

New owners open the antique store

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The antique shop on U.S. 36 has new owners and they plan an open house for this weekend.

Glenn and Amanda Mahon purchased the shop from Bobby McDanel on Sept. 9. They have been cleaning, sorting and organizing the contents of the shop as well as bringing in new items.

The Mahons will be selling quality antique furniture as well as primitives, glassware and dishes.

"We will have a little bit of everything," Mrs. Mahon said.

If a customer is looking for a special item, they should tell or call the Mahons as they also have two booths filled with antiques. One booth is at Accents, Etc. in McCook on Norris Ave., and the other booth is at Buy Me Again, east of the Sandhillier in Wray.

With this ability to move and display items in several places, Mrs. Mahon says what they don't have in one place, they may have in another.

The Mahons enjoy antiques. Mrs. Mahon said, as a young girl, she went with her mother, Glorienne Milne and grandmother, Nola Burrus, to antique shops. She learned at a young age to appreciate antiques.

However, she says that she really appreciates antiques which have sentimental value. Her great-grandfather purchased a dresser for 5 cents when he was only 5-years-old. Mrs. Mahon said that his father was so mad at him for making the purchase that he made him pay another 5 cents to have it hauled home. Mrs. Mahon now has this dresser which is well over 100 years old, along with a fifth-generation piano.

Mr. Mahon is an auctioneer with Michael Auction Service, Julesburg, Colo. He has the opportunity to purchase items and, through the auction business, has learned a lot about different patterns, trademarks and styles.

However, Mrs. Mahon said, we are always learning.

They started the antique business by selling items on e-Bay. In the future, they plan to have a "bargain area" which will feature different items. They also plan to have once-a-month discounts on different items — sometimes furniture, other times, dishes or glassware.

The antique shop will be open on Wednesdays from 5:30 to 7 p.m. and on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. They will also



NEW OWNERS Amanda and Glenn along with daughter, Darian get the antiques ready for the open house to be held this weekend.

Herald staff photo by Karen Krien

open on appointments. Call 785-332-6371. During the holidays, they plan to have extended hours. As summer nears and they have more accomplished at the shop, the hours may change.

Open House
The Mahons will have the shop's open house from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. to accommodate those coming to St. Francis for the annual Craft Fair on Saturday.

They will have door prizes and drawings. People are urged to stop by and see what the shop has to offer. For some, it may be like stepping back in the past.

Crafts on display at show Saturday

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The 13th annual Craft Show will be held Saturday. The doors to the St. Francis Elementary School will open at 10 a.m. and the show will run until 4 p.m.

"We will have a good show planned for Saturday with a really nice variety of items," said Bonnie Zwegardt, co-coordinator of the show.

Some of the things for sale include handcrafted holiday and decorating crafts, wood items, jewelry, candles, homemade salsa, baked goods, items made from barn wood, Christmas items, original oil paintings, honey, floral arrangements, clocks, and homemade purses.

There are also a number of non-profit organizations selling different things to raise money. The Christian Church ladies will be selling pecans, Job's Daughters will have Christmas wreaths, arrangements and candles; and the 4-H Shooting Sports kids will be selling coupon books.

"We expect a full gym and items will be displayed in the hallway," said Tammy Grice, co-coordinator.

Saturday also marks the beginning of pheasant hunting season. Many of the wives of hunters will have the whole day to spend at the craft show.



"Everyone, especially wives of hunters, should plan to just spent part of the day at the show and enjoying lunch," Mrs. Zwegardt said.

Throughout the day, there will be door prizes given away.

Trade show booths
Teri Richard is the coordinator for speciality vendor booths. They will be set up in the high school cafeteria and include Independent Beauty Consultants, Mrs. Richard and Jolene Dodd; Premier Designs Jewelry, Sherry Stang; Homemade Gourmet, Susan Dinkel; Gold Canyon Candles, Brandi Jones, and Avon, Heidi Straub.

Lunch served
Lunch will include cheesy potato and chili soup as well as cinnamon rolls. It is being served by the St. Francis Community High School cheerleaders. Proceeds will be used to take them to Florida where they will perform during the pre-game activities at the Capital One Bowl football game.

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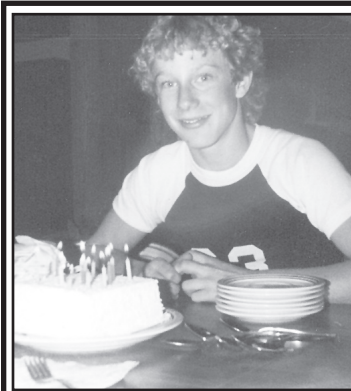
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- Votes to protect "home owned carnivals" from government regulation.
- Also serves on the Education Committee, Education Budget Committee, and Joint Committee on rules and regulations.
- Understands the importance of hard work and cooperation and the issues facing the 120th District.

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