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I would like to thank all of my family and friends for the many expressions of kindness shown to me while I was in the hospital and since returning home. A special thanks to Denny for his visits. God be with all of you. Corrine.

FOR SALE: Davenport and 2 matching chairs. Vera Abrams 797-2433.

WANTED: Someone to babysit in my home 2-3 days a week. Call 797-2762.

BAKE SALE: Members of the Board of Directors for the Fertile Community Center will sponsor a Bake Sale, Saturday, February 20, beginning at 9 AM at the Fertile Meats and Groceries. Any donated items are welcome. Proceeds to be used towards the heat bill for the Center. Raffle tickets for \$100 worth of groceries will be on sale soon. Drawing will take place on March 21, following the Variety Show.

FROZEN FISH SALE: The Fertile Lions Club members will soon be calling on residents to present their Frozen Fish Sale.

BROWNIE SCOUTS: Beginning Monday, February 15, the girls will be selling more of their Girl Scout Cookies.

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Burtness Plumbing and Heating 797-2680

FIRST STATE BANK
Serving North Central Iowa
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COUNCIL MEETING

The Fertile Town Council met with Mayor Shropshire presiding and council members Hall, Hare, Burtness and Van-DenBosch present. Others present were Mr. Fishel.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Discussion on dog problem. Mayor reported Mr. Fox will pick up and hold the stray dogs. Motion to have Mr. Fox pick up the dogs as per his offer.

Discussion on streets. Mr. Fishel will be back in the spring to do the repair work.

Motion to transfer revenue sharing invested cash to road use. Carried.

Revenue sharing hearing will be held Feb. 22, at 7 PM. Council suggested how they would like to see it used.

Motion to pay the first half of the law enforcement agreement. Carried.

Motion to have the budget hearing on March 2. Carried.

Discussion on clearing sidewalks and streets.

Motion to pay monthly bills. Carried.
Meeting adjourned.

Janice Hare
City Clerk

JANUARY BILLS PAID

Janice Hare	\$ 201.67
Fertile Lumber and Hardware	3.90
Jordan's Midland Service	149.18
Lea Mobile Glass	73.31
Graphic Publishing Co.	224.00
State of Iowa	.84
G and H Motor Parts	49.70
Fertile Meats & Groceries	64.09
Norman Rye	16.50
Worsley Electric	173.24
Peoples Natural Gas	194.26
Janice Hare (mileage)	4.50
Winnebago RTA	15.28
David Low	268.80
Ipers (FOAB)	139.85
Iowa Dept. of Revenue	76.51
Dick Sheimo	342.50
Christian Book Store	30.42
Evelyn Knudson	178.75
Evelyn Knudson (petty cash)	30.00
Interstate Power Co.	513.88
Treasury of State of Iowa	54.71
Mark Tuttle	75.00
Randy Harms	75.00
Family Bookshelf	49.27
B. Dalton	137.98
Kidstuff	20.00
Flower and Garden	10.00
Max Boyd	29.50
Disbursements	<u>\$3,517.02</u>
Receipts	<u>\$2,199.69</u>

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FERTILE BOOSTER CLUB

Plans for some future activities were made at the January meeting of the Fertile Booster Club. Voting is going on for a sweetheart couple for Fertile, for Valentine's dance and open house.

On Sunday, February 28, a Roast Beef dinner at the Fertile Community Center. A Soup and Chili supper followed by a Variety Show on March 21. Tentative plans are for Fertile Boosters Days July 31 - August 1.

The club decided to order 200 more of the "125 years in the Kitchen" cook books.

The next regular meeting will be held Monday, February 15, at 7:30 PM at the Community Center.

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FERTILE AREA CHURCHES

FERTILE LUTHERAN

9 AM Sunday Worship and 10 AM Sunday School and Bible Classes continue.

Senior and Junior confirmation classes at 4 PM and 5 PM each Thursday.

7 PM each Thursday evening "Youth Studies" for Leaguers at home of Marie Nelson.

Bible Study at 7:30 PM each Thursday evening at the church.

Feb. 11 2:00 PM ALCW

22 7:30 PM Ruth circle-Virginia Lovik

7:30 PM Sarah circle-Shirley Sheimo

25 9:30 AM Mary circle-Ruth Sunne at church

2:00 PM Rebekah circle-Betty Waddington at church

7:30 PM Lenten Communion Service

PILOT KNOB

9:30 AM Sunday School and Bible classes and 10:30 AM Worship Services continue.

Feb. 17 1:30 PM Esther circle-Mayvis Lovik

24 7:30 PM Lenten Communion Service

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Feb. 11 6:45 PM Pitch-in supper for Sunday school teachers, youth leaders and anyone interested in helping with Vacation Bible School.

Feb. 21 5 PM Oyster stew and chili supper, bring dessert or salad. 6:30 PM gospel concert by the Gateway Singers. Don & Vicki Hunt, Dave & Jan McSpadden and their families put the Gospel to music in great fashion. Your entire family will enjoy the concert.

Feb. 22 Christian Workers meet at the home of Sharon Ganz, 7:30 PM. Lesson by Jean VanDenBosch.

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Ray Sandifer - Tom's Sales 797-2681

Come eat at Noah's Cafe 797-2410
Monday through Saturday

The Fertile Tops Club took in 5 new members in January. Queen for the month was Kay Olson with a 15½ pound loss and second was Jane Ramon with a loss of 14½ pounds.

Fertile Tops meets every Tuesday at the Fertile Community Center. Weigh in 5:30 to 6 PM. Meeting is 6 to 6:30 PM.

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CLUB BEGINS 1982 YEAR

Fertile Garden Club will begin the 1982 year of meetings with a pot luck luncheon, 12 noon, Tuesday, March 9, at the Fertile Library.

A few brief hints for gardeners during these winter days are:

- 1) Study seed catalogs, dream up a garden plan, write out seed and plant orders. Then when seeds arrive, sow down. Most seeds do best when sown not sooner than 6 weeks before the last frost date, usually ready for setting out about May 15.
- 2) Check stored bulbs for drying or rot problems. Discard any showing injury.
- 3) Plan for new trees and shrubs to improve the landscape.
- 4) Do not fertilize house plants in February.

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RECIPE OF THE MONTH: FAVORITE VEGETABLE SALAD (economical)

- 1 3 oz. pkg. orange gelatin
 - 1 c creamy mayonnaise like salad dressing
 - 1 c cottage cheese
 - 1 c grated carrots
 - 1 c chopped celery
 - 1 very small chopped onion
 - 1/3 c chopped green pepper (optional)
- Dissolve gelatin in 1 c boiling water. Add salad dressing (have it at room temperature). When cool, add cottage cheese and vegetables. Turn into rectangular baking dish or 4 c mold. Chill until set. To serve, cut in squares or unmold onto platter and garnish with greens, olives or other vegetable decorations. Serves 6.

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K and R Service 797-2440
HAVE A HAPPY VALENTINES DAY.

Many books and magazines are being loaned from the library during this cold, stormy winter weather.

NEW BOOKS: ADULT NON FICTION

- Learning to Manage Our Fears - James Angell
- A Window Over the Sink - Peg Bracken
- Alone Against the Atlantic - Gerry Spruss
- Another Way of Seeing - Lois T. Henderson

ADULT FICTION

- Village Centenary - Miss Read
- Listen to the Millrace-Barton Porter Ruth - Lois T. Henderson
- Hotel New Hampshire - John Irving

YOUNG PEOPLE

- Nurse at Lookout Rock - Coleen Lewis
- Phantom in Red - W.E.D. Ross

JUNIOR FICTION (paperbacks)

- Terri - John Benton
- Little Sister - Yvonne Greene
- Football Dreams - Daved Guy
- Paperback Western books by L'Amour
- Lonely on the Mountain
- The Strong Shall Live
- Milo Talon
- War Party

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Larsen Plumbing & Heating 797-2219

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

Jordan's Midland Service 797-2677
Complete Automotive Service

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Specializing in fresh meats & freezer orders

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Auction Every Wednesday beginning at 12 NN

Old Mill Antiques 797-2490
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Complete Livestock Feed Needs

Rent the Rug Doctor at
Fertile Lumber and Hardware 797-2437

Worsley Electric 797-2494

