

On the Plains

Idalia News

St. John Church Cookbook

Due to unforeseen circumstances the new St. John cookbook has been delayed. They will reschedule publishing it for sometime in 2008. Recipes are still welcome and may be sent to the church or email to stjohncookbook@yahoo.com.

St. John United Church of Christ Christmas Service

St John United Church of Christ

at Idalia will hold two services Christmas Eve day, Dec. 24, allowing a choice of times and type of service.

The 2 p.m. service will serve those preferring a daytime service. It will feature a slide show of community children in nativity scenes. This service will also include Christmas carols, special music and a Christmas story told by

Rev. Wright. Candy sacks will be distributed following the service.

The traditional Christmas Eve service will be held at 7 p.m. It will feature a live children's Christmas play with a slide show background. Special music will include the church choir accompanied by instruments, and the traditional *O Holy Night*. During the play the actors will invite all young children

present to join them at the manger to sing *Away in the Manger* and *Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star*, so alert your visiting relatives! Candy sacks and refreshments will follow the service.

If anyone has time or wants to bring Christmas cookies for the service on Christmas Eve they are welcome to do so.

If wanting to help sack candy for

By
Angela
DeLeon



the church anyone can help on Dec. 22 at 10 a.m. when they will start sacking candy bags.

Future Business Leaders of America

It was a cold and snowy afternoon last Friday, but Mrs. Richards, Ms. Mertens, Future Business Leaders of America President Gabe Ramseier and FFA President Creighton Farness set out to deliver holiday food boxes prepared earlier that morning with food collected from the Future Business Leaders of America food drive. With the Excursions loaded with food boxes, the group headed out to deliver to homes in the country. As the group made their way back to town to do in-town deliveries, they learned that meat had been delivered to the school by Craig and Christine Mergelman that could be delivered with the remaining boxes. The

group then completed several in-town deliveries to conclude their project.

Gribben Benefit

Tim Gribben Benefit, Dec. 31 at the Burlington Community Center. The Burlington and Idalia Communities are sponsoring a benefit to help curb their expenses after the first of the year. There will be a dance, silent auction, bingo, auction for bigger items, and refreshments. Any organization, individuals, students and the Idalia community can donate items for the silent auction, auction or bingo prizes. If you wish to donate items please call Sheryl Wudtke 354-7270. Time will be announced.

Family Community Education

Family Community Education meeting will be Dec. 20 at 7 p.m. it is our Christmas party so hope to see all there at the church. Bring a friend along with you.

Haigler News

Helen Brown visited Sophia Zuege in her home last Wednesday. Jeannie Zuege will be spending nights with Sophia and days with her mother, Laura Pearl Wall, in the Wray District Hospital this week. Sophia will be returning with Jeannie to Hot Springs, S. D., to spend a few days. Her son, Albert, will then bring her back to Haigler on Wednesday after Christmas Day.

Laura Pearl Wall will be in the hospital until after Christmas. The family plans to have Christmas dinner with her there. She has had many visitors and appreciates them all. The names of visitors that came to her mind as this correspondent talked with her on the telephone were in addition to all of her children: Don and JoAnn Webster and a niece of Laura Pearl, Mrs. John Clark, from Greeley who also visited Royal and Helen Woods while in Wray. Daughter, Carol and husband, Jay Flaming, from Yuma brought the two little boys, Logan

and Noel. Dwight Wall, stopped to see his mother on his way back home to Lewellen, Neb., from California where he had taken his bees to work in the almond groves for the winter months.

One of the improvements on the South 67 School building is a ramp making it wheel chair accessible. There are a number of special events planned in the coming months so be watching for announcements.

It is beginning to look a lot like Christmas in Haigler. There are some remarkable yard displays as well as the decorations the city has put up that makes an after-dark tour of the town an interesting activity.

Mercil and Frank Tiff came down Saturday from Longmont to visit with Lois and Stan Zuege. They all ate lunch together at the Haigler Cafe.

Saturday evening Rusty and Ida Heaton were visitors of Stan and Lois and they had supper together at the Haigler Cafe.

Last Thursday Stan and Lois

Zuege and Stan's sister, Dorothy Walker, and her daughter, Ilene, from Brighton, met at a restaurant in Brush for the noon meal.

Lois reports that her arm is beginning to work again after having been immobilized for several weeks.

Sherri Gregory writes in her Christmas e-mail letter: "This year I planned to leave on Wednesday, Dec. 19, and drive to Arizona for a two-week vacation spent with Mamma, Leah, Leone and Eunice and their families. However, during the last week I have had three gall bladder attacks. The first two went away fairly quickly and I didn't realize that was what they were until the third one decided to get my attention BIG time. I ended up in the emergency room on Saturday and they kept me overnight thinking they could schedule surgery on Monday. This time of year is very busy for surgeries, so my doctor is now working on a time that will work both for her sched-

By
Floy
Ruggles



ule and the hospitals. Needless to say, this has changed my plans for Christmas!! I will be staying close to home."

This means that Sherri's aunt, Floy Ruggles, who had been invited to ride with her to Tucson, will be staying home as well.

Beecher Island News

By
Bessie
Dent



There was no Sunday school due to the icy roads and the snow that residents are so thankful for and no wind.

The Harry Ekberg family is so happy with the great turnout for the birthday party at Cedardale Wednesday in honor of Beulah's 85th birthday.

Jace Juhnke was a Nov. 30 overnight guest of Garrett Hurlburt helping him celebrate his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowe Shively visited Carol Whomble in Wray Friday morning. In the afternoon they visited Charlie Shively in the Burlington Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Allen spent last Tuesday and Wednesday nights with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Allen and family. They were able to attend the kindergarten Christmas program in which Joey had a part.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Brown and Riley and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Heath were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Chapman.

Violet Brown had lunch with Don Dye Thursday.

Kent Rose visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rose Saturday.

Ashley Hurlburt was an overnight guest of the Schaffner girls.

Cory and Ethan Jeurink visited Harry Ekberg Sunday afternoon and enjoyed snow mobiling.

Trevor and Garrett Hurlburt were Friday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Allen.

Bonnie Jones was a Wednesday morning visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dent.

Mary Keeler visited Violet Brown last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hurlburt and family spent Sunday evening with Perry Allen to watch the football game.

Judy Shively was a guest at the Idalia Club at Jerry Crites Thursday.

Monte and Gary Mansfield and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dent were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mansfield Friday.

Kevin and Kerry Filgas and Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Simmons were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Simmons celebrating Quentin's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Simmons and Tonya Simmons were among the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Jarrett Sunday evening. They hosted a birthday party for Deanna, Sadie and Masyll Jarrett and Quentin Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Mansfield spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ron Jackson, Jake and Raygan in Kearney, Neb.

Public Notices

Notice of lapse of Petition filed mineral interests in Feikert estate

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NOTICE OF THE LAPSE OF

MINERAL INTERESTS

TO: Gladys H. Southwick, Katherine Southwick, Linus E. Southwick and Helen D. Southwick;

You are hereby notified that pursuant to K.S.A. 55-1601, *et seq.*, the mineral interests have lapsed on the following real estate in Cheyenne County, Kansas, more particularly

described as the South Half (S1/2) of Section Thirty-six (36), Township One (1) South, Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the 6th P.M.

This notice is given by the undersigned, who is the surface owner of the above described property.

APPROVED BY:
JAMES M. MILLIKEN, CHARTERED
Kari M. Gilliland
Supreme Court No. 17386
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Bradley Waters

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS In the Matter of the Estate

of
Case No. 06-P-10
Gerald K. Feikert, a/k/a Gerald Feikert,
a/k/a Jerry Feikert, deceased.

PURSUANT TO K.S.A CHAPTER 59

NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO

ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:
You are hereby notified a Petition has been filed in this Court by Blake Feikert, duly appointed, qualified and acting Administrator of the Estate of Gerald K. Feikert, a/k/a Gerald Feikert/ a/k/a Jerry Feikert,

deceased, praying Petitioner's acts be approved; account be settled and allowed; the heirs be determined; the Estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto pursuant [to the law of intestate succession][to the Valid Settlement Agreement]; fees and expenses be allowed; costs be determined and ordered paid; the administration of the Estate be closed; the Administrator be discharged and the Petitioner be released from further liability.

You are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before January 4, 2008, at 10:00 a.m., in the District Court, Cheyenne County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgement and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

Blake Feikert, Petitioner

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Sheriff's sale to be held Jan. 4

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS

WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK
PLAINTIFF
No. 07CV11
Div. No.

Vs
K.S.A. 60
Foreclosure

EARLD. CROWE, et. al.;
DEFENDANTS

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Under and by virtue of an Order of Sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court in and for the said County of Cheyenne, in a certain cause in said Court Numbered 07CV11, wherein the parties above named were respectively plaintiff and defendant, and to me, the undersigned Sheriff of said County, directed, I will offer for sale at public auction and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand at the front door of the courthouse in the City of St. Francis in said County, on January 4, 2008, at 10:00 a.m., of said day the following described real estate located in the County of Cheyenne, State of Kansas, to wit:

TOWNSHIP THREE (3) SOUTH, RANGE FORTY-TWO (42) WEST OF THE SIXTH P.M. DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS;
BEGINNING ON THE WEST SECTION LINE OF SAID SECTION THIRTY-FOUR (34) AND THE SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY OF U.S. HIGHWAY 36 AS NOW CONSTRUCTED, THENCE SOUTH A DISTANCE OF SIX HUNDRED FIFTY-TWO (652'), THENCE EAST AND PARALLEL TO THE NORTH SECTION LINE A DISTANCE OF SEVEN HUNDRED EIGHT FEET (708'), THENCE NORTH AND PARALLEL TO THE WEST SECTION LINE A DISTANCE OF SIX HUNDRED FIFTY-TWO FEET (652'), WHICH IS THE SOUTH LINE OF U.S. HIGHWAY 36 AS NOW CONSTRUCTED, THENCE WEST ALONG THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF SAID HIGHWAY A DISTANCE OF SEVEN HUNDRED EIGHT FEET (708') TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. Commonly known as HC1, Box 43, Saint Francis, Kansas 67756

This is an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

Craig Van Allen
SHERIFF OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS

HSBC Mortgage Services, Inc.,
Plaintiff,
Case No. 07CV12
Div. No.

vs.
K.S.A. 60
Mortgage Foreclosure
Brad Faylor,
Courtney Faylor,
Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of an Order of Sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of CHEYENNE County, Kansas, to me the undersigned Sheriff of CHEYENNE County, Kansas, I will offer for sale at public auction and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand at the main lobby of the CHEYENNE County Courthouse at St. Francis, Kansas, at 10:00AM on January 4, 2008, the following real estate:

THE NORTH EIGHTEEN FEET (N18') OF LOTTWELVE (12) AND

ALL OF LOTS THIRTEEN (13), FOURTEEN (14), FIFTEEN (15) AND SIXTEEN (16) IN BLOCK TWENTY-SIX (26) IN PARK HILL ADDITION TO THE CITY OF ST. FRANCIS, KANSAS. ACCORDING TO THE RECORDED PLAT THEREOF.

more specifically described as 702 South Adams, Saint Francis, KS 67756

to satisfy the judgment in the above-entitled case. The sale is to be made without appraisal and subject to the redemption period as provided by law, and further subject to the approval of the Court.

Craig Van Allen
Sheriff of CHEYENNE County, Kansas

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