

DEATH NOTICE

Don King Jr.

LAWLER — Don King Jr., age 47 of Lawler, was found deceased Wednesday, Nov. 5, 2008, at his home in Lawler.

FUNERAL SERVICES are pending with Hugeback & Chenoweth Funeral Home in Lawler, 563-238-2764.

AREA NEWS

Light Plant Agenda

NEW HAMPTON -The Light Plant meeting will be held Monday, Nov. 10 at 5 p.m.

Agenda:

- Finance Reports – October, 2008
- 5 p.m. - Public hearing on the proposition of entering into a first amendment to the Joint Ownership Agreement for Sutherland Generating Station Unit 4 Facility
- Resolution adopting and approving the form of first amendment to the Joint Ownership Agreement for Sutherland Generating Station Unit 4 Facility
- General Manager's Report

On 10/21/08, an ad stating "Dan Lensing - Strong and Independent for Iowa House 15" was distributed that did not state who paid for it. The ad "Dan Lensing - Strong and Independent for Iowa House 15" was paid for by Dan Lensing, 2558 Hwy. 24, Ft. Atkinson, IA 52144.

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Orville Baethke

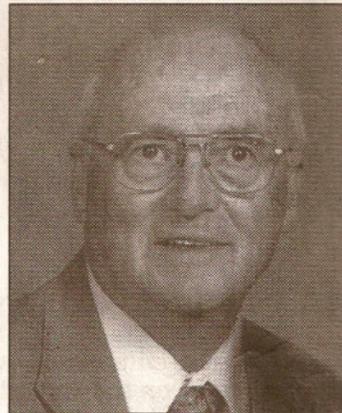
ELMA — Orville Baethke, age 80, of Elma, died on Monday, Nov. 3, 2008 at St. Mary's Hospital in Rochester, Minn. following complications from aortic dissection and multiple aneurysms.

FUNERAL SERVICES will be 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, Nov. 8, 2008 at St. Paul's Maple Leaf Lutheran Church with Pastor Dan Christensen officiating.

BURIAL will be in Saratoga Township Cemetery, Saratoga, Iowa. Grandchildren are serving as casket bearers Michelle (Daniel) Ring, Becky (Andrew) Rempfer, Brian (Brian) Lubbert, Billy (Douglas) Erickson, Baethke, Lee Baethke, Wendy (Jackson) Dohlman, (Tony) Alstat, Brady Norman and Roxanne Baethke.

VISITATION will be 4-8 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 7, 2008 at Conway-Kolbet Funeral Home in Elma and will continue one hour prior to the service at the church. Friends may call Conway-Kolbet Funeral Home at 641-393-2461 for more information. Online condolences for the family may be left at "http://www.conway-kolbetfuneralhome.com"

IN LIFE Orville William Baethke was born on April 5, 1928 to Charles and Amanda (Schwake) Baethke in Elma. He attended rural schools. He moved to Waterloo and worked four years at John Deere, Chamberlain and Rath packing



Orville Baethke

plant. Orville was united in marriage to Dorothy Beck on Nov. 19, 1948 at Little Brown Church in Nashua, and to this marriage three children were born. Orville and Dorothy moved to a farm north of Elma in 1951 where they lived to the present.

Orville worked in farming with his son. He loved fishing in Minnesota and Canada, but hated to throw the big ones back. He loved visiting with anyone and everyone. He especially enjoyed spending time with his children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Orville also enjoyed wintering in Apache Junction, AZ with his wife for 22 years of his life. He was a lifetime member of St. Paul's Maple Leaf church where he served in various ways and was on the board of Howard County Equity for many years.

SURVIVORS include his wife Dorothy, Elma; three children Richard (Carol) Baethke,

NEW HAMPTON — Gertrude Kurash, age 91, New Hampton, died Monday Nov. 3, 2008, at the New Hampton Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

A MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL will be held 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 8, 2008, at Holy Family Parish-St. Joseph Center, New Hampton with Msgr. Carl Schmitt celebrating the Mass. The pall will be placed by Gertrude's three children. Lector for the service will be Inez Pelley. Presenting the offertory gifts will be Leo Fausch and Don Peters.

INTERMENT will be in St. Mary's Cemetery, Waucoma with Steven Kurash, Rob Kurash, Karen Steenbergen, Ryan Fausch, Ellen Wolf, Mike Peters, Doug Peters, Amy Peters and Kelly Beierschmitt as pallbearers.

FRIENDS may call 4 - 8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 7, 2008, at Hugeback & Chenoweth Funeral Home in New Hampton where there will be a 4 p.m. rosary and a 6 p.m. parish scripture service. Visitation continues an hour prior to the Mass at church.

IN LIFE Gertrude was born

School board

NEW HAMPTON - The New Hampton Community School District will hold a regular board meeting on Monday, Nov. 10 at 6:30 p.m. in the High School Media Center.

- Agenda:
- I. Consent Agenda Items: Oct 13, 2008-Regular Meeting Approve October Month Financial Reports; Approve November Bill Listing; Approve Personnel Recommendation Resignations-JV Girls Softball position
 - II. Receive Communications and Visitors
 - A. Thank you for passes
 - III. Student Achievement a

Updating

After six months of Postville raid fiasco, the FBI finally reached the crux of the problem. They arrested Shol Rubashkin, the son of the founder of Agriprocessors. He was the man in charge of