

# At Home

## Middle East checks a St. Francis web

While checking the statistic totals for last month on his StFrancisKs.com website, Phil Crawford came upon an interesting find.

He noticed that the "first aeroplane" picture which had been submitted by Tobe Zwegardt, local Cheyenne County historian, had been downloaded by a foreign-looking website address. Back tracking the "paper trail" led him to a website in what appeared to be Arabic, with pictures on the right and the print running right to left and, right there with the lettering was the plane picture.

The site was "Edulink" and the website was www.edulink.co.il. It

appears that the site was highlighting Aviation Week and, besides the Zwegardt photo, there were pics of a jet, a jet taking off of a Navy carrier and an airport hangar in Chantilly, Va.

Other stats found on the St. Francis website included: 1,500 hits from foreign countries, 491 from Israel, 208 from U.S. Military sites, 171 Canada; 56 Australia; 42 Poland; 40 Mexico with around 56 countries being represented in a three-month period.

Mr. Crawford reported the 10 most popular pages on the StFrancisKs.com website are: Stearman Fly-In, About Town; School Calendar; Hospital Employment; and Photos.

## Club Clip

### Plum Creek 4-H Club

The January meeting of the Plum Creek 4-H Club was called to order by President Erica Douthit. Roll call was answered by "Whose going to win the Super Bowl!" There were 14 members and one leader present. The minutes were approved from last week and there were no reporter or treasurer reports.

The 4-H Council has not had a meeting and the Junior Leaders will be meeting Jan. 14 to get red-wheel to sell for two weeks.

Under old business, Grant reported that himself, Kaycee Williams and Amber Havel went to Denver and delivered stuffed animals to Children's Hospital.

Under new business, members discussed what they wanted to do for 4-H Days. It was decided to do

a skit and have a model meeting. Grant moved that the club do this and Mikaela seconded it.

Grant Keller had a special talk about flight, Kaycee had a talk about thoroughbred horse racing and Alecia had a demonstration and horse first aid.

The Zimbelman family led the members in singing "Row, Row, Row Your Boat" and the Keller family led members in playing "Duck, Duck, Goose."

The 4-H pledge was recited.

It was announced that Ty Faulkender will be the new County Agent. Also Mila handed out the dates of meetings for Food and Nutrition. Amy moved the meeting be adjourned and Kaycee seconded it.

Teri Walters, reporter



Albers- Brent

## Couple to wed

Phil and Sarah Albers, Denton, announce the engagement of their daughter Amy Albers, to Bradley Brent, son of Craig and Judy Brent, St. Francis.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Midway High School, attended Highland Community College, and has a bachelor of science degree in agriculture from Kansas State. She is currently in her third year of veterinary medicine at Kansas State.

The future groom is a graduate of Lyons High School, Lyons, Colo., Northwestern Junior College, Sterling, Colo., and has a bachelor of science degree in agriculture with a minor in public communications from Fort Hays State University. He is currently employed with Heartland Beverage Co., Manhattan.

The couple plans a May 29 wedding at St. Benedict's Catholic Church of Benden.

## Family hosts anniversary with 70 guests attending

A gala reception on Nov. 23 honored Emil and Gertrude Holzwarth on their 60th anniversary with 70 guests present.

On Nov. 19, 1943, at 2 p.m. Gertrude Lucille Voeller and Emil Albert Holzwarth were united in marriage by Probate Judge Florence Curry with the bride's great-aunt, Edith Voeller, as the only witness at the St. Francis courthouse. The bride wore a navy blue velvet dress with matching hat whereas the groom was in a navy blue suit. As this was the era of World War II, the couple honeymooned in Denver with Bill and Amy Holzwarth, the groom's brother and sister-in-law.

For the anniversary reception, Gertrude was attired in a royal blue crushed velvet suit with a silver chain belt, heart-shaped navy blue earrings and a matching necklace accented the suit. Emil dressed in a brown suit with a beige shirt complemented by a tie showing horses. The bride wore a red rose corsage and the groom had a red rose boutonniere.

Hostess Carolyn Holzwarth, the couple's daughter, was accompanied by her fiancé, Dave Cawley. Grandson Jeremy Goetz and wife, Carrie plus granddaughter Candice Ramsey and her husband, Eric, attended the event. Great-grandchildren are D.J., Karen and Dallas. Great-great-grandchildren are Aurora, Amber and Dustin Jon.

The anniversary exhibit table featured photos of Gertrude and Emil, beginning when they were as young as 2 years old which were enjoyed by everyone. The "Silver Notes Band" photo included Emil and Gertrude.

The exhibit table also featured a guest book to be signed in pink ink

with messages for the couple, a basket containing 75 cards, a purple floral arrangement from Fremont Apartments and a red rose and white floral assortment from the Fort Morgan Senior Center and a Happy 60th anniversary balloon.

The serving table included a colorfully decorated sheet cake with anniversary greetings, many goodies and holiday red napkins embossed in silver showing a wedding ring and 60th anniversary greetings.

Servers included Earlene Erickson, Faye Holzworth, Esther Kress and Shirley Young, who each

wore a red rose corsage.

Dining tables had white tablecloths and multicolored numbers in 60 and star sequins.

Emil Holzwarth's second cousin, Emmett Horst, entertained on the accordion, his 66th year of playing the instrument. He dedicated "Crystal Chandeliers" which is the couple's favorite song. A number of additional familiar songs were played.

Many hugs, happy conversations, refreshments and much photo taking were the order of this gala reception at the Hillcrest/Fremont Community Building.

## Wedding is planned

Shelly Cox and Dustin Petz, children of Bob and Sheryl Cox of Hays, Sherrie Antholz of Topeka and Darrell Petz of Bird City, announce their engagement and approaching marriage.

Shelly is the granddaughter of Alfred Dorman of Lucas and the late Dorthea Dorman, the late Robert and Billie Cox, formerly of Murphy, N.C., and the late C.K. and Nellie Fisher, formerly of McDonald.

Dustin is the grandson of Nadine Flemming of Bird city and the late Jo Flemming and Delores Petz of McCracken and the late Donald Petz.

The prospective bride graduated from Hays High School, received a bachelor of science degree in psychology from Kansas State University and a master's of divinity degree from Saint Paul School of Theology in Kansas City, Mo. She is currently serving as pastor at the Logan and Long Island United Methodist churches.

The prospective groom graduated from Cheylin High School,



Cox- Petz

received a bachelor of science degree in agribusiness from Kansas State University and a master's of divinity from Saint Paul School of Theology. He is currently serving as pastor at Tabernacle Memorial United Methodist Church in Philadelphia, Pa., and working on a master of theology degree at Princeton Theological Seminary.

The couple plans to be married on May 15 at Camp Lakeside near Scott City. Following the wedding, they will reside in Philadelphia.

## Club Clip

### Tuesday Club

Tuesday Club met Tuesday, Jan. 13, at the home of Dorothy Carpenter. Delicious refreshments were served to the 13 members and two guests present.

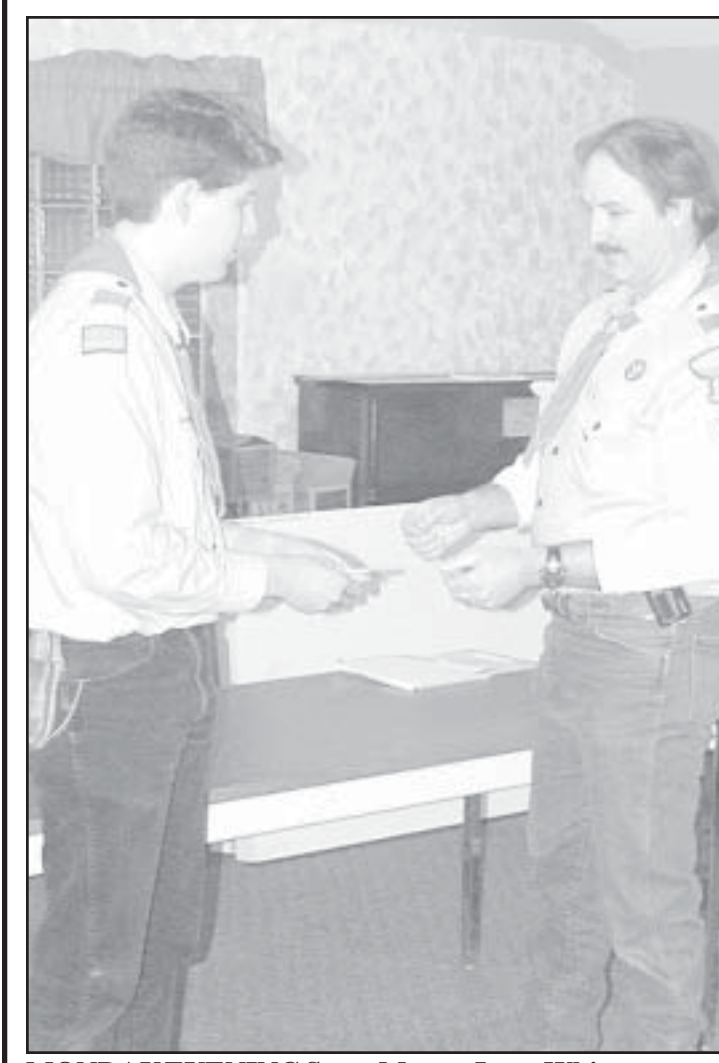
The meeting was conducted by the president Carol Rogers. Roll call was answered by "What I remember about the drought in the

1930s or 1950s."

Rachael Keller gave the lesson on soil conservation.

The next meeting will be the Valentine Party. Hostesses are Mardell DeGood, Hertha Kelley and Wanda Gienger.

The meeting closed by reading the Club Collect.



MONDAY EVENING Scout Master Jerry Whitmore presented Tanner Lacy, left, was presented three merit badges that he earned including: Citizenship In The World, Personnel Management and Communications.

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