

NORCATUR NEWS

By VOLUNTEERS Norcatur News

Bee Nelson accompanied Dorothy Ward to Norton Friday, March 13, on business. They had lunch at Destination Kitchen then spent a little time at the Norton Library to see their quilt display.

Results of the Cardinal Bar and Grill Dart Tournament Wednesday, March 11, were: Game One: Patty Stapp, first place; Renee Harman, second; Alice Barnett, third. Game Two: Alice Barnett, first; Renee Harman, second; Patty Stapp, third.

Bee Nelson drove Oran and LaVerne Milner to Hays on Monday, March 16, for Oran's yearly checkup at the Veterans Clinic.

Marjorie Prince returned to her home in Liberty, Mo., on Wednesday, March 11, after being here for three weeks visiting her mother, Arlene Hix, and her brother, Gail Bailey's families. During her stay she spent some time with Virgil and Joyce Price of Norcatur and her Uncle Veryl and Vi Van Der Wege in Norton.

Happy Belated Birthday and Anniversary to Reva Knapp, Joy Johnson, Teresa Reves Wood, Stan and Carolyn Applegate, March 27; Carolyn Applegate, March 28; Gail Bailey, Katrina Wentz, March 30; Shayla Bailey, March 31.

Results of the pool tournament on Wednesday, March 18, at the Cardinal Bar and Grill were Rusty Montgomery, first place; Larry Smith, second; Jeff Roe, third; Larry Lively, fourth.

The Senior Citizens met Friday, March 20. There were 16 players present. Winners of the Crazy Bridge game were Dorothy Woods, June Jolly, Eleanor Jensen, Donna Lincoln and Joyce Sumner.

They met Friday, April 4, in the Educational Building for the regular game of Pitch at 1:30 p.m. We wish to thank the Royal Neighbors for the delicious soup and pie lunch that they served to a group of 19 people.

Steve Miller invited everyone to the 41st Annual Barbershop concert on Saturday, March 28, at the Beach-Schmidt Performing Arts Center.

Larry James was a write-in candidate for the Norcatur City Council in the April elections.

Carl Lyon was a write-in candidate for the Norcatur City Council in the April elections.

Doug Dempewolf was a write-in candidate for the Norcatur City Council in the April elections.

Keith and Linda Jurey, Albuquerque, NM, were weekend visitors of Virgil and Joyce Price. They arrived Saturday, March 14, and left Tuesday, March 17. Saturday evening, March 14, they visited Pansy Price at Whispering Pines in Norton. They got lots of visiting done and some "Mr. Fix-it" jobs done. Tuesday, March 17, we attended the Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner at the Cardinal Bar and Grill.

David Johnson and daughter, Zoie, of Lenexa, spent the weekend with Beth Johnson and Fred Molzahn.

David Johnson, Zoie, and Beth Johnson visited Agnes Pruitt at Cedar Living Center, Oberlin, Saturday, March 21.

The date of the fourth annual citywide garage sale is fast approaching. Sherrie and Twila have been organizing this event. We would like help for this spring sale. Please call Sherrie at (720) 838-0430 or Twila at (785) 693-4203. This event has been a great success for Norcatur and we would like it to continue.

Word comes from Jetmore, Kan., that Bob Crabill is on the mend! He spent time in Jetmore hospital, then in a Garden City hospital with pneumonia, but is back in familiar surroundings now. Goes to show you can't keep a good guy down! His address is Box 423, Jetmore, Kan., 67854. This would be a good time for cards and letters. He has a birthday coming up on May 26, his 87th! We appreciate hearing from his son, Bobby Crabill, so keep all of us posted.

Weekend visitors at the Stan Miller farm were Bev DeLano, Wichita; Mr. and Mrs. Chad Applebury, Eli and Karyssa, Colby. All joined Mr. and Mrs. Gary Miller, Oberlin, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Tuttle, Quinter, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brooks for supper and karaoke Saturday night at the

Cardinal Bar and Grill.

On March 14, Scott Beachel and Dayna Lester brought newborn Justin Lee Beachel over to the Dempewolf's. Other visitors were Dickie Beachel, Chuck Forbes and Ryan Lester.

Those that helped Sharee Dempewolf celebrate her birthday on March 14 were Doug, Chris and M.J. Dempewolf, Keith Ward, Laci Leichter, Sunnie Fredrickson and Aaron and Hayden Mann. We enjoyed the Chinese Buffet in Colby.

Rea and Dee Magers took Veda Wood and Margaret "Toots" Magers with them to attend the Legion awards dinner at Lebanon, Neb., on Sunday evening. A potluck dinner was held to go with the beef and potatoes furnished by the Legion. Several awards were given, with the longest record of 60 years being held by Neal Warner of Lebanon. The evening ended with several games of Bingo.

With spring just around the corner that means it will be time for mowing. With that in mind, remember the City of Norcatur does have an ordinance on grass and weed growth. The maximum height is six inches. This ordinance will be enforced. If you would like a copy of the ordinance please stop by the city office.

In order to burn within the city limits of Norcatur, a permit MUST be received from Fire Chief Carl Lyon or from Assistant Fire Chief Scott Hartzog.

Marjorie Prince took her mother Arlene Hix to McCook for a doctor's appointment on Tuesday, March 10. On their way home they stopped in Oberlin to visit Agnes Pruitt at the Cedar Living Center.

There were approximately 100 signatures in the guest book and over \$700 donated at the Methodist Church annual pancake sausage supper on Sunday, March 8. New help in the kitchen this year was Lucas Bailey... boy, can he crack an egg.

Lora Arnold hosted a belated birthday supper for her great-grandson Nathan Baker on Saturday, March 14, at the Cardinal Bar and Grill. Those present besides the honored guest were Mark and Julianna, Marissa, Jordan and Noah Baker; John and Brenda Arnold; Mary Arnold; Olive Arnold; Bill LaSalle and Estella Harold. All enjoyed visiting together and the good food.

Results from the Wednesday, March 18, dart tournament at the Cardinal Bar and Grill were Game

One: Tonya Porter, first; Alice Barnett, second; Kristi Gallentine, third. Game Two: Alyssa Montgomery, first; Renee Harman, second; Justine Tuttle, third.

Justin Tuttle, El Dorado, was a visitor at the Stan Miller farm for a week while the school she student teaches at was on spring break. She came on Thursday, March 12, and stayed till Thursday, March 19. She had a chance to visit several friends and family and join in the dart tournament at the Cardinal Bar and Grill while here.

Wava Reames went to Wichita last week to meet her daughter, Shawna Crum and grandchildren, Shawna and James.

They had dinner at Spangles and Wava's grandchildren went home with her, where she taught them a few cooking tips.

•PUBLIC NOTICE• IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CARRIE C. CLYDESDALE, DECEASED

Published in The Norton Telegram on Friday, April 3, 10, 17, 2009.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF NORTON COUNTY, KANSAS SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT PROBATE DIVISION IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CARRIE C. CLYDESDALE, Deceased. Case No. 09-PR-10

NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on March 26, 2009, a Petition was filed in this Court by the Estate Recovery Unit, a creditor and interested party, praying that an Order Granting Letters of Administration be granted.

You are required to file your written

defenses thereto on or before April 27, 2009 at 10:00 a.m. in this district court, Norton, Norton County, Kansas at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the Estate within the latter of four months from the date of the first publication notice, as provided by law, or if the identity of the creditor is known or reasonably ascertainable, 30 days after actual notice was given as provided by law. If their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred.

Brian M. Vazquez, Attorney at Law Estate Recovery Unit Petitioner

•PUBLIC NOTICE• MARCH NORTON COUNTY BILLS

Published in The Norton Telegram on Friday, April 10, 2009 (1T) Board of County Commissioners met in regular session at the Norton County Courthouse March 31, 2009 to allow the following bills: K.S.A. 19-337. An itemized copy of this report is available for inspection in the County Clerk's Office.

Table with 2 columns: Bill Name and Amount. Includes items like County General, Road & Bridge, Special Bridge, Ambulance, Appraiser's Cost, County Health, Economic Development, Election, 4-H Maintenance, Noxious Weed, Solid Waste, Court Trustee - State, Case Management, JISP, Diversion, Juvenile Intake, Advance Insurance Co, Ag Valley Co-op, Allied Oil & Supply, Inc., Alltel, Almena Lumber & Supply, American Family Life, Amsterdam Printing & Annon, Rhona, Applegate, Carolyn, Archibald, Curt, AT&T, Badsky, Ken, Bailey Electric, Baumgartner Law Office, Beam, Daryl DDS, Becker, Diane, Beckman, Reginald, Behavioral Interventions, Bird, Angela, Bob Barker Co., Inc., Braun, Sandy, Burger, Maggie, BC/BS of Kansas/Cs Mgmt, BC/BS of KS Inc/Bill Add, BG Consultants Inc, Car Quest Auto Parts, Carman Computer Service, Cheyenne Co. Health Dept, City of Norton, Clock Medical Supply Inc, Coca Cola Enterprises Inc, Colonial Supplement Ins, Commerce Bank, Conseco Health Insurance, Correct Care Solutions, Culligan Water Condition, Cytocheck Laboratory, CFSC, D&M Service, Davis & Assoc Polygraph, Day, Andrea, Decatur Co Clerk, Decatur County Dist Court, Dollar General, Don's Floor Covering, Downtown Carwash LLC, Drees, Thomas J., Eakes Office Products, Elliott, Lloyd, Edgett Law Office PA, Emergency Medical, Endzone Sports & Office, Engel, Calandra, Engel, Darla, Engel's Sales & Service, Engelbert, Susan, Enserv Midwest LLC, Esslinger, Linda, Filter Care, Five Star Auto Repair, LLC, Fleet Fueling, Foley, James K., Forensic Evaluation Serv, Frack, Gina

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PRAIRIE LAND ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. (PRAIRIE LAND), REQUESTS PUBLIC COMMENT ON ITS PROPOSED RHOADES TO PHILLIPSBURG 115-KV TRANSMISSION LINE BUILDING PROJECT

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LEGAL NOTICE

Prairie Land Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Prairie Land), requests public comment on its proposed Rhoades to Phillipsburg 115-kV Transmission Line Building Project. Prairie Land has prepared an ENVIRONMENTAL REPORT (ER) for evaluation by the UNITED STATES, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, and RURAL UTILITY SERVICES (RUS). This ER may be reviewed at the office of Prairie Land, located at 14935 US Hwy 36; Norton, Kansas. RUS will either prepare its own independent Environmental Assessment or adopt the ER prior to its decision to grant financial assistance for the proposed facilities. Prairie Land has determined that this project is necessary for reliable service and to meet the requirements of the Regional Transmission Organization (RTO), Southwest Power Pool (SPP). This project also provides for additional system load growth for Prairie Land. The proposed Rhoades to Phillipsburg 115-kV transmission line is approximately 30.6 miles in length and will generally require a 100 foot wide right-of-way. The proposed line will run along section lines from the Rhoades substation (located in Section 10, Township 3S, Range 23W, Norton County, Kansas) to the Phillipsburg substation (located in the middle quarter of Section 23, Township 3S, Range 18W, Phillips County, Kansas). There will be approximately six to eight single pole (Braced Post Insulator) structures per mile. The transmission line conductor will consist of three conductors and one static wire. Conductors are 795,000 KCM Aluminum Conductor Steel Reinforced (ACSR) type with a conductor outside diameter of 1.108 inches. The static wire is Extra High Strength (EHS) steel with a wire outside diameter of 3/8 inch. Most of the ground the line will cross is pasture or cultivated farm ground in Norton and Phillips counties and is privately owned. Modifications to the existing Rhoades and Phillipsburg substations will be required for the addition of this transmission line. The modifications of both substations will include additional circuit breakers, switching devices, aluminum bus work and steel supporting structures. These additions will require approximately 1.0 acres of new substation area and will include earth work to level and compact soil to match the existing substation grade. Interested parties are invited to comment in writing within 30 days of this notice to:

Prairie Land Electric Cooperative, Inc. Alan Miller General Manager and CEO 14935 U.S Hwy 36 PO Box 360 Norton, KS 67654

A copy of all comments will be sent to RUS for its review.

•PUBLIC NOTICE•

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF PAULINE SUCHSLAND, Deceased

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF NORTON COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION In the Matter of the Estate of PAULINE SUCHSLAND, Deceased Case No. 2009-PR-12

NOTICE OF HEARING THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a petition has been filed in this Court by Stephen R. Suchsland, as son and one of the heirs of Pauline Suchsland, Deceased, praying for the determination of the descent of the following described real estate: An undivided One-half (1/2) interest in and to the Southeast Quarter (SE/4) of Section Twenty-one (21), Township Four (4) South, Range Twenty-four (24)

West of the Sixth P.M. in Norton County, Kansas.

And all other property, real and personal, or interest therein owned by the decedent at the time of death; and you are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before May 4, 2009, at 1:30 o'clock P.M. of said day in said Court, in the City of Norton, in Norton County, Kansas at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said petition.

Stephen R. Suchsland, Petitioner

R. Douglas Sebelius, #09157 SEBELIUS & GRIFFITHS, LLP 105 South Norton Street P.O. Box 10 Norton, KS 67654-0010 (785) 877-5143 Attorneys for Petitioner

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CALL FOR A CHANGE IN THE TIME AND LOCATION OF THE APRIL MEETING FOR THE NORTON COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD

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CALL FOR A CHANGE IN THE TIME AND LOCATION OF THE APRIL MEETING FOR THE NORTON COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD

April 7th, 2009 To: Economic Development Board Members; Diane Becker Press and the Public

That this notice is a call for a change in the time and location of the regular April Norton Economic Development Board Meeting. That upon call of the Chairman, the meeting shall be held on Tuesday, April 14th, 2009 at 6:00 p.m. at the Almena Community Building at 415 Main Street in Almena for the object and purpose of discussing the normal and regular business and affairs of the Board. All on this 7th day of April, 2009.

Deena Wentte, Chairperson

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RESOLUTION NO. 417

Published in The Norton Telegram on Friday, April 10, 17, 2009.

A RESOLUTION FIXING TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING ON PUBLIC OFFICER'S REPORT FINDING THE PREMISES OF RETINA L. JACOBS, 109 BRYANT, ALMENA, NORTON COUNTY, KANSAS UNFIT FOR HUMAN HABITATION, DANGEROUS AND UNSAFE

WHEREAS, the Public Officer of the City of Almena, Kansas, has made his report and request to the Governing Body of the City of Almena, Kansas, that finds the premises located within Almena, Kansas, belonging to Retina L. Jacobs, more particularly described as follows:

A tract of land commencing at a point 388' East and 30' North of the NE/c of Block Eight (8), Original Town of Almena, Norton County, Kansas, thence East along the North line of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NE/4 SE/4) of Section Eight (8), Township Two (2) South, Range Twenty-one (21) West of the 6th P.M. a distance of 100', thence south a distance of 189', more or less, to the North right-of-way line of the CB&Q Railroad, thence Southwesterly along said right-of-way line 114', more or less, to a point directly South of the place of beginning, running thence North 248', more or less, to the place of beginning, subject to legal highways:

to be unfit for human habitation, dangerous and unsafe; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the City of Almena, Kansas, has authority pursuant to Section 4-601, et seq, of Code of the City of Almena, Kansas, to require or cause the repair, closing or demolition or removal of such structures found to be unfit for human habitation, dangerous or unsafe within Almena, Kansas.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF ALMENA, KANSAS:

SECTION ONE: A hearing will be held before the Governing Body of the City of Almena, Kansas, to determine whether the structure or structures on the premises described above is fit for human use or habitation, dangerous or unsafe, at the following place on the following date: City Building, Almena, Kansas, on the 4th day of May, 2009, at 7:00 p.m.

SECTION TWO: That this resolution shall be published once each week for two (2) consecutive weeks in the official City newspaper and that notice by certified mail be sent to each owner, agent, lienholder and occupant of the premises. PASSED AND APPROVED This 4th day of April, 2009.

CITY OF ALMENA, KANSAS Gerald Wilson, Mayor

Twila Ingram, Almena City Clerk