On the Plains

Saint John United Church of Christ

Sept. 24 Worship Service: Scripture: Romans 12: 3-8, I Corinthians 12:12-27. Pastor Wright's sermon was "Transformed Through Community". Bill Carpenter sang "Gentle Shephard". Next Sunday will be Holy Communion and Pastor Chuck will continue his four part

sermon series with, "Transformed homemade goodies for the event. Through Love" Romans 12:9-13. The six week adult class discussing, Church ladies have invited our la-"The Purpose Driven Life" by Rick dies their guest day on Thursday, Warren, will continue at 9:30 a.m.

The annual "Neighbors in Need" national UCC offereing will be received on Sunday, Oct. 1. There cane Katrina. Please RSVP by Sep-

Idalia News

The Hope Congregational Oct. 5 at 1:30 p.m. Mr. Alvin Strobel will be the speaker. He has spenting helping victims of Hurri-

game on Friday night. Around 35 junior and senior high school students met at the church for food, fellowship and movies. The next 5th quarter is planned following the games at Liberty.

Idalia Starlighters

The Idalia Starlighters 4-H Club will be a Sunday School auction on tember 26. Youth fellowship met will meet Oct. 1 at 3 p.m. at the Nov. 12. Please plan on baking for a 5th quarter after the football Homestead Memorial Building.

Nancy Helling

The afternoon will begin with ditch clean up, so be sure to wear long pants, solid shoes and bring gloves. Following the cleanup, there will be a meal of hot dogs and smores served, followed by a meeting to discuss officer elections and to plan for the upcoming 4-H week.

Birthdays Sally Parker and Susan Knodel

enjoyed lunch with Trish Lengel in McCook, Neb., on Saturday to celebrate their birthdays. The ladies took in Fall Festival Days including a parade, craft fair in the park and a trip to Common Scents.

The Steve Knodel household was full this last weekend when Colorado State FFA officers gathered to help Andrea celebrate her birthday. Arriving on Thursday was Julie Chelewski and Stephanie Lebsock. Joining the group for Friday and Saturday were Morgan Parker, Curt Cutro, Abby Frank, Ryan Siefkas and Sydney Wilkinson. The officer team took in the Idalia volleyball and football games on Friday night.

Brenner Family Reunion The Brenner Family Reunion noes back at Leona's.

was held recently at the Carousel

Park in Burlington. Clyde and Teresa (Brenner) Schaal, Jerrol and Georgia Jean(Brenner) Davis, and Rick and Kim Davis were this year's hosts. Also attending were Francis Brenner, Lawrence and Geraldine (Brenner) Crites, Earline Brenner, Jean Brenner, Darrell Brenner, Dennis Brenner, Gary and Sharilyn (Brenner) Mansfield, Freeman and Diana Morris, Terry and Deb Crites, Bob and Terry Brenner, Roger and Connie Brenner, Jonathan Davis, Josh and Julie Morris, Ross and Jody Morris, Camren and Kale, Jerry and Lohnna Brenner, Craig and Candice Schaal, Brian and Melissa Lewis and Porter, Payton and Terrin, and Dean and Irene Weyerman.

Willing Workers

The Willing Workers Club traveled to Denver on Thursday to have their club meeting at the home of Leona Helling. Club members Bonnie Walters, Jerry Crites and Joyce Helling attended the special out of town meeting. Also in attendance was guest Raymond Helling, who also was lucky enough to win the hostess gift! They all enjoyed a special lunch at Centennials, followed by several games of domi-

Haigler News

Haigler will once again be hosting a Fall Festival Sales Day on Saturday, Oct. 14. Site maps will be available at "the station" on Highway 34 and Porter Avenue. Anyone interested in participating should contact LaNeta Carlock. Watch for the advertisements in the paper.

A birthday celebration for

MerryLu Simmons was held at her home on Friday. Among the guests were her parents, Dick and Laura Pearl Wall and MerryLu's daughter, Laurie Perila and children, Laura, Madison and Spencer with a young friend, all from Westminster, Colo.

Sherri Gregory, creator of the Haigler Blog, is looking for the oldest living resident in the Haigler area. If there is anyone who was Box 44, Haigler, NE 69030; Phone last editors. Next was the Lumber

born before July of 1911, and is 297-3605: agreeable of accepting the honor ffisher@bwtelcom.net; or drop in and sharing the information, please news item box provided at 338 contact your correspondent and make yourself known.

Monday dinner guests of Laura Pearl and Richard Wall were Carol Lee of Yuma and Pastor Inez Foster from Ansley, Neb.

The Haigler Happenings needs the cooperation of everyone willing Odenbach's creamery, south to to share their happenings - social, north) was the Haigler Newspaper community activities or any other news of interest. If you are inter- the Stratton News Paper came to ested enough to read the news we Haigler and published the paper for encourage you to participate in reporting because this is what keeps the column alive and interesting.

Send your news to Post Office

Washington Avenue. Items need to be in on Mondays every week (by 2 p.m. preferrably) On Monday Holiday weekends, reporting to newspa-Flaming, Logan Klein and Blaine per office is requested earlier, usually Friday.

Haigler Memories - conclusion

Part three of three. Next (after which was a weekly. The editor of awhile. When I was in my early high school years I worked there and helped fold papers. I think Mildred Woods and her husband were the Shed, the Doctor's Office - later Cooley's Liquor, then a dwelling. Stan Webster now lives there.

Across the street was the elevator, railroad tracks, the Depot. I had forgotten the water tank but remember it now. I remember the Sale Pavilion and going to a Christmas program, the really bright lights and a little girl having a bright red dress. The pump house for the town water was next in line going north.

Back to the block East of Main Street to the North was W.F. Wood's Buildings. Ididn't rememit was Stasser's Garage and Car reunion will be Sept. 15 and 16.

Dealership. On the next corner on the north side of the Highway 34 was a

filling station. They later put a Cafe in the east end of it. On east at the old junction of Highways 34 and 27, on the north was a garage run by Ed Pierson, later Ward Wonder had it. Later on the South side of 34 Junction of 27 was a Motel Volland Schmutte had for a few years. The Saturday night activity I re-

member well. I was one of the girls that went down one side of the street and up the other. There would be groups sometimes. Mom would stand or sit in the stores and visit. It was a Big Deal!

Beecher Island News

Another Beecher reunion is history after a weekend of good programs and much visiting, with some people who residents haven't seen for a long time. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Flick and sister Edith, Mr. and Mrs. Dwain McKinney, Ron McKinney, Don Hall, Charlie Tustin, Alta Haskell Daschofsky, who is returning to Colorado after many years in ber what all was there but I remem- Idaho. Right now she is visiting Mr. mistaken identity...and was Blair ber the folks talking about it. Later and Mrs. Leon Haskell. Next year's

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Shaver were among the guests helping Bernice Eberhart celebrate her 93rd birthday in Burlington Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Cutforth spent several days at their home in Wray. Weekend guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Darrow and family. All attended the Beecher reunion over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Renzelman spent several days at their country home at Beecher. Friday lunch guests were Mr. and Mrs. harry Ekberg and Jacque Ekberg. Mr. and Mrs. Doug Zuellner of Campbell, Neb., Mr. and Mrs. Dowel Orcutt of Haxtun and daughter, Mary Jo, of Oklahoma were watermelon guests Saturday

Last weekend Mr. and Mrs. Pete Osmus, Holly Johnson and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. Tempy Bowman and family in Windsor and Matt Osmus and Molly Hedrick in overnight guest of his parents, Mr.

were weekend guests of Mr. and were Doris and Carole Whomble

Ashley, Trevor and Garrett Hurlburt were Friday sleep over of Violet Brown. Later Diana and with their uncle, Perry Allen.

Jerry Hurlburt and Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Jeff Hurlburt and family.

Connie Ekberg and Pam Stewart, who came to watch the turtle races, were weekend guests of Jacque

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Perila and family spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Simmons. They were all guests of Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Simmons for a hot dog roast Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wall joined them for lunch Sunday at the Bob Simmons home.

were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Allen. They all attended

the picnic at the Towers Friday.

Tracy Martinez left Saturday after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mansfield celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary in South Dakota for a few days. Donna Dodge visited Violet

Brown and others Wednesday until this Monday. Saturday evening joining them for supper were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bowker and Amanda and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brown and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Rose attended the volleyball game a Woodland Friday. Later the Roses and girls had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Langendoerfer and

Kelly Shively was a last Sunday and Mrs. Rowe Shively. Joining Mr. and Mrs. Doug Zuellner them for lunch in Wray Monday and Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Shively.

> Don Dye was a Monday caller Lee Bowker were visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Greg Allen and

Joseph Proctor and family were Tyle and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Saturday overnight guests of Mr. Harwood were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry

Ellen Mansfield visited Gail Coonts Sunday afternoon.

Doe and Judy Hart took Violet Brown an Donna Dodge out for breakfast Thursday.

Manley and Doris Chase, Clifford and Carolyn Homm, Paul and Bessie Dent and Bob Benson enjoyed breakfast at Demmies Wednesday morning.

Monte and Gary Mansfield, Paul Mr. and Mrs. Dave Harwood and Bessie Dent visited bill and Ellen Mansfield this past week.

Book Review

To Die For

By Linda Howard

Blair Mallory lives the good life. She's pretty, confident and the owner of a thriving upscale fitness center. But in the shadow of success, a troubled member of the club develops a strange fixation on her, imitating her style and dress. matlook-alike is shot dead ...and Blair

As the media speculate on the tawdry details of the homicide and

push Blair into the harsh spotlight, she locks horns with police lieutenant Wyatt Bloodsworth...he wants to lead an investigation without interference, while she is determined to probe the dead woman's life on her own. But when someone begins to menace Blair with mounting ters take a darker turn when the threats, Wyatt takes notice: Was this murder indeed a lethal case of the intended victim?

Public Notices -

Petition filed to settle Notice of hearing the Underwood estate for will to be settled

Published in the Saint Francis Her- Estate be assigned to the persons Published in The Bird City Times, days, September 14, 21 and 28, 2006. (37-39)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS In the Matter of the Estate of MARGIE UNDERWOOD, a/k/a MARGIE L. UNDERWOOD, De-

Case No. 05-PR-08 NOTICE OF HEARING PURSUANT TO K.S.A. CHAPTER

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED: You are hereby notified that a Petition has been filed in this Court by

John G. Kite and Vickie Thomas, a/ k/a Vickie M. Thomas, duly appointed, qualified and acting Co-Executors of the Estate of Margie Underwood, a/k/a Margie L. Underwood, deceased, praying that their acts be approved; that their account be settled and allowed; that the

the administration of the Estate be closed; that the Co-Executors be discharged and that they be released from further liability. You are required to file your writ-

ten defenses thereto on or before the 10th day of October, 2006, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. of said day, in said Court in the City of St. Francis. Kansas. in Cheyenne 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 the Petition.

JOHN G. KITE, Petitioner KITE & DAY, L.L.P. 112 West Washington P.O. Box 575

St. Francis, Kansas 67756 785/332-3323 Attorneys for Petitioner

Cheyenne County, Kansas.

and all personal property and other

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sonal, or interests therein, owned by

the decedent at the time of death

and that such property be assigned

pursuant to the laws of intestate

succession; and you are hereby re-

quired to file your written defenses

thereto on or before October 20,

2006, at 10:30 a.m. of said day, in

said court, in the City of St. Francis,

in Cheyenne County, Kansas, at

which time and place said cause will

be heard. Should you fail therein,

judgment and decree will be en-

entitled thereto; that fees and ex- Bird City, Kansas, Thursdays, Seppenses be allowed; that costs be tember 21, September 28 and Ocdetermined and ordered paid; that tober 5, 2006. (38-40) IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF

CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-

Case No. 05-PR-21

W. E. HEMPLER, A/K/A WALDEMAR HEMPLER, DE-CEASED PURSUANT TO K.S.A. CHAP-

TER 59 NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition was filed in this Court by Marsha A. Batt, duly appointed, qualified and acting Executor of the Estate of W. E. Hempler, deceased, praving Petitioner's acts be approved; account be settled and allowed; the heirs be determined; the Will be construed and the Estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the Court find the allowances requested for attorneys, fees and expenses are reasonable and should be allowed; the costs be determined and ordered paid: the adupon the filing of receipts the Petitioner be finally discharged as the Executor of the Estate of W. E. Hempler, deceased, and the Petitioner be released from further liabil-

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before October 13, 2006, at 10:00 P.M. in the District Court, St. Francis, Cheyenne 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. Marsha A. Batt, Executor

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ald, St. Francis, Kansas, Thursdays, September 28, October 5, and October 12, 2006. (39-41) IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of Case No. 06-PR-16 Jean Francis Cardwell a/k/a Jean F. Cardwell, Deceased

PURSUANT TO K.S.A. CHAP-TER 59 **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 William D. E. Cardwell, spouse and one of the heirs of Jean Francis Cardwell, a/k/a Jean F. Cardwell, deceased, praying:

Descent be determined of the following described real estate situated in Cheyenne County, Kansas: An undivided one-half (1/2) interest in the West Half of the Southwest Quarter (W1/2SW1/4) of Sec-

tion Twenty-eight (28), Township

Four (4) South, Range Forty-two (42), West of the 6th P.M. in Cheyenne County, Kansas, and An undivided one-half (1/2) interest in the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NW1/4NW1/4) of Section Thirty-three (33), Town-

tered in due course upon said peti-William D.E. Cardwell, Peti-

JAMES M. MILLIKEN, CHAR-

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