

Mayor reiterates support for EDGE

Mayor Tim Hersh expressed his support for Falls City EDGE when the City Council met Monday, Nov. 5, in Council Chambers.

He thanked EDGE Executive Director Beckie Cromer for her quarterly report and said he knows the job of economic development can be "very stressful" and that he and the City "support you 100 percent."

The stress Mayor Hersh spoke about involves the proposed Consolidated Grain and Barge project, a \$23-plus million development in south Falls City. The project has sparked a lawsuit and criticism from some businesses and citizens who believe it would be harmful to established businesses in the county.

In her report, Mrs. Cromer said her office has been pretty much consumed by the CGB project and wants to make sure that all EDGE partners and the public is informed about the project. She said EDGE is doing all it can for its "corporate partners" in Falls City and encouraged citizens to access the web and attend public town hall informational meetings as Falls City moves forward.

Mrs. Cromer also spoke about an extension of the Memorandum of Understanding regarding Vantec, recommending that the extension be granted. She said Vantec's profile is "on an up-tick," although the manufacturing plant is suffering as so many others are in this economy. City Clerk/Treasurer Gary Jorn said Vantec "is meeting their obligations" included in the MOU, with the exception of employment numbers, which are at about 50 percent of those

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HEART-WARMING, as always, to see elementary school forward in a brisk headwind in the parade down Stone Street children participating in Veterans Day activities. Monday, children from both Falls City Public School and FC Sacred Heart marched

Monday afternoon.

'Stars and Stripes Forever'

Veterans Day in Falls City has been a special event since the late Marshall Maddox made it that way. His wife, Sherry, with lots of help from Veterans organizations, has continued the tradition.

exception. Flags were flying, bands were playing and young people were singing. The gymnasium at Falls City High School was filled Monday morning with those who simply wanted to honor those who serve, and have served, their country with honor and distinction. Richardson County, NE, boasts a proud military and service to country tradition that is acknowledged at this time of year, every year.

Mrs. Maddox introduced Viet-

nam veteran Roy Schoen, who now serves as a team leader for the Lincoln Veterans Center, which provides readjustment counseling services to young men and women who are returning from war. She said the 11 Monday, Nov. 12, was no a.m. ceremony was intended to honor all veterans, those who now serve and those who have served. Mrs. Maddox pointed to the Veterans Day ceremony Sunday at the Tomb of the Unknown in Washington, where President Barack Obama laid the traditional wreath and described this nation's veterans as "the real heroes."

> "We honor their contributions and sacrifices," Mrs. Maddox said, and those of their families.

Schoen said it was "an honor" to speak in Falls City and honor the veterans in the audience, including those he knew from Vietnam and the World War II vets in attendance.

"Every veteran has a different story," Schoen said. He urged the students in the audience to "ask them" for those stories and "encourage them" to share them. Those stories, he said, are "sorely missing" from our national discussion and history.

Schoen said he comes from a "very patriotic" family that taught responsibility for the community and "service to our country." He quoted the pledge all make as they enter the military, urging young people to "pay attention" and "recognize and participate in the process" that defends America's way of life and its political process. "Register to vote and vote," the speaker said.

After his remarks, Schoen invited questions from the Falls City High and Sacred Heart students in attendance.

He said he would "like to see universal" service from young people, be it in the military, Peace Corps or Teacher Corps." With service now volunteer, some personnel have logged four or five tours of duty in places like Afghanistan, because of a lack of numbers.

Schoen said he and his colleagues deal with cases of PTSD, drug and alcohol abuse and fam-

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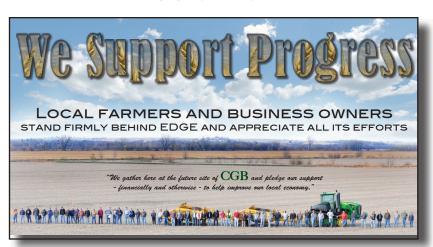
The Maestro

David von Behren, a senior at Falls City High School, has been selected to sing in the Nebraska All-State Choir and to play Violin I in the Nebraska All-State Orchestra. This is the third consecutive year he has made both All-State ensem-

Each year, over 2,000 of the best high school musicians in the state audition for the Nebraska All-State Chorus, Orchestra, Band, and Jazz Band, which are sponsored by the Nebraska Music Educators Association. Rules state that a student can audition for more than one ensemble but must rank them in order of preference. Since David ranked orchestra first and choir second, he will be among 127 students selected to be part of the 2012 All-State Orchestra.

The orchestra will rehearse Wednesday, Nov. 14, through Friday, Nov. 16, on the University of Nebraska-Lincoln campus, the host site of the 2012 NMEA Conference-Clinic. A final public concert will be held Friday, Nov. 16, at the Lied Center for the Performing Arts on the UNL campus. Performance times are: 4:30 p.m., All-State Jazz Band and All-State Chorus; 7:30 p.m., All-State Band and All-State Orchestra.

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Reflections on Veteran's Day

Reflections on Veterans Day By Congressman Jeff Fortenberry

In 1944, along the northern coastline of France in a place called Normandy, the future of civilization hung in the balance. At 6:30 a.m. on June 6, the first wave of American troops landed at Omaha Beach. As their Higgins boat troop carriers opened, 18 and 19 year-old young men from cities and farms, from New York to Nebraska, were asked to do the impossible. Dash across hundreds of yards of open beach with no cover, face a hail of German gunfire, mines and mortars,



and take the high ground. Somehow, someway, they withstood the violence and made their way to steep hillsides.

Last winter, I stood where those soldiers landed, at the water's edge, and looked across that beach. It is hard to get the mind around the chaos of that day - to feel what they felt - as the horror unfolded. I made my way to the hillside, now so peaceful and lovely, and stood in a German bunker. A young German soldier named Severloh manned the machine gun that day. He fired for nine hours straight, weeping at the slaughter as I was told.

I walked around the nearby American cemetery, with its orderly rows of white crosses testifying to the dear price our soldiers paid. I stopped at the grave of Billy D. Harris from Oklahoma. He had married young and died young. His young wife didn't know her husband had been killed and buried there until about ten years ago. Such is the chaos of war. She never remarried – she had all her hopes that her husband would return.

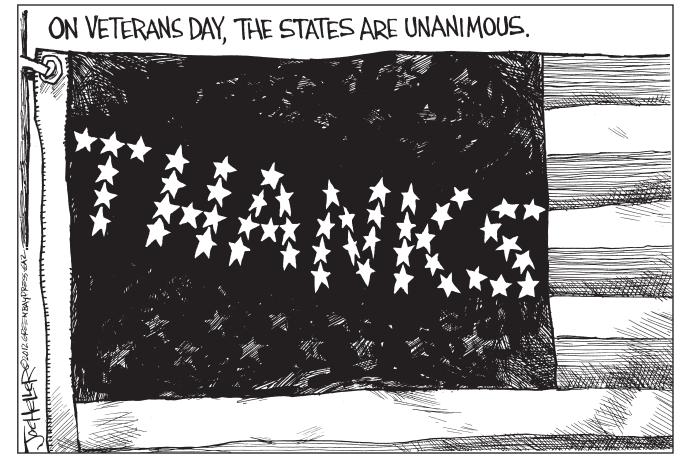
I proceeded on to the little town of Sainte-Mère-Église where our airborne troops landed the night before the D-Day invasion. Some fell into the town square occupied by the Germans. One soldier's parachute got caught on the church roof and he hung there as the battle raged below. A replica of the parachute and soldier still hangs from the church.

In August of 1944, a young medical doctor left his wife and two children and joined the army. He initially headquartered in a hospital in England, where the last official records show he was located. As Patton's army moved against the Germans, Captain Luther Fortenberry went into action in France, probably to begin field hospital operations. In November of 1944, he was killed by ordinance explosion. He was my grandfather. He was initially buried at the cemetery at Sainte-Mère-Église and eventually reinterned at Arlington National cemetery in northern Virginia.

As part of our civic life, we honor the memory of all those who have served us. We all know of the great battles and heroic sacrifices at places like Bunker Hill, Omaha Beach, Khe Sanh, and Fallujah. What we do not know are the untold stories, witnessed by no-one, of Americans who fought it out to the death to preserve our country. We also do not know the untold stories of the many who left their families and quietly performed their duty, with no questions asked or demands made. The veterans who maintained tanks and aircraft, cooked, computed, cleaned, and drove.

To all who have served: Thank you. We honor you this Veterans Day. We have just been through a very hard fought, difficult election. Yes, it was a bit nasty, a bit out of the margins of civility, but it was still conducted without violence and without bloodshed. Veterans Day reminds each generation that sometimes the tranquility of order comes at a very high price.

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Voters say 'No' to more pay for senators, longer term limits

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

Nebraska voters gave an overwhelming "no" to paying state senators more money and extending the now limited terms they can serve. But they approved of placing the right to hunt and fish in the state constitution and a measure that would make it possible to impeach officials for wrongdoing done while campaigning.

While they were at it, they returned Nebraska to the status of having two Republican U.S. Senators for the first time in 36 years with Deb Fischer's defeat of Bob Kerrey by 118,217 votes according to unofficial returns by the Secretary of State.

Fischer, a Sandhills rancher and former state Senator, defeated Kerrey, a decorated war hero who had also served one term as Nebraska governor and two terms as a U.S. Senator before moving to New York City where he became a college president. Fischer's 58 percent to 41 percent drubbing of Kerrey came mostly at the hands of voters in Nebraska's sprawling Third District where cattle clearly outnumber voters and the land - even that disputed parcel in Cherry County that Kerrey tried to make an issue

goes on for miles. Not since Republican U.S. Senator Roman Hruska, a David City native, retired in 1976 after 22 years in Washington, has the state had two Republican U.S. Senators. The venerable Carl Curtis, a Kearney County native, went to Washington in 1955 and stayed until 1979. But former Omaha Mayor Ed Zorinsky, a Democrat, changed all that in 1976 when he defeated Republican John Y. McCollister and started the one from each party Senate makeup. Jim Exon, Bob Kerrey and Ben Nelson, all three former Democratic governors in a mostly Republican state, wore the title of the other U.S. Senator from Nebraska during the 36 years.

Voters gave a 68 percent to 31 percent rejection to a legislative pay raise to \$22,500. The going rate for Nebraska's 49 state senators in the officially non-partisan Unicameral has been \$12,000 since 1988. Proponents of the increase argued that the major obstacle to raising the salary is the basic misunderstanding of just how hard they work for the money. Opponents said that the average senator receives a \$12,660 per diem reimbursement each year. Lawmakers who live within 50 miles of the Capitol receive \$46 a day during each day the Legislature is in session. Those further than 50 miles away receive \$123 a day and payment for one round-trip home per week.

Voters also said "no" to expanded term limits from two terms to three terms. The vote against was 64 percent to 35 percent for, according to unofficial results reported by the Secretary of State. The term limits first went on the books in 2006 after Nebraskans bought into the idea that this would be a great way to "get rid" of certain senators with whom they had become disgruntled. Interestingly enough ... "He's Baaaaaacccckkkkk!" Omaha voters gave the nod to the legendary Ernie Chambers

in his bid to come back after sitting out the mandatory one term. He defeated incumbent Brenda Council 67.16 percent to 32.84 percent after she was charged with gambling away campaign funds and received only misdemeanor penalties after agreeing to seek treatment.

Seventy-six percent of Nebraska voters agreed with a ballot measure to enshrine hunting and fishing in the state constitution. Nebraska was one of four states considering the move -- Idaho, Kentucky, and Wyoming were the others and 13 states already have it and seven others considered it but didn't put it before voters. Proponents said it is important to protect the sports now before animal rights

groups act to challenge that.

A final ballot measure to make it possible to impeach officials for wrongdoing done while campaigning passed 83 percent to 16 percent. Currently, Nebraska elected officials can only be impeached for actions they take while in office. Proponents said the measure plugs a loophole exposed by the case of former University of Nebraska Regent David Hergert who was impeached in 2006 and removed from office for manipulating campaign finance laws when he ran for election in 2004. They said that he was impeached only because he signed a false campaign finance report after taking office.

STATEPOINT CROSSWORD **THEME: Thanksgiving**

ACROSS Necklace feature 6. *He moved Thanksgiving Day to extend holi-

day shopping season

13. Swahili, Zulu and other languages 14. Bard's "before" X-ray generator

16. The dish ran away with this 17. Swedish shag rug

18. Second most-populous country 19. *Presidential offering to a turkey 21. *He designated last Thursday of November

as Thanksgiving Day

23. Creme de cassis plus wine Every which was

25. Water tester 28. Relative of a gull

30. Sans clothes, as a social practice 35. Humming noises

37. Gives a helping hand 39. Lecterns

40. Left behind by a mosquito

41. Found under a bowl or dish 43. Done to an iPod

44. It's good, according to Gordon Gekko 46. *Most put this up around Thanksgiving time

47. Kill, as in dragon 48. Paid close attention

52. Fleur-de-53. Any time now

50. Possesses

55. Gymnast's goal
57. *Seafood at first Thanksgiving

61. *It also celebrates Thanksgiving, but on different day than U.S.
64. Plural of #58 Down

65. Dance-around-the-pole month

67. Game outcome

69. Active or lively

70. Proof of age, pl.

71. Bay window

72. Egg yellow

74. Kidney-related

*It airs Thanksgiving Day football and 60 Minutes 2. Nomadic people of northern Scandinavia 3. Dwarf buffalo

4. Baby carrier?5. Presidential debate analyst, e.g.6. Little girl in "Charlotte's Web"

7. Sometimes used to describe humor 8. Camelot to King Arthur, e.g.

10. ____-European language
11. Jack and Jill went to fetch this

Diagnostic test

15. Make a connection 20. Companion of A

22. Charge carrier

24. Metal support for logs in fireplace 25. *Good place to check turkey temperature

26. Grossly unconventional

27. Roast host 29. Heavy Metal band Quiet

31. Sleep in a convenient place

32. Tennyson's poem, e.g. 33. Red Sea peninsula

34. *Thanksgiving Parade host

36. Lose one's coat 38. Multitude

42. Woman who talks too much, Yiddish 45. "Cease and

49. They said their "I___"

51. Metal detector, e.g. 54. Relating to ohms

56. Mother-of-pearl

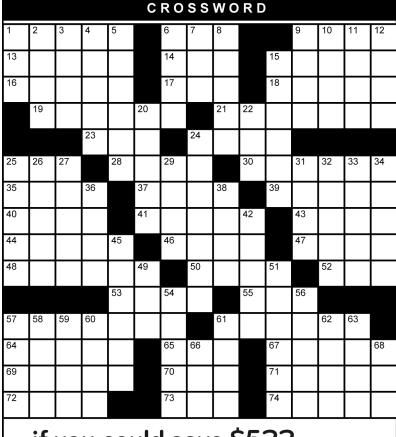
57. All-in-One Printer button

58. Three-layer cookie 59. Game show "Let's Make a 60. *Turkey is cut with a carving knife and

61. Benign lump

63. Domain or field

66. Commotion or fuss 68. Architectural add-on



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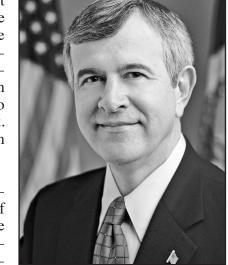
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Mike Johanns



I am very pleased to extend a warm welcome to Senator-elect Deb Fischer as a colleague in the U.S. Senate. Nebraskans have entrusted us with the tremendous responsibility of representing their ideals and concerns in Washington. I look forward to working with Deb to do just that. She'll take the oath of office in January.

Before that happens, Congress has a serious laundry list of issues it must address. Terms like "fiscal cliff" and "Taxmageddon," referring to a host of deadlines and tax increases at the end



of 2012, paint a stark picture. The situation we are in is severe, and the need to reach some agreement is imminent. Failure to do so will have a potentially devastating impact on families and businesses in Nebraska and across the country. With only a few weeks before the end of the year Congress must address these fiscal challenges.

It's important to pull the curtain back and understand what is at stake behind the catch phrases and labels. The current tax rates, which have been in place for the last 12 years, are set to expire at the end of this year, just as some new taxes are scheduled to take effect. At \$536 billion per year, this would be the single largest tax hike in U.S. history. Roughly half comes from the expiration of the tax rate reductions and investment income tax rates implemented during President George W. Bush's tenure.

Many Nebraskans are rightfully concerned about the expiration of estate or "death" tax policy. Currently, estates in excess of \$5 million are taxed at 35 percent. If this policy is allowed to expire, estates will be taxed at a rate of 55 percent with only a \$1 million exemption, dramatically expanding the scope of those affected. While a \$1 million estate sounds like a lot of money, more than half of Nebraska's farms would exceed this exemption in land value alone.

Another looming tax hike is the Alternative Minimum Tax, which was originally designed to keep high-income earners from avoiding income taxes through various exemptions. However, over the years, the "high income" threshold has been eroded by inflation. This mark for a family filing joint taxes is currently \$74,450, but if congress doesn't act, it will revert to \$45,000. The Congressional Research Service estimates the number of Nebraska households impacted will climb from 16,546 in 2009 to 134,289 in 2013.

In addition, there are other expiring tax provisions including a number of popular deductions, like the child tax credit. To be clear, tax reform will not be easy. Deductions will be affected, but the goal is to lower overall tax rates and simplify your tax paperwork.

President Obama's healthcare law will also add an additional \$22 billion in new taxes next year alone. Besides those tax hikes, a round of automatic spending cuts known as sequestration are scheduled to kick in on New Year's Day. The cuts, totaling \$1.2 trillion over 10 years, are largely across the board, with half coming out of our national defense. I believe Congress must significantly reduce spending, but we need to carefully examine this blanket approach. I believe we can do better.

Despite disagreements about the right answer to our fiscal crisis, one thing remains uncontested: a new recession awaits us if we don't responsibly address this fiscal cliff looming on the horizon. It's time to make the difficult decisions that have been repeatedly put off. The alternative—crushing tax burdens and a shrinking economy—will undoubtedly be far worse.

AUCTION SATURDAY, NOV. 17TH, 1 P.M. 801 CHASE (BACKYARD) **Cash and Approved Local Checks**

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Vietnam veteran Roy Schoen, of Lincoln, spoke at the 11 a.m. ceremony intended to honor all veterans.

City Council

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anticipated.

Council members approved the extension.

Fire Chief C. Ken Simpson appeared before the Council to say the department is "a little short handed" because several part-time drivers have changed their regular full-time jobs and cannot fill in. He said he and Ralph Gilkerson have called for a part-time driver to work while they take a day or two off, to no avail. Simpson requested that more part-time drivers (a minimum of two) be added, which would not affect the Fire Department budget. The drivers would require training and would bring the total to eight positions. Simpson was very complimentary of the department members, saying he believes "we have the crew right now to get the job done." Council members approved the request.

In other developments, the Council:

—Approved a curb cut request at 1102 Stone.

—Approved minor changes in the City's Injury Prevention Program as recommended by the Safety Committee.

—Appointed Mike Dunn as City Attorney and Richard Halbert as Deputy City Attorney (reported in last week's Journal). Mayor Hersh had sought the resignation of Doug Merz and Bob Meyer from those positions, then, using his authority, removed them from the posi-

—Heard a report from Jorn regarding routine maintenance and projects within the city. Jorn asked that those who rent the auditorium leave it as they found it and said a problem has persisted with dogs running at large at Steele Cemetery. Should the problem continue, citations will be issued.

-Approved bids from EZ Construction Co. as recommended by SENDD for three owner occupied housing rehab projects. Each is in the amount of \$24,995.

-Approved requests for a wedding reception at Prichard Auditorium on Dec. 31, 2012, and that alcohol will be served.

The Mayor and Council met in special session Oct. 25 and held a public hearing regarding \$200,000 in redevelopment reuse funds. No one from the public spoke. Mrs. Cromer was present to say EDGE supported the measure, which received Council approval.

In addition, a loan/block grant of \$500,000 for the CGB project, as recommended by the Citizens Advisory Committee, was approved.

Veteran's Day

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ily conflicts with returning veterans. "We help them deal with these issues," he said, while noting that Post Traumatic Stress Disorder affects from 14 to 18 percent of the veterans he sees.

A student asked about the reality that "we don't seem to win wars anymore." Schoen said he did not "have a good answer for that," but pointed to the Vietnam War, that may well have provided strength to other southeast Pacific nations through the U.S. presence.

He encouraged everyone to welcome returning veterans and thank them for their service.

The program opened with the posting of colors by the Falls City Ceremonial Honor Guard. The Falls City High School band played "The Star Spangled Banner" and the Rev. Lyle Schoen provided the invocation. Mrs. Maddox, a member of the VFW Ladies Auxiliary and Veterans Day chairman, introduced guests. The combined FCHS and Sacred Heart chorus members sang "American Anthem." Rev. Schoen gave the benediction. The colors were retired by the Honor Guard as the FCHS band played "Stars and Stripes Forever."

Veterans Day activities included an afternoon parade on Stone Street and a dinner and program Monday evening at the First United Methodist Church.

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Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 22, 2012

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Sellers-Herling wed in July

Monty Sellers and Teresa Herling were united in marriage on July 14, 2012 at the First United Baptist Church in Hiawatha, KS. Pastor Greg Pudwill performed the ceremony.

Cathy Weddle served as Matron of Honor. Bridesmaids were Linda Wheeler and Desiree and Katelyn Herling, who also served as flower girl.

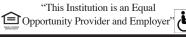
Gage Sellers served as Best Man. Groomsmen were Dr. Bryon Bigham, Kevin Herling and Jason Wissman. Caleb Herling was ring bearer and guest book attendants were Cortney Joslin

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and Kirsten Herling.

Flower arrangements and decorations were all made by Cathy Weddle and Susan Brazau, and Desiree and Katelyn Herling each designed their own dress-

Following the ceremony, the bride and groom arrived at the reception in a wagon decorated in the wedding colors of pastel yellow and green, and was pulled by Clydesdale horses. The couple honeymooned aboard Carnival Cruiselines, with stops at Key West, FL, and Nassau, Bahamas, where they enjoyed a dolphin encounter.

The couple is now making their home in Falls City.

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Service

Army Pvt. Travis D. Inglis has graduated from One Station Unit Training at Fort Leonard Wood, Waynesville, Mo., which included basic military training and advanced individual train-

During basic military training, the trainee received instruction in drill and ceremony, weapons qualification, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, physical fitness, first aid, and Army doctrine, history, principles and traditions.

During AIT, the soldier completed the military police specialist course to acquire skills to provide combat area support, conduct battlefield circulation control, area security, prisoner of war operations, civilian internee operations, and law and order operations. The trainee performed as a team member in support of battlefield operations, installation law and order operations and security of Army resources and installations. Additional training included providing peacetime support to the military community through security of resources, crime prevention programs, and preservation of law and order.

Inglis is the son of Ronnie and Kayla Inglis, of Falls City, and a 2009 graduate of FC High.

Society

Humane Society

Members of the Humane Society met at the Sun Mart Cafeteria Oct. 16. President Ardis Ramsey called the meeting to order and gave a prayer with nine members present. The secretary's report was given by Julie Phroper and Bud Gerweck gave the treasurer's report.

Unfinished business was the upcoming bake sale slated for Nov. 17 from 9 a.m.-noon at Shopko. To donate items call Marian at 245-3766. The Blessing of Animals with Fr. Larry Parrish of St. Thomas Episcopal Church was a success. He also made a special trip to ETC where pet adoption was being held and blessed the animals there. A big thank you to Fr. Larry and his helpers. Hopefully this will become an annual event. The Halloween party will be held Oct. 20. The Society has passed the state license for the Shelter.

New business is the great news of a donation from the Patty Plasters Estate. Patty, who lived in Stella, was very generous to a number of animal welfare groups. Bills were submitted and paid.

The animal report: There is a grey and also a white kitty and a terrier at the City Pound. At the Shelter Gracie, a high energy little dog, has been adopted. A big thanks goes out to all our volunteers who help us take care of our charges. The Society urges persons to refrain from trapping a cat; most of the time they are not claimed and the Shelter is full. Check around the neighborhood; maybe that stray dog or cat is someone's pet.

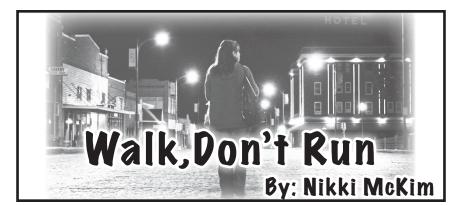
The next meeting is at Sun Mart Nov. 20. All are welcome.

AL Auxiliary Unit #222

The Shubert American Legion Auxiliary Unit #222 is sponsoring a Holiday Extravaganza on Saturday, Nov. 17.

The event will be held at the Shubert Community Building and will run from 8 a.m. until noon. The Auxiliary will be holding a bake sale to raise funds to promote the Legion programs in the area.

Also, there will be vendors selling books, health and beauty items, jewelry, cookbooks, other goodies, home decorations, kitchen items and crafts in general.



According to my husband, nothing beats a Husker Game. The crowd, sounds, smells, the familiar faces, he loves everything about it. As for me, I prefer a Royals game. But each year he still invites me to join him for my one game a season. Last year it was the Martinez led comeback vs. Ohio State......In the rain I might add. This year it was the Penn State game.....in the wind.

I looked forward to this game for one reason and one reason alone, some friends of ours who are Penn State alumni were coming to the game and bringing their beautiful baby girl along. I agreed to go to this game early in the year with hopes I could get to cuddle an adorable baby. Honestly, I would have been fine just skipping the game to hang out with the baby, but I knew how much Brian wanted me to join him. I hadn't been feeling great and really didn't look forward to the actual game. But, with this game I gained a whole new appreciation of what it means to be a Nebraska fan.

Chatting with our friends opened my eyes to a whole new way of looking at Husker fans. I am what you call a minor fan. I will wear the red, attend my one game a year and cheer when needed. Now, the other 99.9% of the state of Nebraska takes it a bit more seriously than I do. When you take something so seriously, it could be very easy for the anger to come out. So when I was chatting with our friends Laurie and Mike (Penn State Alumni) before the game, they shared some stories about some of the Penn State games they had attended in other places and how horrible the fans could be. That was until they came to Lincoln for the first time years ago. They said the fans were so welcoming to them, chatting, shaking their hands and even thanking them for coming all the way to Lincoln for the

Last year when scandal broke in State College, the fact that Nebraska was the team they would play immediately following was a relief to them, and it was a huge blessing that it was Nebraska on the schedule that week. The Nebraska fans were gracious, held them in prayer and cried with them. And this weekend, Husker fans again showed amazing qualities by openly welcoming the Penn State fans. Around the tailgate I heard a lot of talk of how wonderful our fans are. It is something that Nebraska prides itself on. I had read a lot of articles about how grateful Penn State was to our fans for how they acted last year, but to hear it directly from the Penn State fans gives it a whole new meaning. You could feel the appreciation and hear it in their voice. A year later we welcomed them and made them feel like we wanted them to be here. After a program has been through so much, it would be easy to chastise them but we didn't. Way to go Husker fans! I definitely agree that we are the classiest fans in the country. I never heard one lewd comment or joke. Many other schools had some disgusting shirts made up for their games against Penn State. I didn't see anything like that in Lincoln this weekend. That is class, and something we should be so proud of! Being in that stadium Saturday night, I felt more pride than I had ever before.

Oh, and I did get to cuddle that adorable little baby girl dressed head to toe in her Nittany Lions gear while simultaneously checking the size on her tags so I can send her the perfect Husker outfit for Christmas. Because every little girl needs the perfect Scarlet and Cream Husker outfit. Right?

I would also like to take the time to thank Kristi Bek for such a thoughtful gift after such a crazy election cycle! As you can imagine, things at the Journal were crazy to say the least, so kind words are so greatly appreciated! Since I started this column I have received some criticism that is to be expected, but I have gotten so many cards, letters and phone calls. I hope I find the time to write and thank each one of you personally, but you really have no idea how much it means to us in the Journal office when someone expresses how much they like our work. So, a HUGE thank you to our readers! Also, in case you were wondering as of today, we only have 9 days, 10 hours, 52 minutes and 6 seconds until Black Friday. Which means only 8 days until Thanksgiving, and I am pretty darn





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Historical Society

The Board of Directors of the Richardson County Historical Society met Oct. 27, with 11 members present.

Barry Haire, a project director with The Donning Company Publishers, gave a presentation concerning the publication of a Richardson County history. The process would involve nine to 12 months of work by the author and six months of layout, design, and proofing. An author would be hired and he or she would be in charge and would be the publisher's contact person.

Agreements would be signed with the author, sponsors, and the Society. There would be pre and post- publication sales campaigns. Mr. Haire's presentation was followed by a discussion about the process and the hiring of an author.

President Aaron Wing opened the business meeting at 9:55 a.m. Secretary Gary Nelson read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved as read. Treasurer Jo Ann Auxier presented the treasurer's report, which was accepted and placed on file.

Wing reported he had met with John Ray at the museum concerning a security camera system for the museum. Mr. Ray will present the board with an estimate. Auxier had met with Guenter Hussenoeder about the repair of the front door to the museum. Hussenoeder will donate his labor. She also reported that Allen Degase the donated his labor for the repair of the ceiling and upper porch area.

Gary Nelson and Ann Auxier reported that they had talked to Gene Thompson of the State Surveyors Association about the replacement of the historical marker sign that had been destroyed by the Missouri River

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flood. The sign has been made and the posts have been deliv-

Board members discussed the removal of the old posts and the installation of the new posts and sign. Nelson and John Seeba volunteered to inspect the site to see what needed to be done to remove the old posts and to contact Mr. Thompson about getting the new sign installed. Auxier had also discussed with Mr. Thompson the acquisition of a sign to direct visitors to the museum.

Nelson and Auxier reported on the Iron Monument renovation three Boy Scouts have taken on as Eagle Scout projects. Austin Schaible has replaced railing, widened the access trail, and removed trees as his Eagle Scout project. Tapsee Ogden has repaired and stained wooden structures, scraped and repainted the monument itself, and removed informational signs that had become weathered and discolored. Boone Berry plans to replace the split rail fence surrounding the monument, the slats on the benches located along the trail, and a step up to the monument.

Auxier reported that the Society's income tax return had been completed and would be filed and that The Waffle Man fundraiser had been a success. She also reported that the annual Christmas Tea will be Dec. 1 and that tickets can be purchased in advance only by contacting the museum. Members were asked to meet on Nov. 15 at 4 p.m. to decorate for Christmas. She also reported that Wilma Heiser had donated clothing and books and that Ken and Linda Flyr of Seward will deliver a slave cradle connected to the Maddox family.

Auxier moved that Ramona Godemann be appointed to serve the remainder of Jenny Margrave's term. Richard Meinzer seconded.

The motion carried. Seeba and Wing volunteered to help with snow removal.

The next meeting will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 17.

St. Paul's Lutheran LWML

St. Paul's Lutheran LWMI met Wednesday, Nov. 7, at 2 p.m. in the church social hall Janice Boden, president, read two brief inspirational articles from "Journey through Heartsongs," by Mattie Stepanek.

She then opened the meeting with roll call of eight members and one guest, Leona Damman. The secretary read the



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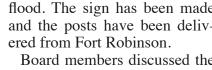
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(TOP) At the October meeting of lota Chapter of DKG, members brought canned food to be donated to the Humboldt SENCA. November's food collection will be given to the Falls City SENCA Agency. This is one of the chapter's service projects. Pictured are, from left: Kris Ogle, Karen Mezger and Susan Wissman. (RIGHT) Stacey Duerfeldt, Gail Froeschl, and Debora Palmer were initiated into lota Chapter of The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International, an organization that promotes and supports women educators in all fields of education. The chapter's next meeting will be held on November 27, 5:00pm, at the First United Methodist Church in Falls City.



minutes of the October meeting. The treasurer's report was read. A thank you note was read from the Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch. The kitchen committee reported that the kitchen needs a stepstool and the group approved the purchase of one. Norma Roland submitted bills for school bags, school supplies and cooker liners for the roasters in the kitchen and the bills were paid. A motion to pay the driver \$30 whenever items are delivered for LWR or OGT was approved. Also approved was the motion to give LWR \$400 for shipping costs of school kits, health kits and quilts.

The group will meet Wednesday, Dec. 5, at noon at the Richardson County Historical Museum for the Christmas dinner. The women were reminded of the Love Offering to the Hurricane Sandy relief effort. Members helping with the soup luncheon and auction of Nov. ll will be Norma Roland and Janice Boden, soup luncheon, and Judy Fritz and Kathy Niedfeldt, auction. The birthday song was sung for Leona Damman. Jean Niedfeldt and Joann Niedfeldt served a pumpkin dessert.

Ladies Auxiliary VFW

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #1765 met Nov. 5 at 6 p.m. at the Legion Club with a potluck turkey dinner.

President Vickie Zeigler called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance and the singing of the National Anthem. Chaplain Sharon Sells gave the opening prayer and read the ritual in the absence of Kim Oliver, patriotic instructor. Secretary Marilyn Capps read the minutes of the last meeting. Treasurer Charlotte Gentry gave the treasurer's report and reported membership of 105 continuous members and 18 life members. Membership stands at 55 percent. All dues of \$20 should be mailed to the treasurer.

Marilyn Capps reported 32 veterans' hours, 131 community service hours, donations of \$156, 176 miles driven, 34 hours of

FCHS One-Act performances for public

The Falls City High School One Act performers will once again put on their annual public show on Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 17 and 18, at the school auditorium.

Show times are at 7 p.m. Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday.

Two acts will be performed with each running about 30-40 minutes. There is no cost for admission, but donations are wel-

The first skit, Good Cop, Bad Cop, by Ian McWethy and Jason Pizzarello, is a comedy about two rookie detectives grilling a motley crew of suspects and

Americanism and 35 cards sent. She also gave a brief report of the meeting in Beatrice and noted that a free will offering was voted into place for each district meeting. The next meeting will be Feb. 28, 2013, in Pawnee City; further plans to attend will be held at the December meeting. Sherry Maddox announced plans for Veterans Day and members will meet at the High School at 10:30 and the parade at 1:30. The meal will be at the First United Methodist Church at 6 p.m. The Auxiliary again will purchase gifts for veterans in the nursing homes.

The meeting was closed with prayer to reconvene Dec. 3 at 6 p.m. at the Legion Club with a Christmas potluck and a \$5 gift exchange with each member to bring a canned item for the Food Pantry.



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And the Giants Fell, by Todd L. Ford, is a chilling look at two families facing the moments before the September 11th tragedy and their reactions following. The script follows characters through dark moments in their lives after the loss of a loved one or perhaps, the loss of their own life. This script also touches on the lost souls who did not get the chance to repent and must face the voice of the command-

And the Giants Fell will travel to Lincoln High School for a One Act Festival on Nov. 20 and to Milford on Nov. 30 to perform at the District level.



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County Court

Christina Fouraker, Falls City, attempt of a class 1 misdemeanor, sentenced to three days in Richardson County Jail, given credit for three days served, to pay fees of \$9.50, plus probation ordered for six months.

Civil Court

Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services and against Jennifer Judd, FC, in the amount of \$3,000.00, prejudgment interest of \$193.30, costs of \$63.50, with post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.137 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Tammi Payne, Auburn, and against Tabitha Wagner, Douglas, in the amount of \$1,015.14, costs of \$44.50, with post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.137 percent.

District Court

State vs. Tobias R. Jochum, FC, attempted possession of a controlled substance, plead no contest, sentenced to two years of probation, includes 30 hours of community service, to pay costs of \$143.50 and probation fees totaling \$750.00.

County Court Waivers (Court costs not included)

Mason Corliss, speeding (16-20), fined \$125.

Montejo G. Nicolas, speeding

(6-10), fined \$25.

Monte J. M. Nicolas, speeding (6-10), fined \$25.

Theresa L. Shipley, speeding (6-10), fined \$25.

Michael D. Frederick, speeding (11-15), fined \$75.

James. N. Kaiser, two counts of overweight on axle or group of axles, fined total of \$100.

Jeffrey G. Gaston, speeding (36+), fined \$300.

Shawna M. Rhodd, speeding (16-20), fined \$125.

Ben E. Steffen, speeding (11-

15), fined \$75. Karen S. Binder, speeding (6-

10), fined \$25. Accidents **Investigated by FCPD**

Tuesday morning, Nov. 6, 25 feet north of intersection at 11th and McLean Streets. Driver: Edna Elaine Willey, 2005 Blue Bird bus owned by FC Public Schools. Owner of parked vehicle: Alicia/Betty Henry, 2008 Pontiac Grand Prix. Willey stated she was stopped to turn left onto 11th St. when she observed a vehicle traveling north on McLean. Willey said she did not believe the other vehicle had room to get by so she pulled over and hit the parked vehicle. Estimated damage: \$500 to bus; \$500 to parked vehicle. No cita-

tions were issued.

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Mistrial declared in District Court

A 46-year-old Falls City man will stand trial again in January after Judge Daniel Bryan declared a mistrial last Tuesday in Richardson County District Court.

Michael Patnode is facing a Class 1-C felony charge of sexual assault of a child in the 3rd degree, and two Class 1-B felony charges of 1st degree sexual assault of a child. He has pled not guilty to all charg-

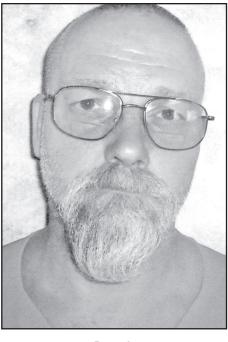
Patnode is accused of having sexual contact with a child less than 14 years of age on the first charge and on the other two charges Patnode allegedly subjected a child between 12 and 16 years of age to sexual penetration.

A new trial date was scheduled for Jan. 8 in Richardson County District Court, when Patnode will be tried on the same charges.

Attorneys for Patnode, who is accused of sexually assaulting a child, filed a Motion for a Mistrial, arguing that Patnode's 5th and 14th Amendment due process rights had been violated.

Jeffrey Pickens, lead counsel with the Nebraska Commission for Public Advocacy, the agency representing Patnode, said the violation occurred because evidence was introduced to the court that was unlawfully obtained when investigators with the Falls City Police Department first approached Patnode about the accusations. Mr. Pickens said his client requested an attorney when first approached by investigators, but information was gathered by the FCPD before Patnode was given representation.

"The 14th Amendment due process clause prohibits, at the state level, evidence introduced by the State that was obtained after Mr. Patnode invoked his right to an attorney," Pickens



Patnode

said. "I made a motion for a mistrial after a witness for the State testified that my client had requested an attorney and information was gathered from him without counsel being present.

"Judge Bryan gave the prosecution time to do some research and to provide some legal authorities as to why a mistrial should not be declared. Obviously Judge Bryan was not persuaded by those authorities and declared a mistrial. It's just a bright-line rule. It's very straight forward that when that (evidence is acquired after the defendant invokes his right to an attorney) happens, there's a mistrial."

Pickens said the law clearly identifies the procedural rights and restraints of the State and that the mistake to go forward with that evidence was made by the investigators and the Richardson County Attorney's

"It's because in a jury's eyes, only a guilty person would say, "Well I want a lawyer before I talk with you about these accusations," or, "I don't want to talk to you about them." That's why that kind of evidence is prohibited," Pickens said.

The Class 1-B felony charges carry a maximum sentence of life in prison, with a minimum sentence of 20 years. The 1-C felony charge carries a maximum of 50 years.

Patnode was convicted of sexual assault charges in January of 2001 and spent two years in the Lancaster County Jail.

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Whooping cough on the rise; doctors stress immunizations

(StatePoint) Pertussis, also known as whooping cough, is a highly-contagious and vaccine-preventable disease that has made a startling comeback across the country. It is currently responsible for causing the worst epidemic the U.S. has seen in 50 years, according to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), including 13 deaths.

"Immunization is still the best way to help prevent the spread of pertussis," says Siobhan Dolan, MD, MPH, an obstetrician/gynecologist and medical advisor to March of Dimes. "It's important for both children and adults to be up-to-date with their pertussis immunization."

Researchers have found that immunity from childhood pertussis vaccinations wears off over time, so the pertussis shots that most adults received as children may no longer fully protect them. The adult Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria and acellular pertussis) booster vaccine is recommended for adults to help keep them healthy and help prevent them from spreading diseases to others, especially children. The CDC recently updated its immunization guidelines, which now state that all adults aged 19 years and older who have not yet received a dose of Tdap should receive a single dose.

"Research has shown that when the source of a baby's pertussis can be identified, it's traced back to family members in up to 80 percent of cases," Dr. Dolan explained. "So it's imperative for parents to know that everyone around their baby -- parents, friends, caregivers, grandparents -- needs to have an adult Tdap booster vaccine."

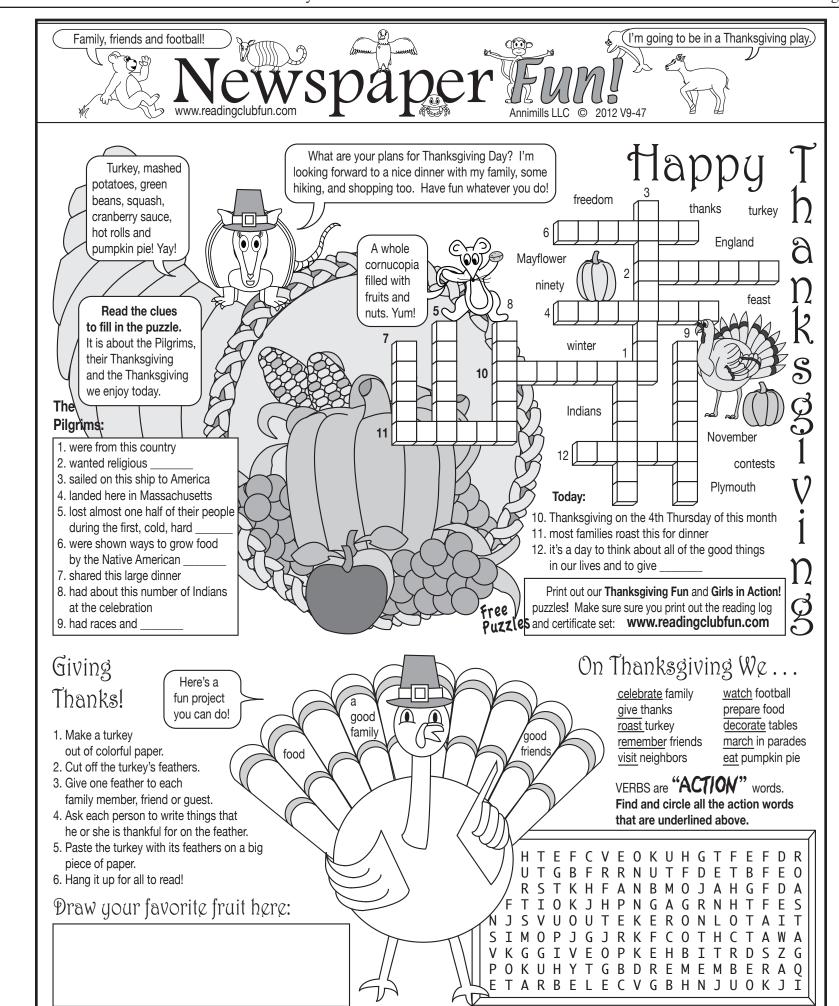
According to a survey conducted online in May 2012 by Harris Interactive on behalf of the Sounds of Pertussis Campaign, a joint initiative from Sanofi Pasteur and March of Dimes, more than 4 out of 5 parents with children ages 2 and younger (83 percent) believe adult vaccination is important to help protect against the spread of pertussis, but only 19 percent reported asking those in regular contact with their child to get a Tdap booster shot.

"The reason is probably because most parents -- 61 percent -- said they would feel awkward asking those in close contact with their infants to get an adult Tdap booster shot, according to the survey," said Dr. Dolan.

"Parents want to do all they can to keep their babies healthy and to protect them from danger," she added. "Speak to your friends and family about getting a pertussis booster. That simple 'ask' will help protect them and your baby from this potentially fatal disease."

More information about pertussis and the Sounds of Pertussis Campaign can be found online at www.SoundsofPertussis.com

And remember, although whooping cough may be on the rise nationwide, there are simple steps you can take to help protect your family: get your booster shot now and encourage those around you to do the same.



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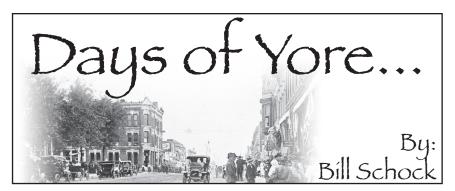
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50 Years Ago (Nov. 12-17, 1962)

Five Richardson County seniors at Peru State College were assigned to practice teaching posts: Tom Brown, FC, at FC; John J. Ramsey, Dawson, at Nebraska City; Gary Schlosser, Dawson, at Peru; Michael Zinn, FC, at Peru; Susan Hulbert, FC, at FC.

Emmett Deadman, ex-FC (his dad had been a Christian Church preacher), was named executive editor of the Chicago Sun Times. (Emmett had changed his last name to Dedmon.)

FCHS football players named to the Twin Rivers All-Conference team were Lawrence "Bo" Kirkendall, Dave Wickham and Chick James.

At Penney's you could buy a box of 50 Christmas cards for 77 cents.

L. L. "Skip" Slagle, ex-FC and Shubert, was an announcer at Radio WQVA at East Moline, Il.

The Game and Parks Commission reported that hunters had bagged 28 deer in Richardson County in the 10-day open season for hunting with a rifle. The youngest was Don Saal, 16, FC, who had taken a 6-point buck.

Approximately 130 high school juniors had participated in County Government Day in FC. Their schools were Sacred Heart, FCHS, Humboldt, Bratton Union, D-V, Shubert and Stella.

First Lt. Warren Babcock, Stella, was assigned to the Presidio

Walt Disney's super "Lady and the Tramp" was playing at the Rivoli.

The 70-piece FCHS band was judged High 2nd in Class A at the Pershing Memorial Marching Band contest in Lincoln. Bob Williams was the director.

A daughter was born Nov. 13 to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mez, Route

Army National Guard Pvt. Leonard P. Rieschick, FC, completed eight weeks of advanced weapons training at Ft. Ord, CA.

An item from the United Press: Aberdeen, Scotland—Auctioneer William Steward said a large crowd bought everything he put on the block over the weekend. He

auctioned off 5,000 old gravestones. 25 Years Ago

The beloved Rev. Ward Merritt, 74, Humboldt, suffered a fatal heart attack. In his 53 years on the pulpit he had performed about 9,000 funerals and 5,500 weddings. He told me that for one wedding he had the 7:30 times mixed up. He thought p.m. His doorbell rang at 7:30 a.m. and when he answered in his pajamas there stood the wedding party all set to go. He quickly changed into his ministerial attire and tied the knot. But he didn't know if they had lived happily thereafter.

Eighty-four flags were placed around the Courthouse square on Veterans Day by the VFW Auxiliary. The events included a program at the High School, a Stone Street parade and dinner at the Armory which was attended by 200 persons.

Marci Stevicks and Christina Dunlap, D-V, were named to the Homesteader Conference all-star volleyball team.

Theresa Knobbe, FC, was awarded an Ak-Sar-Ben scholarship

to the College of St. Mary's in Omaha where she was in the nursing

Neal Parsons and Dr. Nick Couse were co-chairmen of the Ducks Unlimited dinner at Camp Rulo where an auction raised nearly \$11,000 to be sent to the national DU organization to be used mostly for conservation projects.

Aaron Comer, 17, bowled a 300 at Center Lanes in the Sunday

Night Church League.

The Galaxy Conference all-star football team included: David Finck and Steve Simon, Sacred Heart; Brett Dunn and Randy Bohling, Southeast Consolidated; Daric Stalder, Ken Mehlin, Greg Hunzeker and Matt Bacon, Humboldt.

A quarter-pound cheeseburger would cost you \$1.49 at the Lil' Duffer.

The Richardson County chapter of the American Heart Association received a first-place plaque, per population, in fund raising. Wayne Stoller, FC, was county president.

15 Years Ago

Sacred Heart defeated Hyannis for the D-l state volleyball championship. The Irish girls, under coach Sue Ahrens, had a 29-2 season.

The stork report: Daughter Nov. 14 to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bauman, FC; daughter Nov. 3 to Mr. and Mrs. James Coonce, Rulo; son Nov. 10 to Mr. and Mrs. Jameson Baker, FC.

The Journal ran a photo of National Guard Staff-Sgt. Lyle Fritz, Verdon, a Marine Corps Vietnam veteran in uniform, and his small son, Ethan, marching by themselves in the Vets Day parade. Ethan is now a student at Texas A&M University.

F.N. John Crofford, FC, was serving in the Persian Gulf on the USS Peleliu.

The Pioneer Conference All-Conference football team included: Aaron O'Grady, Brian Lemerond, Travis Kopf, Brandon Sells and Eric Froeschl, Sacred Heart; Kody Hall and Jon Gossman, Southeast Consolidated; Jerremy Fankhauser, Humboldt.



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Mattie Mae Sim

Mattie Mae Sim, 87, of Lincoln, formerly of Shubert, died Thursday, Nov. 8, 2012, at her residence in Lincoln.

She was born April 7, 1925, at Shubert, the daughter of Arthur Lawrence and Mattie Katherine (Barker) Handley. She married Eugene Francis Sim at Nebraska City on Dec. 11, 1947. Mrs. Sim was a homemaker, clerical worker and sales clerk, and had lived in Bancroft, Coleridge, Beatrice, Mc-Cook and Nebraska City before moving to Lincoln in 2004. She loved gardening, sewing, cooking and traveling, and spending time with her grandchildren.

Survivors include her sons, Stephen Eugene Sim and Stanton Wayne Sim, both of Lincoln, a daughter, Mary Sim Barcelos Debebe and her husband, Joseph, Lincoln, two grandchildren, sisters, Mrs. Virginia Jensen and her husband, Donald, Lenoir, NC, and Mary Margaret Hoag and her husband, Kenneth, Sedona, AZ, and many other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband in 1998, six brothers, Wayne Barker, Gail Handley, Bryce Handley, Logan Handley, Landon Handley and Gene Handley, and a sister, Merle Nelson.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Nov. 13, at St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Nebraska City. Pastor Diane K. Jahn officiated. Burial was at the Wyuka Cemetery, Nebraska City.

Visitation was Monday at the Marshall Funeral Chapel in Nebraska City. Family choice memorials are suggested. Online condolences may be expressed at www.marshallfuneral.com

Norma Joy Mehlin

Norma Joy Mehlin, 86, Tecumseh, formerly of Humboldt and Auburn, died at the Belle Terrace in Tecumseh Wednesday, Nov. 7, 2012.

She was born May 8, 1926, the daughter of Leah (Shurtleff) and Joy W. Mehlin on the family farm in Nemaha County near Humboldt. Norma graduated from Bratton Union School. She continued her education at Peru State College, and earned a Bachelor of Science degree in education.

Following college, Norma taught in the Auburn Public School system for 42 years until her retirement. After her retirement, she continued to substitute teach as she was needed.

She was a member of Pleasant View Methodist Church, near Humboldt, until its closing, when she transferred membership to St. John Lutheran (Stone) Church in rural Auburn, where she was active in the Women of the ELCA and other church functions.

She held numerous memberships in local, state and national education associations throughout her career, and also belonged to Delta Kappa Gamma, Falls City Area Retired Teachers, Auburn Woman's Club and the Golden Rule Social Club. Norma enjoyed crafts, reading and working with her garden flowers.

Norma became a resident of Belle Terrace in October 2012.

She is survived by her cousins, Valerie Abid of Cupertino, CA, Robert and Lida Leech, Omaha, Richard and Trina Leech, Omaha, and other relatives and friends.

Norma was preceded in

death by her parents. Funeral services were held

Monday, Nov. 12, at Hemmingsen Funeral Home in Auburn. The Rev. Catherine Burroughs officiated. Burial preceded the services in Pleasant View Cemetery near Humboldt.

J.D. Lunsford

J.D. Lunsford, 19, of Falls City, passed away Nov. 7, 2012 at Falls City. He was born Sept. 25, 1993 at Falls City to John D. (Sr.) and Brenda (Packett) Lunsford.

J.D. was raised in Falls City and graduated from FC High School in 2012. During high school he worked at Sun-Mart and Sonic Drive-In. He also worked in the body shop at Armbruster Motor Co. He was currently employed by Wilde Tool at Hiawatha, KS. He enjoyed camping, hunting and fishing. He was a member of Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, Falls City and the Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska.

J.D. is survived by his parents, John and Brenda Lunsford of Falls City, sister, Jill Lunsford of Falls City, and grandparents, Marguerite and Patrick Packett of Falls City; many aunts, uncles and cousins. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Jim and Lois Lunsford and greatgrandmothers, Wanda Rhodd



and Margaret Packett.

A memorial service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 13, 2012 at Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church with Fr. Thomas Dunavan officiating.

The family received friends Monday at Dorr and Clark Funeral Home. Memorials to family's choice.

Donald Merle Peck

of Falls City, entered into rest on Nov. 11, 2012 following a brief battle with cancer. He was born Jan. 30, 1925 in Hiawatha, KS to the late Lester and Dorothy (Carr) Peck.

He served in the US Navy from Jan. 5, 1943 to Jan. 29, 1946. While in the Navy he was assigned as a gunman on a merchant marine ship where he saw active duty in the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. As World War II ended he was sent to Okinawa as a SeaBee and became a truck driver for another year before being honorable discharged in St. Louis as a Motormac 3RD Class. Don was awarded the Good Conduct Medal, ribbons and medals for the European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign and the Asiatic-Pacific Medal for his time as a member of the occupation force.

On April 4, 1947 he married Helen Joann Titus in Falls City, where they established their home. Don worked as a carpenter for Walter Wissinger, Bohrer Bros., Frontier Homes for seven years at Falls City, and at Cooper Nuclear Station at Brownville. He retired in 1990. He was a member of Carpenters Unions of Lincoln and Kansas City. Also he was a lifetime member of VFW Post #1765, Falls City American Legion Post #102, and Falls City Elks Lodge #963, and was a member of the Falls City Ceremonial Honor Guard. He was also a member of the First Brethren Church in Falls City.

Don is survived by his wife Joann of the home; daughters,

Donald Merle Peck 87, Linda Gerdes and her husband Roger of Falls City, and Cindy Strecker and her husband Ronald of Plainview, AR; three grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; a brother, Larry and his wife June of Spokane WA; and a sister, Ruth Graves of Falls City. He was preceded in death by his parents, a brother Gerald and a brother in infancy.

The body of Mr. Peck has been cremated. A Graveside Memorial service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 17, 2012 at Steele Cemetery with Rev. Fay Ann Blaylock officiating. Military graveside honors by Falls City Ceremonial Honor Guard.

Terron Jones

Terron Jones, 17, of Auburn, passed away suddenly on Wednesday, Nov. 7. He was born Oct. 13, 1995.

He is survived by his parents, David and Rachael Rieger, of Auburn; mother, Wendy Jones, of Lincoln; siblings, Felicia Vitale, Tauteyana James, Courtney Murphy, of Fort Riley, KS; Dontavious Strugen-Rieger, Tenerrea Jones, Brody Rieger, Morgan Rieger, Brianna Rieger, Tayana Rieger, Max Richter, all of the home; nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

A funeral service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 13 at Johnson-Brock School. Lunch will follow at the Johnson Legion building. Burial will be at the Wyuka Cemetery in Lin-

Visitation was Monday at the Hall Funeral Chapel in Auburn.



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Rushing-yds 28-9	97 48-299
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Passing yds1	31 33
Fumbles lost	1 0
Penalties-yds5-	30 4-30
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By Jim Langan

Something had to give Tuesday night at Jug Brown Stadium.

Two undefeated teams with contrasting styles of football Falls City Sacred Heart's explosive, quick-scoring offense versus Humphrey St. Francis' physical, chew-up-the-clock ground attack - collided on the turf of Thomas Field Tuesday night in the Class D2 semifinal and many in attendance expected a tooth-and-nail battle similar to the last time these two 8-man juggernauts squared off in 1996.

The outcome Tuesday night was much different, however, than that last second, heartbreaking loss for the Irish nearly 16 years ago to the day.



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HIGH FLYERS Humphrey St. Francis defensive back Chad Haiar (No. 7, left) and tight end Jake Werner (No. 87) showed the literal meaning of their school's nickname by getting up in the air to make plays for their team Tuesday night during their 38-13 victory over Falls City Sacred Heart in the Class D2 semifinal matchup. Haiar's play came on the defensive side of the ball when he jumped in front of Sacred Heart's Sean Strasheim (No. 40) to intercept a pass with 4:35 remaining in the first half. Werner's catch came three plays after Haiar's interception on a 3rd and 13 from their own 20-yard line. Werner pulled down the catch despite a great effort from Sacred Heart's Lane Scheitel. The pass-and-catch totaled 33 yards, extended the drive and eventually to the Flyers third touchdown of the game.

Third-ranked Falls City Sacred Heart, playing in their first semifinal since 2003, fell 38-13 to No. 2 Humphrey St. Francis, ending their season at 11-1.

At stake was a trip to Lincoln and a game at Memorial Stadium next Monday morning for a shot

Big and physical, St. Francis imposed their will early on and made everything difficult for the Irish, holding FCSH's explosive offense to 34 total yards in the first half and a season-low 97 on the ground for the game. Sacred Heart entered the game averaging over 320 yards per game on the ground.

Offensively, the Flyers backfield-JJOltmer(sophomore RB), Chad Haiar (senior RB) and Nathan Classen (senior QB) - ran behind five burly seniors up front – RG Tristen Foltz (235 pounds), LG Michael McPhillips (220), C Corbin Eisenmerger (235) and Ends John Wieser (215) and Jake Werner (195). The trio combined for 43 carries, 240 yards and all five of the teams touchdowns.

The first quarter felt like the first couple rounds of a heavyweight championship boxing match. Both teams sort of stood in the middle of the ring, feeling each other out and were content on throwing jabs. Neither team's offense really threatened in the opening frame, but the Flyers took control in the second quarter when their jabs turned into shots to the body by way of three impressive scoring drives.

Oltmer, who finished with a game-high 144 yards and a touchdown on 19 carries, busted loose early in the second

added a 33-yard run to set up the second touchdown and finally, a 14-yard burst led to the third score of the quarter and gave St. Francis a 22-0 halftime lead. The runs of 18, 33 and 14 all ended inside the 2-yard line at the south end of the field and each time Classen punched in the quarterback sneak.

The three drives totaled 24 plays and chewed up over 10 minutes of clock. The third TD came with just 47 seconds remaining in the half and seemed to knock the air out of Sacred Heart.

"Those drives were kind of demoralizing," FCSH head coach Doug Goltz said. "We watched enough film to know how physical they were going to be. That first quarter we did pretty well, but their runs sort of kept getting a little bit longer with each carry and we just struggled to get off their blocks. Our kids fought hard, but they just kept hammering the iso and that toss play at us."

Offensively, the Irish could not get anything established consistently, especially in the first two quarters. Sacred Heart had five drives in the first half, three ended with 3-and-outs and the other two were stopped by an interception and halftime. The first Irish first down did not come until midway through the second quarter.

"We struggled blocking their linebackers," Goltz said. "Their front five was so good that their defensive backs could play back and it really limited us as far as throwing the ball.

"We needed to cut into their lead before halftime, but

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at the state championship.

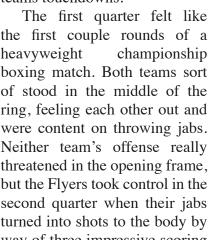
an 18-yarder to set up the first Flyer touchdown. Then, he

quarter for a 25-yard run and

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our small guys couldn't quite get their linebackers blocked, especially Wieser. We didn't get him blocked all night long."

Irish senior quarterback Lane Scheitel had a decent stat line through the air, finishing 10 of 20 for 131 yards, including a 49yard touchdown pass to senior Clay Finck late in the game, but an interception with 4:35 to go in the second quarter set up St. Francis' third touchdown.

Sacred Heart got some things going offensively in the second half, but two of their drives fizzled out on fourth down and another ended on a miscue between Barnhill and Scheitel that resulted in a fumble, setting up a nail-in-the-coffin Flyer touchdown two plays later.

On 2nd and 8 from the Irish 23-yard line, Oltmer took the pitch around the right end and broke free into the Irish secondary and ultimately delivered the knockout punch. He added the 2-point conversion and with 4:41 left in the third quarter St. Francis led 30-0.

The Flyers defensive front kept the heat on Scheitel the rest of the game, keeping him out of his comfort zone and never gave him a chance to establish a rhythm throwing the ball.

Goltz credited St. Francis' physical play and knew his team would have to have their best to advance to Lincoln.

"We were going to have to play a pretty flawless game," Goltz said. "We made too many mistakes and they are too good to make mistakes and win.

"We just didn't execute well enough."

Senior running back Lane Barnhill, who had one of the best seasons ever for an Irish running back, finished the game with 60 yards on 13 carries. Barnhill's 2012 season reads like this: 142 carries, 1,517 yards (10.6 yds/ att) and 31 TDs on the ground, as well as 9 receptions, 93 yards and a touchdown receiving.

Scheitel led the Irish defensively accounting for 18 tackles, eight of which were unassisted. Senior Brody Chandler was a part of 11 tackles, while juniors Jarod Fiegener and Brandon Schawang combined for 10 solo tackles and 24 total stops. Fiegener also recorded two quarterback sacks and finished the season with a teamhigh 13. Schawang finished the season as Sacred Heart's leading tackler with 114 stops, including 52 solo.

Goltz, who led the Irish to their state record 26th straight playoff appearance, praised his team's effort throughout the season, but particularly noted the effort and leadership his seven seniors provided in the offseason the last couple of years.

"This was a really special group of seniors," Goltz said. "One of the better groups we've had around here in awhile. The kids worked really hard in the offseason and it's been this senior class leading the way."

Joining Barnhill, Chandler, Finck and Scheitel in their final Irish football games Tuesday night were Will Burenheide, Brady Cromer and Derek Bippes.

Humphrey St. Francis will face Giltner in the Class D2 State Championship game Monday at 10:45 a.m.

Top-ranked Giltner (12-0) defeated Shelton 60-20 in the other semifinal Tuesday night.

INDIVIDUAL STATS vs. Humphrey St. Francis Rushing

SH — L. Barnhill, 13-60; B. Schawang, 2-2; La. Scheitel, 11-31, TD; S. Kean, 1-1; B. Chandler, 1-3.

HSF – J. Oltmer, 19-144, TD; S. Zach, 1-6; N. Classen, 7-11, 3 TD; B. Weidner, 2-2; C. Haiar, 14-78, TD; J. Werner, 2-51.

Passing

SH — La. Scheitel, 10-20-1, 133 yds., TD.

HSF — N. Classen, 1-4-0, 33 yds. Receiving

SH — C. Finck, 4-79, TD; L. Barnhill, 2-28; S. Kean, 1-0; C. Niemeyer,

HSF — J. Werner, 1-33. **PAT Kicks**

SH — Haralabidis, 1-1.

Tackles (solo-assists)

SH — L. Barnhill, 4-3; La. Scheitel, 8-10; C. Finck, 1-0; C. Dunn, 3-3; W. Burenheide, 3-0; J. Fiegener, 4-7; B. Schawang, 6-7; B. Cromer, 0-2; B. Chandler, 1-10; D. Keithley, 1-4.

Sacks SH - J. Fiegener, 2; W. Buren-

heide, 1. **HSF** — J. Werner, 1.





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MEMORY LANES Tailback/defensive back Lane Barnhill (No. 22, top) and quarterback/linebacker Lane Scheitel provided Irish faithful with plenty to remember over their careers. The tandem were both three-year starters for Irish head coach Doug Goltz and helped lead Sacred Heart back to the state semifinals for the first time in nearly a decade. This fall they combined for over 2,500 rushing yards and 69 offensive touchdowns.

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Falls City Sacred Heart breezed passed a previously once-beaten Lincoln Parkview Christian team, 63-0, in the second round of the Class D2 state playoffs Wed., Oct. 31 at Jug Brown Stadium.

The Irish played a near perfect first half of football and led 34-0 after the first quarter and 55-0 at the break.

Save for a few penalties and an extra-point attempt from junior kicker Yianni Haralabidis that was blocked by LPC, the Irish clicked on all cylinders.

FCSH scored on their first eight possessions, needing only 24 plays to do so.

Sacred Heart's defense posted their second straight shutout and held the Patriots to 161 yards of total offense. In 11 first half possessions for LPC, the Irish 'D' forced six three-andouts, seven punts and turned LPC over three times – INT, fumble and once on

Lane Barnhill (11 car., 130 yds, 2 TD), Lane Scheitel (4 car., 24 yds., TD, 6-6-0, 145 yds., 3 TD) and Clay Finck (2 rec., 77 yds., 2 TD) led the Irish offense.

Junior Brandon Schawang was responsible for 14 tackles - three of which were solo - to lead Sacred Heart's defense. Lane Scheitel was in on 13 tackles and recovered a fumble, and junior corner Chaz Dunn's first quarter interception led to the second Irish touchdown. Junior Jarod Fiegener and sophomore Logan Scheitel each recorded one sack.

INDIVIDUAL STATS vs. Parkview Christian Rushing

SH — H. Arnold, 1-6; L. Barnhill, 11-130, 2 TD; C. Dunn, 4-16, TD; S. Kean, 7-91, TD; Z. Kirkendall, 9-31; A. Malone, 2-4; B. Schawang, 2-7, TD; La. Scheitel, 4-24, TD; B. Witt, 1-0.

Passing **SH** – Lane Scheitel, 6-6-0, 145, 3 **Receiving SH** — C. Finck, 2-77, 2 TD; L. Barnhill, 1-6; C. Niemeyer, 2-41, TD; S. Strasheim,

PAT Kicks SH — Haralabidis, 7-8. Kickoffs

1-21.

SH — Y. Haralabidis, 10-482. **Kick Returns**

SH — S. Kean, 1-26. **Tackles**

(solo-assists) **SH** — L. Barnhill, 0-2; D. Bippes, 0-2; W. Burenheide, 1-2; B. Chandler, 2-5; B.

Cromer, 1-3; C. Dunn, 1-2; J. Fiegener, 1-6; C. Finck, 0-2; S. Kean, 0-2; D. Keithley, 0-3; Z. Kirkendall, 0-6; B. Schawang, 3-8; La. Scheitel, 1-11; Lo. Scheitel, 0-1; S.

Strasheim, 1-4. **Tackles For Loss** SH — W. Burenheide, 1; J. Fiegener, 2; B. Schawang, 3; Lo. Scheitel, 1; S.

Strasheim, 1. Interceptions-Return yds.

SH — C. Dunn, 1-6. **Fumble Recoveries**

SH - La. Scheitel, 1. Sacks

SH - J. Fiegener, 1; Lo. Scheitel, 1.

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Simon, Jacob Hoy, Branson Darveau, back row: Evi Schock, Jena Reeves, Emily Wertenberger, McKenzie Witt, Lexi Pokorny and Madison Littrel along with FCSH Principal Doug Goltz and Randy Gottula.

FC Sacred Heart 1st Quarter Green (94-100%) Honor Roll

7th grade — Joe Bieker, Abby Fiegener, Nate Finck, Matthew Gernon, Christian Harring, Robert Hermesch, Ryker Hoy, Madison Huppert, Brady Keller, Lauren Parrish, Miranda Raithel, Sara Wertenberger.

8th grade — Aly Bangert, Nora Barker, Lexi Barnes, Molly Brown, Libby Dunn, Haylee Heits, Jade Hill, Emerson Keithley, Noah Keller, Robert Olberding, Keith Salimo, Libby Schawang.

9th grade — Jacob Brewer, Joshua Froeschl, Maggie Goltz, Louise Hamilton, Reggie Johansen, Rachael Keithley, Natalie Kreifels.

10th grade — Nicole Fiegener, Sawyer Kean, Abigail Magdanz, Elizabeth Magdanz, Austin Malone, Abigail Neddenriep, Emily Rohrer.

11th grade — Kathryn Bieker, Chaz Dunn, Jarod Fiegener, Matthew Goltz, Ashli Jordan, Daniel Keithley, Colin Niemeyer, Rachel Parrish, Emma Schock, Sean Strasheim.

12th grade — Rachel Aitken, Clay Finck, Toni Kean, Janey Malcolm, Matthew Mullins, Lane Scheitel, Colton Witt.

Green (91-93%) Honor Roll

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Lenard, William Morehead, Andrew Neddenriep, Theo Rohrer.

8th grade — Bailey Coonce. 9th grade — Megan Strasheim.

10th grade — Kelsi Fouraker, Ben Mullins.

11th grade — Cassandra Bangert, Yianni Haralabidis, Brandon Schawang.

12th grade — Lane Barnhill, Derek Bippes, Will Burenheide, Thomas Froeschl.

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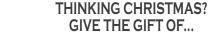
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LOCATION: Tract One is located southeast of the intersection of 633 Avenue and 737 Road; Tract Two is located diagonally across the road to the north from Tract One and is northwest of the intersection of 634 Avenue and 737 Road; Tract Three is located northeast of the intersection of 635 Avenue and 736 Road; Tract Four is located one mile north

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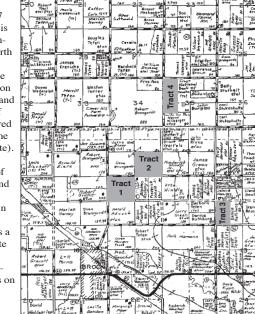
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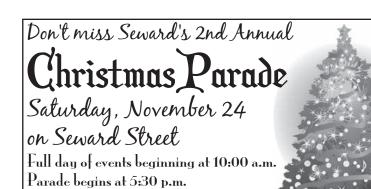
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- TOYOTA HIGHLANDER FWD w/3.5 eng, aod, 3rd row seat, full pwr, tow pkg.
- **EXPLORER LIMITED** w/4.0 eng, aod, 3rd row, full pwr, Leather, Moonroof, 72k 2007
- EXPEDITION XLT EL w/5.4 eng, aod, Leather, Entert system, full power, 81k
- miles, Nice EXPEDITION EDDIE BAUER w/5.4 eng, aod, full power, 106,000 miles, Good
- full size SUV TOYOTA SEQUOIA w/V8 eng, aod, Leather, Loaded, DVD, Sunroof, 85,000 one
- owner miles **EXPEDITION LIMITED** w/5.4 eng, aod, Moonroof, DVD, quad seats, 85k miles, VERY NICE
- 2005 EXPLORER XLT w4.0 eng, aod, full pwr, 3rd row seat, higher miles, priced to
- 2005 EXPLORER XLT w/V8 eng, aod, full power, Moonroof, 96,000 miles, VERY **CLEAN**
- 2005 EXPEDITION XLT w/5.4 eng, aod, full pwr, 3rd seat, rear AC/heat, 121,000
- **2004 EXPEDITION XLT** w/5.4 eng, aod, full pwr, keyless entry, very clean 134k miles CHEV SUBURBAN w/5.3 eng, aod, LT trim, Ent system, rear AC/heat, 174,000
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NOVEMBER SERVICE SPECIAL \$17.00 TIRE ROTATION WITH SERVICE JOB (CARS AND LIGHT TRUCKS ONLY)



The staff and administration of Falls City High School have announced the selections for October High School Students of the Month. The honors go to, from left: Cody Schawang, junior son of Dan and Kristi Schawang; Karlene Embretson, junior daughter of Kyle and Angie Embretson; Elizabeth Bauman, freshman daughter of Mark and Jenny Bauman; and Montana Jones, sophomore son of Susan Jones. The students were nominated by high school staff on their academic achievements, attitude, classroom contributions and work ethic. Each of the students was praised in nomination comments for "academic excellence, going above and beyond what was asked of them, their helpfulness, and their leadership, and serving as excellent role models for their peers," according to high school principal Gale Dunkhas.

SBA loans help vets start businesses

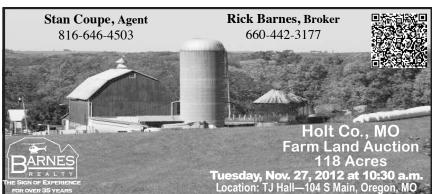
"Providing access to capital for Nebraska's veteran-owned small businesses is helping drive the state's continuing economic growth. Our SBA loan programs are helping make sure these veteran entrepreneurs have the resources they need to start, grow and succeed. Moreover, statistics show that the success rate of these veteran-owned firms in this country is higher than other startups, perhaps a reflection of the discipline, skills, and leadership experience acquired in military service applied to the marketplace," according to Mike Niehaus, the SBA Nebraska District Office Lead Lender Relations Special-

There were 27 SBA loans to veteran-owned small businesses in Nebraska in Fiscal Year 2012. for \$10.3 million in volume, representing seven percent of all SBA loans in the state this year. As a direct result of those loans to veteran-owned small firms, 284 new jobs are being created, and 600 jobs are being kept in the state. Loans through the SBA to veteran-owned firms went to help restaurant businesses, wholesalers, day care services, flooring contractors, technical services and retail outlets, among others, to grow and thrive.

Fourteen of those loans in Nebraska were through the Patriot Express program, the SBA's exclusive loan program for veteranowned businesses, for a total volume of \$702,000.

The Patriot Express program offers expedited and streamlined applications for small business loans up to \$500,000 for eligible military community members, including: Veterans, Servicedisabled veterans, Active-duty service members eligible for the military's Transition Assistance Program, Reservists and National Guard members, current spouses of any of the above, and the widowed spouse of a service member or veteran who died during service or of a service-connected disability. Patriot Express loan proceeds can be used for most business purposes, including start-up costs, equipment purchases, businessoccupied real-estate purchases, inventory, working capital, managing a business, expansion, preparing a business for the possibility of a deployment overseas, and setting up to sell goods and services to the government.

SBA continues to build on its successful programs for America's military veterans, helping tens of thousands of veterans each year with small business financing, comprehensive business training and counseling and access to federal contracts.









cerned: 67.5 percent voted in

District 1, 66.7 percent voted in

District 2 and 69.8 percent voted

est voter turnout was Hitchcock

with 86.7 percent. The next high-

est turnout was Sioux County

with 80.1 percent. The lowest

turnout was in Thurston County

projection, I am pleased that, by

and large, Nebraskans headed to

the polls," said Gale. "I know

that since early voting started

in October, our county election

offices all across the state have

been extremely busy. We appre-

are some races that may war-

rant an automatic recount, after

factoring in provisional ballots.

"There are a couple of Legisla-

tive races and one race for the

Southeast Community College

week to tabulate their provision-

al ballots and report the results.

The final statewide results will

Counties have until next

Board that could apply."

be certified on Dec. 3.

Gale also said that there

ciate their efforts as well."

"While we did not reach the

The county with the high-

in District 3.

with 46.8 percent.



The Runza "Great Books for Great Kids 2012" will fund the Friends of the Library's "Books for Babies" campaign. A welcome packet for new babies in our community at Community Medical Center and at the Falls City Library and Arts Center. Each new baby patron registered will be given a copy of the children's classic, Goodnight Moon by Margaret Wise Brown. Photographed, back row, from left: Barb Kinning, Jessica Perris, Jamie Weddle; front row: Denise Daake, Dianne Hinz and Gina Scheitel.

By and large, Nebraskans headed to polls

Based on the initial data, nearly 67 percent of registered Nebraska voters cast their ballot in the Nov. 6 general election, according to Secretary of State John Gale.

"That is short of our initial prediction of 71 percent turnout," said Gale. "We had

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF SUIT IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

COUNTY OF RICHARDSON. A Political Subdivision of the State of Nebraska, Plaintiff

MARY E. LINVILLE, et al., Defendants **CASE NO: CI12-123**

TO: Mary E. Linville;

John Doe, No. 1, and Mary Doe, No. 1, husband and wife, tenants in possession, real names unknown;

The heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives, and all other persons interested in the estate of any of the aforesaid Defendants who may be deceased, real names unkown:

All persons, having or claiming any interest in and to:

Lots One and Two and the South

40 1/2 feet of Lot Three, Block 26, Hagadorn's Addition to Noraville, now known as the Village of Dawson, Richardson County, Nebraska:

Defendants. You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 10th day of July, 2012, the County of Richardson, a political subdivision of the State of Nebraska, as Plaintiff, filed its Petition in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, against you and each of you and others; the hope and prayer of said Petition being to foreclose tax sale certificates and subsequent taxes on the above described real estate and that an accounting be had by the Court of the amount due the Plaintiff from the Defendants in the several and separate causes of action therein and that in default of the payment of such sums to be found due the Plaintiff, within twenty days from the entry of the decree therein, said separate and several parcels of real estate described therein be sold as upon execution, as provided by law, to satisfy the separate and several liens against said real estate and that out of the proceeds of said sale, Plaintiff be paid the sum found to be due and owing, with interest and attorney's fee, to be taxed at costs, together with the costs of this action; that the right, title, interest, lien and claim of the Defendants and each of them be determined, found and decreed to be subsequent, junior, and inferior to the liens of this Plaintiff; that the purchaser of each of said premises at said sale be put in possession thereof; that the Defendants, and each of them, be foreclosed of all right, title, interest, lien, and equity of redemption in and to said real estate and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable in the premises. ZNEZ

You are required to answer said Petition on or before the 27th day of December, 2012.

The County of Richardson, A Political Subdivision of the State of Nebraska, Plaintiff

7-13-20-27

By Robert J. Meyer, #22281 Richardson County Attorney 1719 Stone Street P.O. Box 569 Falls City, NE 68355 (402) 245-3222

hoped to come close, if not exceed what we had in 2008. All the conditions were ripe for that to happen. The weather cooperated, there were highly contested races, early voting appeared to be strong and polling places were busy on Tuesday."

Counties continue to count provisional ballots, which will bump up the final total. Provisional ballots are utilized if there are questions about a voter's registration. At this point, 779,285 people voted across the state.

As far as each of the congressional districts are con-

Neighborhood Watch meeting Thursday to address burglaries

Following burglaries in rural Richardson County and in Brown County, KS, a Neighborhood Watch meeting for Reserve and the surround areas will be held at the Reserve Community Building, the former high school, 401 N. Arch Street, on Thursday, Nov. 15.

The meeting will begin at 6

In an article in the Aug. 28 issue of the Journal, Richardson County Sheriff Randy Houser reported thefts of batteries, scrap metal and miscellaneous farm equipment in rural areas believed to be by two or three small groups of thieves.

Sheriff Houser said the thieves are targeting abandoned farmsteads, as well as occupied residences and operational farms, sometimes in broad daylight.

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Students

Scott Hammon, a senior at HTRS, was presented his Eagle Badge at a Court of Honor ceremony held at the Humboldt Presbyterian Church on Oct. 28. The Eagle Badge is Scouting's highest achievement.

Scott, a member of Troop 387, is the son of Deb Hammon of Humboldt.

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The Humane Society of Richardson County, Inc., & Dr. Sue Jennings wish to thank the following businesses and individuals whose donations of monies, silent auction items, food, time and hard work made the Spooktacular GHOST PIRATES HALLOW-EEN PARTY a success. Thanks to many others that may not be listed — we are grateful to each and everyone.

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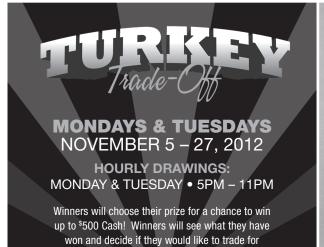
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NOTICE OF SUIT
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
RICHARDSON COUNTY,
NEBRASKA

COUNTY OF RICHARDSON, A Political Subdivision of the State of Nebraska, Plaintiff

CARL P. WILLIAMS and CATH-ERINE P. WILLIAMS, Husband and Wife, et al., Defendants CASE NO: CI12-130

TO: Arrow Financial Services, LLC; John Doe, No. 1, and Mary Doe, No. 1, husband and wife, tenants in possession, real names unknown;

The heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives, and all other persons interested in the estate of any of the aforesaid Defendants who may be deceased, real names unkown;

All persons, having or claiming any interest in and to:

Lot Eight, Block Eight, Original Town, Verdon, Richardson County, Nebraska;

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 10th day of July, 2012, the County of Richardson, a political subdivision of the State of Nebraska, as Plaintiff, filed its Petition in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, against you and each of you and others; the hope and prayer of said Petition being to foreclose tax sale certificates and subsequent taxes on the above described real estate and that an accounting be had by the Court of the amount due the Plaintiff from the Defendants in the several and separate causes of action therein and that in default of the payment of such sums to be found due the Plaintiff, within twenty days from the entry of the decree therein, said separate and several parcels of real estate described therein be sold as upon execution, as provided by law, to satisfy the separate and several liens against said real estate and that out of the proceeds of said sale, Plaintiff be paid the sum found to be due and owing, with interest and attorney's fee, to be taxed at costs, together with the costs of this action; that the right, title, interest, lien and claim of the Defendants and each of them be determined, found and decreed to be subsequent, junior, and inferior to the liens of this Plaintiff; that the purchaser of each of said premises at said sale be put in possession thereof; that the Defendants, and each of them, be foreclosed of all right, title, interest, lien, and equity of redemption in and to said real estate and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable in the prem-

You are required to answer said Petition on or before the 27th day of December, 2012.

The County of Richardson, A Political Subdivision of the State of Nebraska,
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7-13-20-27

NOTICE OF SUIT
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
RICHARDSON COUNTY,
NEBRASKA

COUNTY OF RICHARDSON, A Political Subdivision of the State of Nebraska, Plaintiff

vs. YE OLE TYME SALOON, INC., et al., Defendants CASE NO: CI12-129

TO: Ye Ole Tyme Saloon, INC.; John Doe, No. 1, and Mary Doe, No. 1, husband and wife, tenants in possession, real names unknown;

The heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives, and all other persons interested in the estate of any of the aforesaid Defendants who may be deceased, real names unkown;

All persons, having or claiming any interest in and to:

Lots Nine and Ten, and the South seven feet of Lot Eleven, Block Seven, Rulo, Richardson County, Nebraska;

Defendants. You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 10th day of July, 2012, the County of Richardson, a political subdivision of the State of Nebraska, as Plaintiff, filed its Petition in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, against you and each of you and others; the hope and prayer of said Petition being to foreclose tax sale certificates and subsequent taxes on the above described real estate and that an accounting be had by the Court of the amount due the Plaintiff from the Defendants in the several and separate causes of action therein and that in default of the payment of such sums to be found due the Plaintiff, within twenty days from the entry of the decree therein, said separate and several parcels of real estate described therein be sold as upon execution, as provided by law, to satisfy the separate and several liens against said real estate and that out of the proceeds of said sale, Plaintiff be paid the sum found to be due and owing, with interest and attorney's fee, to be taxed at costs, together with the costs of this action; that the right, title, interest, lien and claim of the Defendants and each of them be determined, found and decreed to be subsequent, junior, and inferior to the liens of this Plaintiff; that the purchaser of each of said premises at said sale be put in possession thereof; that the Defendants, and each of them, be foreclosed of all right, title, interest, lien, and equity of redemption in and to said real estate and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable in the prem-

You are required to answer said Petition on or before the 27th day of December, 2012.

The County of Richardson, A Political Subdivision of the State of Nebraska,
Plaintiff

By Robert J. Meyer, #22281 Richardson County Attorney 1719 Stone Street P.O. Box 569 Falls City, NE 68355 (402) 245-3222

7-13-20-27

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

The following-described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder in the hallway inside the West Front Door of the Richardson County Courthouse, 1700 Stone, Falls City, Richardson County, Nebraska, on January 4, 2013 at 1:30 p.m.:

LOTS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 AND 6, BLOCK 1; AND LOTS 1, 2 AND 3, BLOCK 1A, ALL IN GATZ ADDITION TO FALLS CITY, RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA,

(pursuant to the trust deed filed for record on November 15, 2010, in Book 242, Page 117, in the records of the Register of Deeds in and for Richardson County, Nebraska, for which Richardson County Bank and Trust Company is named beneficiary and trustee).

Such sale shall be subject to real estate taxes, special assessments, unpaid water charges, any prior liens, and easements, covenants and restrictions of record. Trustor/Grantor is Nathan J. O'Grady and Codey S. O'Grady, hus-

band and wife.

The successful bidder at sale will be required to deliver to the representative of Trustee the total amount of the purchase price in cash or certified funds at the time of sale, except this requirement is waived when the highest bidder is the Beneficiary.

RICHARDSON COUNTY BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, Trustee

> By: R.J. Shortridge, #20784 Perry, Guthery, Haase & Gessford, P.C., L.L.O. Attorney for Trustee 233 South 13th Street, Suite 1400 Lincoln, Nebraska 68508 Telephone: (402) 476-9200

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR WHO IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT, ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

13-20-27-4-11

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF SUIT
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
RICHARDSON COUNTY,
NEBRASKA

COUNTY OF RICHARDSON, A Political Subdivision of the State of Nebraska, Plaintiff

vs. EARL SCHULER, et al., Defendants CASE NO: CI12-125

TO: Earl Schuler;

John Doe, No. 1, and Mary Doe, No. 1, husband and wife, tenants in possession, real names unknown;

The heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives, and all other persons interested in the estate of any of the aforesaid Defendants who may be deceased, real names unkown;

All persons, having or claiming any interest in and to:

A tract in the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Three, Township Two North, Range Thirteen East of the Sixth P.M., Richardson County, Nebraska, described as: Commencing 862.3 feet West and 405.1 feet North of the Southeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of said Section Three, thence South 155 feet, thence West 110.5 feet, thence North 155 feet, thence East to the place of the beginning;

Defendants.

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 10th day of July, 2012, the County of Richardson, a political subdivision of the State of Nebraska, as Plaintiff, filed its Petition in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, against you and each of you and others; the hope and prayer of said Petition being to foreclose tax sale certificates and subsequent taxes on the above described real estate and that an accounting be had by the Court of the amount due the Plaintiff from the Defendants in the several and separate causes of action therein and that in default of the payment of such sums to be found due the Plaintiff, within twenty days from the entry of the decree therein, said separate and several parcels of real estate described therein be sold as upon execution, as provided by law, to satisfy the separate and several liens against said real estate and that out of the proceeds of said sale, Plaintiff be paid the sum found to be due and owing, with interest and attorney's fee, to be taxed at costs, together with the costs of this action; that the right, title, interest, lien and claim of the Defendants and each of them be determined, found and decreed to be subsequent, junior, and inferior to the liens of this Plaintiff; that the purchaser of each of said premises at said sale be put in possession thereof; that the Defendants, and each of them, be foreclosed of all right, title, interest, lien, and equity of redemption in and to said real estate and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable in the prem-

You are required to answer said Petition on or before the 27th day of December, 2012.

The County of Richardson, A Political Subdivision of the State of Nebraska,
Plaintiff

By Robert J. Meyer, #22281 Richardson County Attorney 1719 Stone Street P.O. Box 569 Falls City, NE 68355 (402) 245-3222

7-13-20-27

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Re: 6459.2420 TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

You are hereby notified that the following-described property will be sold by Camille R. Hawk, Attorney at Law, Successor Trustee, at public auction to the highest bidder at inside the West door of the Richardson County Courthouse, in the City of Falls City, Richardson County, Nebraska on December 27, 2012 at 10:00 a.m.:

Lots One, Two, Three and Four, Block Thirty, Original Town of Salem in Richardson County, State of Nebraska commonly known as 321 N. 2nd St., Salem, NE.

The highest bidder will deposit with the Trustee, at the time of the sale, a personal or cashier's check in the amount of \$5,000.00, with the full purchase price, in certified funds, to be received by the Trustee by 5:00 p.m. on the day of the sale, except this requirement is waived when the highest bidder is the beneficiary. (If the sale is held after 1:00 P.M., the deposit requirement remains the same, and the full purchase price, in certified funds, shall be received by the Trustee by 5:00 p.m. the following business day.) The purchaser shall be responsible for all prior liens, all applicable fees, and all taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. This property is sold "as is" and this sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the property.

Camille R. Hawk, Attorney at Law, Successor Trustee By: Camille R. Hawk (#20395) For: Walentine, O'Toole, McQuillan & Gordon, L.L.P. 11240 Davenport Street P.O. Box 540125 Omaha, NE 68154 (402) 330-6300

13-20-27-4-11

NOTICE OF SUIT
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
RICHARDSON COUNTY,
NEBRASKA

COUNTY OF RICHARDSON, A Political Subdivision of the State of Nebraska, Plaintiff

vs.
DAVID M. SIMON, et al., Defendants
CASE NO: CI12-127

TO: John Doe, No. 1, and Mary Doe, No. 1, husband and wife, tenants in possession, real names unknown;

The heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives, and all other persons interested in the estate of any of the aforesaid Defendants who may be deceased, real names unkown;

All persons, having or claiming any interest in and to:

Lots 13 and 14, Block 153, Falls City, Richardson County, Nebras-ka;

ka; Defendants.

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 10th day of July, 2012, the County of Richardson, a political subdivision of the State of Nebraska, as Plaintiff, filed its Petition in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, against you and each of you and others; the hope and prayer of said Petition being to foreclose tax sale certificates and subsequent taxes on the above described real estate and that an accounting be had by the Court of the amount due the Plaintiff from the Defendants in the several and separate causes of action therein and that in default of the payment of such sums to be found due the Plaintiff, within twenty days from the entry of the decree therein, said separate and several parcels of real estate described therein be sold as upon execution, as provided by law, to satisfy the separate and several liens against said real estate and that out of the proceeds of said sale, Plaintiff be paid the sum found to be due and owing, with interest and attorney's fee, to be taxed at costs, together with the costs of this action; that the right, title, interest, lien and claim of the Defendants and each of them be determined, found and decreed to be subsequent, junior, and inferior to the liens of this Plaintiff; that the purchaser of each of said premises at said sale be put in possession thereof; that the Defendants, and each of them, be foreclosed of all right, title, interest, lien, and equity of redemption in and to said real estate and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable in the prem-

You are required to answer said Petition on or before the 27th day of December, 2012.

The County of Richardson, A Political Subdivision of the State of Nebraska, Plaintiff

By Robert J. Meyer, #22281 Richardson County Attorney 1719 Stone Street P.O. Box 569 Falls City, NE 68355 (402) 245-3222

7-13-20-27

NOTICE OF SUIT IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

COUNTY OF RICHARDSON, A Political Subdivision of the State of Nebraska, Plaintiff

vs. GEORGE OLDFIELD, et al., Defendants CASE NO: CI12-124

TO: George Oldfield;

John Doe, No. 1, and Mary Doe, No. 1, husband and wife, tenants in possession, real names unknown;

The heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives, and all other persons interested in the estate of any of the aforesaid Defendants who may be deceased, real names unkown;

All persons, having or claiming any interest in and to:

Lots 15 and 16, Block 60, Rouleau and Bedard's Addition to the City of Rulo, Richardson County, Nebraska:

Defendants.

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 10th day of July, 2012, the County of Richardson, a political subdivision of the State of Nebraska, as Plaintiff, filed its Petition in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, against you and each of you and others; the hope and prayer of said Petition being to foreclose tax sale certificates and subsequent taxes on the above described real estate and that an accounting be had by the Court of the amount due the Plaintiff from the Defendants in the several and separate causes of action therein and that in default of the payment of such sums to be found due the Plaintiff, within twenty days from the entry of the decree therein, said separate and several parcels of real estate described therein be sold as upon execution, as provided by law, to satisfy the separate and several liens against said real estate and that out of the proceeds of said sale, Plaintiff be paid the sum found to be due and owing, with interest and attorney's fee, to be taxed at costs, together with the costs of this action; that the right, title, interest, lien and claim of the Defendants and each of them be determined, found and decreed to be subsequent, junior, and inferior to the liens of this Plaintiff; that the purchaser of each of said premises at said sale be put in possession thereof; that the Defendants, and each of them, be foreclosed of all right, title, interest, lien, and equity of redemption in and to said real estate and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable in the prem-

You are required to answer said Petition on or before the 27th day of December, 2012.

The County of Richardson, A Political Subdivision of the State of Nebraska,
Plaintiff

By Robert J. Meyer, #22281 Richardson County Attorney 1719 Stone Street P.O. Box 569 Falls City, NE 68355 (402) 245-3222

7-13-20-27

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Department of Roads of the State of Nebraska will, for and in behalf of the State of Nebraska, offer for sale at public auction to be held at the office of the Richardson County Clerk, at the County Courthouse in Falls City, in the County of Richardson, State of Nebraska, on the $\underline{27^{\text{th}}}$ day of $\underline{\text{November}}$, 2012, at $\underline{7:00}$ _o'clock \underline{P} M, an oil and gas lease covering the following described lands, in the County of Richardson, State of Nebraska, to-wit: (DESCRIPTION)

That part of the right of way of Hwys. 8, and old Hwy 75 located along the north line of the northeast quarter of section 14, Township 1 north, Range 14 east of the 6th P.M., and containing 6.21 acres M/L.

Such lease will be sold in accordance with and subject to the provisions of Neb. Rev. Stat. 57-218 through 57-221 (Reissue 1984) to the highest and best bidder subject to the rights of the Department to reject any and all bids.

State of Nebraska
Department of Roads
By

REQUEST FOR QUOTE NEBRASKA PUBLIC POWER DISTRICT RFQ NO. 12114

Quotes to provide snow and ice removal services for Nebraska Public Power District's Sheridan Learning Center, Emergency Operations Facility and the Peru Learning Facility will be received in accordance with the Request for Quote (RFQ) No. 12114 until 5:00 p.m., CST, on November 15, 2012.

RFQ documents are available by accessing our website at www. nppd.com under View Bids & Contracts. For more information regarding access to the quote documents, contact Sarah Hopwood by phone at (402) 563-5405, or e-mail sjhopwo@nppd.com.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Department of Roads of the State of Nebraska will, for and in behalf of the State of Nebraska, offer for sale at public auction to be held at the office of the Richardson County Clerk, at the County Courthouse in Falls City, in the County of Richardson, State of Nebraska, on the 27th day of November, 2012, at 7:00 o'clock PM, an oil and gas lease covering the following described lands, in the County of Richardson, State of Nebraska, to-wit: (DESCRIPTION)

That part of the right of way of Hwy 75, located in the east half of section 35 Township 1 north, range 14 east of the 6th P.M., and containing 19.73 acres M/L

Such lease will be sold in accordance with and subject to the provisions of Neb. Rev. Stat. 57-218 through 57-221 (Reissue 1984) to the highest and best bidder subject to the rights of the Department to reject any and all bids.

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BANKRUPTCY: Low Rates, No charge for initial office conference. Contact Wm. VonSeggern Attorney at 105 East 17th St. Falls City, or call 402-245-3815. I help people file bankruptcy petitions under the United States Bankruptcy Code.

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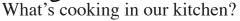
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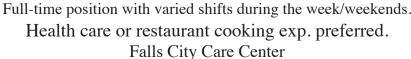
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We would like to extend our sincere appreciation for the cards, flowers, memorials and all other acts of kindness shown to us during the illness and recent death of our mother and grandmother, Virginia Longacre. A special thanks to Father Larry Parrish and his wife, Mary, for making the trip down to Lawrence, Kansas on the day of Virginia's death to attend to Virginia and comfort us, and for the wonderful funeral service. Special thanks also to Emily, Kelley, Dawn, Sara, Dennis and Caroline for the excellent help in caring for Virginia and taking care of her needs so she could stay in her own home a little longer. All was very much appreciated.

Frank & Teresa Longacre & Family Larry & Pam Longacre & Family

The members of St. Paul's Lutheran, 20th Towle wish to say "Thank You" to all in the community who attended our soup supper. Your support is appreciated. Thanks also to all the youth and adults who helped in many ways. St. Paul's Lutheran Church

THANK YOU, to all our generous supporters and dedicated volunteers of the Nemaha Rescue Squad, for helping us have another successful soup supper. You are what keep's our small

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Thursday is Nat'l Rural Health Day

Amazing things are happening in rural America. These small towns, farming villages and frontier areas are fueled by the creative energy of ordinary citizens who historically have been willing to step forward and take risks in order to provide a wealth of products and resources for the rest of the country.

They also continue to be places where everyone knows each other, listens to/respects each other and works together for the greater good. Unfortunately, these communities face unique healthcare concerns: a lack of healthcare providers; accessibility issues, particularly in terms of transportation and technology; and affordability issues as the result of larger percentages of un-/underinsured citizens and greater out-of-pocket health costs. Meanwhile, rural hospitals and health systems face declining reimbursement rates and disproportionate funding levels that make it challenging to meet the physical, social and economic needs of their communities.

These are just a few of the issues that Nebraska Rural Health Association, the National Organization of State Offices of Rural Health, and other local, state and national rural stakeholders hope to bring to light during the second annual National Rural Health Day on Thursday, Nov. 15, 2012.

NOSORH created National Rural Health Day as a way to showcase rural America and increase awareness of rural health-related issues. "National Rural Health Day gives NOSORH and its partners the opportunity to 'Celebrate the Power of Rural' and showcase the good works of America's 59.5 million rural citizens," notes NOSORH Director Teryl Eisinger. "It also allows us to highlight the unique health-care issues being faced by rural citizens and promote the efforts







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Thirty-three schools from Nebraska, Kansas and Missouri were in attendance. The all-day event consisted of a juried high school art exhibition, art competitions and events, and studio workshops in clay, graphics, animation, printmaking, photography, drawing, and sculpture. Participating students and faculty had the opportunity to view the artwork of their

of NOSORH, State Offices of Rural Health and their partners in addressing those issues."

SORHs in particular play a key role in addressing those needs, Eisinger explains. All 50 states maintain a SORH, each of which shares a similar mission: to foster relationships, disseminate information and provide technical assistance that improves access to quality health care for rural citizens.

"Together, these State Offices provide technical assistance to more than 28,000 rural commu-

nities each year," she says. The Nebraska Rural Health Association is a nonprofit membership organization with over 500 individuals and organizations. The association's mission is to provide leadership on rural health issues. NeRHA membership consists of a diverse collection of individuals and organizations, all of whom share the common bond of an interest in rural health. The NeRHA's mission is to bring together diverse interests and provide a unified voice to promote and enhance the quality of rural health through leadership, advocacy, coalition building, education and communication.

Events recognizing National Rural Health Day and "Celebrating the Power of Rural" will take place in Nebraska and throughout the nation the week of Nov. 11-17. Additional information is available at celebratepower-ofrural.org. To learn more about NOSORH, visit www.nosorh.org; to learn more about NeRHA visit www.nebraskaruralhealth.org

contemporaries in an environment designed to promote creativity, collaboration and camaraderie.

(TOP) Sidewalk artists and their teacher, left to right: Mrs. Weinert, Courtney Chapple, Mariah Stamper, Vincent Bennett and Haley Ferris. (BOTTOM LEFT) Brittney DeWald uses her phone to take a picture of her "hand-painted" art. (BOTTOM RIGHT) FCHS students enjoy creating with paint, front to back: Desiree Herling, Tanner Lippold, Courtney Chapple, Austin Schaible.

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