

"The Fertile Reminder", started by the Fertile Betterment Committee in May, 1977, comes to you once each month. Most of the support for expenses comes from the Fertile Merchants.

Advertisements and PRIVATE notices are \$1.00 for the first 15 words and 5¢ for each additional word.

News items or advertisements may be left at Jordan's Midland Service or call 797-2686 or 797-2267.

Suggestions for improvement are always welcome.

DOGS! DOGS! DOGS!

REPEAT - All dogs that are not leashed or confined can be picked up. Dogs will be kept for 7 days and then disposed of unless called for by owner and a fine paid.

- Town Council

FOR SALE - Maple Twin Bed Frames with bookcase head boards. \$50.00 797-2785.

COUNCIL MEETING

The regular meeting of the Fertile Town Council was held on April 2 at the Fertile Library with all council members present. Mayor Shropshire presided.

February minutes were read and approved.

Motion to pay appraisal fees on Lagoon site from Sewer Construction Fund. Carried.

Motion to pay for Maintainer purchased from Interstate Equipment Co. by Check Warrant from Citizens Savings Bank until Road Use C.D.'s mature. Carried.

Motion to place Sewer Fund C.D. in Passbook Savings until FMHA interest is due. Carried.

We received \$11,700 extra Grant money from FMHA for our Sewer Project.

Discussion on Lagoon. Bob Ouverson and Jack Delbridge were present. Ouverson stated "S and O" will continue to pick up incurred Engineering Fees, Int. and other expenses due to delay of Lagoon not yet finished." The Council will continue to wave the penalty clause as long as reasonable effort is made to complete the job.

Motion to have regular Council Meeting for the months of May and June held the first Monday of each month. Carried
 Motion to adjourn. Carried.

BALANCE SHEET

March Disbursements:

Cerro Gordo County Fire Associa.	5.00
Bob Froiland	14.08
Jo Ann Bailey	203.11
Lonnie Bailey	51.63
Winnabago Telephone	21.33
Peoples Natural Gas	256.64
Fertile Lumber and Hardware	38.00
Worsley Electric	166.67
Iowa Municipal Finance Officers Association	10.00
Mrs. Edward Holland	732.00
Interstate Power Co.	293.05
Larsen Plumbing and Heating	30.00
Fertile Meats and Groceries	7.28
Evelyn Knudson	149.22
U. S. Postmaster	16.79
Iowa Natural Resource Council	10.00
Disbursements	\$2,004.80
Receipts	2,452.32

FERTILE GARDEN CLUB

Fertile Garden Club will hold their Annual May BAKE, CRAFT and PLANT SALE May 1 at the library. Time: 1:30 P.M. Open to the public. Coffee will be served.

Garden Club members voted to purchase plants for placing outside the library. Again this year the club will give a cash award to each 4-H member (boys or girls) that completes a garden project.

4-H CLUB NEWS

The Grant Livewire Lassies 4H Club will have a LUNCH STAND April 21 at the THREE STATE GEM AND MINERAL SHOW, being held at North Iowa Fair Grounds in the 4-H building.

FERTILE AREA CHURCHES

FERTILE LUTHERAN

- April 21 - Jr. League
- April 22 - Church Conference Convention, Immanuel Lutheran at Forest City. 2 to 5 PM
- April 23 - Ruth Circle, Ardis Sheimo 7:30 PM
Sarah Circle, Lorraine Bakke at 7:30 PM
- April 25 - Mary Circle, LaVone Petersburg at 9:30 AM
Rebekah Circle, Alvina Brosdahl at 2:00 PM
- April 26 - ALCW Conference Convention at Immanuel Lutheran at Forest City.
- April 29 - Senior League Recreation 2 PM

PILOT KNOB LUTHERAN

- April 22 - Church Conference Convention 2 - 5 PM at Immanuel Lutheran in Forest City.
- April 26 - ALCW Conference Convention at Immanuel Lutheran
- April 29 - Senior League Recreation 2 PM

CHURCH OF CHRIST

- April 28 - High School Youth Group to Camp for Work Day
- April 28 - Ladies Day at Church of Christ in Mason City, 10:00 AM
- May 5 - Ladies Day at Minnesota Bible College

April 22 - FERTILE COMMUNITY CHOIR at Hanlontown, 7:30 PM to present "It Took a Miracle" Cantata at the Lutheran Church

SUPPORT THESE MERCHANTS

- Larsen Plumbing and Heating 797-2219
- Gail's Beauty Shop 797-2475
- Tuttle's Farm Store 797-2792
- Fertile Lumber and Hardware 797-2437
- Hewett Construction 797-2714
- Martin Marietta Aggregates 797-2211
- Old Mill Antiques 797-2490
- Robert Suby Trucking 797-2726
- Ray Sandifer - Tom's Sales 797-2681
- Fertile Meats and Groceries 797-2647
- Worsley Electric 797-2494

- Personal Touch Beauty Salon 797-2422
- Burtness Plumbing and Heating 797-2680
- Fertile Block and Tile Co. 797-2291
- Jordan's Midland Service 797-2677
- Mrs. Olson's Cafe 797-2221
- Ouverson Oil Co. 797-2267
- Bruns Nursery Sales 797-2257

LIBRARY NOTES

Mrs. Evelyn Knudson, librarian, attended a Government Documents Workshop at the NIAAC Campus on April 9. Coordinator was Maggie Johnson of Missouri State Library.

Vesta Kuns will now be the assistant librarian.

Now on hand at the Fertile Library are lists of new adult books from each library in Worth County, beginning with January 1, 1979

NEW BOOKS are: JUNIORS, Bee Gees and "The Thirteenth Pearl", a new Nancy Drew book.

AUTOBIOGRAPHY: "Dolly" (Parton)

ADULT FICTION: "Mills of the Gods", Dama Winston. "The Passing Bells", Philip Rock.

BEST SELLER LIST: "Good As Gold", Joseph Heller, Vol. 1 and 2 of "War and Remembrance", Herman Wouk. "SS-GB", Len Deighton.

ADULT NON FICTION: "First Lady's Lady", Sheila Robb Weidenfeld. "American's Camping Book"

A surprise for readers will be found in "Everything You Always Wanted to Know About Nutrition", David Rueben, MD

FERTILE TOPS # IOWA 995

Fertile Tops # Iowa 995 held their Second Annual Award Night, March 20 at the Fertile Library.

Chapter Specials Awards were:

Friendship - Carolyn Nedved

Inspiration - Ruth Ouverson

Best Officer - Ruth Ouverson

Topsi - Ruth Ouverson and Ruth Smeby

Division Winners - 4 Ruth Smeby, 2

Joan Norem, 3 Cheri Monson.

Beth Luther 1978 Award - Ruth Smeby

Louise Paglusch was honored with

a corsage and a KOPS charm and gift.

Each officer of 1978 was honored with a charm.

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New officers for 1979 are: Joan Nor-
em, President. Lily Denke, Co-Leader,
Ruth Cuverson, Weight Recorder. Virgie
Stalheim, Treasurer. Ruth Smeby, Secre-
tary.

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SCHOOL COMMUNITY POT LUCK SUPPER

April 24, 1979

Dinner 5:30 PM

Program 7:00 PM

Dessert 7:30 PM

Come for any or all of it!

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GREAT IOWA CLEAN-UP ON MAY 5

Plans are underway in WORTH, Hancock,
and Winnebago Counties for participation
in the statewide "GREAT IOWA CLEAN-UP"
scheduled for May 5.

Coordinated by the Iowa Energy Policy
Council, the effort is believed to be
the largest litter cleanup campaign de-
vised in the state to preserve energy
and natural resources.

The campaign in Worth County is being
organized and supervised by Ronald Coe,
executive director of the Worth County
Conservation Board.

Youth clubs and service or civic
groups are included in the project.

CYSTIC FIBROSIS BIKE-A-THON

Fertile area youngsters are invited
to ride in the Cystic Fibrosis Bike-a-
thon. We will meet at the Fertile Park
on Saturday, May 12th at 9:30 AM.

Participation in the Cystic Fibrosis
Bike-a-thon is open to anyone wishing to
help children and young adults who suf-
fer with Cystic Fibrosis and other lung
damaging diseases.

To enter the Bike-a-thon, you can ob-
tain "Sponsor Sheets" at Mrs. Olson's
Cafe or Fertile Meats and Groceries.

Even if you can't participate, you
can help by sponsoring the kids who will
be riding their bikes that day.

Last year we collected \$416.65.

For more information on the Bike-a-
thon, contact Marsha Berg, 797-2479 or
Diane Burtness, 797-2250.

