

BUCKSTOP SENTINEL MEMBERSHIP NEWSLETTER

James Foley Honored by Bismarck High School

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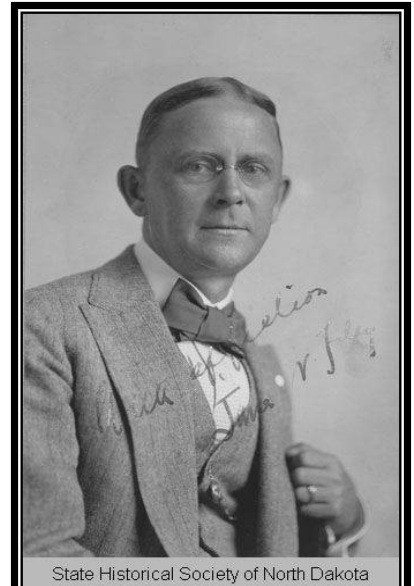
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James Foley was inducted into the Bismarck High School Hall of Fame on October 8, 2010. Foley graduated from Bismarck High in 1888. Foley's first book, A Little Book of Prairie Breezes, was published in 1902. The Bismarck High School yearbook, Prairie Breezes, was named after Foley's book. Many books of poetry followed including the North Dakota Hymn.



State Historical Society of North Dakota

James Foley

We are proud to have the Foley home here at Buckstop Junction. In 1907 Foley built this American foursquare at 522 N. 6th Street in Bismarck. His family lived in the home until 1913. The home was listed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1977. The Bismarck Veterans Memorial Public Library donated the home to the Missouri Valley Historical Society and it was moved to Buckstop Junction in 1993.



The Rusk Auto House

After a 20 year wait John and Mike Beck have finally moved The Rusk Auto House to Buckstop Junction! This pre-fabricated metal garage was built in Fargo before World War 1, and is believed to be one of only two remaining in North Dakota; the second is at the ND Heritage Center.

This prefabricated galvanized iron garage: (18' X 12") was manufactured by The Fargo Cornice & Ornament Co.; it was discontinued in 1914 because iron was needed for World War 1.

Due to the popularity of motor cars the Rusk brothers began making this Auto house in 1912. An ad ran: "PORTABLE SAFE, DURABLE, ECONOMICAL, FIREPROOF, MANY/DESIGNS & ANY SIZE." A sincere thank you to Tom Weisbeck for donating the building to Buckstop Junction.



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The little old town that never was, but is today!

Fond Farewell

Eunice Mae Vender, wife of former Missouri Valley Historical Society President Carl Vender, passed away on August 6, 2010. Eunice had wholeheartedly joined Carl in supporting Buckstop Junction with her financial and personal contributions. On August 10, 2010 a memorial service was held at the Bethel Church with a gathering of friends following at the Lewis Hotel here at Buckstop Junction.

Olga (Adamyk) Redington passed away on September 11, 2010. As a child Mary lived in the mining town of Chapin near Wilton. After her father's death Olga's mother purchased one of the Chapin houses and moved it to the family farm. Many years later Olga negotiated moving this Chapin Miner's home to Buckstop Junction. She helped preserve the little house for History; her children take care of the house and it can be seen here today.

Missouri Valley Historical Society Board & Members Buckstop Junction



Linette Bennett the great-grand daughter of Ole Olin

A recent visitor from Colorado to the Driscoll Blacksmith shop was Linette Bennett the great-grand daughter of Ole Olin. Linette reminisced about growing up in Driscoll and visiting the shop. She appreciated the recent work done by Dave Poppke when he posted the story of the Blacksmith shop.



Morgan Monzelowsky donated her time and talent when she created and painted the new logo for the Capitol Aviation Hangar on the wall of the Bob Watts Memorial Museum.

The Sentinel Sez.....

>This winter the Visitor's Center will be open only occasionally, so if you call please leave a message and we will get back to you, or you can call one of the Directors listed on the front page. We would like to thank June Hinkel for doing such a great job at the Visitor's Center the last two years.

>If you have a date in mind that you would like to rent the Lewis Hotel or the Bethel Church next year please call soon: 2011 dates are filling up. *Lewis Hotel*: Ike Aichele 258-6418 and *Bethel Church*: Phyllis Kindsvogel 223-2042 after 8 pm.

>The Buildings & Grounds committee plans to work on the depot, lumber building and hangar roofs plus many other projects next summer. We can always use help, so see what you can do!

> Our gratitude is sent to everyone who has donated time, talent, money and memorabilia to the Missouri Valley Historical Society this year. We have received photos for the Mine Camp, a 1920's Lutheran Pastor's library, a curio cabinet, vintage dresses, doll buggies, a 1900's sofa and chair, many other items and so much help from our Volunteers that we are overwhelmed!

>We would like to offer a special thank you to our faithful tour guides, to the people who take care of our buildings and grounds and to everyone that helped with our Old Settler's Day / Corn Feed and Bismarck Cancer Center's Applefest.

Thank You, Thank you, many times Thank You!

Your Board of Directors, Missouri Valley Historical Society

Missouri Valley Historical Society Membership Application Form

I/We want to support the continued development of Buckstop Junction:

New Member Renewal Address Change

Enclosed is a check/money order payable to MVHS covering my 2011 dues*

Name: _____ Date: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Single (\$25) Family/Grandparents (\$35) Donor (\$50)

*MVHS is a 501 (C) (3) organization. *Membership runs from January 1 to December 31. 11-17-10

- ◆ Each membership includes a set number of **free admissions** to our Old Settlers' Day/ Corn Feed Celebration as well as tours of Buckstop Junction.
- ◆ 2011 members receive **10% off** on purchases from The Shoppe at Buckstop Junction!
This offer excludes food items and some special promotions, but is in addition to any monthly specials.

Please check areas where you would like to in volunteer:

Conduct Tours, Membership, Fund raising, Committee member, Publicity,
 Work at Visitor Center/The Shoppe, Building or Grounds maintenance, Board Member,
 Adopt a building, Maintain Membership records, Other: _____

Buckstop Junction's Old Settler's Day/Corn Feed (August 21, 2011)

Bismarck Cancer Center's Applefest at Buckstop Junction

Enjoy Buckstop Junction, Send more Volunteer information

MVHS Phone: (701) 250-8575. Membership: Larry Strand 701-258-5128. Thank You!

Mail to: MVHS, PO Box 941, Bismarck, ND 58502-0941

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The Shoppe

at Buckstop Junction presents our annual

"Christmas Past Collection"

Open House!

Saturday: December 4

10:00 am – 3:00 p.m.

Shiny Brite ornaments for your tree,

Traditional wood bead strings,

Handmade ornaments, Wise men,

Angels, Crèches, Bells,

Books, Stockings & Santas.

(Just about makes us feel like elves!)

Free coffee & cookies and lots of visitin'.

December Special

20% off anything with a star on it.

Marlette Pittman 220-6311

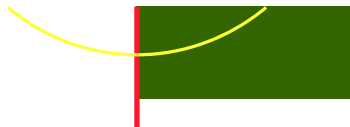
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Mission Statement

*This organization shall
stimulate, coordinate, conduct
and assist in activities relating
to the preservation of this
area's history.*



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at Buckstop Junction

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What's new at Buckstop Junction?
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Please pay your 2011 Membership dues by
January 1, 2011. See top of Page 3. Thanks!