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Neil's Quality Meats celebrates 45 years in business



Neil's Quality Meats exterior after the addition was added in 1980. The addition added 1,800 square feet and was built on the two vacant lots just north of the existing market.

Celebrating 45 years in business this week is Neil's Quality Meats and More in McIntosh. The business has seen many changes over the years and continues to grow. If you haven't visited Neil's lately, this is the week to stop by and check out the new products and savor the quality products that Neil Bursheim and family have been bringing to our tables now for 45 years.

Neil's Quality Meats began in 1971 when Neil and Carol Bursheim purchased the City Meat Market. The market had a small cutting room and a retail area. Services offered at that time were bulk meat sales of beef and pork, plus a full-service meat case.

The first smokehouse for Neil's Quality Meats was built in 1973. Using the block building that was originally the cooler for the hanging of beef and pork, located just north of the cutting room, equipped it with a gas plate to produce the heat for the sawdust. They also purchased their first sausage stuffer that same year along with a mixer-grinder with a 200 pound capacity.

In 1976 the large front window of the meat market was removed and in its place a solid wall was built. The market also put into use its first electronic scale that had the flexibility of weighing up to 24 pounds at any price. The total weight, price per pound and total price were all displayed for the customer to see.

Two new electric smokehouses were designed and constructed by Neil and his brother Dean in 1977. This gave Neil's Quality Meats the ability to smoke up to 1,800 pounds of meat at one time. Replacing the old gas equipment with electric equipment in the smokehouses provided better temperature control and eliminated the risk of open flames.

On the two open lots directly to the north of the meat market, Neil and Carol expanded the retail area of the market with a 1,800 square foot addition in 1980. The addition provided ample space to include an office and a room for the compressors that ran all of the refrigeration for the meat cases, freezers, coolers and display units.

In the spring of 1981, a portion of the store was used as a pizza restaurant and cafe for a time.

Replacing the original stuffer, a new electronic stuffer was purchased in 1984. The new stuffer has a larger hopper, eliminating the need to hand pack the machine. It also pulls a vacuum, eliminating air pockets in the sausages. As each link comes off the tube, it is automatically linked and weighed, with accuracy to within one gram. This stuffer is still in operation today at Neil's Quality Meats.

By 1988 Neil's Quality Meats was producing over eighty products from their own recipes. Some of the older ethnic products included head cheese, blood klub (blood sausage), potato klub, rullepolse, Swedish potato sausage, and liverwurst. Some of the new products developed included beef jerky, snack sticks, smoked turkey legs, beef loaf and skinless wieners.

Major changes in the meat industry in the 1970's and 1980's revolved around packaging. In 1986 a new computerized scale and labeling machine was purchased to comply with the new laws.

By 1989 Neil's Quality Meats produced over forty varieties



The front of Neil's Quality Meats after the remodeling in 1976. The brightly-striped store front was the first exterior remodel of the market.



A Christmas ad from 1997, 26 years after Neil and Carol Bursheim purchased the market. Here they are pictured with a smoked turkey and holiday ham. The Market had expanded its retail line and included many new products for their customers.



Neil Bursheim and Mike Kroening stand in front of the newly installed display freezer and cooler in the expanded retail section of the store in 2002.

of sausages, hams and cured meats, and included fresh meats.

The new millennium brought a refurbish in the cutting room, and the walk-in coolers were updated and rebuilt.

A small marinating tumbler was added as well. With this addition, there was an expansion of ready to cook products.

In the last few years, Neil's Quality Meats has added many new flavors of specialty meats again, including wild rice meat-

ball mix, summertime brat flavors, marinated chicken breasts, and stuffed beef and pork roasts and stuffed chicken.

Neil's Quality Meats has also provided many hunters, in a broad geographic area of Northern Minnesota with the processing of wild game sausage when the hunter provides the trimmed game (deer, elk, bear, moose, etc.) for the many products available for custom processing.



There is a need to repair serious erosion at the Headwaters of the Mississippi River, caused by the large number of visitors received each year.

Three million for Itasca State Park

DNR seeks bonding money to restore buildings, trails and other infrastructure statewide

The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources is requesting \$33 million from the 2016 Legislature to pay for crucial building and infrastructure upgrades and restoration projects that require immediate attention.

Recommended by Gov. Mark Dayton, the request is part of the administration's commitment to fixing the state's aging infrastructure and creating jobs.

"We're committed to taking care of what we have, and this year's bonding request is a good step in that direction," said DNR Commissioner Tom Landwehr. "With this investment now, we can potentially avoid severe disruptions to public services down the road."

While the iconic Itasca State Park celebrates its milestone 125th anniversary this year, many of its buildings and infrastructure are showing their age. Serious erosion threatens the headwaters of the Mississippi River, the park's sewer system is failing and the historic buildings need urgent upgrades.

Repairs at Itasca, a park that attracts more than 500,000 visitors each year, are one part of the agency's \$33 million "asset preservation" proposal in front of the Legislature that would pay for upgrades at parks, trails, water access sites, roads and bridges across the state. The proposal is the keystone of the DNR's overall \$72.5 million capital bonding request.

The need is great. The DNR owns and actively maintains more than 2,700 buildings statewide. Historically, building maintenance has been significantly underfunded. A recent report found that 737 DNR buildings are either in



Douglas Lodge: The top priorities in the park's 20-year water and sewer line rehabilitation plan include: The north and south water and sewer lines that serve historic Douglas Lodge. The building is 110 years old, the infrastructure is estimated to be at least 40 to 50 years old. Also needing work is the Bear Paw campground water and sewer lines, as well as the water and sewer lines that feed the park's cabins. Nicollet Court: Funding is needed to design and begin rehab of the historic 88-year old Nicollet Court, currently not open to the public, so that it can become a rental facility.

"crisis" condition or "poor" condition. One third of Minnesota state parks buildings are on the National Register of Historic Places and need specialized rehabilitation.

The report also found 100 miles of the state's 620 miles of paved trails need repair.

If the bonding proposal is passed, the DNR will be able to make the most critical of these upgrades and repairs at Itasca. Repairs needed at the park include the aging sewer system at the historic Douglas Lodge, beginning rehabilitation of Nicollet Court, improving park safety and upgrades to public water accesses. The agency would also be able to repair serious erosion at the Mississippi

headwaters where heavy foot traffic causes the eroded soil to enter the river and be carried downstream. It would also be able to reforest 175 acres inside the park's borders.

"The time has come to address serious, long-deferred rehabilitation needs within Itasca State Park and other statewide facilities," said Erika Rivers, director of the DNR's Parks and Trails Division. "Minnesota's oldest state park and one of its busiest celebrates its 125th anniversary this year, and it is showing its age. We need to preserve and maintain this park and ensure a sustainable future of the parks and trails system as a whole."

East Grand Forks Attorney Seeks MN Senate District 1 Seat

Mark Johnson of East Grand Forks announced on March 17th he is seeking the Republican Party of Minnesota's endorsement for the MN Senate. District 1 includes the six counties - Polk, Marshall, Red Lake, Kittson, Pennington, and Roseau - bordering with North Dakota and Canada.

Senate District 1 Republicans are nominating candidates for the Minnesota House and Senate at their April 8th convention in Newfolden. Representatives Dan Fabian (1A) and Deb Kiel (1B) are unopposed for the Republican nomination, however six candidates are vying for the MN Senate Nomination.



"Northwestern Minnesota needs an advocate in Senate District 1 who is able to fight

for the unique interests and priorities of this area. As a home owner, small business owner, and father of three, I share many of the same concerns SD1 residents have. I want to go to St. Paul to ensure we are effectively represented," Johnson said in a statement.

Mark and his wife, Skyler, live in East Grand Forks with their three children. Johnson and his wife own Sage Legal, an East Grand Forks law firm, and he is also an owner of Johnson Concrete Construction, LLC based in Mentor. For more information, check out his website at www.markjohnsonmnstate.com.

NELL program to feature recognized history essayist and orphan train historian Renee Wendinger

Wendinger's own mother was one of the children of the orphan trains who took part in a phenomenal journey from New York City to America's heartland. Inspired by her mother to reveal the factual story of orphaned children of immigrant parents, she has written two books on the subject of orphan trains, Extra! Extra! The Orphan Trains and Newsboys of New York and Last Train Home. An author, history essayist, and president of Orphan Train Riders of New York organization, Wendinger is a respected chronicler and



speaker on the subject of the orphan trains and immigration experience.

Copies of her books will be available for purchase after her appearance.

The program will be April 13 at 9:30 am at the Good Shepherd Church in Clearbrook (116 State 92 SW) Refreshments are served at 9am and the program is free to all ages, donations are gratefully accepted.

For more information contact NELL coordinator Tamara Edevold at 218-694-2856 or find us on facebook.



Local talent opened for 'Blind Joe' at the Goodridge Liquor Store last Friday evening. Performing L-R: Jordynn Johnsrud, Mercedes Coan, Mariah Coan, Blind Joe, Kendra Jensen, Kansas Jensen and Carter Lee Johnsrud. (Photos courtesy of Deanna Coan, Goodridge).

'Blind Joe' entertained at Goodridge Liquor Store

'Blind Joe' made a stop in Goodridge last Friday night! The talented country singer was on season 9 of The Voice last fall. He was on Team Blake with country superstar Blake Shelton as his coach and made it to the top 32 before getting eliminated. Residing in Grand Rapids, MN, 'Blind Joe' came to Goodridge and visited the kids at the school in the afternoon, then put on a performance for fans at the Goodridge Liquor Store.



'Blind Joe'.

TRF Home, Sport & Family Show to be held April 9 and 10

The Thief River Falls 24th Annual Home, Sport and Family Show will be held Saturday, April 9 and Sunday, April 10 at Ralph Engelstad Arena in Thief River Falls. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday.

"With over 150 exhibits, everyone visiting the show will surely find something to suit their needs," said Randy Hultgren from the Times. "We have recreational vehicles, home builders, landscaping, patio, golf carts, ag equipment, home party products, crafts and lots more."

Presenters throughout the weekend include:

- Young Living Essential Oils 101 (at 11 a.m. Saturday) – Jeri Nomeland, Young Living Essential Oils

- Is Health Coaching Right for You? (at 12 p.m. Saturday) – Staci Jensen, Newtrix Health coach

- Youth Trapping (at 1 p.m. Saturday) – Dana Klos, Pennington County Sportsmen's Club

- Food Combining for Digestive Health & Weight Loss (at 2 p.m. Saturday) – Wendy Scramstad, Turning Point Nutrition

- doTERRA Essential Oils 101 (at 3 p.m. Saturday) – Sara Aarhus

- doTERRA Essential Oils Spa & Skin Care Event (at 4 p.m. Saturday) – Sara Aarhus

- Container Gardening (at 11:30 a.m. Sunday) – Kim Swanson, Pennington County Master Gardener

- "A Treasury of Old Souls" (at 1 p.m. Sunday) – Eric Bergeson, author

- Youth Hunts and High School Trap Teams (at 2 p.m. Sunday) – Red River Valley Pheasants Forever

- Gun Safety in the Home (at 3 p.m. Sunday) – Bill Barthold, Pennington County Sportsmen's Club

- Silencers (Suppressors) on Guns (at 3 p.m. Sunday) – Chuck Kimbrough, Pennington County Sportsmen's Club

- How to Detox Your Home (at 4 p.m. Sunday) – Jeri Nomeland, Young Living Essential Oils

- Sunday Diane Back will be available on the main floor to discuss the new developments in Kayak Fishing.

Motorized scooters will also be available at the east entrances for those who wish to use them free of charge.

For additional show information visit the event's website at www.trfhomeshow.com or call (218) 681-4450. Mark this event on your calendar and plan to attend.

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There will be an information meeting, Apr. 10, 6:00 PM, at Grace Lutheran Church, Erskine, MN. Call 218-687-4035 or 218-689-0442, or prtim@gvtel.com for information. \$400 per traveler is due at the time you register for this trip.



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Goodyke, Kylo, Whalen, and Zurn attend AAW Policy Meeting

Wichita, KS: Four valley Agri-Women: Kathy Goodyke, Crookston, MN; Jenna Kylo, Larimore, ND; Deb Whalen, Oklee, MN; and Carolyn Zurn, Calloway, MN along with agri-women from across the country gather in Wichita, Kansas March 10 – 13 for a policy meeting. Two days of updating current policy and developing new position in preparation for American Agri-Women's annual Fly-In, June 5-8 in Washington DC.

Speaking to the women on various issues were Ed O'Malley, President & CEO of Kansas Leadership Center; Greg Kressek, CEO of Kansas Corn; Janet Barrows, Director of Frontier Farm Credit of Manhattan, KS; and Blake Hollander, Senior Policy Advisor of Rep. Mike Pompeo, Kansas. Also during their time in Kansas, members of the AAW Foundation Board conducted their business meeting, planning for the coming years scholarships and fundraising.

Issues being taken to Congress at this year's AAW Fly-In are: WOTUS – Clean Water Act, Clean Air Act – Clean Power, Ag Labor, Land Use, Crop Insurance, and taxes. Members will visit their Senators & Congressmen on these issues and leave copies of our organizations policies.

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Marshall County Recent Felony Drug and Firearm Charges

March 1, 2016 Deputies responded to a call in Argyle to the Ana L Ramirez and Guillermo Ramirez residence. After an investigation that lead to a search warrant, Ana Ramirez was charged with Drugs -5th Degree- Possess Schedule 1,2,3,4 – Not small amount marijuana, which maximum sentence is 5 years prison or \$10,000. Fine. Guillermo Ramirez was charged with Ammo/ Any Firearm – Previous Felony Conviction which carries a maximum penalty of 3 years in prison and/ or \$3,000. Fine.

March 9, 2016, After an investigation, a search warrant was issued on a residence and vehicle in Warren. Jeremiah Daniel Linder and Kaitlin Beverly Jean Mock both of Warren were charged with Controlled Substance Crime in the Second Degree which carries a maximum penalty of 25 years in prison and/ or \$500,000.00. fine or both.

March 14, 2016 Marshall County Deputies, Pine to Prairie Task Force & U.S. Border Patrol Agents executed a search warrant on a residence in Warren. John Louis Vondal Jr. of Warren, was charged with Possess Ammo/ Any Firearm – Conviction or Adjudicated Delinquent for Crime of Violence which carries a maximum penalty of 15 years in prison and/ or \$30,000. Fine or both, he is also charged with Drugs-5th Degree – Possess Schedule 1,2,3,4 – not small amount of marijuana which carries a maximum penalty of 5 years in prison or \$10,000. Fine or both.

The cases above either involved illegal posses weapons/ ammo, Heroin or Methamphetamine and/ or Drug Paraphernalia. All cases have been turned over to the Marshall County Court.

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**Saturday April 9th
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Northwestern Synod Spring Gathering

The Northwestern Minnesota Synod Women of the ELCA Cluster 4 will have their Spring Gathering. They will be meeting on Saturday, April 9 at First Lutheran Church at 900 Bemidji Avenue in Bemidji.

"Theme is "The Least of These". Registration runs from 8:30 to 9:15 a.m. Cost is \$8.00 and includes lunch.

The key note speaker will be Jenn Anderson and Jen Kovach, Hands of Action International Fighting Poverty, Giving Hope, Changing Lives in Uganda.

Polk County Sheriff

Strommen indicted

The Polk County Grand Jury has returned an indictment charging Brock Dale Strommen with the following offenses:

1. Manslaughter in the First Degree, in violation of Minn. Stat. 609.20(1);
2. Assault in the Fifth Degree, in violation of Minn. Stat. 609.224, subd. 1; and
3. Disorderly Conduct, in violation of Minn. Stat 609.72, subd. 1.

These charges stem from a December 25, 2016, incident in Crookston, Minnesota, where John Henry Torres was injured. Mr. Torres later died on January 1, 2016.

As a result of the indictment, Brock Dale Strommen was summoned by the Polk County District Court, and he appeared in court (March 29, 2016), at which time the Court unsealed the indictment. Brock Dale Strommen entered not guilty pleas to the charges, and his next court appearance currently is scheduled for May 10, 2016.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 2016

BROOKS COMMUNITY CENTER
8:30 AM BREAKFAST • 9:30 AM MEETING

THE PURPOSE OF THIS MEETING IS TO:

1. Review the operating statement for the fiscal year 2015.
2. ELECTION OF DIRECTORS:
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Director currently serving this area is Chuck Flage.
DISTRICT 3, West of Hwy. 32 and North of Hwy. 2.
Director currently serving this area is Todd Wieland.
DISTRICT 5, East of Hwy. 59 and South of Hwy. 92.
Director currently serving this area is Robert Landsverk.
3. To consider any business that may come before the meeting.

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Services for Kenneth Rolf

Kenneth Rolf, age 92, of Erskine, MN and formerly McIntosh, MN, passed away on Thursday, March 31st at Altru Hospital in Grand Forks, ND. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 9th, at Trinity Free Lutheran Church, rural McIntosh with the Rev. Karl Anderson officiating. Interment will be in the church cemetery. Visitation will be held from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. with a 7:00 p.m. prayer service on Friday, April 8th, at the McIntosh Community Center in McIntosh. There will also be reviewal for one hour prior to the service on Saturday at the church. Arrangements are with the Carlin-Hoialmen Funeral Home, serving McIntosh and messages of condolence may be sent at www.carlinhoialmen.com.

Kenneth Walter Rolf was born at home in Lessor Township, McIntosh, Minnesota on September 21, 1923 to parents Walter and Thea Jore Rolf. His grandmother Anna Jore served as midwife as she did for all his siblings. He was baptized at home on September 30, 1923 by Rev. P.J. Seltz from Zion Lutheran Church and confirmed on June 19, 1938 at Trinity Lutheran Church by Rev. C.M. Westermoe, both located in Lessor Township.

In the fall of 1930, Kenneth began school with his brother Truman, attending District #162, sometimes called the Voxland school. He finished 8th grade in 1938. Taking Truman with him, Kenneth drove himself to Crookston on graduation day to get their 8th grade diplomas.

Following graduation, Kenneth and Truman stayed home and began farming. He began seeding grain in 1939 with four horses and continued to seed with horses until 1947 when he switched to using a C Allis Chalmers.

In 1942 his father Walter left home and took jobs in different states looking for a better climate for his asthma. This left Kenneth and Truman to do all the farm work. In January 1941 and 1942 Kenneth attended the Lutheran Bible Institute

in Minneapolis for 10 weeks and attended Prayer and Praise week at LBI in 1943, 1944 and 1945. While he was there in 1945 he met Harriet Nelson and they were married on April 26, 1946 at First Lutheran Church in Madison, Minnesota. They resided on their farm in Lessor Township primarily milking cows for a living. He was one of the first in Polk County to install a milking parlor in the early 1950's and added a bulk tank in 1957. In 2013 they moved to Greenleaf in Thief River Falls and in 2014 to the Country Place in Erskine, Minnesota. Death came to Kenneth Rolf on March 31, 2016 at the Grand Forks, North Dakota hospital.

Throughout his life Kenneth was very active in Trinity Lutheran Church, and served many years on the church council and 40 years as a Sunday School teacher. He also served 14 years on the AFLC Schools Board of Trustees. Other boards he served on: Redby Mission, Northern Lutheran Mission, Dairy Herd Improvement Association, and McIntosh Co-op. He was a member of the Gideons, which included a jail ministry in Crookston. Kenneth loved to carry a New Testament and tracts in his shirt pocket, and to talk with others about trusting in Jesus Christ as Savior.

Kenneth is survived by Harriet, his wife of 69 years, 11 months, and six children, James (Mary) Rolf of Moorhead, MN; Mary (Rev. Lyle) Aadahl of Hayfield, MN; John Rolf of Fosston, MN, Naomi (Wayne) Peterson of Thief River Falls, MN; Rev. Joel (Mary-Ann) Rolf of Plymouth, MN; and Paul (Darlene) Rolf of McIntosh, MN.

Also surviving are twelve grandchildren, Walter (Ann) Rolf of Lisbon, ND; Audrey (Shawn) Adrian of Binford, ND; Peder (Alison) Aadahl of Sioux Falls, SD; Steven Peterson of Fosston, MN; Ruth Peterson of Thief River Falls, MN; John Peterson of Thief River Falls, MN; Sarah (Rev. Jeremy) Vance of Coon Rapids, MN; Christina (Jake) Hill of Alleman, IA; Josiah (Courtney) Rolf of Big Lake, MN; Daniel (Kayla) Rolf of Bagley, MN; Joshua Rolf of Bagley, MN; and Hannah Rolf of McIntosh, MN; 13 great grandchildren, Jakob & Gracia Rolf, James, Alette and Thea Adrian, Brady & Noelle Aadahl, Grace, Christian & Annamarie Vance, Evan & Brielle Hill, and Dagne Rolf. Also surviving is his brother, Wallace (Lillian) Rolf of Havre, MT.

Kenneth was preceded in death by his parents Walter and Thea Rolf, brother and sister-in-law Truman (Agnes) Rolf and sister and brother-in-law Delores (Wayne) Struble.

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Death notice for Donald Boll

Donald Boll, age 76, of Trail, MN, passed away on Sunday, April 3rd, at Essentia Health Hospital in Fosston. Funeral arrangements are pending with the Carlin-Hoialmen Funeral Home of Fosston.



Services held for Barbara Solien

Barbara Ann (Cantwell) Solien, Gonvick, died Monday, March 28, 2016 under hospice care in Tempe, Arizona.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, April 9, 2016 at Salem Lutheran Church, Oklee, with Pastor Margaret Jacobus and Lay Minister Dawn Hanson presiding. The family will greet friends 1 ½ hours prior to the funeral. A private family interment will take place later at Lund Lutheran Cemetery.

Mariposa Gardens Memorial Park and Funeral Care assisted with arrangements.

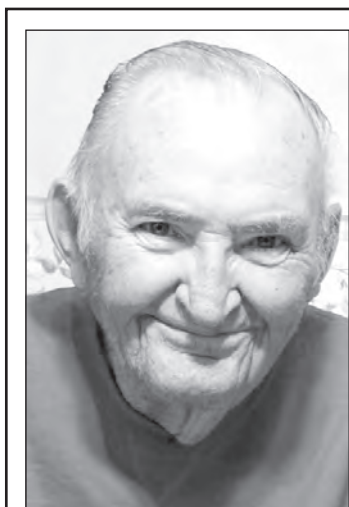
Barbara was born May 15, 1940 in Equality Township, Minnesota to Milo and Lily (Christianson) Cantwell.

She grew up and attended in school in Oklee, graduating from Oklee High School in 1958.

She married Robert Solien on April 2, 1960 at Salem Lutheran Church. Bob and Barb lived in Minneapolis, Gully, Moorhead, Cokato, and Brooks, MN prior to settling north of Oklee in 1970. Barbara worked as a bookkeeper for various local businesses including the Oklee Lumber Yard, Farm Credit Services, and Campbell Peterson, before retiring in 1999. Bob and Barb built their dream home on Pine Lake and spent the next 17 years wintering in Mesa, AZ.

Barbara loved being outside and gardening, especially her flowers. She was an avid quilter and sewer, creating many beautiful quilts for her children and grandchildren's graduations. She was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, Zion WELCA, and a past member of the Hollyhock Homemakers and The Red Hats. She loved spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchild.

Barbara is survived by her husband of 56 years, Robert, her three children, Jacqueline (Chet) Edinger, Shelly, (Dan) Wittenberg, and Chris (Karen) Solien, her sister, Mary Lou (Steve).



Services held for Donald G. Onstad

Donald G. Onstad age 88 of Detroit Lakes, MN died Wednesday March 30, 2016 at his residence.

Donald Glenn Onstad was born January 30, 1928 in Plentywood, Montana to S.P. and Delores Buckman Onstad. They moved to Erskine, MN for a short time before moving to McIntosh, MN, where Don grew up and attended school. Don served in the United States Navy during WWII. On March 31, 1951 he was united in marriage to Delores Peterson in Fridley, MN. They made their home in Minneapolis and Don worked for the Onan Company. They moved to Detroit Lakes, MN in 1970, where they purchased and ran the Broken Wheel Supper Club. Don later owned and oper-

ated Lakes Motors in Detroit Lakes for 30 years.

Don was an avid hunter and fisherman. He also enjoyed golfing, bowling, and playing cards. Time spent with family was very important to him.

He is survived by two daughters, Deb Wood, of Grand Rapids, MN; and Susan (Patrick) Samuelson, of Becker, MN; one son, Patrick (Sandra) Onstad, of Detroit Lakes, MN; six grandchildren, Amanda (Andy) MacDonell, Justin (Ann) Wood, Johanna (Sean) Dawson, Nicolette Samuelson, Matthew Onstad, and Michael Onstad; five great grandchildren, Cydney Wood, Isabella Wood, Jamison Wood, Beau Dawson, and Lily Dawson; three sisters, Audrey Knight, of Mpls, MN; Sylvia Mourning, of Prior Lake, MN; and Karen Neilson, of Mpls, MN; one brother, Ralph "Rock" Onstad, of Lower Lake, CA; and two sisters in law, Ardy LeBlanc, of Coon Rapids, MN; and Donna Onstad, of Albertville, MN.

He was preceded in death by his wife Delores (2012); three brothers and sisters in law, Delvin (Jean) Onstad; Russell (LaVern) Onstad; and Alden (Margaret) Rice; and one sister and brother in law, Joyce (Norman) Moen.

Memorial Services were held on Monday April 4, 2016; 2:00 p.m. at the West-Kjos Funeral Home in Detroit Lakes, MN.

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by Sgt. Jesse Grabow Minnesota State Patrol

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Answer: It is not necessary to notify the Department of Public Safety Driver Vehicle Services (DPS-DVS) in Minnesota. DVS doesn't place window tint/medical restriction on the driver's license or on the vehicle's registration. Drivers will need to have a prescription or proof from their doctor regarding the medical need to have tinted windows below the 50 percent light transmittance plus or minus 3 percent.

The proper document will need to be in the vehicle to show law enforcement upon request. The document will need to specifically state the minimum percentage that light transmittance may be reduced to satisfy the prescription or medical needs of the patient; and the prescription or statement contains an expiration date, which must be no more than two years after the date the prescription or statement was issued.

If the window tint is below the state minimum of 50 percent light transmittance, that vehicle may be stopped by law enforcement, as the officer will not be aware of the medical exemption.

In Minnesota, you can have your windows tinted to a light transmittance of 50 percent, but not less. Light transmittance is the amount of light that is required to pass through both



the window and the tint film. Before any tint material is applied to your windows, a vehicle comes from the factory with tint already inside the glass material. No window comes from the factory at 100 percent light transmittance. My experience has been that most vehicles are already at 75 percent before any modifications.

- No vehicle can have ANY tint to the front windshield.

- Passenger cars are limited to 50 percent on all side and rear windows.

- Pickups, vans, and SUV's are limited to 50 percent on the front side windows.

- Pickups, vans, and SUV's are not limited on the rear side and rear windows. (Can be less than 50 percent behind the front seat).

- Squad cars, limousines, and vehicles used to transport human remains by a funeral establishment are not limited on the side and rear windows.

Most Troopers have window tint meters in their patrol cars and will test the windows for the legal percent of light transmittance if they look to be below the statutory limit. If they are found below the legal limit, the driver may be issued a citation.

A portion of state statutes were used with permission from the Office of the Revisor of Statutes. If you have any questions concerning traffic related laws or issues in Minnesota, send your questions to Trp. Jesse Grabow – Minnesota State Patrol at 1000 Highway 10 West, Detroit Lakes, MN 56501-2205. (You can follow him on Twitter @MSPPIO_NW or reach him at, jesse.grabow@state.mn.us).

Theology in the Trenches

By Kathleen Kjolhaug

Maunday Thursday

Today, as I write, it is Maunday Thursday, or Holy Thursday; by the time you read this, it will be well past. It's the day when we remember the Last Supper, or the final meal Jesus ate with His disciples. He washed their feet, served them a meal, and prophesied what was to come. Following this day is Good Friday, the day we remember His crucifixion. Last but not least, during this holy week, we celebrate Easter by remembering his resurrection.

As believers, we know the significance of all that took place during this final week in the life of Christ. It is upon this that all of Christianity rests. It is truth, and it is a time worthy of pause.

However, as a child, I remember it much differently. Each service was long and drawn out because not only was the entire account read, but various reenactments took place. Washing the feet of one another helped etch the event forever in my mind. The solemn act was sacred as was Good Friday when all stood in wait to kiss the foot of the cross.

Forever sacred and searing were the memories embedded. Saturday was our time to set out our Easter attire, dye the eggs, clean the house, and prepare for the relatives who would soon be over for ham dinner. By the time Easter morning came, all I could think of was that it seemed like yesterday that we had gone to church.

Today, as I breezed by the

church on the way to the grocery store, I remembered what was important as a child. It wasn't that we had to go to church, but it was the value of being able to attend to that which honored our Lord Jesus Christ.

I sent a quick text to one of my children: "Holy Thursday." They simply responded, "Okay." I felt sad that they have not shared in the same rich experiences I grew up with. However, I was also peaceful knowing that it was because of His death and resurrection that they had a living relationship with Him. I have trusted that He will bring about their own sacred moments where He personally speaks, calling them to live the gospel.

One afternoon, a perfect time to introduce such a sacred moment crossed my path. While explaining about the washing of His feet to our oldest grandchild, I read the Easter story. I then got out a small bowl and within it placed the little feet of a 2 ½ year old which fit delicately within. She was mesmerized as I prayed to God that faith, as big as a mustard seed, take root and grow. Granted she was upon her own throne amidst potty training with nowhere to go, but I used the time wisely.

Maundy Thursday calls us to be feet washers. Good Friday calls us to be kissing the wounds of the wounded, and Easter Sunday empowers us to demonstrate a living faith. All this is possible because "it was while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us" (Romans 5:8). Amen.

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Help Your River!

It is officially spring. With the onset of spring come snowmelt, rain and wind. All good things for those of us ready for warmer temps and getting outdoors. But for our rivers this time of the year can be good and bad. The snowmelt and rain that runs off the landscape helps replenish our rivers and streams but that runoff can also carry many months of winters garbage, top soil and any other potential water contaminants that might be resting on the frozen landscape.

It is known that millions of tons of garbage end up in our Nation's rivers and streams through various sources. Garbage is more than just an eyesore for our waterways, it also can contaminate our drinking water, and threaten the lives of many aquatic species and animals that depend on rivers and streams every day.

What can you do? There are many ways each of us can help reduce the amount of garbage that enters our rivers and streams from individual actions to organized community activities.

One community organized activity is the National River Cleanup (NRC). An initiative established by American Rivers. Since its inception in 1991, NRC has engaged more than 1.3 million volunteers who have participated in thousands of cleanups across the country, covering more than 252,694 miles of waterways and removing more than 25 million pounds of litter and debris. In 2015 NRC registered 1,370 cleanups at locations nationwide using 46,448 volunteers who removed 2 million pounds of trash.

This initiative provides the resources to organize a community wide clean up or you can simply make an individual pledge stating how many pieces of trash you will commit to cleaning up for 2016.

Create the good.org has partnered with American Rivers to create a guide to organizing a waterway cleanup. Here are the basic steps you can take to get started in organizing such an event at your school, neighborhood, or community:

GETTING STARTED: PLAN YOUR CLEANUP

Choose a Site
First, look for an area where there is a lot of litter (sadly, all too easy to find). Second, walk at least a stretch of the area to see how accessible it is for a group cleanup effort.

Choose a Day and Time
Get Permission from the Land Manager

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improvement and increased the A's ability to do many jobs on the farm. Few other changes were made from 1941-1947.

In 1947 another big styling change took place. These are my favorite model A tractors. The batteries were moved under the seat and the starter placed under the tractor instead of on top. A new pressed steel frame with curved design was added. This was a tractor!! These tractors also had an option that became a popular feature of John Deere tractors, the Roll-A-Matic front end. This was a narrow front end in which each wheel could independently go up or down on uneven terrain. A horse power upgrade was

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2. How many times was the model A tested in Nebraska?
A. 1 B. 3 C. 5
3. In 1941 the A added a six speed transmission. How many forward speeds did they have before that time?
A. 3 B. 4 C. 5
4. The price of a new model A in 1952 was _____?
A. \$1799 B. \$2000 C. \$2400
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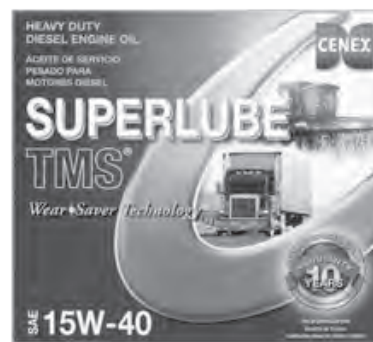
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