

Norcatcur News

By the Norcatcur News Committee

The Norcatcur Commercial Club is sponsoring a benefit pancake supper from 5-7 p.m. on Sunday at the Cardinal Cafe. Proceeds will go to the cafe for expenses.

Glenn and Pearl Alexander had dinner with Ivah Alexander in Oberlin last Monday.

Fern Mapes, Mike Mapes and Goldie Brewer had dinner with Donna

Warren in Oberlin last Sunday for an early Valentine's dinner and several games of dominoes.

Prairie Hobby Shop is open from 1-3 p.m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

Ray, Jen and Bryce Thornton of Hays visited last Sunday with R.D. and Eunice Thornton.

Eleanor Janousek, formerly of Norcatcur, was honored on her last day of work

at the Wal-Mart store in Lawrence on her retirement on Jan. 31.

Marian (Ward) Albin, 90, a 1929 graduate of Norcatcur High School, died Jan. 26, 2001, at Cherry Creek Nursing Home in Denver. She attended Fort Hays State College and taught school. She married Lee Albin on June 3, 1933. They lived in Nebraska before retiring in Norton in 1976.

Survivors include a sister, Hope Fitzgerald, Imperial, Neb.; five children, Anita Maruska, Englewood, Colo.; David Albin and wife, Grand Lake, Colo.; Judith Smith, Aurora, Colo.; Linda McMurtrey and husband, Hattiesburg, Miss., and Hope Constance Zink and husband, East Randolph, N.Y.; nine grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lee; her parents, and two brothers, Howard and Neil Ward.

Word has been received of the death of Marjorie Morris Eckhart on Feb. 8, 2001, at her home in Fremont, Neb. She married Phillip Eckhart, a 1950 graduate of Norcatcur Rural High School, who later became a veterinarian. He was the son of Fay and Maxine Eckhart and a brother of Phyllis Leichter. Survivors include a daughter, Cheri Porter; three sons, Chris, Craig and Kevin Eckhart; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Mail will reach Phil at 1965 Park Place Drive, Fremont, Neb., 68025.

Cedar Living Center

Cedar Living Center will be hosting a memorial service on Saturday, Feb. 24 at 2:30 p.m. in the dining room. This service will honor the memory of those who have died since February, 2000.

Family members, friends and staff are invited to join us for the memorial service and social time following. The Rev. Gary Fisher of the Oberlin United Methodist Church will be officiating.

Honorees are: Virgil Bailey, Olive Irene Bartley, Lila Jean Bouts, Wallace Bryan, Leola Caparoun, Laura Cochran, Emma Huss, Helen Janousek, Joseph Martin, Thomas McKay, Leroy Nelson, Marion Nokes, Jay Mead, Lona Ream, Letha Ellen Schultz, Helen Tacha and Clarence Wishon.

February birthday party was held on Monday afternoon. Those honored were Berenece McKay, Helen Corcoran and Conrad Zodrow. The Forget-Me-Nots hosted the party with Dennis Brown serving cake and ice cream.

Alvin Jording won the first bingo on Tuesday afternoon and Queenie Critchfield won the blackout game.

Pastor Charlotte Strecker-Baseler of the Faith Lutheran Church gave the monthly communion service on Tuesday afternoon.

A Sweetheart Luncheon was held on Valentine's Day. Guests who attended the dinner were Marie Jean

Vavroch, Elaine Bryan, Karen Bennett, Don Ashley and Rachael Gallatin. Dinner music was provided by Myrna Jones. Residents enjoyed games and refreshments in the afternoon. John Juenemann provided music during supper. The Forget-Me-Nots sent a potted rose bush for all of the residents to enjoy on Valentine's Day.

Father Jim Hoover and Sister Marilyn Wall were here for Mass on Thursday morning. Wilfred Miller and Ray Bennett are new residents.

Recent visitors: Pastor Glenn and Betty Krebs, Doyle Brown, Claudine Bennett, Rosa Brock, Jennings; Janis Jensen, Parker, Colo.; Ann Martin, Herndon; Steve Martin, McCook; Jerry Temple, Norcatcur; Kevin, Sue, Matt, Allison, and Selby Renk, Hays; Dave and Corinne Denton, Topeka; Wayne Grafel, Culbertson; Paul Zodrow, Selden; Don Temple, Nevada; Colleen Fikan, John and Diane Vap, Atwood; JoAnn and Gene Reuber, Ludell;

Grace Hoppas, Dorothy Machart, Dorothy and Leonard Cochran, George Brown, Ann Mines, Mildred Holmdahl, Dennis Thomas, Irene Fringer, Karli Fredrickson, Eula Juenemann, Dee McDougal, Orlin Beneda, Elvin Beneda, Kevin, Tamara and Kim Ketterl, Jay Ketterl, Marlin Marintzer, Anita Montgomery, Bob Keenan, Rusty Addleman, Nora Bell Manning, Frances Nothdurft, Raymond Corcoran, Fern Jording, Pastor Chad Eckels and Cheri Hutchison.

Herndon News

By Carol Ginther

Immanuel United Church of Christ is hosting a sausage and pancake brunch from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Sunday. All are welcome.

Those present for a get-together at the home of Chris Wood recently were Rita Marintzer, Krystal Hutfles, Diana Solko, Deb Portschy and Linda Huss. Saturday supper guests of Kent and Chris Wood were Jim and Mercedes Hartner of Denver.

Guests of Helen Marintzer on Fri-

day were Melvin and Regis Kogl of Lakewood, Colo. On Saturday they went to Hastings, Neb., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Danny Marintzer.

Bertha Groves, 85, of Louisville, Ky., died Feb. 4, 2001. She was born March 5, 1915, near Herndon, the daughter of Matt and Susie (Pingetzer) Riepl. She graduated from Herndon High School in 1933 and taught rural school in Thomas County. She married the Rev. Robert Groves on Aug. 24,

1935. He died August 15, 1982.

Survivors include a daughter, Judith Kuehl, Grinnell, Iowa; two sons, Dr. Robert Groves, Jefferson, N.C.; and Dr. Danny Groves, Louisville, Ky.; two sisters, Ida Saxrude, Houston, Texas and Helen Riepl, Dodge City; two brothers, Francis Riepl, Polson, Mont. and Jerry Riepl, Cimarron; 15 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Rexford News

By Lula Thielor

District 6 Adjutant Peg Greenwood attended an American Legion planning meeting in Concordia on Feb. 11 for the district convention in April. She was accompanied by Phil Finley of Colby, who is an executive board member.

Kathi Hapke attended a Sexual-Forensic Nurse Examiner class in Garden City from Feb. 5 to 9.

Those who met at the Barn on Feb. 16 for a carry-in dinner were Gary and Diana Taylor, Peg Greenwood, Grace Cheney, Deb Stepper, John Gould, Delores and Darla Dible. Everyone is welcome to join this group on any

second Saturday of the month for a time of food and fellowship.

Bill and Donna Dible went to Denver last Wednesday, then flew to Cancun, Mexico for a business meeting at the beach there. They especially enjoyed the weather which, was in the 80's, quite different from here last week. They returned home Monday.

Lawrence and Zula Horinek went to Colby last Monday evening to have dinner with Larry Horinek and Gary Delzeit in honor of Mrs. Horinek's birthday. On Wednesday evening Clea Moeder invited Zula and Lawrence and Carrol Gould for another birthday din-

ner. The Rexford Bridge Club meeting was cancelled for Wednesday due to the stormy weather.

Those who enjoyed the pinocle party at the Barn Monday afternoon were Rex and Betty Carswell, Lawrence and Zula Horinek, Alfred and Jean Hawkins, Lula Thielor, Grace Cheney, Deb Stepper, and Dick Sanford. After the games, several went to the Ranch House Cafe for the steak supper, which is a specialty served on Monday evenings.

Thirteen members of the PRIDE Committee met Wednesday evening to plan activities for the coming year.

“What’s Your Calling”

By the Rev. Royce Leitner, Assembly of God Church

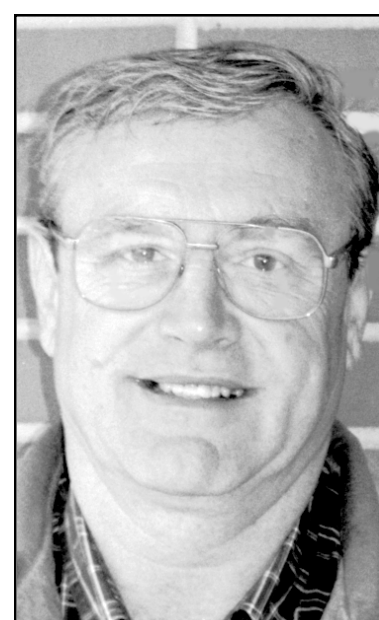
To answer the title of this micro-sermon, first of all, we have to understand that all believers are called by the Lord Jesus, number one: to glorify God; number two: to be witness of God in our lives; number three: being the salt of the earth; number four: to be the light of the world; number five: more than conquerors; number six: being fruitful with the word of God; number seven: we are to walk by faith and not by sight.

II Peter 1:3-10 says, “His divine power has given us everything we need for life and godliness through our knowledge of him who called us by his own glory and goodness. Through these he has given us his very great and precious promises, so that through them you may participate in the divine nature and escape the corruption in the world caused by evil desires.

For this very reason, make every effort to add to

your faith goodness, and to goodness, knowledge, and to knowledge, self-control, and to self-control, perseverance, and to perseverance, godliness and to brotherly kindness, love. For if you possess these qualities in increasing measure they will keep you from being ineffective and unproductive in your knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. But if anyone does not have them, he is nearsighted and blind and has forgotten that he has been cleansed from his past sins.

Therefore, my brothers, be all the more eager to make your calling and election sure, for if you do these things you will never fall, and you will receive a rich welcome into the eternal kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.



Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE
(Published in The Oberlin Herald
Wednesday, Feb. 21, 28, March 7, 2001)3t
Case No. 01-01
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF DECATUR COUNTY, KANSAS
Board of County Commissioners of Decatur County, Kansas, Plaintiffs, v. Verl Sauvage, et al., Defendants.

NOTICE OF SUIT
STATE OF KANSAS TO: Tract #3: Brett A. Wentz; Tract #11: Diversified Financial Planners, Inc.; Tract #20: Whitlaw 1996 Living Trust, Mark E. Whitlaw, Trustee; Tracts #26 & 27: Vera H. Steven, if the above defendants are living, and if dead, then their unknown spouses, heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, trustees, creditors, successors and assigns; and The unknown executors, guardians and trustees of such of the above named defendants who are minors or are in anywise under legal disability; and

The unknown executors, administrators, trustees, creditors, successors, receivers and assigns of any of the above named defendants who are or were existing, dissolved or dormant corporations; and The unknown spouses of the defendants, and all other persons concerned. Defendants. You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in the District Court of Decatur County, Kansas, by the Board of County Commissioners of Decatur County, Kansas, praying for judicial foreclosure and sale of real property upon which there is unpaid delinquent real estate taxes, and you are hereby required to plead the said petition on or before April 4, 2001, in said Court in Oberlin, Kansas. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said petition. The following are descriptions of all properties which shall be subject to foreclosure and sale and the names of such of you as are the owner, or a party having some interest therein:

Tract #3: #1-02337 That part of the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NE4 NW4) of section Thirty-six (36), Township Two (2) South, Range Twenty-six (26) West of the 6th P.M., Decatur County, Kansas commencing at the Northwest corner thereof, thence running south upon the West line of said 40 acre tract to a point four hundred nine and three-fourths feet North of a point 150 feet distant at a right angle and Northwestwesterly from the center line of the main track of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad for the place of beginning, thence East at a right angle 272 feet, thence North at a right angle 184 feet, thence West at a right angle 272 feet, thence South at a right angle 184 feet to the place of beginning (except the portion thereof conveyed to Emily J. Hix by that deed of record in Book 49 at page 164 of the deed records of Decatur County, Kansas)

Tract #11: #1-02188 A tract of land in the Southwest Quarter of Section One (1), Township Three (3) South, Range Twenty-nine (29) West of the 6th P.M., Decatur County, Kansas, more particularly described as beginning at a point 194.5 feet East of the Southwest corner for a point of beginning thence North 289.5 feet thence East 95 feet, thence North 310 feet, thence West 120 feet, thence North 60 feet, thence East 200 feet, thence North 100 feet, thence East 95 feet, thence South 759.5 feet to

the south line of said section, thence West 275.5 feet to the point of beginning.

Tract #20: #2-1458 A one-half mineral interest in part of the South one-half of the Southeast Quarter (S1/2 SE4) of Section Twenty-four (24), Township Four (4) South, Range Twenty-seven (27) West of the 6th P.M., Decatur County, Kansas, being a tract of land beginning at a point 1650 feet east of the quarter corner between section 24 and 25-4-27 and two feet north of the centerline of roadway (same point being the NW corner of an acre tract owned by O. C. Randall), thence NE parallel to Rock Island right of way 490 feet, thence north 473 feet, thence west 682 feet thence south 682 feet thence east 260 feet thence south 20 feet to the place of beginning, containing 9.8437 acres, more or less.

Tract #26: #2-0699 A 1/6 mineral interest in and to the Southeast Quarter (SE4) of Section Ten (10), Township Two (2) South, Range Twenty-eight (28) West of the 6th P.M., Decatur County, Kansas, expiring 1-13-2009.

Tract #27: #2-0702 A 1/6 mineral interest in and to the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NW4 NW4), the South one-half of the Northwest Quarter (S2 NW4), and the North one-half of the Southwest Quarter (N2 SW4) of Section Fourteen (14), Township Two (2) South, Range Twenty-eight (28) West of the 6th P.M., Decatur County, Kansas, expiring 1-13-2009.
Board of County Commissioners
Decatur County, Kansas

Approved:
Steven W. Hirsch
Decatur County Attorney

PUBLIC NOTICE
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Case No. 01-01
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF DECATUR COUNTY, KANSAS
In the Matter of the Estate of J. W. HESSENFLOW, Deceased, Case No. 92-P-14
NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:
You are hereby notified that a Petition was filed in this Court by Gregory K. Lohofener, duly appointed, qualified and acting Administrator, C.T.A. of the Estate of J. W. Hesseflow, deceased, praying that Petitioner's acts be approved; his accounting be settled and approved; the heirs be determined; the Will and the Family Settlement Agreement of January 5, 2001, be construed and the Estate assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the Court approve and allow Petitioner's fees and the fees of his attorney; the costs be determined and ordered paid; the administration of the Estate be closed; and upon the filing of receipts the Petitioner be finally discharged as Administrator, C.T.A. of the Estate of J. W. Hesseflow, deceased, and released from any further liability.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before March 15, 2001, at 10:00 A.M. in the District Court, Oberlin, Decatur 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.

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(785) 475-2293
Attorney for Administrator, C.T.A.

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