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Coming off a losing season and 17 years removed from the Huskers' last *conference* title, nearly 73,000 bought tickets to a practice. So, to answer the question that will inevitably arise when Nebraska loses a football game next fall: **NO**, the sell-out streak **IS NOT** in jeopardy!

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'Mother's Little Helpers'

April 18, 1953

It is regrettable to note that Mrs. Homemaker is about to step on the apple, which is deadlier than a banana peel, and land upside down in the clothes basket. Following this routine domestic incident, how will she react to mother's little helpers? Any impulse to make gestures with a hairbrush will be frustrated by the thought that a helpful, creative impulse in children should not be frustrated. If she employs the intellectual approach, she will expose herself to the comeback, "But, mother, when daddy puts on the chef's hat, the kitchen gets awfler than this." We guess Mrs. H., being human, will yell around for a minute, then repent, and in a loving, sobby way clean up, reflecting that it was all Mrs. Nextdoor's fault. Or John Falter's.

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Please contact Curator Dobey Haws to make an appointment to visit the John Philip Falter Museum.
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Orscheln Farm & Home closing its doors

Photo by Jason Schock

Just one year after its acquisition of a second distribution center inspired its company president to boldly forecast the doubling of its number of retail stores, Orscheln Farm & Home farm and supply store is closing its Falls City location on East 14th Street.

What you see is what you get — the store will remain open for another eight weeks or so, but the hours, effective immediately, have been pared to 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday only and no inventory refill orders will be generated.

The local store has operated without an official "manager" for nearly a month, according to employees, and workers were notified about the impending closure late last week. When reached at company headquarters in Moberly, MO, Monday, an Orscheln corporate spokesperson divulges little information.

"It is with heavy hearts that we have decided to close our Falls City, Nebraska store," Orscheln Director of Operations Dave Hult said, in a prepared statement. "It has been our pleasure to serve the Falls City and surrounding communities."

Hult added that Falls City employees have been offered employment within other stores in the company and that the retail chain will honor rain checks and special orders at its locations in Sabetha, KS, or Auburn. The new Sabetha store opened last June. There are locations throughout Nebraska, including Fairbury, Beatrice, Tecumseh, and Nebraska City, and they also have stores in Maryville, MO, Marysville, KS, Savannah, MO, and Clarinda and Shenandoah, IA.

The statement was given just prior to 5 p.m. Monday and a call to Hult shortly thereafter went straight to voice mail.

The retail chain has more than 160 stores located throughout the Midwest in Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Missouri, Nebraska and Oklahoma. In January 2015, Orscheln acquired a second distribution center, in addition to its hub in Moberly, which was formerly used by the defunct ALCO Stores chain. At the time, Orscheln President Stephen Chick said the 357,000 square foot distribution center, located in Abilene, KS, would make the company "poised to double the number of Orscheln Farm & Home retail stores as we continue our growth and expansion."

The retail business is only a small fraction of the Orscheln Group, which has major investments in more than 12 companies, partnerships and joint ventures all over the world. Orscheln owns a regional real estate development company in Missouri and has manufacturing operations that supply customer groups in the military, marine and aircraft industries, to name just a few. They also have facilities in England and a trading company located in Shanghai, China.

'Tale as old as time'

FC Sacred Heart *presents* ***Beauty and the Beast***

FC Sacred Heart School will present the musical "Beauty and the Beast" at **7 p.m. Friday, April 22**, and at **2 and 7 p.m. Sunday, April 24**.

The Sunday matinee will be a special children's performance. Children are invited to come dressed as storybook characters, and will have coloring pictures autographed by the cast members. They can also have their picture taken on stage with cast members.

Falter Museum selected for state's Passport Program

The John Philip Falter Museum at 17th and Stone Streets in downtown Falls City has been selected as one of the 80 sites by the Nebraska Tourism Commission for the 2016 Passport Program, which runs from May 1 through Sept. 30.

Beginning May 1, museum hours will be from 1-4 p.m. Sunday through Friday, and 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturdays.

For more information on this exciting and fun program and to learn how to get your passport and win prizes, go to www.nebraska-passport.com

The Falter Museum is also sponsoring an Art Walk from 5-8 p.m. Friday, April 29. A new jazz exhibit begins that evening, featuring prints and original paintings by John Falter, some of which are on loan from the Nebraska State Historical Society Museum in Lincoln.

Stop by for refreshments and hear some recorded music by Falls City's native son and renowned

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By this time next week I'll be packing the last of my items and heading off to bed before sunset. When I set out on this adventure last August, I never thought I'd hit the finish line. The reward I promised myself if I quit smoking was over the top and in my mind, unattainable. I've kept track of every penny, every cigarette I didn't smoke and every minute since I quit. As of today that count sits at 37 weeks, four days and 20 hours since I last had a cigarette. I've saved an estimated $1,725.53 by not smoking 5,277 cigarettes. Honestly when I started this journey I thought I'd cave within a month, then by the sixth month and now I think I'm confident that I have a handle on things. I do dream of smoking and I think about it every single day but I also dream of this goal I've set for myself and how amazing it's going to be to reach it knowing that I haven't cheated and had one cigarette since the day I quit-and believe me I wanted to. Each penny I saved from not smoking has gone toward this trip. As the trip has gotten closer it's become less about a reward for not smoking and more a life lesson.

By saving money for this adventure I've learned how to budget better for the things we need. I now make a detailed grocery list every other weekend and set a dollar amount that I refuse to go over. I have learned to buy two weeks of groceries for my family for under $200. I've found more recipes and cooked every night for months. We cut the fast food out of our budget and I cut pop out as well. Since we've cut so much sugar and grease out, I've found myself to have more energy which leads to getting out and doing more as well having the energy to keep the house clean. In eight months our lives have really fallen into a fabulous routine and even after this trip, we're going to stick to the budget and routine.

With that said, the final film schedule came out for the festival and it's pretty good. It's taken me several days of changing my mind to finally make a list that I will try to stick to when I get there.

On Thursday, April 28, the day will be full of meet and greets and a bit of sightseeing around Hollywood Boulevard. At 5:00 p.m. I'll watch the red carpet arrivals for 'All the President's Men.' Those confirmed for the red carpet are Carl Bernstein, Alec Baldwin, Gina Lollobrigida, John Singleton, Lou Gossett Jr., Keith Carradine, Norman Lloyd, Randy Williams, Kathrine Houghton, Chris Lemmon, and a few more. At 7:30 p.m., it's off to see 'The Freshman' starring Nebraska native, Harold Lloyd. Then the final film of the night is "Guess Who's Coming to Dinner," one of my favorite films. Katharine Houghton, niece of Katharine Hepburn and star of the film will be doing a discussion prior to the movie.

Friday, April 29, will start much earlier at 9:00 a.m. with 'The More the Merrier,' starring Jean Arthur. From there I'm off to the Illena Douglas book signing event at 11:00 a.m. After that, if I can make it in time I'll see 'Double Harness,' starring William Powell at noon followed by 'When you're In Love," starring Cary Grant. During this film, Cary's daughter Jennifer Grant will be there for a discussion. At 5:30 I'll be at Grauman's Chinese Theater (officially the TCL) to see 'It's a Wonderful Life, followed by 'The Manchurian Candidate' with an introduction by Angela Lansbury and we'll finish the night with the midnight showing of the 1981 film, 'Roar' starring Tippi Hedren.

Saturday, April 30, again starts at 9:00 a.m. with 'One Man's Journey,' starring Lionel Barrymore. I love Barrymore and find him to be the highly underrated Barrymore brother. Even with his evil role in 'It's a Wonderful Life,' I adore him and can't wait to see two of his films on the big screen. Then I'll spend most of the day at the Hollywood Roosevelt Hotel for special presentations by Turner Classic Movies. 'My First Time in Hollywood' is a discussion with actors and directors who share experiences from when they arrived in Hollywood. Then the event that made the entire trip worthwhile for me; Alec Baldwin interviewing Elliot Gould. I am a massive Alec Baldwin fan. I think he is incredibly funny and I loved him in '30 Rock.' He works a lot with the network and has become a fixture of the festival. I just can't wait to be in the presence of my favorite modern actor. What an amazing opportunity that I never imagined would be possible! Once I come down from my Baldwin high, I'll head to 'Hollywood Home Movies,' where relatives of classic film actors share their own home movies with an audience. At 9:30 p.m. I'll head off to 'Midnight' starring Claudette Colbert, with a special introduction by Bonnie Hunt. To finish my long Saturday, I may go see 'Gog in 3D' at midnight or go to bed. We'll have to play it by ear.

Sunday, May 1, will be a slower day for me. I decided to only do a couple of films and spend some time on Hollywood Boulevard sightseeing instead. At 9:15 a.m. I'll see Elliot Gould introduce 'M.A.S.H.' Followed by Charlie Chaplin's masterpiece 'The Kid,' then the Marx brothers in 'Horse Feathers,' then a break until 8:00 p.m. I may head to an In 'N' Out a few blocks away and eat until I'm sick, or maybe I'll just people watch but I think I'll need some time to unwind and take it all in. I'll be in California for the first time in my life and I don't want to completely miss it. Maybe next year I can talk Brian into joining me and maybe staying an extra day to really sight see but this year I'll be limited to one area and I'm totally okay with that.

Monday, May 2, I'll bid Hollywood good-bye and head back to Nebraska exhausted and hopefully ecstatic. I'll be back to work on Tuesday and by the weekend I'm sure I'll sleep for two days straight. I'll need to rest up because May is going to be great. I'll be seeing Paul Simon from the third row of the Pinebowl in Lincoln with my family. In a lot of ways 2016 is a dream come true. In a few it's been incredibly rough but I can't wait to see how it shakes out.

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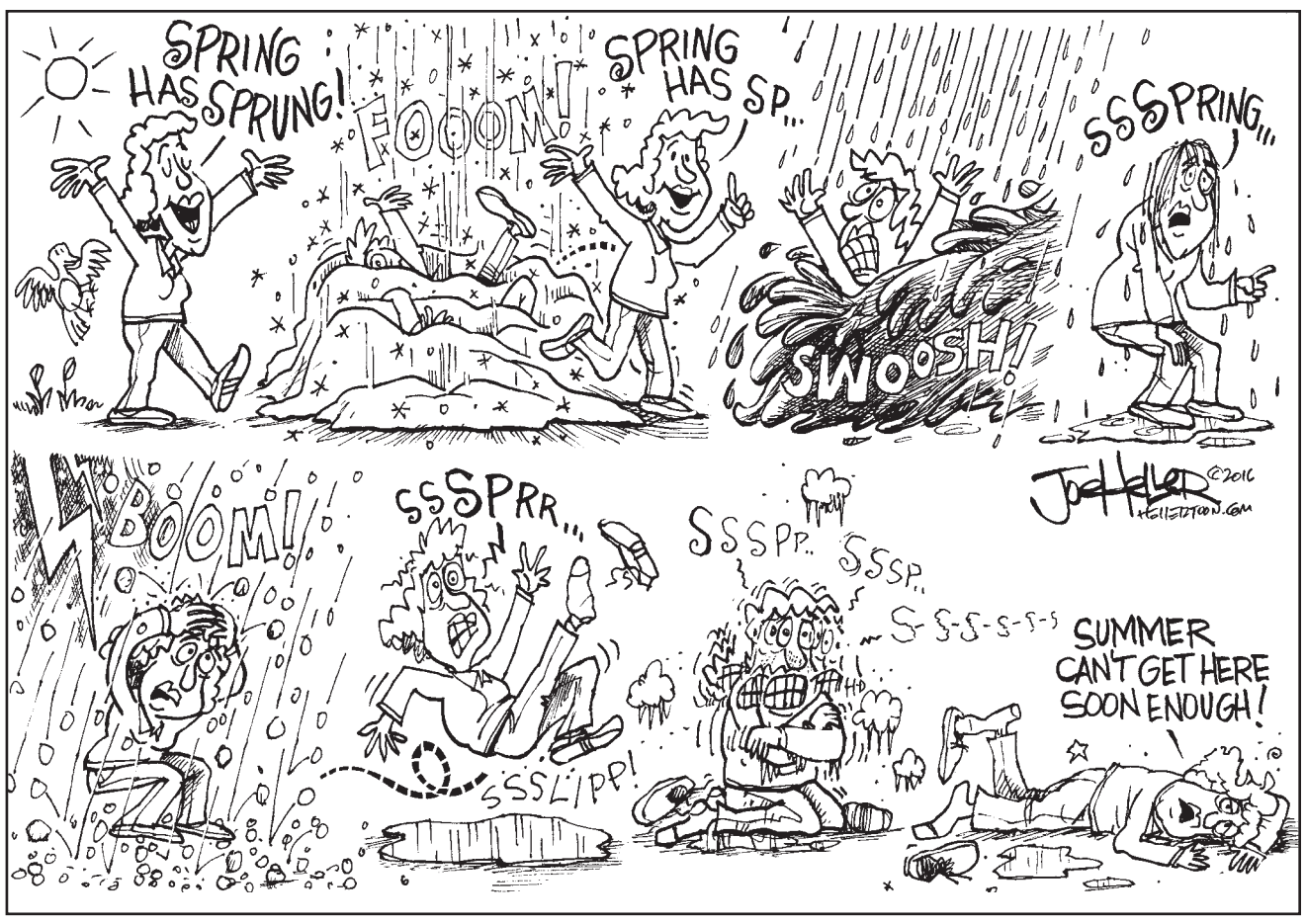
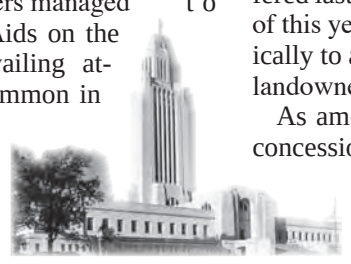


What just happened? Is it over yet?

Capitol View
By J.L. Schmidt
Statehouse Correspondent
Nebraska Press Association

The 104th Legislature is over, but the malady lingers on.

The things left undone in the short (60-day) Second Session were the big story. The major issues: corrections; health care for needy Nebraskans; and tax reform were not resolved. There were no cures. At best, this group of lawmakers managed to put some Band-Aids on the issues. The prevailing attitude – not uncommon in an election year – was "let's deal with it next year."



So, in a nutshell, here's what did – or didn't – happen.

Appropriations/Budget: The Appropriations Committee presented Governor Pete Ricketts with a budget that survived without any line-item vetoes. Ricketts made it clear there were some areas that almost got the red pen, but settled for dealing with those next year. He said balancing the budget and holding the line on spending this session were two of his top priorities, because the state was facing a $124 million shortfall due to slow growth in tax receipts. He said he was happy to report that we have, for the second year in a row, balanced the budget, constrained spending, and set important spending priorities while addressing the budget shortfall.

Corrections: Ricketts touted the $26 million lawmakers approved to expand community corrections facilities and reentry programming in Lincoln. This investment is the next step in reforming corrections, and ensuring that we reduce the number of repeat offenders in our state's prisons.

Sorry, Governor, there's more to it than bricks and mortar and reentry programming. Underpaid/overworked staff in an unsafe work environment (four attacks by inmates against employees system-wide at this writing) is something that needs to be addressed. Then there's the overcrowding and alternative sentencing that could directly address that issue.

The one bright light was the passage of Gothenburg Senator Matt Williams' LB919 that directs the state court system to create a variety of problem solving courts, including drug, veterans, mental health, driving under the influence and reentry. The Judiciary Committee noted that such courts - based on experience with a statewide system of drug courts - are effective in reducing recidivism of persons who participate in and complete such courts.

Health: For the fourth consecutive year, lawmakers said no to attempts to provide health insurance for the state's working poor using federal funds that are due to the state. Despite a bi-partisan effort, the governor and his handful of crickets managed to convince the Legislature that such a move would simply be expansion of Obamacare. God forbid that any of the more than 70,000 Nebraskans who are working but can't afford health insurance would ever think that the Republican majority would be guilty of supporting a logical solution that might be traced to the opposing party.

The attempt to legalize medical cannabis was defeated despite a series of amendments that would give the state strict control over the distribution and regulation. That move opened the door for a possible ballot initiative, which if successful, could be more open and out of the Legislature's control, and possibly include recreational use of marijuana as well.

Property Taxes: Lawmakers passed a bill that will increase property tax credits for agricultural landowners. The measure, introduced by Revenue Committee Chairman Senator Mike Gloor of Grand Island on behalf of the governor, grants $234 million in property tax credits for fiscal year 2016-17, acontinuation of credits offered last year. Gloor said $20 million of this year's credits would go specifically to agricultural and horticultural landowners.

As amended, the measure grants a concession to community colleges by removing provisions that would have limited the amount of unused restricted funds that community colleges could carry forward from year to year. Strong opposition to keeping that in the bill threatened passage and was dropped. Senator Al Davis of Hyannis said something still needs to be done to rein in spending by community colleges. Gloor said the colleges have promised to evaluate their funding models and report their findings to the Legislature next year.

The Future: Ricketts promised to continue his push for tax relief. He said that constraining spending is the key. He said keeping the rate of growth in government below the rate of growth in tax revenue would allow he and the Legislature to continue work on providing much-needed tax relief for hardworking Nebraskans in the coming years.

That sounds nice, Governor. Just don't let us become another Kansas.

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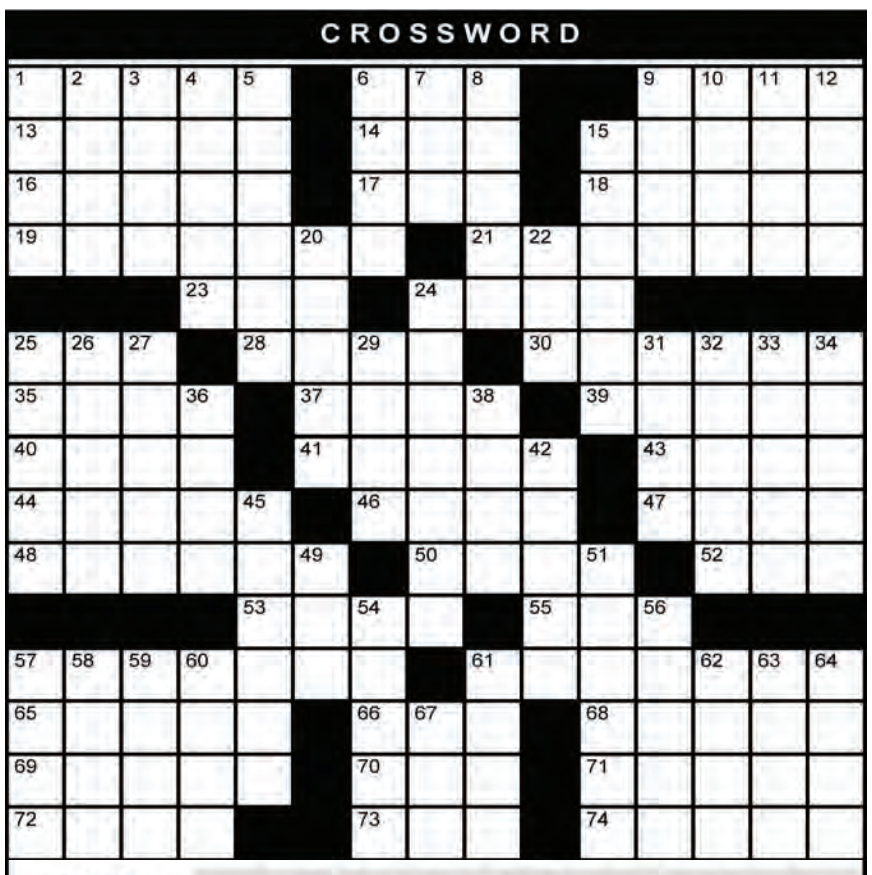
THEME: THE TWENTIES

ACROSS
1. Hidden, also "lost" in French
6. ___ and flow
9. Beehive basket
13. "Private Parts" author
14. ___ v. Wade
15. The Great Muppet
16. _____ peak
17. ___-Wan Kenobi
18. Bedazzle, e.g.
19. *"The Jazz Singer" and such
21. Honeymoon, e.g.
23. Finale
24. RPMs
25. Electric guitar hookup
28. *Art ____
30. Kindle editions
35. Figure of worship
37. Margaret behind sexual revolution
39. *Flashy ocean ride in "The Great Gatsby"
40. *This "biscuit" was renamed a "sandwich" cookie in 1921
41. Supplemented
43. Salty drop
44. Chronic disease in homeopathy
46. Pitcher with handle and spout for pouring
47. Maori war dance
48. _____ weight in boxing
50. Actor Sandler
52. Frostiness
53. To fix, as in cat
55. Bygone bird
57. *Musical name for the 1920s
61. *"Return to Normalcy" President
65. Architectural projection
66. "Wow!"
68. Cowboy sport
69. Female gossip
70. Feeling of anger
71. Corpulent
72. *"The Foresyte ____"
73. Down in the dumps
74. Adam and Mae

DOWN
1. Attention grabber
2. Tallest volcano in Europe
3. Movie roll
4. *Famous Chicago hotel, opened in 1920
5. Uncharitable or cruel
6. Son of Aphrodite
7. *Roaring Twenties hairstyle
8. Neutral shade
9. *"Bib-Label Lithiated Lemon-Lime ____," a.k.a. "7Up"
10. Be aware of a fact
11. Poet Pound
12. Child's dream gift?
15. *Fitzgerald's famous character
20. Swelling
22. Adam's partner
24. *Route 66, e.g.
25. Mushroom cloud maker
26. Journalist Shriver
27. Song of joy
29. Relinquish or abandon
31. The Hippocratic ____
32. *Lindbergh's first solo crossing of Atlantic ___
33. Popular pant style for men
34. Seatbelt
36. *Like Hemingway's generation
38. Owner's acquisition
42. _____ queen
45. Indian spice mix
49. Auto unit
51. The next day
54. Breastplate
56. Sun-dried brick
57. Pleasures
58. Domain
59. Pizzazz
60. Actress ___-Jones
61. Pay attention
62. Bad day for Caesar
63. Home on a limb
64. "What ____ around comes around"
67. *Babe Ruth, star of the "Live-Ball ___"



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Women in small town America aren't living as long as they used to

"Thinking About Health," is part of the Nebraska Press Association's partnership with Rural Health News Service, which will provide Nebraskans with unbiased health-related information, designed to help better understand the health issues facing our communities, state and nation.

Those of us who grew up in small rural communities in the 1950s and 60s, expected to have longer life spans than our parents.

The trends were in our favor. White women born in 1900 could expect to live, on average, just shy of 49 years; white men 46.6 years. Those were our grandparents and our neighbors.

By 1950, life expectancy had climbed to 72 years for white women born that year and 66.5 for white men. By 2000, life expectancy was still increasing, with female babies expected to live to nearly 80 and males to almost 75. America was on the rise, jobs were plentiful, antibiotics kept us from dying of strep throat, and polio vaccine kept us out of the iron lung. We thought things would only keep getting better.

So I was dismayed to read a story in the Washington Post in April that blew holes in those childhood expectations. The Post found "white women have been dying prematurely at higher rates since the turn of this century, passing away in their 30s, 40s, and 50s in a slow-motion crisis driven by decaying health in small town-America."

That "small town America" was where I grew up. I contrasted the Post's findings to the claims made by all those politicians who have told us we have the best healthcare in the world and who point to gobs of money lavished on the National Institutes of Health to find new cures and to hospitals promoting their latest imaging machines. The Post found that since 2000, the health of all white women has declined, but the trend is most pronounced in rural areas. In 2000, for every 100,000 women in their late 40s living in rural areas, 228 died. Today it's 296.

If the U.S. really has the best healthcare, why are women dying in their prime, reversing the gains we've made since I was a kid? After all, mortality rates are a key measure of the health of a nation's population.

Post reporters found, however, that those dismal stats probably have less to do with healthcare - which we like to define today as the latest and greatest technology and insurance coverage albeit with high deductibles - and more to do with what health experts call "the social determinants of health," such basics as food, housing, employment, air quality, and education.

Landmark studies examining the health of British civil servants who all had access to health insurance under Britain's National Health Service have found over the years that those at the lowest job levels had worse health outcomes. Some of those outcomes were related to things like work climate and social influences outside work like stress and job uncertainty.

In its analysis, the Post found that the benefits of health interventions that increase longevity, things like taking drugs to lower cholesterol and the risk of heart disease, are being overwhelmed by increased opioid use, heavy drinking, smoking and obesity. Some researchers have speculated that such destructive health behaviors may stem from people's struggles to find jobs in small communities and the "dashed expectations" hypothesis. White people today are more pessimistic about their opportunities to advance in life than their parents and grandparents were. They are also more pessimistic than their black and Hispanic contemporaries.

A 42-year-old Bakersfield, California, woman who was addicted to painkillers for a decade explained it this way: "This can be a very stifling place. It's culturally barren," she said. There is no place where children can go and see what it's like to be somewhere else, to be someone else. At first, the drugs are an escape from your problems, from this place, and then you're trapped," she told Post reporters.

I recently heard the U.S. Surgeon General Dr. Vivek Murthy talk about his upcoming report on substance use. About 2.2 million people need help, he said, but only about one million are actually getting it. Murthy wants his report to have consequences as far reaching as the 1964 surgeon general's report linking tobacco use to lung cancer. In 1964, Murthy noted, 42 percent of Americans smoked; today fewer than 17 percent do.

The Post story concludes that the lethal habits responsible for the increasing mortality rates is cresting in small cities where the biggest manufacturer has moved overseas or in families broken by divorce or substance abuse or in the mind and body of someone doing poorly and just barely hanging on. The Surgeon General has taken on an enormous task, but his efforts just might help the nation move its life expectancy trends back in the right direction.

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CHI Health awards scholarship to Anthony Baker

After much deliberation by the Scholarship Review Task Force, the announcement has been made that Anthony Baker has been awarded the 2016 CHI Health Scholarship award. Baker is a senior at Falls City High School. He was accepted by Creighton University in Omaha with his field of interest being Physical Therapy. The scholarship is a one-time (non-renewable) award in the amount of $1,500.

CHI Health recognizes the importance of providing scholarship resources to the next generation of health care workers. Scholarship applications were received from 137 Nebraska and Iowa seniors representing 75 public and private high schools. Eligibility criteria included a 3.0 GPA, as well as intent to pursue a post-secondary degree at an accredited institution in a health care field.

CHI Health is a regional health network with a unified mission: nurturing the healing ministry of the Church while creating healthier communities. Headquartered in Omaha, the combined organization consists of 15 hospitals, two stand-alone behavioral health facilities and more than 150 employed physician practice

SEZ-I

'For our children'

In 2014, Pastor John Hogue asked me to share with the Falls City Ministerial Alliance about human trafficking and my plan to have a sale of lovely items made by former victims and promoted by Women at Risk Int'l (WAR Int'l). They suggested the Falls City Library as the best location, and was held there with local residents making it a success!

Today's paper has an ad for a WAR Int'l sale April 28 and April 30, at the library. This organization exposes the victimization of children. Every year worldwide 1.2 million children are sexually exploited from brothels, Internet auctions, and their own homes (U.S. Department of State). It has surpassed drug trafficking and is now the fastest growing organized crime in the world (U.S. Department of Defense).

It is a local U.S. issue as well as a global one. In the USA, 100,000-300,000 children are trafficked annually (WAR Int'l) at an average age of 12.

Nebraska has a response system for reporting all missing children. The federal government has mandated that all states search for missing children under 19 immediately (without a waiting period), as previously.

In over 40 countries (including the U.S.) WAR Int'l extends a hands up policy providing safe houses. Education, vocational skills, medical assistance, and micro loans help former victims achieve respect and careers. God's hope and healing are offered. They encourage small parties, hosted with your friends.

For our Children
Shirley Hackett George

National Infant Immunization Week observed April 16-23

National Infant Immunization Week is April 16-23, 2016 and a great opportunity to remind parents of the importance of infant immunizations. Vaccines have drastically reduced infant death and disability caused by preventable diseases in the United States. Through immunization, we can now protect infants and children from 14 vaccine-preventable diseases before age two.

In the 1950's, nearly every child developed measles, and unfortunately, some even died from this serious disease. Because of the success of vaccines in preventing disease, parents may not have heard of some of today's vaccines or the serious diseases they prevent, it's easy to think of these as diseases of the past. But the truth is they still exist. Children in the United States can—and do—still get some of these diseases. One example of the seriousness of vaccine preventable diseases is an increase in measles cases or outbreaks that were reported in 2014. The United States experienced a record number of measles cases, with 667 cases from 27 states reported to the Centers for Disease Control. Even when diseases are rare in the U.S., they can be brought into the country, putting unvaccinated children at risk. That is why it is important to follow the recommended immunization schedule to protect infants and children by providing immunity early in life, before they are exposed to potentially life-threatening diseases.

Vaccines are among the most successful and cost-effective public health tools available for preventing disease and death. They not only help protect vaccinated individuals, but also help protect entire communities by preventing and reducing the spread of infectious diseases.

If you're concerned about the cost or availability of immunizations, the Southeast District Health Department offers Immunization Clinics to children and adults who are un-insured or under-insured. For more information about vaccines and helpful links or to find out when Southeast District Health Department is offering immunization clinics in your community, visit www.sedhd.org or call 877-777-0424.

Society

Falls City DOES

Falls City Drove #56 met Monday, April 11, at the Elks Lodge for a Salad Social to honor all Past Presidents. Hostess, Ruth Arms, provided mini chicken salad hoagie sandwiches. Members brought salads and desserts to share. Eight Past Presidents were honored. Among those honored were: Marlene McKim, Sheila Kirkendall, Ruth Arms, Nancy Jo McKim, Cathy Gutshall, Zita Ebel, Phyllis Kreutzer, and Mary Wiltse. Prize winners were Sheila, Beverly and Marlene.

The next meeting will be at 7 p.m. Monday, April 25, at the Elks Lodge. Marlene McKim is the Chairman of the refreshment committee with Eli Last and Leecia Hillyard as Hostesses.

Zion Fellowship

Members of the Zion U.C.C. Women's Fellowship met Wed., April 13, at the Church. Dianna Kottich presented the lesson on "Who God Is." Members read a Scripture telling, who and what God is. Discussion followed. Members answered roll call naming the first 15 books of the Bible. The treasurer report was given and bills were presented. Some discussion on changing our tea to Dept. was held.

The next meeting will be May 11, at the home of Pat Scheitel.

JOHNSON O'MALLEY COMMITTEE ELECTION NOTICE

The Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska Johnson O'Malley (JOM) Program will be holding an Election for the positions of Vice Chairperson and Treasurer on Wednesday, May 4, 2016 at 6:00pm at the George Ogden Building located ¼ mile north of Casino White Cloud. Parents and/or grandparents of eligible Indian children are encouraged to attend.

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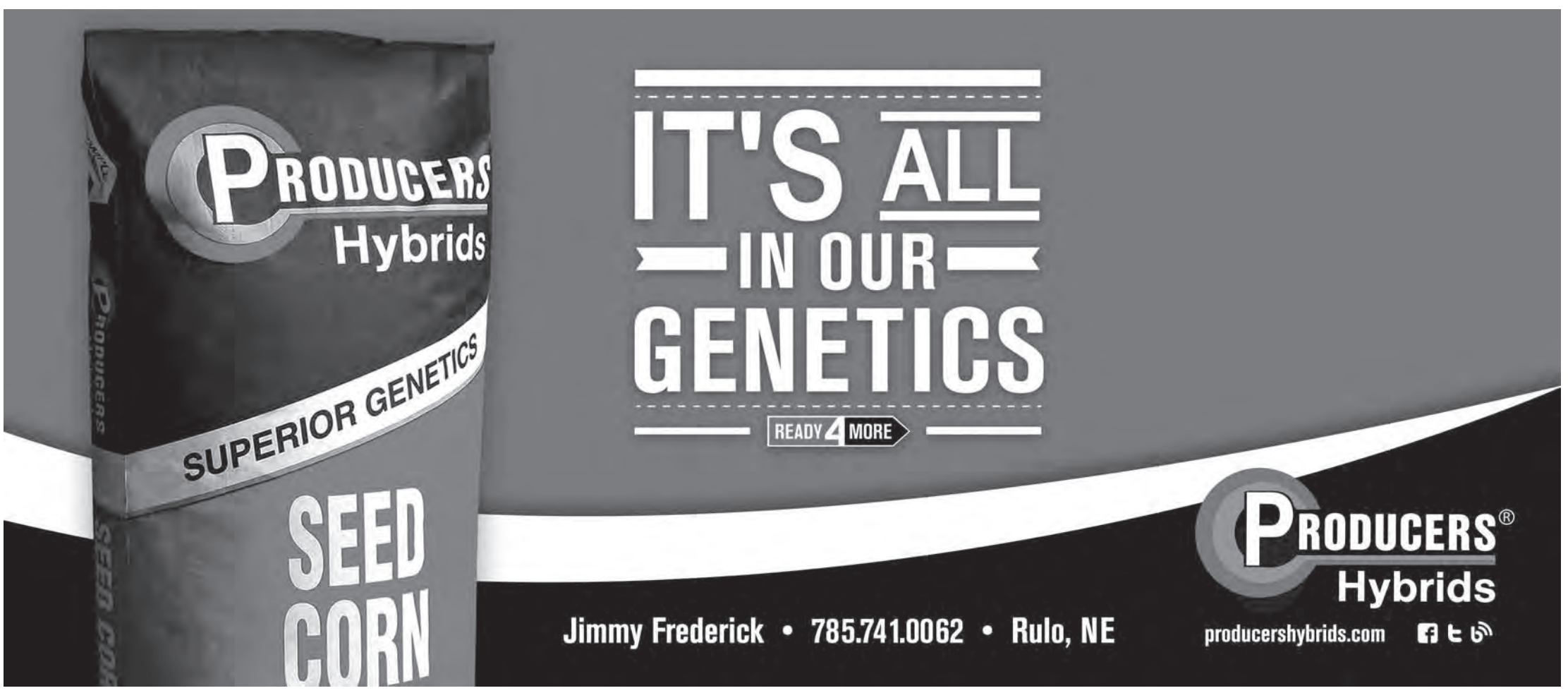

Births

SEEBA - Ryan and Eve Seeba, along with big sister Alivia, proudly introduce the newest addition to their family, Aiden John, who was born Wednesday, March 30, 2016. He weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces and was 20¼ inches long. Maternal grandparents are Henry and Janice de Koning, of Dawson. Paternal grandparents are John and Rita Seeba, of Falls City.

Society

The Women's Circle of First United Presbyterian Church met April 11 at the church. Marlene Schwarting, Vice-president, read the poem "*Knowing God*" to open the meeting. Jennifer James read the minutes of the March 14 meeting and gave the treasurer's report.

Refreshments for the Little Stars' classes were discussed. There will be three age groups on three different Wednesdays. Refreshments and hosts will be needed each day. David von Behren will present a Hymn Sing on Sunday, June 26, as part of the church's 150th anniversary celebration. The women of the church will host a reception after the 2 p.m. hymn sing.

Rev. Carolynn Winters-Hazelton gave the lesson "The Mystery" based on Ephesians 3:1-12. She served a delicious Crockpot Black Forest cake with frozen yogurt.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer. The next meeting will be at 7 p.m. Monday, May 9, at the home of Marlene Schwarting. She will also give the lesson.

A Card Shower is being held for Ruth Graves to celebrate her 90th Birthday on April 26!

Birthday greetings may be sent to Pioneer Plaza
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Students

Matthew Mullins of Falls City, was recently initiated into The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, the nation's oldest and most selective collegiate honor society for all academic disciplines. Mullins was initiated at Wayne State College.

Mullins is among approximately 30,000 students, faculty, professional staff and alumni to be initiated into Phi Kappa Phi each year. Membership is by invitation and requires nomination and approval by a chapter. Only the top 10 percent of seniors, having at least 72 semester hours, are eligible for membership. Graduate students in the top 10 percent of the number of candidates for graduate degrees may also qualify, as do faculty, professional staff and alumni who have achieved scholarly distinction.

Southeast Community College has released the names of students who earned degrees, diplomas or certificates during graduation exercises following the 2016 Winter Quarter.

Ceremonies were held in March for students graduating from the Lincoln and Milford campuses. David Michael Frederick, of Falls City graduated an Associate of Applied Science in Diesel Ag Equipment Service Tech.

Society

Area Bridge

Judy Munn, Della Meyer, Lorna Simon and Mildred Marsh won the prizes when Falls City Area Bridge met April 12. Four tables of bridge were played. The hostesses were Myrt Arnold and Nancy Wittwer.

Nancy Kelley and Judy Slominski will host the next session on April 26.

Humboldt Chapter #234
Order of the Eastern Star

Fifteen members of the Humboldt chapter #234 Order of the Eastern Star met April 7 for their stated meeting at The Meeting Place. Worthy Matron Phyllis Kreutzer presided in the East leading the group in the Pledge of Allegiance. All sang the Opening Ode, "Be Thou My Vision."

A bill was allowed and the secretary read the minutes of the two previous meetings. Correspondence included a thank you from District 1 Grand Supervisor Toby Varvais for courtesies given her during the recent School of Instruction held with Guild Chapter in Pawnee City. Isabel Taylor, a guest that day, also sent her appreciation. An invitation was presented from Colonial Acres in Humboldt to their Volunteers luncheon April 14.

Nebraska Grand Chapter Order of the Eastern Star will be held in Kearney at the Younes Center May 10-12. An invitation was issued to the installation of new grand officers at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, May 12.

A reception for the new Worthy Grand Matron will be held from 2-4 p.m. Saturday, May 21, at Haythorn Figure Four Tradition Event Center north of Lake McConaughy.

From 2-4 p.m. Sunday, June 5, the new Worthy Grand Patron's reception will be held at the Milford United Methodist Church. Proposed resolutions to be voted upon at Grand Chapter were reviewed by Trudy Fankhauser. She is a member of the State Scholarship Committee for Grand Chapter.

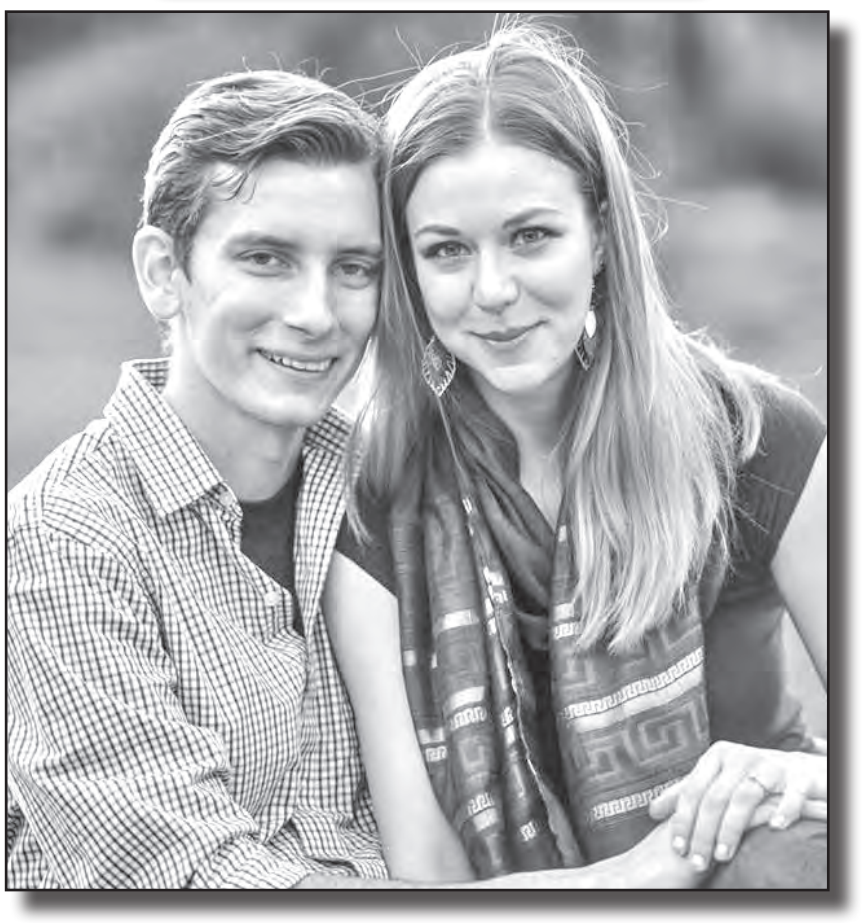
A special thank you letter from Mary Stapp, former Executive Director of the Nebraska Masonic Home for more than 40 years, was read. Mary Vrbka is taking her place and she sent her greetings.

A chapter voted to fund two band scholarships to the All-Masonic Band Clinic in connection with the Shrine Football Bowl in Kearney. The chapter plans to give two $400 scholarships in connection with the Grand Chapter.

Report was given on recent Bingo activity at Colonial Acres. Debbi Dunn has been enlisted to paint the OES light, which will then be presented to the Museum. The husband of treasurer JoAnn Koso passed away; Darrel's funeral was April 8.

The chapter closed with prayer by Chaplain Joan Wheeler and the singing of Closing Ode, "Victory In Jesus." Refreshments were served by Sarah Nims.

Weddings



Blackman, Smith to wed this weekend

Raymond and Susan Blackman of Valparaiso, are pleased to announce the engagement of their son, Zachary Lee, to Bethany Erin Smith, daughter of Dwight and Marilyn Smith, of Douglass, KS.

Zach received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science and Social Sciences from Doane College in Crete, and a Juris Doctorate from the University of Nebraska College of Law. He is currently serving as Deputy Richardson County Attorney in Falls City.

Bethany graduated from Douglass High School in 2004. The bride-to-be received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Theater with an emphasis in Directing and Management from the University of Nebraska at Lincoln. She is currently an International Admissions Evaluator for Graduate Studies at UNL. The couple plans an April 23, 2016 wedding in Lincoln.

Falls City Library Events

Falls City Library and Arts Center, 1400 Stone St., Falls City. Hours: Monday-Thursday, 10 a.m.- 8 p.m. Saturday, 9 a.m.– noon.

Project Response: Helping Families in Crisis. Tuesdays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Provides support and advocacy to victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and other related issues. 1-800-456-5764.

Technology Tuesdays: Come for an hour with Pat, our IT expert, who can show you how to use your iPad, the basics of internet searches, or troubleshoot software problems. 10:30-11:30 a.m. or 6-7 p.m.

Yoga: Saturdays at 10:30 a.m. For all ages, all levels! Bring a mat if you have one.

Film and Lit Club: *The Help*, by Kathryn Stockett. Wednesday, April 20, 5:15 p.m. We read the book. Now let's watch the movie and see how it measures up!

Movie Night: *Mockingjay*, Part II. Tuesday, March 29, 5:15-7:40 p.m. Rated PG-13.

Game Night: Tuesday, April 26, 5:45 p.m.

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Jodi Kreifels will serve the Falls City Area.

Case manager will provide services locally

Jodi Kreifels has joined AseraCare of Beatrice as a Registered Nurse Case Manager. A native of Nebraska City she has worked in hospice since March 1994. Kreifels was instrumental in introducing the hospice concept to rural southeast Nebraka physicians and communities and in a partnership with SE Community College in providing end-of-life nursing education to nursing professionals.

Kreifels has been certified in Hospice and Palliative Care for 18 years.

"In addition to Jodi's primary focus of providing quality care to residents of AseraCare Hospice – she will focus on direct parent care and provide support to families," AseraCare Provider Relations Manager Lori Stanley said.

The AseraCare of Beatrice office serves Nemaha, Richardson, Johnson, Pawnee, Gage, Jefferson and Saline counties. The services offered are: RN available 24/7, hospice aides, social worker, spiritual guidance, bereavement counseling, volunteers, respite, inpatient and continuous care, and medical directors to oversee care. For more information, call 1-877-858-5319 or visit www.aseracare.com.

With 66 locations in 19 states and serving more than 16,000 patients, AseraCare is one of the largest providers of hospice and palliative medicine services in the country.

TODAY IN HISTORY

On this day in 1971, Charles Manson was sentenced to death for conspiring to commit the "Helter Skelter" Tate/LaBianca murders in Los Angeles. His sentence was later commuted to life in prison. Now 81, he is serving his sentence at Corcoran State Prison.

Students

Emily Rohrer, a freshman at University of Nebraska at Kearney, was recently inducted into the Phi Eta Sigma National Honor Society. Selection is based upon maintaining at least a 3.5-4.0 GPA for freshman who are earning a bachelor's degree and rank in the upper 20 percent of their class. Phi Eta Sigma rewards academic excellence as well as involvement in campus and community service. Emily is a member of UNK Indoor and Outdoor Track team and also is involved in the Friends Mentoring Program. Emily is the daughter of Matt Rohrer, of Salem, and Amy Barnett, of Lincoln. Grandparents are Ray and Elizabeth Majerus, of Rulo.

Society

Glenda Torkelson, left, of the Alpha Kappa chapter of Delta Gamma, gives a "Teacher Appreciation" gift to Myka Speer, a former student of Torkelson's kindergarten class.

Delta Kappa Gamma

Alpha Kappa Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International met at St. Thomas Episcopal Church Parish Hall in Falls City. Brunch was served by hostesses Mary Parrish, Becki Sherrow, and Anne Cash.

President Mary Parrish conducted the business meeting, with Inspiration given by Carol Bishop. Her message was from the writing of Father Mark Goldasich who illustrated how "Mercy" is more powerful than "Punishment."

Sue McAllaster reported on the "Teacher Appreciation" project. It was believed to be a good project and will be repeated next year. The following officers will be installed at the May 7, meeting: President, Lucille Pennel, 1st Vice President, Karen Benson, 2nd Vice President, Barbara Vitt, Secretary, Becki Sherrow, Nominating Committee, Betty Gleason, Ardis Huston, and Carol Bishop.

Mary Parrish presented the program about "Expeditionary Learning" and discussed character-education and internal control as opposed to extrinsic behavior such as exhibited by performance on tests of basic skills. This vision of student achievement has three dimensions: Mastery of Academic Skills and Content, High Quality Work and Character.

FCMS Students of the Month of March, from left: Brianna Pfohl, eighth grade; Brock Hogue, seventh; and Brylee Gilkerson, sixth.

FC Middle School Students of the Month of March

The students of the month for March at Falls City Middle School were: Brianna Pfohl, eighth grade, Brock Hogue, seventh, and Brylee Gilkerson, sixth. Each student received a T-shirt, courtesy of Stripes & Sigsn, printed with the Student of the Month logo. The Elks Club will sponsor a complimentary meal during Youth Week for all of this year's student of the month recipients and their parents.

To receive student of the month, students must first be nominated by one of their teachers. The criteria for nomination this year once again focuses on the 212-degree message. The teachers are continuously looking for the students that give the extra degree. This is a student that demonstrates extra effort by being an exemplary student. Someone who internalizes the truth that is "Not enough to be good when you have the ability to be BETTER!" Each month the teachers choose an individual from each grade that were identified as a 212-degree student and met the criteria. This includes: turning work in on time, exemplary behavior everywhere, goes out of their way to help peers, good grades and/or improvement; always showing effort, active and/or involved in the community, leadership accomplishments: academic, athletic, or in the community, school attendance, positive attitude toward others, honest and trustworthy, cooperative and dependable, helpful to teachers, positive attitude toward school, and considerate of other's feelings.

Teachers vote by private balloting. Students who don't win are given honorable mention and are eligible in future months.

Brylee is the daughter of Tedd and Becky Gilkerson. She is described as a very conscientious student who enjoys helping others and works hard to achieve success. She is a regular on the honor roll and ABBIT lists, while also participating in chorus and band. Outside of school, Brylee is active in church activities at St. Paul Lutheran Church, ELCA, and attends church camp. She also participates in basketball league, volleyball camps, 4-H and Falls City Recreation softball.

Brock is the son of Don and Terri Hogue. He does a great job pushing himself in the classroom, and displays the leadership attributes that many of us look for in our students. He has received recognition for honor roll and ABBIT. Brock participates in band, chorus, show choir, football, basketball, track, quiz bowl and FCA.

Outside of school, Brock is a member of River of Hope Fellowship Church, and participates in Next Level training and basketball camps throughout the summer.

Brianna is the daughter of Jeff and Sara Pfohl. She is described as a quiet leader who continually works hard to gain new knowledge and is considerate of others. Brianna is a regular on the honor roll and ABBIT lists each quarter. She is also a member of band and chorus. During the summers, Brianna is active playing Falls City Recreation softball.

The students who received honorable mention for March include: Kyle Eickhoff, Carson Simon, Abigail Boatright, Jocelyn O'Grady, Madilyn Scholl, Rayce Farmer, Gracie Walle, Josie Riggs, Emma Clark, Courtney Rumbaugh, Lukas Butler, Will Vitosh, Garriden Brandt, Paige McCartney, Colton Davis, Abby Harms, Leighton Vice, Helen Walker, Dillon Ebel, Hannah Feighner, Faith Zimmerman, Cole Kirkendall, Tyler Uhri, Madison Martin, Brynna Bruxellas, Cydney Forsyth, Hunter Arnold, Dillon Ebel, and Mazey McCullough.

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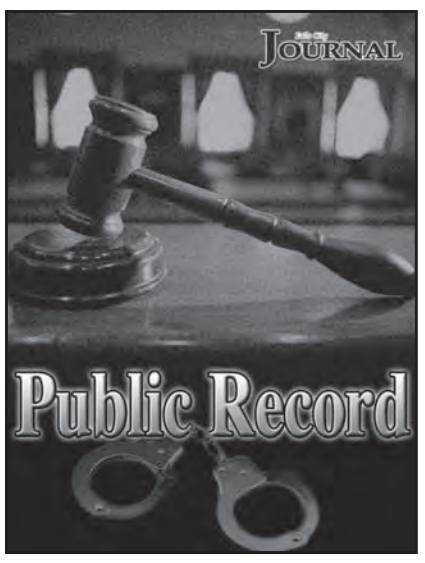


DISTRICT COURT

-Erynn D. Ramer, of Falls City, has filed for dissolution of her marriage to Joshua M. Ramer, of Falls City.

CIVIL COURT

-Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services, and against Derek Roberts, of Falls City, in the amount of $283.69, plus prejudgment interest of $10.71, attorney fees of $33.36, and Court costs of $51.96. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.51 percent.

-Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services, and against Brandon Rose, of Falls City, in the amount of $5,439.04, plus Court costs of $64.50. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.51 percent.

-Judgment entered in favor of Collection Associates, and against Justin N. Jamison, of Humboldt, in the amount of $5,980.30, plus Court costs of $94.92. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.112 percent.

COUNTY COURT

Ryan Aufenkamp, 29, of Brownville, DUI, first offense, amended to first offense reckless driving; pled guilty to amended charge. Fined $500, plus Court costs of $49 and lab costs of $141; placed on probation for eight months and pay $220 in probation fees; must complete outpatient treatment program for chemical dependency at his own expense.

-Darren G. Tracy, 45, of Falls City, count one, no valid registration; count two, no operator's license; count three, failure to wear seat belt; count four, failure to use child passenger restraint; pled guilty to all charges. Fined $150, plus Court costs of $48.

-Darren G. Tracy, 45, of Falls City, possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine), a Class IV Felony; preliminary hearing set for April 27.

-Darren G. Tracy, 45, of Falls City, criminal mischief ($500-$1,500); trial scheduled for May 11.

-Ryan C. Bennett, 30, of Verdon, theft of utility services; pled not guilty. Pretrial hearing set for May 2.

-Robert S. Hillard, 44, of Falls City, count one, maintaining a nuisance; count two, unregistered, wrecked or junked vehicles; pled not guilty. Trial set for May 4.

-Nathan P. Nicholson, 31, of Falls City, driving under suspension; pled guilty. Sentencing set for May 11.

-Brittanie J. Ebeling, 21, of Falls City, assault in the third degree; pled not guilty. Pretrial hearing set for May 2.

-Clarence L. Scott, 79, of Falls City, cruelly mistreat an animal, first offense; pled not guilty. Pretrial hearing set for May 2.

-Mark W. Gaede, 30, of Falls City, count one, disturbing the peace; count two, criminal mischief. Pled guilty to both counts; fined $175, plus Court costs of $49.

-Jack W. Curtis, 61, of Falls City, count one, speeding (6-10); count two, failure to use seat belt. Count one dismissed with prejudice, pled guilty to count two. Fined $25, plus Court costs of $49.

-Robert A. Johnson, 26, of Falls City, deliver, distribute or manufacture a controlled substance (marijuana), a Class IIA Felony. Preliminary hearing set for May 2.

-Misty Wass, 25, of Humboldt, disobey stop light; trial held, found guilty. Fined $75, plus Court costs of $48.

COUNTY COURT WAIVERS
(Court costs not included)

Tickets written by FCPD Officer Millie King

-Tammy S. McFeeters, animal running at large, $25; unlicensed animal, $25.

Tickets written by RC Sheriff's Deputy Jonathan Kirkendall

-Zachery J. Worthington, speeding (11-15), $75.

Tickets written by State Patrolman William Rowell

-Stephen L. Phillips, violate stop or yield sign, $75.

Tickets written by RC Sheriff's Deputy Michael Dougherty

-Pandora R. Worthey, dog running at large, $25.

-Jeffrey N. Kaylor, speeding (11-15), $75.

Tickets written by RC Sheriff's Deputy Lyle McMann

-Corey M. Holthus, speeding (6-10), $25.

-Sarah C. Jordan, speeding (11-15), $75.

-John Bauman, disobey stop lights, $75.

-Vladimir V. Zagumennyy, speeding (11-15), $75.

-Gavril Stavile, speeding (6-10), $25.

-Roy E. Oliver, speeding (11-15), $75.

-Lynn F. Binder, speeding (16-20), $125.

Tickets written by State Patrolman Eric Jones

-Edward F. Matyak, speeding (11-15), $75.

Tickets written by RC Sheriff's Deputy Lew Barker

-Christie L. Colgrove, no valid registration, $25.

Tickets written by State Patrolman C.A. Zost

-Russell W. Cowart, speeding (11-15), $75.

-Jerry L. Feek, speeding (6-10), $25.

-Pedro J. Ramos Jr., speeding (11-15), $75.

-Adam L. Stone, speeding (11-15), $75.

-Javier J. Hinojosa Jr., speeding (11-15), $75.

-Douglas D. Hawkes, speeding (6-10), $25.

-Meagan R. Ivey, speeding (16-20), $125.

-Travis R. Kirkendall, failure to use turn signal, $25; failure to wear seat belt, $25.

-Bradley K. Olberding, violate stop or yield sign, $75; speeding, $25.

-Paul S. Cabler Jr., speeding (6-10), $25.

-Olivia Terzo, speeding (11-15), $75.

-Melissa A. Coonce, speeding (6-10), $25.

-Tedd A. Gilkerson, speeding (6-10), $25.

-Jason M. Heitman, speeding (6-10), $25.

-Joshua E. Nincehelser, speeding (11-15), $75; excess windshield or window tint, $25.

Tickets written by State Patrolman Kaleb Bruggeman

-Matthew K. Thomas, speeding (11-15), $75.

Tickets written by FCPD Officer Jeremy Goldsberry

Newton J. Simpson, maintaining a nuisance, $25.

Tickets written by State Patrolman Kent Kavan

-Jillian J. Pearce, speeding (16-20), $125.

-James W. Hoagland, speeding (11-15), $75.

-Ryan C. Bennett, license vehicle without liability insurance, $100; no valid registration, $25.

-Benjamin Chavez, speeding (11-15), $75.

Tickets written by State Patrolman Timothy Baumann

-Timothy S. Pressley, speeding (11-15), $75.

Tickets written by FCPD Officer Zach Ractliffe

-Jonathan McAndrew, speeding (11-15), $200.

-Stacy A. Coupe, stop sign violation, $75.

-Jennifer M. Wendtlandt, violate stop or yield sign, $25; no registration in vehicle, $25.

-Amy L.A. Mutchler, speeding (6-10), $25.

-Monty Witt, speeding (11-15), $75.

-Nancy C. Elms, speeding (11-15), $75.

Tickets written by FCPD Officer Charles DiGiacomo

-Christopher John Winters, following too closely, $50.

Tickets written by RC Sheriff's Deputy Clinton Stonebarger

-Tanna L. Cornely, speeding (11-15), $75; no operator's license, $75.

-Lisa E. Simonson, speeding (6-10), $25.

-Ryan L. Boatwright, speeding (6-10), $25.

Tickets written by RC Sheriff's Deputy Andrew Wood

-Carol A. Gibbon, speeding (21-35), $200.

-Daniel J. Hawkes IV, speeding (11-15), $75.

Tickets written by N/A

-James D. Avery, unlawful entry without park permit, $25.

ACCIDENTS

-Friday afternoon, April 8, in the west alley in the 1700 block of Abbott St. Driver: Derick M. Kuker, 30, of Shubert. Estimated damage when Kuker, traveling southbound in his 2002 Chevy Silverado pickup, struck a gas meter owned by the City of Falls City: $500 to gas meter. The accident was investigated by FC Police Officer Millie King; no injuries were reported nor citations issued.

-An unidentified witness reported possible damage to a City of Falls City gas meter located in the 800 block of Pacific Street Sunday night, April 10. An estimated $500 damage was sustained and the case remains under investigation.

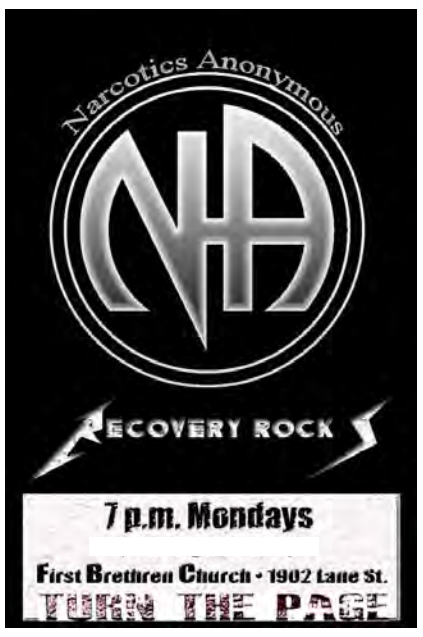
Stroll ends at Courthouse for 20-year-old Falls City man

A 20-year-old Falls City man walking along Harlan Street in the 1700 block Friday night was stopped on a warrant and placed in Richardson County Jail after drugs were allegedly found in a backpack he was carrying.

Blake M. Westcott, of Falls City, was stopped at about 10 p.m. Friday and placed in custody on an outstanding warrant. He was carrying a back pack that was locked with a paddle lock, but police found the key on his person. Upon opening the bag, police say they found two bags of methamphetamine and several benzodiazepine pills, as well as a scale, a hypodermic needle and a broken glass pipe.

Westcott was placed in Richardson County Jail, faces felony possession charges and Judge Curtis L. Maschman set his bail at $4,500.

Westcott missed a Court appearance Monday, April 11. Pretrial hearings were scheduled on a pair of pending misdemeanors: reckless driving and theft by receiving stolen property.



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Hiawatha Community Hospital

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Bauman, Pentacost, Leafty, Heckenlively lead FC to runner-up finish at Rock Port

BLUE JAY RELAYS
April 11
BOYS' TEAM STANDINGS

1) North Andrew 129
2) Falls City 114
3) Stanberry 87
4) Worth County 66
5) Rock Port 65

Boys Shot Put - *1. Ben Bauman, 46-09.00; also, 16. Dylan Sutton, 30-03.00.*

Discus Throw - *1. Ben Bauman, 127-08;* also, *Carter Hunzeker, 79-05.50.*

High Jump - 1. Powelson, North Andrew, 6-01.00; also, *2. Trenton Pentacost, 6-00.00; 8. Emmet Kirkendall, 5-06.00.*

Long Jump - *1. Zayne Heckenlively, 19-10.00; also, 7. Jeremy Robinson, 16-09.50.*

Triple Jump - *1. Jessi Dan, 38-04.50.*

Pole Vault - 1. McAdams, East Atchison, 11-06.00; also, *5. Trenton Pentacost, 10-00.00.*

3200 Relay - 1. North Andrew, 9:13.59; also, *6. Falls City, 10:45.75.*

110 Hurdles - 1. Ross, Worth County, 15.72; also, *Rudy Vrtiska, 21.80.*

100 Dash - 1. Officer, North Andrew, 11.05; also, *4. Zayne Heckenlively, 11.66.*

200 Dash - 1. Officer, North Andrew, 23.19; also, *5. Trenton Pentacost, 24.69.*

800 Relay - 1. North Andrew, 1:35.69; also, *8. Falls City, 1:51.17.*

1600 Run - *1. Kyle Leafty, 4:59.75; also, 7. Sheldon Thompson, 5:36.46.*

400 Relay - 1. North Andrew, 45.87; also, *3. Falls City, 48.24.*

400 Dash - 1. Dylan, North Andrew, 52.81; also, *17, Austin Eads, 1:08.42.*

300 Hurdles - 1. Ross, Worth County, 41.39; also, *3. Rudy Vrtiska, 43.04; 6. Jeremy Robinson, 45.84.*

800 Run - 1. Luke, Stanberry, 2:11.78; also, *2. Kyle Leafty, 2:14.67.*

3200 Run - 1. Jones, 11:25.76; also, 3. Anthony Baker, 11:46.02.

1600 Relay - 1. Stanberry, 3:44.00; also, *Falls City, 4. 3:49.74.*

GIRLS' TEAM STANDINGS

1) Mound City 189
2) Rock Pork 101
3) Stanberry 82
4) PlatteValley 68
5) Worth County 50.50
6) Falls City 49

INDIVIDUAL GIRLS

Shot Put - 1. Baucom, Rock Port, 37-05.00; also, 5. Megan Eickhoff, 28-06.00; 6. Elle Findlay, 27-06.00.

Discus - 1. Baucom, Rock Port, 96-06; also, 7. Bailey Gilkerson, 76-06.

Triple Jump - 1. Freemyer, 33-05.75; also, *10. Rylee Scholl, 28-08.25; 12. Jessica Burns, 27-11.00.*

High Jump - 1. Phillips, Mound City, 5-00.00; also, *12. Jordan Curtis, 4-00.00.*

Long Jump - 1. Wedlock, Mound City, 15-06; also, *16. Rylee Scholl, 12-04.50.*

Pole Vault - 1. Phillips, Mound City, 8-06.00; also, *8. Morgan Roberts, 6-00.00.*

3200 Relay - 1. Mound City, 10:35.17; also, *6. Falls City, 11:02.66.*

100 Dash - 1. Poppa, Albany, 13.09; also, *7. Jordan Curtis, 13.73.*

200 Dash - 1. Messer, Mound City, 27.79; also, *5. Alyssa Frederick, 29.58.*

800 Relay - 1. Mound City, 1:57.47; also, *5. Falls City, 2:03.35.*

1600 Run - 1. Eaton, Mound City, 5:54.36; also, *4. Lainey Larsen, 6:01.81.*

400 Relay - 1. Mound City, 52.70; also, *5. Falls City, 56.48.*

400 Dash - 1. Nauman, Mound City, 1:04.42; *also, 13. Kirsten Carter, 1:16.52.*

300 Hurdles - 1. Wedlock, Mound City, 48.08; also, *7. Ellicyn Gilkerson, 55.81.*

800 Run - 1. Eaton, Mound City, 2:37.22; *also, Brooklyn Romine, 2;47.58.*

3200 Run - 1. Eaton, Mound City, 13:01.47; also, *4. Lainey Larsen, 13:30.49; 6. Mary Patnode, 14:32.39.*

1600 Relay - 1. Mound City, 4:24.89; also, *7. Falls City, 5:17.39.*

FALLS CITY HIGH SCHOOL 2016 BOYS TRACK TEAM: Front row, from left: Seniors - Anthony Baker, Jeremy Robinson, Trenton Pentecost; second row: Juniors - Ben Bauman, Zayne Heckenlively, Jessi Dean, Kyle Leafty, Carter Hunzeker, Jace Bents, Austin Cochran, Shane Cochran, Koner Hogue; third row: Sophomores - Emmett Kirkendall, Dylan Sutton, Rudy Vrtiska, Austin Eads, Zach Petry; fourth row: Freshmen - Sheldon Thompson, Jonathan Jones, Keegan Hunzeker, Cade Schawang, Dakota Fisher, Alex Rathje, Stephen Epperson, Dylan Frederick

FALLS CITY HIGH SCHOOL 2016 GIRLS TRACK TEAM: Front row, from left: Seniors -Maddie Buckminster, Lauren Bierman, Josie Lunsford, Lainey Larsen; second row: Juniors - Morgan Roberts, Kirsten Carter, Mary Patnode, Cheyenne Dovel, Josie Nolte, Alyssa Frederick, Molly Brown, Bailey Gilkerson, Megan Eickhoff; third row: Sophomores - Tavia Bruxellas, Leslie Vitosh, Gabby Frazier, Regan Deckinger, Elle Findaly, Rylee Scholl, Meredith Poppe, Brooklyn Romine; fourth row: Freshmen - Jordyn Curtis, Erin Brewer - student manager, Ellicyn Gilkerson, Jessica Burns.

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at Springfield, April 14
BOYS' TEAM STANDINGS

1) Beatrice 130.5
2) Syracuse 127
3) Norris 113
4) Falls City 32
5) Crete 29.5

INDIVIDUAL BOYS

100-meter dash – 1. Brody Zabel, Norris, 11.26; also, *8. Zayne Heckenlively, 12.16.*

110-meter hurdles – 1. DeGolyer, Syracuse, 15.32; also, *4. Rudy Vrtiska, 17.59; 7. Koner Hogue, 18.59.*

1600 – 1. Lindstrom, Norris, 4:55.00; also, *3. Kyle Leafy, 5:00.55; 16. Sheldon Thompson, 5:27.61; 26. Zach Petry, 6:26.68.*

300-meter hurdles – 1. Leners, Beatrice, 40.64; also, *4. Rudy Vrtiska, 42.96; 11. Jeremy Robinson, 46.54.*

3200 – 1. NC, 10:36.21; also, *8. Anthony Baker, 12:00.78.*

3200-meter relay – 1. Norris, 8:47.09; also, *8. FC (Alex Rathje, Sheldon Thompson, Zach Petry and Dakota Fisher), 10:23.04.*

400 relay – 1. NC, 52.15; also, *5. FC (Koner Hogue, Jeremy Robinson, Jessi Dean and Zayne Heckenlively), 48.21.*

Discus – 1. Jurgens, Beatrice, 177-08; also, *4. Ben Bauman, 125-06; 22, Carter Hunzeker, 77-02; 23. Keegan Hunzeker, 62-04.*

Shot put – 1. Jurgens, Beatrice, 59-07.50; also, *Ben Bauman, 47-08.50; 21. Dulan Sutton, 28-00.00.*

High jump – 1. Heitkamp, Syracuse, 6-02.00; also, *8. Trenton Pentacost, J5-06.00; Emmett Kirkendall, J5-06.00.*

Long jump –1. Heitkamp, Syracuse, 21-01.50; also, *13. Jessi Dean, 17-02.75; 17. Jeremy Robinson, J16-10.00.*

Triple jump – 1. Heitkamp, Syracuse, 42-05.00; also, *6. Jessi Dean, 38-00.00.*

Pole vault – 1. Borch, Fairbury, 13-04.00;0; also, *8. Trenton Pentacost, 10.00.00.*

400 – 1. Leners, Beatrice, 52.61; also, *5. Rudy Vrtiska, 55.23; 19. Alex Rathje, 1:03.48; 22. Austin Eads, 1:08.79.*

800 – 1. Harsin, Syracuse, 2:04.83; also, *6. Kyle Leafty, 2:12.72; 16. Alex Rathje, 2:27.54; 24. Dakota Fisher, 2:52.73.*

200 – 1. Broad, Beatrice, 23:45; also, *1. Trenton Pentacost, 24.57.*

GIRLS' TEAM STANDINGS

1) Crete 93
2) Syracuse 85.5
3) Auburn 84
4) Beatrice 82.5
5) Nebraska City 60
Also:
9) Falls City 15

INDIVIDUAL GIRLS

400 – 1. Allen, Crete, 1:04.96; also, *16. Kirsten Carter, 1:17.23.*

600 - 1. Sears, Crete, 5:38.06; also, *4. Lainey Larsen, 6:08.37.*

800 - 1. Coleman, Lincoln Christian, 2:29.23; also, *5. Meredith Poppe, 2:46.84; 6. Lauren Bierman, 2:48.40; 8. Cheyenne Dovel, 2:49.54.*

300-meter hurdles – 1. Meinke, Crete, 50.82; *6. Ellicyn Gilkerson, 54.29; 17. Morgan Roberts, 1:06.64.*

3200-meter-relay – 1. Lincoln Christian, 10.:23.35; also, *5. Lainey Larsen, Cheyenne Dovel, Meredith Poppe and Brooklyn Romine, 11:07.67.*

3200 – 1. Murphy, Crete, 12:26.73; also, *6. Lainey Larsen, 13:20.04; 12. Mary Patnode, 16:00.00*

400 relay – 1. NC, 52.51; also, *5. FC (Molly Brown, Alyssa Frederick, Jessica Burns and Ellicyn Gilkerson), 55.80.*

Discus – 1. Eden, Fairbury, 117-03; also, *19. Bailey Gilkerson, 75-01; 20. Megan Eickhoff, 75-08.*

Shot Put – 1. Clark, Syracuse, 35-11.00; also, *Megan Eickhoff, 29-06.50; 14. Elle Findlay, 28-07.00; 21. Bailey Gilkerson, 26-04.00.*

High Jump – 1. Petersen, Auburn, 5-00.00; also, *5. Jordan Curtis, J4-06.00.*

Long Jump – 1. Freiling, NC, 16-06.25; also, *19. Rylee Scholl, 13-01.25; 20. Regan Deckinger, 13-01.00; 21. Jessica Burns, 12-06.75.*

Triple Jump – 1. Zarbnicky, Beatrice, 34-02.00; also, *13. Jessica Burns, 28-02.00; 15. Rylee Scholl, 27-11.00; 18. Tavia Bruxellas, 26-01.75.*

1600 relay – 1. Crete, 4:25.16; also, *7. FC (Kirsten Carter, Rylee Scholl, Tavia Bruxellas and Cheyenne Dovel), 5:14.86.*

NSAA/NCPA Academic All-State

The Nebraska School Activities Association recently announce the student recipients of the Winter 2015-16 Nebraska Chiropractic Physicians Association Academic All-State Awards.

Since 2006 this NSAA Program has recognized students who meet the criteria for nomination by their school in the season of their activity.

The following leadership and scholarship guidelines shall apply:

1. A nominated student must be a varsity player or organizational leader who has played a significant role on the team or in the organizational activity during the seasons for which nominations are accepted.

2. A nominated student must have a minimum cumulative Grade Point Average, in all curricular subjects, of 93% or 3.7 on a 4.0-point scale or the equivalent.

3. NSAA high schools or their cooperative sponsorship may nominate a maximum of two students per NSAA activity program.

Each year the NSAA and the NCPA recognize students during Fall, Winter and Spring deasons who are nominated by their schools for their individual academic excellence, leadership and significant contributions in their NSAA activity.

Falls City High

Boys Basketball — Anthony Baker, Rudy Vrtiska.

Girls Basketball — Bailey Armbruster, Molly Brown.

Wrestling — Carter Hunzeker, Dylan Sutton.

Falls City Sacred Heart

Boys Basketball — Emerson Keithley, Noah Keller.

Girls Basketball — Maggie Goltz, Jade Hill.

Speech — Libby Dunn, Nate Finck.

Humboldt-TR-S

Boys Basketball — Eli Herr, Nolan Schafer.

Girls Basketball — Jackalyn Fink, Jena Fink.

Speech — Emily Gonnella, Kaleb Knudson.

Wrestling — Nicholas Novak, Austin Tackett.

Falter Museum

(Continued from Page 1)

jazz trumpet player, George " Pee Wee" Erwin!

To pay tribute to Pee Wee and to celebrate his 103rd birthday, the museum is hosting a celebration from 5-10 p.m. Sunday, May 29, at the Harkendorff Event Center, 3423 Barada St. A social hour from 5-6 p.m. will be followed by a buffet dinner and live music provided by Mike Brownson, another native Falls City trumpet player.

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FALLS CITY TRAVELERS' 18-AND-UNDER TEAM (BACK ROW, L-R) Coach Brian Poppe, Erin Brewer, Tayten O'Brien, Bailey Armbruster, Bailey Gilkerson, Meredith Poppe, Josie Lundsford, Coach Matt Bletscher. (FRONT ROW, L-R) Regan Deckinger, Sophie Gilsdorf, Morgan Bletscher, Molly Brown, Emma Gerdes. **(LEFT) BAILEY ARMBRUSTER** makes an incredible play at third for the out during the last game against the Maniacs.

Falls City Travelers off to a spectacular start

By Lori Gottula

The Falls City Travelers' 18-and-under team started its season with a bang this weekend, finishing second in the Spring Spectacular class B tournament in Kansas City, MO. The girls were sponsored this weekend by Al Lipka and Brandy Coulter (sister to coach Matt Bletscher) of Evans Lipka & Associates, Lincoln.

The girls played four games in pool play on Saturday and ended the day 4-0, including two come-from-behind victories. Pitchers Tayten O'Brien and Bailey Armbruster shared duties with 2 1/2 games and 1 1/2 games respectively. First baseman/third baseman Josie Lunsford had the only home run of the day, pounding out her homer in the second game of the tourney against the Pleasant Hill Venom softball club.

On Sunday, the Travelers drew a bye in the first round, but saw action at eleven a.m. when they faced off again against the Venom team. Tayten O'Brien took on the pitching duties, and the Travelers won that game in a hard-fought 5 to 4 contest, advancing to the championship game against the Kansas City Maniacs.

In the second inning of the championship game, the score was tied at twos when pitcher Tayten O'Brien stepped off the mound into a hole of sorts, fired the pitch, and buckled at the knee. The batter swung, and plopped a slow grounder back to Tayten, who fielded it on her knees, fired the ball to first, then collapsed in the dirt with a knee injury.

The Travelers then fought a hard contest against the Maniacs with pitchers Bailey Armbruster and Meredith Poppe, but the girls' focus was on their teammate, so the Maniacs drilled in five runs to take the lead 7 to 2. The Travelers never gave up, though. They battled back in the final inning, adding two runs and loading the bases before a final pop-up to shortstop ended the game. The Travelers received the runner-up trophy, and the girls earned individual trophies in their first tourney of the year.

Primary Election and early voting information

Early Voting is available for the May 10, 2016, Statewide Primary Election at the office of the Richardson County Clerk, Room 203, Courthouse, in Falls City.

Anyone who is unable to go to their regular polling place for any reason can request an "Early Voting Ballot".

These ballots can be mailed to voters upon the receipt of an application or a written request signed by the voter or their agent and delivered to the Office of the County Clerk. "Early Voting Ballots" can also be picked up in person and voted at the Office of the County Clerk through May 9, 2016 during regular business hours. Application forms for "Early Voting Ballots" are available on the Richardson County website www.co.richardson.ne.us home page.

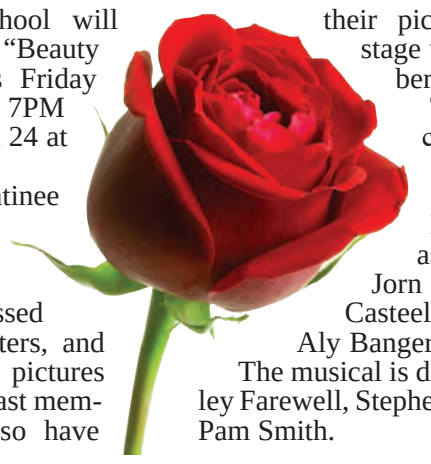
The deadline for those persons who would like to vote in the May 10, 2016, Primary Election and who have not previously registered to vote in Richardson County or would like to change their party affiliation is Monday, May 2. Voter registration is done at the Office of the County Clerk during regular business hours, and on Monday, May 2, the office will remain open until 6:00 p.m. Registrations will also be accepted at the Humboldt City Clerk's Office during regular business hours.

Persons wanting to vote in the election are urged to check their voter registration status to make certain they are registered at the correct address and affiliated with the political party for which they are going to cast their ballot. Voters may check their registration at https://www.votercheck.necvr.ne.gov or by contacting the Richardson County Clerk's Office at 402-245-2911.

Voter registration is taken at the Office of the Richardson County Clerk during regular business hours until Monday, May 2 at 6:00 p.m. Voters can also register at http://ne.gov/go/NEreg2vote. The deadline for any voter registration form other than in person is Friday, April 22.

Address changes and name changes due to marriage are encouraged to be changed before May 2, however, these changes can be made at the polls on Election Day by voting a "Provisional Ballot". For more information on voter registration and "Early Voting" you may contact the Richardson County Clerk's Office at 402-245-2911.

A Tale as old as time, SH presents Beauty and the Beast



Sacred Heart School will present the musical "Beauty and the Beast" this Friday night, April 22 at 7PM and on Sunday, April 24 at 2PM and 7PM.

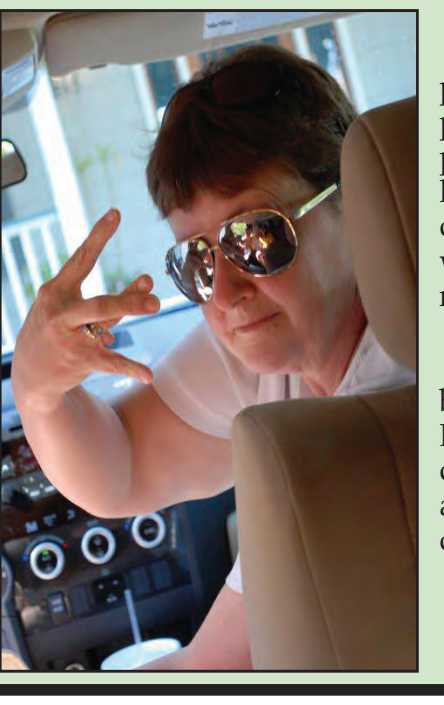
The Sunday matinee will be a special Children's Performance. Children are invited to come dressed as storybook characters, and will have coloring pictures autographed by the cast members. They can also have their picture taken on stage with cast members.

The cast includes Reggie Johansen as the Beast, Nora Barker as Belle, Bryant Jorn as Gaston, Del Casteel as Lefou, and Aly Bangert as Mrs. Potts.

The musical is directed by Wesley Farewell, Stephenie Bippes, and Pam Smith.

Falls City Journal
READER PHOTO OF THE WEEK

This week our photo was submitted by Harold Alexander.
The topic was 'Gettin Down with your bad self'



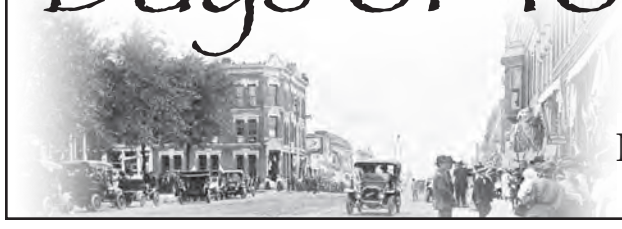
Readers can enter a new photo every week, one photo per week with the photographers name and location. No logo's or copyrighted work. Each week we will give you a new topic.

Submit photos to: **journalpotw@gmail.com** before Noon on Monday. Each weeks winner can come by the Journal office at 1810 Harlan St., to receive their prize!

Next week...

Lilacs

Days of Yore...



By: Nikki McKim

50 Years Ago
(April 19 - 25, 1966)

Larry Godwin, social studies instructor at Falls City High School, received an "Experienced Teacher Fellowship" Award. Out of 100 applicants, only 15 were selected.

Famed surgeon Dr. Michael DeBakey inserted an artificial heart for the first time into a human being and worked valiantly with it to try to save the patient, who was alive but feared to have suffered brain damage.

Carol (Hall) Youssefi was one of 32 University of Nebraska scholars honored on their election to Phi Beta Kappa. Mrs. Youssefi passed away in 2008.

Fire destroyed the Auburn Hinky-Dinky grocery store.

Story is told in six-word ad, "For sale, wedding dress. Wanted, playpen."

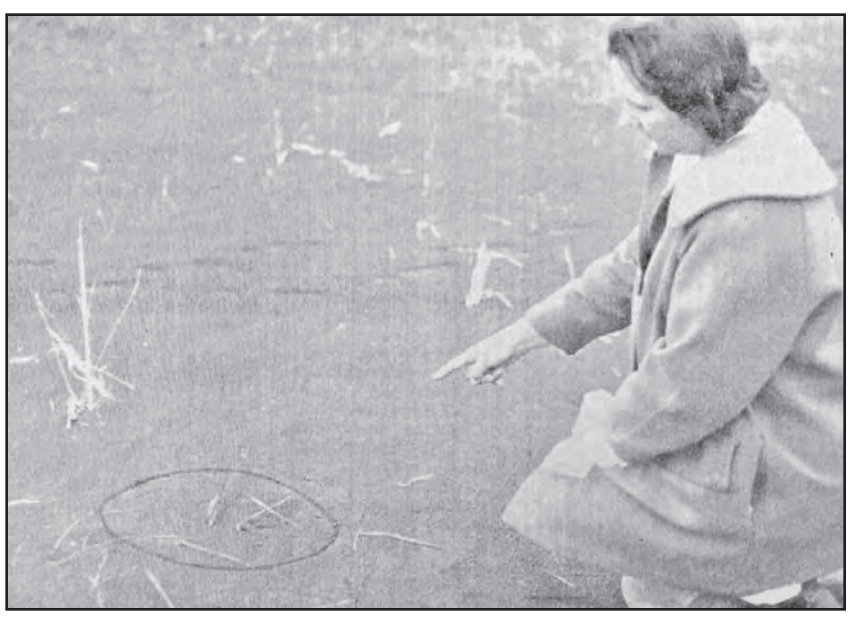
David A. Fritz enlisted in the local National Guard as a Private, boosting the unit's strength to 121.

The City Council of Falls City agreed to provide finances for lighting on the Pee Wee Diamond.

The Vet's Club sent a check for $700 to USA headquarters as a result of a recent "Discharge Dance" benefit.

Two escapees of the Nebraska State Penitentiary were given an additional one-year prison term for their escape; they were arrested in Humboldt earlier in the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Maze spotted mysterious circular markings in one of their waterways. After further investigation, the verdict was



that the circles were caused by grass. Others still suspected possible alien life.

A distracted Verdon youth, who was having a "discussion" with his girlfriend, who happened to sitting in the back seat of the car, hit a fireplug when he turned to talk to her. The man ended up with a 30-day jail sentence after he pled guilty.

The Winter Bureau asked residents of southeast Nebraska to remember, despite the cold rain, snow and wind earlier in the week, tornados were possible at any time during the spring.

Retail sales in Falls City during the month of February jumped 21.9 percent higher than years prior. Twenty of the 21 cities in the surrounding area reported an increase.

25 years

The newest members of the Southeast Consolidated National Honor Society were Tate Jacobitz, Jill Able, Jodi Able and Cheri Ramer.

Tomasina Finner, a senior at Falls City High School, won the Masonic Scholarship award for $200.

Scott Schock and Carolyn Young were honored by the Falls City FFA Chapter with Honorary Chapter FFA Degrees, making them honorary members of the organization.

The leading causes of death in 1990 were: Heart disease, cancer, cerebrovascular pneumonia, accidents, lung disease, diabetes, atherosclerosis, nephritis and suicide.

The modular home of Brad Schulenberg was totaled in a fire near Preston.

Chris Aue of Southeast Consolidated was named Richardson County Athlete of the Week for his iron-man performance during the Mustang Invitational.

Mrs. Martha Bierman was honored with a 102nd birthday party at St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Merle Veigel was elected president of Post I, Travelers Protective Association during the annual membership dinner.

Larry Hagman and the cast of "Dallas" hung their hats as the CBS prime-time series went off the air after a two-hour finale.

Brown' Shoe Fit Co. of Falls City was advertising 4,000 pairs of ladies' dress and casual shoes on sale from $9.97 to $39.97.

Falls City Police arrested an 18-year-old man in connection with a break-in and burglary at the Spirit Shoppe, 1123 Harlan St.

Julie Ramsey, of Dawson-Verdon High School, was selected to receive two scholarships to attend Peru State College — the Leadership Scholarship and the Valedictorian Scholarship.

15 Years

Strong winds knocked a large barn off its foundation on Mrs. Nelson Marmet's farm across from Steele Cemetery.

Jeff Huppert, senior at Dawson-Verdon, was named a U.S. National Award winner in the subject of English.

Adam Deckinger of Falls City High School and Jessi Bents of Humboldt-Table Rock were named Falls City Journal Athletes of the Week.

Don Cann and Lee Kurpgeweit agreed to spearhead an effort to rebuild the Falls City Kiwanis Club.

The Friends of the Library, through memberships and community donations contributed $13,648.81 to the new library project.

A pair of Falls City brothers living at the same residence were arrested after one brother threatened to kill the other.

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Sue Rolfe

Sue Rolfe, 54, of Falls City, passed away on Friday, April 15, 2016. She was born on Feb. 24, 1962 at Grand Island to Ralph and Peggy (Burke) Exstrom.

On March 5, 1988, she married Michael Rolfe at Valley, NE.

Sue was raised at Valley and graduated from Valley High School in 1980. When married, the couple established their home in Hastings for four years, then moved to Alliance, Detroit Lakes, MN, and settled in Falls City in 1998, where she worked for Community Medical Center as a pharmacist.

She graduated from Gustavus Adolphus College at St. Peter, MN, with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Biology. She then attended the University of Nebraska Medical Center College of Pharmacy and graduated with a Doctorate of Pharmacology.

Sue was a member of First United Methodist Church at Falls City and was a member of the church choir. For many years she was a Girl Scout Troop Leader and also was involved with Rainbow Girls.

She is survived by her husband, Michael, of Falls City; daughters, Andrea (Joe) Wisniewski, and Ashley Rolfe, all of Omaha, and Gillian Rolfe, of Falls City; son, Rodney Mount, of Lincoln; parents, Ralph and Peggy Exstrom, of Valley; brothers, Steve (Angela) and Scott (Nancy) Exstrom, both of Valley; sister, Deb Exstrom, of Kansas City, KS; grandchildren, MacKenzie, Blake, Charlie and Zoe.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 20, 2016 at First United Methodist Church, with Rev. John Hogue and Rev. Lyle Schoen officiating. Inurnment will be at Plainview Cemetery at Maxwell, NE, at a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family prefers memorials be made to Falls City Girl Scouts or the Richardson County Humane Society. Friends may sign the registry book beginning Monday during regular business hours. Dorr & Clark Funeral Home, Falls City, is in charge of arrangements.

William Quigley

William W. Quigley, 87, of Belleville, KS, passed away on Jan. 29, 2016 at Manhattan, KS. He was born in Falls City on Feb. 26, 1928 to Howard and Ruth Sailors Quigley.

After graduating from Falls City High School in 1946, Bill served a tour of duty with the U.S. Army. He and Lois Henninger were married in Reserve, KS, on May 31, 1950. Lois passed away on July 21, 2013.

He is survived by his daughters, Carol (Brian) Calkins, of Milford, KS, Joyce (Ernie) Allen, of Craig, CO, Constance Quigley, of Driftwood, TX; daughter-in-law, Judy Quigley, of Salina, KS; brother, Landon (Doris) Quigley, of Shawnee, KS; sisters, Avalene Jordan, of Bend, OR, Marvel Karst, of Montebello, CA, and Jean Campbell, of Falls City; nine grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife; son, Bill; and brothers, James, Arthur, Guy and Milan; and a sister, Eunice Wamsley.

Graveside services were held Friday, April 15, 2016 at Steele Cemetery. Dorr and Clark Funeral Home, Falls City, is in charge of arrangements.

John Weber

John Robert Weber, 74, of Milford, KS, died April 13, 2016 in hospice at Valley View Senior Life after battling glioblastoma, a brain tumor.

Survivors include his mother, Mildred Weber, of Falls City; and his sister, Mary Barker, of Shubert.

Visitation will be held from 6-8 p.m. Tuesday, April 19, 2016, with the reading of the Rosary at 7:30 p.m. at Penwell-Gabel Funeral Home in Junction City, KS.

A Memorial Mass will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, April 20, at St. Xavier Catholic Church with Fr. Gale Hammerschmidt officiating. Inurnment will follow at St. Mary's Cemetery, with military honors provided by the U.S. Navy Honor Guard.

Doris Oliver

Doris Oliver, 92, of Falls City, passed away Saturday, April 16, 2016 at Falls City. She was born on March 28, 1924 in Falls City to the late Harry and Lillian (Nelson) Wamsley.

She married Paul H. Oliver on May 28, 1941 at Hiawatha, KS. Mr. Oliver passed away on April 11, 1998.

Doris was raised in both Falls City and Kansas City. When married, the couple established their home in Falls City. She was a homemaker and lived her entire adult life in Falls City.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Falls City, and was a Camp Fire and 4-H leader.

Doris is survived by a daughter, Diane Rieschick, of Falls City; half-sister, Marian (Daniel) Ozarski, of San Antonio, TX; four grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; daughter, Janet E. Lewis; and half-brothers, Billy, Harry, Clifford and Frank Harger Jr.

A graveside service will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 20, 2016 at Steele Cemetery, Falls City, with Pastor Jerry Yount officiating. No viewing or visitation. Dorr & Clark Funeral Home, Falls City, is in charge of arrangements.

Willa (Richardson) Moyer

Willa (Richardson) Moyer, 89, of Humboldt, passed away Wednesday, April 13, 2016 at her home. She was born on Feb. 22, 1927, in Summerfield, KS, to John and Ella (Volle) Richardson.

She attended country school through the 8th grade at District No. 6 south of Pawnee City, and later graduated from Pawnee City High School in 1947.

On Oct. 25, 1947, Willa married Walter Moyer in Seneca, KS. The couple established their home east of Humboldt, moved to Pawnee City for two years, but then returned to their farm. After the death of Walter, Willa moved into Humboldt Housing in December of 1992. She worked as a waitress, then was employed for many years at Merritt's Discount Store. After retiring, she worked part-time at the Bruun Memorial Library.

Willa was a devoted member of The Christian Church in Humboldt where she served in many different capacities and served for many years on the Humboldt Housing Board.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Walter; son, John; grandson, Adam Gaede; great-great grandson, Carter Payne; brothers, Harold "Bud" and Keith Richardson; and a sister, Helen (Leonard) Church.

Willa is survived by her daughters, Sharon Mackey, of Falls City, Betty (Jerry) Van Winkle, of Beatrice, Janice (Mike) Desmond, of Ozawkie, KS; daughter-in-law, Nancy Moyer, of rural DuBois; numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandson; sister-in-law, Verna Mae Richardson, of Pawnee City; and many other nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Funeral Services were held Monday, April 18, 2016 at The Christian Church in Humboldt, with Pastor Howard Blecha officiating. Interment at the Humboldt Cemetery. Memorials may be given to the family's choice. Wherry Mortuary, Humboldt, is in charge of arrangements.

Educators angered by Gov. Ricketts' veto of LB947

More than 300 educators from across Nebraska have voted to encourage state senators to override a gubernatorial veto of LB947, allowing recipients of the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals to "obtain professional licenses to practice their profession and contribute fully to our state."

The educators, elected by their peers, attended the Nebraska State Education Association annual Delegate Assembly in Lincoln this past weekend.

"As educators, we know that our state's future is brighter when we allow hard-working young people to follow their career dreams and practice their chosen professions right here in our state," NSEA president Nancy Fulton said.

"We believe we must do everything we can to keep talented students in our state. It makes no sense to force these educated youth to other states to practice their professions. Instead, we should encourage them to stay in Nebraska and help to grow our economy."

In a letter to state senators, Fulton said she was "writing on behalf of NSEA's 28,000 members to urge you to vote to override the governor's veto of LB947 … so young Nebraskans who are legally allowed to live and work in Nebraska can pursue their career goals."

The legislation would enable lawfully present, work-authorized immigrants with the requisite education and qualifications to seek professional or commercial licenses in Nebraska.

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Students

Alexandria Bangert

The Shubert American Legion Auxiliary Unit #2 has selected Alexandria Bangert, daughter of Tom and Lana Bangert to attend Cornhusker Girls State. The delegate is Alexis Barnes, daughter of Sara Kalliker.

Cornhusker Girls State is held June 5-11, on the University of Nebraska-Lincoln campus. Alexandria is currently a junior at Falls City Sacred Heart.

Logan Bredemeier

Logan Bredemeier, son of Mike and Chris Bredemeier of Stella has been selected by the Shubert American Legion Post #222 to participate in Cornhusker Boys State held June 5-11, on the University of Nebraska-Lincoln campus.

Logan is in National Honor Society, an Honor Roll student who is involved in many student activities. Logan has received many honors and awards. The HTRS junior is involved in community activities and is a member at the Stella Community Church. In his free time he works as a farmhand for Bredemeier Farms.

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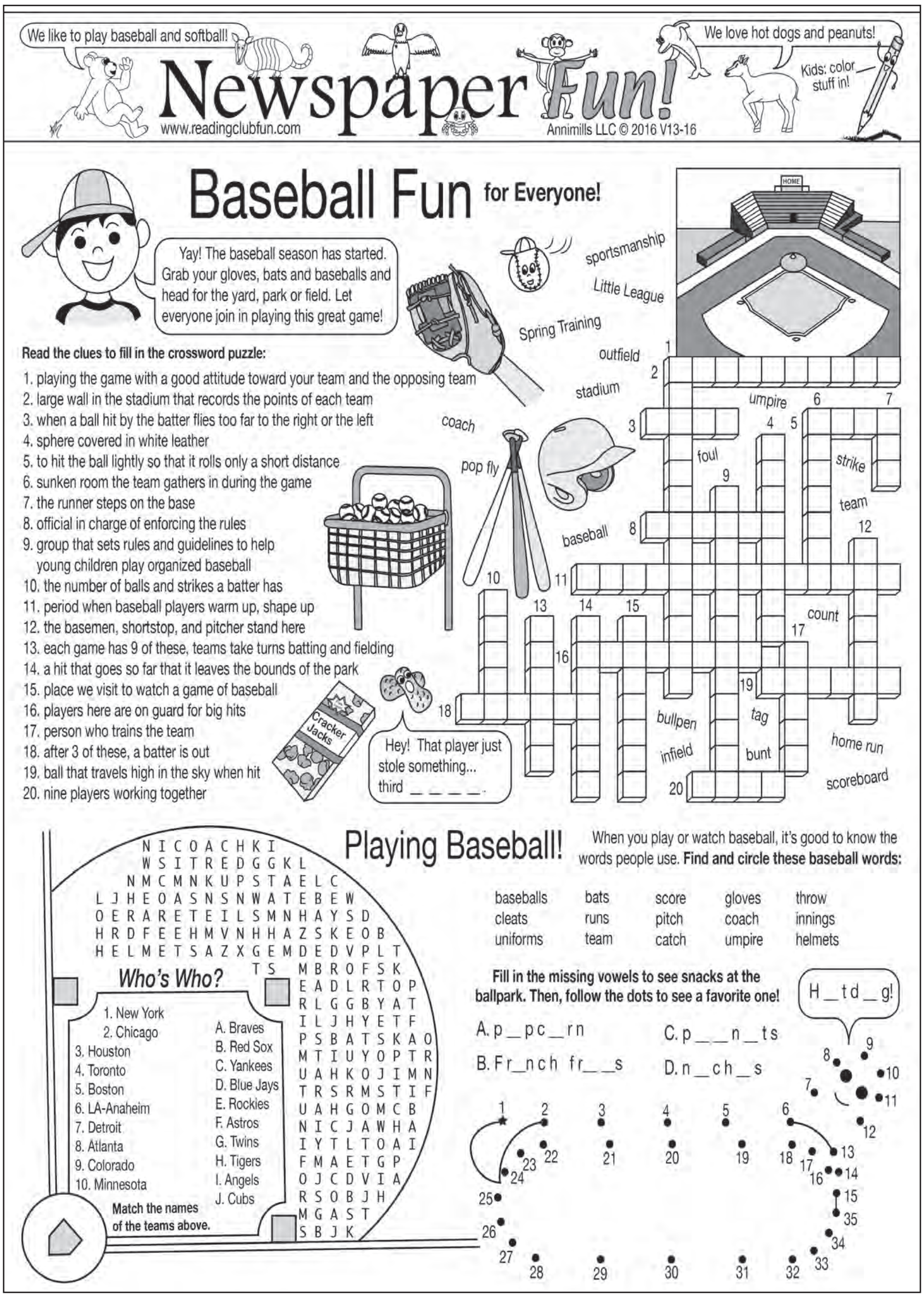

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FCMS Boys track take first at Syracuse, Girls take second

The Falls City Middle School boys team (97.83 points) won the Syracuse track meet over the host team (69.33 points), Louisville (18 points), Elmwood Murdock (16.50 points), and Weeping Water (13.33 points). 8th grader Cole Kirkendall shined brightly for the Tigers, winning both the 110 M hurdles (19.79) and the pole vault (7' 0"). 8th grader Lane Burns won the 100 M dash (13.54) for the second meet in a row and finished a close second in the 200 M dash (27.16). 8th graders Mason Crawford and Zach Beaver placed first (2:31.68) and second (2:36.01) respectively in the 800 M run. In the other distance race, 8th grader James Eickhoff won the 1600 M run (5:42.62). 8th grader Trey McAfee ran a strong 400 M dash, finishing second (1:00.48). In the 50 M dash, 7th grader Zane McIntosh finished first (8.00), and 7th grader Jaxon Lunsford placed third (8.23). In the jumps, 8th grader Kade Bredemeier won his second straight triple jump contest (33' 6.5") and finished second in the long jump (15' 3.25"). 8th graders Caden Simon and Crawford finished second in the high jump (4' 8") and in the triple jump (32' 3.5") respectively. In the discus, 7th graders Alex Pelletier placed second (87' 6") and Lunsford finished third (85' 3").

In the girls division, Falls City finished in second place (43 points), while Syracuse won its home meet with 101 points. Elmwood Murdock (35 points), Louisville (28 points), and Weeping Water (9 points) rounded out the competition. 8th grader Hannah Clary broke her own school record from last year (7' 0") that she had tied with Julianne Kopf. At Syracuse, Clary vaulted to a first place finish (7' 6") and to her very own spot on the record board. Clary also won the high jump with a leap of 4' 9". 8th grader Michelle Beer continued her impressive throwing this season with second place in both the shot put (25' 11") and the discus (66' 9"). 7th grader Ava Morgan placed second in the 100 M dash (15.22), and 7th grader Abby Harms took first place in the 50 M dash (8.51). In the distance races, 8th grader Mazey McCullough finished third in the 800 M run (2:57.27), and 7th grader Brenna Leyden placed third in the 1600 M run (6:18).

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Society

Shubert American Auxiliary

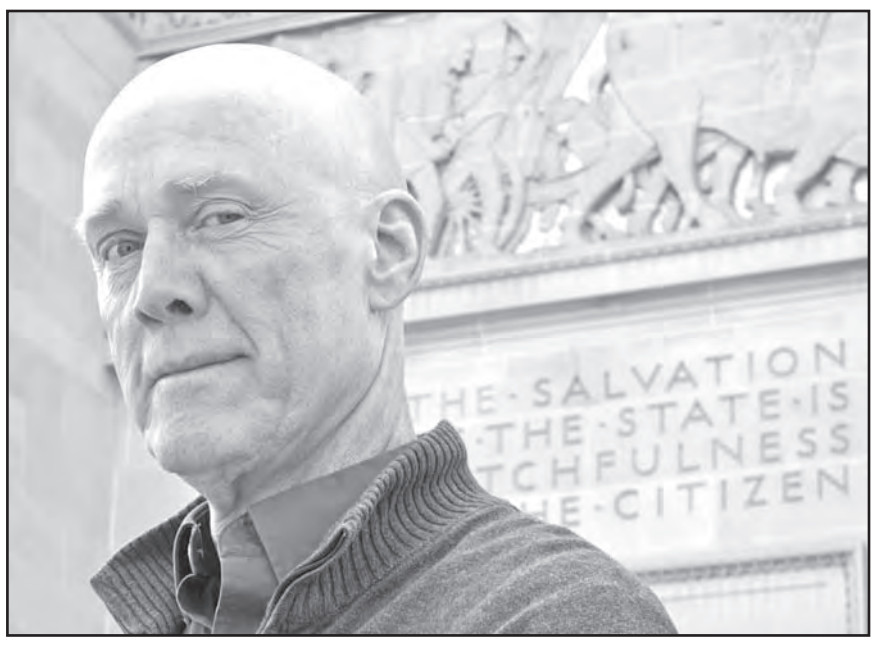
The Shubert American Legion Auxiliary Unit 222 met Tuesday, April 12, at the Legion building. President, Tana Brown called the meeting to order and was followed with prayer by chaplain, Sharon Howard. Everyone pledged to the flag, sang God Bless America and repeated the Preamble. Roll call was taken by the secretary, Elizabeth Ketner with nine members and three guests from the Falls City unit. Treasurer, Lana Willman gave her monthly report. The Easter Egg Hunt held Fri., March 25, at the park in Shubert was very successful. Pictures and information on our Girl Stater have been released. The fish fry fundraiser for the building fund last month was as well very successful.

Membership is at 88 percent this month. Still need seven more paid members to be at our Department goal of 100%. The ongoing project to take bags with items for children to be entertained with while parents are being out-patience's at the Lincoln VA Hospital is in need of many more items. Linda Patchen delivered such items from the Shubert Unit last week.

Thank yous were read from the family of Joyce Macklin for a memorial given in her name and from the Richardson County Veterans Service Office for a donation at Christmas to be used for needy veterans in Richardson County. The Department Convention will be in Kearney, from June 24 - 26.

In observance of Children and Youth Month, which is April the group gave a donation to the Shubert 4 Kidz organization. The group will be picking up highway litter this next week going east and west of Shubert. It was announced the Legion will be having a fundraiser pancake/sausage breakfast Sun., May 29 at the Legion building. Ms. Patchen was the hostess for the community luncheon get together at the Legion building on Tues., April 5. Dona Hall will host the next one on Tues., May 3. This is for anyone in the community to come together for lunch and fellowship starting at 12:00 p.m.

All members helped fill out the annual reports due to the Department office in Lincoln. Next meeting will be Tuesday, May10 at 4:30 p.m. at the Legion building.



Rick Yoder seeks the Subdivision 4 seat of the OPPD Board of Directors

Rick Yoder announces Campaign to secure OPPD Subdivision 4 Board seat

Rick Yoder announced his candidacy for the Subdivision 4 seat of the Omaha Public Power District (OPPD) Board of Directors. Yoder is a 24-year resident of rural Cass County. The counties that form OPPD Subdivision 4 are Cass, Sarpy, Otoe, Johnson, Nemaha, Pawnee, and Richardson.

Yoder works with the Nebraska Business Development Center (NBDC), which is a department of the College of Business Administration at the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO). His work there focuses on helping businesses find cost effective changes to reduce consumption of energy, water and materials.

"It's been said before," says Yoder, "but conservation should be a top priority for public power boards because the cheapest kilowatt-hour is the one consumers never have to buy."

"My work with small businesses taught me to focus on efficient technologies to save people money while focusing on innovation."

Yoder relies on his mechanical engineering background for technical analysis, and on his many years as a business consultant to build a business case for change.

"Change is hard," Yoder added. "OPPD hasn't been challenged by our incumbent board member of 30 years to make the changes necessary to provide competitive services to the area."

Yoder served in public office before as a member of the Conestoga School Board. He volunteers as a member of the Keep Cass County Beautiful board and actively works with MINK Corridor, an economic development group focused on the counties bordering the Missouri River between Omaha and Kansas City.

"I find it helpful to see how utilities in four different states provide both opportunities and obstacles to economic development in the region. I look at Rockport, Missouri, just across the river from Brownville. Rockport was the first town in the country to be 100% powered by wind. It is hard not to look across the river at successes others are having with renewable energy-based local economic development and not ask why Nebraska, the nation's leader in wind potential, has fallen behind."

Yoder constructs his campaign around three themes, Respect the past, Focus on the future, and Bet on American ingenuity.

Respect the past. Nebraska power is public power. Changes are inevitable, but we need not sell the farm and start over. Now is not the time to privatize public power.

Focus on the Future. The future of energy is fossil free. The challenge lies with finding a path from here to there that protects our quality of life and delivers a reliable, secure flow of energy.

Bet On American Ingenuity. American ingenuity has already created solutions not yet adopted by OPPD. Diversifying our fuel sources provide economic development benefits and reduces financial risk.

You can find out more about Rick Yoder's campaign at www.rick-yoder.com and at www.facebook.com/VoteYoder.

Yoder, age 61, earned his degree in Mechanical Engineering from Iowa State University, where he met his wife, Lissa. They have been married for 32 years. They have two daughters, Synneve and Krista. They enjoy their rural life on a small acreage near Murray, where they moved in 1993.

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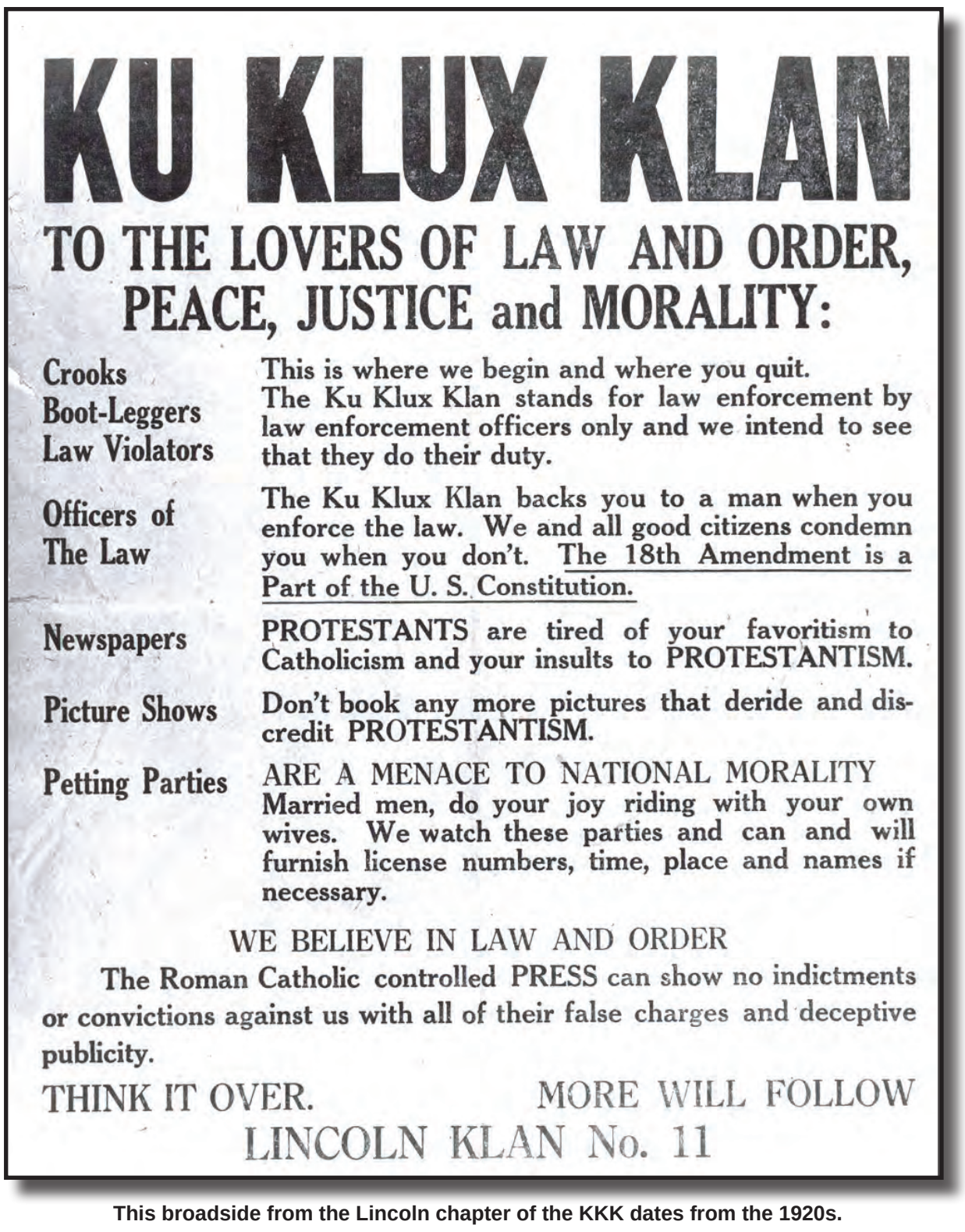

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LINCOLN KLAN No. 11

This broadside from the Lincoln chapter of the KKK dates from the 1920s.

The Ku Klux Klan in Lincoln, 1924

The Ku Klux Klan was at the peak of its influence in Nebraska by the mid-1920s. Although its origins dated to the years following the Civil War, when it primarily targeted blacks in the former Confederate states, the reorganized Klan of the early twentieth century rapidly expanded beyond the South and, while continuing to embrace racism, identified new enemies of "100 percent Americanism." They included Catholics, Jews, immigrants, corrupt politicians, and radical political movements.

The Nebraska Klan held its state convention in Lincoln in July 1924, which not only drew some eight hundred Klansmen, but huge crowds of spectators, according to the July 2 issue of the Nebraska State Journal. That morning the Klan staged a parade in downtown Lincoln with members in full regalia, some of whom were on horseback and others carrying U. S. flags or crosses. That night, an outdoor rally, fireworks display, and initiation ceremony took place in the countryside north of the city. Estimates of the number of autos that jammed the streets and roadways leading to the site ranged from five to ten thousand.

"The size of the crowd that was outlined by star shells and floating lights during the big show will never be known, but it was frequently compared to state fair crowds. If all the cars had been bunched up on the streets between the city and the fair grounds there would have been such as jam as fair rushes rarely produce.

"The field where the program was put on was lighted up with red glaring candles. 'The Coming of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan' was the opener of the program. A line of Klansmen mounted on horseback rode along the brow of the hill. A large cross was lighted up and a large band of hooded Klansmen were revealed kneeling beneath it. . . A band played sacred music as the various pageants were shown and interspersed with an occasional bit of lively march music. The huge letters, 'One Law' blazed up and were encircled by Klansmen. A large portrait of George Washington was brought to view by casting bright lights upon it. . . . A portrait of Abraham Lincoln was shown in a similar manner.

"The letters 'K.K.K.' were surrounded by robed figures and when illuminated, the crowd applauded. A fireworks portrait of Dr. Hiram W. Evans, Imperial Wizard of the Klan, brought cheers. After the setting off of a salvo of bombshells, the 'Little Red Schoolhouse' was displayed. The band struck up 'School Days' and the crowd joined in the singing of the song. A large brilliantly lighted American flag was touched off. The playing of 'The Star Spangled Banner' brought the audience to its feet. Two horsemen, attired in Klan regalia, were shown facing each other with two fiery crosses in the background making up another pageant."

At its zenith, the KKK was said to have had some 45,000 members in Nebraska and chapters or "Klaverns" in communities across the state. By the end of the 1920s, however, Nebraskans had come to see the Klan as a divisive and corrupt organization promoting violence rather than true American values. It soon faded from the scene.

To read more, see Michael W. Schuyler, "The KKK in Nebraska, 1920-1930," Nebraska History 66 (Fall 1985) available on the Nebraska State Historical Society's website (see below). After reaching the site, go to "Publishing Program," click on "Nebraska History Magazine," and then "read articles."

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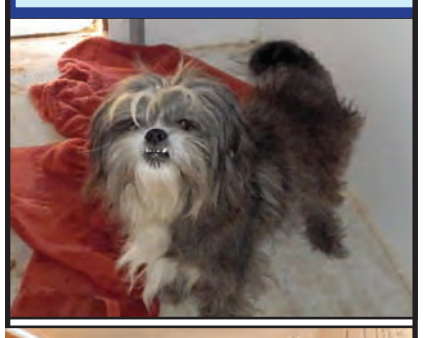

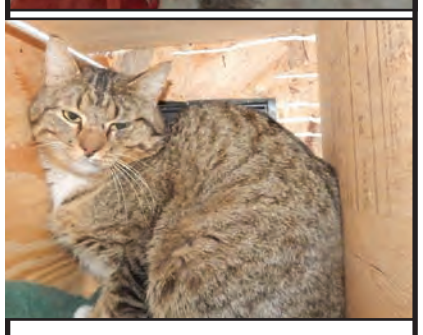

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County Board

RICHARDSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
APRIL 5, 2016 - CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Richardson County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Sickel at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 5, 2016. Roll call was answered by Standerford, Davidson and Sickel. The Invocation was given by Chairman Sickel and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Vice-Chairman Davidson. Chairman Sickel announced that the open meeting laws have been posted at the entrance to the meeting room.

Motion was made by Sickel to approve the minutes of the March 29, 2016, meeting as read. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sickel to add to the agenda the consideration of awarding the bids that were received at last week's meeting for steel and culvert materials and to review further the bid received from the NE Auditor of Public Accounts for the fiscal year end June 30, 2016 audit and to approve the remaining agenda as posted. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. The agenda is posted at the Richardson County Courthouse on the First Floor Lobby, the Commissioner's Meeting Room, the Third Floor of the Sheriff's Office and on the Richardson County website www.co.richardson.ne.us.

ROAD & BRIDGE DEPARTMENT

Scott Huppert, Highway Superintendent updated the Board on the routine maintenance being done this week on county roads and bridges. The Stella SE Bridge project walk-thru was conducted last week and it was noticed that silt fencing materials had been removed and taken and needed to be replaced. The Verdon NW bridge project is progressing fast and if weather permit's the project could be completed sometime in May. The Bridge crew is working on several projects. Mr. Huppert also reported that he was working on the specs to pursue the purchase of the culvert materials for the project on the Nemaha/Richardson County line, 720 Road north of Stella. The Flexible Object Marker program has also been started.

Motion was made by Davidson to award the bid for the culvert materials that were received at last week's meeting to the low bidder, Metal Culverts, Inc. for $35,952.46. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sickel to award the bid for the steel materials that were received at last week's meeting to the low bidders, Midwest Services & Sales, Schuyler, NE for items #1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 totaling $42,070.70 and to Oden Enterprises, Wahoo, NE for items #2 and 3 for $44,713.28. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

BRIAN KIRKENDALL, EMA DIRECTOR

Brian Kirkendall, EMA Director met with the Board to review the business and activity within the Emergency Management Agency Department. Radio service and tower equipment and maintenance were reviewed. Mr. Kirkendall also informed the Board that Jeff Moyer who had requested to meet with the Board today would not be coming to the meeting after he had reviewed his request with him.

COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE

Kaytlyn Kennedy, Extension Educator and Jamie Ankrom, 4-H and Extension Aide requested to meet with the Board to review the possibilities of continued funding for the 4-H position. The Board is reviewing several options to help with the funding needs to retain this position.

RITA FISCHER

Rita Fischer had requested to meet with the Board but did not appear for the appointment.

QUARTERLY JAIL INSPECTION

The Board conducted the quarterly jail inspection and found the facility to be in good order.

CORRESPONDENCE/OTHER
Fee Reports

Reports were approved for the following officials for fees collected during the month of March, 2016:

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Mary L. Eickhoff, Register of Deeds $3,171.75
Pam Scott, Clerk of Dist. Court $702.00

Monthly Operating Statement

The Board reviewed the monthly operating statement for March, 2016.

Four County Juvenile Services Grant

Motion was made Davidson to approve and accept the Revised State Grant Award for 15-CB-0531for the Four County Juvenile Services program totaling $89,026.00 which includes the local match of $8,903 from the four counties (Nemaha, Johnson, Pawnee and Richardson). Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Agreement with Sarpy County

The Board reviewed a proposed agreement with Sarpy County for the safekeeping of inmates. No action was taken at this time.

Carmen C. Morehead v. Richardson County

A summons for notice of lawsuit was received by Richardson County, Carmen C. Morehead v. Richardson County, motor vehicle accident on May 14, 2014.

Audit Bid

Motion was made by Davidson that the bid received at last week's meeting from the NE Auditor of Public Accounts for the fiscal year end June 30, 2016 audit be awarded for the year 2016 as approved at the March 29, 2016 meeting, but also awarded for the following years 2017 and 2018 at a fee not to exceed $15,000.00 each year as stated within the bid. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

CLAIMS

Motion was made by Sickel to allow the payment of all claims that were submitted today. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

(The claims listed below are available for public inspection at the office of the County Clerk during regular business hours.)

As Central Services OCIA, supp 448.00
Dr. Christopher Barden, PHD, fee CR15-31 Nincehelser 6400.00
Tammie Beckner, reimb 47.54
Beers Shop, serv.....872.00
Dept of Corrections, serv 2519.85
FC Journal, adv 376.33
FC Sanitation, serv.....126.00
FC Utility Dept., serv.....3295.74
Fraser Stryker, PC, fee 3821.50
Handley Law Office, fee CR15-316, CR15-344, CR15-359, CR15-399, CR15-400 all for Robert Hillard 1145.00
Curtis Maschman, reimb.....99.60
NE Assoc of County Treasurers, reg fee .115.00
NE Dept of Labor, fee.....36.00
NE Dept of Revenue, reg fee 75.00
Nemaha County, bailiff 4712.14
O'Keefe, serv 368.00
Palladin Consulting Group, fee CR15-31 Nincehelser 6074.04
Pitney Bowes, serv.....150.00
Postmaster, postage.....345.00
Pro Serv Business Systems, serv 165.76
County Clerk Petty Cash, reimb 60.15
Richardson County Court, costs 3782.26
Emily Scribner, reimb 140.94
David Sickel, reimb 39.96
SpartanNash, supp.....41.70
True Value, supp.....19.97
UN of NE-Lincoln, local match Ext 3476.85
W&D Auto Care, serv.....220.00
Tylene Windle, reimb.....414.72
Wolfes, supp.....143.18
TOTAL GENERAL FUND.....$39,532.23

ROAD & BRIDGE FUND

DataMax, supp 30.31
FC Sanitation, serv.....55.00
NPPD, serv.....40.33
Norris Quarries, rock 12434.33
Power Plan, serv.....92.49
Road Build Machinery & Supply, parts ..465.20
Sapp Bros., fuel.....315.00
Unifirst Corp., serv.....85.70
Village of Verdon, serv.....22.73
Windstream, serv 53.18
TOTAL ROAD & BRIDGE FUND...$13,594.27

GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUND

Eastview Housing, rent 57.00
TOTAL GENERAL ASSIST FUND.....$57.00

JUVENILE SERV GRANT FUND

CADCA, reg fee.....795.00
TOTAL JUVENILE SERV GRANT FUND.....$795.00

NOXIOUS WEED CONTROL FUND

NE Assoc of Weed Control, reg fee 120.00
TOTAL NOX WEED CONTROL FUND..$120.00

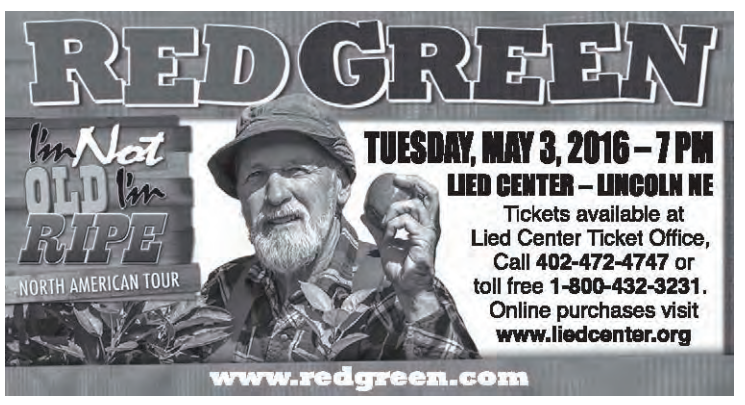
ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Davidson to adjourn the meeting at 12:03 p.m. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. The Board will meet again on Tuesday, April 12, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioner's Meeting Room, Courthouse, Falls City. The agenda is kept current at the County Clerk's Office.

David D. Sickel, Chairman
Mary L. Eickhoff, County Clerk

Sealed Bids for Contract Work on 1st & 5th Streets Village of Rulo 402-245-6023 12-19-26

Sealed Bids for Mowing. Village of Rulo 402-245-6023 12-19-26



PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF
RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Estate of Kimberly K. Anthony, Deceased
Estate No. PR 16-8

Notice is hereby given that on April 4, 2016, in the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, Ronda Freeman, whose address is 71895 628 Ave, Table Rock, NE was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of the Estate.

Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before June 13, 2016 or be forever barred.

Nancy A. DeKlotz
Clerk of the County Court
1700 Stone St.
Falls City, NE 68355

Allen Fankhauser, #11239
Fankhauser, Nelsen, Werts, Ziskey & Merwin PC
713 Fourth St. PO Box 126
Humboldt, NE 68376
402-862-2321

12-19-26

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the City Administrator for the City of Falls City, Nebraska, at the City Building, 2307 Barada Street, until 1:30 P.M. on April 21st , 2016, at which time and place all bids will be opened and read in the presence of the bidders for the Power Plant Radiator Piping Replacement.

The sealed envelope to be labeled;
Gary Jorn, City Administrator
2307 Barada Street
Falls City, NE
Power Plant Radiator Piping Replacement Bid

Specifications on the Replacement may be obtained from the Production Manager. The Production Manager may be contacted at 901 Crook Street, Falls City, NE 68355 or by phone at 402-245-3521.

The City reserves the right to accept any bid which it deems most advantageous to the City, to reject any or all bids submitted and to hold as many bids as it desires for consideration for a period of Sixty (60) days after bids are opened.

All companies submitting proposals agree that the rejection of such proposal shall be without liability on the part of the City, nor shall the companies submitting proposals seek recourse of any kind against the City because of such rejections. The filing of any proposal in response to this invitation shall constitute an agreement of the company submitting a proposal to these conditions.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS OF THE CITY OF FALLS CITY, NEBRASKA.

Gary Jorn, City Clerk
12-19

To: Daniel A. Nissen, Valerie A. Stallard, Person In Possession, Occupant. UNLESS YOU ACT YOU WILL LOSE THIS PROPERTY. ON MARCH 6TH, 2013 Richardson County sold TAX SALE CERTIFICATE 2013111. PROPERTY DESCRIPTION: Lots 17 and 18, Block 223, OT Falls City, Richardson COUNTY, NEBRASKA. PARCEL: 740063979 PROPERTY IS ASSESSED IN THE NAME OF: Daniel A. Nissen and Valerie A. Stallard AMOUNT OF TAXES REPRESENTED BY THE TAX SALE CERTIFICATE: $1478.36 WHICH INCLUDE TAXES ASSESSED FOR 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, and 2014. Interest accrued as of 3-7-16 $485.65 The issuance of a tax deed is subject to the right of redemption under sections 77-1824 to 77-1830; The right of redemption requires payment to the county treasurer, for the use of such purchaser, or his or her heirs or assigns, the amount of taxes represented by the tax sale certificate for the year the taxes were levied or assessed and any subsequent taxes paid and interest accrued as of the date payment is made to the county treasurer. In addition, if the real property is owner-occupied real property and the redemption occurs after the day the purchaser files an application for a tax deed, a redemption fee equal to twenty percent of all other amounts due must be paid; and The right of redemption expires at the close of business forty-five days after the date of application for the tax deed for owner-occupied real property or at the close of business on the day the purchaser files an application for a tax deed with the county treasurer for all other real property. After the expiration of at least three months from the date of service of this notice, the tax deed will be applied for.

12-19-26

To: Carl V. Luallin, Carolyn Luallin, Person in Possession. UNLESS YOU ACT YOU WILL LOSE THIS PROPERTY ON MARCH 5TH, 2013 Richardson County sold TAX SALE CERTIFICATE 2013097. PROPERTY DESCRIPTION: N 62 ¾' Lot 1, Block 1, OT, Humboldt, Richardson COUNTY, NEBRASKA. PARCEL: 740081519 PROPERTY IS ASSESSED IN THE NAME OF: Carl V. Luallin & Carolyn R AMOUNT OF TAXES REPRESENTED BY THE TAX SALE CERTIFICATE: $548.18 WHICH INCLUDE TAXES ASSESSED FOR 2011. Subsequent taxes paid for 2012 $468.63 2013 $446.34 2014 $467.01. Interest accrued as of 3-7-16 $566.02 The issuance of a tax deed is subject to the right of redemption under sections 77-1824 to 77-1830; The right of redemption requires payment to the county treasurer, for the use of such purchaser, or his or her heirs or assigns, the amount of taxes represented by the tax sale certificate for the year the taxes were levied or assessed and any subsequent taxes paid and interest accrued as of the date payment is made to the county treasurer. In addition, if the real property is owner-occupied real property and the redemption occurs after the day the purchaser files an application for a tax deed, a redemption fee equal to twenty percent of all other amounts due must be paid; and The right of redemption expires at the close of business forty-five days after the date of application for the tax deed for owner-occupied real property or at the close of business on the day the purchaser files an application for a tax deed with the county treasurer for all other real property. After the expiration of at least three months from the date of service of this notice, the tax deed will be applied for.

12-19-26

To: Barbara L. Fernandez, Kyle J. Haffner, Person in Possession, Occupant. UNLESS YOU ACT YOU WILL LOSE THIS PROPERTY. ON MARCH 6TH, 2013 Richardson County Sold TAX SALE CERTIFICATE 2013105. PROPERTY DESCRIPTION: E ½ Lots 11 and 12, Block 2, OT Falls City, Richardson COUNTY, NEBRASKA. PARCEL: 740053191 PROPERTY IS ASSESSED IN THE NAME OF: Barbara L. Fernandez and Kyle J. Haffner AMOUNT OF TAXES REPRESENTED BY THE TAX SALE CERTIFICATE: $1863.66 WHICH INCLUDE TAXES ASSESSED FOR 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, and 2014. Interest accrued as of 3-7-16 $652.46 The issuance of a tax deed is subject to the right of redemption under sections 77-1824 to 77-1830; The right of redemption requires payment to the county treasurer, for the use of such purchaser, or his or her heirs or assigns, the amount of taxes represented by the tax sale certificate for the year the taxes were levied or assessed and any subsequent taxes paid and interest accrued as of the date payment is made to the county treasurer. In addition, if the real property is owner-occupied real property and the redemption occurs after the day the purchaser files an application for a tax deed, a redemption fee equal to twenty percent of all other amounts due must be paid; and The right of redemption expires at the close of business forty-five days after the date of application for the tax deed for owner-occupied real property or at the close of business on the day the purchaser files an application for a tax deed with the county treasurer for all other real property. After the expiration of at least three months from the date of service of this notice, the tax deed will be applied for.

12-19-26

To: JESSE L. Ross II, Rhonda Ross, Person in Possession. UNLESS YOU ACT YOU WILL LOSE THIS PROPERTY. ON MARCH 5TH, 2013 Richardson County sold TAX SALE CERTIFICATE 2013096. PROPERTY DESCRIPTION: Lot 1, Block 32, AR & LUTHER NIMS ADD, Humboldt, Richardson COUNTY, NEBRASKA. PARCEL:740085344 PROPERTY IS ASSESSED IN THE NAME OF: Jesse L. and Rhonda Ross II AMOUNT OF TAXES REPRESENTED BY THE TAX SALE CERTIFICATE: $588.34 WHICH INCLUDE TAXES ASSESSED FOR 2010 and 2011. Subsequent taxes paid for 2012 $330.56 2013 $314.84 2014 $329.39. Interest accrued as of 3-7-16 $487.13 The issuance of a tax deed is subject to the right of redemption under sections 77-1824 to 77-1830; The right of redemption requires payment to the county treasurer, for the use of such purchaser, or his or her heirs or assigns, the amount of taxes represented by the tax sale certificate for the year the taxes were levied or assessed and any subsequent taxes paid and interest accrued as of the date payment is made to the county treasurer. In addition, if the real property is owner-occupied real property and the redemption occurs after the day the purchaser files an application for a tax deed, a redemption fee equal to twenty percent of all other amounts due must be paid; and The right of redemption expires at the close of business forty-five days after the date of application for the tax deed for owner-occupied real property or at the close of business on the day the purchaser files an application for a tax deed with the county treasurer for all other real property. After the expiration of at least three months from the date of service of this notice, the tax deed will be applied for.

12-19-26

Public Reminder:

Real Estate & Personal Property

Taxes Due.

1st half due in April

2nd half due in August

All delinquent first half payments will be charged interest starting May 1st, 2016 and delinquent second half payments will be charged interest starting September 1st, 2016 as per State Statue #77-204

Austin Duerfeldt
Richardson County Treasurer

Office hours M-F 8:30 to 5:00
Taxes payable online at www.nto.us

ZNEZ 12-19

ATTENTION UTILITY CUSTOMERS

Applications for the Level Payment Plan will be accepted from April 15, 2016 to May 15, 2016. Applications can be obtained between 8 am and 5 pm, Monday thru Friday in the Utility Office at 2307 Barada Street. If you are currently on the Level Payment Plan, you do not need to reapply. If you have any questions about this plan , feel free to contact the Utility Office at 402-245-2724.

Falls City Utility Department

12-19-26-2-9

Village of Verdon

VERDON MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING - APRIL 6 ,2016
7:30 P.M.- VILLAGE HALL

Chairperson Denise Koso informed the room at large that the revised Open Meetings Act was posted on the wall.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Denise Koso at 7:30 p.m.

ROLL CALL: Present were: Gary Cochran, James Cockerham, Shannon Weinmann, Denise Koso, Brenda Streit and Clerk Brenda Daniels.

GUESTS: Tammie Bents and Roger Hinrichsen.

MINUTES: Motion by Koso, second by Cochran to approve, all the Trustees present voted YEA.

AGENDA: Motion by Cockerham, second by Streit to approve, all Trustees present voted YEA.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Motion by Koso, second by Cochran to approve, with all the Trustees present voting YEA.

APRIL, 2016 CLAIMS: Motion by Koso, second by Weinmann to approve paying the claims. All the trustees voting YEA.

COMMUNICATIONS:

1. The April, 2016 shut off notices were reviewed by the Board and all had been paid.
2. Time cards and daily work sheets for March, 2016 were reviewed by the Trustees and initialed.
3. Clerk informed the Board that Miller-Monroe Co. would be handling the insurance for the Village under Ball Insurance Co.
4. The lights at school basketball court were still not working correctly and Bents will purchase a new switch for them.
5. R.C. Sheriff Pounds will be at our May monthly Board meeting to discuss the revised contract with the sheriff's Dept.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

1. Copies of the written update reports for the Village from Maintenance Supervisor, Tammie Bents were passed out to each Board member. Various items were discussed that had occurred during the past month.
2. Maps showing the designated streets to be armor coated was passed out for the Board to review. Tammie will be applying cold patch before the streets are armor coated.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Roger Hinrichsen came before the Board to get approval for a building permit and discussed various items concerning his new business with them. He requested a street light in the middle of what used to be 2nd street be removed, if possible.

Tube under the road was discussed and would have to remain there.

2. Motion by Koso, second by Cockerham to approve the building permit for Roger Hinrichsen, all the Trustees voted YEA.

RESOLUTION 2016-03 "Subdivision of South 30 feet of Lots 15 and 16, Block 11, Original Town of Verdon, Richardson County, NE." was introduced and read and a motion was made by Koso with a second by Weinmann to approve and pass the Resolution. All the Board members voted YEA. Resolution 2016-03 passed and approved this 6th day of April, 2016.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Motion by Weinmann, second by Streit to enter into executive :Page 2 - Verdon Minutes. session at 8:12 p.m. All the trustees voted YEA. At this time all the guests left the village hall. Motion by Koso, second by Cochran to adjourn the executive session at 8:50 p.m. All the Trustees voted YEA.

MISCELLANEOUS:

1. Various items were discussed but no action taken at this time.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion by Koso, second by Cockerham to adjourn the meeting at 8:57 p.m. All the Trustees present voted YEA. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned.

The next regular monthly meeting for the Village of Verdon will be on May 4, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. at the Verdon Village Hall.

Brenda Daniels, Verdon Clerk/Treasurer.

J.T. FARM SERVICE, INC., SU..... $6.12
MIDWEST LABS, INC., FE..... $20.00
N.P.P.D., SE.....$1,149.37
O.P.P.D., SE.....$81.00
BRENDA DANIELS, SA.....$480.00
TAMMIE BENTS, SA.....$812.83
TAMMIE BENTS, MI..... $69.12
BRENDA DANIELS, RE..... $238.66
TAMMIE BENTS, RE.....$213.92
BRENDA DANIELS, RE.....$42.78
FALLS CITY JOURNAL, SE..... $28.62
AARON DAVIS, SE.....$90.00
BRENDA DANIELS, SA.....$480.00
TAMMIE BENTS, SA.....$882.89
TAMMIE BENTS, MI.....$86.94

EX=EXPENSE, FE=FEE, MI=MILEAGE, RE= REIMBURSEMENT, SA=SALARY, SE= SERVICE, SU= SUPPLIES

E.S.U. #4

The Board of Educational Service Unit 4 held its regular meeting on Monday, April 11, 2016, at 5:15 p.m. at Educational Service Unit 4 in Auburn, Nebraska. The following claims were paid for the month of April:

General Fund -- $42,022.49
Payroll -- $379,596.58
NCECBVI -- $51,431.41
Federal Programs -- $22,023.98

The Board of Educational Service Unit 4 will meet in regular session on Monday, May 9, 2016, at 6:00 p.m. at the Nebraska Center for the Education of Children who are Blind or Visually Impaired (NCECBVI), Nebraska City, Nebraska. The agenda for this meeting, kept current, is readily available for public inspection at the office of the Administrator during normal business hours. The Region 4 Preschool Planning Team will hold its Annual Meeting on Wednesday, April 27, 2016, at 1:00 pm at the ESU 4 Office, 919 16th Street, Auburn, Nebraska. The Planning Team will also hold its Parent's Meeting on Wednesday, April 27, 2016, at 6:00 pm at the ESU 4 Learning Center, 1109 R Street, Auburn, Nebraska. Agendas for these meetings are readily available for public inspection at the office of the Administrator during normal business hours.

FC JOURNAL HOURS:

Monday: 9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
Tuesday: 9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
Wednesday: 9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
Thursday: 9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
Friday: 9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
Saturday & Sunday - Closed

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CARDS OF THANKS

Thank you, family, friends, neighbors, Doctors, Nurses, CMC and Falls City Healthcare Community for the prayers, cards, flowers and everything during both of our hospitalizations and Tom's rehab and therapy at Falls City Hospital and Fall City Healthcare Community. A special thank you to our daughter, Cheryl and our private nurses, also Wanda Biel PMA and our Church family. God's blessings to you all. Thank you.
Tom and Verna White 15P

To the family and many friends of the late Naomi Bahr, we wish to extend our sincere thanks for the flowers, memorials, cards, your many kindnesses, and for the condolences and support that we have received. We also send our gratitude and appreciation to Falls City Care Center, Dorr Funeral Home, Rev. Dan Gifford, Pastor and LWML ladies.
The Bahr Family 15

Thank you everyone who made our 60th Anniversary such a pleasant day. Thanks so much for the visits, phone calls and cards. It was all greatly appreciated.
Earl and Yvonne Schawang 15P

NE PRESS STATEWIDES

ADVERTISE STATEWIDE for $225/25 word classified ad. Over 165 newspapers with circulation of more than 365,000. Contact your local newspaper or call 1-800-369-2850.

LINCOLN ANTIQUE Flea Market, Lancaster Event Center, April 30, 9-5; May 1, 10-4, Admission $2.50. Jay Albert, 402-202-5443.

BANKRUPTCY: FREE initial consultation. Fast relief from creditors. Low rates. Statewide filing. No office appointment necessary. Call Steffens Law Office, 308-872-8327. steffensbankruptcylaw.com. We are a debt relief agency, which helps people file bankruptcy under the bankruptcy code.

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THE KEITH County News, Ogallala, seeks a sports editor. Position requires game and event coverage, photos, writing sports stories, and page layout. 308-289-1599, newsboy@ogallalakcnews.com.

CITY OF Ogallala is seeking a City Manager. More info at www.ogallalane.gov or at 308-284-3607. Position open until filled. Salary $87,505-$115,107 DOQ.

PLUMBER WITH quality workmanship for new home construction in Lincoln. Minimum 5 years experience. No Lincoln license needed. Good driving record. $24.00-$28.00 hr. 402-525-3630.

SCRAPER/MOTOR Grader Operators and Surveyor needed for Grading Contractor. 100% paid health insurance. Commercial Contractors Equipment, Inc., 701 NW 27th, Lincoln, NE 68528, 402-476-1711. EOE

JOB OPPORTUNITY

Accepting Applicants for Clerk in the Richardson County Treasurer's Office

Competitive pay with Excellent Benefits with June 1st start date.

Qualifications:

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- Related Work Experience or Higher Education Preferred
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- Attention to Detail
- Organized
- Customer Service Oriented
- Works well in a Team Environment
- Proficient in Microsoft Word and Excel

Richardson County is an Equal Opportunity Employer

If interested send resume and three references to the Treasurer's Office, 1700 Stone Street, Falls City NE 68355 by May 20th, 2016. 15-e-17-e-19

POSITION OPENING
Registered Nurse

Pawnee County Memorial Hospital has a position available for a full time Registered Nurse. We offer an excellent salary and benefits package with shift differential, rotating day/night shifts and work every 3rd holiday.

To apply, stop by or visit our website at
www.pawneehospital.com *PCMH is an EOE*

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POSITION OPENING
Laboratory Manager

Pawnee County Memorial Hospital is seeking a full time Laboratory Manager. Our small town atmosphere offers a professional environment in a critical access facility with a competitive salary and benefit package. Must be able to take call on a rotating schedule, and respond to hospital call within 25 minutes.

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HELP WANTED

S.E.N.D.S. has an on-call substitute Community Support Professional position available. The position may require overnight hours. The overnight hourly rate for this position is $9.02. The non-overnight hourly rate is $12.76. The closing date is April 25, 2016. The individual must be or must become Medication Aide Certified. Call Tiffany or Shannon at SENDS in Auburn, 274-4996 if interested. EOE. 14-15

KICKAPOO TRIBE GAMING COMMISSION POSITION

The Kickapoo Tribe Gaming Commission is seeking a Director of Gaming Inspectors. The position is full-time. Must have two (2) years' experience as a Gaming Inspector or experience in Gaming Management/Supervisor. Oversees all Gaming Inspectors and reports to the Executive Director of the Gaming Commission. Responsibilities included in job description. Salary is BOE. Indian Preference will apply. Closing Date: 4/19/16.

All applicants who are considered for employment must pass a drug screening & submit to an in-depth background investigation to obtain a Cat. 1 Gaming License.

Apply at the Kickapoo Tribe Gaming Commission office: 888 K-20 Highway, Horton, Kansas 66439. PH: (785) 486-3180 12-15

COMMUNITY HEALTH REPRESENTATIVE ASSISTANT - SAC AND FOX NATION FULL TIME POSITION

The Sac and Fox Nation has an immediate opening for a full time Community Health Representative Assistant (working four 10 hour days Monday – Thursday) with attractive benefits package offered. Officed in Reserve, the purpose of this position is to provide information on health issues and assistance to Native Americans living within the Service Area of the Sac and Fox Nation of Missouri to include: Responsible for making home visitations to distribute health information, and obtain vital signs. Responsible for providing safe, dependable transportation to clients in need, which may include trips to Holton, Mayetta, Topeka, Kansas City and other sites in Kansas and Nebraska.

This position requires a high school diploma or GED certificate. Must have a valid driver's license, and maintain a clean driving record. Must be able to communicate effectively both in writing and orally.

Preferred qualifications include previous CHR experience or experience working in the medical field and an associate's degree in health sciences.

Application form and a more complete job description can be picked up at the Sac and Fox Tribal Administrative Office, 305 North Main Street, Reserve, KS or requested via phone at (785)742-7471 or via email awoods@sacandfox-casino.com. Submit the application form, cover letter, and resume, outlining your skills, background, and interest in the position to Grace Ross at gross@sacandfoxcasino.com or submit a paper copy of the application form, cover letter, and resume, to Ashley Woods 305 N. Main, Reserve, KS 66434 or fax to (785) 742-3785 no later than 2 PM Thursday 5-12-2016

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SDPI/TRANSIT ASSISTANT SAC AND FOX NATION • FULL TIME POSITION

The Sac and Fox Nation has an immediate opening for a full time Special Diabetes Program for Indians (SDPI)/Transit Assistant position (working four 10 hour days Monday – Thursday) with attractive benefits package offered. Officed in Reserve, KS 50% of this position will be responsible for the day-to-day operations of the SDPI program for the Sac and Fox Nation of Missouri under the direction of the CHR/SDPI/Transit Coordinator. SDPI related duties include remotely support Native American Diabetes Prevention Program Sites in or near reservation, collecting data submission reports, summarizing information for review, answering questions by phone or e-mail, coordinating schedules and processing correspondence as requested.

The other 50% of this position will be to provide support and assistance to the SDPI/Transit Coordinator by serving in a flexible/combined roll serving the Transit Program as a part time Transit Assistant/ Transit Dispatcher/Transit Driver.

This position requires a high school diploma or GED certificate and three (3) or more years experience working as an administrative assistant or in the health care field. Must be proficient in MS Office and social media. Must be able to communicate effectively both orally and in writing. Must be a self-starter, highly organized and comfortable speaking in front of groups. Must have a valid driver's license.

Preferred qualifications include experience working for a diabetes program, clinical experience and/or experience working in the medical field & an Associate's degree in business or health sciences. Proposed starting wage $13 to $15/hour depending upon qualifications.

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CONSOLIDATED GRAIN AND BARGE CO.
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NUSSBSAUM PHOTOGRAPHY RIBBON CUTTING: From left, Pam Holle, Jim Smith, Kelly Carpenter, Joleen Stoller, Gary Jorn, Bob Morehead, Perry Wilhelm, Dana Rathje, Deb Morehead, Bill Nussbaum, Amy Nussbaum, Stacie Lewis, Emily Nussbaum, Mandy Morehead, Anthony Nussbaum, Becky Gilkerson, Becky Cromer, Carla Rhodd, Chuck Whitney, Martha Chapple, Cassondra Goff, Jessica Erickson and David Branch. (Front) Holding the ribbon; Isabelle and Wyatt Nussbaum.

'Nussbaum Photography,' as Emily always pictured it

Falls City has gained another asset to its historical downtown. Emily Nussbaum, a Falls City native, has returned to her hometown roots to provide a photography studio for the town and surrounding communities.

Emily, the daughter of Bob and Deb Morehead, of Rulo, began working at Binder Studio, a former Falls City photography studio, her junior year of high school. Since then, photography has been the only thing she can picture herself doing. Emily resigned from the position at Binder Studio to attend college, and later married Anthony Nussbaum, also a Falls City native and a current member of the City Council. In 2012, Emily started her photography business in Eagle. With their two children, Isabelle and Wyatt, the Nussbaums travelled back to Falls City often on weekends to spend time with their families, and to photograph Emily's Falls City clients.

'The drive back to Eagle kept getting more and more difficult to make. It was where we were living, but we knew it would never be home," Emily said.

In 2014, the Nussbaum's moved back home, where Emily continued her photography business. Anthony began working as the Housing Director for SENCA. Isabelle and Wyatt attend school at FC Sacred Heart and love being closer to family.

Now in her fifth year as a photographer, Nussbaum said her goal was to open a studio.

"I purchased my very first camera with the goal of opening a studio and I couldn't be happier that I accomplished that goal here in Falls City," she said. "It still feels unreal to unlock that door every morning knowing that I made it happen!"

Nussbaum Photography offers indoor and outdoor photography for newborns, seniors and families, as well as coverage for weddings and special events. In addition to the studio for indoor portraits, the space will be used as a showroom for the photo products she offers and an area for consultation and ordering. Emily encourages the Falls City community to visit the studio and contact her for any portrait needs.

SH youngsters given gift of reading, too

By: Caitlin Cooper

For the second year in a row, every kindergarten student in Falls City (both at Sacred Heart and public school) received a brand new book from the Scholastic Spring Book Fair. These books were donated as a gift in memory of Diana Kottich, who passed away in December 2014 after losing a battle with ovarian cancer.

Diana was a teacher with the public school system for several years and taught at a variety of levels from sixth grade down to kindergarten. She spent the last part of her career teaching kindergarten, and the young students held a special place in her heart. Diana had a passion for reading and felt it was important to pass it on to her students.

The FCSH kindergarten class happily accepting their new books. Front row, from left: Austin Bangert, Reid Wustrack, Milayna Crofford, Mya Dougherty, Taytum Maddox, Rylee Littrel and Adrian Coetzee. Back row, Supt. Fr. Thomas Dunavan, Linda Barnhill, Angela Simon, Steve Kottich, Erin Waller and Stella Waller.

"We are very fortunate that Steve Kottich continues to keep Diana's love of reading alive through the young students at both Sacred Heart and Falls City Public," Sacred Heart librarian Angela Simon said.

Each child gets to choose a book from a selection that students are able to read and comprehend at the kindergarten level. Libraries at both locations benefit from funds provided by the program based on the profit of the sales.

On April 7, Simon, along with Steve Kottich (husband of the late Diana and an alum of Sacred Heart), SH Language Arts instructor Erin Waller (Diana's daughter), preschooler Stella Waller (Diana's granddaughter) and SH kindergarten teacher Linda Barnhill distributed the books to the students.

"My favorite part about receiving a book was taking a picture with my class and Mr. Kottich," kindergarten student Adrian Coetzee said. "I picked the Nic Bishop book about spiders. I love the book and like that I can read it myself."

This year a total of 63 books were donated to Falls City students on behalf of the Diana Kottich Memorial Fund.

Primary election

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to them is 4 p.m. Wednesday, May 4. That request must be signed."

Gale said the easiest method for receiving an early voting ballot is to request it from the county election office. Forms are also available on the Secretary of State's website. Signed forms must be mailed, emailed or faxed to the proper county election office for processing.

In-person early voting at county election offices will commence on April 11. It ends on May 9, the day before Election Day.

"Given the many opportunities that voters have to cast a ballot, I'm hopeful participation will be high during the primary," said Gale. "It is important to have as wide a consensus on candidates and issues as possible, to ensure that the voice of the people is truly represented."

Early voting for the May 10, primary election is available at the office of the Richardson County Clerk, Room 203, Courthouse, in Falls City.

Ballots can be mailed to voters upon the receipt of an application or a written request signed by the voter or their agent and delivered to the Office of the County Clerk. Early voting ballots can also be picked up in person and voted at the Office of the County Clerk through May 9 during regular business hours.

Application forms for Early Voting Ballots are available at www.co.richardson.ne.us

The deadline for those persons who would like to vote in the May 10 primary and who have not previously registered in Richardson County or would like to change their party affiliation is Monday, May 2. Voter registration is taken at the Office of the County Clerk during regular business hours, and on Monday, May 2, the office will remain open until 6 p.m. Registrations will also be accepted at the Humboldt City Clerk's Office during regular business hours. Voters can also register at ne.gov/go/NEreg2vote

People are urged to check their voter registration status at www.votercheck.necvr.ne.gov or by contacting the Richardson County Clerk's Office at 402-245-2911.

The deadline for any voter registration form other than in person is Friday, April 22.

For more information, contact the Clerk's Office.

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Rachael Keithley

Rachael Keithley, a senior at Falls City Sacred Heart is the daughter of Michelle and the late Jerome Keithley, of Falls City. Rachael has been active in Volleyball, Basketball, Track, Music, One-act, Helping Hands, National Honor Society, and Band.

Rachael will attend Northwest Missouri State University, majoring in Business and Marketing.

Bailey Bindle

Bailey Bindle, a senior at Falls city High School is the daugher of Brian and Shawna Bindle, of Falls City. Bailey also is involved in Cheerleading, Dance Team, Volleyball, Student Ambassador, Golf, Drum Major and founder of Falls City High School SADD (Students Against Destructive Decisions)

Bailey will attend Peru State College, majoring in Criminal Justice Counseling and Psychology, minoring in Substance Abuse Counseling.

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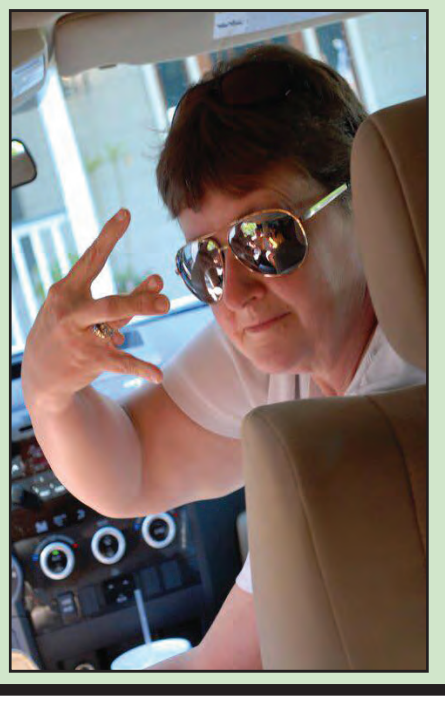
Falls City Journal READER PHOTO OF THE WEEK

This week our photo was submitted by Harold Alexander.
The topic was 'Gettin Down with your bad self'



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Submit photos to: **journalpotw@gmail.com** before Noon on Monday. Each weeks winner can come by the Journal office at 1810 Harlan St., to receive their prize!

Next week...

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