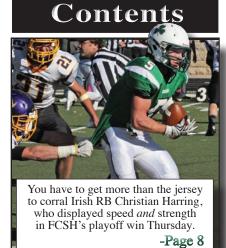


Father has so much to be thankful for. His children pursue a soul-refreshing art. His home is a mecca for young people, so stimulating to have around the house. And now, as he enters the house, after a neurotic day in the office and being rather savage in mood, thankfully he can remind himself that music hath charms to soothe the savage beast. Mother whispers to him, "Cool chamber music, eh? They're all in for dinner, and I fear this may last far into the evening. But Cheerio, Paterfamilias! You can read your paper in the back bedroom and be thankful that I remembered to bring home your earplugs from the

Say, do you think John Falter really understands this cover? Why did he paint father looking unthankful?





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Tanner Haberman, the young man from Emerson-Hubbard who a year ago suffered a broken leg that was later diagnosed as a result of bone cancer, returned to Jug Brown Stadium and received a hero's welcome, which included a firm handshake from FCSH Coach Doug Goltz.

Tanner returns to FC to cheer on his little bro

One day shy of a full calendar year to the day, Tanner Haberman made his way back to Falls City and Jug Brown Stadium to cheer on his brother Tyler, when Emerson-Hubbard was matched up against the FC Sacred Heart Irish in the Class D2 State Playoffs last Thursday.

It was on that very turf on Oct. 30, 2014 where Tanner, then a senior at EM, sustained a broken leg that would soon prove to be far more heartbreaking and profound than most anything that ever occurs in football stadiums. The bone broke because it was riddled with cancer, osteosarcoma to be exact. It's the most common type of bone cancer and usually occurs in children and teens. The football injury may have actually been a blessing, as the cancer was detected before it spread to the rest of his body. The leg, however, had to be amputated last winter.

As of last month, Tanner's mother said he was doing well.

"He is getting stronger with each day and gaining weight. He's pretty much got all his hair back and looks like the old Tanner minus the one leg, haha!"

The community had several "Team up to Tackle Cancer" fundraisers to aide in helping Tanner and his family, something the Haberman's have never forgotten. "We realize that it takes a special kind of person to give of themselves the way you all have for us and Tanner," Janelle told The Journal earlier this year.

Verdon man, 21, faces prison term after jury returns trio of guilty verdicts stemming from June 2013 collision

A Richardson County jury last Thursday evening in District Court found a 21-year-old Verdon man guilty of three Class II Felonies stemming from a June 26, 2013 vehicle collision in Falls City and, pending appeal, he will be sentenced to a minimum term of one year in the Nebraska Dept. of Cor-

The trial of Phillip A. Doerr began with jury selection last Monday and lawyers made closing arguments late Thursday afternoon. After deliberating for about three hours, the jury of 12 returned guilty verdicts of assault in the first degree, use of a deadly weapon to commit a felony and possession of a firearm during commission of a felony. By state law, conviction of a Class II Felony is punishable by a minimum of one year and up to 50 years in an institution "under the jurisdiction of the Dept. of Correctional Services" and the person convicted is not eligible for probation. Even if Judge Daniel Bryan sentences three concurrent minimum terms, with "good time," which essentially credits two days for each one served, Doerr faces at least six months in prison. He remains free on bond until sentencing, which is expected to be scheduled Dec. 8 or

The verdict comes more than two years after the two-pickup truck collision authorities and prosecutors described as "road rage," and not yet a calendar year after the 21-year-old, who operates a local contracting business and also performs tree and snow removal, was tried in a day — and acquitted in an hour — by a jury on two other Class II Felonies in an unrelated case. Greg Ariza, of the Nebraska Attorney General's Office, served as special prosecutor in both cases. Doerr last week was represented by prominent Nebraska attorney Clarence E. Mock of the Johnson & Mock firm, which has offices in

Omaha and Oakland, NE. Authorities accused, and Ariza successfully argued with help of eyewitness testimony, photographs and investigation by local police, and expert witness and forensic testimony acquired from a crash reconstruction conducted by the State Patrol, that Doerr "intentionally" crashed his Ford F-350 super duty pickup into the back of a compact, Chevy S10 truck driven by Timothy L. Wittwer, 36, of Falls City, at a speed of up to 55 miles per hour. Authorities say an altercation ensued and Doerr was in possession of a gun. His defense team argued that the collision was an accident, there was not sufficient evidence to prove otherwise and since no crime

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'Local Color' opening Friday at FC Library & Arts Center

Local artists Patricia Steinman and pressionism and color. Cheryl "Tootie" Ebel will open their exhibit "Local Color" in the Stalder Gallery, inside the FC Library and Arts Center this Friday, Nov. 6. Richardson County Arts and Humanities Council will

host a reception for the artists beginning at 6 p.m. and the artists will talk at 7.

Cheryl "Tootie" Ebel has been interested in art since childhood. In the early 70's she opened Tootie's Craft Barn and enjoyed selling craft sup-

plies, and teaching classes. About 10 years later, Tooties Art and Frames arrived. She concentrated on art supplies and custom picture framing sales, and classes. Now Tootie is enjoying semiretirement and still teaching art workshops in watercolor, oil, and pastels. Her current art reflects interest in im-

Retirement has afforded Patricia Steinman the time to spend painting. The former Falls City High School art instructor finds inspiration in local settings and from her cabin. Her husband,

> John, many of the photos she uses for her paintings. Besides her paintings, Mrs. Steinman also create pine needle baskets that will also be on display.

The event is open to the public and sup-

ported by the Richardson County Arts and Humanities Council. Both artist will have work for sale through the Stalder Gallery. The exhibit will be on view through Dec.

Questions can be directed to Christina Wertenberger, Stalder Gallery Curator, at 402-245-6034.

Vet's Day activities planned for Nov. 11

A grateful, day-long salute to this area's veterans will be made with a full schedule of activities on Veterans Day, Wednesday, Nov. 11.

Highlights of the day will be a talk by Air Force Veteran Ken Simpson, Commander of American Legion Post 102 and co-chair of the Veteran's Day Committee. He will speak at the 11 a.m. Wednesday program at Falls City High School. The Veteran's Parade will start at 1:30 p.m. and follow Stone Street, from 20th to 13th and conclude with a reception at ShopKo. The dinner and program will begin at 6 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church.

Record-Breaking Rusher



FCHS junior back Zayne Heckenlively struggled to find running room in the Tigers' loss at Norfolk Catholic, but it didn't prevent him from turning in the most prolific season carrying the leather in school history. Heckenlively rushed for 1,501 yards, breaking Cameron McNabb's 25-year-old school record by four yards. Heckenlively joins McNabb, Cord Huettner, Dan Werner, Dakota Schulenberg and Bruce Smith in the school's 1,000-yard club. He needs about half that total next year to set the all-time FC High career rushing record.

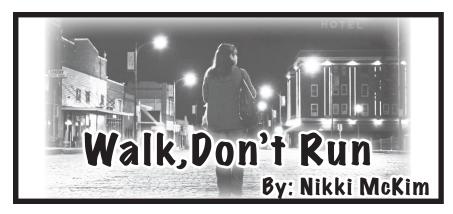
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Now what? This is the major question floating around the McKim household today, now what? What on earth are we supposed to do? We waited so long for this moment, Brian waited 30 years, I waited about 10 years and Alex, well he's waited for that moment his entire life. The moment WE won the World Series. I say we because we all feel like we contributed in some way, right? You feel like you won it too, don't lie.

Sunday night the moment we waited so long for finally came. I don't know what I expected of it. I think deep down I imagined fireworks, rainbows, world peace and a personal call from Alex Rios, thanking me for my continued devotion to him, even when others weren't on his side (by the way, your welcome Rios!). What actually happened was better in many ways but not as full filling as I had imagined.

Sunday was spent cleaning the house and taking a much needed nap. As a Royals fan, you never know how long a game will go. Brian and I prepared by getting in a couple hours of sleep before the game. After our rest, we buzzed around the house cleaning everything. I guess we had to have the house in perfect condition so we could destroy it later. Chelsie came by and we all gathered around the television. The Met's seemed to be putting us in our place and knocked the steam right out of Chelise and I. We sort of slumped over a little disappointed that tonight wouldn't be the night. We both knew the odds of us coming back would be pretty good but the feeling just wasn't there-yet. We had made peace with our situation and were ready to become World Champions on Tuesday. I thought Tuesday worked better because the paper would be put to bed for the week and we could really celebrate. Brian on the other hand was 100% certain that it was our night. He was all over the place pacing, yelling and turning all kinds of shades of red. He was an emotional time bomb with a short fuse.

Then came the Royals magic we all know and love. Soon we were in extra innings, then we were an out away from everything finally falling into place. Alex ran to the refrigerator to pull out the four tiny bottles of champagne we bought for last year's Fall Classic. I pulled out the confetti cannon, poppers and fireworks that we had also saved from last year. We waited what felt like an eternity and then it happened. We became World Champions. Brian may have teared up and screamed louder than I had ever hear before. Chelsie and I, somewhat still in disbelief yelled and tossed confetti, all while Alex ran circles around the three of us.

We watched the team storm the field then ran out onto Harlan Street and blew our airhorns. We cheered, we lit fireworks and we ran up the empty street with our flag flying over our heads. It was a good moment and a moment I know Alex will never, ever forget. Falls City seemed so quiet and dark as we had our own little celebration in the street. It was somewhat lonely until we heard fireworks going off in the area of the Nolte home on Barada Street. We cheered, we sprayed our year old (flat) champagne and

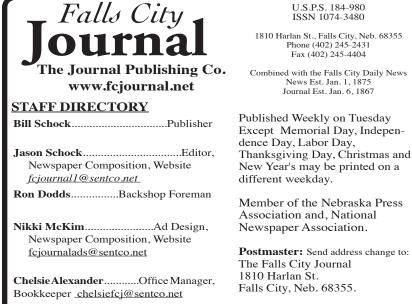
In that moment there was nowhere else I would have rather have been. Brian had sat and patiently fed me the history of the Kansas City Royals for years. He introduced me to Eric Hosmer and Salvador Perez. When we had only enough money for general admission tickets and a tank of gas, he drove me to Omaha and made me watch Alex Gordon and Joba Chamberlain play in the College World Series, because they were going to 'make it big.' My very patient and wonderful husband sat and listened to every dumb question and statement I made for many years and tonight was the payoff.

After we calmed down a bit and went back inside to watch the trophy presentation, my phone blew up. Everyone wanted to share their excitement. My grandma was the first to text and I'll never forget her excitement. I even got texts from numbers I didn't know, but I went with it and shared in their excitement as well.

After a while Alex was the first to give up and go to bed, Chelsie soon left to go home and then it was just Brian and I. We both sat in quiet shock as we watched interview after interview with our guys in our completely destroyed living room. It looked like a bomb of confetti, champagne and happiness went off, and I don't plan to clean it up for a while. I honestly didn't know how to feel after the initial reaction of it wore off. I was a bit numb and sad. What do we have to look forward to now? We have been dreaming of this game, this night for so long and now it was over. What are we going to do every single night for the next few months? The season, while it lasted much longer than it normally does, is over. No more nightly games and no more guarantee of seeing Alex Gordon in a Royals jersey. Everything will now start to change. Cueto is more than likely on is way out, Gordo is desperately wanted but not guaranteed as is Zobrist. Our team, who we all love so much, will start to change. They will never be the same group we fell in love with in 2015. I find that incredibly sad.

Hours later, I sat in bed with my puppy Beans sleeping on my lap. Brian had fallen asleep and the only company I had was Joel Goldberg and Rex Hudler. These guys had kept me company plenty of times this year but I caught myself grinning as I listened to their excitement. Hud, baseball in hand was like a little kid at Christmas. I was happy for him, for all of them and I didn't want it to end. The sun would be coming up soon and the busiest day of the week was directly ahead of me. My eyes got heavier and I fought as hard as I could to make this day last. Finally a few hours before I was to get up and head to work, I surrendered and fell asleep. The day we won the World Series was now in the past. No more grasping at it daily, and talking about the "what if's?" Now all we have is memories of that day we waited so long for. I really hate that it's over but I am so extremely thrilled that it happened.

We were a part of it and it was good but, now what?



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Working together to ensure a future for rural Nebraska

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

As a youngster I remember trips to Colorado to visit relatives in Greeley. We always drove through Nunn, Colorado, and would comment on the water tower that proudly displayed the slogan "Watch Nunn Grow."

I recently drove through Nunn, a community of 437 people between Cheyenne and Greeley. The water tower and the slogan are still there. The town looks more like it is holding on than growing. There is a new golf-

ball shaped water tower in a housing development a few miles east of town that simply sports the town's name. It is obvious the town

has become a bedroom community based on its proximity to places such as Greeley and even Estes Park.

Small towns. Rural communities struggling to hold their own in a mostly agricultural environment. Not just a Colorado problem, or a Nebraska problem. It's a national concern. It is not a problem that is solved by finding one more large employer to locate in or nearby the community. Smokestack chasing doesn't work anymore.

Written plans help, but only if they are implemented. A University of Nebraska officials admits that the past is littered with what he called "the road kill of good ideas" for rural America that never panned out. The good news, says NU vice president for Agriculture and Natural Resources Ronnie Green, is the time is right for a sustained partnership between communities and higher education to address the challenges.

That's the goal of the Nebraska Rural Futures Institute, which recently completed its annual Conference on the University's Lincoln Innovation Campus, the former Nebraska State Fairgrounds. The conference theme: Hope Inspires Vision. The opening speakers, Howard G. Buffett and son Howard W. Buffett, co-authors of the book "40 Chances: Finding Hope in a Hungry World."

Yes, Howard is the son of wellknown investment oracle Warren Buffett. They spoke about the importance of rural communities and agricultural security. Howard G. Buffett said he makes \$10 million decisions in 30 seconds sometimes. That's part of the risk of philanthropic work, which he does through the Howard G. Buffett Foundation. Howard W. Buffett lives in Omaha and farms family-owned property near Tekamah. He has worked for his father's foundation and is a lecturer at the University of Nebraska - Lincoln.

The two Buffetts have worked in countries with political and economic strife, but Howard W. told conference attendees that while he and his father have spent countless days talking to farmers around the world, he appreciates the sense of community he feels when returning to his own farm. One of the greatest strengths of rural towns is that sense of community. People stepping up and lending a helping hand is a founding principle of the United

The Buffetts say that one of their goals has been to develop solutions and empower people to implement long-term solutions, giving them the

resources they need to pull the leadership out of them. That's one of the reasons they support the goals of the Rural Futures Institute, which was established in 2012 to partner with rural communities around Nebraska and beyond to develop ideas that strengthen those communities and provide opportunities for NU students to implement those ideas.

Green says the Rural Futures Institute grew out of an earlier NU effort, the Rural Initiative, which

was a good start but not ambitious or sweeping enough. The institute taps into expertise from all four campuses in the NU system. Executive Director Chuck Schroeder says he wants to help Nebras-

kans rethink and revitalize rural life with the emphasis on making rural communities the kinds of places where young people can build lives.

That, Schroeder says, will take a comprehensive, aggressive effort to find novel solutions. It's a matter of engaging rural residents who see both opportunities and challenges.

Schroeder says it is important to rethink what it means to live a rural lifestyle. A rural lifestyle should not be a lifestyle of last resort, but the first choice of some of the brightest and best young people who are emerging from universities today.

I like his thoughts. Let's move beyond slogans on water towers and written plans that have long been gathering dust on the shelves of public officials in every rural community in Nebraska. Let's work together to ensure a future for rural.

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THINKING ABOUT HEALTH

The Cadillac Tax brings more costs, less value to your health insurance

By Trudy Lieberman, Rural Health News Service

More health insurance upheaval is coming your way. The value of your health insurance is shrinking, and you may be paying more for less this year and in years to come.

Perhaps your employer has taken away the choice of plans with large provider networks and instead is offering those with a much narrower selection of doctors and hospitals. Some companies are enticing workers with lower premiums if they leave preferred provider organizations (PPOs), which let them use any provider, and choose health savings accounts. These are tax-advantaged savings arrangements coupled with catastrophic coverage and high deductibles. Others require employees to pay higher premiums for the plans they have.

Blame those changes on the Cadillac tax, a provision in the Affordable Care Act, which calls for a 40 percent excise tax on employer-provided health insurance. Employers pay the tax, but ultimately it's passed on to some 60 million workers who have employer coverage.

The tax will be levied on the portion of health insurance premiums that exceed \$10,200 for single and \$27,500 for family coverage. Because premiums continue to rise (this year the average family premium from employers is about \$17,500), they have a strong incentive to lower the cost of coverage to avoid paying the tax. Many have begun making changes this year, and experts believe there will be more adjustments as 2018 approaches when the tax takes effect.

About four million people and about one-quarter of all employer plans will be touched by the tax the first year. However, Steve Wojcik, vice president of the National Business Group on Health, told me, "It's going to affect almost every plan as the years go on."

Wojcik explained the thresholds for determining the tax are indexed to the Consumer Price Index, but the price of healthcare grows faster than the CPI and will continue to rise. As that happens, more employer plans will bump into those thresholds and trigger the tax.

Why the tax?

Framers of the Affordable Care Act, urged on by economists, needed a way to pay for subsidies intended to help the uninsured buy coverage, and they argued the tax could bring in some \$150 billion to help the cause.

But there was another reason, too. Supporters of the law and others wanted the tax to deter workers from going to the doctor too much. In other words, make them have "more skin in the game." The thinking goes like this: If they use healthcare services more wisely like saying "no" to your doctor's advice and avoiding care you don't need, the price of medical care in the U.S. will drop.

That, of course, assumes doctors and hospitals won't raise prices.

Since there's almost nothing to prevent them from doing that, they could respond by simply offering more services, procedures and tests to keep their incomes up. History has shown they've done that when cost containment measures were imposed.

History has also shown that people do cut back on medical services when they have to pay more. But they often can't discriminate between what care they need and what they don't. The result, of course, is that serious conditions may go untreated.

The tax had another big selling point. MIT economist Jonathan Gruber argued that as the tax began to keep costs down, employers would return the savings to workers in their paychecks. Most of those gains would go to those with incomes under \$200,000.

Few people expect those savings to materialize or that employers will share any if they do. Any "theoretical" savings is a "pipe dream," U.S. Rep. Joe Courtney, a Democrat from Connecticut, wrote in a letter to the editor of the New York Times in early October. Who really believes employers are going to give broad wage increases to compensate workers for lower health benefits?

It's not just high-wage workers who will be affected by the tax even though it's thought they are the ones with generous insurance. It will hit middle-income workers, those in unionized industries, government employees and others in manufacturing jobs.

A broad group of employers and unions are fighting to repeal the tax, but say realistically that won't happen until after the presidential election next year if it happens at all.

There's really not much you can do except complain to your elected representatives and try to choose your insurance plan carefully this year. But remember, in order to keep premiums low you'll most likely have to pay higher deductibles and high coinsurance. That's a trade-off everyone faces whether or not there's a Cadillac tax.

What changes do you see in your insurance this year? Write to Trudy at trudy.lieberman@gmail.com

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'What is Combat?'

I'm not a very political man, but I am a Veteran and I've been in combat and know what it is. Apparently the leaders of our present administration, including some ex-veterans themselves either don't understand what combat is; choose to ignore it; or have decided to forget what

> it was when they once served. Regardless of their statements to the

American public through the media and in front of the podium, I am extremely concerned by a President and his administration that continues to feed us a cock and bull story about the truth in the Middle East. I am even more concerned by a political party in this country whose principle candidates continue to support this same type of misleading and completely untrue idea that somehow the problems of the Middle East are not a major threat and that the President's policies are working.

The recent death of an American Soldier in support of Iraqi military forces against ISIS forces is a COMBAT death. There is no other way to describe it. It shouldn't matter that he was serving as an advisor. Many of the original Soldiers killed in Vietnam were "advisors" to the South Vietnam Army, but they were American Soldiers and their names on the wall in Washington, DC. Should we now remove their names and say they weren't combat deaths?

ISIS and the other terrorist Islamists groups like Al-Qaida, have declared war on the United States and its people. They have conducted numerous attacks throughout the world, including the US, some large, some small. Most of their targets are civilian, but they are acts of war and terror. We are "fighting" (Combat) a "Global War on Terror" as far as I know. Has that war ended? If an American Soldier therefore, engages in direct fire with an enemy of the United States, i.e. ISIS in this case, the he/she is engaged in combat. So, if it is combat, then if killed, his/her death is a combat death.

For our President, our Administration, our Congress, or any candidate to disavow or disregard the death of any Soldier against the enemies of this country regardless of the circumstances as anything other than a combat death is a travesty and they should be ashamed. This President has disgraced himself multiple times when it comes to his treatment of Veterans, but this is just going too far!

Lieutenant Colonel Terrence Flynn US Army, Retired

'Wonderful Library'

There is a short article in the current (Nov. 5) National Geographic Magazine about what Germany is doing to solve the global warming-energy problem. Of course it's available at our wonderful library where knowledge is always free, just bring your own container. John J. Huber

ShopKo awards \$500 to FC High

Falls City High School has received a \$500 Shopko Foundation Community Grant to promote STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) learning among students in Geometry and Mobile Application & Design classes. Mrs. Norma Thompson wrote the grant application to enrich her curriculum and provide learning opportunities for her students.

The grant will be used to help purchase LEGO Mindstorms Education EV3 Robotic kits and the software site license necessary to use them. Robotcis in factory and medical settings will also be explored.

Barb Sailors and Sheila Hamilton, of Falls City ShopKo presented the check to Falls City students.

DID YOU KNOW?

In 1927, H.M. Warner, Warner Brothers, asked, "Who the hell wants to hear actors talk?" In 1936, Radio Times editor Rex Lambert thought "Television won't matter in your lifetime or mine."

Stand Up, Speak Out

By Craig R. Christiansen, Executive Director, Nebraska State Education Association

Most communities across the U.S. firmly believe in the high quality of their local school. Ironically, many also doubt the quality of schools in other communities. Can both propositions be true? Can everyone's local school be good, but every other school be deficient? Not hardly. It is one of the many myths that form our national discussion about public education, but it is certainly not the worst. And it is understandable that most people take pride in what is their identity. Friendly rivalry is part of the American culture. The problem is that what is becoming the dominant discussion about education is neither friendly nor rivalry. There are too many selfstyled "experts" who continually criticize, attack, and degrade the great success story of American public education.

So, if most people have confidence in their local schools, why aren't there more people who stand up and speak out against these attacks?

What We Value

Public schools build America...and Americans. The public schools of our communities are vitally important to this democracy. We are the world's meeting place of human variation: colors, religions, lifestyles, ethnicities, political thought and social values. The potential for conflict is constant and significant. Against this backdrop of difference, the American public school is the only institution in which children are required to work, talk, play and learn together. The public school is the site that produces Americans. Of all the possible factors that affect education, research has consistently shown that parents regard teachers as the most important factor in good schools. If this is what we value, why do we let the harshest critics of our community schools go unchallenged?

What We Face

What is the most outrageous thing you have heard someone say about the quality of your community's schools or teachers? Did those who hear this attack also hear your response? Too many of our public spaces seem to be filled with only the loudest voices questioning or attacking the very concept of a public school system. But the quiet voices can be as insistent and often, more powerful with their own stories based on reality and experience, instead of rote ideology. Communities face many challenges in supporting — and maintaining — the opportunities of public education for its children. Perhaps the biggest challenge is that citizens often fail in their responsibility to participate in the public discussion — leaving only one perspective, the voice of criticism.

Many well-meaning people believe that "politics" is something to be avoided. Join the real world. America was born and continues in conflict, contest, and public debate. Untruths and misdirection — unchallenged can become an accepted part of the public narrative.

What We Must Do

How does an ordinary person, not comfortable with conflict and not trained in rhetoric or debate, challenge the outright untruth and deception of many of the most direct attacks on public education?

We all own our experience. We don't need to be debaters or even good speakers. We simply need to tell our story, to share our experience, in a straightforward and truthful way. It doesn't matter when or where. Ideological attacks and mistruths about our schools by anyone, or anywhere, need to be countered. It doesn't have to be confrontive. Simply stand up and speak out: "That is not my experience..." And then tell your story. If you are a community member, tell the ways how public education makes a difference in your community. If you are a teacher, tell your experience in how public education made a difference in the life of a student.

Constant attacks on schools and teachers will win...unless people speak out for our schools. Don't be just a quiet supporter. Take it public. Stand up and speak out for our schools.

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Reavis-Ashley DAR met on Saturday, Oct. 17, 2015 for an 11 a.m. Luncheon with Leota Uhri and Sue Rottman assisting. Nebraska State Regent, Kathy Ocasio was the honored guest. Members present were Joan Freeborn, Lola Droge, Beverly Droge, Dawn Feldkamp, Sue Rottman, Leota Uhri, Beverly Kimmel, Glenda Nelson, Joy Robison, Janell Sommerhalder and Ann Smith. Lunch was served by the hostesses with Janell assisting. During lunch Beverly Droge reported on the Naturalization ceremony that she and Leota attended at Homestead National Park on Sept. 17, 2015.

Regent Leota opened the chapter meeting opening. The Pledge of Allegiance and the American's Creed were repeated by all. State Regent Kathy read the President General's message. Sue read the National Defense report discussing the Christmas cards sent to Veterans. It was suggested that instead of sending the Christmas cards the money spent should be used for gift cards to Veterans. For Indian minutes report, Beverly Droge read a report from the American Indian committee on the scholarship fund



Brittany Keithley & Michael Hunter Reception: Nov. 6, 2015

> Emily Hutfles & Thomas Gist January 2, 2016

The Honeymoon Treasure Chest



available to American Indians that was in the Spirit magazine for Sept.-Oct. Dawn read a report on Ellis Island celebrating the 125th anniversary. Ann read an article about the factory in Fairbury, that is making American Flags for the flag report. Sue reported on the cemetery walk in Table Rock to honor Civil War soldiers buried there for the Civil War report. Joy read an article about from the Civil War that had been sent to a family telling them of the death of a family member. Glenda read the Constitution report telling some interesting facts about it.

Leota and Ann Moser had attended the Nebraska Daughters of the American Revolution event at the Homestead National Park when they had donated a quality dress form to display dresses. Leota read a thank you from Jackie Ohlmann for this donation.

Ann Smith read the Sept. minutes and they were approved as read. Treasurers report was presented by Dawn Feldkamp. She presented a bill for \$75 for Chapter achievement, Sue moved it be approved and it was approved by the

Glenda reported that information for the essay contest had been taken to the schools. Lola Droge reported that Catherine had displayed Constitution information in the Seneca library. She presented a bill for the materials used. Glenda moved the bill be approved, Beverly Kimmel, seconded, motion carried.

State Regent Kathy Osasio installed new member Joy Robison. Kathy then presented the program on the State Project which is preserving our records. Proper storage is important and the History Harvest program in Nebraska is going all over the state helping groups in this area. Monetary donations to this groups helps to replace equipment that they use.

Next meeting will be Friday, Nov. 13 at Buzz Cafe in Sabetha, for an 11 a.m. Lunch with Ann Moser as hostess. Meeting adjourned.

Humboldt Community Thrift Store • 701 Fourth St. Monday: 4:00-7:00 p.m. Friday: 9:00-3:00 p.m.

Saturday: 9:00-noon

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Some of the vendors include: Golf Canyon Candle, Down Home

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Pictured left to right: Glenn Vice, Don Vice, Howard Vice, and Rolland Vice. The men were honored for their military service during a family reunion.

Vice brothers honored for military service during family reunion

On Sept. 5, the Vice family Reunion was held. The day started off at the home of Zach and Kathy Vice with the annual go-cart races, with around 20 go-carts participating in the fun. The day continued at the home of Christy Vice Berglund, with approximately 93 family members present with games, food, and music enjoyed by all.

Four out of the six Vice brothers served in the United States Army. A family member thought it would be nice to honor the uncles, as she stated it's not everyday four brothers go to the service and they all return home to their families. Glenn Vice, the oldest of the four, served from April 1943-May 1946 in the Army Air Force WWII, Donald C. Vice, served from April 1944May 1946 in the Army WWII, Howard Vice served from Nov. 30, 1945-March 1947 in the Army Air Force WWII and Rolland Vice Nov. 1952-Oct.1954 in the Army Korean War. The brothers were honored with a plaque and pictures that will be displayed at the American Legion Hall in Shubert.

Following the ceremony there was a white elephant auction, followed by a potluck dinner with Fish and Chicken provided, it was cooked by Noah and Montana Vice. The evening concluded with music provided by Rolland, Terry and Renee Vice. It was a beautiful day of family and fellowship enjoyed by all. Rusty Bednorz traveled the furthest coming from Seattle, WA.

Greenlight a transitioning vet this Veteran's Day

With 250,000 members of our military transitioning back to civilian life each year, veterans are returning to schools, workplaces and neighborhoods across the country to take on important roles as neighbors, co-workers, coaches, teachers, leaders and engaged and active citizens. But their transition doesn't end with the return home. That's when it begins.

Today, empowering organizations including the Institute for Veterans and Military Families, Team Red, White and Blue, Team Rubicon, Hire Heroes USA and Blue Star Families joined Walmart to launch Greenlight A Vet. This is a campaign to help create visible and actionable national support for America's veterans and their families. You interact with them every day at work, at school and in the neighborhood. However, it's hard to show them support or recognize their contributions when, back home and out of uniform, they're more camouflaged than ever.

A green light means go and that's what veterans are known for - their ability to take action quickly no matter the challenge. They demonstrate great leadership skills in any situation and represent the best of America. Their involvement in communities is central to our na-

tion's success. "The Institute for Veterans and Military Families (IVMF) at Syracuse University is proud to be a part of Walmart's campaign to Greenlight A Vet in support of those who have served in the military and their families." said Dr. Mike Haynie, Executive Director of the IVMF and Vice Chancellor at Syracuse University. "Participating in a national movement, designed to recognize those who have worn our nation's uniform as valued, contributing members of our communities, is our way of encouraging all Americans to meaningfully engage with veterans and their families and by so doing, appreciate them as respected civic assets."

"By uniting behind a visible symbol, we can ignite a national conversation in our communities about opportunity, success and service for veterans as they take off the uniform," said retired Brigadier General Gary Profit, Walmart's senior director of military programs.

All Americans are invited to show support for veterans through a visible symbol. Even if we can't always see our veterans, they should always be able to see our support.

Anyone can Greenlight A Vet: Hire one today. Or help a veteran find a job. Volunteer and serve with veterans groups in your local community. Start a mentor/mentee relationship with a returning veteran. Raise awareness on social media. Or simply signal support by changing your porch light to green. Walmart is committed to greenlighting veterans, including hiring 250,000 veterans by 2020 through its Veterans Welcome Home Commitment. As part of this effort, Walmart proudly greenlighted the company's 100,000th veteran hire this past month.

While a job is a vital piece of transitioning from military to civilian life for a veteran, it also takes a coordinated, multi-sector effort to create healthy transitions to civilian life. Walmart and the Walmart Foundation committed \$20 million in grants to organizations that provide veteran job training, education and community-based collaboration. As part of this pledge, the Walmart Foundation provided donations to organizations focused specifically on transitioning veterans: A \$500,000 grant to Hire Heroes USA (Hire Heroes) to help increase their capacity. Hire Heroes has built a national reputation of excellence for their success at helping unemployed veterans find jobs.

A \$190,000 grant to Blue Star Families for a tech-train-to-hire project that will train military spouses for high demand and high growth careers in technology. This program speaks to the heart of one of the greatest challenges to military life, which is 58 percent unemployment and underemployment among military families.

"Through continued, collaborative work with our nonprofit partners, we greenlight innovative public/private community-based initiatives that address the navigation challenges many of our veterans face when returning to the civilian workforce and their communities." said Kathleen McLaughlin, President of the Walmart Foundation.

"There is no better tribute to our men and women who serve than recognizing the value of their contributions and fully engaging them in our communities and workforce when they return home."

For more information about Walmart's Greenlight A Vet campaign please visit: www.greenlightavet.



Harvest Soup Supper

November 11th 5:00-7:00 P.M.

Chicken Noodle Soup, Cheeseburger Soup, Chili Soup, Potato Soup & Oyster Soup.



All soups will be I home made and cinnamon rolls

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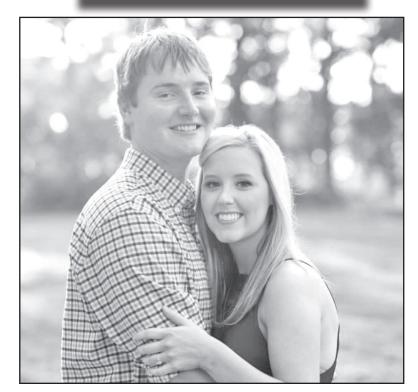
Observance of **Veterans Day**

Wednesday, November 4th 9:00a.m. to Sell Out **ShopKo Hometown**

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Hutfles-Gist wedding Jan. 2, 2016

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hutfles and Mr. and Mrs. Martin R. Gist are pleased to announce the engagement of their children, Emily Hutfles and Thomas Gist. Emily is a graduate of FC Sacred Heart High School and Peru State College and is employed with FC Public Schools as a fifth grade teacher.

Thomas is a FC High alumnus and also graduated from Peru State. He is employed with NPPD at Cooper Nuclear Station in Brownville.

Grandparents of the couple are Lucivada Gist and the late Thomas F. Gist and the late Colonel Dale L. and Margaret Shaffer, Leo and Martha Hutfles and the late Lawrence and Bonnie Hullman.

The couple will be married on Jan. 2, 2016 at Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Falls City.

FCAMA Thanksgiving Basket drive

Thanksgiving Baskets to those in need in our community and area will be delivered on the Sunday before Thanksgiving, Nov. 22. This annual event is a joint ministry of the churches of the Falls City area, sponsored by the Falls City Area Ministerial Association, in coordination with SEN-CA. Cash donations are preferred to buy the needed items for the baskets in bulk quantities, but items may be donated as well. Checks can be made to "FCAMA" with the notation "Food," and can be sent to FCAMA, PO Box 132, Falls City, NE 68355.

Donated food may be brought to individual churches to be delivered to St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 16th & Harlan or may be left at St. Thomas from Monday, Nov. 16, through Friday, Nov. 20, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. The drop-off point will be inside the southeast door marked for that purpose. Donated items that are past the "sell by" date will not be distributed. Items needed are: canned green beans, canned corn, canned yams or sweet potatoes, mushroom soup, cranberry sauce, instant potatoes, canned fruit, corn muffin mix, macaroni & cheese, and packaged spaghetti. No pie filling

Volunteers are needed to pack and to deliver the food boxes. The packing will take place in the basement of St. Thomas on Saturday morning, Nov. 21, at 9:30 a.m. The baskets will be delivered following a Community Thanksgiving Service which will take place at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 22, at St. Thomas. Volunteers do not need to attend the Thanksgiving Service, but they need to be in the church basement by 3:00 p.m.

A Thanksgiving Basket can be requested by leaving a message, with name address and phone number, on the FCAMA Help Line. 402-245-3235. This is a great opportunity to give your time, energy, and resources to help meet a need that is year-round, but is especially felt at this time of feasting. Remember that Jesus told us, "Whatever you do for the least of these . . . you do for me." (Matthew 25:40)

Students

Falls City High School has announced the following Honor Roll, and Orange and Black Honor Roll for the first quarter of the 2015-16 school year:

Regular Honor Roll

9th Grade – Brody Bindle, Hailey Buchner, Jessica Burns, Christopher Cochran, Josephine Crofford, Isaiah Florea, Gretchen Fritz, Bailey Furrow, Gabrielle Holcomb, Jennifer Rider, Cade Schawang, Chloe Thompson and Jaiden Wag-

10th Grade – Hailey Campbell, Brandt Chapple, Regan Deckinger, Jacie Fisher, Gabrielle Frazier, Joel Gifford, Emma Gill, Brittney Radley, Nathan Richey and Tiffany

11th Grade – Lillian Adams, Bailey Armbruster, Taylor Bachman, Kirsten Carter, Ryan Chab, Austin Cochran, Shane Cochran, Jordan Eads, Tyler Ebel, Alyssa Frederick, Edward Fritz, Emmalee Gerdes, Tyler Harms, Zayne Heckenlively, Isaac Hogue, Carter Hunzeker, Dalton Kennel, Kyle Leafty, Dayton Mellage, Annie Moreno, Tayten O'Brien, Mary Patnode, Hannah Pfohl, Bryan Sickel, Jace Starner-Bents, Parker Thompson and Barbara Wilhide.

12th Grade - Anthony Baker, Christian Bennett, Lauren Bierman, Chessanie Blakley, Kaitlynn Crofford, Kellse Embretson, Gregory Folsom, Cody Frederick, Luke Gifford, Sophie Keller, Lainey Larsen, Marissa Ogden, Trenton Pentecost, Jordan Phroper, Morgan Phroper, Hannah Popejoy, Colton Reiss and Bryan Rose.

Orange & Black Honor Roll 9th Grade - Bryan Bassett, Erin Brewer, Grayson Hayes, Keegan Hunzeker, Jacob Joy and Elise Ny-

10th Grade- Austin Aldana, Austin Babb, Kay-Lee Blunt, Jordyn Bomar, Tavia Bruxellas, Ransom Campbell, Jacob Craig, Austin Eads, Elle Findlay, Sophia Gilsdorf, Noah Milam, Kayelee Mosiman, Zachary Petry, Meredith Poppe, Lexus Robinson, Brooklyn Romine, Kaley Santora, Rylee Scholl, Katelyn Stoller, Dylan Sutton, Haylee Vice, Leslie Vitosh and Rudy Vrtiska.

11th Grade – Emma Beckner, Morgan Bletscher, Sydney Brewer, Molly Brown, Peyton Campbell, Savannah Davis, Cheyenne Dovel, Erik Eickhoff, Megan Eickhoff, Aaron Kurpgeweit, Josie Notle, Halee Rosenberry and Darcy Snethen.

12th Grade – Elizabeth Bauman, Bailey Bindle, Jacob Brewer, Madison Buckminster, Samantha Harmon, McKayla Henderson, Danielle Kirkendall, Haley Liberty, Megan Vollmer, Hannah Weaver, Bailey Witt and Carley Youde.





Dennis Lock Weds Craig Cullum at Richardson County Courthouse

A "native son" of Falls City wed his partner of six years recently on the west steps of The Richardson County Courthouse. Dennis Lock, son of the late Harold (Harry) Lock and Darlene (Boyer) Lock, married Craig Cullum, son of Roy Cullum, of Ft. Myers, FL, and Penny Landeros, of Enid, OK. The outdoor ceremony was performed by The Honorable Nancy DeKlotz, Justice of the Peace, and was witnessed by approximately thirty guests, including both family and friends. Attending the two grooms were Mr. Cullum's mother, Penny Landeros, and Mr. Lock's brother, Bobby of Falls City. Ringbearers were Mr. Cullum's niece, Ava Booker, of Enid, OK and Mr. Lock's great niece, Grace Fritz, of Papillion. A post ceremony celebration was hosted by Bobby and Marilyn Lock at their home. Guests wined, dined and mingled amidst colorful fall decorations in the garden and on the tables, courtesy of Marilyn and several "helpers". Mr. Lock and Mr. Cullum returned to Florida after achieving their goal of obtaining the first same-sex marriage license to be issued in Richardson County.

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Event will start and end at the Stanton Lake, Falls City

Entry Fee: \$20 for Individual (entry fees are non-refundable) This is a non-competitive event to raise funds for the volunteer ambulance squad, as well as promoting exercise.



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DATE:

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CIVIL COURT

Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Systems and against Antonio Schulenberg, of Falls City, in the amount of \$112.88, plus prejudgment interest of \$2.47, attorney fees of \$16.28 and Court costs of \$63.50. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.107 percent.

COUNTY COURT

-Carla L. Dodd, 47, of Banning, CA, count one, driving during revocation, Class 2 misdemeanor, amended to driving under suspension (Class 3 Misdemeanor); count two, failure to use turn signal; count three, failure to use seat belt; count four, failure to use child passenger restraint. Case continued to Nov. 9 for entry of pleas.

-Samantha A. Jones, 32, of Falls City, count one, no proof of insurance; count two, no operator's license; count three, failure to yield right of way (on left turn). Show cause hearing regarding failure to pay fines/costs set for Nov. 23.

-John M. Hall, 29, of Falls City, count one, abandon/animal cruelly neglect animal; count two, cruelly mistreat animal, first offense; count three, no rabies vaccination. Pled not guilty to all three counts. Pretrial hearing set for Nov. 16.

-Scott A. Delome, 35, of Morrill, KS, count one, DUI - first offense; count two, refuse to submit to test, first offense; count three, no proof of insurance; count four, no operator's license; count five, operator motor vehicle without proof of ownership; count six, no valid registration; count seven, refuse to submit to pretest; count eight, possess/consume open alcohol container; count nine, possess K2 or marijuana (one ounce or less); count 10, possess or use drug paraphernalia; count 11, failure to use seat belt. Pled not guilty to all charges. Pretrial hearing set for Nov. 16.

-Michael D. Heideman, 36, of Stella, leaving the scene of an accident (failure to furnish information); count two, disturbing the peace. Case continued to Nov. 9 for entry of plea.

-Ty A. Larson, 18, of Falls City, minor in possession of alcohol (under 19 years of age), second offense. Pled guilty. Sentencing set

for Dec. 7.

-Jared I. Ely, 19, of Falls City, license vehicle without liability insurance. Pled guilty. Fined \$100, plus Court costs of \$49.

-Matthew D. Duncan, 25, of Humboldt, DUI - first offense. Case continued to Nov. 9 for entry of plea.

-Julian M. Cooper, 24, of Humboldt, DUI (.15-plus). Case continued to Nov. 9 for entry of plea.

-Mark W. Gaede, 30, of Humboldt, count one, unregistered wrecked or junked vehicle; count two, weeds/grasses over 12 inches tall; count three, maintaining a nuisance. Pled guilty to all three charges. Sentencing set for Nov. 9.

-Mark W. Gaede, 30, of Humboldt, disturbing the peace. Pled no contest. Fined \$75, plus Court costs of \$49.

-Thomas B. Chapple, 41, of Falls City, disorderly conduct (Case ID: CR15-267). Pled not guilty. Trial scheduled for Nov. 18.

-Thomas B. Chapple, 41, of Falls City, disorderly conduct (Case ID: CR15-287). Pled not guilty. Trial scheduled for Nov. 18.

-Everett Loper, 27, of Falls City, disturbing the peace. Pled no contest. Fined \$75, plus Court costs of

-Brittany A. Liming, 23, of Falls City, count one, procure/sell alcohol to a minor; count two, possess/ consume open alcohol container. Pled not guilty to both charges. Pretrial hearing set for Nov. 16.

-John D. Fail, 37, of Verdon, nuisance (Case ID: CR15-289). Pled guilty. Fined \$100, plus Court costs of \$49.

-John D. Fail, 37, of Verdon, nuisance (Case ID: CR15-315). Pled guilty. Fined \$100, plus Court costs of \$49.

-Kristen N. McNett, 31, of Falls City, count one, procure/sell alcohol to a minor; count two, possess/ consume open alcohol container. Pled not guilty to both charges. Pretrial hearing set for Nov. 16.

-Jordan A. Lunsford, 24, of Falls City, driving under suspension. Pled no contest. Sentencing set for Nov. 9.

-Bryce Brindley, 29, of Peru, shoplifting. Pled guilty. Fined \$100, plus Court costs of \$49, and ordered to pay restitution of \$22.69 to Farm & City Supply.

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-Coulton J. McCann, 18, of Falls City, theft by receiving stolen property (\$500-\$1,500), a Class 1 Misdemeanor, amended to theft by receiving stolen property (less than \$200), a Class 2 Misdemeanor; count two, minor in possession of alcohol (under 19 years of age), first offense; count three, possess/ consume open alcohol container; count four, failure to stay in lane. Case continued to Nov. 9 for entry of plea.

-Daniel K. Lyons, 55, of Rulo, DUI - second offense, amended to reckless driving, first offense. Pled guilty to amended charge. Fined \$500, plus Court costs of \$49 and other costs of \$146.45. Placed on probation for eight months, must successfully complete outpatient treatment for chemical dependency (and aftercare) and attend alcohol education classes within 90 days. To serve 15 days in Richardson County Jail beginning May 2, 2016 unless waived by the Court.

-Robert H. Phroper, 49, of Salem, sentencing for DUI - third offense (prior convictions July 2004 and January 2012). Fined \$1,000, plus Court costs of \$49 and lab costs of \$145.65; ordered to serve 30 days in Richardson County Jail beginning Nov. 7, with two days credit served; driver's license revoked for two years (ignition interlock permit), and defendant is prohibited from driving for 45 days. Placed on probation for 24 months and to pay additional probation fees of \$690. To serve an additional 30 days in jail beginning Oct. 3, 2016 unless waived by the Court.

-Jack B. Fritts, 42, of Falls City, count one, criminal mischief (less than \$200); count two, disturbing the peace; count three, possess or use drug paraphernalia. Counts one and three dismissed with prejudice (Editor's Note - dismissal with prejudice bars the government from prosecuting the accused later on the same charge); pled guilty via waiver on count two. Fined \$100, plus Court costs of \$49.

-Everett A. Loper, 27, of Falls City, driving under suspension. Pled no contest. Sentencing set for Dec. 2.

-Brett M. Winters, 19, of Falls City, tampering with physical evidence, a Class IV Felony. Bound over to District Court for arraignment Nov. 3.

-Brett M. Winters, 19, of Falls City, count one, possession of a controlled substance, a Class IV Felony; criminal mischief (less than \$500); count three, criminal trespass in the second degree; count four, possess or use drug paraphernalia. Count one bound over to District Court for arraignment Nov. 3; counts two, three and four dismissed without prejudice (Editor's Note - dismissal without prejudice means the government did not waive its right to litigate the

matter in a subsequent action). -Hailey N. Moyer, 18, of Falls City, sentencing for assault in the third degree; ordered to serve one day in Richardson County Jail, with one day credit served, and placed on nine months probation, Must obtain an evaluation for chemical dependency within 30 days and pay \$300 in probation fees, plus Court costs of \$49.

-Gary M. DuMont Jr., 29, of Falls City, count one, misdemeanor false reporting; count two, driving during revocation; count three, leaving the scene of an accident

- failure to furnish information; count four, no proof of insurance; count five, no valid registration. Case continued to Nov. 16 for entry

-Jacob L. Smith, of Falls City, DUI - first offense. Sentencing set for Nov. 16.

-Brandon L. Frenzel, 25, of Falls City, leaving the scene of an accident - failure to furnish information. Pretrial hearing Nov. 16.

-Robert S. Hillard, 43, of Falls City, count one, no operator's license; count two, speeding (11-15); count three, failure to use seat belt. Pretrial hearing set for Nov. 16.

-Paul M. Harmon, 20, of Falls City, four counts of contributing to the delinquency of a minor. Case continued to Nov. 30 for entry of

-Jefrey A. Morley, 26, of Falls City, count one, assault in the third degree; count two, disturbing the peace. Case continued to Nov. 19 for entry of plea.

-Jefrey A. Morley, 26, of Falls City, theft by receiving stolen property (less than \$200). Case continued to Nov. 16 for entry of plea.

-Renee M. Ely, 22, of Falls City, leaving the scene of an accident failure to furnish information. Case continued to Nov. 16 for entry of

-John D. Cooper, 20, of Humboldt, disturbing the peace. Trial

scheduled for Dec. 2.

-Everett A. Loper, 27, of Falls City, count one, domestic assault in the third degree, amended to assault in the third degree; count two, resisting arrest, first offense. Pled no contest to count one; count two dismissed with prejudice. Sentencing Dec. 2 (full presentence investigation ordered).

Tuesday, November 3, 2015

-Jason W. Stevens, 42, of Falls City, count one, DUI - first offense; count two, no operator's license (waiverable); count three, possess or consume open alcohol container; count four, driving left of center. Pled not guilty to all counts. Case continued to Nov. 23 for pretrial hearing.

BUILDING PERMITS

-David Klaus, 1010 E. 19th St.; addition to house (footing, framing, roof), \$11,000.

-William Chesson, 820 Fulton

St.; roof, \$9,000. -Shane Sutton, 2403 Lane St.;

remodel third floor, \$24,000. -FC Homefront, 402 W. 31st St.; add bedroom and closet to basement, egress window), \$7,500.

-Sandra Oswald, 710 McLean

St.; windows, \$12,765. -Aaron Johansen, 2715 Abbott St.; basement waterproofing sys-

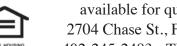
tem, \$10,943. -Theodore Godemann, 1801 Stone St.; masonry, window and entrance improvements to building, \$25,000.

-Melissa Hardenberger, 810 E. 12th St.; water heater, \$500.

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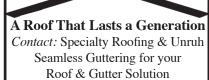
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Falls City High School senior Jeremy Waggoner toughs out a handful of his 38 rushing yards, helped along by a wicked block by senior Bradly Rose, last Friday afternoon in the Tigers' 42-0 road loss to topranked Norfolk Catholic in the first round of the Class C1 playoffs. It was the second year in a row that FCHS, which finished 7-3 and qualified for the playoffs for a fourth consecutive year under Coach Darin Fritz, saw a successful season end in Norfolk to the mighty Knights. Norfolk Catholic, now a perfect 10-0, has qualified for postseason play 27 years in a row and this fall is aiming to capture a 10th state championship, to go with five runner-up finishes. Catholic hosts 8-2 Wahoo Bishop Neumann this Friday. The Tigers were beaten by a trio of state playoff teams in 2015: 8-2 Ashland-Greenwood, a 42-14 winner over 7-2 Chase County, and 6-4 Syracuse, which nearly upset third-seeded and unbeaten Boys Town in a 14-13 loss. Ashland travels to top-seeded Columbus Scotus Friday.

For second year in a row, FC's season ends at Norfolk

FCHS at Norfolk Catholic Oct. 30 at Veterans Memorial Field

FC	NCHS
Score0	42
First Downs6	16
Rushes/Yards (Net)41/87	34/318
Passing Yards (Net)0	96
Passes Att/Comp/Int5/0/0	9/6/1
Total Off. Plays/Yards46/87	43/414
Fumble Ret/Yards0/0	0/0
Punt Ret/Yards0/0	4/26
Kickoff Ret/Yards2/17	1/11
Interception Ret/Yards1/0	0/0
Punts (No./Ave)12/25.0	2/21.0
Fumbles/Lost1/0	3/2
Penalties/Yards5/35	4/25
Possession Time28:52	19:08

By Tom Behmer, Norfolk Daily News

Watching the Norfolk Catholic defensive front on film led four-year Falls City Coach Darin Fritz to believe the Knights would making moving the ball difficult.

Turns out, it was nearly impossible as Norfolk Catholic's top unit limited the Tigers to 20 yards of offense in the first half of a 42-0 win in the first round of the Class C1 playoffs at Veterans Memorial Park.

"We were right, they're good. They're really good," Fritz said. "We played (two-time defending runnerup) Ashland-Greenwood earlier in the season and got beat, but we could run against them. These guys, front to back, they're just pretty darn good."

Norfolk Catholic improved to a perfect 10-0 on the season and is the pick to take the school's 10th state championship later this month. The Knights Friday host 8-2 Bishop Neumann, a team they defeated 30-23 Sept. 11 in what turned out to be their most difficult game of the year. The program is competing in the playoffs for the 27th consecutive year, dating back to 1987, and has advanced to the state finals a tremendous 15 times. FCHS qualified for the fourth straight year — all obviously under Fritz — and ninth time in school history.

The Knights didn't surrender as much as a first down until the 3:22 mark of the first half while stopping Falls City at or behind the line of scrimmage on 13 of its first 20 plays. Aaron Hoff had a hand in on five stops behind the line of scrimmage, Paul Uhlir made four stops for losses and Drew Leise was in on three negative plays as the Knights forced the Tigers to punt 11 times

Already ahead 35-0 in the second quarter, a blocked punt by Uhlir set up a 6-yard touchdown run by Dylan

Kautz that gave Norfolk Catholic a 42-0 halftime lead.

"I thought we really played good defense the entire game. Our front eight didn't give anything up. They got maybe one first down the entire first half, so I don't think we can play any better on that side of the ball," NC coach Jeff Bellar said.

FCHS junior Zayne Heckenlively was held to a season-low 47 yards on 22 carries, but needed just 44 yards to

break the school's single-season rushing record, set in 1990 by Cameron Mc-Nabb. Heckenlively turned in the most prolific season carrying the leather, gaining nearly nine yards per rush for a total of 1,501 yards in 2015. He is the sixth Tiger to eclipse 1,000 yards in a season, joining McNabb (1,497), Cord Huettner (1,481), Dan Werner (1,415), Dakota Schulenberg (1,339) and Bruce Smith (1,034). He found the end zone 20 times - two more than all the other

Tiger ballcarriers combined, and also took three punts back to the house. On the other side of the ball, Heckenlively led the Tiger defense with 69 total tackles and 9.5 stops for 35 yards in losses.

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There weren't many offensive highlights, though, for Heckenlively or anybody else Friday in Norfolk.

On the game's second play, senior David Engelhaupt side-stepped a defender at the line of scrimmage and went untouched on a 69-yard TD run to put the Knights ahead 7-0. With 19 seconds left in the quarter, Kautz went 84 yards on a toss play to extend the lead to 13-0.

The bookend touchdowns were separated by a pair of Knight turnovers — a fumbled punt return and a Trent Pentecost interception that halted a Norfolk Catholic drive at the Tiger 10-yard line. Both Jeremy Waggoner and Colton Reiss recovered Knight fumbles.

"We want to take care of the football. I think we were negative two in turnovers, and we don't want that," Bellar said. "We've just got to take care of those little things."

With the second and third units for Norfolk Catholic maintaining the shutout, FCHS finished with 87 yards of total offense — all on the ground.

"Our game plan was to possess the ball as much as we could and shorten the game. We thought if we could do that, then maybe we could be in the game. I thought for the first quarter, we did a pretty decent job," Fritz said. "You definitely learn something from playing the best in the state, and we feel Norfolk Catholic is the best in C1 right now.

"We've got a ways to go. We've got the majority of our kids back next year, and we want to build a program and take the next step."

Norfolk Catholic, which took that step more than three decades ago, accumulated 340 of its 414 total yards before halftime. Engelhapt and Kautz both finished above 100 yards rush-

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FCHS junior Bryan Rose carried the ball four times for 12 yards Friday in Norfolk and finished the year with 233 yards (6.1 per carry) and seven touchdowns on just 38 carries. The Tigers were limited to 20 yards of offense in the first half of a 42-0 loss to unbeaten No. 1 Norfolk Catholic.



Top-ranked Irish host Randolph Wednesday afternoon

	CIT	-
	SH	EH
First downs	20	18
Rushing	47/287	61/260
Passing	2/4/0	5/13/0
Passing Yards	55	36
Fumbles Lost	2	2
Penalties-Yds.	6-40	3-25
Total Offense	338	255

Class D2 top-ranked and fourthseeded FC Sacred Heart got slightly spooked in the first round of the playoffs Thursday at Jug Brown, but responded with a vengeance, erasing first-half deficits of 12-0 and 18-8 by scoring 44 unanswered points in a 52-18 victory over Emerson-Hubbard.

It was a rematch of last year's opening round game and 52-13 Sacred Heart win, though it was a much different game for 24 minutes than one might think. FCSH, now 8-1 and hosting 7-2 Randolph, a 76-33 winner over Johnson-Brock, at 3 p.m. Wednesday, got a slight case of the drops and had an early score negated by a penalty that actually came on the previous play (?), and the upset-minded Pirates capitalized. Austin Ostrand caught an eightyard scoring pass from Taylor Donner after an Irish fumble gave the visitors first-and-goal at the nine. Then EM and a peculiar penalty call — gave the Pirates the ball at their own 31. This time they marched 49 yards in seven plays, capped by a 13-yard run by Haberman, and suddenly the D2 favorites were down 12-0 in the second quarter.

It didn't take sophomore Christian Harring and the Irish offense long to answer, as he busted a 32-yard TD run less than two minutes later. Senior QB Bailey Witt added the two-point conversion, but E-M was not finished. An 18-yard TD pass from Donner to Brice Morgan put the underdogs up 18-8 with 7:55 to play in the half. An almost certain Irish scoring drive was floundered away into the E-M end zone for a touchback and with the clock inching closer to halftime, Halloween was dawning two days early at Jug Brown.

But enter Henry Arnold. After the Irish D stiffened, forcing a three-andout, Arnold took the ensuing punt at his own 33 and completely flipped the field, taking it 57 yards to the house. His brother, Sean, added the two-point conversion and it was a two-point Pirate lead at half.

And the second half was all Irish. The home team scored on offense (three Witt runs of 10, 1 and 31 yards) and a four-yard run by Harring, and defense (a 38-yard fumble recovery by Michael Keithley) to win going away.

The Irish are competing in the playoffs for an ongoing state-record 28th straight year.

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(TOP) The Irish defense gangtackle Emerson-Hubbard senior quarterback Tyler Haberman last Thursday in a 52-18 Sacred Heart victory at Jug Brown Stadium in the first round of the Class D2 State Football Playoffs. Sean Arnold (33) made a tremendous 19 team-high tackles, while his brother, Henry, a senior, had 14 stops. Sophomore Tristan Keithley (15), senior Reggie Johansen (85), who finished with eight total tackles, are also pictured. The top-ranked Irish lost a fumble and had a touchdown negated by penalty and found themselves down 12-0 to the upset-minded Pirates in the opening seconds of the second period and 18-8 with 7:55 to play in the half. But a Henry Arnold punt return, taken 57 yards to the house turned the tide and the Irish scored 44 unanswered points en route to the rout. SH hosts 7-2 Randolph at 3 p.m. Wednesday at Jug Brown.

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course, Reggie is Mr. October, but November may well be Sacred Heart junior lineman Bryant Jorn's month. He showed the Pirates how 298 pounds can "get up, get up, and get down" during a sack dance last Thursday. We'll see what kind of moves he breaks

Rushing

out Wednesday when Randolph

comes calling at 3 p.m.

FCSH — Ahern, 1-0; H. Arnold, 1-16; S. Arnold, 6-39; Barker, 1-6; Harring, 14-80 (2TD); Hoy, 9-36; Witt, 15-110 (3TD)

> **Passing** FCSH — Witt, 2-4-0, 55 yds.

Receiving FCSH - H. Arnold, 2-55.

Kicking FCSH - Hoy, 8-42.5 ave.

Kick Returns

FCSH — H. Arnold, 1-31.0 ave; S. Arnold, 3-30.0 ave.

Punt Returns

FCSH — H. Arnold, 1-57.0 ave. Tackles-Yds. Lost

FCSH - S. Arnold, 2-2; Johansen, 1-2; Jorn, 1-2; M. Keithley, 1-5; T. Keithley, 1-1; Rohrer, 1-10; Scheitel, 3-19.

> Tackles - Solo/Asst. FCSH - A. Ahern, 4-6; H. Ar-

nold, 7-7; S. Arnold, 8-11; Bippes, 0-1; J. Froeschl, 0-2; Harring, 5-6; Hoy, 1-3; Johansen, 2-6; Jorn, 2-3; M. Keithley, 3-10; T. Keithley, 1-4; Keller, 1-1; Rohrer, 1-2; Scheitel, 4-2.

Tigers finish 7-3

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ing, with Engelhaupt running for 117 yards and three TDs on eight carries and Kautz adding 106 yards and two scores on seven carries.

A 23-yard pass from Myles Vrbka to Michael Stinson with 7:51 left in the first half accounted for the Knights' other score. Vrbka completed six of his nine throws for 96 yards.

Senior Bradly Rose recorded one tackles for a three-yard loss and sophomore Rudy Vrtiska (six solo, two assists), and Pentecost and Jeremy Waggoner (each four solo stops, three assists) were defensive leaders for the Tigers. Both Rose twins (Bryan and Bradly), Pentecost, Reiss, Waggoner, Charles Dawkins, Montana Mirelez, Cody Frederick, Martin Richbourg, Joost Tipke, Luke Gifford and Jeremy Robinson played their final game and graduate never having played on a losing team.

Heckenlively, a 170-pound junior, needs just 753 yards next fall to break Cord Huettner's career rushing record of 2,403 yards, set in 2012. Other key contributors presumably returning next year include juniors Aaron Kurpgeweit (6-0, 165), Carter Hunzeker (5-10, 190), Trevis Keller (6-1, 220), Eddie Fritz (5-8, 200), Ben Bauman (6-4, 280), Tyler Harms (6-0, 235), Bryan Sickel (6-2, 170) and Dalton Kennel (5-11, 245), as well as Vrtiska (6-0, 170), who gained 6.1 yards per carry and scored three TDs this fall. He was also a standout on defense and performed the punting duties.

INDIVIDUAL STATS RUSHING

FC — Heckenlively, 22-47; Waggoner, 7-38; Rose, 4-12; Vrtiska, 4-9. NC — Engelhaupt, 8-117, 3 TD; Kautz, 7-106, 2 TD; Leise, 3-20; Vrbka, 3-18.

PASSING

FC - Heckenlively, 0-3-0; Robin-

NC — Vrbka, 6-9-1, 96 yards, TD. **RECEIVING**

NC - Stinson, 2-54, TD; Bettenhausen, 1-20; Timmerman, 1-10; Engelhaupt, 1-8.

PUNTING

FC — Waggoner, 12-25.0 ave. NC — Engelhaupt, 1-21.0 ave.

KICKING FC — Vrtiska, 1-47.0 ave.

NC — Cattau, 7-59.0 ave.

KICK RETURNS FC — Heckenlively, 2-17.

 Kautz, 1-11. **PUNT RETURNS**

FC - N/A

NC — Uhlir, 1-16; Zach, 3-10.

TACKLES (solo-assists)

Vrtiska, 6-2; Pentecost, 4-3; Waggoner, 4-3; Reiss, 3-1; Kennel, 2-2; Bauman, 0-3; Heckenlively, 0-3; Bradly Rose, 1-1; Campbell, 1-0; Milam, 1-0; Bryan Rose, 1-0; Schawang,

NC - Stoffel, 4-5; Uhlir, 4-3; Leise, 2-5; Schaefer, 3-2.

TACKLES FOR LOSSES FC — Bradly Rose, 1-3.

1-0; Sutton, 1-0; Keller, 0-1.

FUMBLE RECOVERIES

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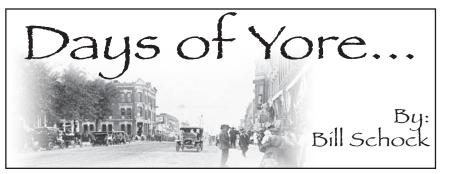
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50 Years Ago (Nov. 4 - Nov. 10, 1965)

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Gentry, of Falls City received the Young Alumni Service award at Nebraska Wesleyan university's 10th annual awards ban-

The first attempted kidney transplant in the Omaha area was performed.

The patient, was "doing well." The Sacred Heart football team walloped Craig, Mo., 32-0 to register

its fifth victory of the season. The Falls City Tiger football team was beat by Syracuse on "Dad's

Night," by a 20-0 margin.

The Nebraska Cornhuskers had just two games left for their first unde-

feated season in fifty years. A total of 1,520 Buddy Poppies were sold by members of the local

V.F.W. Auxiliary in one day. Severe chest pains sent former President, Dwight D. Eisenhower to the

hospital. A 1936 model car slammed into the east door of Falls City north school.

A youth was determined to be uninjured but the school sustained signifi-Ray Metzner and Tom Dunbar placed on the first unit of the SEB All-

Conference Team. Other Irish players receiving honorable mention were Mike Schawang, Ken Swenson and Pat Hall. Three winners of the handpicking corn contest were announced and

presented with plaques: Paul Schawang, first place; Alfred Kehr, Shubert, second and Fred Thompson, Salem, received third place. Safeway grocery store advertised sliced bacon for 69¢ per pound, cake

mixes for 29¢ a box and a half gallon of milk for only 43¢. 25 Years Ago

The Falls City Sacred Heart Irish football team beat Humphrey Saint Francis, 62-16, remaining undefeated.

Big election winners were, Charles Laux for Sheriff; Charlene Schuetz, for County Assessor; Craig Martinosky for County Commissioner; Ben Nelson for Governor and Steve Kottich for Mayor of Falls City.

Steve Simon of Falls City Sacred Heart was named Journal Athlete of



the Week. Simon had 21 carries for 189 yards during the first round of the state playoffs. He also lead the team on defense with 16 tackles, half of which were unassisted.

The Jug Brown Stadium renovation project received a shot in the arm when the Falls City Area Jaycees presented a check in the amount of \$1,000.

15 Years Ago

Falls City Sacred Heart beat Nebraska Christian Academy 68-20 in the quarterfinal playoff football game.

The Irish volleyball girls lost to Daniel Freeman in three sets during district finals. The Flynn girls lead the team in blocking, attacking, serving

Big winners in the elections were: Gayle Swisegood, for County Com-

missioner; Don Stenberg for U.S. Senate and George Bush for President. Falls City Journal Athletes of the Week were Allison Weaver and Brandon Bonk both students at Falls City Sacred Heart.

The Southeast and DV school boards met to discuss the co-op of activities and possibly teachers. The meeting ended with members agreeing there was no urgency for consolidation but they would discuss it in the future.

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Obituaries

Cheryl McDowell

Cheryl McDowell, 63, of Falls City, passed away Oct. 25, 2015. She was born on Dec. 7, 1951 at Humboldt to the late Everett and Dorothy Mae (Vanoy) McDowell.

Cheryl graduated high school in 1970 and had worked at Ewing's Salvage Yard, Pizza Hut, was a butcher and stock person at Whitten's Market, projectionist at the Breezy Hills Drive-in and Oil City Movie Theatre, Clerk at G & H Hardware and from 1972 until 2004 she was employed at Jim Hill's Paint and Glass in Falls City.

She enjoyed painting, beading, cooking, fishing, hunting, bingo, attending Brownville concerts, BBQ and smoking meats.

She was a blacksmith at Indian Cave State Park and also a historian for St. DeRoin, Barada, Brownville and Dawson and participated in the Living History at Indian Cave.

She was a member of Pioneer Longrifle Muzzleloaders Black Powder Gun Club. She had served as vice president, secretary and range officer.

Cheryl was preceded in death by her parents, brother, Jerry, nephew, Michael McDowell and a greatnephew, Dwayne Peacock

She is survived by brother, Alan McDowell, nieces: Ivy (Jamie) Gresham, Ida (Dwayne) Peacock, Sherry (Bobby) Gresham; 15 greatnieces and nephews; a great-greatnephew; Elaine (Ernie) Craig; sister-in-law: Julie Marteny, and many close and dear friends.

A memorial service will be held on Sunday, Nov. 8, 2015 at 2:00 PM at Indian Cave State Park, Nebraska at the Pioneer Longrifle Muzzle Loaders Gun Range with Eleanor Last officiating. Park Fees will be waived for service attendees.

Compassionate Friends to meet next Monday night

The next Compassionate Friends (TCF) meeting will be Monday, Nov. 9 from 6:30 - 8:00 PM at the Falls City Library & Arts Center, 1400 Stone St., in Falls City.

Anyone who has had a child die is welcome and encouraged to attend. When a child dies, at any age, the family suffers unimaginable pain and may feel alone and iso-

The Compassionate Friends bereavement support group provides comfort and hope to families that are dealing with the death of a son, daughter, grandchild, brother or sister.

The informal gathering is free and open to all parents, grandparents and siblings who have experienced the death of a child. Whether that child has died as a baby, a teenager or an adult; from natural causes, disease or accident ... it helps to talk with others who understand what you're going through.

The local TCF chapter currently meets on the second Monday of each month at the library. Find TCF on facebook at: The Compassionate Friends - TCF of Southeast Nebraska. Visit the website at: www.compassionatefriends.org.

For more information, Call Marc and Sally Merz at 402-245-0483 or Brent and Tanya Shubert at 402-855-6085.

Tami Feek

Tami Feek, 54, of Falls City, passed away on Thursday, Oct. 29, 2015 at Falls City. She was born April 15, 1961, to Doris (Constantine) Weaver and the late Larry Weaver, Jr.

Tami was raised in Falls City and graduated from Falls City High School in 1979. On June 30, 1978 she married David Feek at St. Peters Lutheran Church at Falls City. The couple established their home south of Falls City. She started babysitting for several families and also did the night shift at Motel Stephenson as a desk clerk. She then took employment at Falls City Middle School as a cook and also cooked at Eastview and Careage Estates and worked at the Bottle Shop. At the time of her illness she was employed at Falls City Middle School and Community Medical Center as a cook.

Tami was preceded in death by her father, Larry Weaver, Jr.

She is survived by her husband, David Feek; daughters, Jaime (Ruben) Saul, Julie (Justin) Kreifels; mother, Doris Weaver; brothers, Michael (Pat) Weaver, Doug Weaver; sister, Pamela (Randy) Scott, all of Falls City; mother-in-law, Lorna Feek of Verdon; grandchildren: Elizabeth Saul, Wyatt Kreifels, Christian Saul, and Brogan Kreifels; aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.

Services were held on Monday, Nov. 2, 2015 at 10:30 AM at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church with Reverend Andrew Chavanak officiating. The daughters received friends on Sunday from 3-5:00 PM at Dorr and Clark Funeral Home. Interment was at Williamsville Cemetery.

Mayree Ruch

Mayree Anne (Marsh) Ruch, 79, formerly of Dawson, passed away on Sunday, Oct. 25, 2015 at Au-

She was born July 29, 1936, one of four children of Mike and Maida (Webber) Marsh, on a farm near Brownville. She attended school at Locust Grove, Rosefield, and Nemaha before graduating from Honey Creek High School.

On June 29, 1958 Mayree was married to Miles E. Ruch at the United Brethren Church in Dawson. They were blessed with a daughter, Margo. The couple later divorced.

Mayree is fondly remembered for her years as a cook at Dawson-Verdon Schools, where (with the exception of a few years) she worked from 1970 until the school closed in 2000. She worked at Humboldt in the school kitchen for a while after 2000. Beginning in 1973 Mayree also worked nights at a bar & grill in Dawson or the Dawson Café. For a few years she was the owner of the Dawson Café.

During her lifetime Mayree had been a member of the Nemaha

Study Club, Nemaha County and Sabetha Saddle Clubs, and a card club. She belonged to the Dawson United Methodist Church until it closed, when her membership was transferred to the church in Humboldt. In Jan. of 2011 Mayree moved from her home in Dawson to the Good Samaritan Society in Auburn.

She was preceded in death by her parents and brother Robert.

Mayree is survived by her daughter and son-in-law Margo Ruch and Barney Carder of Dawson; grandson Brandon (Jackie) Ruch; 3 stepgrandchildren; 2 great-grandchildren; 8 step-great-grandchildren; sisters Janice Andrew of Naperville, IL; Judy and husband Larry Harmon of Dawson; nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

A memorial service was held Friday, Oct. 30, 2015 at Hemmingsen Funeral Home in Auburn, with Rev. Darwin Garton officiating. Brandon Ruch served as urnbearer. Burial of ashes followed in the Nemaha Cemetery.

Thomas Palmerton

Thomas was born in

Council Bluffs, on Dec. 9, 1932 to Fred Karence and Ethel (Strang) Palmerton. Tom grew up hunting and fish-

ing around Lake Manawa. He taught himself the art of taxidermy and also made his own canoe by the age of 17. Thomas was one of seven children.

Tom enlisted in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He spent his entire enlistment in France painting the mess hall walls because of a knee injury, thus starting his interest in art. After his service in the Army he returned to the states where he received his formal art training at the Kansas City Art Institute.

On Feb. 13, 1955 Tom married his high school sweetheart Carol Potkonjak. To this marriage Tom and Carol welcomed five children: Steve, Mark, Karen, Andrea, and Diana.

On 1969 Tom moved his family to Brownville, Nebraska for a six-week artist residency. It lasted 45+ years. He opened his foundry and gallery in Brownville, where he memory, Sgt. Jason Palmerton.

Thomas Dale Palmerton, 82, produced world renowned bronze passed away on Saturday, sculptures and paintings. He loved Oct. 24, 2015 at Auburn. his kids, Brownville, and the river.

> In 2001 Tom married Betty Seward and they both continued to live in Brownville.

He was preceded in death by his parents, all of his siblings, his first wife Carol, grandson Jason Palmerton, and son-in-law John Huey.

He leaves behind his wife Betty Palmerton of Brownville; sons Steve (Doreen) and Mark (Lynette), all of Norman, OK; daughters Karen Huey of Nemaha; Andrea and (Mitch) Birch of Clubb, MO; Diana Palmerton of Auburn; step-sons David Seward and partner Dennis of Carnegie, PA; Jim (Patty) Seward of Lincoln; Adam Seward and girlfriend Kelly of Wahoo; many grandchildren and greatgrandchildren; and many, many family and friends.

A celebration of life service was held Saturday, Oct. 31, 2015 at the River Inn Resort at Brownville, officiated by Kevin Casey. Urn bearers were Matt Palmerton, Stacey Huey, Sgt. Kevin Kyle Coonce, Chikadibia Ebirim, Zach Palmerton, Ian Palmerton, and Jimmy Seward. Honorary bearers were LCpl. Tyler Huey and, in special

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The Southeast Nebraska Association of Retired School Personnel met at the Richardson County Museum on Oct. 21. The meeting began with a luncheon, followed by the business meeting. President Ann Meinzer will attend the state convention, which will be held in Grand Island on Oct. 27 and 28. After the conclusion of the meeting, Gary and Glenda Nelson presented a program on their trip to Washington state and northern California. 2015-2017 Officers of the SE Nebraska Area Retired School Personnel are, from left: Ann Meinzer, President; Paul Weinert, Vice President; Marie Parsons, Secretary; and June Bowers, Treasurer.

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SOCIETY

Veteran of Foreign War Auxiliary

The Veterans of Foreign War Auxiliary #1765 met on Oct. 5, 2105 at 6:00 p.m. at the Legion Club. The meeting was opened by Sr. Vice President Sharon Sells in the absence of President Karla Capps.

The opening ceremonies were held. The previous minutes were read by Treasurer Charlotte Gentry in the absence of Secretary Marilyn Capps. Treasurer Gentry read the treasurer's report. It was approved subject to audit. Treasurer Gentry report membership of 21 life members and 83 continuous members.

The annual soup supper was held and the group enjoyed a variety of soups brought by the members.

Committee chair Gail Froeschl gave a report on the status of the Patriot's Pen and the Voice of Democracy programs. The Auxiliary encourages all students to participate in these patriotism programs.

District President Paula Waterfield was present for the annual auxiliary inspection. The Auxiliary was found to be in good working

District President Waterfield discussed the current quilt raffle; stated to recruit, recruit, recruit; wore the new Nebraska black auxiliary tee shirt available to purchase for \$25.00; informed us that a new patch is available to sew over shirts due to the auxiliary name change; discussed the scorecard report due monthly and reminded us to send in all reports as required.

As there was no further business, the meeting concluded with the closing ceremonies to reconvene on Nov. 2, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. with the annual Thanksgiving meal, members to bring a covered dish.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY

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Brownville Concert Series Christmas Gala

The Brownville Concert Series is thrilled to present their Silver Anniversary Christmas Gala, "Silver Bells", bringing the music of the holidays from the Silver Screen. The show was conceived by John Fricke, and is starring Maxine Linehan, Devin Lloyd, and Nathan Chang plus an extra surprise. They will perform in concert on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 11 and 12 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, Dec. 13



at 2 & 7 p.m. We give special thanks to DM Farms, Lifetime Vision Center, First National Bank of Johnson, Auburn State Bank, Jim Keene and the Brownville Community Foundation for helping to sponsor these concerts.

John Fricke is a writer, producer, and director, known best for "We're Off to See the Munchkins" (1993), "Return to Oz: The Joy That Got Away" (2004), and "Ziegfeld Girl Intro" (2004). In late 2008 and early 2010, Fricke picked out songs selections and archival film material for the traveling Judy Garland in Concert where live performances were projected on huge screens as Boston Pops and many other state orchestras cued up music to her legendary voice.

Maxine Linehan is a versatile, multi-talented singer/actress. She has featured in several Broadway by the Year concerts at The Town Hall in New York. Maxine has also recently performed in New York at Rose Hall at Jazz at Lincoln Center, the Metropolitan Room, 54 Below, The York Theater, The Pierre Hotel, and other swanky places. "She is commanding on stage, delightful in person, and a premier concert artist." said Scott Siegel, Producer/Writer/Director

Devin Lloyd is an actress, singer, dancer, and director in New York City. Devin graduated from Columbia University in 2015 with a degree in Anthropology. She has trained and performed musical theatre, contemporary theatre, and classical Shakespeare, including a residency at Shakespeare's Globe Theatre in London. Devin has extensive dance training and is also an experienced director. She won the Cappie award for Best Leading Actress in a Musical for the role of Hope Cladwell in Urinetown: The Musical.

Nathan Chang has performed in tours and regional theatres across the country. His music has been heard in venues all over New York City (The Duplex, Don't Tell Mama, The Metropolitan Room, Lincoln Center, Birdland, etc.) and he most recently performed in 'One Night Only' - a cappella Broadway show, with special guest Queen of Soul Aretha Franklin & fireworks on Hudson River.

Concert tickets are \$19 (\$15 for students) and are available at www.brownvilleconcertseries.com or by phone at 402-825-3331.

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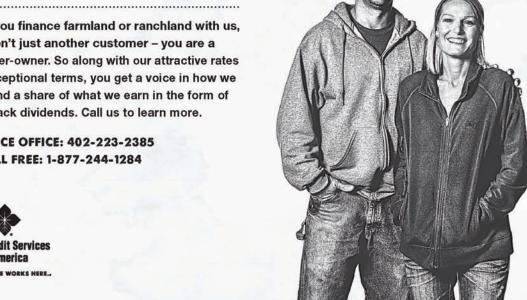
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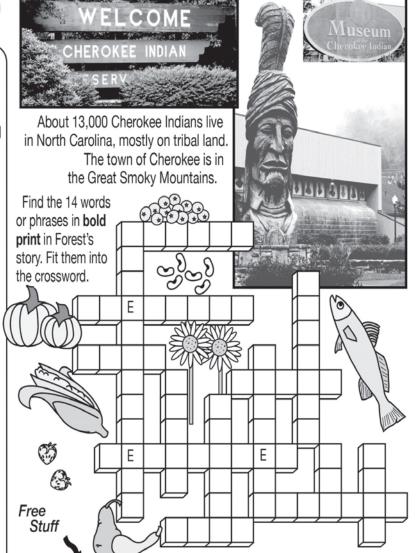
Did you know that archaeologists think the first people to live in North America were the Paleo-Indians? At the end of the last Ice Age (around 12,000 years ago) these people moved from Asia into North America on a land bridge that existed then. It is believed that they lived in small family groups and moved constantly to hunt animals like the mastodon (an elephant-like animal that is now extinct) and to gather foods like berries and

nuts. Arrowheads for spears and other tools mark places where they lived. In the Archaic period (8,000 to 1,000 BCE), families had homes with wooden poles covered with hides, which could be moved. In the spring they would move to the river valleys to fish and collect shellfish. In the fall they would move to the forest to hunt deer or turkey and gather nuts and berries. Archaeologists have studied tools, soapstone bowls, burial grounds and pottery to understand these people's ways.

In a more recent period, Woodland Indians, people are thought to have had villages as well as seasonal camps. Corn, a key part of the Indian diet, was introduced. The first evidence for the bow and arrow were found. It is believed that people were trading: salt, beads, shells, fish, pottery and animal skins.

During the next period, Mississippian Indians, settlements became more permanent. Squash, corn and beans, known as the Three Sisters, were important and foods from hunting and gathering were now added to the foods harvested from gardens. Beautiful jewelry and pottery were created too.

After 1650, when Europeans arrived, there were years of both peace and fighting. In 1836, the U.S. Senate accepted a treaty signed by a small group of **Cherokee** to sell their land and the Cherokee were forced to leave the east to be resettled in Oklahoma. They were expected to walk 1,000 miles to get there! On this hard walk, now called the "Trail of Tears," an estimated 4,000-8,000 people died. Some Cherokee refused to move and hid in the mountains. Many of their descendants now live on Qualla Boundary, a preserve.



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Sequoyah liked papers and books since they could be used to exchange ideas.

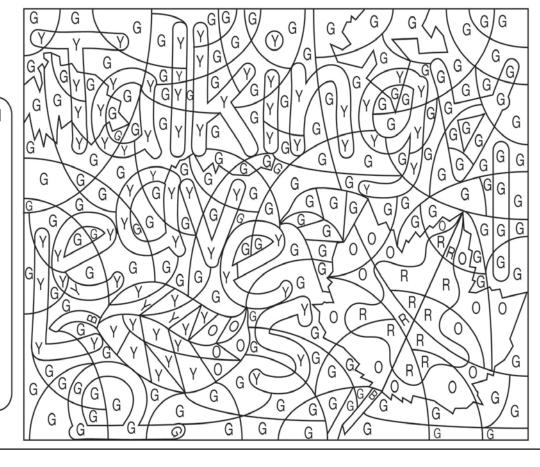
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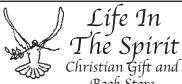
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(Arago) Sunday: Confessions, 10:10 a.m.; Mass, 10:30 a.m. Fr. David Oldham,

pastor

(2202 330th, White Cloud, KS) One quarter mile west of Iowa Tribal Com-plex Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; church service, 10:30 a.m. Rev. Charles J. Haney,

Lighthouse Church of God

pastor 785-862-1107

Zion United Church of Christ (4 1/2 miles East of Falls City, 3 miles North

and 1 1/2 miles East) 245-5024 Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m.; Communion, first Sunday of each month.

Monday: Second Monday of each month,

Church Board meeting, 7 p.m.
Second Wednesday of each month, Zion Women's Fellowship meeting, 7 p.m.
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Rev. Fay Ann Blaylock, pastor www.fallscitycooperativeministry.org

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402-245-5857 Sunday: Worship service, 10:30 a.m.; Bible study (classes for all ages), 9:30 a.m. Wednesday: Bible study for all ages, 6

"Preach the Word . . . for the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine." 2 Timothy 4:2-4. Josh Maxwell preacher, 402-245-7148

First Brethren Church

(1902 Lane Street) Sunday: Worship service, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, nursery (or pre-school), adult, 10:45 a.m.; Fellowship Hour, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Bible study, 6:30 p.m. Victor Haworth, pastor 245-5287

245-5209

St. Thomas Episcopal Church (16th and Harlan) 402-245-2868

our services.

Don Shafer,

stthomasepis@sentco.net www.stthomasfallscity.org Sunday: 9 a.m., Worship, Holy Eucharist, coffee, tea and conversation follow worship. Wednesday: 5:30 p.m., Service of Eve-

Thursday: 4:30 p.m., God study (Bible study). Any youth or adult is welcome. We invite you to worship with us at any of

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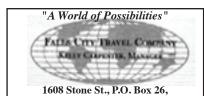
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Sunday: Sunday School Bible Hour, 9:30
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Wednesday: Bible study and prayer time, 7 p.m. Lively Stone Kids Klub, (ages K-6 We welcome you and your family to come

worship the Lord with us.

Pastor Mike Dunleavy
402-245-2049 (home)
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(Shubert)
Sunday Mass: First, third and fifth Sunday, 10:30 a.m.; second and fourth Sunday, 8:30 a.m.; confessions before Mass.

Fr. Kenneth F. Hoesing pastor

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship Services, 10:45 a.m. Evening Services, 6:00 p.m. Bible Class, 9:30 a.m. Bible preaching, and a warm welcome. Building is handicap accessible.

(213 Lake Shore Drive) Sunday: Fellowship breakfast, 8:45 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; worship service,

Monday: Prayer and Share Monday, 8:30

Bible study, 7 p.m.
We welcome you to all of our services.

Shubert Christian Church Sunday: Worship service, 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship time, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:45

Gene Rowell Pastor

Disciples of Christ (1322 Stone Street) Office Phone, 245-2398 or Parsonage, 245-2397 Sunday: Sunday School, all ages, 9:30 a.m.; worship service, 10:45 a.m. Rev. Fay Ann Blaylock,

PO Box 176 Mound City, MO 64470 Sunday Worship: 10:30 a.m., Children's Sunday School & Nursery provided during worship. "In Christ There Is Always Hope."

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mation. Ronald Russell,

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Dick Lionberger, Intern pastor

First Christian Church

pastor www.fallscitycooperativeministry.org

River of Hope Fellowship

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I29/Hwy 159

Pastor David Showalter 660-442-6305 Pastor Will Certain

816-824-8566

Junior Church, 9:50 a.m. A Reformed church endeavoring to teach and to practice Biblical principles of the Refor-

City of Falls City
GENERAL CLAIMS AUGUST 2015 ADMINISTRATIVE
PAYROLL, SA\$7,471.32 BENNETT REFRIGERATION, EX\$172.50
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BCBS OF NEBRASKA, EX\$506.23
BRAD GRIFFIN CONSULTING, EX\$649.95
CITY OF F.C. DEBIT CARD, EX\$74.80 CLUNE & COMPANY LC, EX\$157.50
DEADDODN NATIONAL EV \$74.80
DEARBORN NATIONAL, EX \$74.89 F.C. ECONOMIC DEVMT &, EX \$9,456.00
FALLS CITY MERCANTILE, EX \$495.12
GENESIS EMPLOYEE RNETS EX \$257.01
GENESIS EMPLOYEE BNFTS, EX \$257.01 HALBERT, DUNN & HALBERT, SR \$4,680.00
HWLTT-PCKRD FIN SERV, EX\$1,870.30
LEAGUE OF NE MUNICIPALITIES,
EX\$5 206.00
EX\$5,206.00 PEST CONTROL SVS OF SE NE, EX\$50.00
QUILL CORPORATION, SU\$382.46
SE NE DEVELOP DIST., EX\$3,423.00
SNC, SR\$248.52
TASC EX \$20.00
UNION BANK & TRUST CO, EX \$314.23
UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX\$1,274,73
UNION BANK & TRUST CO, EX\$314.23 UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX\$1,274.73 UTILITY DEPT - PETTY CASH, EX\$1.00
WAGEWORKS, EX\$37.50
WAGEWORKS, EX
POLICE DEPARTMENT
PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA\$43,297.77
PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA\$43,297.77 ALAMAR UNIFORMS, EX\$4,635.22 AS CENTRAL FINANCE, EX\$448.00
AS CENTRAL FINANCE, EX\$448.00
BEER'S SHOP, EX\$10.00 BRAD GRIFFIN CONSULTING, EX\$1,160.99
BRAD GRIFFIN CONSULTING, EX \$1,160.99
DIVISION OF CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION
EX,\$24.00 ED ROEHR SAFETY PRODUCTS, EX\$780.30
FLEET SERVICES, EX\$1,301.10
GREGORY BACHMAN, EX\$1,301.10
HALBERT, DUNN & HALBERT, SR\$960.00
HARMONS OK TIRE STORE, EX\$20.00
JAMESON BAKER, EX\$14.38
JASON BAUMAN, EX
JASON RIGGS, EX\$25.00
1AV RECHTOLD EX \$25.00
JAY BECHTOLD, EX\$25.00 K-T'S FIRE EXT. SERVICE, EX\$27.00
KEITH ADAMS, EX\$27.00
KENNETH VONDERSCHMIDT, EX\$10.00
LINDSIE JONES, EX\$6.54
LUKAS IONES EX \$30.00
MARSHA FREDERICK, EX\$30.00
MARVIN BUCKMINSTER, EX\$30.00
MECHANIC SHOP EV \$17.36

TODICE BELL TELLIT CHOIL, ELL		
RANDALL SIMON, EX	\$30.00	
RICHARD ADAMS, EX	\$15.00	
RICHARD C VOLLMER, EX	\$10.00	
SHANE BROWN, EX	\$5.00	
SNC, SR		
STAN COUPE, EX	\$15.00	
STEVE KOTTICH, EX	\$10.00	
THOMAS JONES, EX	\$35.00	
UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX	\$25.19	
WILLIAM SIMON, EX	\$10.00	
TOTAL\$5	5.163.82	
FIRE	,	
PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA\$	8,362.07	
CITY OF F.C. DEBIT CARD, EX	\$40.21	
DEARBORN NATIONAL, EX	\$211.70	
FLEET SERVICES, EX	\$42.76	
HAUG COMMUNICATIONS INC, EX.	\$41.50	
K-T'S FIRE EXT. SERVICE, EX	\$27.00	
NSVFA, EX		
SNC, SR	\$86.26	
UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX\$	2,414.54	
UTILITY DEPT - PETTY CASH, EX	\$5.75	
TOTAL\$1		
STREET DEPARTMENT		

POLICE DEPT- PETTY CASH, EX

TOTAL\$11,831.79
STREET DEPARTMENT
PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA\$23,808.03
CONCRETE INDUSTRIES INC., EX \$2,390.81
FARM AND CITY SUPPLY, EX\$57.45
FLEET SERVICES, EX\$891.59
HOME LUMBER CO, EX\$55.40
KELLER CONSTRUCTION CO., EX\$742.50
MARTIN MARIETTA AGGREGATES,
EX\$1,288.05
MECHANIC SHOP, EX\$875.18
MILLER MONROE COMPANY, EX \$4.00
MR AUTOMOTIVE, EX\$68.40

EX	\$1,288.05
MECHANIC SHOP, EX	\$875.18
MILLER MONROE COMPANY, E	EX \$4.00
MR AUTOMOTIVE, EX	\$68.40
NE SALT & GRAIN CO, EX	\$3,188.25
OLSSON ASSOCIATES, EX	
SNC, SR	\$45.89
UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX	<u>\$4,040.69</u>
TOTAL	.\$37,756.24
PARKS	
PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA	
ACCO, EX	
FALLS CITY MERCANTILE, EX	
FARM AND CITY SUPPLY, EX	
FLEET SERVICES, EX	
FOUNTAIN PEOPLE, EX	
FRITO-LAY, EX	
HELENA CHEMICAL CO, EX	\$13.73
HOME LUMBER CO, EX	\$135.78
KRIZ DAVIS COMPANY, EX	
MAXI-SWEEP, EX	\$147.83
MCKAYLA EWERS, EX	
MECHANIC SHOP, EX	
MEYER HOME CENTER EX	\$1.774.31

MCKAYLA EWERS, EX\$75.00	
MECHANIC SHOP, EX\$342.97	
MEYER HOME CENTER, EX\$1,774.31	
QUILL CORPORATION, SU\$38.33	
RECREATION SUPPLY CO, EX\$332.76	
SENCA, EX\$3,900.00	
SHAWNA RHODD, EX\$150.00	
SNC, SR\$99.02	
SUN MART, EX\$8.62	
THE LIFEGUARD STORE INC, EX .\$209.50	
TRUE VALUE HARDWARE, EX\$2.98	
UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX\$5,540.35	
WOLFES PRINTING, SU\$4.56	
TOTAL\$56,933.12	
AUDITORIUM	
PEST CONTROL SERVICES OF SE NE,	
EX\$50.00	
SNC, SR\$138.57	
UNIFIRST CORPORATION, EX\$72.20	
LITH ITY DEDARTMENT BY \$2.050.66	

SNC, SR	\$138.57
UNIFIRST CORPORATION, EX.	\$72.20
UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX	\$2,059.66
TOTAL	\$2,320.43
ANIMAL CONTROL	L
PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA	\$2,619.44
FARM AND CITY SUPPLY, EX	\$42.44
FLEET SERVICES, EX	\$88.64
HOME LUMBER CO, EX	\$784.73
MECHANIC SHOP, EX	\$7.49
MEYER HOME CENTER, EX	\$1,236.90
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PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA	\$2,619.44
FARM AND CITY SUPPLY, EX.	\$42.44
FLEET SERVICES, EX	\$88.64
HOME LUMBER CO, EX	\$784.73
MECHANIC SHOP, EX	\$7.49
MEYER HOME CENTER, EX	\$1,236.90
OPPD. EX	\$21.79
UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX	\$9.62
TOTAL	\$4,811.05
SENIOR CENTER BU	ILDI
BLUE RIVERS AGENCY ON A	
FX	\$1.215.00

BLUE RIVERS AGENCY ON .	AREA,	
EX	\$1,215.00	
TOTAL	\$1,215.00	
COMM. REDEV. AUTH.		
CGB ENTERPRISES, EX		
RICHARDSON CO BANK & Y	VISION 20/20	
INC, EX	\$9,782.80	
WILDERNESS FALLS LLC, E	X\$6,781.48	
TOTAL	\$163,458.63	
E911 Wireless		
SNC, EX	\$157.04	
SNC, SR	\$183.96	
WINDCEDEAM EV	\$224 CF	

TOTAL	\$163,458.63	
E911 Wir	eless	
SNC, EX	\$157.04	
SNC, SR		
WINDSTREAM, EX	\$334.65	
TOTAL	\$675.65	
911 EMERGENCY SERVIC		
PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA	A\$19,076.93	
SNC, EX	\$235.57	

0110, 121	
SNC, SR\$80.63	
WINDSTREAM, EX\$501.97	
TOTAL\$19,895.10	
LIBRARY	
PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA\$12,196.65	
FARM AND CITY SUPPLY, EX\$110.25	
GRIMM'S GARDENS, EX\$46.99	
HOME LUMBER CO, EX\$3.98	
JENSEN COONCE, EX\$684.00	
JONES AIR CONDITIONING, EX \$98.00	
KAWRES, EX\$8.00	
LIBRARY - PETTY CASH, EX\$63.89	
OCLC, INC., EX\$129.43	
QUILL CORPORATION, SU\$53.77	
RICHARD GILKERSON, EX\$270.00	
SELS, EX\$100.00	
SNC SR \$220.63	

	OCLC, INC., EX	\$129.43
	QUILL CORPORATION, SU	\$53.77
	RICHARD GILKERSON, EX	\$270.00
	SELS, EX	\$100.00
	SNC, SR	\$220.63
	UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX	\$2,540.24
	TOTAL	\$16,525.83
LIBRARY GRANT		
	INGRAM, EX	\$1,937.68
	LIBRARY - PETTY CASH, EX.	\$12.83
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CEMETERY

PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA\$7,614.09 FARM AND CITY SUPPLY, EX\$24.99 FLEET SERVICES, EX\$282.28

MID TOWN SERVICE CENTER, EX\$13.0
MILAM'S GREENHOUSE, INC., EX\$125.0
SNC, SR\$44.3
UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX\$52.0
TOTAL\$8,843.0
CEMETERY TRUST
BARBARA GORGA, EX\$150.0
TOTAL\$150.0
AIRPORT
SUE BUCKMINSTER, EX\$250.0
CITY OF F.C. DEBIT CARD, EX\$72.4
DAWN BENNETT, EX\$75.0
FALLS CITY MERCANTILE, EX \$92.9
MECHANIC SHOP, EX\$7.0
PHILIP CHAFFEE, EX\$2,320.0
SAPP BROS "66", EX\$551.6
SNC, SR\$135.5
UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX\$365.7
TOTAL\$3,870.3
1984 - HUD TRUST
NDED, EX\$595.2
TOTAL\$595.2
GENERAL TOTAL\$422,818.9
UTILITY CLAIMS
ATIC COAT

JONES & JONES, EX MECHANIC SHOP, EX

AUG 2015	
ELECTRIC	
PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA	\$70,989.03
ADMINISTRATIVE DEPT, EX	\$93.24
BCBS OF NEBRASKA, EX	\$626.0
BRAD GRIFFIN CONSULTING, EX	\$377.00
CCS, INC, EX	\$36,162.00
CCS, INC, EXGEN PETTY CASH, EX	\$104.00
CLUNE & CO. LC, EX	\$77.00
CONCRETE IND. INC. EX	\$120.50
DUTTON-LAINSON CO., EX	\$13,595.18
FALLS CITY POST OFFICE, EX	\$993.00
FC SANITATION SERVICE, SR	\$455.40
FARM AND CITY SUPPLY, EX	\$4,932.90
FISCHER AUTO BODY, EX	\$224.20
FLEET FUELING, EX	\$1,057.94
GENERAL FUND, EX	\$29,034.74
GENESIS EMP. BENEFITS, EX,	\$140.00
HALBERT/DUNN/HALBERT, SR	\$998.00
HEWLETT-PACKARD, EX	
HUSKER ELECTRIC SUPPLY, EX	
K-T'S FIRE EXT SERVICE, EX	\$149.8
KAWRES, EX	
KRIZ-DAVIS CO, EX	\$201.39
LUTZ, DAILY & BRAIN, LLC, EX	\$51,500.00
MECHANIC SHOP, EX	\$650.08
MUN. ENERGY AGENCY OF NE	
EX\$	175.809.50
NO. AMERICAN ELECTRIC, EX	\$640.30
OLSSON ASSOCIATES, EX	\$5,566.65

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OLSSON ASSOCIATES, EX	d2400
PRO-SERV, EX	\$34.00
RESCO, EX	\$139.10
SCHEIB DRAINAGE, EX	
SHOW ME CABLES, EX	\$294.52
SKARSHAUG TESTING LABORAT	ΓORY,
INC, EX	\$135.91
SNC, SR	\$483.41
TASC, EX	\$20.00
TRUE VALUE HARDWARE, EX	
UTILITIES SECTION, EX	\$1,271.00
UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX	
UTILITY DEPT/PETTY CASH, EX.	\$183.00
WAGE WORKS, EX	\$12.50
WESCO DISTRIBUTION INC., EX	\$1,476.87
WOLFES PRINTING, SU	\$44.00
TOTAL\$4	10,446.16
WATER DEPARTMENT	١ ΄
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TOTAL	\$410,446.16
WATER DEPART	
PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA	\$27,036.29
ADMINISTRATIVE DEPT, SI	U\$3.47
BAVCO BACKFLOW APPAR	
VALVE CO., EX	\$234.80
BRAD GRIFFIN CONSULTIN	
CCS, INC, EX	
CITY OF FC - GENERAL PE	
EX	
CLUNE & COMPANY LC, EX	
DEBIT CARD ACCOUNT, EX	
DIRT WORKS, EX	
EDWARDS CHEMICALS, EX	
FALLS CITY POST OFFICE,	EX\$92.84
FARM AND CITY SUPPLY, E	EX\$131.28
FARMERS REPAIR & MACH	IINE SHOP,
EX	\$192.60
FLEET FUELING, EX	\$159.54
GENESIS EMPLOYEE BENE	EFITS, INC,

FALLS CITT POST OFFICE, EX	\$92.84
FARM AND CITY SUPPLY, EX	
FARMERS REPAIR & MACHINE S	SHOP,
EX	\$192.60
FLEET FUELING, EX	\$159.54
GENESIS EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	, INC,
EX	
HACH CHEMICAL CO., EX	\$112.39
HALBERT, DUNN & HALBERT, L	LC,
SR	\$132.60
HEWLETT PACKARD FINANCIA	L
SERVICES, EX	\$207.30
KAWRES, EX	
KIRKHAM, MICHAEL AND ASSO	CIATE,
EX	\$5,072.00
LINCOLN WINWATER WORKS, EX	\$494.07
MECHANIC SHOP, EX	
MISSISSIPPI LIME CO., EX	\$4,508.27
MUNICIPAL SUPPLY, INC., EX	\$997.34
PRO-SERV, EX	
RAILROAD MANAGEMENT COM	MPANY III,
LLC, EX	\$819.55
	FARM AND CITY SUPPLY, EX FARMERS REPAIR & MACHINE SEX FLEET FUELING, EX GENESIS EMPLOYEE BENEFITS EX HACH CHEMICAL CO., EX HALBERT, DUNN & HALBERT, L SR HEWLETT PACKARD FINANCIA SERVICES, EX. KAWRES, EX KAWRES, EX LINCOLN WINWATER WORKS, EX. MECHANIC SHOP, EX MISSISSIPPI LIME CO., EX MUNICIPAL SUPPLY, INC., EX

\$198.59

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UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX\$5,049.03
UTILITY DEPT/PETTY CASH, EX\$103.00
WAGE WORKS, EX\$12.50
WOLFES PRINTING, SU\$8.76
TOTAL\$88,363.62
MECHANIC SHOP
PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA\$4,614.18
AGCO PLUS, EX\$76.24
ALTEC INDUSTRIES INC., EX \$259.86
ARMBRUSTER MOTOR CO., EX\$24.81
EGGERS BROS. INC., EX\$126.70
FALLS CITY AUTO SUPPLY, EX\$190.85
FARM AND CITY SUPPLY, EX\$987.80
JOHN DEERE FINANCIAL, EX\$29.62
FLEET FUELING, EX\$72.51
HARMON'S O.K. TIRE STORE, EX.\$220.50
INGLIS REPAIR, EX\$192.00
MID TOWN SERVICE CENTER, EX., \$12.00
MR. AUTOMOTIVE, EX\$303.87
ROSE EQUIPMENT CO., EX\$69.32
UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX\$5.39

UTILITIES SECTION, EX

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TOTAL	\$7,185.65
GAS DEPARTMENT	Γ
PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA	
ADMINISTRATIVE DEPT, SU	\$7.00
BRAD GRIFFIN CONSULTING, E	X\$254.00
CCS, INC, EX	\$3,570.00
GENERAL PETTY CASH, EX	\$70.00
CLUNE & COMPANY LC, EX	
FALLS CITY POST OFFICE, EX	\$297.00
FARM AND CITY SUPPLY, EX	\$47.57
FARMERS REPAIR & MACHINI	E SHOP
EX,	\$51.98
FLEÉT FUELING, EX	\$444.34
GENERAL FUND, EX	
GENESIS EMPLOYEE BENEFIT	S, INC,
EX	
GROEBNER & ASSOC., INC., E.	
HALBERT, DUNN & HÁLBERT,	LLC,
SR	\$2,161.00
HELLETT PACKARD FINANCIA	
SERVICES, EX	
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GROLDIVER & 1550C., INC., EA\$502.00
HALBERT, DUNN & HALBERT, LLC,
SR\$2,161.00
HELLETT PACKARD FINANCIAL
SERVICES, EX\$670.00
INDUSTRIAL SALES CO. INC., EX\$420.18
KAWRES, EX\$56.00
MECHANIC SHOP, EX\$429.47
NE PUBLIC HEALTH, EX\$626.00
NORTHERN TOOL & EQUIP, EX \$304.97
ONE CALL CONCEPTS INC, EX\$79.30
PRO-SERV, EX\$22.00
SNC, SR\$195.61
SUN MART, EX\$17.16
T.D. WILLIAMSON, INC., EX\$373.65
TRI-GLOBAL TECH., LLC, EX\$449.00
UTILITIES SECTION, EX\$856.00
UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX\$352.73
UTILITY DEPT/PETTY CASH, EX\$123.00
WAGE WORKS, EX\$12.50
WOLFES PRINTING, SU
TOTAL\$62,571.29
GENERAL TOTAL\$568,014.72

UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX\$352.73
UTILITY DEPT/PETTY CASH, EX\$123.00
WAGE WORKS, EX\$12.50
WOLFES PRINTING, SU\$31.00
TOTAL\$62.571.29
TOTAL\$62,571.29 GENERAL TOTAL\$568,014.72
SEWER CLAIMS
AUG 2015
SEWER
PAYROLL ACCOUNT, SA\$18,330.52
ADMINISTRATIVE DEPT, SU\$13.15
BROWN CO. TRANS. STATION, EX\$180.92
DOUGLAS WHEELER, EX\$120.75
FALLS CITY SANITATION, SR\$165.00
FARM AND CITY SUPPLY, EX\$128.56
FLEET FUELING, EX\$113.85
HOME LUMBER COMPANY, EX\$287.26
KAWRES, EX\$5.36
LOU'S GLOVES, EX\$162.00
MECHANIC SHOP, EX\$207.44
MIDWEST LABS, INC., EX\$63.24
SNC, SR\$149.65
UNIVAR USA UNC, EX\$1,321.46
UTILITY DEPARTMENT, EX\$8,397.50
WESCO DISTRIBUTION, EX\$170.13
TOTAL\$29,816.79

County Board

RICHARDSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OCT. 20, 2015 CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Richardson County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Sickel at 9 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 20, 2015. Roll call was answered by Standerford, Davidson and Sickel. The Invocation was given by Chairman Sickel and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Vice-Chairman Davidson. Chairman Sickel announced that the open meeting laws have been posted at the entrance to the meeting

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the minutes of the Oct. 13, 2015, meeting as read. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-

aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the minutes of the Oct. 13, 2015, Board of Equalization minutes as presented. Motion seconded by Sickel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Standerford to approve the agenda as posted. Motion seconded by Sickel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerfordaye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. The agenda is posted at the Richardson County Courthouse on the First Floor Lobby, the Commissioner's Meeting Room, the Third Floor of the Sheriff's Office and on the Richardson Coun-

ty website www.co.richardson.ne.us

ROAD & BRIDGE DEPARTMENT

Highway Supt. Scott Huppert updated the

Board on the routine maintenance being done on county roads and bridges this week. He reported that the bridge crew is working on a bridge north of Shubert and doing bridge inspections. The Board also authorized the Highway Superinten-dent to advertise for trailer bids to be opened on Tuesday, Nov. 3, 2015 at 11:30 a.m. ZNEZ

A notice was received from the Village of Verdon regarding a nuisance violation of weeds/ grasses over 12 inches tall at the County Shop located in Verdon. Huppert informed the Board that the grounds have been mowed and procedures have now been put into place to mow the extended area around the shop which has been determined to be the County's responsibility.

A petition to vacate or abandon a county road between S27 & S28, T1, R18 was received that had been signed by 10 or more electors residing within ten miles of the road. Motion was made by Sickel to adopt Resolution 2015-2016-21 to instruct the Highway Superintendent to do a study on. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 22, Page 73) ZNEZ

Mr. Huppert updated the Board on the damages from the June 8, 2015 storm that have been turned into FEMA. FEMA has agreed to provide funding to replace a culvert south of Shubert, FEMA site #72, in which this project will need to be let out for bids. Motion was made by Sickel to authorize the Highway Superintendent to advertise for sealed bids for the FEMA culvert project south of Shubert located on 647 Avenue between 716 and 717 Road, to be received and opened at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 10, 2015. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Stnaderford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried

SHERIFF, DON POUNDS

Sheriff, Don Pounds requested approval from the Board for the dismissal of an employee in the Jail. Motion was made by Sickel to approve the request from the Sheriff for the dismissal of an employee of the Jail, Denise Cook. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Mo-

DOUG MERZ, COUNTY ATTORNEY County Attorney, Doug Merz reviewed with the Board county legal matters. **Sub-Division**

Motion was made by Sickel to approve a sub-division for Mary Lee Weinert, Linda K. Perue and Jean M. Metzger located in S6, T1, R17 and to adopt Resolution 2015-2016-20. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 22, Page 74)

Other

A report was approved for Sheriff Pounds for fees collected during the month of September, 2015, totaling \$4,686.27.

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

GENERAL FUND Armbruster Motor Co., serv......

'am Bennett, fee	200.00
3lecha 66, fuel	55.25
The Cleaners, serv	15.50
Datashield Corp., serv	17.60
Mary L. Eickhoff, reimb	280.64
FC Mercantile, sup	406.65
Family Medicine, serv	75.00
Albert Fuller, fee	200.00
Robert Gulland, reimb	274.60
Handley Law, fee CR15-26	
Holman	160.00
eanne Hauserman, fee	200.00
Amy Hector, serv	200.00
Nat'l 4-H Council, sup	76.85
Catherine Palmer, jury	35.00
Oon Pounds, reimb	361.38
Region V Services, dues	3,721.50
Region V Systems, dues	3,653.75
County Clerk Petty Cash, reimb	12.65
Sheriff Petty Cash, reimb	545.48
Sapp Bros, fuel	2,529.99
Shopko Stores, sup	
SE NE Communications, serv	401.87
Stripes & Signs, sup	88.50
Terri Jo's, serv	956.50
Weaver & Merz, reimb/rent/postage	984.72
Windstream, serv	112.38
Wolfes, sup	139.65
TOTAL GENERAL FUND	\$15,893.67
ROAD & BRIDGE FUN	
Harmons OK Tire, tires	2,509.36
Kochs Auto Service, serv	3,652.77
Martin-Marietta, rock	53,941.00
IDDD	107.56

IOTAL GENEKAL FUND	.\$13,893.0
ROAD & BRIDGE FUN	D
Harmons OK Tire, tires	2,509.3
Kochs Auto Service, serv	
Martin-Marietta, rock	
NPPD, serv	
Nicholson & Associates, serv	50.00
Norris Quarries, rock	
OPPD, serv	
Rockmount Research & Alloys, sup	902.2
Village of Rulo, serv	
Sapp Bros., fuel	
Jnifirst Corp., sup	
Windstream, serv	
TOTAL ROAD & BRIDGE FUND	
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY	FUND
NE Dent of Labor unemployment ins	5636.0

TOTAL EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

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FUND	\$5,636.0
GENERAL ASSISTANCE F	UND
Community Medical Center, serv	2,475.7
FC Sanitation, serv	33.00
Lincoln OB-GYN, serv	1,324.9
TOTAL GENERAL ASSISTANCE	
FUND	\$3,833.7
STATE INSTITUTIONS FU	JND
COLL CATE DO CITIES	100.0

STATE INSTITUTIONS FUND
State of NE Dept of HHS, serv <u>180.00</u>
TTL STATE INST. FUND\$180.00
JUVENILE SERVICES GRANT FUND
Laura Osborne, contract/reimb3341.61
Maxine Schatz, contract1560.00
Sterling High School, presentation650.00
TTL JÜV. SERV GRANT FUND\$5,551.61
JAIL/LAW ENF BLDG FUND
AHRS Construction, Inc., contract274,972.50

TTL JAIL FUND ... ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Sickel to adjourn the meeting at noon. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. The Board will meet again Oct. 27 in the Courthouse, Falls City. The agenda is kept current at the County Clerk's Office.

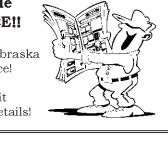
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Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before December 21, 2015 or be forever barred.

Nancy A. DeKlotz Clerk of the County Court

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20-27-3

NOTICE TO CULVERT SUPPLIERS

Sealed bids, clearly marked "SEALED CUL-VERT BID" will be received at the office of the Richardson County Clerk, Courthouse, 1700 Stone Street, Falls City, NE 68355, until 11:00 a.m. on November 10, 2015 and at that time publicly opened and read.

Bidding documents are available at www. co.richardson.ne.us/ or may be obtained by calling 402-245-2614.

Richardson County reserves the right to waive

all technicalities and reject any or all bids. Scott Huppert Richardson County Highway Superintendent

NOTICE OF MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of an order of sale issued by the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, and pursuant to a decree of said Court in an action therein indexed at Case No. CI 15-31, wherein Nationstar Mortgage LLC, is the plaintiff, and Cherryl L. Skillett, Dennis J. Skillett, Pearl L. Ray, Jeri Jean Smith, Dave Goff, John Doe and Jane Doe, real names and marital status unknown and General Collection Co., are the defendants, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following property at 10:00 a.m., on the 9th day of December, 2015, on the first floor, lobby area of the Richardson County Courthouse, 1700 Stone Street, in the City of Falls City, Richardson County, Nebraska, to-wit:

West Half (W1/2) and the West Nineteen (W19) feet of the East Half of Lot Ten (E^{1/2} Lot 10), Block Ten (10), Original Town of Humboldt, Richardson County, Nebraska,

to satisfy the liens and encumbrances therein set forth; and to satisfy the accruing court costs, all as provided by said order and decree. The purchaser is responsible for all fees or taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. The purchaser will deposit with the Master Commissioner, at the time of sale, a nonrefundable 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 plaintiff's attorney immediately upon confirmation of the sale by the Court. This sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the property.

Dated this 29th day of October, 2015.

Nicole L. Mason Master Commissioner

ERIC H. LINDQUIST, P.C., L.L.O. Attorneys at Law 8712 West Dodge Road, Suite 260 Omaha, Nebraska 68114

3-10-17-24

KNIGHT MATTER IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF BUTLER COUNTY, KANSAS JUVENILE DIVISION IN THE INTEREST OF EMMA ROSE KNIGHT, DOB: 05/01/2001, CASE NO. 15 JC 024 A child under age eighteen

NOTICE OF HEARING STATE OF KANSAS TO: WENDY JO WALLE, AKA: WENDY JO MARS, DOB: 1/26/1978 -

MOTHER OF THE ABOVE REFERENCED CHILD and any and all other persons who are or may be concerned:

A petition has been filed in this court alleging that the respondent(s) is/are children in need of care as defined in the Kansas Code for Children K.S.A. 38-2202(d), as amended. Also, a Motion to Terminate Parental Rights has been filed pursuant to K.S.A. 38-2266 et seq. and amendments

You are required to appear before this Court at 11:30 a.m on December 1, 2015, at the Butler County Judicial Center, 201 W. Pine, El Dorado, KS 67042, or prior to that time to file your written response to the pleading with the clerk of this Court. If, after a child has been adjudged to be a child in need of care, the court finds a parent or parents to be unfit, the court may make an order terminating the parent's or parents' parental

rights.
Michelle Smith, an attorney, has been appointed as guardian ad litem for the child or children. Each parent or other legal custodian of the child or children has the right to appear and be heard personally either with or without an attorney The court will appoint an attorney for a parent who is financially unable to hire one.

School Board #56

Agenda for the Board of Education Meeting, 7:00 PM, Monday, November 9, 2015 at the Central Office at Falls City Middle School

The agenda sequence is provided as a courtesy. The board reserves the right to consider items in the sequence it deems appropriate. Therefore, we encourage patrons to attend the meeting from the beginning.

1.0 Business Items:
1.1 Roll Call, Open Meetings Act Notice, and

Pledge of Allegiance 1.2 Approval of Absences1.3 Verification of Advanced Publication

1.4 Approval of Agenda

1.5 Approval of Previous Minutes 1.6 Audiences

1.7 Approval of Treasurer's Report

1.8 Approval of Claims 2.0 Informational Items/Reports:

2.1 Staff/Student/Organization NeSA Student Recognition; District Audit and Financial Report for 2014-2015, Julie Bauman, CPA, P.C.

2.2 Principal's Reports: Annual report on multiculturalism 2.3 Board President's Report:

2.4 Superintendent's Report:
2.4a Legislative & Organization Update
2.4b Building and Grounds Update 2.4c Continuous School Improvement & District Goals

2.4d Negotiations Planning

2.4e Policy Planning
2.4f School Board/Administration Planning Workshop

2.4g Superintendent Meetings

2.4h Board Member Meetings 2.5 Board Committee/Member Reports

2.6 Additions

3.0 Old/New Action Items:

3.1 First Reading on Policy Revisions 3.2 Second Reading on Policy Revisions 3.3 Accept the 2014-2015 Annual Audit

4.0 Executive Session: Requested by member, approved by majority, as per statute 5.0 Adjournment and Next Meetings: The next regular monthly Board of Education meeting is scheduled for Monday, December 14, 2015 at 7:00 P.M. in the Central Office in Falls City Middle School. Regular and special meeting agendas are kept in the Office of the Superintendent. Board Committee meetings TBD

School Board #70

Board of Education Regular Meeting October 12, 2015 7:00 PM 2nd Floor Math Room in Humboldt

Attendance Taken at 7:01 PM: Present Board Members: Mike Bredemeier, Rock Herr, Neal Kanel, Scott Ogle, Steve Schaardt, Sandy

1. OPEN MEETING NOTICE - CALL MEET-ING TO ORDER- ROLL CALL -PLEDGE OF

2. APPROVE THE AGENDA

Motion Passed: Motion to approve agenda passed with a motion by Steve Schaardt and a second by Rock Herr. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.

3. WELCOME PATRONS AND GUESTS

4. PATRON COMMENT 5. CORRESPONDENCE

6. APPROVE PREVIOUS MINUTES - Consent Agenda Motion Passed: Motion to approve first three

meeting minutes (September 14th) passed with a motion by Neal Kanel and a second by Mike Bredemeier. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays. 6.A. Regular Meeting on September 14, 2015 6.B. Budget Hearing on September 14, 2015

6.C. Tax Request Hearing on September 14, 6.D. Special Meeting on September 21, 2015 Motion Passed: Motion to approve previous

minutes for Special Meeting on September 21st, passed with a motion by Mike Bredemeier and a

second by Sandy Stalder. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays 7. APPROVE FINANCIAL REPORTS
7.A. Approve bills for payment

Motion Passed: Motion to approve payment of bills passed with a motion by Steve Schaardt and a second by Neal Kanel. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.

7.B. Consent Agenda Motion Passed: Motion to approve the consent agenda as presented passed with a motion by Neal Kanel and a second by Sandy Stalder. 6

Yeas - 0 Nays. 7.B.I. Review treasurer's report 7.B.II. Review activity fund report

7.B.III. Review lunch fund report 8. DISCUSSION ITEMS 8.A. Committee Meetings

8.A.I. Humboldt Site North Addition Discussion: The building and grounds committee meeting scheduled for Wednesday, October 14th will get a roof bid. Short discussion on lights in new addition.

9. ACTION ITEMS 9.A. Approve board member's leave of ab-

9.B. Approve Board Policy 5002.2 Motion Passed: Motion to approve board policy 5002.2 passed with a motion by Steve Schaardt and a second by Sandy Stalder. 6 Yeas

9.C. Approve Laptop Discipline Procedure Motion Passed: Approve the laptop discipline procedure passed with a motion by Neal Kanel and a second by Sandy Stalder. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays. 9.D. Approve Resignation of Classified Staff

Member, Jennifer Anderson Motion Passed: Motion to approve classified staff member resignation from Jennifer Anderson passed with a motion by Steve Schaardt and a second by Sandy Stalder. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.

9.E. Approve Courtyard Landscaping Motion Passed: Motion to approve the court-yard landscaping and window repairs in front of first floor offices for \$12,700 passed with a motion by Steve Schaardt and a second by Neal Kanel. 5 Yeas - 1 Nay. Mike Bredemeier-Yes / Rock Herr-No

Neal Kanel-Yes / Scott Ogle-Yes Steve Schaardt -Yes / Sandy Stalder-Yes

9.E.I. Approve Purchase of Bench: Will dis-

cuss further at next meeting 10. ADMINISTRATOR REPORTS

10.A. Principal Othmer

10.B. Principal Lottman 10.C. Superintendent Edmundson 10.C.I. Tax Request Amended

10.C.II. Superintendent's Leave Update 11. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion Passed: Motion to approve entering into executive session to discuss personnel at 7:49 PM passed with a motion by Steve Schaardt and a second by Neal Kanel. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays. 12. ADJOURN

Motion Passed: Motion to adjourn passed with a motion by Stalder and a second by Schaardt at

8:00 PM. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Respectfully submitted, Kellie Workman, Board Recorder

Special Meeting Agenda - Workshop October 12, 2015 4:00 PM

2nd Floor Math Room, Humboldt Attendance Taken at 4:04 PM: Present Board Members: Mike Bredemeier, Rock Herr, Neal Kanel, Scott Ogle, Steve Schaardt, Sandy

Updated Attendance: Rock Herr was updated to present at: 4:09 PM

. Call meeting to order - Roll call

Approve the agenda

Motion Passed: Motion to approve agenda passed with a motion by Neal Kanel and a second by Sandy Stalder. 5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Mike Bredemeier-Yes Rock Herr-Absent Neal Kanel-Yes Scott Ogle-Yes Steve Schaardt-Yes

Sandy Stalder-Yes 3. Workshop with Nebraska Association of School Boards(NASB)

Discussion: Time spent with Marcia Herring of NASB working on setting goals and district needs 4. Adjourn

Motion Passed: Motion to adjourn at 6:18 PM passed with a motion by Neal Kanel and a second by Mike Bredemeier. 6 Yeas - 0 Nays.

Respectfully Submitted, Kellie Workman, Board Recorder

Public Meeting Notice Board of Education District #70

Notice is hereby given that a regular board meeting of the Board of Education of the Humboldt Table Rock Steinauer School District #70 will be held at 7:00 PM on Monday, Nov. 9, 2015 in the 2nd Floor Math Room at the Humboldt site, which meeting will be open to the public. The purpose of such meeting is to do regular business. A current agenda is available at the Superintendent's Office.

Scott Ogle Board President

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"When meeting anyone in the road in a buggy or wagon look to see if there are ladies in the vehicles, if so give the road to avoid unpleasantness. If not hold for your rights unless the other fellow looks the largest, then for your looks' sake I would say do as you think best. Always have confidence in yourself both as a rider and as a warrior; it takes it to get through this world on a wheel. . . . When you meet or overtake a fellow wheelman in distress always offer your assistance if nothing more than fill his oil can. It lightens his heart if nothing more and this same unfortunate may meet you sometime. Always see how steady you can maintain your body above the hips. It saves the wabble of the machine which causes the loss of control when going fast, that always results disastrous[ly]....

"Always remember 'there are others' who cause collisions beside the fellow with whom you collide, especially if you are a novice. If a dangerous looking place appears don't be afraid to dismount or you may get dismounted. Never quit riding when you get tired, but always quit riding before you are tired, then you will never have to quit when you are tired. . . . In distance riding one thing to be remembered, ten miles an hour for ten hours will take you one hundred miles a day, but if you attempt doing thirty-five miles the first hour you won't last one hour. . . .

"Always remember that 'accidents will happen to machines of the best construction,' so never go on a trip without a repair kit and a tool bag (and tools, of course). Always figure on paying a good price for a good machine unless you can work some good rich relative for it. Wheels cost good money and it takes good money to get good wheels."

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First United Methodist Church-a Falls City staple for 160 years

This year the members of the First United Methodist Church at 17th and Harlan in Falls City are celebrating the 24th year of the "Lord's Acre Soup Supper and Sale." The dinner and sale started back in 1992 and gets bigger and better every year.

The 'Lord's Acre Sale,' originated in Georgia in 1922 in a Baptist Church. Over the years, many churches have used the event to add income to their church. This year, members are serving four soups, ham and bean and corn chowder. They also offer take or carry out (402-245-3281).

The members of the church are honored to sell four beautiful handmade

quilts and each one different from the other. The members also use their many talents to add crafted and baked items to the auction.

This year the church is also celebrating 160 years of serving the Falls City community. In 1855, church services were held in the area houses with Rev. Hart as the minister.

The First United Methodist church was built of wood in 1867, where the present Methodist Church stands. In 1892 the wooden church was replaced the current red brick church.

In 1952 the present church was dedicated, and with that the Methodist Church has stood on the corner of 17th and Harlan for 148 years. The present minister is Pastor John Hogue and this year he will be celebrating his second year with the 'Lord's Acre Soup Supper and Sale.' The community is invited to dinner at 5 p.m. and the auction at 6:30 Saturday, Nov. 7.

Making It Right

In the Frontier Bank Community calendar ad that was published on Page 16 of the Oct. 27, 2015 edition of The Falls City Journal inadvertently stated that Stone Street Arts and the museum would be open Sunday, Nov. 15. The museum will actually be closed that day. It will, however, be will be open from 10-4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28.

opportunity to experience Plateau culture through the eyes and hearts of artists, who share their history, motivation and the beadwork. "Horse Tribe" is an epic story about

NET TELEVISION

NET Television will broadcast "Spir-

it in Glass: Plateau Native Beadwork" at 10:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 15, "Horse Tribe," at 10 p.m. Monday, Nov. 16 and

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the connection of human to animal, history to life and values to action. Legend-

ary as one of America's greatest horse tribes, the 21st century Nez Perce decided to bring horses back to their land with the unlikely help of a charismatic Navajo horseman, Rudy Shebala.

In "Bridge the Gap to Pine Ridge," host and global explorer Chris Bashinelli visits the Pine Ridge Reservation to explore the often-forgotten culture of the Oglala Lakota Native Americans. While there, he embarks on a life-changing buffalo harvest, gets schooled by a women's basketball team, visits with a 14-yearold suicide prevention activist and finds himself shoulder-deep up a cow's backside while trying to better understand employment on the reservation.

SH junior Nora Barker to All-State Orchestra

FC Sacred Heart junior Nora Barker was chosen to play violin in the All-State Orchestra at the Lied Center in Lincoln at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 21.

Students from all over the state go through a rigorous audition process in which they must play scales, arpeggios, and excerpts from two pieces in the orchestra repertoire.

Nora will spend three days on the UNL campus rehearsing and then perform in the concert at the Lied Center. She is a member of both band and chorus at FCSH under music director Wesley Farewell.

School District #70

Board of Education District #70

Notice is hereby given that a regular board meeting of the Board of Education of the Humboldt-TR-S School District #70 will be held at 7 p.m. Monday, Nov. 9, 2015 in the 2nd Floor Math Room at the Humboldt site, which meeting will be open to the public. The purpose of such meeting is to do regular business. A current agenda is available at the Superintendent's Office.

Scott Ogle

Board President

Jury returns trio of guilty verdicts

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was committed, in was within his legal rights to carry a firearm.

The wreck occurred on 14th Street, between Weaver and Fulton Streets, in the middle of the afternoon as both vehicles were westbound. According to witness testimony, photographs taken at the scene and forensics conducted by the State Patrol, Wittwer's truck rolled twice before coming to rest on its four wheels. "Substantial contact and induced damage was observed to the rear left side" of the truck. Wittwer was transported to Community Medical Center and then to a Lincoln hospital for treatment of possible spinal and neck injuries, as well as lacerations to his head. Doerr's truck, which he had just previously purchased, rolled onto its top, slid on the grass north of 14th Street, and struck a light pole in the northeast corner of 14th and Fulton Streets. Doerr exited the vehicle from the rear cab window, but he didn't report major injury.

Prosecutors called several eyewitnesses, including Wittwer, who all truck was rear-ended by Doerr's pickup truck."

Doerr intentionally caused the accident.

The reconstruction "also determined there was ample distance for Doerr to avoid the collision, even if he was traveling 55 mph, and he could've avoided the crash if he had stayed in the turning lane. (There is) probable cause to believe Doerr intentionally crashed his vehicle into Wittwer's vehicle and provided false statements to Officer Goldsberry during his investigation."

chase and a welder in the bed of his pickup slid onto the street. That's when Doerr allegedly passed Fisher's truck in the turning lane, swerved back into the driving lane and struck Wittwer's vehicle.

According to court documents, Fisher and Wittwer were feuding for months before the incident and at the time of the wreck. In fact, in late December of 2012, police were called to Fisher's home and arrested Wittwer on felony charges of assault and terroristic threats for allegedly "pointing a gun" at Fisher's head and threatening to "blow his head off." He later pled guilty to misdemeanor assault in the third degree and was fined \$750. Wittwer said Fisher wanted to exact revenge on him, as did Doerr, as the two were friends (Doerr had actually purchased the truck he was driving at the time of the wreck from Fisher) and Doerr was a part-time employee

Doerr that fall was charged with felony assault in the second degree, but special prosecutor Jennifer Ladman-Stehlik dismissed it without prejudice in late October 2013. An arrest warrant was issued for Doerr in April 2014, but only for Assault in the Second Degree, a Class III Felony. That charge was amended, and the two others added, later in 2014.

testified that Doerr "didn't look like he tried to slow down" or "never let off the gas" before impact. Doerr, who did not take the stand during the trial, at the scene allegedly told investigating officer Jeremy Goldsberry of the FC Police Dept. that he had attempted to avoid a welder that had slid out of the back of a third pickup, that of Robert Fisher, 52, of Falls City. Doerr, according to the report, said when he swerved to pass the welder, Wittwer's truck was stopped in the turning lane and blocking traffic. He told Goldsberry that when he swerved to the right to avoid the collision, his truck struck the north edge of the road and rolled. Goldsberry's investigation "revealed the two vehicles had crashed and that Wittwer's pickup

The State Patrol conducted a crash reconstruction in September 2013 and came to a similar conclusion. Based on collected data, including tire marks, path of travel of both trucks, damage analysis, and Wittwer's Airbag Control Module, as well as corroborating statements made by eyewitnesses, in the professional opinion of State Trooper Pedram Nabeigh,

Doerr initially was not issued a citation at the scene, but both he and Fisher were later both accused of willful reckless driving and Fisher a second count, hauling an unsafe load. According to witness testimony, Fisher was giving chase to Wittwer, when the latter stopped his truck on 14th Street before the intersection in an effort to create distance between the vehicles. When Wittwer accelerated away, Fisher again allegedly gave

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