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NEW ADVERTISERS

We are beginning the new year with some new advertisers. We appreciate the support we receive from all of the merchants each month. Look for more new ones in the following months.

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THANK YOU to everyone that remembered my mother, Petrea Zirbel, with cards and gifts for her birthday and for Christmas.

Reva Nelson

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Old Mill Antiques 797-2490
We buy most anything old.

Forest City Cow Palace 582-4646
Auction Every Wednesday 12 noon

Ouverson Oil Company 797-2267
797-2440

Jordan's Midland Service 797-2677
Complete Automotive Service

COUNCIL MEETING

The Fertile Town Council met January 6, with Mayor Worsley presiding and all council members present.

Others present were Wilma Amundson, Jerry Weiland and Byron Dodd.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Discussion on sewer repair. Motion was made to pay the bill of \$92 out of the sewer maintenance account. Carried.

Jerry Weiland presented Larsen's final pay estimate, Larsen's change order and the engineer's recommendation the water treatment part of the water project be accepted. Motion was made to approve the final changes order to Larsen Plumbing and Heating. Carried. Motion to accept the water treatment plant project as complete. Carried. Motion to approve the final pay estimate to Larsen Plumbing and Heating. Carried.

Motion was made to approve the final pay estimate of Caldwell Tanks. Carried. Motion to accept the water tower portion of the water project as complete. Carried.

Council agreed the money balance in the Red Feather account be transferred to the park for work there.

Discussion on water system.

Discussion on Town's insurance.

Discussion on truck for the city's use. Motion was made to budget for a different pick-up truck and to continue use of the Fire Department pick up temporarily. Carried.

Motion to pay monthly bills. Carried. Meeting adjourned.

Janice Hare
City Clerk

DECEMBER BALANCE SHEET

Evelyn Knudson	\$ 20.00
Vesta Kuns	10.00
Nach Chemical Co.	112.26
Janice Hare	203.11
David Low	180.34
G & H Motor Parts	12.10
Jordan's Midland Service	38.25
Fertile Lumber and Hardware	197.50
Peoples Natural Gas	87.02
Winnebago NTA	377.78
Fertile Sewer	26.00
Standard Auto Parts	9.17
Floyd and Leonard	38.16
Sieg	3.59
Parts House	4.19
Graham Equipment Corp.	10.66
Byron Dodd	168.65
R. L. Worsley	500.00
Postmaster	15.00
Ipers (FOAB)	134.28
Interstate Power Co.	455.10
Dennis Faber	220.00
Larry Burtness	180.00
Jean Van den Bosch	180.00
Fred Hare	210.00
Ken Lundgren	150.00
R. L. Worsley (mileage)	150.00
Byron Dodd	168.65
Lonnie Bailey	55.00
Allen Berg	105.00
Les Burtness	100.00
Fred Hare	40.00
Eugene Hall	40.00
Ken Richards	55.00
Byron Dodd	168.65
Thomas Bouregy	21.30
B. Dalton	60.16
Christian Book Store	19.42
Evelyn Knudson	173.68
Postmaster	83.50
Byron Dodd (mileage)	108.00
Disbursements	\$4,941.52
Receipts	7,095.82

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The 125th Year Boosters would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who made an effort to make our town look so special for Christmas.

While driving around the circle, I was thrilled to see the effect being put forth to create community togetherness.

The west end of town was special with outside music at the Brue's.

May we, through the New Year of '81, continue to remember the feeling of warmth towards one another that Christmas always brings.

May we begin with a New Year resolution to start living for the well-being of others instead of just our own.

Booster Reporter

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The Christmas Bake Sale with Mary Anderson as chairman was a huge success. Rumor was that a few items were baked by Mary's husband, Merv. The sale added \$104.25 to the general fund of \$1,113.96 for the 125 year Booster Club.

The next meeting will be January 19, at the school cafeteria. Everyone is invited to come.

Stephanie Oudekerk was the lucky winner of the \$100.00 raffle by the Fertile Boosters.

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Flowers by McCoy-McCoy Nursery 582-4517
Flowers for all occasions

Fertile Block and Tile Company 797-2291
Prompt delivery on all products

Larsen Plumbing and Heating 797-2219

Fertile Meats and Groceries 797-2647
Specializing in fresh meats and freezer orders

Gails Beauty Salon 797-2475
Full Service Salon
Tuesday through Saturday noon

Anderson Plumbing and Heating 797-2620

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In every situation, the positive is there; our opportunity is to see it.

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Men of the FERTILE SENIOR CITIZENS held a "Stag Oyster Stew", Wednesday noon, January 7, at the center. Twenty two enjoyed the meal and praised the cooks.