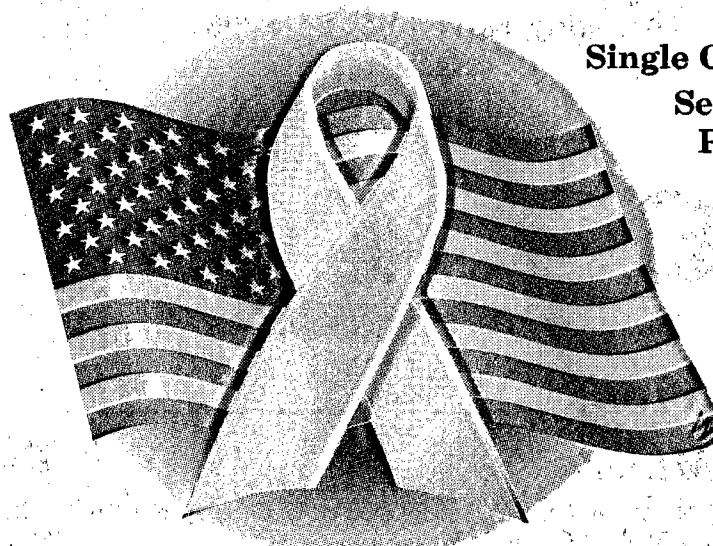


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Thankful

Area residents are taking time this week to give thanks for their blessings and reflect on events of the past year. Above, the altar area of the First United Methodist Church was the backdrop for the annual Community Thanksgiving Service and Soup and Pie Supper on Sunday. The Herald Staff wishes all its readers a happy and safe Thanksgiving weekend.

Annual Elizabethan Christmase Feastes to be presented Dec. 2-4

The Wayne State College Madrigal Singers will present the 34th annual Elizabethan Christmase Feastes on the Wayne State College campus on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 2, 3 and 4, in the Frey Conference Suite in the Student Center on the Wayne State College campus. Another especially interesting feature of the program is the strolling carolers segment in which singers pass by the tables in the hall while singing. Another part of the evening's festivities eagerly anticipated by the skit or play. This year the students will perform "The Changing of the Guard," or, "The Guarding of the Change," written by Paul Brandvik.



The Wayne State Madrigals and their director, Dr. Ron Lofgren, pose during a recent dress rehearsal as they prepare for the annual Christmase Feastes.

These presentations feature a blend of music, pageantry, and theater that have been delighting audiences since 1972, when the Feastes were begun by Cornell Runestad. In his words, the dinners are centered "on the sumptuous holiday revelry that took place in Renaissance England during the reign of Queen Elizabeth I." The festivities include well-known English Christmas traditions such as the hanging of the greens, decking the hall, the Yule log, and the boar's head processional. The singers are garbed in 16th-century costumes, as are jesters, a page, and the herald trumpeter whose ringing fanfares announce each new event.

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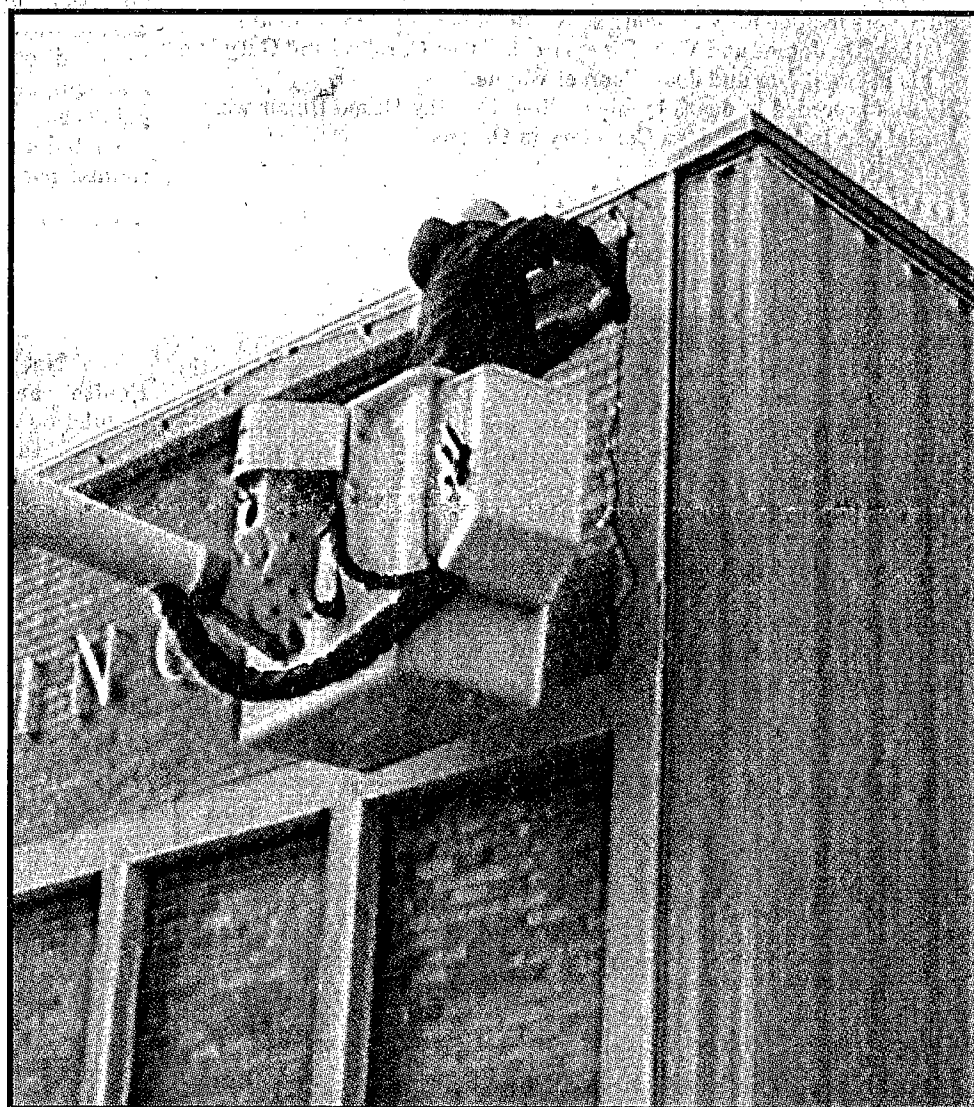
Maggie. On Sunday, Ladye Lori Carollo, Executive Director of the Northeast Nebraska Chapter of the American Red Cross, and Lord John will be honored. Since the dinners began the WSC Madrigal Singers have given close to 300 performances. They have toured Europe eight times in addition to Mexico and Canada. They have presented dinners in England and Wales and performed in the Pantheon and St. Peter's Basilica in Rome. In May 1992, this group, together with the WSC Concert Choir, presented concerts in Berlin, Prague, Hannover, and in Bach's own church, the Tomaskirche, in Leipzig. In 2000 the Singers toured Russia on a

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Northeast Nebraska Public Power District announces freeze on rates through 2006

At their regular meeting on Nov. 22, the Board of Directors of Northeast Nebraska Public Power District (NNPPD) voted to hold retail electric rates steady through the end of 2006. Rates were last adjusted in early 2003 and with this vote, the board intends no rate increase before January of 2007. Mark Shults, General Manager of the NNPPD, added, "The rate increase in 2003 was needed because of an increase in the cost of wholesale power, but we were able to absorb the increase in wholesale power cost in 2005. We are seeing dramatic increases in the cost of truck fuel, wire and poles due to this year's hurricanes and steady cost increases for labor and supplies."

Shults added that everyone at the power district is making a contribution to hold down costs and improve efficiency. Since 2003, the Board has steadily funded improvements to the electric system, which has included the building of three new substations, upgrading five more substations, building miles of new line and modernizing the truck fleet and facilities. The Board did feel it appropriate to increase the rental charges for private leased lighting to offset a deficit between the revenue from such lights and the growing costs of maintenance. This increase represents about \$45,000 a year in new revenue, compared to the \$12.3 million in total annual revenues for the District as a whole.



Getting ready

City workers in Wayne took advantage of the nice weather early this week to check the Christmas lights on downtown businesses. They also put up decorations on the Main Street light poles.

Actors are recognized at Conference One-Act festival

Four Wayne High School actors were recognized for outstanding performances at the Mid-State Conference One-Act Festival held at Johnny Carson Theatre in Norfolk, on Nov. 14. Miranda Kietzmann, Deniz Rudin, and Carly Wacker were named outstanding performers in Wayne High's production of "Prometheus" by Linda Appelblatt Barnes. Senior Ryan Lewon received special recognition as the outstanding actor for the festival, continuing the Blue Devils' tradition of strong performances at the annual festival.

Buryanek, Jessica Volk, Adam Wert, Brittni Sprouls, Jon Eberhardt, and Cacy Bouck. Juniors in the show include Liz Baier, Megan Powell, Megan Kardell, Deniz Rudin, Kel Gahagan, Tim Schaefer, and Corissa Arickx. Sophomores in the show are Erin Zink, Brooke Stowater, Hailey Hintz, Jordan Eberhardt, Brett Dorsey, Vanessa Topete, Renae Allemann, Eric Carstens, Jennifer Holm, Owen Rickner, Heidi Garvin, Ayla Ebbeka, Abby Kenny, Liz Lofgren, Brooke Miller, McKenzie Stauffer, Ashley Kudrna, Stephanie Neuarth, and Melissa Heggemeyer. Genelle Gardner, Andrea Wert, McKenzie Sommerfeld, and John Mrsny are the freshmen cast members.

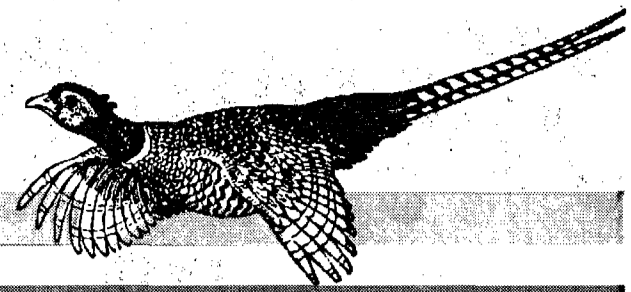
The public will have a chance to see "Prometheus" performed at the F.R. Haun Lecture Hall on Monday evening, November 28, 2005. Tickets for the 8 p.m. show are available at the door. Adult admission is \$4. Students are \$2. The team will also perform on Friday, Dec. 2, at Wayne State College's Ramsey Theater in district competition as it attempts to win its third consecutive district championship.

First hearing held at Wayne County Court in bomb scare case

First hearing appearances were held in Wayne County Court on Monday afternoon for two Wayne Middle School students. One 12-year-old boy admitted the allegations in the juvenile petition that he had written and placed a note in the school on Nov. 2, 2005, that a bomb had been placed in the school. Judge Riley scheduled a disposition hearing for December 19. A 13-year-old boy was given until Dec. 19, 2005, before proceeding with the first hearing. This juvenile was charged with aiding and abetting the other juvenile according to the juvenile petition.

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Obituaries

LaVern Miner

LaVern "Vern" M. Miner, 50, of Wakefield died on Wednesday, Nov. 16, 2005 at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.

Services were held on Monday, Nov. 21, 2005 at the Wakefield Evangelical Covenant Church. Pastor Ross Erickson officiated.

LaVern "Vern" M. Miner, son of Robert (Bob) and Betty (Thompson) Miner, was born May 11, 1950 in Wakefield. He was baptized and confirmed in 1970 at the Evangelical Covenant Church in Wakefield. He was an active member in Boy Scouts for many years. On July 28, 1979 he married Leann Salmon at Ponca State Park. He was employed as a truck driver, a mechanic and for the past 16 years at Michael's Food Distribution Department. He enjoyed many things in life, including; hunting, fishing and golf. He also enjoyed working on cars and was a member of the Platte Valley Corvette Club.

Survivors include his wife Leann of Wakefield; two sons Shad and Brady Miner, both of Wakefield; one daughter, Shanda and John Geiser of Wellington, Utah; his mother, Betty of Wakefield and his in-law's Dean and Phyllis Salmon of Wakefield; two brothers, David and Judy Miner of South Sioux City and Gerald and Kathy Miner of Sioux City; one sister Patricia Woodcock of Texas; many cousins, nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father Bob Miner and a brother Larry Miner.

Burial was in the Wakefield Cemetery in Wakefield. Bressler-Munderloh Funeral Home in Wakefield was in charge of arrangements.

Alan Dinsmore

Alan Dinsmore, 47, of Omaha died Tuesday, Nov. 8, 2005 at his home in Omaha.

Services were held Friday, Nov. 11 at Dundee Presbyterian Church in Omaha.

Alan Hume Dinsmore, son of Dr. James Dinsmore and Dorothy Hume Dinsmore, was born June 29, 1958 in Annapolis, Md. He graduated from Northwest High School in Omaha and received a degree in Heating & Air Conditioning from Metropolitan Community College in Omaha. On Sept. 17, 1983 he married Joni Coan at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wayne. He was employed as a technician at Standard Heating & Air Conditioning in Omaha.

Survivors include his wife, Joni; sons, Nic, Adam and Drew, all at home; his father, Dr. James and Vicki Dinsmore; a sister, Caroline and Gary Lee and his in-laws, Jim and Jean Coan of Wayne.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Dorothy Hume Dinsmore.

Burial was in Forest Lawn Cemetery in Omaha.

Taylor Lynn Brader

Taylor Lynn Brader was born and died Thursday, Nov. 17, 2005 at Faith Regional Health Services in Norfolk.

Services were held Tuesday, Nov. 22 at First United Methodist Church in Wayne. The Rev. Mary Tyler Browne officiated.

Survivors include her mother, Michelle Brader of Wayne; father, Justin Chinn of Springfield; grandmother, Sharon Brader of Wayne; grandfather, Bill Brader of Boardman, Ohio; great-grandmother, Henrietta Cunningham of Carroll; great-grandparents, Paul and Janice Brader of Norfolk; aunts, uncles and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her great-grandfather, Lyle Cunningham and two cousins, Christina and Austin Brader.

Honorary pallbearers were Broderick Brader, Cayleb Brader and Dylan Brader.

Active pallbearers were Chris Brader, Cory Brader and Kevin Brader.

Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne. Schumacher-Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne was in charge of arrangements.

Ruby Patefield

Ruby Patefield, 81, of Laurel died Monday, Nov. 21, 2005 at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.

Services will be held Friday, Nov. 25 at 10:30 a.m. at United Methodist Church in Laurel. The Rev. J.C. Browne will officiate. Visitation will be Wednesday, Nov. 23 from 2 to 8 p.m. at Schumacher-Hasemann Funeral Home in Laurel with the family present from 6 to 8 p.m.

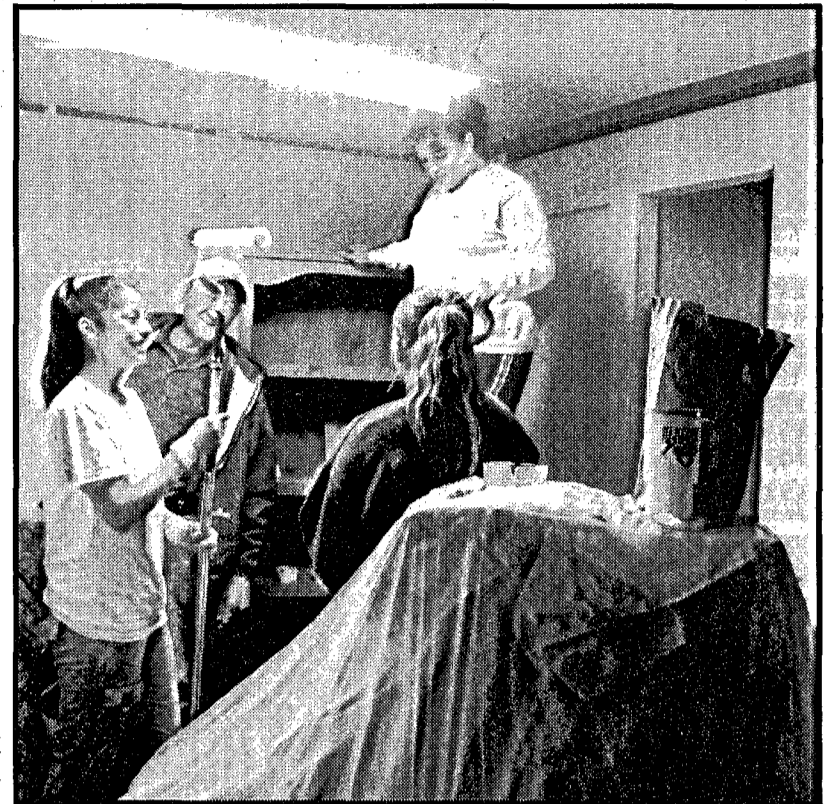
Ruby June Patefield, daughter of Harvey and Martha (Ebmeier) Roberts, was born Sept. 8, 1924 on a farm near Magnet. She graduated from Laurel High School. She was employed at Security National Bank in Laurel for a short time. On Aug. 21, 1943 she married Warren Weston Patefield at Greenville, Texas while Warren was serving in the U.S. Army Air Corps. The couple farmed northeast of Laurel. Warren died in 1985 and she moved to Laurel in 1990. She was an active member of the Logan Center United Methodist Church, very active in 4-H, was a 25-year 4-H leader and was an open class exhibitor at the Cedar County Fair. She belonged to the Laurel VFW Auxiliary. She enjoyed gardening, sewing and reading.

Survivors include one son, Randall and Sherrie Patefield of Laurel; one daughter, Linda and Lynn Russell of Fort Collins, Colo.; seven grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Warren; daughter, Lois; two brothers and one sister.

Active pallbearers will be Dan Patefield, Robert Patefield, Tom Roberts, Mike Roberts, Wayne Roberts, Larry Comstock, Gary Roberts, Joey Roberts, Roger Comstock, Eugene Smith, Rodney Jewel, Larry Smith, Jim Smith and Duane Smith.

Burial will be in the Laurel Cemetery in Laurel. Schumacher-Hasemann Funeral Home in Laurel is in charge of arrangements.



While you were out

Dr. Stephen Becker of the Wayne Dental Clinic was away from his office several days recently. While he was gone, his staff "spiffed" up his office by lowering a ceiling, painting and other improvements. The makeover was completed in two days.



Babysitter training class held in Wayne

The Northeast Nebraska Chapter American Red Cross recently held a Babysitter's Training course.

This class was held at the First United Methodist Church in Wayne. Sixteen Students participated in the day-long training and the instructors were Lu Carter, R.N. and Heather Hemminger, Health and Safety Services Director with the Local Red Cross Chapter.

The American Red Cross is the Nation's recognized leader in health and safety training. The Babysitter's Training course teaches the skills necessary to provide safe, quality care. It is set in a fun, inter-active environment that promotes competence and confidence.

The training includes:

- essential decision making and care-giving skills;
- response to emergencies and illnesses with first aid, rescue-breathing, and other appropriate

care;

- skills to manage real-life problems and emergencies under pressure;
- feeding, diapering and clothing infants;
- communication with parents and assess family lifestyle; and
- babysitting job-finding skills.

Participants in this recent training were Hannah Gamble, Jenna Pieper, Brittney Peterson, Katie Hoskins, Sadie Knox, Joshua Doorlag, Corey Doorlag, Rachel Waddington, Tia Jech, McKenna Gibson, Ashley Sukup, Sara Ashoff, all of Wayne, Grace Kenny of Carroll, Torie Allemann of Emerson and Breana Beckman of Pender.

All of these students have received their "certified babysitter training" certificates. If Parents are looking for quality child care for their young children, they may want to get in touch with one of these Red Cross trained students.

Hearing set on Dec. 7 for Widhalm

A Dec. 7 hearing is set for Lyle Widhalm, who was charged in Wayne County Court in June, 2005, in connection with a methamphetamine manufacturing operation, approximately 15 miles west of Wayne. Evidence recovered included drug-making materials and equipment, firearms, and illegal drugs.

Widhalm was charged with four counts: possession with intent to

manufacture and deliver methamphetamine, possession of a firearm in connection with drug violation, transporting an automatic weapon, and possession of controlled substance.

Schedule for Siouxland Community Blood Bank

Thursday, Dec. 1: Wayne State College Student Center, Wayne, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Monday, Dec. 5: Fire Hall, Dixon, 4-7 p.m.
Friday, Dec. 9: United Presbyterian Church, Laurel, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Thursday, Dec. 22: Wayne Fire Dept., Wayne, 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.



Child care license revoked

The Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services Regulation and Licensure recently revoked the licenses of several child care providers. Among those revoked is the following local child care provider: Jennifer Knox, 402 Sherman, Wayne.

Individuals whose licenses to provide child care are revoked may not operate a child care program for any children and they are not eligible to reapply for a child care license for a period of two years.

Students to open holiday store

The Wayne High School Entrepreneurship class, taught by Annette Rasmussen, is learning about running a business and how to prepare a business plan.

For experience in running a business, they will be opening a holiday store located in the First National Bank at the Seventh and Main Streets location.

The store will be open Thursdays, Dec. 1, 8 and 15 from 5 to 8 p.m. and on Saturdays, Dec. 3 and 10 from 9 a.m. to noon.

The store will have a variety of school clothing, house flags and school logo products. For Christmas delivery, shirts must be ordered by Monday, Dec. 5.

Immunization clinic to be held

Goldenrod Hills Community Action will hold the Wayne immunization clinic on Tuesday, Dec. 6 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The clinic is held at First United Methodist Church, 516 North Main Street. For an appointment, call (402) 529-3513.

The immunization clinic is open to the public with no income guidelines. Children should be accompanied by the parent or guardian and to also bring past immunization records. Proxy forms may be obtained by contacting the Wisner office at (402) 529-3513. A \$15 donation is requested to help defray administrative costs. No one will be denied immunizations for inability to pay.

A Quick Look

Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
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Nov. 21	48	34	-	-
Nov. 22	50	35	.03	-
Nov. 23	51	33	-	-

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Chamber Coffee

WAYNE - There will be no Chamber Coffee this Friday, Nov. 25, due to the Thanksgiving Holiday. The Friday, Dec. 2 will be at the Wayne City Auditorium, in conjunction with Fantasy Forest



Library closed

WAYNE - The Wayne Public Library will be closed Thursday and Friday, Nov. 24-25 for Thanksgiving and Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 29-30 for a staff in-service. The new software program the library will move to in

Christmas in the Country

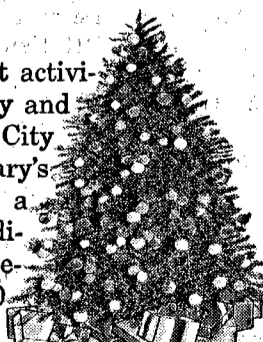
AREA - The Browns will present four Christmas shows at The Barn, located east of Wayr Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 26 and 27. A matinee will be held each day at 2 p.m. and other performances will be held at 5:30 and 7 p.m. For more information, contact Merle or Donna Ring at 375-3599.

Soup supper

WAYNE - The Wayne Eagles Club will be holding soup suppers each of the first three Thursdays in December, 1, 8, and 15 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Fantasy Forest

AREA - The annual Fantasy Forest activities will take place in Wayne Thursday and Friday, Dec. 1 and 2 at the Wayne City Auditorium. Included will be the Rotary's Soup and Pie Supper, entertainment, a visit from Santa and a Bake Sale. In addition, on Dec. 3, Holiday Sounds will present a free-will donation concert at 6:30 p.m.



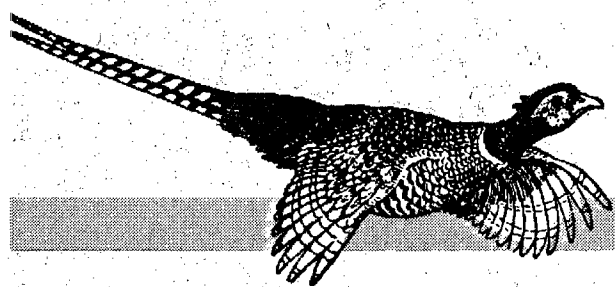
Gifts for Kids

AREA - The annual Gifts for Kids campaign is now underway. The tree of names is located at Pamida and area residents are encouraged to choose a name and purchase gifts for those children who might not otherwise receive presents for Christmas.



Special performer

Dr. Jay O'Leary played several selections with the combined junior high and high school bands during the annual Fall Concert on Tuesday. O'Leary assists with lessons for several students at the high school each year.



Letters

Explaining the circumstances

Dear Editor,
As most people in Northeast Nebraska now know, my oldest son was responsible for the recent bomb threat at the Wayne Middle School earlier this month.

He has now gone to court and admitted to the charges filed. In keeping with our family's belief that one accepts responsibility for what they do, there was no lawyer sitting with him, just his Mom. Because my son is a juvenile, the details of his court proceedings will not be made public. This is not because he's my son but because he is a juvenile who deserves to be treated no differently than any other juvenile adjudicated in Wayne County's Juvenile Court.

Because of some news reports, the public has been told there are allegations that my son got special treatment because I am the Chief of Police. Nothing could be further from the truth. The people making these accusations obviously were not present when I placed my own son under arrest. This was the hardest thing I have ever had to do in my law enforcement career, but it was the right thing to do.

In spite of the flurry of anonymous reports made to the news media, the Wayne Civil Service Commission has yet to receive a complaint alleging any wrongdoing on my part. While it is very easy to make accusations hidden behind a cloak of anonymity, it is harder to prove them. If someone has proof that this investigation was mishandled, they should come forward. The lack of a complaint makes a person wonder; is the motivation of those anonymously calling or writing the news media to make me look bad, or is this person, or these people, truly concerned that a juvenile may be getting special treatment in Wayne?

To remove any doubt about what happened on Nov. 2, I want to explain how this investigation unfolded.

I was still in the Middle School, coordinating the search of the school, when a Nebraska State Patrol investigator arrived. It was decided that the investigator would begin interviewing students while the search of the school was being completed. As the search was ending, a school official told me my son may have been involved. I immediately gave the State Patrol investigator my parental permission to interview my son. I was not present when this interview took place. My son was also interviewed by an A.T.F. agent, again out of my presence.

When these investigators confirmed that my son had placed the threatening note on the locker, I notified the Wayne County Attorney's Office. I explained that I had not conducted the investigation, but based on the facts obtained by the State Patrol, I was charging my son with this crime. Mr. Christopher Connolly concurred and said his office would ask for a special prosecutor. This is a normal procedure when there is a conflict of interest. There were several in this case.

First was my professional relationship with the County Attorney's Office; second I have been a client of their law firm, and third, their law firm also represents the Wayne Carroll Public School System; the victim in this case. I did not ask who would be appointed as special prosecutor nor did I suggest any specific attorney.

After letting the Wayne County Attorney's Office know about the involvement of my son, I notified the Wayne City Administrator, who

in turn notified the Mayor and Wayne City Council. I explained that my son was involved and that the State Patrol was conducting the investigation so as to remove any allegation of impropriety on my part. Obviously, I was not trying to hide anything or cover anything up or garner special favor for my son.

While no parent wants to see their child in trouble, I have a professional obligation to the citizens of Wayne to follow where an investigation leads, no matter who the suspect is or who they may be related to.

When the day ended, I took off my Chief's hat and went home to be my kid's dad. While I was very disappointed with what my son had done, this was a time when he needed my love, my support and my encouragement. We talked, we prayed and we cried together. His mom and I agreed on what his home punishment was going to be and we began to move forward. We all knew that we would face challenging days ahead but would only get through this together, as a family.

This was a tough day for me as a Chief, but it was a much tougher day as a father. As a dad, I wanted to fix this, to make it all go away, and to somehow make things easier for my son. Police Chief or not, that approach would have been wrong, it wouldn't have taught my son that there are consequences for your actions. I believe that children can't develop character if parents step in to take the blame or excuse the behavior every time. This situation has forced my family and me to live our beliefs in a very public way.

The next morning my son and I met with school officials. I had not discussed any punishment with school officials ahead of time. As a family we had decided that we would accept whatever punishment the school gave my son. He sat in front of his Principal while I stood across the room. I didn't sit next to my son for a reason. He got himself into trouble and he needed to face whatever discipline the school system was going to hand out. I was there for support only, not to be part of the discussion. As a parent, this too was very hard to do. We didn't ask for lenient treatment, we simply accepted the decision of the Principal and Superintendent.

After this meeting it was very clear, to my son, that what began as a misguided prank aimed at another student had clearly gotten him in way over his head.

Once the word got out that my son was involved in the threat to the school, it was clear that whatever I did was going to be watched closely. I wouldn't have it any other way. The public has to trust their Police Chief to do the right thing, even if his family is involved. I expected some criticism; I even expected the flurry of anonymous letters and emails. After all, you can't be a police chief for over 10 years without making someone mad at you.

What I didn't expect was the overwhelming support my family and I have gotten from this wonderful community. My wife and I have received dozens of phone calls, cards and letters, hugs and pats on the back from people letting us know we have their support. Most importantly to us, we know hundreds of people have been praying for my family, and my son. The level of support and of care we have gotten from the community of Wayne has been truly humbling.

As far as whether my son has gotten any special treatment, I'll let the community decide. Some will always think he did, no matter what the facts are and we have to live with that reality. In the meantime I will love my son, I will pray

for and with him, I will support him, and while holding him accountable, I will forgive him. This isn't special treatment in my family; it's called being a parent.

Lance W. Webster,
Chief of Police

Blood donations appreciated

Dear Editor,
Once again, we want to thank the 54 donors who registered for the Siouxland Blood Drive at Grace Lutheran Church on Nov. 8.

A total of 54 units were donated. Elaine Saul reached the milestone of donating 11 gallons. There was one new donor at the drive.

We also want to thank the ladies who brought and served snacks.
The Grace Lutheran Siouxland Blood Bank Committee

Strange situation

Dear Editor,
Am I the only one that finds it strange that there is a greater fine attached to urinating in public than there is to cruelty to an animal?

Lisa Leseberg
Wayne

Capitol View

Pondering the merger situation

By Ed Howard
Statehouse Correspondent
The Nebraska Press Association

Those who want the state's smallest schools to be absorbed by K-12 districts, and those who oppose it, have switched places.

District Judge Paul Merritt ruled last week that a law mandating the mergers must be put on hold until November of 2006. That is when voters are scheduled to decide if the law, enacted by the 2005 Legislature, should be repealed.

If the law took effect prior to the vote, Merritt said, the result of that vote would be meaningless.

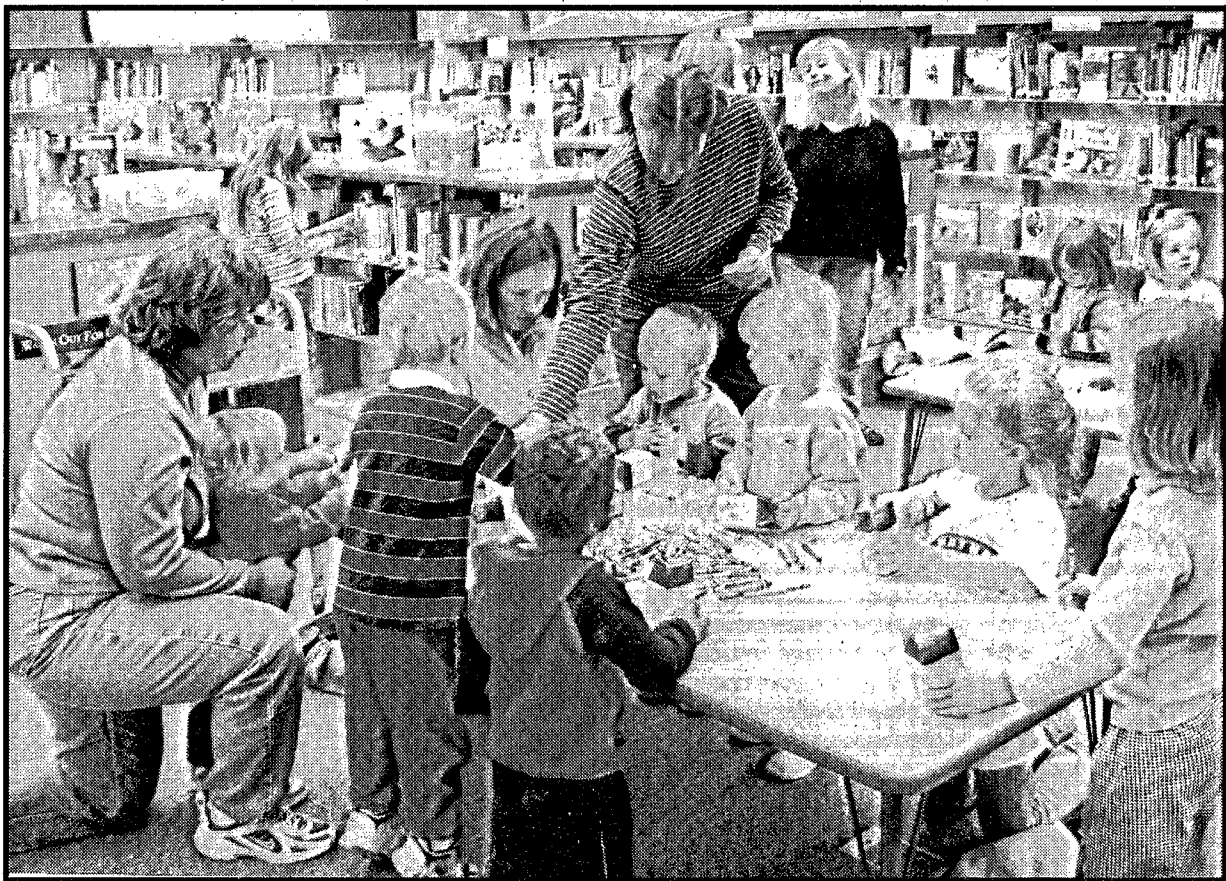
The referendum made it to the ballot via petition, Merritt noted, and the Nebraska constitution gives great weight to the right of the people to speak through the initiative and referendum process.

Thus, opponents of the law were victorious with their argument that the law's timetable would have screwed up their right to vote.

Now, supporters of the law are complaining about the reverse situation. They note that if Merritt's ruling stands, the Legislature will have to rewrite the law to revise the timetable for the mandated mergers.

Proponents of the law can appeal Merritt's decision to the state Supreme Court. At this writing, no decision on that option had been announced.

The law would effectively do away with the more than 200 Class I school districts, which offer only elementary education. Most are located in rural areas. Advocates of the small schools have long argued that children in the most rural areas would suffer if they were closed, largely because the kids would have to travel greater distances to school.



Storytime fun

The Fall Storytime at the Wayne Public Library attracted numerous young people and their parents throughout the fall. Each week a number of books were read and crafts and activities were available for those in attendance. Above, several mothers assist those in attendance with a craft project during a recent Saturday's event. Several of the Saturday activities were sponsored by the Friends of the Wayne Public Library, an organization formed earlier this year for the purpose of promoting the library.

Look for those who oppose the state's tax-break package for big business to cite a study which showed Nebraska ranks 49th in economic development.

The generous program funded by taxpayers has been criticized for doing too little compared with its large costs. Critics have said it doesn't provide enough high-quality jobs and hasn't been a great boon to the economy.

Among the gripes most often heard: There is too much secrecy surrounding what the public is get-

ting for subsidizing those tax advantages for the big dudes.

The public doesn't know how much those businesses have stockpiled in tax credits, either. The long-term costs of the tax breaks are a mystery to most - including the state's lawmakers.

Will there be any success for those who would revise the program so that more can be known about it?

Perhaps. Perhaps Nebraska will beat USC and Texas in football next year. All things are possible. Some are not likely to happen.

The view from here is that Attorney General Jon Bruning will prosecute another adult male for having sex with an under-age girl.

His prosecution of a fellow in Falls City for fathering a child by a teenager brought a lot of criticism. He was accused in some quarters of political grandstanding.

If it wasn't grandstanding, skepticism asked, when will another prosecution be forthcoming?

Chances are exceedingly good that it will come forth in the very near future.



Letters Welcome

Letters from readers are welcome. They should be timely, brief (no longer than one type-written page, double spaced) and must contain no libelous statements. We reserve the right to edit or reject any letter. The Wayne Herald editorial staff writes all headlines.

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official state invitation of Deputy Minister of Culture, Alexander Demchenko. They performed in the great concert halls and churches of Moscow and St. Petersburg.

In 2003 the Madrigal Singers, together with the WSC Concert Choir and ensembles from three other Nebraska colleges and universities, took part in a holiday special produced by NETV in Lincoln, Holiday Harmonies, which was nominated for a regional Emmy award. The following year the Singers were part of a Music Department tour of Ireland that included performances in Dublin, the Rock of Cashel, and Galway Cathedral.

Familiar music to be performed this year includes "Masters In This Hall," a Medieval Carol from Chartres, the traditional Welsh air "Deck the Hall," "The Boar's Head Carol," and the "Flaming Pudding Carol." The meal blessing is the

beautiful Jesu dulcis memoria by Tomás Luis de Victoria, a Spanish composer of the Renaissance.

Other music will include "Here We Come A Caroling," Irish traditional, "Coventry Carol" and an arrangement of "Orientis Partibus," a 12th c. Latin Carol familiar today by the title of "The Friendly Beasts," Cuncti simus concanentes (a piece found in the Libro Vermell, a 14th-century Spanish manuscript), "I Saw Three Ships," the Polish carol "Infant Holy, Infant Lowly," Polish Carol, a Burgundian carol "Patapan, Torches" by John Joubert, "The First Nowell," "Unto Us A Child Is Born" from the Piae Cantiones (1582), "The Lord Bless You and Keep You," by Peter C. Lutkin and "We Wish You A Merry Christmas," arranged by Arthur Warrell.

The musicians and actors are as follows.

Michelle Hendrickson of Lincoln; Jennifer Lundahl of Laurel; Megan Murphy of Lincoln; Heather Headley of Wayne; Krista

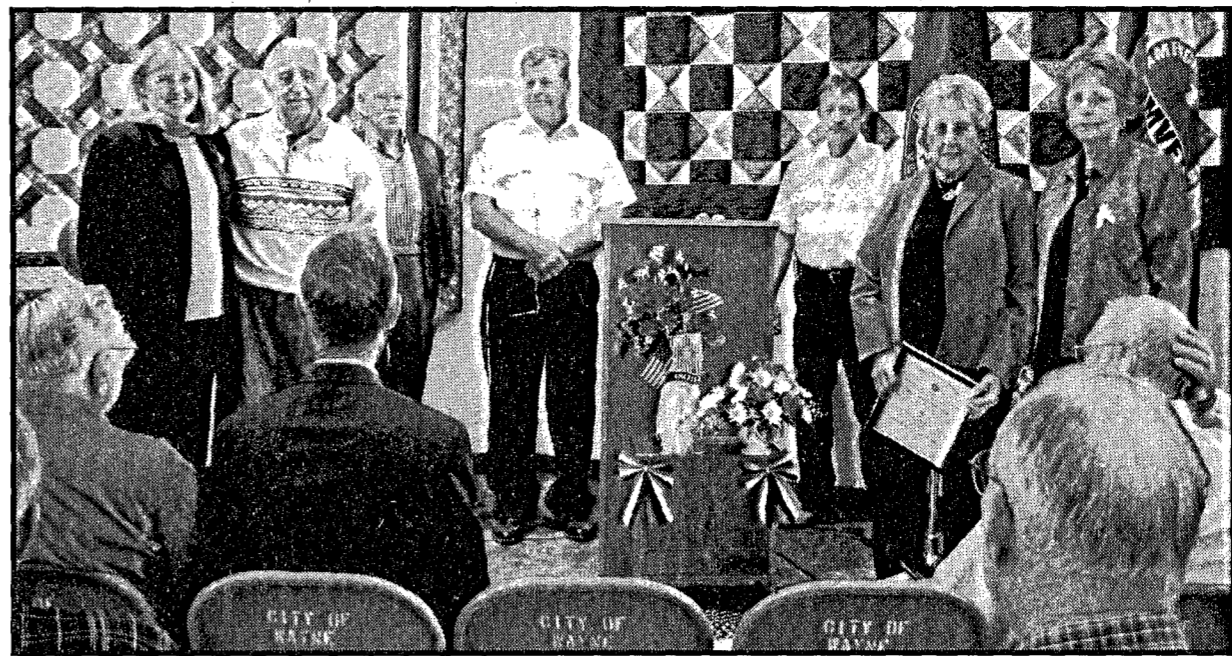
Ohde of Wolbach; Carrie Renner of Howells; Amelia Stusse of Sioux City, Iowa; Nichole Werner of Creighton; Scott Bogacz of Omaha; Christopher Weddel of Emerson; Greg Beran of Fremont; Erik Thomas Oliva of Milford; Jacob Schuetzler of Columbus.

Jesters: Mark Bacome of Omaha and Erin Gaspers of Norfolk.

Page: Cara Watchorn of Ponca. Herald Trumpeter: Samantha Williams of Pierce.

Rehearsal Accompanist: Melissa Wortman of Norfolk.

Anyone wishing to attend must purchase a ticket in advance. For more information, contact Virginia Backstrom at 402-375-7359 or Dr. Ronald Lofgren at 402-375-7358. Ticket price is \$18, and group discounts are available. People may purchase tickets by mailing their payment to: Christmase Dinners, Wayne State College, 1111 Main Street, Wayne, Neb. 68787. Be sure to indicate which night you are purchasing tickets for and include a telephone number in case we need to contact you.



Tribute to veterans

During the annual Veterans' Day Program at the Wayne Senior Center, three veterans were recognized for their service. Roy Coryell, second from left, was recognized for being a veteran for 60 years. He trained fighter pilots at Lacklan Air Force Base in Texas in the early 1940's. The family of Don Sherbahn accepted a plaque in his honor. He was a mechanic in World War II, stationed in London for 2 1/2 years and was also recognized as being a veteran for 60 years. Unable to be present was 50 year veteran Don Koll, who served in Korea.



The Wayne State College 'campus showcase' featured the WSC madrigal singers under the direction of Dr. Ron Lofgren, left, in the Elkhorn Room, student center.

Wayne police have busy weekend

The past weekend was a busy one for the Wayne Police Department. It began when a man reported the theft of two money orders from a parked car in the 200 block of Pearl Street. This theft happened sometime after midnight and before noon on the 18th.

A report received from the Norfolk Police Division alleged that a Norfolk resident had used false identification of a Texas woman to obtain credit at a local bank. The felony case of Criminal Impersonation is being investigated by the Wayne Police Department and the Norfolk Police Division.

Sometime after 7:00 pm on the 18th and before 5:30 am on the 19th an unknown driver struck the rear of a 1999 Ford Mustang parked at 701 Pearl Street. The suspect vehicle may be tan or brown in color. Officers collected several pieces of evidence that may help identify the suspect vehicle if

it is located. At 1:30 am a male suspect broke a window out of a residence in the 300 block of Main Street. Witnesses said two men, one wearing a red "hoodie" sweatshirt and one wearing a blue with black stripe "hoodie" sweatshirt were walking south on Main Street. The suspect in the blue with black stripe sweatshirt hit the window as he was walking past the residence. Both men fled the scene on foot. A person sleeping in the bedroom got glass fragments on him but was not

injured. Between 12:30 am and 2:00 am on Sunday morning someone ran over the stop sign at 9th and Windom Streets. Car parts recovered from the scene indicate the suspect vehicle may be a Chrysler Sebring with damage to the left front. It is possible that the vehicle is missing a headlight or driving light on the left side.

If anyone has information about any of these crimes they are encouraged to call the Wayne Police Department at 375-2626.

WSC Theatre to host one-act play competition on campus

On Wednesday, Nov. 30 and Friday, Dec. 2, the Wayne State College theatre department will be hosting Class B-4 and Class C1-4 high school district one-act play

competition on campus. Eight schools are competing each day with competition beginning at 8:30 a.m. and concluding at 4:30 p.m. in Ramsey Theatre.

Following the final competition, awards will be presented at approximately 5:30 p.m. in Ramsey Theatre. There will be approximately 150-200 high school students on campus on each day.

For more information, please contact Dr. Gwen Jensen at 375-7422.

'Campus Showcase' to feature Multicultural Program

The Wayne State College Office of Multicultural Affairs will be featured at the Dec. 2 'Campus Showcase' in the Elkhorn Room of the WSC student center. The program will begin at 9 a.m.

Director Clarissa Kaiser and several international students will talk about events and programs going on this year. "This will be the holiday 'Campus Showcase,' so come prepared to have a good time and catch the holiday spirit," said

Judy Johnson, WSC director of college relations and co-host of 'Campus Showcase.'

'Campus Showcase,' held most months of the academic year, is part of the college's outreach to the community and region. Each program lasts approximately one hour; a variety of programs have been scheduled for this year. Refreshments will be provided and prize drawings held. Although designed for senior citizen appeal, all ages are invited and encouraged

to attend. There is no admission charge.

Because parking on campus is limited, a free shuttle service from the Wayne Senior Citizens Center/Public Library at 410 Pearl Street will be provided by the college before and after the event. The shuttle will depart from the Senior Citizens Center/Public Library at approximately 8:45 a.m. and will return following the program. Those wishing to ride the

shuttle are asked to park near the south end of the Senior Citizens Center.

For more information, please call Judy Johnson, WSC director of college relations, at 402-375-7325.

Wayne High recognized for music accomplishments

The annual Nebraska Music Educators Association's All-State Music Clinic was held Nov. 17-19 on the campus of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

On Nov. 18, NMEA held its annual Awards & Recognition Banquet at the Cornhusker Marriott Ballroom. At this banquet the Wayne High School Music Department was one of only 13 high schools in the state to be awarded the High School Participation Recognition Plaque.

This recognition is given annually to any Nebraska high school whose music programs demonstrates high involvement in music

courses and activities.

This award recognizes the effectiveness of programs that offer attractive music curricula as well as those that excel in the recruitment and retention of students. If selected, the school agrees to serve NMEA as a resource on the topics of programming, scheduling, recruitment and retention of music students.

Eligibility requirements are as follows:

1. All music staff must be members of NMEA;
2. Nebraska public or parochial schools are part of the NSAA School Membership;

3. Only 9-12 students may be counted and each student may only be counted once.

The Wayne High School Music Department is in Class B, which has three levels of recognition - Noteworthy Level III, in which 40 percent of the student body must be in band and/or choir; Exceptional Level II, in which 50 percent of the student body must be in band and/or choir and Exemplary Level I, in which 60 percent of the student body must be in band and/or choir.

Wayne High School earned the level of Exemplary Level I with 68 percent of the student body in band and/or choir.



Accepting the plaque for outstanding music participation at Wayne High School were, left to right, Brad Weber, Band Director; Tracy Anderson, Vocal Director and Mark Hanson, High School Principal.

weekly spotlight

Stanley Steemer offers unique cleaning system

By Clara Osten
Of the Herald

Jeff and Eric Holt are Stanley Steemer professionals in the Wayne area. Approximately six months ago, Jeff purchased a Stanley Steemer franchise, which includes a territory from Sioux City, Iowa to Madison, Neb. and includes an area in South Dakota.

The Stanley Steemer Carpet Cleaning business began in Ohio 50 years ago. The business was named after a popular car at the time and because the business uses steam in the cleaning process.

Stanley Steemer focuses mainly on carpet cleaning, but does clean tile and grout and can clean furniture and upholstery.

"Our cleaning process involves heating a water and solution mixture to 385 degrees and then

"Carpet care after this type of situation is more than just turning on a fan and de-humidifier. If the carpet is not properly dried, mold can develop and become a health issue," Jeff said.

Carpets cleaned by Stanley Steemer can be walked on immediately after being cleaned. When the cleaning takes place, furniture is moved at no additional cost.

The Holts are available six days a week, Monday through Saturday. They have begun their day as early as 6 a.m. and have worked as late as 3 a.m., completing commercial projects during off-business hours. In cases of water or flood damage, they are available seven days a week, 24 hours a day.

Holt recommends both commercial and residential customers have their carpets cleaned once every six months and said "the process is good for the carpet."



Eric Holt, left, and his father, Jeff, are available to provide Stanley Steemer services in Wayne and the surrounding area.

extracting dirt from carpets," Jeff said. "Consumer's Guide has rated this as the number one technique to clean carpets."

Consumer's Guide has also rated Stanley Steemer as number one in customer satisfaction.

Both Jeff and Eric have attended classes at the Stanley Steemer offices in Ohio and are Institute of Inspection Cleaning and Restoration Certified for dealing with water and flood damage.

"Although I have only been involved with Stanley Steemer for a short time, I love my job. I love being in Wayne and I love the fact that this job allows me to have more time with my family. Family is important to me and this job lets me go to their activities and be with them when I need to be," Jeff said.

For more information on the services available from Stanley Steemer, call 1-800-STEEMER or 833-5050.

Northeast RC&D coordinator gives update of recent activities

An RC&D update was given: Outlaws Legends & Lore - Several people are working to create a book that speaks to the rich history of why Scenic Byway Nebraska Highway 12 was named the Outlaw Trail.

Names like Jesse James, Kid Wade, Doc Middleton, and Two Gun Hart fill stories of the region. A hideout in Devil's Nest, a cave so large that rustlers drove entire teams of horses into it, a hanging in St. Helena, and a place called Horse Thief Gulch capture the imagination of young and old alike. This book will be a record of the time, places and events of the outlaws and vigilantes who lived along the road and the rivers.

This is an opportunity to promote and share the folklore, legends and romanticism of the Outlaw Trail theme. People have been asking, "Why is this called the Outlaw Trail? Who were those guys? Where did they hideout?"

The book will be a great marketing tool to enhance the promotion of the byway and the region. The Outlaw Trail group has already produced a teaser booklet that gives just a little information about several folks known of in these

parts as well as some stories of gold stashes and more.

Project Highlights: Waste Computer Collections - This project has officially been extended so there's still time to let the RC&D office know if you have old computers sitting around that need the 'heave ho'. A collection will be scheduled in the near future so watch for information.

Shannon Trail - 16 new permanent National Park Service signs telling of Shannon's life from birth to death, 16 Nebraska Department of Roads historical marker signs for the communities, an application to be part of the National Park Service Passport Program, and a new rack card are recent accomplishments. In 2006 they're planning a Shannon Reward event with two concerts that everyone will want to be part of.

Corps of Discovery Welcome Center - About 40 people had fun trying to solve the 1924 "Murder at Midway Jazz Club" recently at St. James Marketplace. In the end it was "Silky" (played by Cindy Howey of Hartington) who done it. All proceeds were earmarked to benefit the Welcome Center.

Downtown Historic Renovation Plainview - Representatives from

the community are preparing to attend the Transportation Enhancement review committee meeting on Dec. 8 in Lincoln to learn if their grant proposal will be funded. If so, it would be a great beginning, to refurbishing the town's historic district and creating an opportunity for expanded economic development opportunities.

Artists and an Open House - Two artists are sharing the spotlight during November and December. Lola Bruins and Lois Olson, both of Plainview, share a love of making sewing items as home décor. They have embroidery work, pot holders, table runners, angels, baby quilts, doll clothes, stuffed bears and more on display. An Open House is planned for Saturday, Dec. 3 at the RC&D office from 1-4 p.m. just in time for holiday shopping! This will feature several other artists who've been featured this year as well as numerous other Nebraska made products.

Plainview's Hometown Holiday Celebration is Monday, Dec. 5 with downtown shopping, visits with Santa, activities for kids, soup supper. High School art students will have on display their artwork at the RC&D office from 4-9 p.m.

Northeast Nebraska Water System - The engineering firm has been selected and will now be given the task of completing a Preliminary Engineering Report for this project. Potential rural users will be contacted to see if they have an interest in participating. For more information contact Tim Rutledge, Midwest Assistance Center, 402-862-2396.

Attitude Change - Positive experiences, helpful suggestions, and a 'can-do' attitude is what this project hopes to accomplish. Two meetings on Dec. 7 and 14 will be held to set the tone and activities for this effort. Various community members and resource providers have been invited to participate.

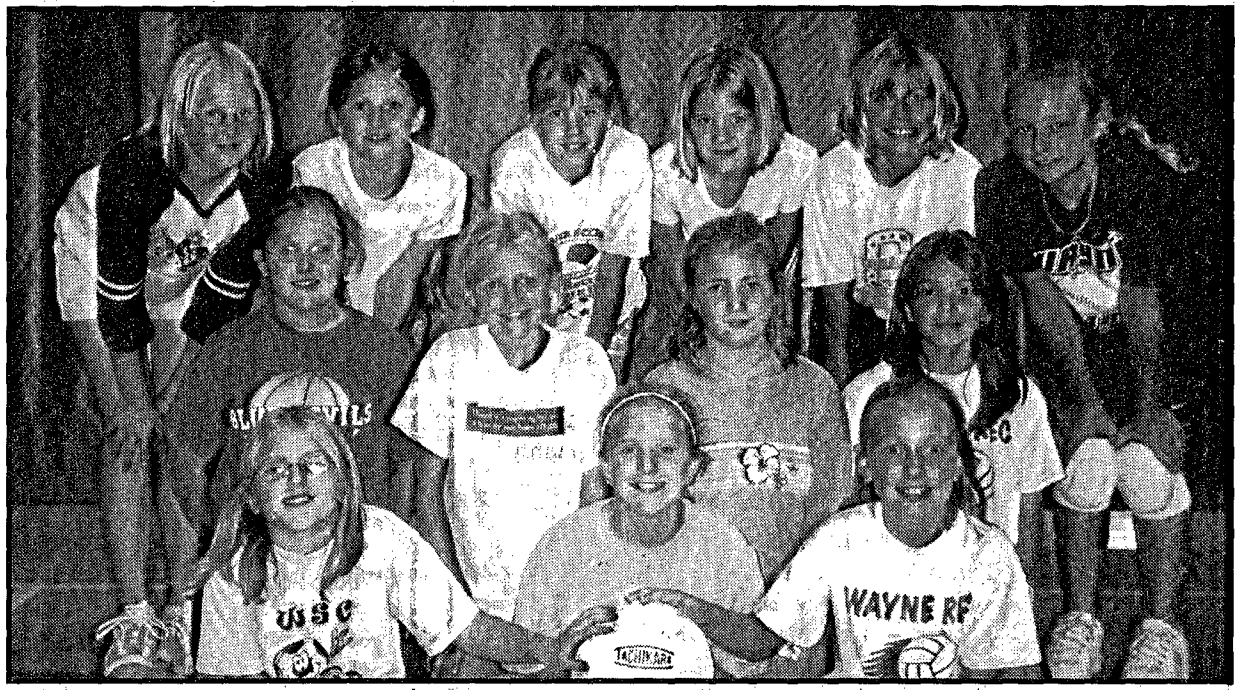
Klown Museum - A group of interested citizens is coming up with a plan to help fund a much needed expansion of the Klown Museum in Plainview. It is overflowing with clown dolls and other related material now & new donations could bring 900 more taking the collection to 3,500!

Upcoming Event - Hartington will be hosting their Candlelight Christmas on Nov. 18 and 19 in their downtown area. It will kick-off on Friday at 4 p.m. with open houses around the community and a quilt show, living Christmas scenes in store windows at 6, and other events leading up to the lighted vehicle parade at 7 p.m. Contact Cindy Howey at 254-6939 for more information.



Third grade youth volleyball

Members of the Wayne City Rec third grade youth volleyball team this fall were: (Front row, left to right) Holly Grosz, Alyssa Schmale, Maddie Morris and Gabbie Miller. Middle row: Sydney McCorkindale, Anna Cole, Holly Kenny, Sabrina Hochstein, Natalie Williams, Hannah Kenny and Cassie Hier. Back row: Jasmine Decker, Rachel Done, Skyler Gamble, Emma Loberg, Mckenzie Rusk, Lexi Sokol and Abbie Hix.



Fourth grade youth volleyball

Members of the Wayne City Rec fourth grade youth volleyball team this fall were: (Front row, left to right) McKenna Bartos, Jaylyn Zeiss and Alexi Owens. Middle row: Lauren Gilliland, Angie Nelson, Kendall Gamble and Megan Backer. Back row: Paige Wacker, Nuh-Tayla Olmer, Ashton Schweers, Amanda Hulbart, Cienna Stegemann and Victoria Kranz.

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Coach Lonnie Ehrhardt, Logan Owens

Junior High award winners

Several members of the Wayne Junior High football team were recently presented with post-season honors. Coach Lonnie Ehrhardt announced that Logan Owens was the winner of the annual Dennis Otto Memorial Award, while Derek Poutre and Jacob Zeiss were the eighth and seventh grade most valuable players, respectively. Justin Anderson and Zach Thompson (not pictured) were named seventh grade co-most valuable players for the season.

Derek Poutre, Jacob Zeiss

Justin Anderson

Know Your NASCAR!

NASCAR GLOSSARY

MARBLES
(Also referred to as "loose stuff.") Bits of rubber that have been shaved off tires and dirt and gravel blown to the outside of a corner by the wind created by passing vehicles comprise the "marbles" that are often blamed by drivers for causing them to lose control.

NEUTRAL
A term drivers use when referring to how their car is handling. When a car is neither loose nor pushing (tight).

PIT ROAD
The area where pit crews service the cars. Generally located along the front straightaway, but because of space limitations, some racetracks sport pit roads on the front and back straightaways.

PIT STALL
The area along pit road that is designated for a particular team's use during pit stops. Each car stops in the team's stall before being serviced.

POLE POSITION
Slang term for the foremost position on the starting grid, awarded to the fastest qualifier.

PUSH
(Also referred to as "tight" or "understeer.") "Push" is a condition that occurs when the front tires of a vehicle will not turn crisply in a corner. When this condition occurs, the driver must get out of the throttle until the front tires grip the race track again.

QUARTER PANEL
The sheet metal on both sides of the car from the C-post to the rear bumper below the deck lid and above the wheel well.

Nextel Cup Ford 400 - November 20	
FIN.	NO. DRIVER
1	16 Greg Biffle
2	6 Mark Martin
3	17 Matt Kenseth
4	99 Carl Edwards
5	41 Casey Mears
6	07 Dave Blaney
7	12 Ryan Newman
8	29 Kevin Harvick
9	24 Jeff Gordon
10	19 Jeremy Mayfield

STANDINGS	Rank Driver	Rank Driver
1	Tony Stewart	6 Ryan Newman
2	Greg Biffle	7 Matt Kenseth
3	Carl Edwards	8 Rusty Wallace
4	Mark Martin	9 Jeremy Mayfield
5	Jimmie Johnson	10 Kurt Busch

Busch Series Ford 300 - November 19	
FIN.	NO. DRIVER
1	139 Ryan Newman
2	66 Greg Biffle
3	9 Mark Martin
4	21 Kevin Harvick
5	11 Paul Menard
6	47 Jon Wood
7	8 Martin Truex Jr.
8	2 Clint Bowyer
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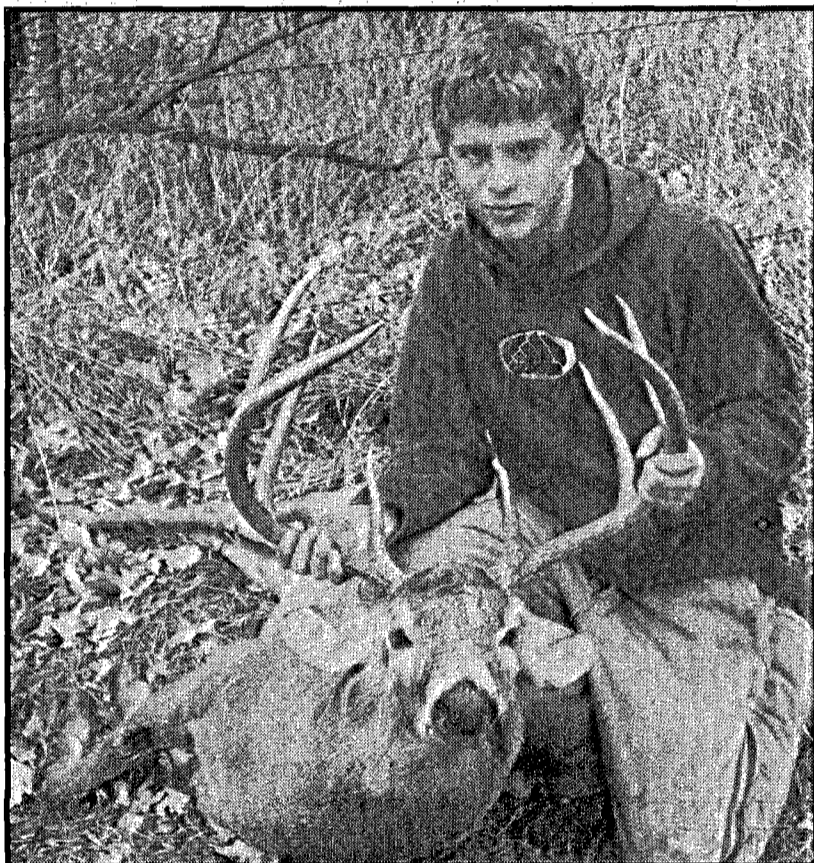
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Successful hunt

The Onderstal boys, Sheldon, 16, and Seth, 12, shot their deer on opening weekend of the deer season on their grandfather's land near Allen. It was Seth's first hunt and Sheldon's fourth year.



Why shop at home during the holidays

We are about to enter that big rush time of the year as shoppers excitedly hit the stores to find just the right Christmas gift for everyone. It is the beginning of the biggest shopping season of the year as shoppers spend their evenings, weekends, and days off to begin making their purchases and spending money.

Advertisements related to bargains, sales, and longer shopping hours are everywhere to lure shoppers to various stores. Soon parking lots will be filled with vehicles, aisles filled with shoppers and long lines at the checkout counter.

Hopefully this will describe the hustle and bustle up and down the main streets of our small rural communities throughout the shopping season. It can be if local residents will "shop locally" for their Christmas gifts. Many people can give a multitude of reasons to go out of town to shop. But there are many reasons to shop in rural communities.

Like the big stores, small rural businesses offer a variety of products along with sales and bargains during the Christmas season. It is always interesting to see the many unique items found in many stores in rural communities this time of the year. A wide array of ideas for presents can be found in the smaller stores and shops in rural communities as well.

A high light for shopping in rural areas is to see the many specialty items that are made or grown right in the area. The number of "home-based" businesses and products they are producing is rapidly increasing. They are another growing market that offers a multitude of unique gifts. Most people are

surprised at the ingenuity of these items and the talents that are portrayed in the items they are producing. For those shoppers looking for unique items and particularly those that are made here in Nebraska, these entrepreneurs have much to offer.

Many people forget about other advantages of shopping locally. For this shopper, not having to deal with crowds, shopping cart crashes, and long lines at the checkout counter are a very good reason to shop locally. Parking closer to the storefronts is also an advantage.

Rural communities always have neat Christmas decorations and scenes for people to enjoy as they go there to do their shopping. With the music and decorations, there is always something special about main street shopping during the holidays, especially in the wintery evenings. It is always a good feeling to have found something in a local store and be able to brag about "finding it right here in one of our local stores."

These businesses are the ones we depend on throughout the rest of the year and are the ones we want to keep in our communities. Spending dollars at home will help them continue to be there for us in the future. Many communities now have their own sales tax for economic development. Shopping locally not only supports local businesses, but dollars are generated to make the community an even better place to live.

So as you begin your shopping spree, be sure and include your local businesses and support your community. You will be glad you did!



Cash from consessions

The Wayne Education Boosters (Web) at Wayne Middle School recently presented a check for \$270 to the school. The money represents the proceeds from the consession stand this fall and will be used for the purchase and shipping of supplies to members of the 189th Transportation Unit. Involved in the presentation were, left to right, Monica Carroll, consession superintendent, Laurie Ganseboom, treasurer and Tim Krupicka, Middle School principal. Other WEB officers include Peg Webster, president; Jana Anderson, vice president and Cheryl Waddington, secretary.

Scam resurfaces with new twist

The Nebraska State Patrol is urging citizens to be aware of a new twist in an Advance Fee Scam. The Advance Fee Scam is a con in which a letter is sent via mail, email or fax by an individual overseas who claims to have a large sum of money that they have inherited and need help to get out of the country. The scammers promise to pay Americans who can help them transfer the money to banks in the U.S.

Well-intended recipients are often bilked out of their life savings after turning over personal financial information and paying the scammers "fees and taxes." Some even have their identity stolen.

The new twist to this scam

involves the use of money orders and checks.

The setup is similar; however contact is usually made via email or in an internet chat room or online auction site. The individual poses as a student or other person working overseas who needs help cashing a check or money order. You provide a mailing address, and the scammer sends you a check or money order with a request to cash or deposit it into your bank account. In turn you are told to keep some of the money as payment for your help and wire back the remainder of the funds.

Recipients find they are bilked out of hard earned money since the money orders and checks sent to them are counterfeit.

"The best way to keep from becoming a victim is through education," said Colonel Bryan Tuma, Superintendent of the Nebraska State Patrol. "Know whom you're dealing with and never provide personal or financial information online, over the phone or through the mail."

For more information on scams visit the Attorney General's web site at www.ago.state.ne.us or call the AG's Consumer Protection Division at 1-800-727-6432.

4-H News

COMBINATION KIDS 4-H CLUB

The Combination Kids 4-H Club met Nov. 6, at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne.

The Fantasy Forest Committee shared their ideas for the tree ornaments. The ideas included a foam tree decorated with sequins and glitter, and a picture of the member on cardstock then decorated. Club members made one of each ornament.

The club discussed when the members would give their demonstrations.

Three new members attended the meeting.

Diane Roebert talked about the Family Folklore project and displayed several scrapbooks.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, Nov. 30 at the Wayne City Auditorium for Fantasy Forest set up.

Dacia Ganseboom, News reporter



Take steps to keep real Christmas trees safe

Each year Nebraskans buy 20,000 to 25,000 real Christmas trees, a University of Nebraska-Lincoln forester said.

Trees are the centerpiece of a traditional Christmas celebration for many people. Proper care is necessary to ensure these trees are a safe part of the holiday, said Dennis Adams, a forester at the Nebraska Forest Service at UNL.

"The beauty and fragrance of a natural tree adds nostalgia to the Christmas celebration," Adams said. "However, individuals who bring real Christmas trees into their home should take steps to keep themselves, their family and their property safe."

According to the National Fire Protection Association, 240 Christmas tree fires occurred in homes nationwide in 2002. These fires caused 23 deaths, 12 injuries and \$11.4 million in property damage. Adams said that while these numbers are alarming, a Christmas tree cannot start a fire. It must be ignited by an external source.

"That's why it's important to check things like Christmas tree lights and other electronic decorations and not put the tree next to space heaters, fireplaces or other heat sources," he said.

With proper care, a real

Christmas tree can be both beautiful and safe. Other Christmas tree safety precautions Adams recommends include:

- Select a fresh tree. Nebraska-grown trees are much fresher than trees cut and shipped in from western and northern states, often six to eight weeks before they are sold. In addition, buying a Nebraska-grown tree supports the local economy.

For a list of Nebraska Christmas tree farms, visit <http://www.agr.state.ne.us/pub/apd/trees.htm>.

- Before setting up the tree, make a clean cut across the tree's base and immediately place the tree in water. Check the tree's water level daily to make sure the container stays full. A tree can take up a gallon or more of water per day, so use a stand that holds at least a gallon of water.

- Don't let the water level in the stand drop below the base of the trunk. When this happens, a sap seal may form and prevent the tree from taking up water even if the stand is refilled. To remedy this, a fresh cut must be made across the base of the trunk. If a tree can't take up water, it will dry out and become a potential fire hazard.

- Check all Christmas tree lights and electric decorations for wear, such as frayed cords. If these items

have frayed cords, do not use them. Use only UL-approved electrical decorations and extension cords.

- Use extreme caution with open flames and other heat sources during the holidays. Place the Christmas tree well away from heat registers, space heaters, fire places, wood stoves, televisions, computer monitors and other heat sources.

- Place the tree away from doors to keep emergency escape routes clear.

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Gary Redden, center, gave a cooking demonstration to the Foods Class at WHS. Assisting him were Robyn Heithold, far left, and Mandy Nevala.



Betsy Maryott was a recent speaker at Wayne High School Food Class. Maryott gave tips on how to prepare cheesecakes.

Two teachers give cooking demonstration in Foods class at WHS

Area residents familiar with the Wayne High School staff probably know that Betsy Maryott teaches math and physics. They may also know that Gary Redden is a resource room teacher. Besides being competent in the classroom, these two individuals have a love for the culinary arts. Due to their

skills in the kitchen and their love of cooking, they were "Celebrity Chefs" for the high school Foods class.

As part of the chapter on dairy products, Gary demonstrated how to make homemade ice cream. Gary has also given demonstrations on cooking chicken. When he

lived in Las Vegas, Gary worked at an Olive Garden restaurant and learned about food preparation. Betsy, who has a licensed kitchen in her home, shared her secrets to cheesecake preparation. She ships cheesecakes across the United States for her business, "Betsy Bakes Cheesecakes."

"Foods class is a popular elective at Wayne High. Enrollment is limited to 16 students due to kitchen space. Every semester, those 16 openings are filled. While this semester is predominately female students, last year's classes were 2/3 male as is next semester's class. Students choose their own recipes and enjoy the opportunity to learn how to cook and bake. They have to have excellent time management skills, be able to problem solve and do cooperative learning in lab,"

stated Mrs. Schardt, instructor of the class.

Students enrolled in Foods class this semester are Sadey Bessmer,

Erica Brenner, Danica Carroll, Robyn Heithold, Hailey Hintz, Stephanie Kay, Amber Lutt, Scott Ma, Cheyanne Mrsny, Mandy Nevala, Kceley Nieman, Stephanie Owens, Justin Polhamus, Kourtney Schmale, Michael Schwarten, Brooke Stowater, Tonya Wical.

Melia Hefti named Nebraska Paraoptometric of the Year

Melia Hefti of Wayne was named the Nebraska Paraoptometric of the Year at the Nebraska Optometric Association's annual convention held recently in Kearney.

Hefti is a Nebraska Registered Paraoptometric (NRP) with over 14 years of experience. She is employed by Dr. Larry Magnuson in Wayne.

This prestigious award is pre-

sented to a paraoptometric who has made an outstanding contribution to the fields of paraoptometry and optometry, been an asset to his/her doctor, sought self advancement through continuing education and commitment to the profession and has numerous years of experience.

Hefti was described as "dependable, engaged, professional, caring and committed to patient care and staff relations."

The Nebraska Optometric Association represents over 200 doctors of optometry throughout the state. The purpose of the NOA Paraoptometric Section is to promote a team concept between the optometric professional and the paraoptometric assistant to better serve the eye health needs of the public. By definition, anyone working for an optometrist is a paraoptometric.

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Dr. Larry Magnuson, left, congratulates Melia Hefti after she was named Paraoptometric of the Year.

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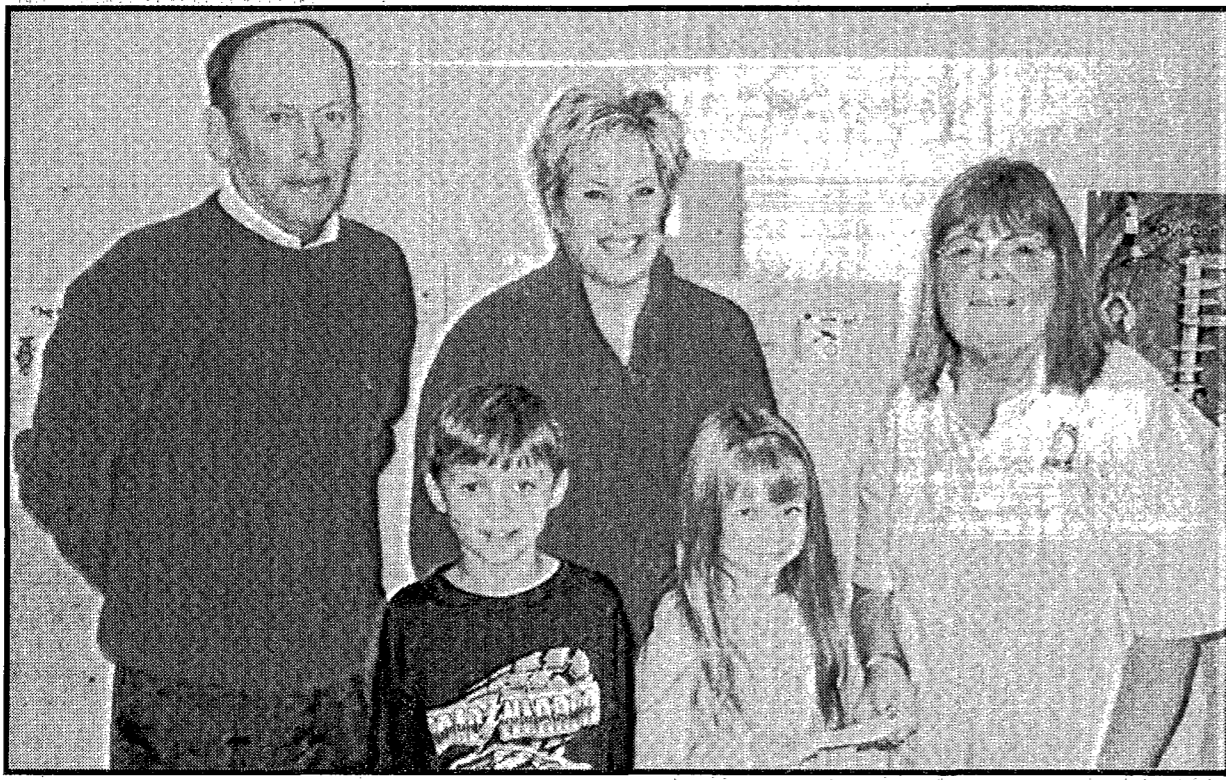
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Involved in the check presentation were, left to right, Mr. David Lutt, Elementary School Principal; Dylan Ellis, Jill Belt, Gabrielle Lutt and Sharon Grimm.

Candle project raises more than \$4,000

Sharon Grimm, Gold Canyon Candle Consultant recently presented a check for \$4,814 to Jill Belt, President of Wayne Education Boosters (WEB) at Wayne Elementary School. Gabrielle Lutt was the top candle seller and Dylan Ellis was second

top candle seller for a recent fundraiser to raise money for WEB. Leslie Schulz, Vice President of WEB was the coordinator of the project. "WEB would like to thank Gabrielle, Dylan and all of the stu-

dents and parents for selling candles and making the fundraiser a huge success. In addition, WEB would also like to thank Gerald and Sharon Grimm and Leslie Schulz for all of their hard work and coordination of this project," said Mrs. Belt.



Project 'Happy Holidays'

Employees at the Wayne Post Office recently presented phone cards to the Wayne AmVets Post. The postal employees donated one, 100-minute phone card for every four pack of phone cards purchased by customers. Involved in the presentation were, left to right, Darrel Mundil, Matt Krusemark, Bud Neel, Craig Thomsen, Ron Brown, Yvonne Greenwald and Terry Karel. The program will continue through the month of November.

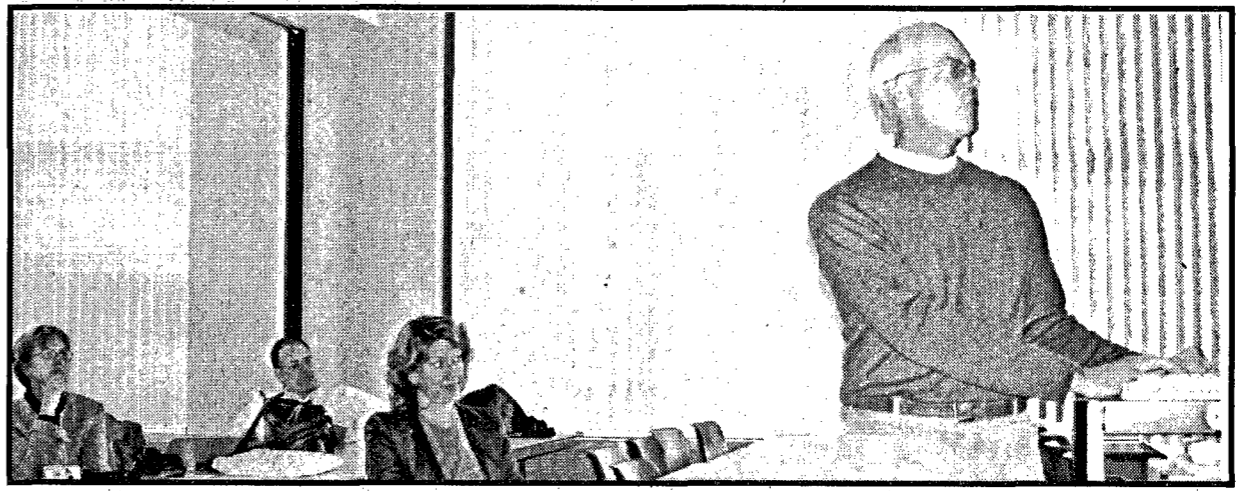
Holiday food safety tips are given

Holidays mean gathering with lots of food. The meat and poultry served at holiday meals can be a source of foodborne illness unless handled and prepared properly. Each year more than 76 million people suffer from foodborne illnesses, such as salmonella and coli, that occur when they eat food that contains bacteria or a toxin produced by bacteria growing on food. Holiday buffets and party trays left at room temperature for long periods of time can fall prey to bacteria. Given sufficient time, bacteria in food can grow and multiply depending on the type of food, the temperature at which it was kept, its moisture content and acidity level. "Bacteria can cause illness that includes vomiting, stomach cramps and diarrhea," said Dr. Joann Schaefer, chief medical officer for the Nebraska Health and Human Services system. "That's a lot of misery that can be avoided if people just take precautions when preparing food." Here are several tips to prevent foodborne illness: •Keep hot foods hot and cold foods cold. Hot foods

should be kept at a temperature of 145 degree F or higher and cold foods should be kept at 40 degrees F or lower. •Don't use the same utensil for different dishes. If a food is contaminated, cross contamination is one of the many things that can cause illness. •Refrigerate meats within two hours after they have been cooked. Leaving meats unrefrigerated for longer encourages the bacteria to grow. •Wash your hands frequently with warm water and soap. Your hands, like utensils, can potentially contaminate food (washing your hands is also good protection from norovirus spread). •Wash your counters or work surface with a bleach and water mixture (one part bleach to 10 parts water) after placing raw or partially cooked foods on them. Disinfecting surfaces will help eliminate the possibility of foodborne illness. Turkey tips: •Thaw your turkey in the refrigerator. Thawing at room temperature increases your chances of foodborne illness, especially salmonella. •Cook the bird until the internal temperature is 165 or 185 degrees F. The temperature can be checked using an inex-

pensive meat thermometer. •Cook your stuffing separately or make sure the internal temperature reaches 165 degrees F. Cooking the stuffing inside the turkey makes it more difficult to get the internal temperature of the turkey and the

stuffing to 165 degrees. Dr. Schaefer would also like people to know that eating turkey and chicken is safe. You can't get avian (bird) flu from eating poultry. No cases of bird flu have been identified in the Western Hemisphere.



Faculty forum held at WSC

Dr. Keith Willis, assistant professor of education at Wayne State College, presented information about his students' recent service learning projects during a faculty forum on Nov. 17.

Pharmacy students initiated into national pharmacy leadership society

The Beta Xi Chapter of Phi Lambda Sigma, the national pharmacy leadership society at the University of Nebraska Medical Center College of Pharmacy, held initiation ceremonies for 11 Nebraska students at a banquet at the Georgetowne Club in Omaha on Nov. 17.

The new initiates included Maggie Brownell of Wakefield, a fourth-year pharmacy student.

The purpose of Phi Lambda Sigma is the encouragement, recognition and promotion of leadership in pharmacy. Dr. Charles Krobot, associate dean for academic affairs for the UNMC College of Pharmacy, is the faculty advisor for the Phi Lambda Sigma Chapter.

UNMC is the only public health science center in the state. Its educational programs are responsible for training more health professionals practicing in Nebraska than any other institution. Through its commitment to education, research, patient care and outreach, UNMC has established itself as one of the country's leading centers in cancer, transplantation biology, bioterrorism preparedness, neurodegenerative diseases, cardiovascular diseases, genetics, biomedical technology, ophthalmol-

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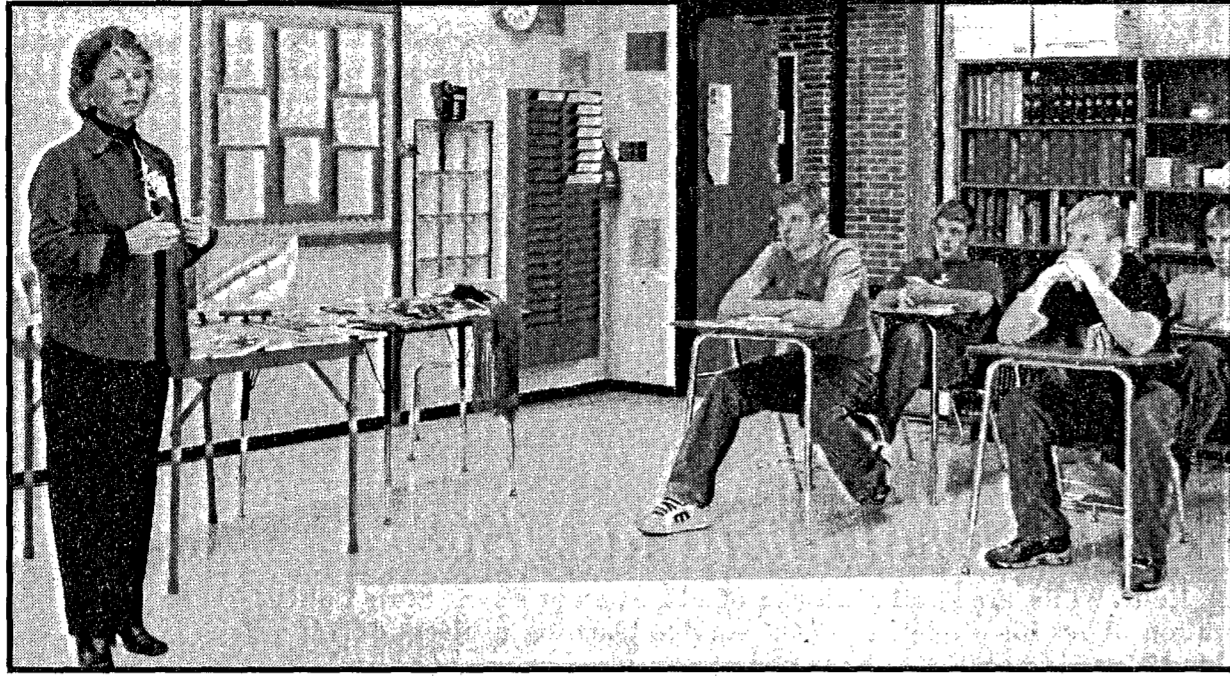
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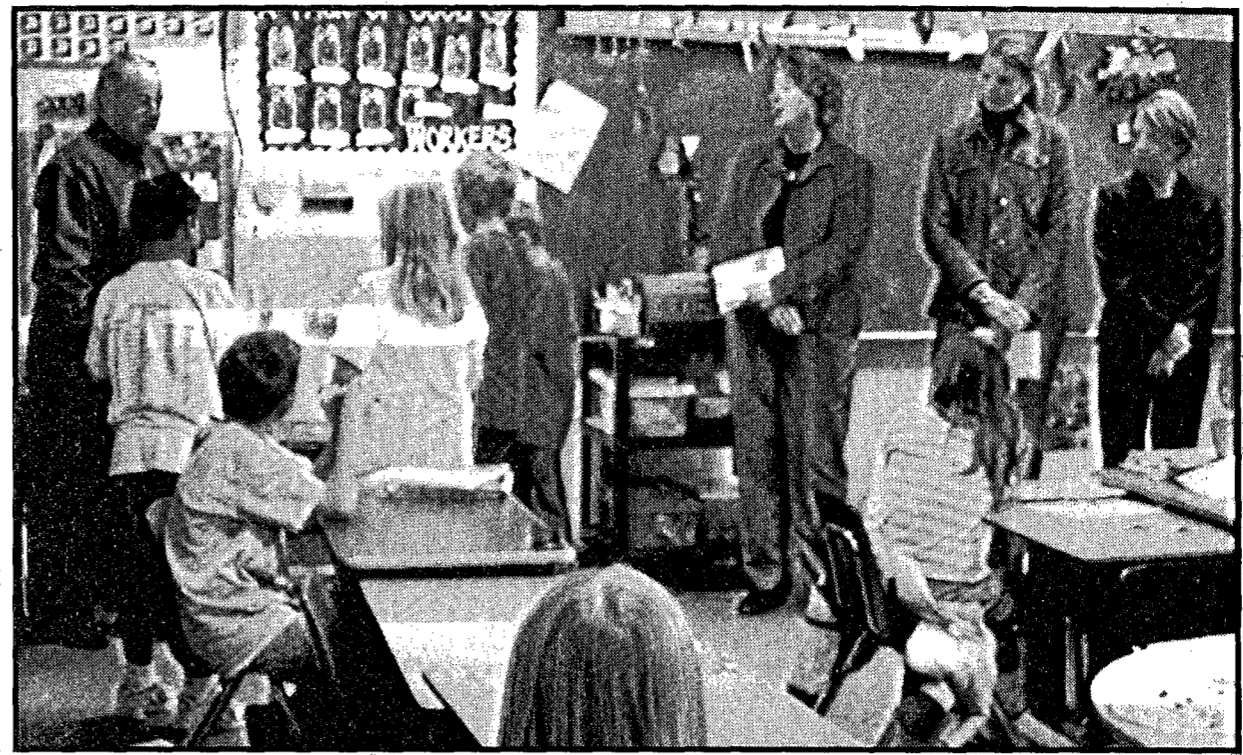
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History lesson

Nancy Gillis, Director of the Neihardt Center in Bancroft, left, spoke to the juniors at Wayne High School last week. The classes have just finished reading "Black Elk Speaks" by John G. Neihardt and Gillis' presentation, centered on Neihardt's life, his work and his relationship with the Native Americans. Gillis showed a film on Neihardt's life, and explained the significance of Native American articles. She also answered a number of questions from students in Mrs. Sylvia Ruhl's classes.



Talking about safety

Bob Foxhoven, left, 'chats' with fourth grade students at Wayne Elementary School in a demonstration on internet safety as part of a Wayne Kiwanis program involving safety for children in several areas of their lives. With him were Kiwanis members, left to right, Jennifer Phelps, Stephanie Hansen and Jill Sweetland. The children were then given safety booklets to take home for discussion with their parents.

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 2. Get all the details. Check the name and physical address of the seller; how much the product or service costs; what is included for that price; whether there are shipping charges; the delivery time, if any; the seller's privacy policy; and the cancellation and return policy.
 3. Look for signs that online purchases are secure. At the point that you are providing your payment information, the beginning of the Web site address should change from http to https, indicating that the information is being encrypted - turned into code that can only be read by the seller. Your browser may also signal that the information is secure with a symbol, such as a broken key that becomes whole or a padlock that closes.
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 11. Beware of emails offering loans or credit, even if you have credit problems. Con artists take advantage of cash-strapped consumers during the holidays to offer personal loans or credit cards for a fee upfront. These scammers simply take the money and run.
 12. Contact the seller promptly about any problems with your order. Check the company's Web site for a customer service page, "contact us" link, email address, or phone number to get your complaint addressed or questions answered. If you can't resolve the problem, contact the Better Business Bureau or your state or local consumer protection agency for help.

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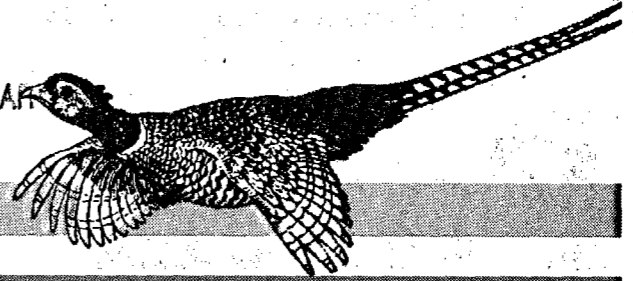
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Family heritage and sustainability are integral to the 'good life' most people work for, so in the midst of this holiday season, I hope that everyone takes time to celebrate and honor the many blessings that they have received from their families and extended families.

Many families are just beginning the season of holiday gatherings, and at these gatherings is the place where families have the opportunity to join together. Taking the time to be together, not just with your own family, but with your community, our extended family of relatives, friends, neighbors and students is a wonderful opportunity that we often overlook. It is an opportunity to reflect on the contri-

but ion that each of these individuals has in your life. When families gather for their traditional family



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celebration, there are several things that can be done to help promote and strengthen the family relationships. If such relationships are cultivated, our families and communities will be a happy place. Listed are several things you can consider during your holiday gatherings, to make them the most enjoyable they can be:

- Spend more time listening and sharing and less time complaining. When celebrating together, use language of approval, acceptance and accommodation.
- Spend more time beside the fire and less time fueling or persuading. Sharing and accepting individual differences can enrich everyone's lives.
- Do not try to duplicate past family gatherings. Relax and enjoy the uniqueness and richness of the present. Be kind, helpful and most of all, forgiving of hurtful memories.
- Develop meaningful rituals that involve all family members and that can be passed down from one generation to another. Rituals are the essential anchor that provide meaningful memories for everyone when the future becomes the present and the present becomes the past.
- There are also times we cannot be with our family members because of distance, military service, illness or employment. We can do special things to remember our family members such as phone calls, sending letters or emails to include them in the holiday festivities.
- Whatever it is that you will be doing for this wonderful holiday season, please remember to celebrate your family and be thankful for all those things in which you have been blessed.

Engagements —



Dobias — Fredrickson

Calvin and Catherine Dobias of Atkinson and Roger and Denise Fredrickson of Wayne have announced the engagement of their children, Angela Sue and Todd William.

The bride-to-be is a 2000 graduate of West Holt High School. She received her bachelor's degree in business administration from Wayne State College in 2005. She is currently employed at Wayne State College.

Her fiancé is a 1993 graduate of Wayne High School. He is currently employed at Fredrickson Oil Company in Wayne.

The couple is planning a Jan. 7, 2006 wedding at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne.

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Order of Eastern Star elects officers

Wayne Chapter #194, Order of the Eastern Star, met Nov. 24 with 24 people in attendance.

Election of 2006 officers was held with the following being elected: Ardyce Kniesche, Worthy Matron; Darrel Fuelberth, Worthy Patron; Karen Jones, Associate Matron; Robert Jones, Associate Patron; Julie Osnes, conductress;

Lynn Kramer, Associate conductress; Doris Stipp, secretary and Arnold Marr, treasurer.

Seven members were honored for 50-year memberships and presented 50 year jewels from the Grand Chapter of Nebraska. Those honored were Margaret Dohrman, Doris Harmer, Keith Jech, Lois Jech, Etta Kinney, Ardyce Kniesche and Betty Lou Morris.

Sandra Emry served as chairman of the serving committee.

The next meeting will be Monday, Dec. 12 with a 6 p.m. catered dinner. The cost of the dinner is \$8.50. Reservations and tickets must be made by Thursday, Dec. 1 to Doris Stipp.

Christmas plates will be prepared for the shut-ins.

New Arrivals

RAHN — Kenneth and Lacey Rahn, a daughter, Laken Teraan, 6 lbs., 6 oz., 20 inches, born Nov. 4, 2005. Grandparents are Mike and Teresa Wurdeman of Wayne and Dave and Jean Rahn of Allen. Great-grandparents are JoAnn Rahn of Allen, Henry Arp of Laurel and Pat Biggerstaff of Wakefield. Great-great grand father is Dale Kay of Wakefield.

Wayne Eagles Auxiliary plans upcoming events

The Nov. 21 meeting of the Wayne Eagles Auxiliary was called to order by Madam President Amy Renz.

A report was given on the Thanksgiving Potluck. Several people attended and Gobble Bingo was played for entertainment. Candace

Peterson won the door prize.

The Eagles Club will be having three soup suppers in December. They will be held Dec. 1, 8 and 15 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. A sign up sheet for soup, sandwiches and workers is posted at the club or members may call the club at 375-9956 to see what is needed.

Word has been received from Santa Claus that he will be at the Club on Friday, Dec. 9. The Christmas Potluck will be held that night at 7 p.m. There will be a \$3 gift exchange. Anyone who would like to attend and needing a ride is asked to call and arrangements can be made for a ride.

Serving at the meeting was Sandra Gathje. Serving at the Monday, Dec. 5 meeting will be Beverly Neel.

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CALVARY BIBLE EVANGELICAL FREE
502 Lincoln Street
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(Mike and Jenny Kresnik and Jason and Leslie Gangwish, youth leaders)
Sunday: Adult Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30; GYM (God's Youth Ministry - 9th to 12th grade), 7 p.m. Wednesday: Junior High Youth Group, 7 p.m.; AWANA, 7.

FAITH BAPTIST
Independent - Fundamental
208 E. Fourth St. - 375-4358 or 355-2285 (Pastor Ron Lamm)
Sunday: Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11; Evening worship, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer service, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST
400 Main St.
www.firstbaptistwayne.org (Douglas Shelton, pastor)
Sunday: Sunday School, Adult and children's classes, 9:15 a.m.; Prayer and Fellowship, 10:15; Worship, 10:30. Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.; WSC Bible Study, 8:15.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST
(Christian)

1110 East 7th St.
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office@waynecfc.org (Troy Reynolds, minister)
Sunday: Prayer Time, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30; Worship, 10:30; College Bible Study, 5:30 p.m.; Home Bible Study, 7. Wednesday: Youth group, 7 p.m. Thursday: Home Bible study at various homes, 7 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
216 West 3rd St.
(Rev. Ray McCalla, pastor)
Sunday: Worship, 9:45; Fellowship time with Tiffany and Larry Heese as hosts, 10:45; Sunday School, 11. Wednesday: Confirmation class, 6:30 p.m. Thursday: Worship service on Cable Channel 19, 11 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 4: The Session has called a congregational meeting following worship for the purpose of approving the pastor's compensation and election of elders for 2006.

FIRST TRINITY LUTHERAN
Altona
57741 847th Road, Wayne
Missouri Synod (Keith Kihlne, pastor)
Office - 375-2165
Parsonage - 375-1291
Cell - 369-2977
Sunday: Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 9 a.m.; Worship service, 10:15. Wednesday:

Confirmation class, 6 p.m. Thursday: Ladies Aid meeting at Mrs. Darlene Bowers' home, 1:30 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST
6th & Main St.
(Rev. Mary Tyler Browne, pastor)
Sunday: "The Hanging of the Greens," 3 - 5:30 p.m. Sunday: United Methodist Student Day. Worship service, 8:15 and 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship Time after each service; No Sunday School. Newsletters available for pickup. Tuesday: Disciple Bible Study, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Personal Growth, 9 a.m.; Kings Kids, 8:30 a.m.; SPRC meets with D.S., 5; Potluck, 6; Bell Choir, 6; Charge Conference, 6:30; Chancel Choir, 7. Thursday: Bell Choir, 6 p.m.

GRACE LUTHERAN
Missouri Synod
904 Logan
grace@gracewayne.com (The Rev. Carl Lilienkamp, Senior Pastor)
(The Rev. John Pasche, Associate pastor)
Sunday: Lutheran Hour on KTCH, 7:30 a.m.; Worship with Holy Communion, 8 and 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:15. Monday: Bell Choir, 6:30 p.m.; Worship, 6:45 p.m.; Duo Club, 7:30; Education Team, 7:30. Tuesday: Adult Inquiry, 7:30; C.S.F. Devotions, 9. Wednesday: Men's Bible Study, 6:30 a.m.; Bible Study, 9; Senior Group Luncheon, noon; Choir, 6:30 p.m.; Midweek, 6:30; Advent worship, 7:30.

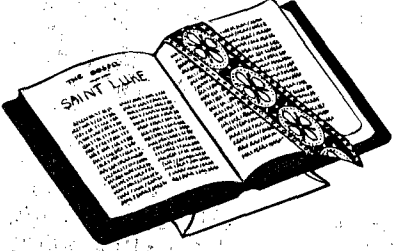
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Kingdom Hall
616 Grainland Rd.
Sunday: Public meeting, 10 a.m.; Watchtower study, 10:50. Tuesday: Ministry school, 7:30 p.m.; Service meeting, 8:20. Thursday: Congregation book study, 7:30 p.m.

OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN
421 Pearl St. • 375-2899.
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oslc@oslcwayne.org
Friday: Office closed. Sunday: Prayer Walkers, 8:30 a.m.; Worship, 6 p.m. Sunday: Worship, 8 and 10:30 a.m.; Adult Education, Sunday School, 9:15; Worship, 7 p.m. Monday: Tabitha Circle, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Tacos & More, 6:45 a.m.; Staff meeting, 9:30; Christian Education Committee, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Men's Bible Study, 7 a.m.; The Oaks Devotions, 3:30 p.m.; Joyful Noise Rehearsal, 6 p.m.; Advent Soup Supper, 6; Adult

Choir rehearsal, 6:45; Advent worship, 7:30. Thursday: Women Who Love to Talk - and Eat, 6 p.m.; Prayer Partners, 7.

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ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC
412 East 8th St.
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Friday: No Mass; No School at St. Mary's Elementary. Saturday: Confessions one-half hour before Mass; Mass, 6 p.m. Sunday: First Sunday of Advent. Confessions one-half hour before Mass; Mass, 8 and 10 a.m.; Spanish Mass, 6 p.m. Monday: No Mass; Council of Catholic Women meet in Holy Family Hall, 1:30 p.m. Tuesday: Mass, 8 a.m. Wednesday: Mass, 8:15 a.m.; Religious Education classes, 7 p.m.; Reconciliation for fifth grade students. Thursday: Mass, 8 a.m.; Fantasy forest Bake Sale, Wayne Auditorium; RCIA, rectory meeting room, 7 p.m.



Allen

FIRST LUTHERAN
(Karen Tjarks, TEEM)
Sunday: Worship, 9:30 a.m. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4 p.m.

UNITED METHODIST
(Rev. Dimond, pastor)
(Pastor Sara Simmons, pastor)
Sunday: Worship Services, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School and Fellowship, 10:30. Monday: Bible Study, 7 p.m. Tuesday: Jesus' Kids, 7 p.m.

Carroll

BETHANY PRESBYTERIAN
(Gail Axen, pastor)
Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
(Rev. Timothy Steckling, pastor)
Sunday: Worship Service, 8 a.m.; Sunday School, 8:50 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
(Rev. Mary Tyler Browne, pastor)

Saturday: Carroll Christmas Program Practice, 9:30 a.m. Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Newsletters available for pickup. Saturday: Carroll Christmas Program Practice, 9:30 a.m.

Concord

CONCORDIA LUTHERAN
(Karen Tjarks, TEEM)
Sunday: First Sunday of Advent. Worship, 10:45 a.m. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4:15 p.m.; Snak Shak, 5:45; Pioneer Club & Junior High, 6:15; Bible Studies, 6:30; Hearts Afire, 8:15. Thursday: Men's Bible Study at Taco's & More, 7 a.m.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN
East of town
(Willie Bertrand, pastor)
Sunday: First Sunday of Advent. Bible Study, 8 a.m.; Worship, 9. Monday: Quilting, 1 p.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Immanuel, 7:30 p.m.

EVANGELICAL FREE
(Pastor Todd Thelen)
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30; Hillcrest Care Center, 2 p.m.; Choir, 6; Junior and Senior High Youth Group, Evening Bible Study and Children's Choir, 7. Monday: Deacon Board meeting, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Awana & JV "Birthday Bash," 7 p.m.; Adult Bible Study and Prayer, 7.

Dixon

ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC
(Fr. James McCluskey, pastor)
Sunday: Mass, 10 a.m. Tuesday: Mass, 8 a.m.

Hoskins

PEACE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
(Olin Belt, pastor)
Sunday: Sunday School (Coffee Hour), 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30. Thursday: Dorcas Society, 1:30 p.m.

TRINITY EVANG. LUTHERAN
(Rödney Rixe, pastor)
Sunday: Trinity Bible Hour, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m. Monday: Ladies Bible Hour, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday: Confirmation class, 4:45 to 6:15; Choir practice, 7:30. Thursday: Ladies Aid, 1:30 p.m.

ZION LUTHERAN
(Lynn Riege, pastor)
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

Wakefield

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
3rd & Johnson
Internet web site: http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Acres/1262 (Bill Chase, Interim pastor) (Kobey Mortenson, Youth pastor)
Sunday: Christian Hour, KTCH, 8:45 a.m.; Prayer Warriors, 9; Sunday School, 9:30; Praise and Worship, 10:30.

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802 Winter St.
(Ross Erickson, pastor)
(Dennis Wood, Minister to Youth)
web site: http://www.blomnet.com/church/wakecov
e-mail: wakecov@blomnet.com

Sunday: First Sunday of Advent. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Senior High, 5 p.m.; C.E. Board, 7. Monday: WIC Clinic. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4:15 p.m.; Snak Shak, 5:45; Pioneer Club & Junior High, 6:15; Bible Studies, 6:30; Hearts Afire, 8:15. Thursday: Men's Bible Study at Taco's & More, 7 a.m.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN
4 North, 3 East of Wayne
(Willie Bertrand, pastor)
Sunday: First Sunday of Advent. Bible Study, 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30. Tuesday: Bible Study at Immanuel, 7:30 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN
216 West 3rd
(Susan Banholzer, pastor)
Sunday: Worship, 11 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN
West 7th & Maple
(Rev. Terry L. Buethe, pastor)
Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School and Adult Bible Study, 10:15; Youth Bible Study, 7 p.m.

SALEM LUTHERAN
411 Winter Street
(Jerome Cloninger, pastor)
Saturday: Worship with Communion, 6:30 p.m. Sunday: Advent begins. Bells, 8 a.m.; Sunday School, 9; Worship, 10:30; SAY, 5 p.m. Tuesday: Bible Study, 10 a.m.; XYZ meeting. Wednesday: Tape/ Video, 9:30 a.m.; WOW, 10; Confirmation, 4:30 p.m.; Meal, 6:15; Advent worship, 7. Thursday: Video on Cable. Saturday: Worship, 6:30 p.m.

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ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
218 Miner St.
(Pastor Timothy Steckling)
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Bible Study, 9:15; Worship with Communion, 10:30; Youth Group, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Midweek, 4 to 5:30 p.m.; Advent Supper, 6; Advent Worship, 7; Choir, 8.

TRINITY LUTHERAN
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Sunday: Sunday School and Fellowship, 9:30 a.m.; Contemporary Worship Service, 10:30.

UNITED METHODIST
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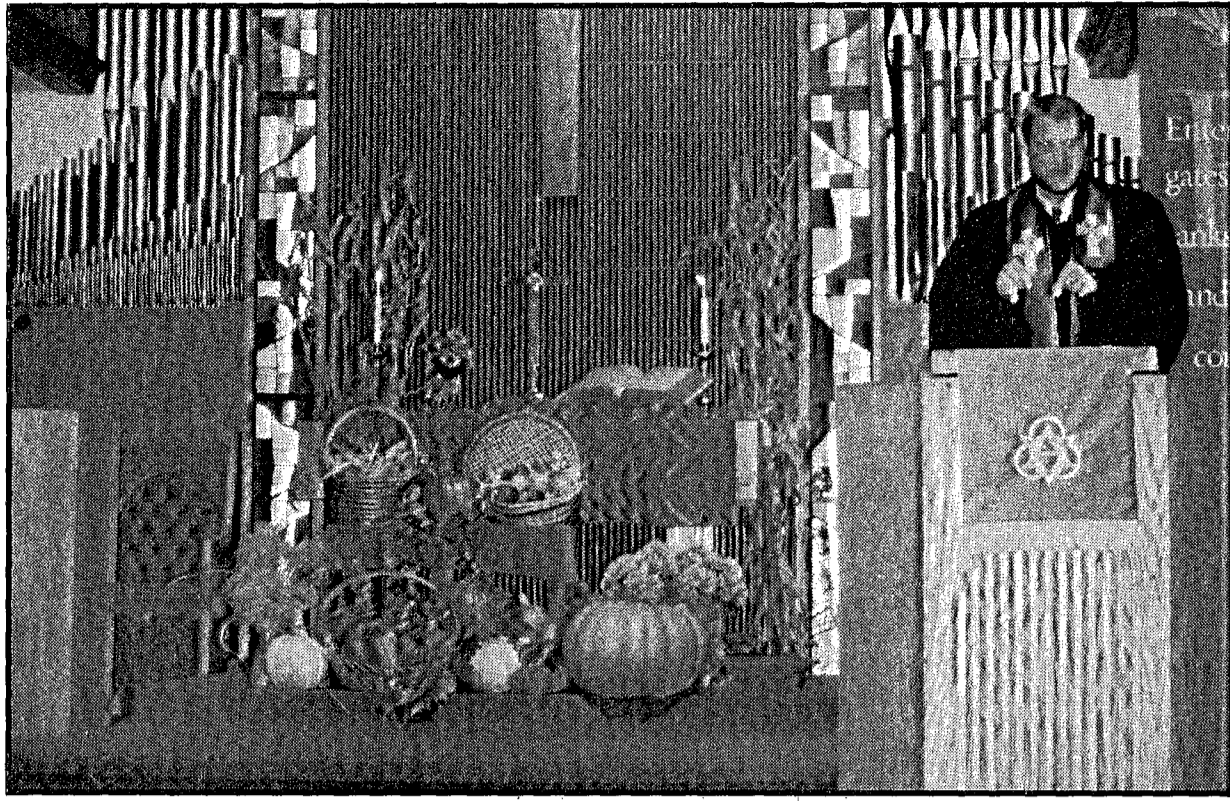
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Pastor Ray McCalla of First Presbyterian Church in Wayne presented the Thanksgiving message at this year's Community Thanksgiving service. This year's event was held at First United Methodist Church and special music throughout the service was provided by the church's bell and chancel choirs. Several other local ministers took part in the event which was followed by a soup and pie supper.

Immanuel Ladies conduct meeting

The Ladies Aid of Immanuel Lutheran Church of rural Wakefield met Nov. 17. Pastor William Bertrand led the Bible Study on "Giving Thanks to God," taken from Psalms 105, 106 and 107. Bonnie Nelson, Christian Growth Leader, gave a study on the Doxology. President Nila Schuttler conducted the business meeting. The

minutes and treasurer's reports were given. Eight members were present. Bonnie Schrieber and Alice Roeber gave their visiting report. The group voted to purchase Christmas gifts for the shut-ins. Alice Roeber and Bonnie Nelson will audit the treasurer's books. Christmas donations will be sent to Lutheran Old People's Home, Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch,

Bethesda and Lutheran School for the Deaf. Plans were made for a soup dinner on Sunday, Dec. 4 for Pledge Sunday. Election results were as follows: Mrs. Lloyd Roeber, president; Alta Meyer, vice president; Beverly Ruwe, secretary and Bonnie Schrieber, treasurer. Lunch was served by Laura Winters. The next meeting will be the Christmas luncheon.

School Lunches

ALLEN SCHOOLS
(Nov. 28 - 30)
Monday: Breakfast - Cereal & turnovers. Lunch - Corn dogs or mini corn dogs, French fries, peaches, cookie.
Tuesday: Breakfast - Cereal and muffins. Lunch - Chicken, baked potatoes, California blended vegetables, rolls.
Wednesday: Breakfast - Pop-tarts. Lunch - Ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, pears, roll.

LAUREL-CONCORD SCHOOLS
(Nov. 28 - Dec. 2)
Monday: Breakfast - Waffles. Lunch - Pizza, green beans, fruit, dessert, bread.
Tuesday: Breakfast - Egg biscuit. Lunch - Breaded beef patty on bun, corn, fruit, dessert.
Wednesday: Breakfast - Cereal. Lunch - Chicken, gravy, mashed potatoes, fruit, dessert, bread.
Thursday: Breakfast - Coffee cake. Lunch - Walking taco, lettuce, dressing, fruit, bread.
Friday: Breakfast - Sausage wrap. Lunch - Sub sandwich, oven fries, fruit, dessert.
Milk and juice available for breakfast. Milk, chocolate milk, orange juice available each day.

WAKEFIELD
(Nov. 28 - 30)
Monday: No School.
Tuesday: Soft shell tacos, corn, homemade bun, peaches.
Wednesday: Spaghetti with meat sauce, breadsticks, lettuce, apple-sauce.

WAYNE
(Nov. 28 - Dec. 2)
Monday: No School.
Tuesday: Chicken nuggets, peas, wheat dinner roll, pineapple, pudding.
Wednesday: Spaghetti, French bread, green beans, apple crisp.
Thursday: Chili, crackers, carrots, applesauce, cinnamon roll.
Friday: Hot dog with bun, French fries, orange juice, cake.
Milk served with each meal. Also available daily: chef's salad, roll or crackers, fruit or juice, dessert.

WINSIDE SCHOOLS
(Nov. 28 - Dec. 2)
Monday: Breakfast - Muffin.

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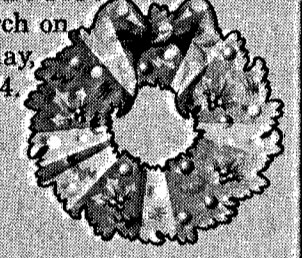
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Senior Center Calendar

(Week of Nov. 28- Dec. 2)
Monday, Nov. 28: Morning walking; Pool, cards & quilting, 1 p.m.
Tuesday, Nov. 29: Morning walking; Cards and quilting.
Wednesday, Nov. 30: Morning walking; Cards, quilting and pool, 1 p.m.
Thursday, Dec. 1: Morning walking; Quilting; Pitch party, 1:15 to 3 p.m.
Friday, Dec. 2: Morning walking; Quilting; Pool and cards, 1 p.m.; Monthly birthday party with music by Ervin Schmidt.

Youth group selling Christmas wreaths

The First United Methodist Church Youth Group in Wayne is having a Christmas wreath sale. They are selling a 25" fresh cut balsam fir wreath for \$15. Anyone interested in purchasing one of the wreaths is asked to call Terry Wert at 375-1424 to reserve a wreath. Wreaths may be delivered to homes in Wayne or picked up at the United Methodist Church on Sunday, Dec. 4.



Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

(Week of Nov. 28-30)
Meals served daily at noon
For reservations, call 375-1460
Each meal served with bread, 2% milk and coffee
Monday: Scalloped potatoes & ham, mixed vegetables, cheesy pasta salad, Royal Anne cherries, jello cake.
Tuesday: Beef & noodles, wax bean pimiento, double cheese pear halves, beet pickle, nutty peach crisp.
Wednesday: Baked chicken, rice pilaf, beets, coleslaw, apricots.

Our Savior WELCA gathers

The WELCA at Our Savior Lutheran Church met with 19 members present at the November meeting. Viola Meyer was elected to be treasurer to fill the vacancy left by the death of Mylet Bargholz. Phyllis Rahn shared stories and poems on how people may be touched spiritually by a friend or stranger. She reviewed the book "I Told the Mountains to Move." Gena Puls and Frieda Jorgensen served lunch. The potluck dinner for Wednesday, Dec. 14 will be at noon for all of the women of the church.

Briefly Speaking

Retired school personnel meet in Wayne
AREA - Wayne Area Association of Retired School Personnel met Nov. 7 at Tacos & More. Twelve members and one guest were present. The meeting was called to order by President Mary Lou George. Various reports were given by the different committees. The program, "Overseas Experiences," was given by Nancy Endicott. Members noted it was "excellent and full of information." The next meeting will be Monday, Jan. 2, 2006 at Tacos & More in Wayne.

The Wayne Rotary would like to invite you to their annual **Soup and Pie Supper** in conjunction with Fantasy Forest. Please join us on Dec. 1 from 5:00 to 8:00 PM at the City Auditorium. Cost is \$5.00 for adults. Children under 12, \$2.50. All proceeds benefit (community) Youth Projects, Rotary's WSC Scholarship Fund & Habitat for Humanity (2006 build)

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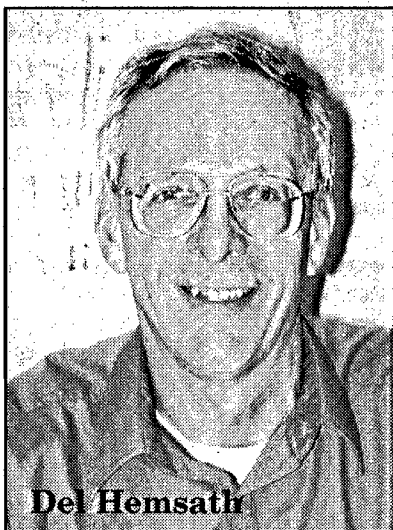
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with marketing skills. How fast should you change hybrids or varieties? An Auburn study compared the top hybrids from a three-year regional average, which yielded 114 bushels, with the top hybrids from the previous year's test yielding 119 bushels -- a five bushel increase. This data was based on comparisons from 11 locations and eight years. This increase was at the 114 to 119 bushel level. One reason for the yield advantage of company entries is that they are usually more recently developed than varieties which were widely grown the previous year. It has been stated that corn hybrids are improving at the rate of one bu/ac per year and soybean at the rate of one-half bu/ac per year.



Del Hemsath
Extension Educator

ond. In the case of corn, maturity will influence planting date, determine harvest date, harvest moisture, and the chances of getting caught with immature corn in case of an early frost. With soybean, the maturity will be more closely related to the area of adaptation. A maturity group that is inappropriate will not perform well regardless of planting date or harvest date. Other factors to consider with both crops are disease resistance, insect resistance, herbicide resistance, quality, and in some cases, price of seed.

NSP puts in extra hours over holiday

As motorists take to the road for the Thanksgiving Holiday, the Nebraska State Patrol wants to make sure they get to and from their destination safely. To help ensure safe travel, the Nebraska State Patrol will have the equivalent of 36 extra troopers on duty beginning at 6 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 23, 2005, through Sunday, November 27. The extra enforcement is paid for thanks in part to a \$16,000.00 grant from the Nebraska Office of Highway Safety (NOHS). "Motorists can expect the interstate and highways across Nebraska to be congested at times due to the added holiday travel," said Colonel Bryan Tuma, Superintendent of the Nebraska State Patrol. "While our troopers will be putting in extra hours to promote safe travel, we encourage motorists to do their part when it comes to reaching their destination safely." The Nebraska State Patrol encourages motorists to always buckle-up, obey the posted speed limit, never drive too fast for weather and road conditions, allow plenty of time to reach your destination, drive defensively and never get behind the wheel while impaired. In addition to extra officers on duty, Motorist Assist volunteers in specially marked vans will be available to help stranded motorists along I-80 from Kearney to Omaha. The Patrol's participation in a national effort to get motorists to buckle-up continues over the Thanksgiving holiday weekend. The "Click It or Ticket" campaign, which runs through Nov. 27, 2005, is designed to raise awareness about the need to wear your safety belt every time you get into your vehicle. The Nebraska State Patrol reminds all travelers who experience an emergency or would like to report a reckless or impaired driver to call the Highway-HelpLine by dialing * 55 on any cellular phone or 1-800-525-5555. Travelers should dial 511 for road, weather and construction information.

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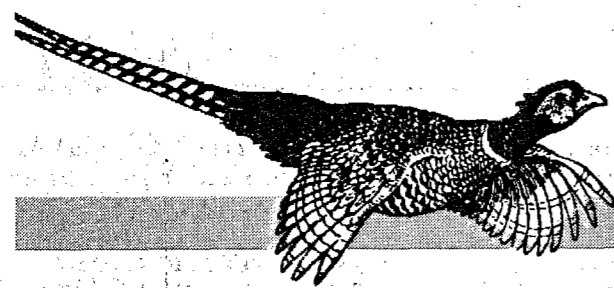
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Count your blessings during holiday season

It's true, the Christmas decorations are up all over town and the music in the stores is seasonal. But yours truly just brought in the Halloween witch that has been guarding the front door all month. I guess I will just skip the Thanksgiving decorations.

We had an early dinner here on Saturday. HyVee provided the food. I've seen that ad for several years now, and decided to try it. It wasn't bad, but next year I'll go back to my strategy of cooking the turkey ahead of time, carving and deboning, and then just heating up for the day of the meal.

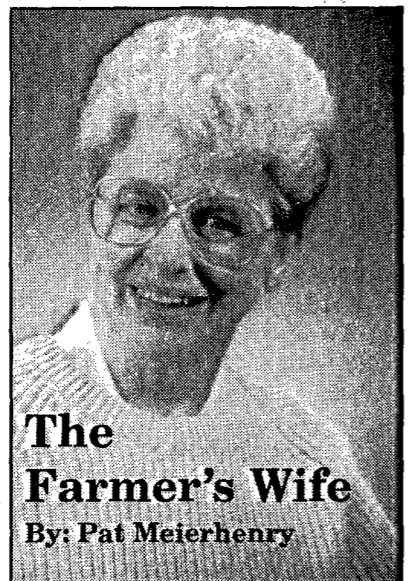
Also, home-mashed potatoes are better. I cooked the carcass last night, and we will be enjoying turkey noodle soup this noon.

We kept track of the high school football championship games, courtesy of NTV. What a thrill it must be for those kids to play in Memorial Stadium. There were some heart breakers, but Howells and Norfolk Catholic looked really tough. It was fun watching Matt Turman coach Skutt.

When we got this month's Visa bill, we could hardly believe how low it was. The only things on it were groceries and medications. We didn't even fill the gas tank! Guess we need to stay home more and save money.

Just by chance, I discovered that the last book in the Mitford series was out, so I ordered it. And I read it all last Friday evening! It wrapped things up very nicely, but I'm sorry to see them come to an end. If you still haven't discovered the joys of Mitford, North Carolina and Fr. Tim and his entourage, do get to the library. I guarantee they will restore your faith in human beings and your joy of living in a

small town. This is being written on Monday, so the Herald can make an early deadline on Wednesday. This year, I'm thankful for my new knee, I guess, although it's too soon to tell how successful it's been. I'm grateful



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

ful that my 89 year old mother was able to enjoy dinner with us on Saturday eve; and that she can drive herself to church on Sunday morning. I'm giving thanks for that church, with two vital ministers who can preach great sermons with very few notes.

We are eternally thankful for our grown kids and their spouses; they did all the dishes and helped get things ready for winter around here. And, of course, we are grateful for seven healthy grandkids. While we are at it, we are also grateful for a big basement where they can play without disturbing the football games in the living room!

I have a hard time getting the

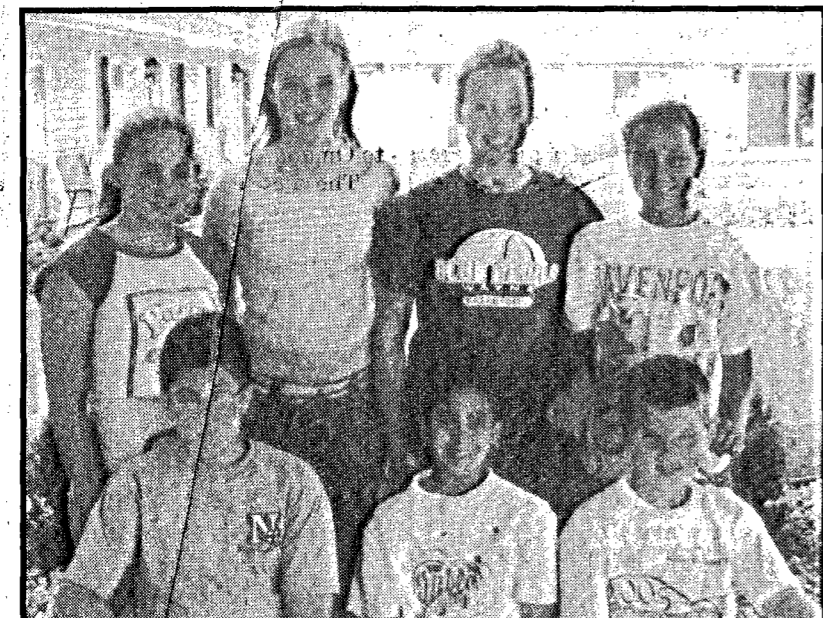
faces of the Pakistani children out of my mind. Even the hurricane victims are faring better because they will not be experiencing a harsh winter. Somehow, we have to get more aid there before the weather socks in. My prayer is for more international attention and money and helpers. I'd go myself, if I thought I could manage it. I admire the folks who have gone, and pray for them, too.

As we prepare for the first Sunday in Advent, let us realize how blessed we really are, and that we have been "blessed to be a blessing." Let us remember the author of our blessings, and take time to thank Him, again and again.

Kids and Critters 4-H meeting held

The November 13th meeting of Kids and Critters was called to order by Amber Kittle. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance and the 4-H Pledge. Roll was taken by Andrew Wurdeman with seven members and two leaders present.

The Treasurer report was given by Danielle Wurdeman. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Old business of donating cookies was discussed. It was voted on and passed for each member to bring two dozen baked cookies to frost and decorate then donate to the Senior Citizens Center in Wayne. Each member will donate one dozen and take the other dozen home. A motion was made to adjourn the meeting. The next meeting will be in Wayne on Dec. 11th at 2 p.m. A wildlife board exhibit was made by each member after the meeting. A snack was served by Amber Kittle.



Special project

The City Slickers & Country Mixers 4-H Club helped with Grandparents Day at The Oaks this fall. They helped serve an ice cream social for residents and their guests and also helped with clean up after the event. Members who assisted with the event were, front row, left to right, Henry Greve, Martha Mitiku and Heath Greve. Back row, Jessica Kranz, Michelle Jarvi, Shannon Jarvi and Hannah Mitiku.

Livestock Market Report

The Norfolk Livestock Market had a run of 736 fat cattle at Friday's sale.

The market was steady to \$1 to \$1.50 higher on fat cattle; steady on cows and lower on bulls.

Strictly choice fed steers, \$88 to \$90.40. Good and choice steers, \$87 to \$88. Medium and good steers, \$87 to \$88. Holstein steers, \$70 to \$79. Strictly choice fed heifers, \$88 to \$90.50. Good and choice heifers, \$87 to \$88. Medium and good heifers, \$87 to \$88. Heiferettes were \$60 to \$70.

Beef cows, \$50 to \$52.50. Utility cows, \$48 to \$50. Cannerns and cutters, \$45 to \$47. Bologna bulls, \$55 to \$60.

The stocker and feeder sale was held Thursday at the Norfolk Livestock Market. There were 475 head sold on a market that was steady.

Good and choice steer calves, \$140 to \$160. Choice and prime lightweight calves, \$140 to \$165. Good and choice yearling steers, \$110 to \$120. Choice and prime lightweight yearling steers were \$110 to \$120. Good and choice heifer calves, \$140 to \$150. Choice and prime lightweight heifer calves were \$140 to \$150. Good and choice yearling heifers, \$105 to \$115.

The dairy cattle sale was held Monday at the Norfolk Livestock Market.

The market was steady on the seven head sold. Crossbred calves, \$200 to \$300; holstein calves, \$100 to \$175.

The sheep sale was held Monday at the Norfolk Livestock Market. There were 194 head sold.

The market was steady on all classes.

Fat lambs — 110 to 160 lbs., \$78 to \$80.75.

Feeder lambs — 40 to 60 lbs., \$90 to \$130; 60 to 100 lbs., \$80 to \$90.

Ewes — Good — \$65 to \$90; medium — \$45 to \$65; slaughter — \$30 to \$45.

The feeder pig sale was held Monday at the Norfolk Livestock Market.

There was no test on the market.

Butcher hog head count at the Norfolk Livestock Market on

Monday totaled 342. Butchers were \$4.50 lower; sows were \$1 to \$2 lower.

U.S. 1's + 2's, 230 to 260 lbs., \$38 to \$38.50; 2's + 3's, 230 to 260 lbs., \$37.50 to \$38; 2's + 3's, 260 to 280 lbs., \$37 to \$38; 2's + 3's, 280 to 300 lbs., \$34 to \$37; 3's + 4's, 300 lbs. +, \$32 to \$36.

Sows — 350 to 500 lbs., \$32 to \$35. 500 to 650 lbs., \$35 to \$37. Boars — \$14 to \$25.

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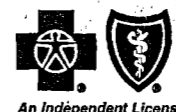
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New Years - Monday, Jan. 2nd

The last penalty free day is the 10th of each month and cut off dates approximately one week later. Drop boxes conveniently located at office locations in Ponca, Osmond, Emerson and Wayne.

All of us at the Northeast Nebraska PPD wish you and yours a Happy Holiday Season.

Willow Creek State Recreation Area - 20 years old

Located 1 1/2 miles south-west of Pierce, scenic Willow Creek State Recreation Area draws its name from the meandering stream that feeds the Elkhorn River in northeast Nebraska. It covers 1,650 acres, including a 700-acre flood-control reservoir. The area is particularly popular with campers, anglers, picnickers, and hunters.

Construction began in 1982. The \$5.2 million reservoir project was built by the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District (LENRD) with cost-sharing by the Nebraska Natural Resources Commission. The Nebraska Game & Parks Commission (NG&PC) operates and maintains Willow Creek as a State Recreation Area, and a current Nebraska park entry permit is required for all vehicles.

The recreation area opened in August 1984 and offers camping, fishing, boating (both power boating and no wake boating areas) and swimming. Picnickers will find several shelters with an ample supply of table sand fire grates. A 4 1/2 mile hiking and horseback trail winds through the area. Park roads and unmowed areas may also be used for horseback riding.

Reservations are now accepted for camping, and stays are limited to 14 days in a 30-day period. There are 100 pads in the campground with 64 sites with 30 amp and 19 with 50 amp electrical hookups. The shower house has laundry facilities, and there is also a dump station. Parts of the recreation area are also open to hunting.

For more information on this and other recreation areas, visit us on the web at www.lenrd.org or visit the NG&PC website at: www.ngpc.state.ne.us

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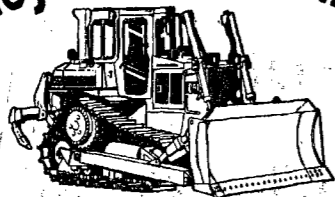
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LEGION AUXILIARY

The American Legion met briefly with the Legion for a Memorial

Service for Doris Turney. President Phyllis O'Brien presided with Sharon Puckett as Chaplain. Don Turney was presented with a Marker. Doris was a member for nine years.

Following the service, the regular meeting was opened by our President. Sharon Puckett gave the prayer. Roll call was answered by five members present with what their plans were for Thanksgiving. Due to treasurer's absence, Phyllis reported a balance of \$604.13.

Jean Morgan reported 72 mem-

bers have paid their dues. She also reported attending the County Convention in Pender and that the Constitution and By Law were approved.

The Blood Mobile was at the Allen School on Nov. 14. Cookies were provided by Marcia Rastade and Carol Werner. Donna Stalling, Sharon Puckett, Paulette Kumm and Phyllis O'Brien provided cookies for County Government Day. A check for \$40 was sent to help defray costs.

A letter was received from District President Jackie O'Neill concerning Mid-Year Conference on Jan. 14 in Grand Island. Also, a Target Date #2 Certificated stating Unit #131 had met 70.268 percent of their membership goal as of Sept. 30, 2005 and also a target date #3 Certificate for Unit #131 for meeting 86.585 percent of membership goal. The last letter was from their District President and it stated that District #3 was in first place as of Oct. 21 in their membership goal.

Scholarship information has been requested by Molly Mitchell - that information will be forwarded. The next meeting will be the Christmas Dinner at the Village Inn, December 12 at 6 pm.

Servers from January will be Stephanie Jorgensen and Joanne O'Quinn.

A thank you was received from Kandy Lanser and a card from District Chairman for Paulette Kumm's granddaughter, Emily Mason, a new junior member.

Lois Stapleton was asked to check on the food tray for the Allen Teachers for Education Week.

A committee will review the Americanism Essay Contest entries by the January meeting. Carol Werner will be calling on other members to assist.

CHRISTMAS IN THE COUNTRY

Music Boosters activities are continuing as we approach the holiday season. There will be a "Christmas in the Country" tour of homes to the Jeanne Kavanaugh, George Sullivan, Verlan Hingst, Bob Hohenstein, Wayne Chase, Marvin Keitges, and Loren Lund residences on Dec. 4.

Because of the driving in the country and limited parking space at the homes, van transportation will be provided and is mandatory. Vans will leave the school at 12:45, 1:15, 1:45, 2:15, 2:45, 3:15, and 3:45 with the tour taking about 3 hours

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Cost of the tour and refreshments is \$7 payable at the school Commons area on Dec. 4. Also for your enjoyment that afternoon, the one-act play cast will present the half hour comedy, An Evening of Culture: Faith County II, at 1 and 2:40 p.m. Cost of the ticket is \$2. You will be able to go to either performance and go on the tour afterwards. There will also be door prizes to give away and a raffle for a Christmas centerpiece.

MUSIC BOOSTERS

All Music Boosters families with children in 5-12 instrumental and 9-12 vocal music programs are reminded that the annual bake and craft sale will be held in conjunction with the Christmas concert on Dec. 19. Each family is to bring two items to the school the evening of the concert. We will price the baked items but ask that you price your craft items. If you are unable to bring two items per family, you are expected to pay \$5. The updated community birthday, anniversary, and activity calendars will also be on sale for \$5 at the concert.

Santa will be visiting with children in the school Commons area

after the elementary part of the Christmas concert on Dec. 19. Santa will not be coming to Allen on the Saturday before Christmas as in previous years.

NO CHRISTMAS DRAWING

There will be NO Christmas drawing, but Santa Claus will visit town after the elementary part of the Dec. 19 Christmas concert. He will be in the school Commons area to visit with the children and hand out candy.

NEW GARBAGE RATES

Effective Jan. 1, 2006 the Village of Allen is raising their garbage rates. The rates will be as follows: Large Dumpsters - \$50 per month, Small Dumpsters - \$32 per month, Small Business/Out of Town - \$15 per month, and Residential - \$10 per month. If you have any questions, please contact the Village Office.

SENIOR CENTER

Friday, Nov. 25: Open for coffee and cards NO noon meal.

Monday, Nov. 28: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, broccoli, applesauce.

Tuesday, Nov. 29: Salmon patty, scalloped potatoes, beets, pears.

Wednesday, Nov. 30: Hot beef sandwich, mashed potatoes, baked beans, coleslaw, cookie.

Thursday, Dec. 1: Salmon patty, hashbrown casserole, peas, plums.

Friday, Dec. 2: Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, corn, coleslaw, cake and ice cream.

COMMUNITY BIRTHDAYS

Friday, Nov. 25: Joe Sullivan, Keith Woodward, Cassandra Ellis. Saturday, Nov. 26: Nathan Oswald, Lesta Hubbard, Carol Ann Carlson.

Sunday, Nov. 27: Brent Benstead, Ronnie Gotch.

Wednesday, Nov. 30: Dana Zeidler, Leroy Stark, Angie Borg.

Thursday, Dec. 1: Landon Kraft, Linda McDonald, Jennifer Moore, Tom Sands.

Friday, Dec. 2: Jerald Stewart, Joel/Tonie Greve(A).

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Friday, Nov. 25: No School Senior Center open for coffee and cards, NO NOON MEAL!

Sunday, Nov. 27: First Lutheran Church, 9 a.m. (not 9:30 as on Church calendar!)

Monday, Nov. 28: No Card Party at Senior Center.

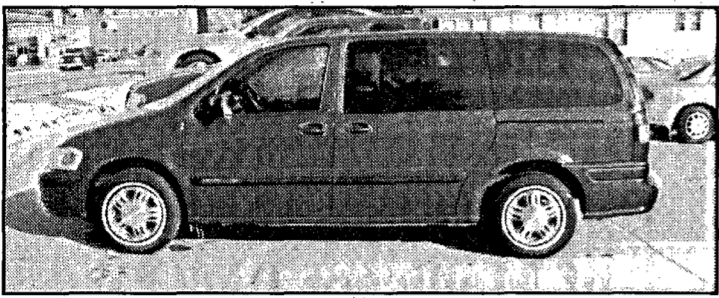
Tuesday, Nov. 29: Somerset at Senior Center, 1:30 p.m.; District One Act at Elgin; Basketball Scrimmage for Katrina at Allen versus Osmond, 4 p.m. (JVG/JVB/VG/VB).

Thursday, Dec. 1: Board meeting at Senior Center, 9 a.m.

Friday, Dec. 2: Birthday Party at Senior Center at noon;

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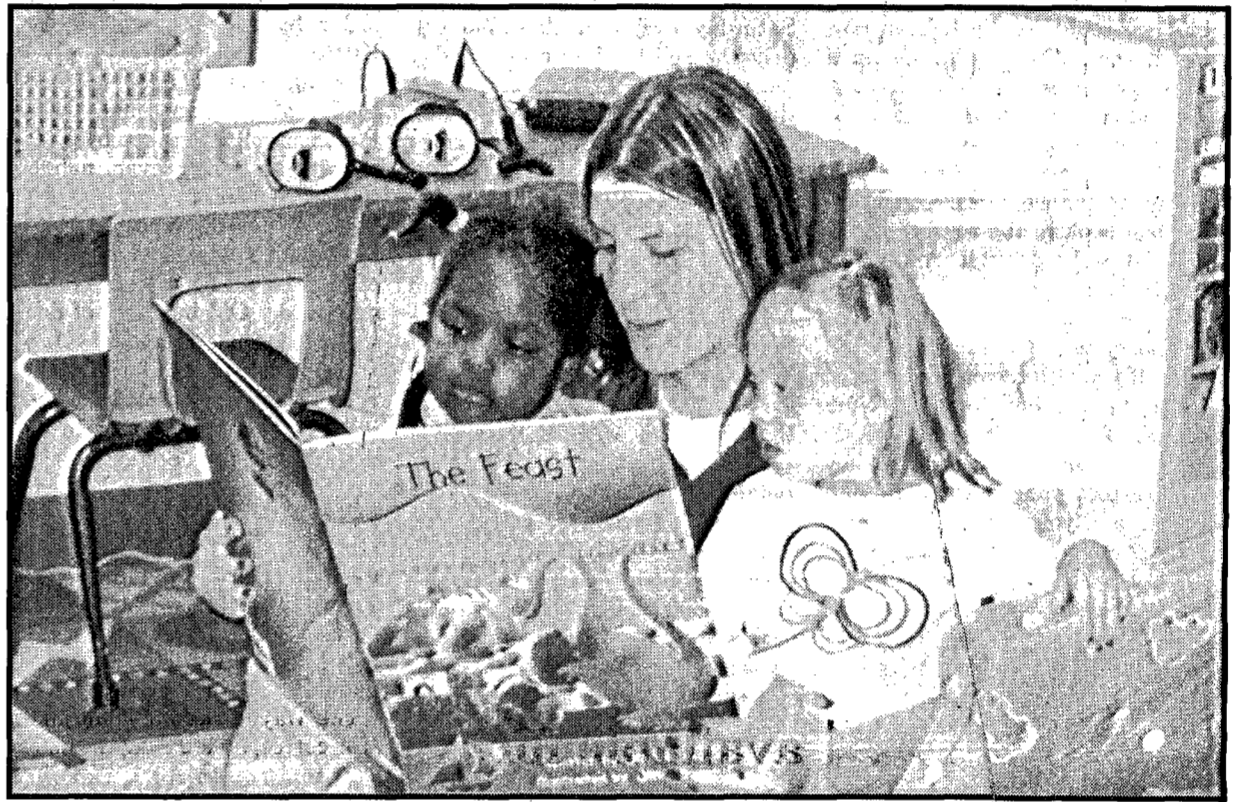
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WSC students visit Head Start

Wayne State College EDU 330 class visited Wayne Head Start children recently. The college students have been selecting and rehearsing stories to read aloud to young children through Middle School grades. These education students have participated in a "Read Aloud Nebraska" project that requires them to volunteer time reading to young children. Their visit to Head Start helped them meet a portion of that project requirement plus it gave them an opportunity to develop relationships with pre-school children. WSC education students who visited Head Start were Jennifer Bruckner, Samantha Deck, Jennifer Ellis, James Loecker, Kristina MacDonald, Meighan McCarthy, Amy Miller, Daneill Moser, Tara Olivia, Andrea Pehoviack, Chad Peterson, Jill Pullen, James York, and their instructor, Ruth Schumacher. Above, Grace Njue and Allison Bruckner with WSC college student Jennifer Bruckner and mother of Allison.

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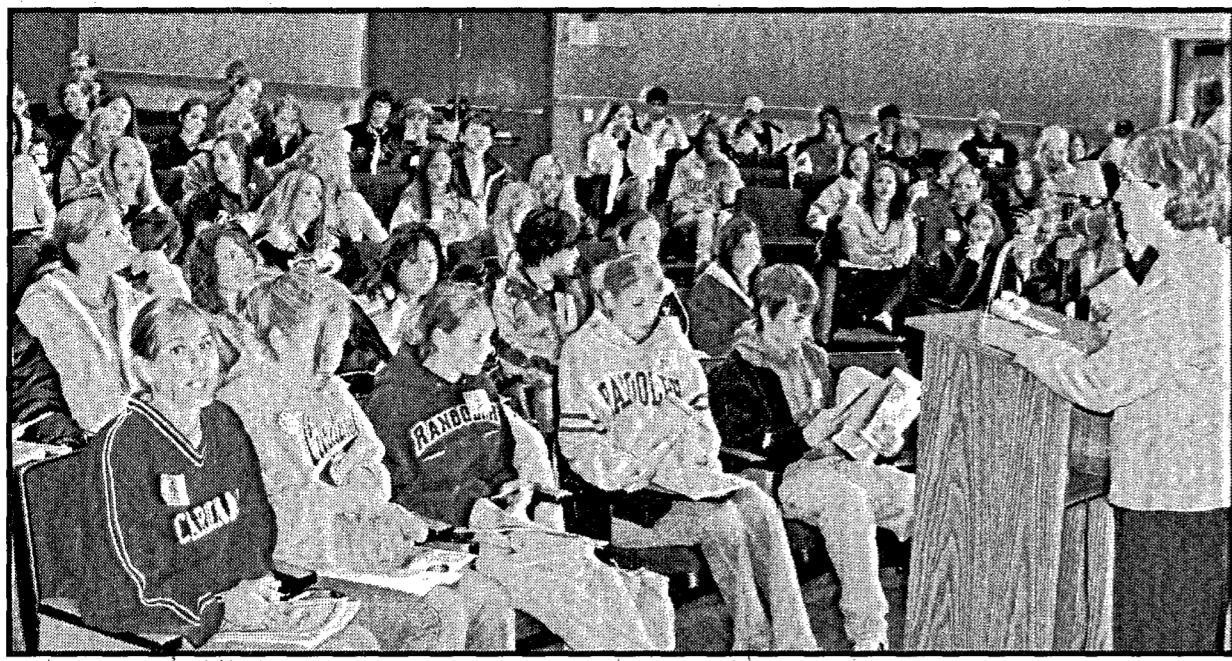
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Just Juniors Day held at WSC

Dorothy Weber of Wayne State College, right, welcomes area high school juniors during to attend the 'Just Juniors' Day free A.C.T. preparation workshop at Wayne State College on Nov. 19. Informational sessions for both parents and students were held during the day including campus tours, an academic fair, sessions on student services, financial aid and scholarships.

McIntosh legacy scholarship matching fund program completed at NECC

Members of the J. Paul and Eleanor McIntosh family and officials at Northeast Community College had reasons to celebrate recently.

At a special program honoring the McIntosh family, it was announced that the \$500,000 McIntosh Legacy Scholarship Fund Program has been successfully completed. Scholarships to deserving Northeast students will now be distributed from the funds raised through the challenge.

It was in March of 1999 that McIntosh, his wife, Eleanor, and children, LaRayne Horn, Jan Einspahr, Jonathan McIntosh, David McIntosh, and Heather McIntosh announced that the family was donating \$500,000, of which \$250,000 would be used to establish the McIntosh Family Endowed Scholarship and the other \$250,000 would be used as matching funds to challenge others to match that donation. According to Angie McLean, Northeast director of development, another \$500,000 has been raised since McIntosh originally issued his challenge.

McIntosh joined the Northeast Board of Governors in 1987, served as Board chair in 1993 and 2000, and has chaired many of its committees. He also represented Northeast on the Nebraska Community College Association (NCCA) Board and served as its chair in 2001.

In 2002, he received the Governors Award from the Nebraska Community College Association for his exemplary leadership in local and state community college positions. He chaired the Nebraska Council on Public Higher Education in 2002. He continues to represent the State's community colleges on the Nebraska Educational Telecommunications Board.

In 2003, McIntosh was named one of 11 Benefactors of the Year by the Council for Resource Development in Washington, D.C. The award is given nationally to recognize exceptional donors to local community colleges.

According to the terms of McIntosh's original 1999 challenge,

any contribution of \$5000 or more was matched 50 percent by the McIntosh Legacy Scholarship program.

A former teacher, McIntosh is now a businessman/entrepreneur with several enterprises in the region. He has served on more than a dozen business, educational, charitable and humanitarian boards and foundations.

Other past organizational memberships and community activities have included the Norfolk Public Schools Board of Education, the Board of Directors for the Nebraska School Board Association, the National School Board Association, the Norfolk Rotary Club, Norfolk Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, the Elkhorn Valley Historical Association, and the Nebraska Christian College Foundation.

For more information about the McIntosh Legacy Challenge Fund, contact McLean at 402-844-7056.

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Choral ensembles to perform in Kearney

The choirs at the University of Nebraska at Kearney will once again take the stage Sunday, Dec. 4, at 5 p.m.

Among those performing will be women's chorus members Rachel Jensen and Sarah Jensen of Wayne; Choraleers Emily Brady, John Jensen and Jessica Murtaugh of Wayne. Jessica is also a member of the Collegium.

Under the direction of Dr. David Bauer, the Women's Chorus, Men's Chorus, Choraleers and Collegium will perform a combined concert of various styles of music.

Dr. Bauer said, "The highlight of

WSC students to present Honors Projects

Senior Honors presentations will be held at Wayne State College for honors students in the coming weeks. Through a combination of specialized general education courses and research projects completed in the academic major, the Wayne State College Honors Program provides opportunities, including research and specialized general education courses to students selected for the program.

Honors students who pursue the option of High Honors in the Major complete two honors projects. These projects serve to culminate their Honors Program experience, and involve research they have completed. Each semester, senior honors projects are presented on campus. Many honors students also present their project results at national conferences.

Wayne State College honors presentations are open to the public. The following presentations have been scheduled for the fall semester. Presentations are listed alphabetically by students' hometowns, with the title of the presentation, place and date following. For more information, contact Dr. James O'Donnell, coordinator of the WSC Honors Program, at 402-375-7394.

Nebraska: Brainard: Matthew Pernicek, "Changing Times, Changing Locations: The Diffusion of NASCAR in America" Wednesday, Dec. 7, 4 p.m., Connell Hall, Rm. 131.

Laurel: Lani Recob, "Comparison of the National Latino Health Profile to the Health Profile in the Surrounding Area," Tuesday, Dec. 6, 3 p.m., Humanities Student Lounge.

Merna: Christina Larsen, "Sex Education: Can Society Afford It?" Friday, Dec. 9, 11 a.m., Brandenburg Education Building, Rm. 101.

Norfolk: Josie Wolff, "Harmful Effects of Food Aid from the West: A Case Study of Somalia," Wednesday, Dec. 7, 3:30 p.m., Connell Hall, Rm. 131.

Sarah Rowse, "A Reflection on Power, Play, and Process: Emigration in America - a Directorial Approach to Rowing in America: The Immigrant Project" Thursday, Dec. 15, 1 p.m., Humanities Building, Rm. 319

Randolph: Katharine Dowling, "Untying the Knot: Social Relationships in Selected Medieval and Renaissance Texts," Tuesday, Dec. 6, 2 p.m., Humanities Student Lounge.

Spencer: Victor Johnson, "Geography of Religion: Looking at Sacred Sites and Examining How

Religious Beliefs Affect Nature," Wednesday, Dec. 7, 4:30 p.m., Connell Hall, Rm. 131.

South Dakota: Vermillion: Kelly O'Connor, "Social/Political Implications of the U.S. Military's 'Stop Loss Policy,'" Monday, Dec. 12, 3:30 p.m., Connell Hall, Rm. 131.

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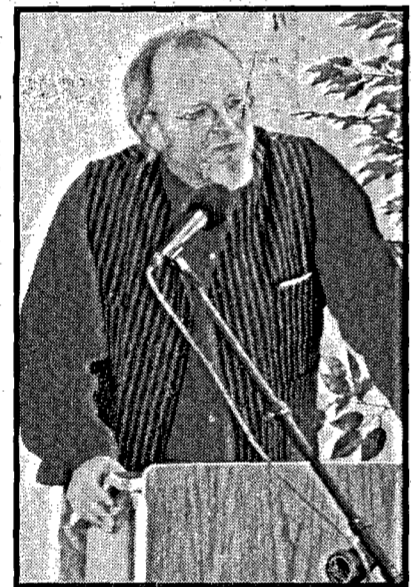
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Dec. 5 from 3 - 8 p.m. and Dec. 12 from 3 - 8 p.m.

Individuals from UNL - Extension and the Nebraska SHIP program will be on hand to assist Seniors (or others who support seniors) input their individual data into the computer and look at the alternatives.

Those who would like assistance are asked to schedule a time through the UNL - Extension Office in Dixon County by calling 402-584-2234. They will need to bring their Medicare Card and list of their medications when attending. If you have questions, call Sandy at the UNL Extension Office in Concord.

Festival held

Jim Brummels, associate professor at Wayne State College, introduced poets at the Plains Poetry Festival, Nov. 17, in the Humanities Building lounge on the Wayne State campus. Readings were sponsored by several Nebraska literary publishers -- Lone Willow and The Backwater Presses, Logan House and the newly-formed WSC Press.

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LIBRARY BOARD

The Lied Winside Public Library Board of Directors met Nov. 7 with five members present.

President Helen Hancock called the meeting to order. The secretary's report was read and approved. The librarian's report showed 575 items loaned, of which 215 were adult and 360 were children.

Donations were received from Gene and Teri Reed, Lee Koch,

Cheryl Mann and Shelly Kaiser. Orders were received from Penn-Worthy, Double Day, Ingram, Thompsen-Gale, Jr. Library Guild and Readers' Digest Large Print Select.

A complementary CD from the Nebraska Studies Organization on Nebraska History, Pre-1500, has been received. The CD is a portion of Nebraska Studies web sites which offer archival photos, documents, letters, video segments, maps and more capturing the life and history of Nebraska from pre-

1500 to present.

The October Story time had approximately six in attendance. The theme was "Penn-Worthy Bears."

The Lied Winside Public Library sponsored a Halloween party which was organized by Lori Finn. She also created the haunted house and the library board thanked her for all her hard work.

The next of the Library Board will be Monday, Dec. 5 at 7 p.m.

WELCA

Winside Trinity Lutheran Church WELCA group met Nov. 9 with seven members present.

President Kathy Jensen opened the meeting with a reading, "Thirty-six Ways for a Christian to Reduce Stress and Recharge." The Bible Study was "The Battle Against Us."

Peg Krueger read the secretary's report and Lois Krueger the treasurer's report. Peg Krueger and a group of seventh and eighth graders tied 10 quilts and made by Irene Fork. They were delivered to Norfolk for World Relief.

The WELCA group will decorate the Christmas tree after worship on Sunday, Dec. 4. They will also host a potluck Christmas dinner on Wednesday, Dec. 14 at noon with all congregational ladies invited to attend. Mary Ann Soden, Peg Krueger and Mary Lou George will be in charge. Those attending should bring a \$1 to \$2 gift exchange. Those bringing guests should bring a gift for them also.

A "thinking of you" card was signed for a congregational member.

The meeting closed with The Lord's Prayer.

Mary Lou George was hostess.

BAKE SALE

The Winside Scholarship Foundation will hold a bake sale during the Elementary Concert on Thursday, Dec. 1.

All donations of baked goods would be appreciated.

For more information or for pick-up or delivery to the school, contact Carol Jorgensen at (402) 286-4598 or Kathy Jensen at (402) 286-4562.

BUSY BEES

Five members of the Busy Bees Club met Nov. 16 at the home of Ella Mae Cleveland.

The group discussed the Dec. 15 Christmas dinner.

Rack-O was played with Irene Fork winning the high prize. Everyone else also received a prize. The meeting was co-hosted by

Ella Mae Cleveland and Helen Holtgrew.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Monday, Nov. 28: One-Act Play, 6:45 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 29: District One-Act Play at Elgin; School dismissed at 1:30 p.m.; Winside Junior High Wrestling Invite, 3 p.m.; Hurricane girls' basketball and boys' basketball at Lynch, 6 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 1: Elementary Winter Concert, high school gym, 7 p.m.; Winside Scholarship Foundation Bake Sale.

Friday, Dec. 2: Junior varsity boys' and girls' basketball, varsity boys' and varsity girls' basketball at Wynot, 4 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 3: Wrestling at Creighton, 10 a.m.; junior varsity girls' and boys' basketball with Humphrey, 6 p.m.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR


Friday, Nov. 25: Open AA meeting, firehall, 8 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 26: Public Library, 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m.

Monday, Nov. 28: Public Library, 1 to 6 p.m.

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Wednesday, Nov. 30: Public Library, 1 to 6 p.m.




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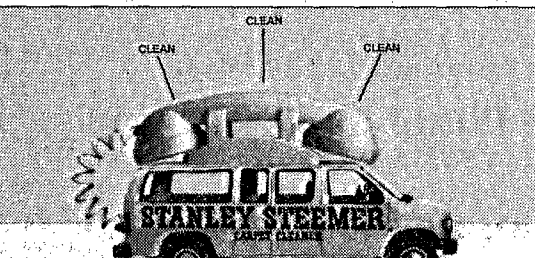
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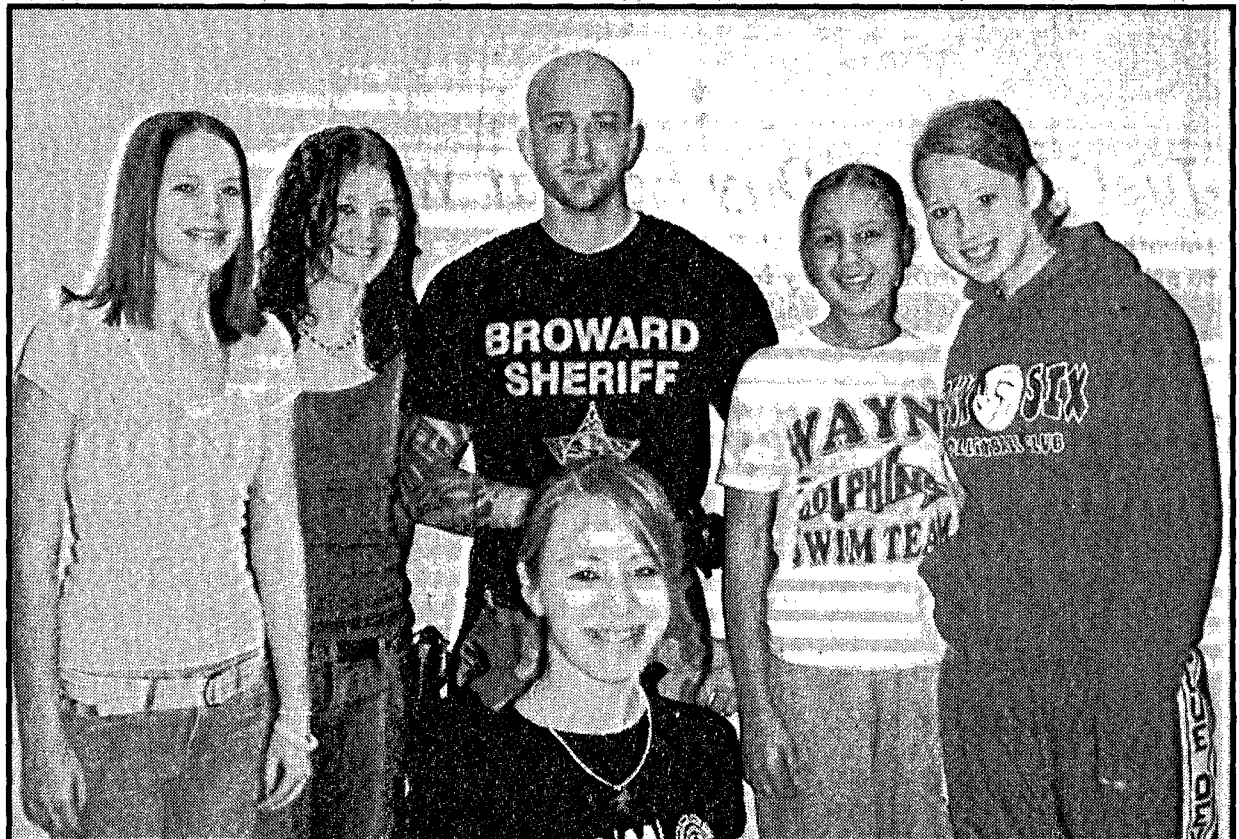
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FRIENDS officers pose with Detective Neil Munson. They include, left to right, Alayna Theobald, Halsey Lutt, Neil Munson, Jordan Alexander, Hannah Mitiku and Shannon Jarvi.

FRIENDS speaker talks about police work

Narcotics Detective Neil Munson spoke with seventh and eighth grade students at Wayne Middle School on Nov. 16.

Detective Munson graduated from Wayne High School in 1997 and is currently a detective with the Broward County Sheriff's Office in south Florida.

Home for a visit with his parents, Terry and Darla Munson, Detective Munson donned his uniform, (camouflage pants, weapons belt and Broward County Sheriff's

office T-shirt), to visit school and share some of his personal experiences fighting drug activity.

Detective Munson was introduced by officers from the Wayne Middle School FRIENDS Drug-Free Youth group, which sponsored the presentation: Alayna Theobald, Jordan Alexander, Hannah Mitiku, Shannon Jarvi and Halsey Lutt. The officers reminded their peers that the mission of the FRIENDS group is to help students to make good choices about drugs and alcohol.

"Listening to Detective Munson, who deals every day with people who have not made good choices, was an excellent way to educate the students about the consequences of using drugs," said Joan Sudmann, K-8 Counselor and FRIENDS sponsor.

Detective Munson spoke candidly about his daily activities as a narcotics detective, explaining to the students some of the strategies law enforcement officers use to make arrests. For example, he explained that a "Trojan Horse" operation involves officers hiding in an unmarked van. They jump out when the driver of the van makes a drug buy, take down the dealer and make the arrest. He also talked about the lives he sees ruined by drug addiction. On the positive side, he mentioned that when a drug user is arrested for possession and cooperates with police as an informant, so that officers are able to determine who is selling the drugs, the police department is able to help that person get into a rehabilitation program.

There were many questions from the students, who were very interested in what Detective Munson had to say. When asked about the dangers of his work, he acknowledged that it is a dangerous job, that it is not for everyone, but that it is something he has always wanted to do.

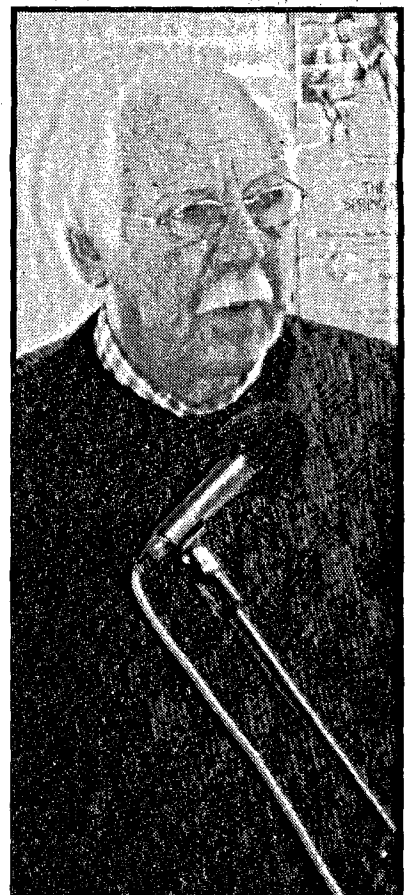
FRIENDS, which stands for

"Facts Raising Interest Ending Needless Drugs" currently has 103 pledged members in seventh and eighth grade at Wayne Middle School. For information about the group's activities, or to volunteer, contact Joan Sudmann, K-8 Counselor. FRIENDS is supported in part by Wayne United Way.



Makes presentation

Dr. Laura Barelman, assistant professor of business at Wayne State College, presented information about her students' recent service learning projects during a faculty forum on Nov. 17.



Presents poetry

Nebraska State Poet William Kloefkorn presented at the Plains Poetry Festival at Wayne State College in the humanities building lounge on Nov. 17.

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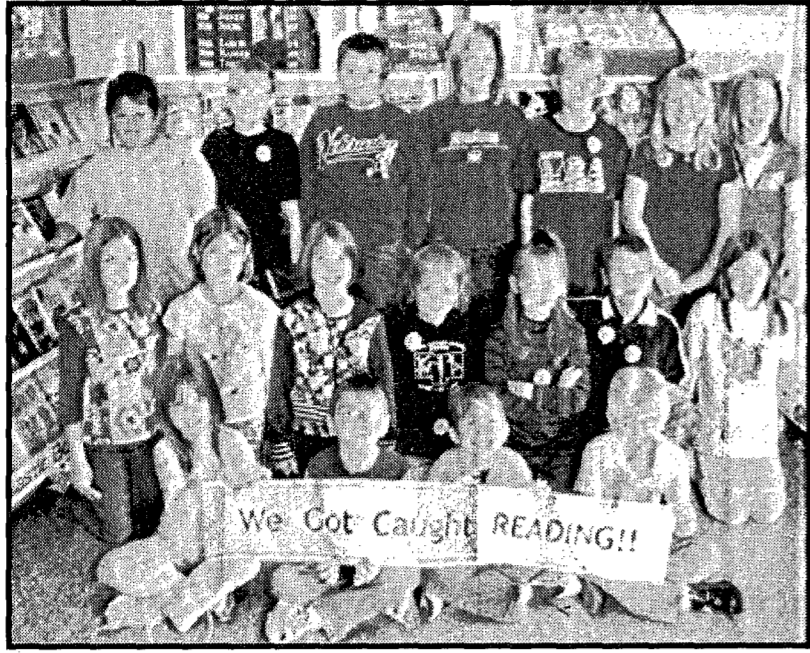
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Caught reading

Wayne Elementary School (K-4) celebrated Children's Book Week, Nov. 14 - 18, with the theme: "I Got Caught Reading!" Mrs. Claudia Koeber, elementary librarian called several students during the evenings and caught over 90 students reading or being read to through the week. Above are students who got caught reading, on Thursday evening. Front row, left to right, Shea Abraham, Ethan Jareske, Jack Osnes, Cara Lubberstedt. Middle row, Tahlia Reynolds, Holly Grose, Meg Osnes, Sylvia Jaeger, Rachel Lambley, Jacob Abraham and Samantha Niemann. Back row, Josh Battles, Parker Wren, Justen Stahl, Teigan Bailey, Evan Lubberstedt, Anna Krueger and Emma Osnes.

Kearney symphonic band plays at state conference

The University of Nebraska at Kearney Symphonic Band will perform for the Nebraska Music Educators Association conference on Nov. 19, in Lincoln, and will have an encore performance of that concert on Thursday, Dec. 1 at UNK.

Local members of the band include Emily Brady, clarinet and Joseph Brumm, tuba.

The band, under the direction of Dr. Neal Schnoor, will perform several selections featuring many band members including an oboe solo by Lindsay Roper from Pierce, in Oboe Concerto in C minor. Roper is a music education major and has been playing the oboe for nearly nine years.

Also among the selections are

two original pieces composed by Dr. Ron Crocker, professor of music, and Takayuki Muto, an international student from Shiroy, Japan.

Dr. Crocker, who composed Jubilant Celebration, is the associate dean of the College of Fine Arts and Humanities, and teaches in the Department of Music and Performing Arts.

"The Wise Old Man Remembers" was composed by Muto, a senior music composition major. This musical selection was written to honor the elderly, especially his grandfather, and is also a reminder to the young to respect the aged as they are revered in Asian cultures.

According to Dr. Neal Schnoor, the Pride of the Plains marching band performed for six home foot-

ball games and two parades during the fall season. For the upcoming concert, many members changed instruments and roles as the marching band then transitioned into a concert ensemble.

"After the home concert on Dec. 1, the wind ensemble will then prepare for its first overseas tour to Italy," Dr. Schnoor said. The university band will perform in Montecatini and Florence before traveling to Rome to march in the New Year's Day parade.

The UNK university band includes members from all four academic colleges and more than 20 UNK departments. Among the members, 40 percent are music majors while the other 60 percent are non-music majors.



Invention Convention

Fifth grade students at Wayne Middle School were able to display the fruits of their work recently. Parents, grandparents and other visitors had the opportunity to view the students' inventions, observe various land forms and listen to a musical concert. Each year students develop a variety of 'inventions' designed to make life easier for them and those around them.

RC&D Council meeting was held. The meeting was called to order by Duane Fanta. Lower Niobrara NRD Rep. Ray Naprstek. Ray Naprstek will be replacing Jim Einrem on the board.

Duane Fanta, Jan Jorgensen, and Donna Christiansen reviewed (pgs 1 - 15) of Nat. Association's Financial Management, Vol. 2, Guidebook for RC&D Directors. - (RC&D funding - 51.2 Million for 2006) All council members are responsible to make sure the finances are handled correctly, by reading through the report provided by the treasurer and by ethical fiscal behavior. Minutes were approved as presented.

Present for roll call were Don Meadows, Duane Fanta, Art Kuhl, Cy Pinkelman, Dale Morrill, Chris Kreycik, Eric Frederick, Donna Christiansen, Jill Heemstra, Myron Miller, Stan Baier, and Ray Naprstek. Excused absences were Rhonda Kneifl, Rod Garwood, and Gary Howey. Those absent were Mike Brhel, Darrel Magnusen, Nancy Schulz, Julie Joyce, Bud Knuth, Bud Twiss, and Phil Wendzillo. Staff Present included

Jan Jorgensen, Barb Hoffart, and Clo Ann Shamblen.

Donna Christiansen gave the treasurer's report. There is an additional bill of \$3.36 to Chris Kreycik. The treasurer's report was approved. Donna Christiansen reported on the options for checking account for the Pulling Together Initiative, a federal grant to be received soon by the RC&D.

Projects Update: environmental Protection: Waste Computer Collection - Donna Christiansen reported that there is \$1164 left in the grant. ESU's do have some equipment that would qualify for the recycling program. Donna will contact them and the computer recycler to see if the rest of the funds can be utilized.

Northeast Water System - Art Kuhl reported on the meeting. Some villages have water problems. Coleridge has water to sell to Belden. Three engineering firms gave presentations. One company had a single person, another a two man operation, and the large firm had four professional engineers. Comment was made on the excellent information provided by the single person company.

Tourism: Corps of Discovery Welcome Center - Jan Jorgensen reported that the Corps will have a murder mystery show. They would appreciate a donation of an item for the silent auction. Gary Howey is willing to be the RC&D representative on the Corps of Discovery Welcome Center board of directors to replace Carmen Shaffer.

Nebraska Travel Conference report - Chris Kreycik reported all could attend each session since they weren't concurrent. RV travelers are still roaming. It's good idea to get in touch with Nebraska Tourism. A good presentation was on "Power of Understanding People & Personalities" and how to interact them to get the desired response. Get advertising to work for you was also good. Keith Powell spoke on business revitalization. POP IN and Junk Jaunt received one of many awards at the banquet. Barb reported that they toured Stuhr Museum's Train Town in Grand Island, and the Heartland Events Center at Fonner Park.

State Association Items - Bob Porter reported on the meeting in Schuyler and also informed everyone that he was elected as the State Association President.

State Association Annual Meeting report - Duane Fanta, Donna Christiansen, Barb Hoffart, Jan Jorgensen, and Bob Porter gave a few short thoughts on the meeting. Barb created and Donna manned the Council's booth on Food, Land & People. This Council received the "Circle of Diamonds" designation, Outstanding Council Award and best booth (\$50 cash prize). There was a general consensus that the site for the meeting and the tours were excellent.

Western Conference: Auction Items (live, silent, dollar auction) Northeast Nebraska RC&D has to judge the success stories of all the RC&D councils submitting. This must be done by Dec. 1. Duane Fanta and Jill Heemstra will be able to judge the projects.

Plan Annual Meeting for Nov. 28. Stan Baier reported on possible sites near, or in, Wayne. Duane Fanta and Dale Morrill reported on the possibilities in Creighton, i.e. Drovers Steak House. There was a general consensus to hold the meeting at Drovers' in Creighton. The Officers will finalize

the details with Dale Morrill and Drovers'.

Staff Comments: Area Plan 2006 and More • Appoint a committee for a long range plan for the RC&D • "Get Motivated" conference in Omaha on November 1, 8 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. • Divots in Norfolk will be the site for the Nebraska Foundation Annual con-

ference and banquet. • Lower Elkhorn - Funds are available to communities for projects up to \$5,000. Contact LENRD for more information. • Forty-six people attended the Recycled Barns Open House on Oct. 15th. • Diane Ober, Antelope County, discussed an idea for Highway 14 and Scenic Byway to work together on a "Bargain Byway" in the Spring.

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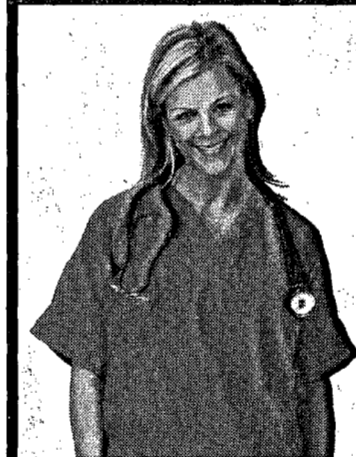
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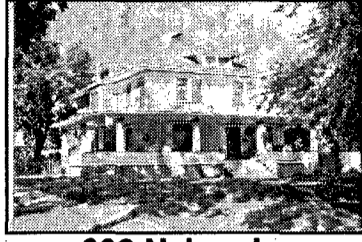
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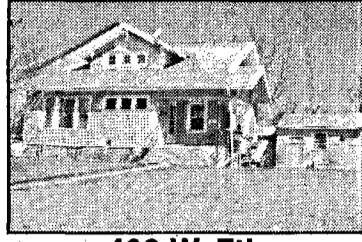
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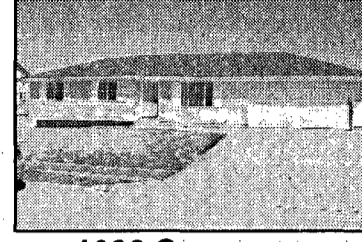
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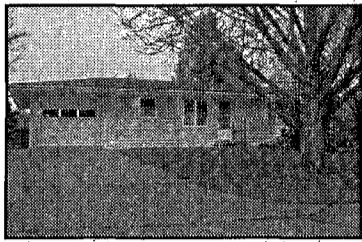
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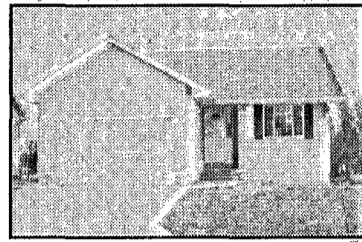
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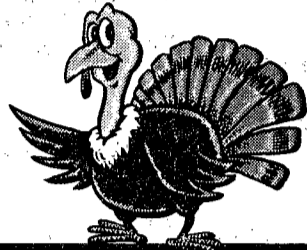


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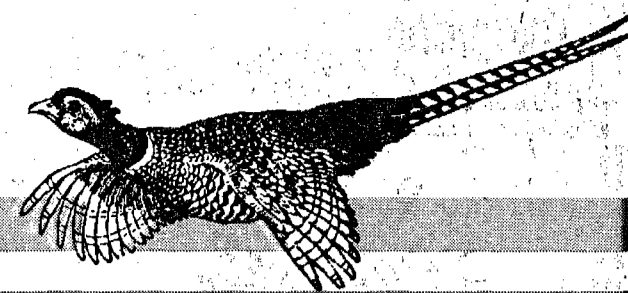
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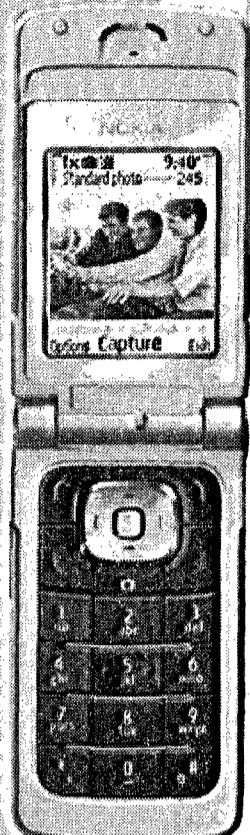
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ESTATE OF AGNES E. WEBER, Deceased.
Estate No. PR 05-45
Notice is hereby given that on November 15, 2005, in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Deceased and that Terry Carlson whose address is 1914 Rosewood Terrace, St. Joseph, MO 64503 has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before January 25, 2006 or be forever barred.

(s) Carol A. Brown
Clerk of the County Court
510 Pearl Street
Wayne, Nebraska 68787

Duane W. Schroeder #13718
Attorney for Applicant
110 West 2nd Street
Wayne, NE 68787
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NOTICE OF MEETING
The Wayne County Board of Commissioners will meet in regular session on Tuesday, December 6, 2005 at 9:00 a.m. at the Wayne County Courthouse. The agenda for this meeting is available for public inspection at the County Clerk's office.

Debra Flinn, County Clerk
(Publ. Nov. 24, 2005)

NOTICE OF MEETING
There will be a meeting of the Planning Commission, Monday, December 5, 2005, at 7:30 P.M. in the Wayne City Hall. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

Betty McGuire, City Clerk
Planning Commission
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NOTICE OF MEETING
The Wayne Public Library Board of Trustees will meet in regular session on Tuesday, December 6, 2005 at 5:15 p.m. in the Library/Senior Center Conference Room. The agenda for this meeting is available for public inspection at the Library.

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IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA
ESTATE OF MARY L. WEIBLE, Deceased.
Estate No. PR 05-44
Notice is hereby given that on November 14, 2005, in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Deceased and that Joann Lenser whose address is 110 Morningside Drive, Norfolk, NE 68701 has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before January 18, 2006 or be forever barred.

(s) KimBerly Hansen, Deputy
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NOTICE
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA
ESTATE OF DON WEIBLE, Deceased.
Estate No. PR 05-17
Notice is hereby given that on November 14, 2005, in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informally Appointing Joann Lenser whose address is 110 Morningside, Norfolk, NE 68701 has been appointed Successor Personal Representative of this estate.

(s) Carol A. Brown
Clerk of the County Court
510 Pearl Street
Wayne, Nebraska 68787

Attorney for Applicant
Duane W. Schroeder #13718
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NOTICE OF SALE
Notice is hereby given that the City of Wayne proposes to convey by Warranty Deed to Sharp Construction, Inc., a Nebraska Corporation, the real estate described as:
Lots 10, 11 and 12, Block 8, College Hill First Addition to the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska,
subject to all easements and restrictions of record and any applicable zoning regulations for the sum of \$500.00 and other valuable consideration.

Betty A. McGuire,
CMC/AE
City Clerk
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INVITATION TO SUBMIT REDEVELOPMENT CONTRACT PROPOSALS
Public notice and invitation is hereby given by the Community Development Agency (Agency) of the City of Wayne, Nebraska, to private developers or any persons interested in undertaking the redevelopment of any area within the below described redevelopment area, to submit redevelopment contract proposals to the Agency. Further information as to available may be obtained at the office of the Agency located at the City Hall, 308 Pearl Street, in the City of Wayne. The Agency will consider all redevelopment proposals and the financial and legal ability of the prospective developers to carry out the proposals and the Agency may negotiate with any developers for purchase or lease of any real property in the redevelopment area. The Agency may accept such redevelopment contract proposal as it deems to be in the public interest as provided by the Nebraska Community Development Law. The redevelopment area affected by this notice is described as follows:
Lots 1-12, Block Two, including the 80' street right-of-way around Block 2, John Lake's Addition to the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska.
All interested developers or interested parties may submit redevelopment contract proposals to the Agency and further information as to available may be obtained at the office of the Agency in the City of Wayne.

Betty A. McGuire
City Clerk
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VILLAGE OF WINSIDE BOARD PROCEEDINGS

November 7, 2005
Winside, Nebraska
The Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside, Nebraska met in regular session on November 7, 2005 at 7:30 p.m. in the Library meeting room. Present were Chairman Janke, Trustees Warnemunde, Leighton, and Skokan. Absent was Weible. Visitors were Jeff Hrouda, Kevin Cleveland, Dennis VanHouten, Mike Miller, Mike Thompson, Tammy Thompson, Larry and Kay Wagner, John Thies, Bill Burris, Dan & Mike from Connecting Point.

Action taken by the Board included:
1. Approved October meeting minutes
2. Accepted October Treasurer's report
3. Granted a one year sewer permit to Thies Family Locker
4. Approved Larry Wagner's building permit pending the purchase of property
5. Agreed to have Board of Health re-inspect village properties
6. Approved next years contact for mosquito spraying
7. Agreed to waive auditorium rent for Methodist Church dinner
The following claims were approved for payment: Payroll, 5,068.06; Post Office, ex, 16.20; NE Dept of Revenue, tax, 1,246.30 & 607.43; Wayne Co. Treasurer, ex, 485.63; Winside State Bank, ex, 2,088.44; Dept of Energy, ex, 4,664.55; Waste Connections, ex, 2,406.60; Wayne Auto Parts, ex, 29.99; Great Plains One Call, ex, 12.00; Wayne Herald, ex, 120.79; City of Wayne, ex, 85.00; Motor Protection Electronics, ex, 258.64; City of Wayne, ex, 85.00; Winside Public School, ex, 600.00; Wayne Co. Treasurer, ex, 5.00; Platte Valley Communications, ex, 92.00; Quality Sand & Gravel, ex, 189.88; JCO Consulting, ex, 150.00; Ed M. Feld Equip. Co., ex, 41,705.00; Ed M. Feld Equipment Co., ex, 2,195.00; EDM Equipment Co., ex, 3,485.00; EDM Equipment Co., ex, 183.00; Fort Dearborn Life, ex, 68.80; Farmers Coop, ex, 1,252.40; Gene Barg, ex, 445.14; Utility Fund, ex, 873.36; Western Office Plus, ex, 212.51; Oberle's Mkt, ex, 58.51; Kinder-Morgan, ex, 215.50; NNTC, ex, 380.52; MCI, ex, 28.51; Warnemunde Ins, ex, 22,675.00; NE Municipal Power Pool, ex, 395.00; Utility Equipment Co., ex, 3,402.65; Schmadner Electric, ex, 10,740.00; Northeast NE Public Power, ex, 6,497.61; National Waterworks, ex, 201.63; Utilities Section, ex, 50.00; Hydraulic Equipment Co., ex, 505.46; Hawkins Water Treatment, ex, 334.44; DnT Repair, ex, 228.75; Carol Brugger, ex, 147.93; Dutton-Lainson, ex, 901.23; Bomgaars, ex, 39.99; Acco Invoice, ex, 129.00; Cellular One, ex, 20.00; Jerry's Electric, ex, 2,380.00.
The meeting adjourned at 10:45 P.M.
The Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside, Nebraska will meet in regular session on Monday, December 5, 2005 in the library meeting room. The meeting will be open to the public and an agenda for such meeting kept continuously current, is available for inspection at the office of the Village Clerk of said Village.
Dean Janke, Chairman

Attest:
Carol M. Brugger, clerk
(Publ. Nov. 24, 2005)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
You are hereby notified that pursuant to a power of sale contained in the deed of trust in the original principal amount of \$43,875.00 executed by Jim C. Broders and Julie Ann Broders, husband and wife, which was filed for record on December 5, 2003, as Microfilm No. 032229 in the office of the Registrar of Deeds of Wayne County, Nebraska, the property described below will be sold by the undersigned at public auction to the highest bidder for cash of certified or cashier's check, in the lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse, 510 Pearl Street, in the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska at 2:00 p.m. on December 6, 2005:
LOT 5, EXCEPT THE WEST 58 FEET THEREOF, BLOCK 1, FIRST ADDITION TO CARROLL, WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA.
The highest bidder is required to deliver cash or certified funds to the undersigned by the close of business on the day of sale, except this requirement is waived when the highest bidder is the beneficiary. The purchaser is responsible for all fees or taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. This sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the property.
Eric H. Lindquist
Successor Trustee
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