunday, Feb. 19 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Senior Center in Stanton. Friends and relatives are invited to attend, however, the couple requests no gifts.

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## How to decide on child's skills?

**QUESTION:** My son is not athletically inclined. How can I, as a parent, decide what skills my son should develop? Shouldn't that choice be left to him?

**DR. DOBSON:** Many parents feel they do not have the right to force a choice of this nature on their children. They sit back in the hopes that he will make it for himself.

However, most children lack self-discipline.

It is always difficult to learn a new skill—particularly during the initial stages. There is no fun to be derived from total failure, which is the typical feeling in the beginning. Thus, the child never learns those important skills which he will need so badly later on.

I recommend that you, his parent, make a careful assessment of his areas of strength. Then select a skill where you believe the greatest possibilities for success lie. Once this selection is made, see to it that he gets through the first stage. Reward him, push him, threaten him, beg him—bribe him, if necessary—but make him learn it.

If you discover later that you've made a mistake, back up and start over on something else. But don't let inertia keep you from teaching something emotionally useful to your offspring!

Does this form of coercion impinge upon the freedom of the child to choose for himself? Perhaps, but so does making him eat properly, keep himself clean, and go to bed at a reasonable hour. It is, as they say, in the child's best interest.

**QUESTION:** What happens when a child is so different from the group that he cannot compete, no matter how hard he tries?

**DR. DOBSON:** That dead-end street is most often responsible for attempts at self-destruction.

I am reminded of a sad little girl named Lily, an eighth-grader who was referred to me for psychological counseling. She opened the door to my office and stood with eyes cast down. Underneath several layers of powder and make-up, her face was completely aglow with infected acne.

Lily had done her best to bury the inflammation, but she had not been successful. She weighed about 85 pounds and was a physical wreck from head to toe. She sat down without raising her eyes to mine, lacking the confidence to face me.

I didn't need to ask what was troubling her. Life had dealt her a devastating blow, and she was bitter, angry, broken and deeply hurt.

The teen-ager who reaches this point of despair can see no tomorrow.

### Dr. Dobson

Answers Your Questions



He has no hope. He can't think of anything else. He knows he is repulsive and disgusting. He would like to crawl in a hole, but there is no place to hide. Running away won't help, nor will crying change anything. Too often he chooses suicide as the only way out.

Lily gave me little time to work. The following morning she staggered into the school office and announced that she had internalized everything in the family medicine cabinet. We labored feverishly to retrieve the medication and finally succeeded on the way to the hospital.

Lily survived physically, but her self-esteem and confidence had died years earlier. The scars on her sad face symbolized the wounds on her adolescent heart.

Obviously, the inability to gain social acceptance is not merely an uncomfortable feeling among the young; such lack of self-esteem can actually extinguish the desire to go on living. Parents and teachers must be taught to recognize the early symptoms of personal despair during the tender, pliable years of childhood, and more importantly, what they can do about it.

**QUESTION:** I am hurt because my teen-ager seems to be ashamed to be seen with me. I gave birth to him and have nourished and devoted my entire life to him. Now, he's suddenly embarrassed to be seen with me, especially when his friends are around. Is this normal? Should I resist or accept it?

**DR. DOBSON:** You should understand that teen-agers are engulfed by a tremendous desire to be adults, and they resent anything which implies that they are children.

When they are seen with their "Mommy and Daddy" on a Friday night, for example, their humiliation is almost unbearable. They are not really ashamed of their parents; they are embarrassed by the adult-baby role that was more appropriate in prior years.

Though it is difficult for you now, you would do well to accept this healthy aspect of growing up without becoming defensive about it. Your love relationship with your child will be reestablished in a few years, although it will never be a parent-child phenomenon again.

These questions and answers are excerpted from the book *Dr. Dobson Answers Your Questions*. Dr. James Dobson is a psychologist, author and president of Focus on the Family, a nonprofit organization dedicated to the preservation of the home. Correspondence to Dr. Dobson should be addressed to: Focus on the Family, P.O. Box 444, Colorado Springs, CO 80903 (c), 1982, Tyndale House Publishers, Inc.

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## United Methodist Women meet for noon luncheon

The United Methodist Women met Feb. 8 for a noon luncheon with 22 members present. The Gospel Seekers' interest group served.

Pauline Merchant gave the Mission Minute. She read an article from the Methodist Messenger, entitled a perfect marriage.

Julie Claybaugh opened the business meeting with a reading from God's Little Measuring Book.

The January minutes were read and approved. Helen Rose gave a short treasurer report for Doris

Stipp who could not be present.

A thank you was read from Alice Wagner for gifts received at Christmas.

An invitation was read from the Norfolk First United Methodist Women inviting the unit to attend a Mission study entitled African Churches Speak to be held March 11 from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Rev. Main gave the program, entitled God's Valentine.

The next meeting will be held March 8 and will be a noon luncheon.

## Mom's Group to meet

The Wayne Mom's Group will meet Thursday, Feb. 16 at the First United Methodist Church in Wayne. The group will meet from 9:30 to 11 a.m. All area mothers are invited to attend.

This month's program will be "Children and Exercise." Wayne State College volleyball coach Sharon Vanis will be the guest speaker.

Child care will be provided at the

church. Mothers should check their children in at 9:15 a.m. There is a \$2 charge for children ages 2 and older with a \$1 charge for each additional child. The charge is \$3 for children under age 2. Infants and nursing babies are welcome to attend the meeting with their mothers.

Persons wishing additional information should call Mary Carstens at 375-3840.

## Briefly Speaking

### Meeting has been moved

WAYNE — The American Association of University Women International dinner which was originally to be at the Women's Club has been moved to the Methodist Church fellowship hall. It will be held Saturday evening, Feb. 18 at 6:30 p.m. Tickets may be purchased from members or phone Julia Slaymaker, 375-4547. Tickets are \$8 for adults and \$4 for children under 12.

### Birthday party is held

WAYNE — An 84th birthday party was held for Glen Gathje on Sunday, Feb. 12 at his home. Friends, neighbors and relatives attended the party hosted by his family.

### Acme Club meets with eight

WAYNE — Acme Club met Feb. 6 in the home of Betty Wittig with eight members present. Lu Hilton gave the program, showing and telling about her thimble collection.

The next meeting will be Feb. 20 with Lu Hilton as the hostess.

## Public invited to guest night

The Ponca Christian's Women's After Five Club invites the public to their February guest night, husbands are welcome. An evening out will be held on Monday, Feb. 20 from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Salem Lutheran Church in Ponca.

Special feature will be round up fashions. A western style show by Owl's Spring Western Store from Southern Square Mall in Sioux

City will be given. Music will be camp fire tunes from Jeff and Joan Taylor of Ponca.

Speaker will be David Nuss, sports enthusiast from Norfolk, on "Life's Game Plan."

Reservations and cancellations are appreciated and can be made by calling Grayce Lund in Allen at 635-2350.

## Card shower is planned

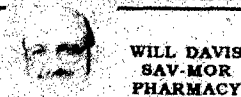
The family of Edna Blatchford of Wakefield is planning a card shower for her 90th birthday, which is Monday, Feb. 20.

The former Edna Curry, she married Robert Blatchford on Jan. 26, 1926. They lived near Ponca and Maskell until moving to Wakefield in 1944. Robert died in

1990. Her family includes her daughter and son-in-law, Joan and Richard Pospisil of Rogers, Ark. and her daughter, Jeanne Allison of Norfolk; four grandchildren; and four great grandchildren.

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## Wayne ends drought with four qualifiers

By Kevin Peterson  
Sports editor

The drought is over. The Wayne High wrestling team had four state qualifiers come out of the district wrestling tournament in Wisner, Saturday.

Jody Campbell, Dusty Jensen, Ryan Brown and Jeff Hamer will be the first Wayne grapplers to compete in the state tournament in three years. The annual state wrestling tournament will get underway on Thursday in Lincoln at the Bob Devaney Sports Center.

Wayne scored 84 points at districts and placed seventh. Albion breezed to the team championship with 203 points followed by the host Gators with 148 and Tekamah-Herman with 132. Neligh-Oakdale placed fourth with 101 and O'Neill was fifth with 100 while Logan View scored 97.5 for sixth.

West Point followed Wayne with 76 points while Columbus Lakeview tallied 67 for ninth. Battle Creek, Norfolk-Catholic, North Bend, Atkinson West Holt, Randolph/Laurel, Pierce and Plainview rounded out the field of teams in order.

"I thought our kids wrestled with a lot of desire and heart," Wayne coach John Murtaugh said. "We qualified four wrestlers out of eight and three others came with in one match of making it to state. I was very pleased with our effort."

Senior Jeff Hamer was crowned district champ in the 215 pound category which is an outstanding accomplishment in itself but when you consider what he went through just to get to districts, it's even more phenomenal.

Hamer suffered food poisoning on Thursday and was sick all night Thursday and early Friday but he regained his strength to compete on Friday night.

Hamer's first match lasted a grand total of 16 seconds before he won by pin and he won his quarterfinal match, 10-5. He notched an 11-6 win in the semifinals where he edged Wisner's Kevin Kramer, 4-3 for the title.

Hamer will take a 27-7 record into the state tournament where he'll face Minden's Chad Fries with a 20-8 record. Ironically, Fries used to live in Wayne and took part in the youth wrestling program under John Murtaugh's direction until his family moved to Minden when he was in the sixth grade.

Freshman Jody Campbell lost his first match at districts at 119

pounds but rebounded to win his next four matches following a bye to net a state tournament berth. Campbell will take a 14-17 record into Lincoln where he'll face Hershey's Jay Berryman in the first round who comes in with a 24-4 record as a senior.

Campbell lost his first district match, 11-1 but won by pin in his next match and won 6-2 the following match before pinning his way into the consolation medal round. Campbell edged Steve Nelson of O'Neill in overtime to place third.

Ryan Brown placed third at 185 pounds to earn a trip to the state tournament. Brown received a first round bye and notched a 12-2 win in the quarterfinals before losing by pin in the semis. Brown rebounded, however, to pin his next opponent and he won by injury default over Tekamah's Buck Rasmussen for third place.

Brown will take a 23-10 record in to the state tournament where he'll face St. Paul's Brent Thomas in the first round. Thomas was hurt most of the season but qualified with a 9-4 record as a senior.

Dusty Jensen finished fourth after winning by pin in his first round match at 172 pounds and he won by pin in his quarterfinal match to advance to the semifinals. Jensen lost by pin in the semis but bounced back to win 10-4 in the consolation finals before falling by

a 5-3 margin to Wisner's Neil Heckman, leaving Jensen with a fourth place finish.

Jensen will take a 24-12 record to the state tournament where he faces Valley's Mike Camenzind, a sophomore with a 23-3 record.

Tyler Endicott just missed his state tournament bid at 119 pounds, falling in his final match by a 5-0 margin. Endicott won his first two matches, 7-3 and 8-0 but lost 7-5 in the semifinals and 5-0 in a consolation round.

Jeremy Sturm was edged in his state tourney bid, 5-3 at 151 pounds in the second to last consolation round. Sturm received a first round bye and advanced to the semifinals with a pin in the quarterfinals before losing by pin in the semis.

Brent Geiger came with in two points of qualifying for state at 160 pounds, losing in the second to last consolation round, 7-5. Geiger lost by default in the first round and won 9-1 in the first consolation round before winning, 8-6 in the second consolation round and by pin in the third consolation round.

Anders Lundsgaard lost both of his district tournament matches at 126 pounds, losing by technical fall in the first round and by pin in the consolation round.

Wayne will be competing in its first round at state at 1 p.m., Thursday with quarterfinal action taking place at 8 p.m. the same night.



WAYNE WRESTLING coaches John Murtaugh and Aaron Schuett talk with Blue Devil 119-pounder Tyler Endicott after his first round win at the district tournament in Wisner, Friday night.

## Winside gals lose twice

The Winside girls basketball team closed out the regular basketball season schedule with contests at Osmond last Thursday and at Lindsay Holy Family, Friday.

Lisa Schroeder's crew was defeated in both games leaving the Wildcats with a 3-14 record heading into sub-district action, Monday night in Columbus against Clarkson.

At Osmond the Wildcats were defeated by a 48-42 margin after suffering a dismal first half. "We got off to a real slow start and dug ourselves a hole," Schroeder said. "We went into halftime trailing, 31-18."

Winside chipped away at the Osmond lead in the second half and had the margin cut to, two points at one point in the fourth quarter be-

fore falling by six.

Wendy Miller paced the Wildcats with 18 points while Mindi Marotz netted seven and Stacy Bowers, six. Melinda Mohr tallied three points and Jodi Miller, Sarah Painter, Ann Brugger and Tammy Thies each garnered two points.

Winside did win the battle of the boards, 46-44 led by Miller with eight, Marotz with seven and Mohr with six. Both teams suffered 19 turnovers and the Wildcats were 10 of 21 from the free throw line while the winners were 15 of 30.

Friday in Lindsay the Wildcats were beaten by 17 points, 60-43. Once again Winside suffered a slow start which spelled doom for the Wildcats. Winside trailed by a 36-19 margin at the half before playing

the second half even with the host team with both scoring 24 points.

"Turnovers and that familiar slow start did us in," Schroeder said. "We also gave up too many offensive rebounds which resulted in a lot of second chance points."

Wendy Miller garnered a team-high 12 points followed by Sarah Painter and Jodi Miller with nine apiece and Kristi Oberle with five. Mindi Marotz, Emily Deck, Stacy Bowers and Melinda Mohr each tallied two.

Winside was out-rebounded, 50-34 with Painter leading the 'Cats with eight caroms while Wendy Miller hauled down six. The Wildcats suffered 31 turnovers compared to 16 for Lindsay and Winside was 7-15 from the free throw line while the host team was 14-30.



WAYNE 160-POUNDER Aaron Geiger works over his Randolph opponent during the first period of Friday's district tournament in Wisner. Wayne ended a drought at the district tourney by qualifying four, for state.

## Garvin nets track award

Wayne's Brandon Garvin was on hand at the Nebraska Association of USA/Track & Field Awards Banquet, recently held at Offut Officer's Club in Omaha.

Garvin, a seventh grader at the Wayne Middle School was one of 29 athletes selected for the 1994 All-Nebraska Track & Field Team. He was selected for his accomplishments in the five state sanc-

tioned track & field meets last summer.

In these meets Brandon finished with four, first place efforts including a state championship and three runner-ups. Only three boys were awarded All-State honors from Brandon's age group.

Garvin represents the Northeast Nebraska Track Club. For more information on this track club contact

Terry Meyer at 375-1668; Pat Garvin, 375-4016 or Don Maryott, 375-2702 in the evenings.



Brandon Garvin

### Junior high grapplers dual Norfolk

WAYNE-The Wayne junior high wrestling team competed against Norfolk, recently with 47 total matches taking place with the locals winning 26. Josh Murtaugh, Darin Jensen, Jesse Reithwisch and Casey Junck each went 3-0 while Tim Zach, Robbie Sturm and Wes Sievers each went 2-0. Jay Endicott went 2-1 while Scott Reinhardt, Matt Munsell, Jack Dorcey, Craig Hefti and Brian Finn each went 1-1. Nick Salitros finished the day with a 1-2 mark.

Others competing but failing to win a match were: David Lindner, Craig Fredrickson, Dusty Smith, Brian Preston, Ryan Alleman and James Terhume.

## BOWLING AT MELODEE LANES

Senior Citizens Bowling	City League	Wednesday Night Owls
On Tuesday, Feb. 7 senior citizens bowled at Melodee Lanes with the Eldon Roberts team defeating the Don Sund team with scores of 6373-6202. High series and games were bowled by Don Sund, 566-226; Duane Creamer, 555-208; Warren Austin, 534-201; Richard Carmon, 533-194; Elsie Roberts, 522-202; Ray Murray, 516-183; Lee Tietjen, 508-180; Jack Brownell, 502-170.	W L Tom's Body Shop 22 2 Pabel Blue Ribbon 14 6 K.P. Conest 14 10 Grove Repair 15 9 Melodee Lanes 15 9 Olympic Fed 15 9 Wayne Vets Club 11 13 Stadium Sports 11 13 Black Knight 9 15 Paulson Conest. 5 19 Ghost 3 21	W L White Dog Pub 22 6 Melodee Lanes, 103-2999 18 5 Ghosts 18 10 Logan Valley Imp. 17 5 Wayne Herald 18 12 Wakelind Bowl 13 15 Pac-N-Save 13 15 Electrolux Sales 12 5 Max Lounge 11 17 Hokins Hig 10 5 Schelliey's Saloon 9 19 Behmer Conest. 7 21
On Thursday, Feb. 9th, 26 senior citizens bowled at Melodee Lanes with the Perry Johnson team defeating the Richard Carmon team with scores of 6564-6227. High series and games were bowled by Duane Creamer, 615-210-210; Warren Austin, 562-212; Myron Olson, 538-230; Dale Gutshall, 523-178; Richard Carmon, 511-182; Lee Tietjen, 510-175; Winton Wallin, 505-195.	High Scores: 31-ve McGinn, 222-658; Scott Burmwood, 202-205; Scott Metzler, 212-207; Kevin Maly, 203; Mark Gansabom, 214; Doug Rose, 233-212-214-659; Jim Maly, 225; Mark Strong, 201-222-603; James Johnson, 201; Bob Oobry, 217; Todd Oobry, 216; Pat Riesberg, 254-255-222.	High Scores: Rick Blacue, 253; Doug Rose, 674; Melodee Lanes, 103-2999; Kevin L. Marotz, 223; Joel Arkeny, 215; Scott Waters, 212; Bob Browne, 212; Jerel Council, 207; Jeff Flood, 294-807; Randy Bargholz, 200; Derek Hill, 201; Sparky Warren, 209; Steve McLagan, 204; Rick Ocius, 212-640; Gary Volk, 211; Clark Cull, 204; Kevin Peters, 203; David Claussen, 201; Sean Spann, 223; Wade Luther, 232; Chris Lueters, 205; Bob Oobry, 203; Scott Metzler, 226; Pat Riesberg, 212; Darrel Metzler, 209; Larry Echtenkamp, 225-603; Joel Jones, 205; Kirk Wacker, 209; Tom Schmitz, 215; Dale Topp, 211; Doug Rose, 246-246.
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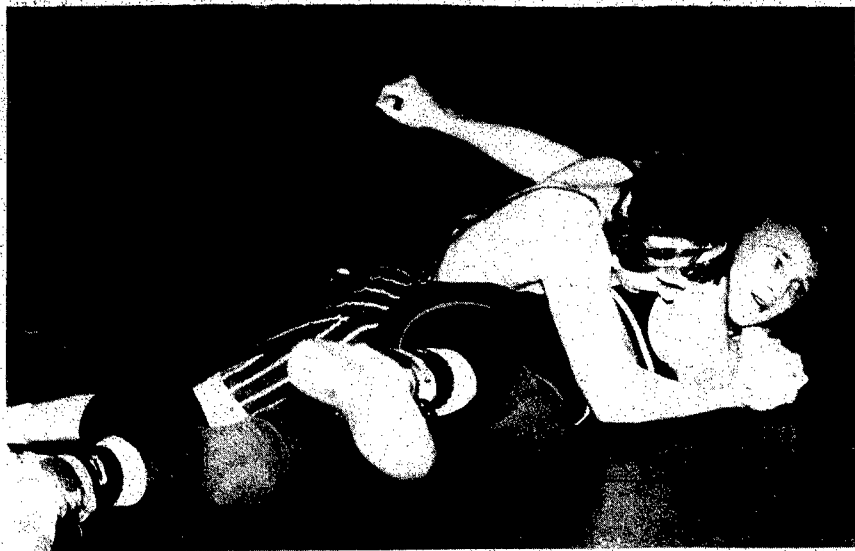
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AT LEFT, SCOTT Jacobsen puts the finishing touches on Cory McManigal in the semifinals while Jason Wylie, above, looks for the takedown against West Point Central Catholic's Mike Schlickbernd in his semifinal match during the district tournament at Winside, Saturday. The Wildcats placed fourth and qualified five for the state tourney.

## Winside qualifies five for State

By Kevin Peterson  
Sports editor

Winside wrestling coach Paul Sok was not overly impressed with his team's effort at Tuesday's sub-districts in Oakland but the Wildcat mentor was very proud of his team's effort in the district tournament, Saturday in Winside after five of the seven grapplers qualified for state.

Winside had eight qualify for the district tournament but 172-pound senior Lonnie Grothe was unable to wrestle because of the flu.

Two of the five state qualifiers from Winside will go into the state tournament as district champs and another as a runner-up. Freshman 106-pounder Justin Bowers dominated his weight class and will take a 27-7 record to Lincoln where he'll face Dusty Beck of Friend who

sports a 23-7 record.

Bowers defeated Josh Long of Bennington, 9-2 in the district finals. Scott Jacobsen was the other district champion at 126 pounds. Jacobsen defeated Mark Dietz of

Elgin, 8-3 in the district finals. Ironically, Dietz is the same kid Jacobsen beat two years ago in the state championship finals at 103 pounds.

It wasn't Scott's finals match that drew most of the senior's attention but his semifinal match with Creighton's Cory McManigal. Jacobsen trailed by four points in

the final minute of the third period when he scored two points on a takedown and three points on a nearfall to win the match by one point and advance to the finals.

"It was the same way Scott beat

him earlier this year," Sok said. "He trailed in the third period then put him (McManigal) in a headlock and scored the win. Scott did a good job of wrestling up to his capability throughout the district tournament," Sok added.

Jacobsen will take a 30-6 record into the state tournament where he'll face Lincoln Christian's Shane Boss, a senior with a 16-10 record,

Jason Wylie placed runner-up at 119 pounds, losing to Oakland's Del Hawkins in the finals by a 14-6 margin. Wylie also came from behind to win his semifinal match.

"Jason seems to be taken out of his element when he gets on the mat with Del Hawkins," Sok said. "I'm

not sure what it is." At any rate, Wylie wrestled very well at districts and will take a 30-5 record to state

where he'll face Blue Hill senior Jeremy Obermiller with an 18-10 record.

Lucas Mohr qualified for state with a third place finish at districts at 142 pounds. Mohr's only loss came against district champion Kurt Bohaboj of Howells. Mohr did gain some revenge at this district meet including a first round pin of a kid who beat him last week.

Mohr defeated Scott Borer of Elgin Pope John in the consolation finals for third place, 9-2. He will take a 33-9 record to the state tournament where he'll face Cam Miller of Garden County, a junior with a

19-14 record.

Josh Jaeger is the fifth grappler going to state for Winside and Jaeger may have had the strongest weight class of any Class D district with several rated wrestlers competing for the four qualifying spots.

"The 134-pound weight class was a stacked one," Sok said. "There are some state qualifiers from a year ago that aren't returning." Jaeger defeated the Elkhorn Valley wrestler who beat pinned him at Battle Creek, but he lost in the consolation finals to Matt Jenkinson of Creighton, 5-4. Jaeger lost in the semis to highly ranked

Garrett Glass of Fremont Bergan.

Jaeger will take a 30-10 record to state where he'll have to wrestle top ranked and undefeated Kenny Nordhues of Greeley who's bidding to become the first wrestler to win four gold medals in the state of Nebraska in 75 years—a feat his cousin Donny is also attempting to do at 126 pounds.

Shawn Magwire wrestled at 160 pounds for Winside and went 1-2 in districts while Jeff Jacobsen lost both his matches at 112 pounds, Saturday. The Wildcats will compete at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday in the first round of state competition. Quarterfinals are slated for 6 p.m. the same night.

## Devils split games

The Wayne boys basketball team had sixth-ranked Madison on the ropes last Friday on the Dragons home court but the Blue Devils could not deliver the knock out punch and Madison came from 12 points behind in the third quarter to defeat Rocky Ruhl's squad, 69-66.

Wayne rebounded on Saturday in the season home finale with a 53-51 victory over Hooper-Logan View.

At Madison, Wayne led 13-9 after one quarter of play and 34-25 at the half. "We suffered a couple turnovers against their press in the third quarter and we weren't patient on offense," Ruhl said. "When we broke the press our guys seemed to be in a hurry to shoot the ball. We just didn't take good care of the basketball."

Wayne did a good job in the first

half of forcing Madison into foul trouble but the Blue Devils did not take advantage of that in the second half. "They had three starters with three fouls in the first half and all three played the whole second half," Ruhl said. "We didn't take it to them to force that fourth foul early."

Paul Blomenkamp led Wayne with 22 points while Joe Lutt poured in 19 and Ryan Pick tossed in 18. Andy Witkowski finished with three while Ryan Martin and Erik Wiseman rounded out the scoring with two each.

Wayne easily out-rebounded the host team, 31-21 with Blomenkamp hauling down a game-high 14 caroms but the Blue Devils suffered 20 turnovers compared to 13 for Madison.

Wayne was 24 of 29 from the

free throw line compared to 11 of 21 shooting from the charity stripe by the Dragons.

SATURDAY, WAYNE appeared to be cruising to an easy victory after taking a 33-25 halftime lead and increasing that in the third quarter before Logan View mounted a rally which nearly ended up netting them the win at the buzzer.

"We just seemed like we shut it off after we appeared to be cruising," Ruhl said. "The game was tied at 51, late before Ryan Pick hit a pair of free throws. Logan View came down and missed a shot and we got the rebound and we were fouled right away."

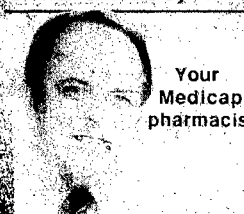
"We missed the front end of the one-and-one and Logan View went for the win with a 3-pointer but missed at the buzzer," Ruhl added. The Wayne mentor felt his team had an emotional letdown playing the night after a tough game with Madison.

Ryan Pick paced the Blue Devils with 20 points with Joe Lutt tossing in 13 and Andy Witkowski, eight. Paul Blomenkamp was held to six and Shawn Noite notched four while Jason Carr rounded out the attack with two.

The Blue Devils out-rebounded the visitors, 27-15 with Pick leading the way with eight caroms. Wayne had 13 turnovers and Logan View, 12 and the Blue Devils were 7-12 from the foul line while Logan View was 7-15.

The 7-11 Blue Devils will close out their regular season schedule in Pierce, Friday.

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## WSC gals split with Mustangs; Mt. Marty

The Wayne State women's basketball team split a pair of games in Rice Auditorium on Saturday and Monday with an 83-74 win over Mt. Marty on Monday and a 61-43 setback to Southwest State of Minnesota, Saturday.

In Monday's game the host team improved to 14-10 with the nine-point win. WSC led 43-35 at the half and out-scored the visitors, 40-39 in the second stanza.

Amy Brodersen led the winners with 19 points followed by Deb Kostreba with 16 and Susie Osborn with 14. Marla Stewart was also in double figures with 11 and Lori Zeimetz was close with nine while Danyel Grammer and Mindi Jensen tallied four each.

Deedra Haskins finished with three points and Julie Heine netted two while Kara McLarty rounded out the attack with a free throw. WSC dominated the boards, 50-37 led by Osborn with 12 caroms and Kostreba with nine while Zeimetz hauled down eight.

Brodersen dished out a team-high six assists and Jensen notched four assists but the game was marred by 61 total turnovers with WSC suffering 30. Osborn also blocked five shots while Brodersen and Kostreba each netted three steals. The only major stat that Mt. Marty won was free throw shooting as they connected on 19 of 22 attempts while

WSC was 20-29.

SATURDAY, THE Cats suffered their lowest point total of the season as Southwest State held them to 43. WSC trailed by just four points at the half, 26-22 but was out-scored in the second half, 35-21.

The host team managed just 31 percent field goal shooting for the game, 18-59 while hitting only six of 14 free throws. Amy Brodersen led the Cats with 17 points while Mindi Jensen netted a dozen.

Deb Kostreba was held below her average with seven points and Lori Zeimetz tallied four while Danyel Grammer and Susie Osborn rounded out the scoring with two and one points, respectively.

All-American candidate Lillie Brown of Southwest State scored 22 including a 14 of 16 outing from the free throw line. The Cats did out-rebound the Mustangs, 44-42 led by Zeimetz and Brodersen with seven caroms each.

WSC committed 21 turnovers in the game compared to 17 for Southwest State. The visitors were 23 of 32 from the foul line and they hit 35 percent of their field goal attempts.

The Cats will play at Briar Cliff on Wednesday before returning home to host Minnesota-Morris, Saturday.

### Winside boys fall to Lindsay

WINSIDE-The Winside boys basketball team fell to 3-14 following a 71-61 setback at Lindsay Holy Family last Friday night. Bill Koolstra's team was a little slow getting started as the host team built a 15-9 lead after one quarter. The margin of deficit grew by just one in the second stanza, 32-25 and Lindsay pretty much put the game on ice in the third quarter as they led by 15, 56-41 with eight minutes to go.

"The two keys to the game was rebounding and transition defense," Koolstra said. "Our transition defense was very poor, especially in the second half. We got hammered on the boards as well, 47-34."

Koolstra said playing three games in four days may have had an impact on the intensity and focus level of his team. Jamey Holdorf and Chad O'Connor shared team honors for the Wildcats with 14 points each while Jay Shelton scored a dozen.

Jeff Bruggeman tallied eight and Greg Mundil netted seven while Colby Jensen finished with six. Shelton had 10 rebounds to lead the Wildcats and Holdorf hauled down seven from his guard position.

Winside turned the ball over 21 times compared to 18 for Lindsay and the Wildcats were 12-16 from the free throw line while the winners were 12-15. Winside will close out its regular season schedule on Friday when they play at Newcastle.

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# Fitzner sets 3-point record

The Wayne State men's basketball team improved to 12-10 with an 82-64 victory over Southwest State of Marshall, Minnesota Saturday night in Wayne.

Greg McDermott's squad did not look overly impressive in the first half as the visiting Mustangs, winners of just one game on the season against 20 losses, trailed WSC by just two points at the half, 38-36.

In all fairness to Southwest State, its lone win came just three days earlier against Bemidji State on a last second 3-pointer—the same team WSC defeated by 46 a week ago.

"They (S.W. State) came in here with just one win but that win came in their last game so they were confident and they played well," McDermott said. "We didn't feel we played as well as we could have in the first half but I was pleased that we were able to step it

up in the second half."

Speaking of stepping it up, an old basketball adage states that if you're ever in a shooting slump the only thing you can do is shoot your way out and for sophomore Mike Fitzner that adage rang true.

Fitzner had been struggling from the 3-point arc but the transfer from North Dakota University caught fire from long distance on Saturday night and when the flames were put out at the game's end, he had rewritten the WSC record books by sinking nine, 3-pointers.

The old mark was eight by Chad West of O'Neill in 1991. Fitzner needed just 15 attempts to break the mark. "I was notified with about three minutes to go in regulation by the sports information staff that Mike only needed one more 3-pointer to tie the mark and two, to break the mark," McDermott said.

"We put him back in for a couple more shots and he broke it with just 13 seconds left in the game."

Fitzner is one of two players that left North Dakota to play for Greg McDermott when he took over the Wildcat helm. "One of the reasons I transferred is because I knew the coaching staff," Fitzner said. "I also wanted to see more playing time and I knew that by coming here that would be possible and I've really enjoyed it here."

Fitzner said the season's been a lot of fun so far and despite going through a recent shooting slump he knows his role. "The coaches really kept on me and encouraged me to keep shooting the ball because they said that was my role and so I really never lost any confidence," Fitzner said.

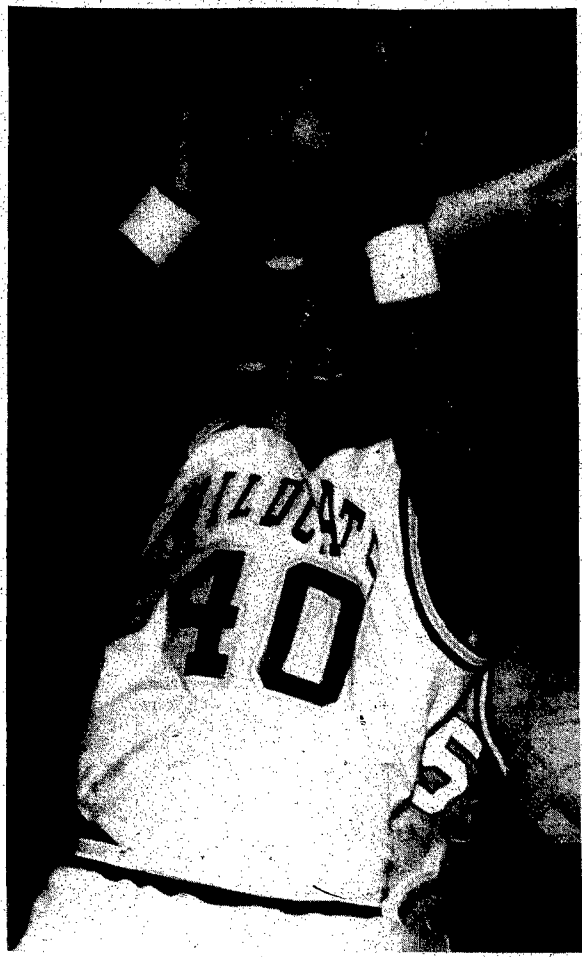
Dan Anderson followed Fitzner's record setting performance with 19 points and Greg Ryan tallied 11

while Kyle White finished with 10. Billy Patterson finished with four points and Omar Clark netted three while Curt Woodin garnered two.

The 'Cats dominated the boards, 37-17 led by Anderson's seven caroms while Ryan and Woodin hauled down five each. Patterson dished out a game-high seven assists and Fitzner notched four assists while nabbing four steals.

Both teams took good care of the basketball with just nine turnovers apiece and both teams shot over 50 percent from the field with the 'Cats hitting 29 of 54 shots for 54 percent while the Mustangs connected on 27 of 53 attempts from the field for 51 percent.

WSC will travel to play Briar Cliff on Wednesday before returning home to host Minnesota-Morris on Saturday.



WAYNE STATE'S Dan Anderson gets an offensive rebound and putback during second half action of the Wildcats win over Southwest State, Saturday. Anderson scored 19 points as the 'Cats improved to 12-10.

## Allen girls set scoring record

The Allen girls basketball team played at home on Friday and Saturday night to close out their regular season schedule before sub-district action for the Lady Eagles gets underway on Tuesday night in Homer.

Lori Koester and Gary Erwin's squad defeated both Beemer on Friday and Winnebago on Saturday and the final regular season game will go into the record books at Allen as the Eagles soared to an all-time best by scoring 100 points.

The century mark came with about 20 seconds remaining with Wendy Schroeder doing the honors. The 15-5 Eagles came out running against Winnebago and combined with the fact the visitors didn't have anyone that really matched up well with Allen spelled trouble.

The Eagles raced to a 23-8 lead after one quarter of play and a 48-23 halftime cushion. Allen scored 21 points in the third quarter compared to five for Winnebago and the Eagles tallied 31 in the final period to win by 63, 100-37.

"I guess the thing that really pleased us as coaches was our intensity for all four quarters," Koester said. "We need to keep that intensity for 32 minutes every outing."

Five Allen players finished in double figures led by Abbey Schroeder with 23 and Tanya Plueger with 20. Mindy Plueger scored a career-high 18 and Jaime Mitchell tossed in 14 while Shanyn Moran tallied 11. Deb Plueger garnered five points and Amanda Mitchell finished with three while Holly Blair and Jaime Kluever netted two apiece.

Allen out-rebounded the visitors, 33-21 led by Tanya Plueger with nine caroms and the Eagles had only 10 turnovers while forcing 16. Allen was 14 of 23 from the free throw line compared to five of 12 shooting by Winnebago.

Friday night the Eagles out-scored Beemer, 18-0 in the first quarter en route to a convincing 52-20 victory. Allen led 29-9 at the half and then out-scored the visitors, 14-2 in the third quarter for a

43-11 cushion.

"I just can't say enough about our defense," Koester said. "It was a complete team effort on that end." Abbey Schroeder and Tanya Plueger once again shared team scoring honors with 17 apiece while Jaime Mitchell and Holly Blair scored six each. Mindy Plueger, Deb Plueger and Amanda Mitchell each netted two.

The Eagles dominated the boards, 39-26 led by Mitchell with 11 rebounds. Both teams had 13 turnovers and Allen was 6-11 from the foul line while Beemer was 6-13.

The Eagles will play Walthill in the first round of sub-districts on Tuesday.

**DOUG SCHNACK'S** Allen boys fell to 0-16 on the season after a disappointing 53-34 setback to Beemer on Friday. The Eagles suffered their lowest point total of the year just three days after scoring a season high 82 against Macy.

The Eagles actually led 16-15 at the half as both defenses shined but Allen was shut out in the third quarter while the visitors tallied 16.

"We did a good job for three quarters," Schnack said. "We just couldn't get the ball to go in the hole in the third quarter. We had some trouble with Beemer's half-court trap but we got our shots, we just missed them."

Davis Miner and Michael Blohm each scored eight to lead the Eagles while Craig Philbrick, Josh Snyder and Scott Williams each netted six. Beemer edged Allen on the boards, 20-19 with Miner leading Allen with six caroms while Blohm hauled down five.

The Eagles had 10 turnovers in the game—the majority coming in the third quarter and Beemer finished with just seven turnovers. Allen was perfect, however, from the free throw line in 10 attempts while Beemer was 8-15.

Allen will close out its regular season schedule on Friday at Winnebago before playing Macy in the first round of sub-districts next Monday in Homer.

## Laurel teams split with Neligh

The Laurel girls and boys basketball teams split a double-header with Neligh-Oakdale last Friday night with Rick Petri's girls falling by a 41-35 margin while Clayton Steele's boys won, 59-43.

It was the final regular season game for the girls who slipped to 10-9. Neligh led 10-6 after the first quarter and 22-14 at the intermission before taking a 35-22 lead into the fourth period.

Laurel mounted a rally in the fourth quarter but could get no closer than the final margin of six points. On paper, one would think the Bears won this game as they out-rebounded Neligh, had less turnovers and made more free throws but the bottom line was field goal percentage.

"We couldn't hit our shots on our own home floor," Petri said. "We were 13 of 57 for the game which is less than 33 percent. We actually got 19 offensive rebounds but couldn't convert that into second chance points."

Laurel even forced 10 turnovers in the final stanza but that just translated into three buckets. Becky Schroeder led the Bears with a dozen points while Alissa Krie, Tracy Ankeny and Cathy Mohr tallied five each. Gina Monson scored four and Megan Adkins added three while Heather Cunningham finished with a free throw.

The Bears edged Neligh on the boards, 36-34 with Schroeder hauling down a game-high 12 rebounds while Adkins had eight and Krie, seven. Laurel committed 17 turnovers but forced 25 and the Bears were 8-13 from the foul line compared to 7 of 17 shooting by Neligh.

**THE LAUREL** boys sprinted to a 9-0 lead on Neligh and never looked back despite having the visitors put the gap to one point early in the second period.

The Bears took a 28-12 lead into

the locker room at the intermission and put the game away for good in the third quarter after building a 44-22 lead.

"We got to breaking pretty well," Steele said. "We also played pretty fare defense for the most part so I was pleased with our effort." Cody Carstensen and Jared Reinoehl shared team honors with 18 points each while Jeremy Reinoehl added

12. Rich Rasmussen tossed in six and Shane Schuster tallied three while Kyle Macklin scored two.

The Bears won the battle of the boards, 34-21 with Jeremy Reinoehl leading the way with 10 caroms. Laurel was 3-6 from the foul line and the visitors were 4-6. The Bears will close out their regular season schedule on Friday when they visit Leigh.

Laurel will be the top seed at the sub-district tournament next Monday in Crofton and the Bears will play Randolph at 6:30 p.m. with Hartington and Osmond to play immediately after.

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### Wayne freshman go 2-2

WAYNE-The Wayne freshman boys basketball team went 2-2 in a span of 40 hours between Thursday and Saturday. Duane Blomenkamp's crew lost at Norfolk Catholic, 39-34 last Thursday but rebounded to beat Madison on Friday night, 56-43.

Justin Thede led Wayne against Norfolk Catholic with 10 points while David Ensz scored seven and Adam Endicott chipped in six. Chris Dyer finished with five while Matt Meyer, Ryan Sturm and Brad Maryott netted two each.

Against Madison, Thede poured in 18 to lead the winners while Endicott tossed in 10 and Meyer, nine. Ensz, Dyer and Maryott added six apiece and Sturm finished with one.

Saturday, the freshman played at the NAC freshman tournament in Hartington with Wayne placing third. The Blue Devils were edged by O'Neill on a last second shot in the first round, 43-42.

Justin Thede led Wayne with 13 points and Matt Meyer added eight while David Ensz netted six. Ryan Sturm and Jamar Lewis each added five and Chris Dyer scored three while Adam Endicott closed out the scoring with two.

Blomenkamp said his crew was up by five in the final minute of regulation but was unable to maintain the advantage. The Blue Devils came back to win the consolation round with a 45-35 win over Cedar Catholic as Ensz led the way with nine points while Thede and Meyer netted eight each. Dyer and Sturm scored seven apiece and Endicott tallied four while Jamar Lewis rounded out the attack with two.

The 8-4 freshman will play in the City Auditorium on Thursday at 5:15 p.m. against Ponca before closing out the season on Friday in Pierce.

### Wayne to play Logan View again

WAYNE-The Wayne Blue Devils boys basketball team will play Hooper-Logan View in the first round of sub-districts next Monday night in South Sioux at 8:00. The winner will play the winner of West Point and Tekamah-Herman on Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. at the same place. The sub-district champions will play at Wayne State for the district championship on Tuesday, Feb. 28 at 7:30 p.m.

### Wayne Wrestler of the Week

**Brian Campbell**  
Brian is the son of Terry and Patricia Campbell. His activities include: Football and Wrestling. When asked what he likes about wrestling, Brian replies, "Wrestling is one of the few sports where you are by yourself when you compete. But it is also a team sport." Coach Murtaugh's comments: "Brian gained a lot of valuable experience this year which will allow him to step up to the varsity level next year and make a significant contribution."



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## TRINITY LUTHERAN LADIES AID-LWMS

The Trinity Lutheran Ladies Aid-LWMS met at the school library on Feb. 2. The meeting opened with a hymn and all took part in presenting the topic, "Sounds of Salvation in Bulgaria," written by the Rev. Dan Kelm.

Robyn Nelson led in the Bible study on John 15 entitled "Growth."

Jeanie Marotz, president, conducted the business meeting. Members responded to roll call with a scripture verse taken from the Book of Proverbs.

The secretary and treasurer reports were read and approved. Correspondence was read and a letter also was read from Mr. and Mrs. Nick Laper, who are serving in the Mission Field in Malawi.

Committee reports were given. The visiting committee for February is Lucille Marten and Robyn Nelson. Pat Brudigan will have charge of church visitors notes. Lucille Marten read a report from the LWMS and announced the

Spring Rally will be held in Sioux City on April 22.

The Aid-LWMS will have charge of the coffee hour following Lenten services on March 1.

The birthday song was sung for Elsie Hinzman, Jeanie Marotz and Marguerite Wagner.

The meeting closed with a hymn, the Lord's Prayer and table prayer. Pat Brudigan was hostess.

The next meeting will be on March 2 at the school library.

## ZION LUTHERAN LADIES AID-LWML

The Zion Lutheran Ladies Aid-LWML held their annual family day and potluck dinner and meeting on Feb. 2.

Pastor Peter Cage conducted the devotion, "The Presentation of Jesus." Diane Koepke, Christian growth chairman, had the Mite Box devotion, "Hands Are Beautiful." For roll call, members paid five cents to the Penny Pot if they had purchased their Valentines and 10 cents if not.

The secretary and treasurer reports were read and approved. The card committee reported on cards

and the past month. It was announced the LWML Spring Rally will be held at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Tilden on April 18.

The Altar Guild for February is Donna Mae Kruger and Dorothy Koepke. Flower committee is Diane Koepke and LaVerda Kruger.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Elaine Ehlers, Inez Freeman and Hilda Hamm were in charge of entertainment. Ten point pitch was played, with prizes going to Donna Mae Kruger, Joyce Saegbarth, Diane Koepke, Iva Robinson, Bernice Luebe and LaVerda Kruger.

Diane Koepke and Inez Freeman

were honored for their birthdays.

Acting hostesses Iva Robinson and Bernice Luebe served cake and coffee at the close of the afternoon.

The next regular meeting will be on March 2.

## PEACE DORCAS SOCIETY

The Peace Dorcas Society met on Feb. 2. Lorraine Wesely, president, gave the welcome. Pastor Olin Belt had the opening prayer, followed by group singing of the hymn, "Breathe on Me, Breath of God." Members answered roll call with a scripture verse. The secretary and treasurer reports were read and approved.

Several cheer cards were sent and an anniversary card was sent to Bill and Helen Wohlfel, who are observing their 65th wedding anniversary. Nona Wittler was honored with the birthday song.

Quilt blocks, to be embroidered, were handed out to members.

Christine Lueker and Lorraine Wesely, program leaders, led in presenting a lesson, "Living Waters of Renewal."

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Nona Wittler was hostess. The next meeting will be on March 2.

## HOSKINS SENIORS

The Hoskins Seniors met at the fire hall on Jan. 31. Grace Penske was coffee chairman. The afternoon was spent playing 10 point pitch, with prizes going to Elsie Hinzman, Marsha Behmer and Lucille Krause. A cooperative lunch was served.

The next meeting will be on Feb. 14. Elsie Hinzman will be in charge of arrangements.

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Wednesday, Feb. 15: Peace Golden Fellowship, Rev. and Mrs. Olin Belt.

Thursday, Feb. 16: Get-to-Gether Club; Lois Strate.

# Health professional students attend workshop

Thirty-one students from Chadron State College and Wayne State College attended the second annual Winter Workshop program held recently at the University of Nebraska Medical Center.

The 14 students from Wayne State and 17 from Chadron State all hope to attend UNMC and become health professionals after they complete their undergraduate education.

Susanna Von Essen, M.D., assistant professor of pulmonary medicine and critical care, coordinated the six-day event which focused on rural health and farm safety. Students attended lectures, followed health professionals at work and presented research projects while at UNMC.

"The Winter Workshop has become an anticipated special event for both the students and staff," Dr.

Von Essen said. "The ultimate goal is to pique the interest of these students and get them involved in rural health matters now and in the future. Ultimately, seeing these students become health professionals in their rural hometowns would be terrific."

Nebraska, like many rural states, faces a shortage of doctors, nurses and other medical professionals in counties with smaller populations.

The W.K. Kellogg Foundation, through the Nebraska Rural Health and Safety Coalition, financed the event. In addition to meeting with several UNMC faculty members, students attended a seminar on first-responder emergency medicine and spoke with a farm accident victim.

"Getting students out of the classroom setting is important," Dr. Von Essen said. "When they eventually practice, the work is going to involve taking care of people who work on farms and ranches."

Students attending from Wayne State were Albion - Jennifer Krohn, Cairo - Shannon Karr, Elkhorn - Kristy Ferris, Fullerton - Kevin Whited, Gibbon - David Priebe, Hubbard - Nicole Anderson, Hyannis - Cynthia Kraus, Norfolk - Stacy Fairbanks, North Bend - Amy Settles, Osmond - Lori Reed, Plattsmouth - Jenny Bell, Shuyler - Alisha Vodehnal, Wakefield - Maria Eaton and Wayne - Thomas Homan. In addition Brant Luebbe from Pierce was among the students who attended from Chadron State.

# Professor elected to state board

Sayre Andersen, associate professor of English at Wayne State College, has been elected to a second three-year term to the Nebraska Humanities Council, a volunteer program funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities.

The Council's main purpose is to promote and encourage the enhancement of humanities in Nebraska. One of its primary roles is to fund programming in the

humanities all across the state. It reviews program proposals and determines whether a given proposal should receive funding, according to Andersen.

"One of the central themes of the Council has been to encourage multicultural programming," says Andersen. "The Council offers workshops for teachers to help them broaden their curriculum to include multicultural education."

Andersen says he has enjoyed

working on the Council board during his first term and is proud to be on the board for a second term.

"It's an honor to serve on the board, and to have the privilege of helping to direct and select humanities programming for the entire state," says Andersen.

Andersen, who has been a Wayne State faculty member since 1970, earned his bachelor and master of arts degrees from the University of Illinois.

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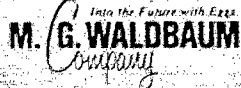
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NOTICE OF MEETING

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Table listing delinquent tax payers for 1993, including names, addresses, and amounts owed. Includes sections for Wayne County Treasurer's Office and various tax districts.

WINSIDE BOARD OF EDUCATION PROCEEDINGS

The Winside Board of Education met in its regular February meeting on Monday, February 6, 1995 at 7:30 p.m. in the library of the Elementary School.

LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA. CASE NO. 7742. MARJORIE C. MANLEY, Plaintiff, vs. WALTER F. MANLEY, et al., Defendants.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of Wayne Veterans Association Cemetery Board of Wayne, Nebraska will be Friday, February 17, 1995 at 8:00 p.m.

CITY OF WAYNE STATEMENT OF REVENUES & EXPENDITURES

Financial statement for the City of Wayne for August 1, 1994 through January 31, 1995. Includes categories like Fund General, Transfer Station, Electric, Sewer, Water, etc.

WAYNE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 7, 1995, in the Courthouse meeting room.

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