## New business in Norcatur

Attic full and running over? No room to park the car in the garage? Don't like your boat sitting out all winter?

If you need a safe, dry place to store your seasonal decorations or extra furniture, Norcatur Storage will be able to help.

Jim Plotts of Norcatur and his partner, John Geisinger of Selden, are in the final stages of building the 14-unit storage facility. There will be six 12-footby-24-foot units, four 12-by-16 units and four 12-by-8 units, Mr. Plotts said. The structure was framed with 2-by-4-inch lumber and finished with propanel steel siding and roof.

"John and I have been talking about doing this for several

years," he said. "When this lot became available, we decided to go ahead with the project. Folks in Norcatur have been very encouraging, and we've had lots of positive comments about our progress."

The storage units are on the northeast corner of the first intersection on the blacktop road leading into Norcatur off U.S.

Construction began in late August after LeRoy Spresser leveled and graded the lot. Mr. Spresser is also delivering millings that will be spread on the apron in front of and behind the storage units. Mr. Plotts, with the help of his son James, and Brian Barnett, both of Norcatur, poured the concrete pad. Oberlin Concrete furnished the concrete.

Mr. Plotts took three weeks off from the project after having gall bladder surgery Sept. 10. He is putting the finishing touches on this week and said he will have everything finished in the next few days. He said five units are ready now.

"We saw a need," said Mr. Plotts. "I'm glad we were able to do something to bring new business to Norcatur."

The operation plans an open house from 3 to 5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16. For information, call Mr. Plotts at (785) 475-4244 or 4369 or Mr. Geisinger at (785)



Norcatur has added a new business. Jim Plotts has built a 14-unit mini storage facility along with his business partner, John Geisinger. - Herald staff photo by Carolyn Plotts

## JENNINGS NEWS

### By Louise Cressler

We received a phone call from Jack Bainter, Indianapolis, Ind. this week. He is a former Jennings resident, graduating in the class of 1949. He informed us there will be a memorial service at Jennings United Methodist Church for his wife Diane on Nov. 23 at 11:30 a.m. Burial at the Jennings cemetery will be at noon. Diane died on Oct. 9, after a lengthy illness. Following the burial, a luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m. by the United Methodist Women at the Jennings Church.

The Jennings American Legion will be serving a ham and bean lunch Sunday, Nov. 17 at the Sunflower Senior Center from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Free will donations are appreciated.

Those enjoying cards at the Senior Center Wednesday were: Eleanor Morel, Diane Carter, Agnes Wahlmeier, Carol Carter, Scott Taylor, Stan and Ramona Shaw.

Recent visitors at the home of Wayne and Louise Cressler included Russell Cressler, Bison and Jeff Anderson, Council Grove on Sunday, Nov. 3. Russell Cressler, Bison and fiancée Mary Kinser, rural Jennings visited on Tuesday evening, Nov. 5. Gwen Anderson, Coun-

cil Grove came Friday evening, Nov. 8 and went home Sunday night. Appreciated Gwen helping us out with many things I can't do right now. Also appreciate Marge Hartzog bringing food and for her medical help.

Weekend guests at the home of Stan and Ramona Shaw included Brent Finley and Steve Parker, Joplin, Mo.; Brandon Wagoner, Granby, Mo.; Elliott Gillespie and Emma, Belton, Mo.; Chris Gillespie and Tom Neff, Marion; Aaron and Tara Gillespie and Jackson, Hays; Kevin and Colleen Wagoner, Sharon Springs; Nick and Kerri Wahlmeier, Trenton and Kyndal of Oberlin; Jeff and Mary Wahlmeier, rural Clayton. Clay and Jessica Rush and family visited briefly on Saturday evening. Brent, Steve and Brandon are spending the week to do some hunting and fishing.

Nick and Kerri Wahlmeier, Trenton and Kyndal, Oberlin visited with Agnes Wahlmeier Saturday evening.

Stan and Ramona Shaw and Francis Porsch, Selden spent last Tuesday visiting with their sister, Mary Ann Dinkel, Hays.

The City Council is not meeting this Monday because city clerk, Paula Krizek is ill. A later date will be scheduled.

## Tiebreaker

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tine, Norton.

Hank Kaiser, Long Island, missed six games and Charlotte Gasper, Norton, was incorrect on seven contests.

## This week's entries

The 11th week's entries must be postmarked by 5 p.m. today and received in the mail no later than Monday or you may bring them to the Telegram office before 5 p.m. today.

See the Pick-Em full page advertisement in Tuesday's Telegram for this week's high school and college games.

The fan who picks the most

winners during the 12-week contest will receive \$50 in scrip money plus an engraved trophy. Scores of last week's games

UCLA 31, Arizona 26 TCU 21, Iowa State 17 Missouri 48, Kentucky 17 Nebraska 17, Michigan 13 Minnesota 24, Penn State 10 Oklahoma State 42, Kansas 6 Kansas State 49, Texas Tech

Texas 47, West Virginia 40

Wisconsin 27. Brigham Young 17

Vanderbilt 34, Florida 17

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# Workshops for ag producers set

Kansas State University will host two Risk Assessed Marketing Workshops to help agricultural producers navigate the uncertain business climate linked to volatile crop prices and the lack of a new Farm Bill. The workshops will be Nov. 20-21, 2013 in Manhattan and Feb. 26, 2014 in Scott City.

"The lack of a new Farm Bill leaves questions unanswered for those who operate the 2.2 million farms throughout the United States," said Art Barnaby, agricultural economist with K-State Research and Extension. "Farmers have the risk of their Farm Service Agency safety net changing, and when we do have a new Farm Bill in place, it will likely include changes to crop insurance. The lack of certainty in the commodity programs, plus expanded bio-fuels and ethanol usage, combined with volatile crop prices is leaving many producers considering

different methods for managing yield and price risk."

The workshops are designed to introduce producers to an integrated marketing and production management approach that combines government programs, crop insurance and alternative marketing techniques. Among the topics addressed are: crop insurance, selling crop insurance-covered puts, futures, put and call options, forward contracts, marketing loans and basis contracts.

More information and online registration for the Nov. 20-21 workshop in Manhattan is available www.agmanager.info/ events/RAM/2014/default.asp or by calling Rich Llewelyn at 785-532-1504 or rvl@ksu.edu.

More information and registration for the Feb. 26 workshop in Scott City is available by contacting John Beckman at 620-872-2930 or jbeckman@ ksu.edu.

## Power Tools, Lumber, Tools, Furniture, Dishes, Dolls & Piano Auction

D Swank, Gerald Golbek, Caryl Cullen, Carol Shoenthaler & Others

Saturday, November 23rd, 2013 at 9:30 a.m.

Power Tools and Tools sell at 9:30 a.m., Lumber around 12:00 p.m.

Norton National Guard Armory—North Highway 283—Norton, KS 67654



### APPLIANCES: Haier Flat TV. 15 Inch LCD TV with Sony DVD player & remotes. & Micro-

## **POWER TOOLS & ACCESSORIES:**

(Sell at beginning of auction at 9:30 a.m.) Chicago Electric Die Grinder with tool & 4 cutting discs – Craftsman Nai Driver with Charger - Makita 3/8 Cordless Drill with extra battery & charger – Porter Cable Orbital Sander with pad and Sanding Discs – B/D 6 In Bench Grinder on a Baldor Stand - B/D 7 In. In-line Sander - B/D Rotary Hammer Drill – B/D 7 ¼ " Circular Saw – Skill 1/2" Drive Drill in a Proxxon Drill Press - Skill Jig Saw with extra blades - Pro-Tech 8 1/4" Compound Miter Saw - Craftsman %HP Shop Vacuum - Remington 3.0 HP Electric Chain Saw, 16" Bar – Milwaukee 1200W heat gun with extra nozzles - Large Amount of Drill Bits - Wire Wheels, Buffing & Sanding Wheels - Right Angle 3/8" drill head 54" long - Solid Drill Extension 12" long - 5 Carbide Burrs, various sizes & shapes - Large Assortment of 5/8 Grinder Accessories - 80 Gal New Water Pressure Tank - Welding Rod, 50 Feet of Acetylene Hose – Small Engine Repair Parts

#### **LUMBER, WIRE & MISCELLANEOUS:** (Sell as close to 12:00 p.m. as possible)

30 Wood 2X8's 8FT to 16 Ft. 20 Wood 2X10's 8Ft. to 16Ft. 30 4X8 Ply Wood Sheets Aluminum Storm Door 12 Foot All Steel Steps

80 Wood 2X4's 10 Ft. to 18 Ft. 100 Wood 2X4 Wood Studs Other Miscellaneous Lumber 2 Inside Wood Doors 50 - 60 Concrete Blocks

150 Feet Double O Under Ground Wire Lot of 12-3 & 12-2 Copper Wire in Various Lengths Small Electrical Plugs, wall plates, Garden Hose Repair Pars, Cotter Keys Sandpaper, Steel Wool, Sandpaper, Padlocks, and Power Strip Extension Cords

LADDERS: Step Ladders – Werner 20 Ft. Extension Fiberglass Ladder – Werner 2 Ft

### Wood Ladder - Versaladder 6 Ft. Metal Ladder Multi-jointed SPORT & YARD ITEMS:

2 Metal Lawn Chairs, Patio Table with Umbrella, Murry riding Lawn Mower, Roto Tiller, Assorted Miscellaneous Yard Tools, ServStar Wheelbarrow with solid filled front tire , Single Blade Scraping Tool, Sledge Hammer, Tree Limb Trimmer/cutter, Lufkin 100 Ft. Tape Measure, Irwin 100 Ft. Tape Measure, 1 Gal sprayer, Do-It-Best Lawn Sprinklers, Work Gloves

SPECIALITY ITEMS:

Laser Sport Scooter by Pride Run's Kimbell Baby Grand Piano **FURNITURE:** Matching Couch & Love Seat Single Bed Small Casco Table

2 Drawer Filing Cabinet with Key 3 Piece Coffee Table & Side Table Dining Room Table 2 Leaves 6 Chairs Reclining Love Seat (Brown Micro Fiber)

Small Curio Cabinet 4 Chests of Drawers Wicker Storage Basket

6 Drawer China Cabinet Round Piano Stool 4 Drawer Dresser Matching Side Dresser with 2 Drawers

Small Desk Light Wood Desk Wicker Chair Bistro Set Coffee Table Blue Recliner 6 Bar Stools **End Tables** King Size Bed & Mattresses Small Marble Top Table Wicker Display Shelf 2 Drawer Sewing Cabinet Cosco Chair with Steps

**DISHES - FIGURINES - DECO ITEMS:** 

Assortment of Blue Carnival - Pfatzgraf - Brown Stone - Dog, Horse, Precious Moments Figurines -Mini- Teacups/Saucers - Music Boxes - Vintage Parasol - Beaded Niagara Falls Purse - Vintage Purse - 6 Ft. Christmas Tree - Vintage Men's Comb & Brush Set Pewter



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2 Tool Boxes for Pickup - Step Ladders - Craftsman 14 Drawer Tool Chest with Keys - Garage Creeper/Stool - Screwdrivers-Metric, SAE, Pipe Crescent Wrenches - Torx/Star Wrenches - Socket Sets -Large Assortment of Hand Tools -Files – Wire Cutters & Strippers -Pliers including Specialty Types -Laser Levels – Other Levels – Large Brass Drifts -8 Steel Chisels – Nail Punch – Auto Center Punch – Extra Points – Allen Wrench of Various Sizes -Dillion 550 Re oader Hex Wrench -Snips – Cutters – Nibblers – Wood/Metal Hand Saws – Pry Bars, Tire Irons -Hammers – Wire Brushes – Engine Cleaning Brushes – Assort ed Hand Auto Body Repair Tools (Paint Chip Repair – Sanders – Suction Cups Assorted Measuring Tools - 50 LB Brass Pull Gauge - Tap & Die Sets - Bol Extractor – Twist Wire Pliers with 2 spool of SS Wire – Stapler – Vise Grips Tubing Cutters – Bending Tool- 20 C-Clamps – Mechanic Stethoscope – Plumb er's Snake – Actron Compression Tester/Fuel pressure tester/Engine Vacuum Tester Kit – Seal Drivers, 22 Sizes with 4 Drivers – Electrician Hole Saw Kit Gasket Punch Set – Hole punches for Sheet Metal – K-D Nut Splitter – Extra Cutters – Sykes-Pickavant Cylinder Head Bolt Removal Tool – Impact Drive with extra bits – Brute Blind Riveter with Thousands of Rivets – K-D Flaring Tool Kit – Roper Whitney Hand Punch #5 – Nutter Thread-sert Threading Kit Pack-Mule Hoist Puller – 1000 lb capacity - Metric & SAE Sockets – Deep Wel Sockets – Nut Drivers – Extension – Torque Wrench- Breaker Bars – 5 Gal Gas Can – Vector Smart Battery Charger – Bench Vice – Bungee Cords – Small Folding Hand Truck

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## **DOLLS & CHILDREN ARTICLES:**

Uneeda Doll in Blue, Eugene Doll, Basket of Tiny Dolls, Baby Blankets, Vintage Children's Shoes & Clothing, Vintage Collar , McDonald's Small Dolls, Baby Doll Clothes Patterns, Doll

**HOUSEHOLD ITEMS** Table Lamps - Vintage Desk Lamp - Fake Fire Place - 8 Foot Metal



AUCTIONEER NOTES: This is a giant sale of tools, lumber, garage item and a nice amount of regular run items. We will sell in two rings and expect a nice day for the outside items. We will start at 9:30 AM with the tools and doll collection first. I plan to sell the furniture and lumber as close to 12:00 as possible

Join McEwen Auction for a pre-Thanksgiving Sale!