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This small information and communication paper, "The Fertile Reminder" goes to more than 200 homes in this area each month.

Private notices, including thank yous and advertisements, are \$1.00 for the first 15 words and 5¢ for each additional word. Each number is counted as a word.

Call 797-2696, 797-2440, 797-2267 or leave items at Jordan's Midland Service.

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WANTED TO BUY: Baby play pen. LaVern Lee, 797-2717.

FOR RENT: One bus barn stall, \$20 per month. Fertile Community Center, 797-2267.

NOTICE: Further vandalism at the Fertile Community Center will not be tolerated. Suspects will be prosecuted to the fullest. Fertile Community Center Board of Directors

I wish to thank the Fertile Community for their kindness and consideration for the memorials, cards, telephone calls, food and everything else. Thank you.
Peggy Ouverson

Thank you to everyone that remembered me with cards, gifts, flowers and calls while I was at the hospital.
Ethel Tuttle

Fertile Boosters monthly meeting, Monday, January 18, 7:30 PM. Everyone welcome.

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Come eat at Noah's Cafe 797-2410
Monday through Saturday
Closed Sundays
Starting Soon - Fish and Chicken
Fry with Salad Bar, Friday nights 6-8 PM

The Fertile Boosters are sponsoring their annual Sweetheart Dance Saturday evening, February 13, at the Surf Ballroom, Clear Lake. Tickets are \$2.00 in advance and are available at most business places. You can vote for your favorite sweetheart couple at most business places.

Notice to all talented people in Fertile and surrounding area. We are planning a Variety Show in late March. If you would like to perform, please call 797-2647 or 797-2696. The more, the better. Join in all the fun.

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COUNCIL MEETING

The Fertile Town Council met January 5. Larry Shropshire was sworn in as mayor and he gave the oath of office to Eugene Hall and JoAnn Bailey as new council members.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mayor Shropshire made the following appointments: Burtness-Sewer Commissioner; VanDenBosch-Garbage Commissioner; Hare-Park and Recreation Commissioner; Bailey-Street Commissioner; Hall-Water Commissioner.

Jean VanDenBosch was appointed mayor pro tem.

Discussion on dog problem. Dogs will be picked up and the dog ordinance strictly enforced.

Discussion on snow removal on Main Street.

Motion to pay monthly bills. Carried.

Discussion on ball diamond.

Meeting adjourned.

Janice Hare
City Clerk

Next regular council meeting will be February 2, at 7 PM.

DECEMBER BALANCE SHEET

R. L. Worsley	\$ 350.00
Ken Lundgren	130.00
Dennis Faber	130.00
Larry Burtness	120.00
Jean VanDenBosch	140.00
Fred Hare	160.00
Janice Hare	201.94
David Low	236.05
Jordan's Midland Service	319.13
Minnesota Valley Testing Lab	8.00
Martin Marietta	2,000.00
Waste Systems Corp.	1,206.00
Heiman Corp.	97.50
Peoples Natural Gas	81.05
City of Fertile	51.00
Winnebago RTA	39.01
Ipers (FOAB)	144.60
Iowa Department of Revenue	57.55
Postmaster	131.89
Interstate Power Co.	503.29
Dick Sheimo	271.19
Lonnie Bailey	50.00
Allan Berg	95.00
Les Burtness	90.00
Fred Hare	45.00
Eugene Hall	40.00
Ken Richards	95.00
Evelyn Knudson	20.00
Vesta Kuns	10.00
Evelyn Knudson	200.81
Ouverson Oil Co.	15.00
B. Dalton	44.45
H. P. Koppelman	106.77
Doubleday	28.51
Newsweek	32.50
Disbursements	\$7,251.24
Receipts	\$5,426.49

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Burtness Plumbing and Heating 797-2680

FIRST STATE BANK
Serving North Central Iowa
Main Bank - Manly, Iowa
Offices in Hanlontown, Kensett & Plymouth

Gail's Beauty Salon 797-2475
Full Service Salon
Tuesday through Saturday noon

Ray Jennings 454-2707
Complete Auction Service

Ray Sandifer - Tom's Sales 797-2681

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
MOTOR VEHICLE DIVISION
OFFICE OF DRIVER'S LICENSE

Mason City - Regency Square Mall
Tuesday - 10:30 AM to 6:30 PM
Friday - 8:15 AM to 4:30 PM
Saturday - 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM
Phone: 423-8391

Osage - Conservation Club Building
10th and Chestnut Street
Wednesday - 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM
Phone: 732-5752

Northwood - Courthouse
Every other Thursday 10 AM - 4:30 PM
starting with January 14
Phone: 324-1337

Clear Lake - Municipal Building
Every other Thursday starting with
January 7
Phone 357-2186 (Police Office)

Forest City - Police Station (Old Hospital)
Every Wednesday 9 AM to 4:30 PM

Written tests: Persons must appear at
least ½ hour before indicated closing
time. Driving tests: By appointment.
Daily, weather permitting. Motorcycles
at 1 PM.

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FERTILE AREA CHURCHES

FERTILE LUTHERAN

New time schedule began January 3.
For the next seven months the Worship
Service will be at 9 AM with Sunday
School and Bible Class at 10 AM.

Jan. 14 2:00 PM ALCV
4:00 PM Senior Confirmation
Class each Thursday
5:00 PM Junior Confirmation
Class each Thursday
7:30 PM Bible Study each Thursday
20 7:30 PM Annual meeting
25 7:30 PM Ruth Circle, Ardis Sheimo
7:30 PM Sarah Circle, Joyce
Calgaard
28 9:30 AM Mary Circle, Rosemary
Tannahill at church
2:00 PM Rebekah Circle, Lanny
Kilen at church

PILOT KNOB

Time schedule change: Sunday School and Bible Class at 9:30 AM. Worship Service at 10:30 AM.

- Jan. 17 7:00 PM Evening Service
- 19 7:00 PM Annual Meeting
- 20 1:30 PM Esther Circle, Pauline Hanson
- 24 6:00 PM Oakwood Manor

CHURCH OF CHRIST

January 17, Annual church business meeting at 1 PM at the church.

January 25, Evening Christian Workers meeting at 7:30 PM.

February 3-5, Mid-winter Conference preaching and workshops sponsored by Minnesota Bible College, held at First Baptist Church in Rochester, times and full details on the bulletin board at the church.

February 8, 7-9:30 PM, roller skating party at Clear Lake.

February 11, Pitch-in supper for S.S. teachers, youth leaders and their families. We must begin to make plans for Vacation Bible School which will be held in August. Anyone interested in helping with VBS in any way is invited to attend the meeting and volunteer their services.

February 21, The Gateway Singers from Centerville, Iowa, will put on a gospel music concert at the evening worship service at 6:30 PM. It will be preceeded by a fellowship supper at 5:30 PM.

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FERTILE TOPS

Fertile TOPS meet every Tuesday at the Fertile Community Center. Weigh in 5:30 to 6 PM. Meeting is 6 to 6:30 PM. New members are welcome. Donna Olson was queen for December.

Exercise class still meets every Tuesday and Wednesday 7:30 PM at the Fertile Community Center. Come and join us.

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Larsen Plumbing and Heating 797-2219

Flowers by McCoy Nursery 582-4517
Flowers for all Occasions

LIBRARY NOTES

NEW BOOKS

EASY READERS: Many new paperback books for kindergarten to third grade.

- Maybe You Should Fly a Jet-LeSug Garfield, Bigger than Life-Jim Davis
- Ernie's Big Mess-Sarah Roberts, Sesame Street

JUNIOR FICTION (paperbacks)

- Chasing Trouble-Harriet Lugar
- Genessee Queen-Winifred Madison
- Freckle Juice-Judy Blume
- Iggie's House-Judy Blume

YOUNG PEOPLES

- Nurse in Peru-Mary Bowers
- Dark Terror-Diane Yale
- Teenage Romance or How to Die of Embarrassment-Delia Ephron, author of How to Eat Like A Child.

ADULT FICTION

- At Paradise Gate-Jane Smiley
- Horizon-Lee Head
- Up a Family Tree-Teresa Bloomingdale

ADULT NONFICTION

- Kassulke - True story of Minnesota Viking's star, Karl Kassulke and the accident that changed his life for good.
- Automobile Quarterly's World of Cars- Over 200 of the World's Most Beautiful Exciting and Interesting Cars in color.

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1981 ACTIVITIES

Approximately 300 persons attended the Christmas variety program in December, sponsored by the Fertile Boosters at the Fertile Community Center.

All local organizations participated in music and drama. Dean Haugen was master of ceremonies and Mrs. Stanley Brue was piano accompanist.

At the close of the program Santa Claus made his appearance under the sponsorship of the Fertile Lions Club. Gifts and treats were furnished by local business places to children under 10 years.

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Jordan's Midland Service 797-2677
Complete Automotive Service

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

RECIPE OF THE MONTH: MOIST OATMEAL COOKIES Forest City Cow Palace 582-4646
Auction Every Wednesday beginning at 12 NN

Cook 1 c seedless raisins and 1 c water
over low heat for 10 minutes. Drain and
save water.

Old Mill Antiques 797-2490

Cream 1 c sugar and 1 c Crisco.

Call us before you throw away anything old

Add 2 eggs beaten, 1 t vanilla, 1 t
burnt sugar flavoring and 7 T raisin water.
Blend well.

Fertile Feed Service 797-2242

Complete Livestock Feed Needs

Sift 2 c flour, 1 t soda, 1 t salt, 1 t
cinnamon.

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

Add to creamed mixture.

Add 2 c uncooked quick style oatmeal.

K and R Service 797-2440

Drop by tablespoons onto greased cookie
sheet.

Worsley Electric 797-2494

Bake 8 to 10 minutes at 350°.

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