

BEAVER CITY NEWS

By JOY STALDER

An Easter Day cooperative dinner was held in the home of Darrel and Eula Brown. Attending were David and Nancy Brown, Randall and Mary Brown of Beaver City; Dan and Marla Brown of Shelton, Neb.; Andy, Amber, Ashlyn and Aubrey Brown of Kearney; Michael Brown of Nevada, Mo.; Julie Brown of Scottsbluff; Larry and Brenda Lambert, Albion, Neb.; Robert, Connie, Elizabeth and Chris Brown of Omaha and Becky Brown of Omaha.

The Friendship Church Fourth Grade Sunday School Class enjoyed a Seder meal at the home of Delbert and Judy Beins as part of their study of Holy Communion. Members of the class are Abby Eden, Shaynee Klein, Christian Turner and Jeremiah Perkins. Other guests were Bonnie Perkins, Chrissy Jordan and Aneta Eden, Brooke, Paige and Logan.

Easter dinner guests of Delbert and Judy Beins were Kevin and Aneta Eden and family. Easter weekend guests of Vernon and Gaynelle Blickenstaff were Matt and Amber Kellen of Columbus, Norma Hollinger, Ashley Blickenstaff, Brent and Shelly Hollinger and boys and Michael and Kristi Bose and boys, all of Beaver City, were Easter dinner guests.

Connie Anderson has given a copy of her book, "Decoding the Bible, Prophecy of 9-11-2001", to the Beaver City Library.

The Mansion Builders will have a fundraiser dinner on Sunday, April 15, at the Beaver City Community Building from 11:30 until 1:30 to raise money for their tour to Branson, Mo. A free-will offering will be taken.

Ashley Blickenstaff flew to Boston, Mass., on Wednesday to present a paper at a literary conference. While there she met with classmates and professors from Missouri Western State University. She returned home Saturday.

Wilma Bates visited Joyce Stratton at the Norton County Hospital.

Dean and Margaret Brown were Wednesday visitors of Darrel and Eula Brown.

Easter dinner guests of Ernie and Joy Stalder were J.D. and Sherry Williamson, Talon and Shelby Amen.

Easter supper guests of Ernie and Joy Stalder were Doug and Tami Stalder of Arapahoe.

Bob and Phyllis Cass were Easter dinner guests of Craig and Jerri Antholz of McDonald. Other members of the family were also guests at the Easter dinner.

Easter dinner guests of Bob and Jean Gardner were Leighton and Janet Schmidt and Eric and Steve and Peg Rice, Austin, Ryan and Spencer.

Vona Hardenbrook was an Easter dinner guest of Butch and Sue Hardenbrook.

Joy Funk of Culbertson was a Tuesday lunch guest of Novella Hewett.

Easter Sunday dinner guests of Don and Barb Vacha were Mr. and Mrs. Rebman of Alma and Novella Hewett.

Linda Knipping was a Monday caller of Novella Hewett.

Easter dinner guests of Arlyn and Dorothy Lambert on Saturday were Larry and Brenda Lambert, Albion, Neb., Jacque and Ivan Marshall, Kearney, Chantell Robbins, Oxford, Chuck and Jaylene Lambert, Alicia and Molly and Vera Lambert.

Helen Martin and Alfred Cass were Easter dinner guests of Gary and Ellen Martin of Kearney. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Martin, McCook and Mr. and Mrs. Rick Martin of Grand Island.

Alisa and Drew Ramaekers of Lincoln came out Friday to the home of Roger and Wanda Rikli to spend the weekend. Justin and Kili Wenburg, Carter and Selah of Hastings, Edith Pridemore and the Ramaekers' were Easter dinner guests.

Easter Sunday dinner guests of Clinton and Vivian Schluntz were Bobbi Jo Bishop, Colorado Springs, Colo., Chase and Karissa Crawford, McCook, Pam and Andy Downer of rural Cambridge, Linda and Chuck Sturgis, Roxane and Michael Vaughn, Holdrege, Marv and Becky Crawford, Emma Crawford, Arapahoe, Bill and Jean Beirger and Brent of rural Holdrege, Doug Schluntz, Leroy and Vicki Schluntz, Merwin and Sharon Schluntz.

Merwin and Sharon were honored with an anniversary cake, cards and gifts for their 47th wedding anniversary.

A large group from Hollinger attended the 8 a.m. church service and breakfast at the Mascot/Bethel Church Easter Sunday.

Oral Kniep went with Irene Coe to the Maundy Thursday service at the Methodist Church Thursday evening. Following the service, they went to the Cantata performed by Faith Bible School at the Elementary School Gym.

Friday night Oral Kniep, Donna Dixon and Carolyn Walzem attended Good Friday services at the Friendship Church with area youth presenting a pageant depicting Christ's Triumphal Entry, Crucifixion and Resurrection.

Sunday, Oral Kniep, Donna Dixon and Carolyn Walzem attended the Easter Sunrise service and breakfast at the Presbyterian church. Following morning church services they had Easter dinner at the Garden Cafe in Stamford.

Easter Sunday dinner guests of Carol and Bob Lee were Harold and Ethel Stagemeyer, Joe Lee, Jerry Stagemeyer and their granddaughter, Shawna Lee.

Pastor Otten, Arapahoe, called on Harold and Ethel Stagemeyer on Wednesday.

Easter dinner guests of Ruth Stalder were Debbie Gregg and Teresa, Chris and Kendra Bley and Jeremy, Jim and Martha Stalder, Jimmy, Joshua and Jacob.

Six girls from the Faith Bible choir stayed overnight with Ruth Stalder Thursday.

Tyson Linner came over Friday night to stay with his grandparents, Randy and Penny Stalder, and returned home Saturday.

Easter Sunday dinner guests of

Jerry and Marlene VanMatre were Kayla and Bobby James, Parker and Nicky, Dallas and Rob Lewandowski, Brady, Grant, Kennedy and Drew, Randy and Penny Stalder, Tyson Linner and Danielle Linner. After lunch they colored Easter eggs.

Penny Stalder and Tyson Linner, Dallas Lewandowski, Brady, Grant, Kennedy and Drew went to the Manor Easter Egg Hunt Saturday morning.

Friday evening and Saturday morning guests of Carol Theobald were Ryun and Kim Theobald, Keegen and Kiffin of Wilbur and Steve Theobald.

Friday afternoon Rob Lewis of Oxford called on Carol Theobald. Friday and Saturday guests of Bill and Dee Lamb were Kelly Soncksen, Kailen and Myranda, Burlington, Colo., Chelby Lamb, Arapahoe, Christine Lamb, Colby, and Makenna Hunt. Joining the group for dinner on Saturday were Van and Pam Lamb and Chris, Ryan and Erika Hunt and Kolby and Dennis and Sandi Hunt of Alma.

Easter dinner guests of Bill and Dee Lamb were Don Cass, Tony Cass, Columbus, Ohio, Wendell Cass, Wallace, Neb., Steve Theobald, Jay Dee and Peg Wolzen, Sharon and Phil Olsen, Lisa Olsen, McCook, Van and Pam Lamb and Christine, Trevor and Sidney Putzier and Presley, Stamford and Wilma Bates.

Monday lunch guests of Bill and Dee Lamb were Carol Theobald and Wilma Bates. Monday supper guests of Bill and Dee Lamb were Van and Pam Lamb and Chris.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Invitation to Bid Project at Norton County Hospital

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INVITATION TO BID

1.01 HEG PROJECT NO.

HNOCH06101

1.02 PROJECT TITLE

NORTON COUNTY HOSPITAL PT AND MEETING ROOM REMODEL NORTON, KANSAS

1.03 PRE-BID CONFERENCE

(A) A PRE-BID CONFERENCE HAS BEEN SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 24, 2007, AT 2:00 PM IN THE HOSPITAL LOWER LEVEL CONFERENCE ROOM. **MANDATORY ATTENDANCE OF GENERAL CONTRACTOR BIDDERS IS REQUIRED IN ORDER FOR YOUR BID TO BE CONSIDERED.**

1.04 PROJECT SCOPE

(A) REMODEL CONSTRUCTION OF THE LOWER LEVEL OF THE HOSPITAL FACILITY TO RELOCATE THE PHYSICAL THERAPY DEPARTMENT AND FACILITY CONFERENCE ROOMS. WORK INCLUDES ADJACENT EXTERIOR CONCRETE AND LANDSCAPING AREA. THE SCOPE OF THE WORK INCLUDES GENERAL PLUMBING, MECHANICAL, ELECTRICAL, AND ALL OTHER MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS OF WORK AS SHOWN AND /OR SPECIFIED OR AS OTHERWISE REQUIRED FOR A COMPLETE WORKING INSTALLATION.

1.05 QUALIFICATIONS OF BIDDERS

(A) TO HAVE THEIR BID CONSIDERED, GENERAL CONTRACTORS SHALL COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING:

- SUBMIT "CONTRACTOR'S QUALIFICATION STATEMENT", A.I.A. DOCUMENT A305.
- SUBMIT RESUME(S) AND WORK HISTORY(IES) FOR JOB SUPERINTENDENT(S) WHO WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS PROJECT.

1.06 RECEIVING OF BID PROPOSALS

(A) BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE OWNER AT THE OFFICE OF THE OWNER; IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE "INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS" INCLUDED IN PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS UNTIL:

11:00 A. M. OFFICIAL CENTRAL DAYLIGHT TIME, THURSDAY, MAY 10, 2007.

(B) ANY BIDS TO BE SUBMITTED BY MAIL SHALL BE SENT TO:

**NORTON COUNTY HOSPITAL
ATTN: TYCE BRUTON
102 E. HOLME
NORTON, KS 67654-0250**

**FAX: 785-877-2841
C/O HEALTH FACILITIES GROUP, LLC**

(C) FAX MODIFICATIONS SHALL BE DIRECTED TO THE SAME OFFICE. (THE ORIGINAL SIGNED BID FORM MUST BE HAND DELIVERED OR MAILED TO THE ABOVE ADDRESS: FAXED BIDS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED).

1.07 BIDDING DOCUMENTS

(A) BIDDING DOCUMENTS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ARCHITECT AS FOLLOWS:

- GENERAL CONTRACTORS (PRIME BIDDERS) WILL BE ISSUED A MAXIMUM OF (2) SETS OF DOCUMENTS AT NO CHARGE. ALL OTHERS WILL BE ISSUED A MAXIMUM OF (1) SET OF DOCUMENTS AT NO CHARGE. ADDITIONAL SETS CAN BE REQUESTED WITH A PLAN DEPOSIT AS FOLLOWS.
 - COMPLETE SETS (REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT) \$25.00 PER SET
 - SHIPPING AND HANDLING (NON-REFUNDABLE) \$15.00 PER SET

(C) FULL DEPOSIT FOR EACH SET OF DOCUMENTS WILL BE REFUNDED, PROVIDING DEPOSITOR RETURNS DOCUMENTS UNMARKED (DEFACED) AND IN GOOD CONDITION FOR REUSE **WITHIN TWO WEEKS** AFTER BIDS ARE RECEIVED.

2. ADDITIONAL OR PARTIAL SETS OF DOCUMENTS MAY BE OBTAINED BY PURCHASE IN THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS:

David and D. J. Nickell, Bertrand, Stacy and Niki Nickell, Kallen, Kaden, Smithfield, Denny and LariAnn Nickell, Tye, Teslee and Toby of Norton were Easter dinner guests of Judy Nickell.

Milan and Diane Johnson returned home Monday after spending a week at Lake Travis, Tex., celebrating their 40th anniversary with their family, Dana and Vice Tuss and Alex, Minneapolis,

NEW ALMELO

By BETTY OTTER

On Saturday, March 24, Alfred and Betty Otter and Gary and Bertsie Bruinekool, Lenora, ate supper with Rod and Cheryl Bates, Oakley, to help Rod celebrate his 65th birthday.

On Easter Saturday, Alan and Phyllis Slipke, Netawaka and Miriam Slipke, Hoxie, visited at the home of Raymond and Bonita Slipke and family. On Easter, Vicki and Glen Kendall, Phillipsburg; Frank McClurg and Dustin and Crystal McClurg and family, Logan, spent the day with the Slipke family.

The family of Marion and Lorraine Long gathered in the Family Room at St. John's Health Center, Hays. Those present were Marion and Lorraine Long; Roger and JoAnn Long, Joe Long, Leawood; Floyd and Karen Long and Sammy, Tim and Debbie Long and family, Kimball, Neb.; Fred and Carol Long, Independence; Gary and Carolyn Long, Adam and Traci, Hill City; Leonard and Joan Long, Zach and Alaina, Lo-

Minn., Lance and Erin Falzone and Cason, Kempner, Tex., Denise Johnson, Little Elm, Tex., Brian Olsen, Lewisville, Tex.

While there they toured the capitol in Austin, Children's Museum, Villker Park and Lady Bird Johnson's Wild Flower Gardens. The wildflowers, Blue Bonnets and other flowers were beautiful — only to come back to Easter snow and cold weather.

gan; Imogene and Sheila McDougal and Sheila, Lexington, Neb.; Bill and Rita Barker and Goldie Barker, Hays; Gerry and Mark Ballmann, Grinnell; Mandy and Chad Baker, Kansas City. An enjoyable day was had by everyone. Marion and Lorraine are doing well.

Russ and Marcia Aumiller spent Easter at the home of their son and family, Jeff and Kathleen Vahling and family in Hays.

On Palm Sunday, Mark and Sheila Otter and family, Ulysses, and Ashley Otter, Norton, had dinner with Alfred and Betty Otter. Coming Easter weekend were Tina and Will Ritter and family, Olathe; Jim and Jolene Moss and family, Jewell, and Karl Otter, Great Bend. Joining them for dinner on Easter were Gary and Bertsie Bruinekool, Lenora; and Renee Bruinekool and Kirk Persinger, Norton.

Betty Knapp and son, Manhattan, and Josh Otter, Hays, were weekend visitors at the home of Frank and Lavonne Otter and Gabby.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Norton Treasurer's Quarterly Report

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TREASURER'S QUARTERLY FINANCIAL REPORT

CITY OF NORTON, KANSAS

For the Period From January 1, 2007 to March 31, 2007

FUNDS	1 Old balances (last report)	2 Receipts	3 Disbursements (warrants paid)	4 Net treasury cash
GENERAL OPERATING	488,175.93	415,677.24	226,445.44	677,407.73
EMPLOYEE BENEFIT	43,923.12	41,362.61	12,624.88	72,660.85
SPECIAL HIGHWAY	152,021.10	28,316.25	4,241.53	176,095.82
CEMETERY MAINTENANCE	8,197.20	0.00	0.00	8,197.20
SPECIAL PARKS	11,278.90	982.11	4,946.40	7,314.61
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT	71,588.60	7,558.11	0.00	79,146.71
TOURISM	0.00	4,081.77	4,081.77	0.00
LIBRARY	336.72	40,836.31	37,941.60	3,231.43
LIBRARY EMPLOYEE BENEFIT	0.10	14,301.08	13,161.22	1,139.96
FIRE PROCEEDS CASH	5,000.00	5,000.00	10,000.00	0.00
SPECIAL HEALTH	71,598.06	92,321.89	89,715.73	74,204.22
TREES FOR TOMORROW	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
BOND & INTEREST	4,998.23	35,142.60	0.00	40,140.83
AIRPORT BOND & INTEREST	72.63	9,536.25	9,536.25	72.63
NORTHDRIDGE BOND & INT.	0.00	2,045.92	0.00	2,045.92
ELECTRIC	186,861.08	802,175.13	528,085.33	460,950.88
WATER	454,101.79	108,138.18	87,976.33	474,263.64
SEWER	416,867.63	1,103,467.21	1,166,008.87	354,325.97
REFUSE	28,117.93	48,891.02	45,737.45	31,271.50
REVOLVING LOAN	1,473.76	7,672.02	7,672.02	1,473.76
ELECTRIC REPLACEMENT	411,340.49	29,501.18	0.00	440,841.67
ELECTRIC DEPOSITS	58,528.77	5,510.56	4,650.99	59,388.34
WATER DEPOSITS	15,987.22	1,459.36	1,178.50	16,268.08
WATER REPLACEMENT	50,161.73	1,800.00	0.00	51,961.73
SEWER REPLACEMENT	9,616.60	1,800.00	0.00	11,416.60
REFUSE REPLACEMENT	68,824.92	1,500.00	0.00	70,324.92
PAYROLL	1,363.72	333,525.66	331,144.18	3,745.20
PRIOR YEAR	177,622.38	8,067.38	161,625.76	24,064.00
				0.00
				0.00
TOTALS	2,738,058.61	3,150,669.84	2,746,774.25	3,141,954.20

Available Cash:	Bank	0.00
FIRST STATE	Bank	245,000.00
FIRST SECURITY BANK	Bank	2,896,954.20
THE BANK	Bank	
	Bank	
Total Available Cash (To agree with total funds above)		3,141,954.20

LIABILITIES AND OBLIGATIONS	
AIRPORT IMPROVEMENT BOND ISSUE	\$ 345,000.00
NORTHDRIDGE HOUSING REFUNDING BOND (2003)	\$ 27,144.00
MOWER	\$ 0.00
HI-RANGER BUCKET TRUCK	\$ 48,361.77
FIRE TRUCK	\$ 3,334.30
PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT	\$ 39,796.51
DIGGER DERRICK TRUCK	\$ 123,765.87
WASTEWATER PLANT KDHE REVOLVING LOAN	\$ 1,715,929.00
	\$
	\$
TOTAL	\$ 2,303,331.45

I, Patty Rowh do hereby certify that the above statement is correct.

Signed Patty Rowh City Treasurer

NORTON COUNTY HOSPITAL
NORTON, KANSAS

BY: RICH MILLER, CEO

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