### **Work on Blue Room Continues**

The renovations at the city auditorium (Blue Room) continue with the cement poured last week, in the bathrooms and the part of the floor, that was heaving in the main Blue Room area.

The work is being done by S & R Concrete & Construction. The work will continue with new walls constructed, in between the guys and gals bathrooms, then sheet rock, taping and texturing to be done, followed by the bathroom sinks, toilets, urinals and stalls to be placed. The north wall of the Blue Room is also going to get sheet rocked, taped and textured and new window installed.

The fund raising will continue with many generous donations submitted. If you would like to donate send to city of Glen Ullin Blue Room Renovations, PO Box 70, Glen Ullin, ND 58631-0070.

Thanks to all for your generosity, kindness, and support in this project, from the City of Glen Ullin and the Blue Room Committee.

Working Together For The Community!

The Glen Ullin Times will bring you updates and pictures as progress continues on Blue Room and it is rentable again.

Pictured to the right is the main Blue Room area with the new cement poured where the floor was broke up and heaving with the north wall to yet be





Last week the floor in the bathrooms and main Blue Room area was poured using this concrete pump truck with North Star of Dickinson delivering the concrete. The project is moving along.

Well, even though there was only 7 rummage sales in Hazen this past weekend. Kim, Marge, Cart and I all found some goodies. Some more than others. Lol! Enjoyed it girls! Trice and I went over to Jeanne and Greg's house on Friday afternoon. Jacque came in for Jeanne's birthday. My sister's are a trip. Good luck Teasha, you have to deal with them. Lol! Love you all!

A teenage boy just passed his driving test and asked his dad if he could start using the family car. The dad told him, he'd make a deal. You bring up your grades from a C to a B, study your Bible more and get a haircut. The boy thought about it and said ok. After 6 weeks, the dad said to his son, I see you've brought up your grades and studied the Bible, but, you haven't cut your hair. The boy told his dad, I noticed in the Bible, Sampson, John the Baptist, Moses and even Jesus all had long hair. His dad said to him, yes and they all walked everywhere they went.

Cleaning toilets are disgusting. Well, try 'Splash' foam no scrub cleaner for toilets.

Hey Cuz Carleen. Love you! Hey Don and Brenda! Love you

Happy Birthday Jeanne Mae! Happy Birthday Judy!

### **Upcoming Events in our Community**

Watch for upcoming events and more details on them in coming issues of the Glen Ullin Times.

September 13 & 14...Glen Ullin Motocross races;

September 21...Carshow October 11...Randy Morman 5K Run/Walk;

October 12...Sacred Heart Parish Dinner and Raffle Drawing

November 8...GUPPIE Holiday Bazaar and Luncheon 10-3pm;

## Just Joyce Dakota Attitude

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**Richard Nagel** 

Interview: June 5, 2013 County: Golden Valley City: Beach

**Hides Whisky in a Manure Pile** 

Richard Nagel was born in 1916, 12 miles from Little Falls, Minnesota, home of Charles Lindbergh, who in 1927 flew solo across the Atlantic and became famous. Richard remembers the aviator driving his motorcycle down the street, gunning it.

Richard thinks it was in the fall of 1928 when his father brought the family to the Beach area. "He thought this was God's country. God kind of fooled him when the '30s came along. My dad had 10 of us in the family, and



in those '30s he had a hard time feeding us. He made whiskey [during Prohibition]; sold that. At that time most farmers threw the manure out of the door 'til spring when you would haul it away. But he would take a 30-gallon barrel and fill it with whiskey, raw whiskey, put it in there and cover it with manure. Anyway these revenue agents came out, and they could smell it but they couldn't find it and there was a hay mound at that time. Some of the hay mounds came down right to the ground, and they literally moved the hay from one side to the other looking for it. If they would have stuck the fork into the manure pile, they would have hit the

Richard married Leona Kippley in 1939. They worked for her father, who sold the farm to them in 1956. "He said they would make it so I could handle [the payment]. And he didn't charge interest." Leona died in 2013, just short of the Nagel's 74th anniversary. "You couldn't have had a better wife," he says.

"The good Lord was good to us, too." When asked about advice to his grandchildren, Richard says, "I think probably the first thing would be to be honest with people. That would be one big thing. And to thank people who do something for you. The things we do a lot of the times are what the good Lord is helping us or someone else is. I know we make mistakes. We all make mistakes. I'm 96 years old, and every once in a while I learn something."

(Editor's Note: The following profiles of North Dakota residents were collected by author James Puppe between 2004-2018, covering 617 subjects and 113,000 miles. He has given permission for his book to be serialized in North Dakota Newspapers at no charge. To find out how you can read the entire collection of Dakota Attitude profiles go to dakotaattitude.com.)

# In Touch with Prairie Living

September, 2025

By Michael M. Miller

Germans from Russia Heritage Collection North Dakota State University Libraries, Fargo



The Northwest Blade, Eureka, S.D., published a wonderful story in August 2020, "Granddaughter keeps Grandmother's precious chamomile seeds," by Cindy Schumacher. Cindy wrote about the experiences of Judy Hooff. Judy grew up in Eureka, founded in 1887, once called the "Breadbasket of the World" for its many wheat elevators and the trains that transported the grain to the rest of the country.

When she was a first grader, Judy Hooff lived with her grandparents, Christian and Christina (Neuharth) Opp and Gottfried and Eva Helfenstein. She recalled her Grandma Opp introduced her to chamomile tea, which she grew in her garden. She picked the flowers, dried them in newspapers and stored the chamomile in mason jars.

"Grandma thought that chamomile tea was the cure-all for just about anything that ailed me," said Hooff, "Tea compresses were applied to my eyes if I had pinkeye, or she used a tea if I had a tummy ache. I've been told women had sewn chamomile and vermouth seeds into the hems of their dresses before their departure. I'm fairly certain the seeds would have been confiscated upon their arrival to America," Hooff explains.

Cindy Schumacher continues to write, "Hooff said she felt strongly about preserving her grandmother's tea, which was the same strain of chamomile her ancestors brought with them from Germany and Russia when they immigrated to America. On a

away, Hooff found chamomile flowers growing where her grandparents' house had been. Even though most of the farms she remembered as a child are gone, she found chamomile still thriving around the foundation."

"Chamomile was everywhere, and these seeds were from my grandmother's garden. I was determined to bring chamomile back to Portland. I tried planting it in my garden but was unsuccessful due to the moist northwestern climate," Hooff remarked.

In 1998, Russia made chamomile the official flower. The flower is an adorable little bloom with snow white petals and bright yellow center. It is Continued on page 6



# Wednesday, September 17 5pm - 6:30pm Glen Ullin Log Cabin

Burgers, Hot Dogs, and all the fixin's!





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### NOTICE of SALE OF USED EQUIPMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the County of Morton, North Dakota will receive bids via online from September 9th until September 22nd, 2025 for the sale of the following used equipment:

- 2-Fixed One-Way Plows
- 2-2020-M7050 Vermeer Disc Mowers
- Falls Motor Grader Wing
- Balderson Motor Grader Wing 3-Pallets of Misc. Hydraulic Parts
- 1978 Dodge 150 2 WD 1994 Chevrolet ½ Ton 4x4
- 1995 Chevrolet ½ Ton 4x4
- 1993 Chevrolet 3/4 Ton 4x4
- 1974 Chevrolet ½ Ton 2WD
- 2-John Deere Motor Grader Front Lift Groups

end on September 22nd, 2025. Additional information and equipment inspection (by appointment) is available by contacting the Morton County Highway Department, 2916 37th Street NW, Mandan, ND 58554 (701-667-3346). This

Bidding will be conducted via online auction at PublicSurplus.com. Interested bidders will be required to register and agree to the terms and conditions of the online auction prior to bidding. The Auction will

equipment is "sold as is, where is". The County of Morton reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive technicalities or to accept

such as may be determined to be in the best interest of the County. BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MORTON COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA

Dawn R. Rhone Morton County Auditor

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