# **Midway News**

Sympathy is extended to the family of Roger Thorson, 82, who died Aug. 7, in Silverdale, Wash. His wife is the former Lila Anderson, formerly of this community, and a sister of Eunice Martin of Oberlin and Violet Holle of Atwood. Other survivors include a son, Todd, and daughter, Julie, and their families.

Those who attended memorial services from this area were Eunice Olson, Oberlin; Candy Rauhut, Garden City; Connie Robison, Littleton, Colo.; and Kevin and Mary Holle, rural Herndon. While gone, the Holles also visited his uncle and aunt, Ernie and Ruth (Holle) Collard of East Wenatchee, Wash.; and cousins, Paul Collard, Kirkland, Wash., and Todd and Connie Thorson and Teagan, Maple Valley, Wash.

Chandra Frost of Arvada, Colo., was among visitors recently of the Wesley Bendas, Gerald Bendas and Mark Olsons. She is a roommate of Sarah Olson at Kansas State University and her name was incorrectly given as Donna Frost in last week's news.

the Rawlins County Health Center in Atwood after suffering a broken arm and hip in a fall at her home last Monday. She was taken to Good Samaritan Hospital in Kearney, Neb., for surgery. Mail will reach her at the hospital, 707 Grant Street, Atwood, Kan., 67730.

Lee and Terri Munsell and Amanda of Lee's Summit, Mo., visited recently with Edla Olson, Steve and Arian Arnold, also Jim and Jean ing the Decatur County Fair with Roberts, and Elizabeth Migchelbrink of Atwood.

Tanner Schmidt, son of Joe and management in Las Vegas. He visited his parents and other relatives a few days before returning to Kansas State University.

Mary Lou Olson had lunch on Wednesday with Gara Lee Sprague home. of Arapahoe, Neb., at the LandMark Inn in Oberlin. They visited in the afternoon with Mrs. Sprague's sister-in-law, Elaine Thomas, who has moved to the Decatur County Good Samaritan Center, and Evelyn Olson.

Bill and Eleanor (Olson) Miller of Gresham, Ore., visited relatives last week. Thursday supper guests of Glenn and Eunice Martin in Oberlin besides the Millers were Galen and Lynne Olson, and Dorothy Chase, McKinney, Texas; Fran and Violet Holle, Atwood; Kevin and Mary Doris Peterson is recuperating at Holle, Steve and Arian Arnold, Herndon; Beth Holle and Henry, Achilles; and Edla Olson, and Lou Olsonenjoyed a back-to-school Randy and Sharon Olson, Oberlin. Dorothy Chase was a guest of Edla Olson while they were here and Galen and Lynne Olson, and Mike who were visiting there from Kear-

and Nione Rhodin of Loveland, Colo., were weekend guests of

Steve and Arian Arnold.

Kendra and Jessica Kelley of Fredericksburg, Colo., visited durtheir grandparents, Dick and Donna Kelley.

**By Mary Lou Olson** 

Elma Lee Erickson returned Vicki Schmidt, recently completed home on Friday from Kearney, a summer internship in construction Neb., where she had spent two weeks to be with her sister. Em Threlkel, and daughter, Neva Lou Holub, while their husband and father, Don Threlkel, was hospitalized. They all accompanied her

> The Herndon Covenant Church congregation entertained with a Swedish dinner at the Prairie Development Center in Atwood on Sunday to honor its clients, who clean the church weekly.

> Tyler Witt and Kurt Olson accompanied their grandmother, Mary Lou Olson, to McCook on Wednesday for a back-to-school supper. Tyler left Thursday to return to Vo-Tech School at Scottsbluff, Neb., and Kurt is a senior at Decatur Community High School in Oberlin.

> On Saturday, Mary Olson and Ashley and Whitney Witt and Mary trip to McCook, then visited at the home of James and Kimberly Witt with Keely Wilson and Julie Beth, ney, Neb.

#### Nobody likes to find rotten fruits or vegetables in their refrigerator. Enjoy the tastes of the season by keeping your purchases fresh.

Buy only the amount of fresh fruits and vegetables you and your family can eat within storage time limits. Foods from a garden generally will keep longer than items purchased at a store. Here are more tips to help you get the longest storage life for your fresh produce:

Keep them cool and dry:

 Wait to wash vegetables until just before using them, but wash vegetables including cantaloupe, watermelon and pumpkin, prior to cutting them.

• Some foods (including onions, oranges and potatoes) should be left out of the refrigerator completely. Store these items in mesh bags in dry, cool, dark spaces for up to one or two weeks.

 Some fruits and vegetables (such as apples, bananas, melons and tomatoes) do best if left to ripen on a counter before being refrigerated. Once ripe, these foods should be stored in the refrigerator for optimal freshness.

• Crisper drawers are the coldest and most humid section of the refrigerator. Store berries, broccoli, carrots, corn, grapes, lettuce heads, and pre-cut fruits and vegetables in the crisper drawers.

 Most refrigerated vegetables last longest when they are stored in a resealable plastic bag that has six to eight small holes poked in it. The plastic holds in moisture, and the **Home Time By Tranda Watts** Multi-county Extension Agent

holes let in some oxygen so the vegetables can "breathe." Line the inside of the plastic bag with dry paper towels to keep excess moisture from spoiling the vegetables.

Don't let the good food go bad

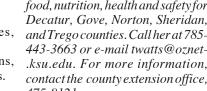
Here are standard storage times for some common fruits and vegetables:

Corn - 1-2 days.

Asparagus, bananas, berries, herbs – 2-3 days.

Broccoli, grapes, green beans, green onions, greens -3-5 days.

Peaches and pears -5 days. 475-8121.



Lettuce -5-7 days.

Cauliflower -1 week.

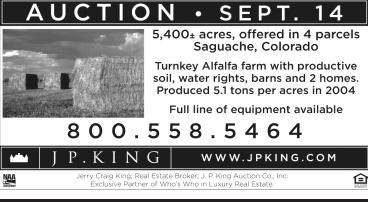
Beets and radishes – 2 weeks.

Tranda Watts is Kansas State

University extension specialist in

Carrots -1-2 weeks.

Apples — 1 month.



### Internet tonight! Call 475-2206

## **Mount Pleasant News**

Also receiving ribbons in 4-H entries this year at the Decatur County Fair were Tyler and Cassidy Shields. Tyler received a purple ribbon on his brownies and a blue ribbon on his cookies, and Cassidy received a purple ribbon on her cookies and a blue ribbon on her bundt cake. Caitlyn Shields entered muffins in the open class junior division and received a red ribbon.

Jerry and Connie Olson and Evelyn Olson were honored with a Century Farms Award Thursday evening at the Decatur County Farm Bureau Annual Dinner meeting. To qualify, a piece of land must be owned continuously by a family member for at least 100 years. Land owned by Jerry's grandfather, Erik Olson, is now owned by Jerry, Evelyn, and Janice (Olson) Baer.

Kristin Groneweg was honored with a bridal shower Saturday morning at St. John's Lutheran Church in Oberlin. Hostesses were Karen Eskew, Jackie Votapka, and Janeil Baxter.

hoite, Manhattan; Martin and Eve- tors at the Bremer home before the lyn May, Janice Cundiff, Karolyn Muirhead, Walter and Betty May, and John and Dianne Bremer and Jessica.

Saturday overnight guests at the Kate. John Bremer home were Sharon Wright and grandson, Lorenzo Willhoite.

Additional early afternoon visi- Red Willow Lake.

**By Dianne Bremer** 

Beryl Orthmann memorial service were Jan Cappel, Michael and April Kendall, Elijah and Isaiah, and Cindy Hilliard, Justin and Mary

Rory Wendelin returned home Sunday afternoon after attending an overnight DCHS Singers retreat at

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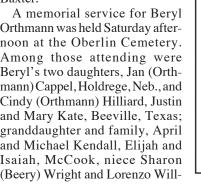
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;	CO126	Presentation Software	1	C. Dejmal	H.S.	Mon. 9/11	10/9	7 p.m.	10 p.m.
;	CO176	Intro. to Computer							
		Concepts & Application	3	M. LaRue	H.S.	Wed. 8/30	12/6	7 p.m.	10 p.m.
	AC101	Accounting Fundamentals	3	C. Dejmal	H.S.	Wed. 8/30	12/6	7 p.m.	10 p.m.
,	EN176	English Composition I	3	B. Breth	H.S.	Mon. 8/28	12/11	7 p.m.	10 p.m.
	EN110	Medical Terminology	1	L. Doeden	H.S.	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
	HE101	Basic Nutrition	3	M. Moxter	H.S.	Wed. 8/30	12/6	7 p.m.	10 p.m.
;	PS176	General Psychology	3	T. Woolsey	H.S.	Wed. 8/30	12/6	7 p.m.	10 p.m.
ı	PS276	Developmental Psychology	3	T. Woolsey	H.S.	Mon. 8/28	12/11	7 p.m.	10 p.m.
t	SO176	Intro. to Sociology	3	J. Wenger	H.S.	Thurs. 8/31	12/7	7 p.m.	10 p.m.
	SO123	Criminology	3	J. Wenger	H.S.	Mon. 8/28	12/11	7 p.m.	10 p.m.
	MA185	Plane Trigonometry	3	P. Dorshorst	H.S.	Fri. 8/18	1/5	Day	Day
	MA205	Elements of Statistics	3	P. Dorshorst	H.S.	Thurs. 8/18	1/6	Day	Day
	MA220	Analytical Geometry & Calculus	5	W. Scott	H.S.	Fri. 8/18	1/5	Day	Day
	HI177	American History 1865 to	3	R. Walz	H.S.	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
		present (\$40 Telecourse Fee)	-						
		Intro. to Literature	3	L. Davis	H.S.	Fri. 8/18	1/5	7 p.m.	10 p.m.
		Art Appreciation	3	T. Woolsey	H.S.	TBA	TBA	7 p.m.	10 p.m.
	CJ110	Intro. to Criminal Justice	3	J. Wenger	H.S.	TBA	TBA	7 p.m.	10 p.m.
	PH208	University Physics I	5	M. Bricker	H.S.	Fri. 8/18	1/5	Day	Day
	PH208L	University Physics lab	0	M. Bricker	H.S.	Fri. 8/18	1/5	Day	Day

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