

## Cedar Living News

Fresh produce is one of the many delights of summer. Cedar Living Center is often blessed during the summer with gifts of garden goodies. Monday afternoon a large group of residents gathered to shuck many ears of sweet corn. The corn was donated to the center by family members of one of the residents. They generously donated enough for the residents and the staff to enjoy.

about the new rotation of menus in the dining room and answered dietary related questions. David Shepard was the guest of honor at a birthday celebration hosted by staff members during lunch on Wednesday. Earla Connell provided the homemade cake and the dietary department served ice cream.

Krizek to Danyal Jeffrey, in Jennings on Saturday evening. The Herndon Covenant Church held their Sunday Service in the Cedar Living Center dining room on Sunday morning. Doug Mason of Teens for Christ gave the sermon, as Pastor Keith Reuther is on vacation.

In the back of the Oberlin police station is a big, old vault. In it, is saved dozens of old city ledgers, account books and meeting minutes. This is part of a series of excerpts from those documents. Here are some snippets from the 1941 and 1942 Oberlin City Council meeting minutes:

ell and Mrs. Mattie Cleland. Going ahead with the proposed project of repairing the brick paving on certain streets with crack filler asphalt was again discussed.

Sentiment of the council was that we submit this proposed project to WPA (Work's Project Administration) and try and get this work started.

On Friday afternoon, Frank Bouts, a long time friend of Cedar Living Center, brought in two boxes of Colorado peaches, one for the residents and one for the staff. They were a delightful treat. Earla Connell and Teresa Shaughnessy led the sing-along time on Monday afternoon before supper. Irene Fringer was the big winner at bingo on Tuesday afternoon.

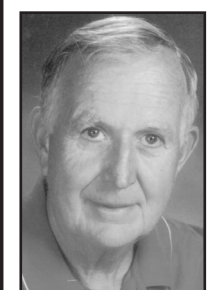
The craft group met on Wednesday and Thursday to work on their projects to take to the fair. The projects are nearly finished with only one full week left to work on them. Fr. Mark Berland brought Communion for the Catholic residents on Thursday morning. Several residents met on Thursday evening for a game of dominos.

Recent Visitors: Ceanne Rinehart, Colby; Mary Morse, Beaver City, Neb.; Kathy Brashear, Curtis, Neb.; Jim and Janis Helm, Kathy Shaffer, McCook, Neb.; Rebecca Cox, Manhattan; John and Joan Shirley, Scott City; Linda Bosler, Bob and Julie Hafner, Herndon; Niles and Jayme Niermeier, Ludell; Mike, Deb, Matthew and Timothy Helm, Norcatur; Jeanette Miller, Joy Votapka, Mirium Fisher, John Bremer, Tucker and Tonya Woolsey and family, Robert Fringer, Mary McEvoy, Dorothy Cochran, Herb and Carol Shirley, Oberlin.

Jan. 6: Applications for retail cereal malt beverage (beer) licenses were approved for Elmer C. Linderman, W.A. Cook, Elmer P. McKinzie, Chas H. Goodrich, Letha Pester, J.M. Johnston and John J. Scott.

Feb. 3: Motion made by Thomsen, That license be issued to W.O. Ater to operate a shooting gallery for a period of one year from date for the sum of \$10.00. Seconded by Sproul. Motion carried.

March 3: Mayor Nitsch appointed as judges for the city election to be held April 7th, 1941, Art Wilbur, Mrs. Bertha Fitzgerald and Guy C. Allen and as clerks Mrs. Pearl Stow-



### Re-elect Ward Cassidy for 120th State Representative

1st Session accomplishments: Moved to the most powerful House committee — Appropriations in 2nd Year (the farthest west rep. up until Ward's Appointment was from North of Manhattan). Only member of his class of 37 new freshmen to have an individual bill passed (helped accountants with hiring practices). Led the investigation of the Fire Marshal Department that resulted in revoking illegal citation saving area schools thousands of dollars. Making an amendment to the Governor's Tech Ed bill that allowed NW Kansas Technical College to expand. In position to be the Education Budget Chair in only his 2nd term. Ad paid for by Cassidy for Representative, Mike Day Treasurer

## Mount Pleasant News

By Dianne Bremer

Funeral services for Pastor Ken Kaufmann were held Friday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Cheney followed by the committal service and burial at St. Paul's cemetery, also in Cheney. The first church Pastor Kaufmann served after graduating from the seminary was St. John's Lutheran Church, Oberlin. Our sympathies go out to his wife, Kathie, and their family.

of her step-father, John Meyers, 79, at the Kirby Morris Funeral Home in El Dorado on Monday, July 23. Our sympathies to his wife, Alfreda, and their families.

day evening. Also attending were John Bremer, Kristen Bremer and Rowan, Herschel and Jody Betts, Warren and Jan Bainter, Rhonda May and Dan Nedland, Cameron Nedland and Justin Zodrow.

Joanne Wendelin and Rory were in Lincoln, Neb., Saturday, July 21, to see Ladd Wendelin in a production of "Avenue Q" at the TADA Theatre in Lincoln's Historic Haymarket. Ladd played two of the characters, was in charge of props, and collaborated on scenery construction for this production. Earlier that evening, Joanne, Rory and Ladd enjoyed dinner with two of Rory's friends from Concordia University who are also from Lincoln; Abbie Kuehn and Sarah Lohmeyer.

Ralph and Norma Unger hosted their family vacation in Columbia Fall, Mont., last week. Attending were their children and families, Butch and Colleen Rittmann, Christian and Rielly, Shawnee; Dr. Rachele and Bob Gorrell, Logan and Connor, Bland, Mo.; and Dr. Ryan and Darci Unger and Drew, Ty, and Brock Zweygardt, St. Francis. Ralph and Norma returned home early Sunday morning. High school seniors Zach May and Samantha Meitl, and junior Lara Zodrow attended the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) program at the Camp Aldrich Conference Center July 27 - 29, hosted by Barton Community College. They returned home Sunday evening.

Brianna Ritter, Columbus, Neb., a college friend of Rory Wendelin, was a weekend guest of Joanne Wendelin and Rory.

Don't forget to attend the fundraiser this evening, Aug., 1, at the Oberlin City Park to support our firefighters and volunteers for their many hours of work in the recent Decatur County fires. The cookout will be held from 5:30 to 7 p.m. with proceeds going towards purchasing new equipment. Please bring your lawn chairs and enjoy an evening of good food and good friends.

Anna Seeber Shaw spent July 19 to 21 in Cedar Point babysitting her grandson, Isaac Harshman, while this parents were away for a few days. Anna then attended the funeral

Dianne Bremer was surprised with a 60th birthday party, complete with dinner and homemade cake, at the home of Jessica Bremer Satur-

### NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of Dresden City will meet on Tuesday, August 14, 2012 at 8 p.m. at the Dresden City Hall for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax. Detailed Budget Information is available at the Office of the Decatur County Clerk and will be available at this hearing.

### BUDGET SUMMARY

Proposed Budget 2013 Expenditures and Amount of current year estimate for 2012 Ad Valorem Tax to establish the maximum limits of the 2013 Budget. Estimated Tax Rate\* is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuations.

Table with columns: FUND, 2011 Actual Expenditures, 2011 Actual Tax Rate, 2012 Current Year Estimate of Expenditures, 2012 Actual Tax Rate, Proposed Budget 2013 Amount of 2012 Ad Valorem Tax, Estimated Tax Rate\*. Rows include General, Special Highway, Solid Waste, TOTALS, Total Tax Levied, Valuation.

City Clerk: Lillian Sulzman. NOTE: Tax Rates are expressed in mills and that means per thousand dollars worth of valuation.

### NOTICE OF HEARING 2012-2013 BUDGET

The governing body of Unified School District 294 will meet on the 13th day of August, 2012 at 7:30 P.M., at 131 East Commercial for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to be levied. Detailed budget information (including budget profile) is available at the District Office and will be available at this hearing.

The Amount of 2012 Tax to be Levied and Expenditures (published below) establish the maximum limits of the 2012-2013 Budget. The "Est. Tax Rate" in the far right column, shown for comparative purposes, is subject to slight change depending on final assessed valuation.

Large table with columns: Code 99 Line, 2010-2011 Actual Expenditures, 2010-2011 Actual Tax Rate, 2011-2012 Actual Expenditures, 2011-2012 Actual Tax Rate, PROPOSED BUDGET 2012-2013 Expenditures, Amount of 2012 Tax to be Levied, Est. Tax Rate. Rows include OPERATING General, SPECIAL REVENUE, DEBT SERVICE, COOPERATIVES, OTHER, and TOTALS.

## Jennings News

By Louise Cressler

There was a busy weekend in Jennings. A family reunion of Adrian Mowry descendants was held in the Sunflower Senior Saturday.

tend the meetings. Paul and Kathy Nauer have welcomed a new grandson, Jaysen David, born July 27, 2012, weighing 8 pounds 6 ounces. Marc and Roxanna Groff, Garland, Neb., are the proud parents. Also welcoming the new baby are brothers Jake and Jordan and sister Jaden.

On Saturday the wedding of Clint Krizek and Danyal Jeffrey was at the United Methodist Church with a reception held in the Jennings Community Hall, followed by a dance in the evening. Congratulations to the young couple.

Voting time is near. Statistics show low turnout of voters in the primary elections in the past. There are several names on the Republican ballot for people to choose a candidate to run for County Commissioner District No. 3 in the general election. One candidate, Bob Jones, lives in Jennings. Vote for who you think can best serve the people of Decatur County.

Enjoying cards at the Sunflower Senior center Wednesday afternoon were: Agnes Wahlmeier, Debbie Shields, Eleanor Morel, Diane Carter, Stan Shaw, Ramona Shaw, Wayne Cressler and Louise Cressler.

The Jennings American Legion will meet at the Legion Hall Wednesday, August 8, at 7:30 p.m.

The hearing of the Jennings City budget will be at 7 p.m., Monday, Aug. 6, at the Sunflower Senior Center, followed by the city council meeting. Anyone is welcome to at-

## Decatur Health Systems

By Becky Wilson

I've written before about the new equipment we're lucky to have now in the Decatur Health Systems Radiology Department—the new computed tomography, or CT scanner, and the new digital mammogram machine.

around the Radiology Department is that of Sherri Kyte, who will be providing mammograms on some Saturdays, starting this week. A regular schedule has yet to be worked out, so keep an eye out for our calendar and ads to know which Saturdays will be available, or call Radiology to make an appointment at 475-2208.

Both of these devices will allow patients to get their results faster and give their providers clearer images to work with.

Meanwhile, there is still time to make a reservation for the Decatur Health Systems benefit dinner and auction, which will take place at 7 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 18, at the Oberlin American Legion Hall. Prime rib is on the menu, and the auction will feature a KU basketball signed by Coach Bill Self and a KU football signed by Coach Charlie Weis. Many other items have been donated by Oberlin businesses and merchants. Dinner tickets are \$30 each; make reservations by calling the hospital's business office at 475-2208.

Just as important as the pieces of equipment are the people who are trained to use them, and there are some new faces at Decatur Health who will be helping those coming for an X-ray or scan.

Money raised at the benefit will be used for creating a chemotherapy outpatient room in conjunction with the University of Kansas Cancer Alliance.

Radiology technician Dean Sprinkle has been coming to Oberlin from McCook since March and joined us full time at the end of May. Adrian Morton joined us more recently, in July. Both men received their training from the Mary Lanning Memorial HealthCare School of Radiologic Technology in Hastings, Neb. Mr. Sprinkle has been working as a tech since 1995, while Mr. Morton has been a tech for a year.

Monte Moore President

\*Tax Rates are expressed in Mills \*\* Sponsoring District Only

Vickie Lippelmann Clerk of the Board